
**UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**
Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 10-Q

(Mark One)

QUARTERLY REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the quarterly period ended **June 30, 2013**

OR

TRANSITION REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the transition period from _____ to _____

Commission File Number: **001-36008**

Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

MARYLAND
(State or other jurisdiction of
incorporation or organization)

**11620 Wilshire Boulevard, Suite 1000,
Los Angeles, California**
(Address of principal executive offices)

46-2024407
(I.R.S. Employer
Identification No.)

90025
(Zip Code)

(310) 966-1680
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

None
(Former name, former address and former fiscal year, if changed since last report)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant (1) has filed all reports required to be filed by Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to file such reports), and (2) has been subject to such filing requirements for the past 90 days. Yes No

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant has submitted electronically and posted on its corporate Web site, if any, every Interactive Data File required to be submitted and posted pursuant to Rule 405 of Regulation S-T (§232.405 of this chapter) during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to submit and post such files). Yes No

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, a non-accelerated filer, or a smaller reporting company. See definitions of "large accelerated filer," "accelerated filer" and "smaller reporting company" in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act.

Large accelerated filer	<input type="checkbox"/>	Accelerated filer	<input type="checkbox"/>
Non-accelerated filer	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Smaller reporting company	<input type="checkbox"/>

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a shell company (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act). Yes No

The number of shares of common stock outstanding at August 30, 2013 was 25,681,790.

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PART I. FINANCIAL INFORMATION

Item 1. Financial Statements

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, INC. PREDECESSOR

COMBINED BALANCE SHEETS

	June 30, 2013 (Unaudited)	December 31, 2012
ASSETS		
Land	\$189,131,000	\$ 154,413,000
Buildings and improvements	245,207,000	210,657,000
Tenant improvements	13,005,000	12,330,000
Furniture, fixtures, and equipment	188,000	188,000
Total real estate held for investment	447,531,000	377,588,000
Accumulated depreciation	(61,840,000)	(56,626,000)
Investments in real estate, net	385,691,000	320,962,000
Cash and cash equivalents	24,951,000	43,499,000
Restricted cash	2,026,000	1,882,000
Notes receivable	7,876,000	11,911,000
Rents and other receivables, net	685,000	560,000
Deferred rent receivable	3,969,000	3,768,000
Deferred leasing costs and in-place lease intangibles, net	7,805,000	5,012,000
Deferred loan costs, net	1,504,000	1,396,000
Acquired above-market leases, net	1,614,000	179,000
Other assets	4,574,000	1,870,000
Acquisition related deposits	210,000	260,000
Investment in unconsolidated real estate entities	11,486,000	12,697,000
Assets associated with real estate held for sale	—	16,500,000
Total Assets	\$452,391,000	\$ 420,496,000
LIABILITIES & EQUITY		
Liabilities		
Notes payable	\$351,187,000	\$ 302,830,000
Accounts payable, accrued expenses and other liabilities	2,518,000	2,589,000
Due to members	—	1,221,000
Interest rate contracts	—	49,000
Acquired below-market leases, net	65,000	39,000
Tenant security deposits	4,623,000	3,753,000
Prepaid rents	603,000	334,000
Liabilities associated with real estate held for sale	—	13,433,000
Total Liabilities	358,996,000	324,248,000
Equity		
Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc. Predecessor	11,968,000	11,962,000
Accumulated deficit and distributions	(27,592,000)	(24,653,000)
Total Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc. Predecessor equity	(15,624,000)	(12,691,000)
Noncontrolling interests	109,019,000	108,939,000
Total Equity	93,395,000	96,248,000
Total Liabilities and Equity	\$452,391,000	\$ 420,496,000

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these combined financial statements.

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REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, INC. PREDECESSOR

COMBINED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS (Unaudited)

	Three Months Ended June 30,		Six Months Ended June 30,	
	2013	2012	2013	2012
RENTAL REVENUES				
Rental revenues	\$ 9,152,000	\$ 6,940,000	\$16,932,000	\$13,784,000
Tenant reimbursements	1,127,000	706,000	1,974,000	1,413,000
Management, leasing and development services	170,000	106,000	431,000	170,000
Other income	49,000	33,000	167,000	50,000
TOTAL RENTAL REVENUES	10,498,000	7,785,000	19,504,000	15,417,000
Interest income	324,000	449,000	635,000	785,000
TOTAL REVENUES	10,822,000	8,234,000	20,139,000	16,202,000
OPERATING EXPENSES				
Property expenses	2,442,000	2,184,000	4,562,000	4,170,000
General and administrative	1,396,000	1,180,000	2,535,000	2,157,000
Depreciation and amortization	3,564,000	2,849,000	6,739,000	6,203,000
Impairment of long-lived assets	—	—	—	—
Other property expenses	444,000	353,000	781,000	629,000
TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSES	7,846,000	6,566,000	14,617,000	13,159,000
OTHER (INCOME) EXPENSE				
Acquisition expenses	624,000	167,000	717,000	234,000
Interest expense	4,467,000	4,346,000	8,324,000	8,504,000
Gain on mark-to-market of interest rate swaps	—	(612,000)	(49,000)	(1,223,000)
TOTAL OTHER EXPENSE	5,091,000	3,901,000	8,992,000	7,515,000
TOTAL EXPENSES	12,937,000	10,467,000	23,609,000	20,674,000
Equity in loss from unconsolidated real estate entities	(712,000)	(90,000)	(925,000)	(33,000)
Gain from early repayment of note receivable	—	—	1,365,000	—
Loss on extinguishment of debt	—	—	(37,000)	—
NET LOSS FROM CONTINUING OPERATIONS	(2,827,000)	(2,323,000)	(3,067,000)	(4,505,000)
DISCONTINUED OPERATIONS				
Loss from discontinued operations before gains on sale of real estate	(180,000)	(145,000)	(86,000)	(68,000)
Loss on extinguishment of debt	(41,000)	—	(250,000)	—
Gain on sale of real estate	2,580,000	—	4,989,000	—
INCOME (LOSS) FROM DISCONTINUED OPERATIONS	2,359,000	(145,000)	4,653,000	(68,000)
NET INCOME (LOSS)	(468,000)	(2,468,000)	1,586,000	(4,573,000)
Net (income) loss attributable to noncontrolling interests	(1,818,000)	1,009,000	(3,544,000)	2,942,000
NET LOSS ATTRIBUTABLE TO REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, INC. PREDECESSOR	\$ (2,286,000)	\$ (1,459,000)	\$ (1,958,000)	\$ (1,631,000)

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REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, INC. PREDECESSOR
COMBINED STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN EQUITY (Unaudited)

	<u>Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc. Predecessor</u>	<u>Noncontrolling Interests</u>	<u>Total</u>
Balance as of January 1, 2013	\$ (12,691,000)	\$108,939,000	\$96,248,000
Capital contributions	6,000	1,150,000	1,156,000
Equity based compensation expense	—	100,000	100,000
Net income	(1,958,000)	3,544,000	1,586,000
Distributions	(981,000)	(4,714,000)	(5,695,000)
Balance as of June 30, 2013	<u>\$ (15,624,000)</u>	<u>\$109,019,000</u>	<u>\$93,395,000</u>

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REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, INC. PREDECESSOR
COMBINED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS (Unaudited)

	<u>Six Months Ended June 30,</u>	
	<u>2013</u>	<u>2012</u>
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES:		
Net income (loss)	\$ 1,586,000	\$ (4,573,000)
Adjustments to reconcile net income (loss) to net cash provided by operating activities:		
Equity in (earnings) loss of unconsolidated real estate entities	925,000	33,000
Depreciation and amortization	6,739,000	6,203,000
Depreciation and amortization included in discontinued operations	157,000	588,000
Amortization of above market lease intangibles	212,000	87,000
Accretion of discount on notes receivable	(94,000)	(176,000)
Loss on extinguishment of debt	287,000	—
Gain on sale of real estate	(4,989,000)	—
Amortization of loan costs	657,000	371,000
Gain on mark-to-market interest rate swaps	(49,000)	(1,223,000)
Deferred interest expense	530,000	527,000
Equity based compensation expense	85,000	—
Gain from early repayment of notes receivable	(1,365,000)	—
Change in working capital components:		
Rents and other receivables	(125,000)	(32,000)
Deferred rent receivable	(217,000)	(223,000)
Change in restricted cash	(116,000)	(265,000)
Leasing commissions	(606,000)	(349,000)
Other assets	(1,068,000)	(308,000)
Accounts payable, accrued expenses and other liabilities	(836,000)	(187,000)
Tenant security deposits	495,000	(251,000)
Prepaid rent	194,000	(41,000)
Net cash provided by operating activities	<u>2,402,000</u>	<u>181,000</u>
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES:		
Acquisition of investment in real estate	(73,332,000)	(5,701,000)
Capital expenditures	(1,205,000)	(3,155,000)
Acquisition related deposits	50,000	—
Contributions to unconsolidated real estate entities	—	(2,814,000)
Distributions from unconsolidated real estate entities	237,000	195,000
Change in restricted cash	(71,000)	236,000
Principal repayments of notes receivable	5,494,000	102,000
Disposition of investment in real estate	21,537,000	—
Net cash used in investing activities	<u>(47,290,000)</u>	<u>(11,137,000)</u>
CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES:		
Proceeds from notes payable	55,459,000	4,795,000
Repayment of notes payable	(21,078,000)	(344,000)
Deferred loan costs	(800,000)	(462,000)
Prepaid offering costs	(1,524,000)	—
Capital contributions	1,156,000	6,809,000
Distributions to members	(5,695,000)	(1,094,000)
Reimbursements due to members	(1,221,000)	—
Change in restricted cash	43,000	(87,000)
Net cash provided by financing activities	<u>26,340,000</u>	<u>9,617,000</u>
Net decrease in cash and cash equivalents	(18,548,000)	(1,339,000)
Cash and cash equivalents, beginning of period	43,499,000	20,928,000
Cash and cash equivalents, end of period	<u>\$ 24,951,000</u>	<u>\$ 19,589,000</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these combined financial statements.

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, INC.

**NOTES TO COMBINED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
(Unaudited)**

1. Overview and Background

Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc. (the “Company,” “we,” “our,” or “us”) is a self-administered and self-managed full-service real estate investment trust (“REIT”) focused on owning and operating industrial properties in Southern California infill markets. Our goal is to generate attractive risk-adjusted returns for our stockholders by providing superior access to industrial property investments in Southern California infill markets.

We were formed as a Maryland corporation on January 18, 2013 and Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P. (the “Operating Partnership”), of which we are the sole general partner, was formed as a Maryland limited partnership on January 18, 2013. We are organized and conduct our operations to qualify as a REIT under the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (the “Code”), and generally are not subject to federal taxes on our income to the extent we distribute our income to our shareholders and maintain our qualification as a REIT.

On July 24, 2013, we completed our initial public offering (the “IPO”) of 16,000,000 shares common stock and the related formation transactions and concurrent private placement. On August 21, 2013, we issued an additional 451,972 shares of our common stock in connection with the partial exercise of the over-allotment option granted to the underwriters in the IPO.

Because the transactions referenced above did not occur until after June 30, 2013, the historical financial results in the financial statements discussed below relate to our predecessor only. Our predecessor (“Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc. Predecessor”) is comprised of Rexford Industrial, LLC (“RILLC”), Rexford Sponsor V, LLC, Rexford Industrial Fund V REIT, LLC (“RIF V REIT”) and their consolidated subsidiaries which consists of Rexford Industrial Fund I, LLC (“RIF I”), Rexford Industrial Fund II, LLC (“RIF II”), Rexford Industrial Fund III, LLC (“RIF III”), Rexford Industrial Fund IV, LLC (“RIF IV”), Rexford Industrial Fund V, LP (“RIF V”) and their subsidiaries (collectively the “Predecessor Funds”). The entities comprising Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc. Predecessor are combined on the basis of common management and common ownership.

Prior to our IPO, the Company had no operations other than the issuance of 100 shares of our common stock, \$0.01 par value per share, for \$100 to Michael Frankel and his affiliate in connection with our initial capitalization, and the collection of approximately \$20.4 million of cash from certain accredited investors in advance of the IPO, which was applied towards the purchase of shares of our common stock in our concurrent private placement.

Below is a summary of the industrial properties in our predecessor’s total managed portfolio as of June 30, 2013:

	Number of		Total Portfolio	Effective Portfolio (1)
	Properties	Buildings	Square Feet	Square Feet
RIF I	7	17	1,008,191	963,418
RIF II	8	23	726,905	697,515
RIF III	10	34	914,690	914,690
RIF IV	13	28	921,971	921,971
RIF V	21	55	2,982,470	1,972,324
	59	157	6,554,227	5,469,918
RIF V - Notes receivables	1	5	99,447	99,447
	60	162	6,653,674	5,569,365

- (1) Effective portfolio square feet includes 100% of the square footage of our predecessor’s combined portfolio of 55 properties, and its respective ownership percentage of square footage for our tenants-in-common and joint venture interest properties, which includes 72.24% of Walnut Center Business Park, 70.0% of La Jolla Sorrento Business Park, and 15.0% of 3001-3223 Mission Oaks Boulevard.

Any reference to the number of properties, buildings and square footage are outside the scope of our independent auditor’s review of our financial statements in accordance with the standards of the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board.

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Basis of Presentation

The accompanying interim combined financial statements include the accounts of our predecessor. All significant intercompany accounts and transactions have been eliminated in combination. All the outside ownership interests in entities that our predecessor consolidates are included in non-controlling interests. The accompanying interim financial statements have been prepared in conformity with U.S. Generally Accepted Accounting Principles (“GAAP”) as established by the Financial Accounting Standards Board (“FASB”) in the Accounting Standards Codification (“ASC”) including modifications issued under Accounting Standards Updates (“ASUs”). The accompanying financial statements include, in our opinion, all adjustments, consisting of normal recurring adjustments, necessary to present fairly the financial information set forth therein.

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with GAAP requires management to make certain estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts in the combined financial statements and accompanying notes. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

Our predecessor consolidates all entities that are wholly owned and those in which we own less than 100% but control, as well as any variable interest entities in which we are the primary beneficiary. We evaluate our ability to control an entity and whether the entity is a variable interest entity and we are the primary beneficiary through consideration of the substantive terms of the arrangement to identify which enterprise has the power to direct the activities of a variable interest entity that most significantly impacts the entity’s economic performance and the obligation to absorb losses of the entity or the right to receive benefits from the entity. Investments in entities in which we do not control but over which we have the ability to exercise significant influence over operating and financial policies are presented under the equity method. Investments in entities that we do not control and over which we do not exercise significant influence are carried at the lower of cost or fair value, as appropriate. Our ability to correctly assess our influence and/or control over an entity affects the presentation of these investments in our combined financial statements.

2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

Discontinued Operations

The revenue, expenses, impairment and/or gain on sale of operating properties that meet the applicable criteria are reported as discontinued operations in the combined statements of operations for all periods presented. A gain on sale, if any, is recognized in the period during which the property is disposed.

In determining whether to report the results of operations, impairment and/or gain on sale of operating properties as discontinued operations, we evaluate whether we have any significant continuing involvement in the operations, leasing or management of the property after disposition. If we determine that we have significant continuing involvement after disposition, we report the revenue, expenses, impairment and/or gain on sale as part of continuing operations.

Held for Sale Assets

Our predecessor classifies properties as held for sale when certain criteria set forth in the Long-Lived Assets Classified as Held for Sale Subsections of ASC Topic 360: *Property, Plant, and Equipment*, are met. At that time, the assets and liabilities of the property held for sale are presented separately in the combined balance sheet and cease recording depreciation and amortization expense at the time a property is classified as held for sale. Properties held for sale are reported at the lower of their carrying value or their estimated fair value, less estimated costs to sell.

Investment in Real Estate

Acquisitions of properties are accounted for utilizing the purchase accounting method and accordingly, the results of operations of acquired properties are included in our results of operations from the respective dates

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of acquisition. Transaction costs related to acquisitions are expensed, rather than included with the consideration paid. Estimates of future cash flows and other valuation techniques are used to allocate the purchase price of acquired property between land, buildings and improvements, equipment and identifiable intangible assets and liabilities such as amounts related to in-place at-market leases, and acquired above- and below-market leases. Initial valuations are subject to change until such information is finalized, but no later than 12 months from the acquisition date.

The fair values of tangible assets are determined on an “as-if-vacant” basis. The “as-if-vacant” fair value is allocated to land, where applicable, buildings, tenant improvements and equipment based on comparable sales and other relevant information obtained in connection with the acquisition of the property.

The estimated fair value of acquired in-place at-market tenant leases are the costs that would have been incurred to lease the property to the occupancy level of the property at the date of acquisition. Such estimates include the fair value of leasing commissions and legal costs that would be incurred to lease the property to this occupancy level. Additionally, we evaluate the time period over which such occupancy level would be achieved and include an estimate of the net operating costs (primarily real estate taxes, insurance and utilities) incurred during the lease-up period, which is generally six months.

Above- and below-market in-place lease intangibles are recorded as an asset or liability based on the present value (using a discount rate which reflects the risks associated with the leases acquired) of the difference between the contractual amounts to be received or paid pursuant to the in-place tenant lease, and our estimate of fair market lease rates for the corresponding in-place leases, measured over a period equal to the remaining noncancelable term of the lease and bargain renewal periods for below market in-place lease intangibles, if applicable.

We capitalize costs incurred in developing, renovating, rehabilitating, and improving real estate assets as part of the investment basis. Costs incurred in making repairs and maintaining real estate assets are expensed as incurred. During the land development and construction periods, we capitalize interest costs, insurance, real estate taxes and certain general and administrative costs of the personnel performing development, renovations, and rehabilitation if such costs are incremental and identifiable to a specific activity to get the asset ready for its intended use. Capitalized costs are included in the investment basis of real estate assets.

When assets are sold or retired, their costs and related accumulated depreciation are removed from the accounts with the resulting gains or losses reflected in operations for the period.

The values allocated to land, buildings, site improvements, in-place leases, tenant improvements and leasing costs are depreciated on a straight-line basis using an estimated remaining life of 10-30 years for buildings, 20 years for site improvements, and the shorter of the estimated useful life or respective lease term for tenant improvements.

Impairment of Long-Lived Assets

In accordance with the provisions of the Impairment or Disposal of Long-Lived Assets Subsections of ASC Topic 360: *Property, Plant, and Equipment*, we assess the carrying values of our respective long-lived assets, including goodwill, whenever events or changes in circumstances indicate that the carrying amounts of these assets may not be fully recoverable.

Recoverability of real estate assets is measured by comparison of the carrying amount of the asset to the estimated future undiscounted cash flows. In order to review real estate assets for recoverability, our predecessor considers current market conditions, as well as their intent with respect to holding or disposing of the asset. The intent with regard to the underlying assets might change as market conditions change, as well as other factors, especially in the current global economic environment. Fair value is determined through various valuation techniques; including discounted cash flow models, applying a capitalization rate to estimated net operating income of a property, quoted market values and third party appraisals, where considered necessary. The use of projected future cash flows is based on assumptions that are consistent with estimates of future expectations and the strategic plan used to manage our predecessor’s underlying business. If our predecessor’s

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analysis indicates that the carrying value of the real estate asset is not recoverable on an undiscounted cash flow basis, our predecessor recognizes an impairment charge for the amount by which the carrying value exceeds the current estimated fair value of the real estate property.

Assumptions and estimates used in the recoverability analyses for future cash flows, discount rates and capitalization rates are complex and subjective. Changes in economic and operating conditions or our intent with regard to our investment that occur subsequent to our impairment analyses could impact these assumptions and result in future impairment of our real estate properties.

At June 30, 2013 and December 31, 2012, our predecessor's investment in real estate has been recorded net of a cumulative impairment of \$19.6 million.

Income Taxes

Each of RIF I, RIF II, RIF III and RIF IV are limited liability companies but have elected to be taxed as a partnership for tax purposes. As such, the allocated share of net income or loss from the limited liability companies is reportable in the income tax returns of the respective partners and investors. Accordingly, no income tax provision is included in the accompanying combined financial statements.

RIF V REIT has elected to be taxed as a REIT under Sections 856 to 860 of the Code, commencing with its tax period ended December 31, 2010.

To qualify as a REIT, RIF V REIT must distribute annually at least 90% of its adjusted taxable income, as defined in the Code, to its security holders and satisfy certain other organizational and operating requirements. If RIF V REIT fails to qualify as a REIT in any taxable year, it will be subject to federal income taxes (including any applicable alternative minimum tax) on our taxable income at regular corporate rates and we may not be able to qualify as a REIT for four subsequent taxable years. Even if RIF V REIT qualifies for taxation as a REIT, it may be subject to certain state and local taxes on our income and property and to federal income taxes and excise taxes on our undistributed taxable income. We believe that RIF V REIT has met all of the REIT distribution and technical requirements for the three and six months ended June 30, 2013 and 2012. Accordingly, our predecessor has not recognized any provision for income taxes.

We periodically evaluate our tax positions to determine whether it is more likely than not that such positions would be sustained upon examination by a tax authority for all open tax years, as defined by the statute of limitations, based on their technical merits. As of June 30, 2013 and December 31, 2012, our predecessor has not established a liability for uncertain tax positions.

Revenue Recognition

Our predecessor recognizes revenue from rent, tenant reimbursements and other revenue sources once all of the following criteria are met: persuasive evidence of an arrangement exists, the delivery has occurred or services are rendered, the fee is fixed and determinable and collectability is reasonably assured. Minimum annual rental revenues are recognized in rental revenues on a straight-line basis over the term of the related lease. Rental revenue recognition commences when the tenant takes possession or controls the physical use of the leased space.

Estimated recoveries from tenants for real estate taxes, common area maintenance and other recoverable operating expenses are recognized as revenues in the period that the expenses are incurred. Subsequent to year-end, our predecessor performs final reconciliations on a lease-by-lease basis and bills or credits each tenant for any cumulative annual adjustments. Lease termination fees, which are included in rental revenues in the accompanying consolidated statements of operations, are recognized when the related lease is canceled and we have no continuing obligation to provide services to such former tenant.

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Revenues from management, leasing and development services are recognized when the related services have been provided and earned.

The recognition of gains on sales of real estate requires that our predecessor measures the timing of a sale against various criteria related to the terms of the transaction, as well as any continuing involvement in the form of management or financial assistance associated with the property. If the sales criteria are not met, our predecessor defers gain recognition and accounts for the continued operations of the property by applying the finance, profit-sharing or leasing method. If the sales criteria have been met, our predecessor further analyzes whether profit recognition is appropriate using the full accrual method. If the criteria to recognize profit using the full accrual method have not been met, our predecessor defers the gain and recognizes it when the criteria are met or uses the installment or cost recovery method as appropriate under the circumstances. See Note 3 for a discussion of dispositions.

Segment Reporting

Management views the Company as a single segment based on its method of internal reporting in addition to its allocations of capital and resources.

Recently issued accounting pronouncements

Changes to GAAP are established by the FASB in the form of ASUs to the FASB's Accounting Standards Codification. The Company considers the applicability and impact of all ASUs. Newly issued ASUs not listed below are expected to not have any material impact on its combined financial position and results of operations because either the ASU is not applicable or the impact is expected to be immaterial.

In April 2013, the FASB issued ASU No. 2013-07 to *Presentation of Financial Statements (Topic 205): Liquidation Basis of Accounting*. This amendment requires an entity to prepare its financial statements using the liquidation basis of accounting when it ceases operating and begins selling assets to settle debts with creditors. This ASU is effective for fiscal years beginning after December 15, 2012, with early adoption permitted, and should be applied prospectively from the day that liquidation becomes imminent. We do not expect the adoption of this accounting standard to have a material impact on our Combined Financial Statements.

In December 2011, the FASB issued ASU No. 2011-10 to clarify the scope of current GAAP. The update clarifies that the real estate sales guidance applies to the derecognition of a subsidiary that is in-substance real estate as a result of default on the subsidiary's nonrecourse debt. That is, even if the reporting entity ceases to have a controlling financial interest under the consolidation guidance, the reporting entity would continue to include the real estate, debt, and the results of the subsidiary's operations in its consolidated financial statements until legal title to the real estate is transferred to legally satisfy the debt. The adoption of this accounting standard update on January 1, 2013 did not have a material impact on our Combined Financial Statements.

3. Investment in Real Estate

Acquisitions

During the six months ended June 30, 2013, our predecessor acquired four properties consisting of 17 buildings and approximately 740,525 square feet. The properties are located throughout Southern California. The total contract price for these acquisitions was \$73.8 million.

During the six months ended June 30, 2012, our predecessor acquired two properties (one located in Southern California and one located in Glenview, Illinois) consisting of five buildings and approximately 145,853 square feet. The total contract price for these acquisitions was \$6.4 million.

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Our predecessor incurred acquisition expenses of \$0.6 million and \$0.2 million for the three months ended June 30, 2013 and 2012, respectively, and \$0.7 million and \$0.2 million for the six months ended June 30, 2013 and 2012, respectively.

The following table summarizes the estimated fair values of the assets acquired and liabilities assumed at the date of acquisition.

Address	Acquisition Date	Real estate assets:		Acquisition-related		Total Purchase Price	Other Assets	Notes Payable, Accounts Payable, Accrued Expenses and Tenant Security Deposits	Net Assets Acquired
		Land	Buildings and improvements	In-place Lease Intangibles (1)	Net Above (Below) Market Lease Intangibles (2)				
2013 Acquisitions:									
18118-18120 S. Broadway	4/4/2013	\$ 3,013,000	\$ 2,161,000	\$ 274,000	\$ —	\$ 5,448,000	\$ 16,000	\$ (57,000)	\$ 5,407,000
8900-8980 Benson Ave., 5637 Arrow Highway	4/9/2013	\$ 1,817,000	\$ 4,590,000	\$ 552,000	\$ 191,000	\$ 7,150,000	\$ 20,000	\$ (104,000)	\$ 7,066,000
3350 Tyburn St., 3332, 3334, 3360, 3368, 3370, 3378, 3380, 3410, 3424 N. San Fernando Rd.	4/17/2013	\$26,423,000	\$25,795,000	\$ 2,568,000	\$ 1,414,000	\$56,200,000	\$168,000	\$ (500,000)	\$55,868,000
1661 240th St.	5/31/2013	\$ 3,464,000	\$ 1,498,000	\$ 38,000	\$ —	\$ 5,000,000	\$ 8,000	\$ (17,000)	\$ 4,991,000
Total		<u>\$34,717,000</u>	<u>\$34,044,000</u>	<u>\$ 3,432,000</u>	<u>\$ 1,605,000</u>	<u>\$73,798,000</u>	<u>\$212,000</u>	<u>\$ (678,000)</u>	<u>\$73,332,000</u>
2012 Acquisitions:									
1400 S. Campus Ave.	3/7/2012	\$ 2,600,000	\$ 1,631,000	\$ 588,000	\$ (20,000)	\$ 4,799,000	\$ 13,000	\$ (529,000)	\$ 4,283,000
500-560 Zenith Dr.	5/1/2012	\$ 658,000	\$ 688,000	\$ 279,000	\$ —	\$ 1,625,000	\$ 6,000	\$ (213,000)	\$ 1,418,000
Total		<u>\$ 3,258,000</u>	<u>\$ 2,319,000</u>	<u>\$ 867,000</u>	<u>\$ (20,000)</u>	<u>\$ 6,424,000</u>	<u>\$ 19,000</u>	<u>\$ (742,000)</u>	<u>\$ 5,701,000</u>

- (1) The amortization period of acquired in-place lease intangibles for our 2013 acquisitions was 2.7 years as of June 30, 2013.
(2) The amortization period of net above market leases for our 2013 acquisitions was 2.9 years as of June 30, 2013.

Dispositions

During the six months ended June 30, 2012 our predecessor did not make any dispositions of properties.

A summary of our predecessor property dispositions for the six months ended June 30, 2013 is as follows:

Address	Location	Date of Disposition	Rentable Square Feet	Sales Price	Debt Satisfied (1)	Gain Recorded (2)
4578 Worth Street	Los Angeles, CA	1/31/2013	79,370	\$4,100,000	\$ 2,500,000	\$ 2,410,000
1950 E. Williams Drive	Oxnard, CA	4/4/2013	161,682	\$8,542,000	\$ 2,993,000	\$ 415,000
9027 Glenoaks Blvd.	Los Angeles, CA	5/10/2013	14,700	\$1,727,000	\$ 1,625,000	\$ 234,000
2515, 2507, 2441 W. Erie Dr. & 2929 S. Fair Lane	Tempe, AZ	5/28/2013	83,385	\$5,003,000	\$ 3,531,000	\$ 1,015,000
1255 Knollwood Circle	Anaheim, CA	6/14/2013	25,162	\$2,768,000	\$ 2,630,000	\$ 915,000

- (1) Amount represents the principal paid back to the lender to release the property from a larger pool of properties serving as collateral for the respective portfolio loan.
(2) Gain on sale of real estate is recorded as part of discontinued operations for the three and six months ending June 30, 2013, depending on the date of disposition.

Assets Held for Sale

As of June 30, 2013, our predecessor did not have any properties classified as held for sale. As of December 31, 2012, our Worth Bonnie Beach (4578 Worth Street), Williams (1950 E. Williams Street), Glenoaks (9027 Glenoaks Blvd.), Interstate Commerce Center (2411, 2507 and 2515 Erie Drive) and Knollwood (1225 Knollwood Circle) properties were classified as held for sale.

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The major classes of assets and liabilities of real estate held for sale were as follows:

	December 31, 2012
Investment in real estate, net	\$ 16,058,000
Other	442,000
Total assets	\$ 16,500,000
Notes payable	\$ 13,279,000
Accounts payable and other liabilities	154,000
Total liabilities	\$ 13,433,000

Discontinued Operations

Income (loss) from discontinued operations includes the results of operations and the gain on sale of real estate related to the disposition properties noted above, the note receivable that was repaid in full (see Note 5), as well as the results of operations of the Long Carson property which was disposed of on October 16, 2012. Their combined results of operations for the three and six months ended June 30, 2013 and 2012 are summarized as follows:

	For the Three Months Ended June 30,		For the Six Months Ended June 30,	
	2013	2012	2013	2012
Revenues	\$ —	\$ 537,000	\$ 391,000	\$1,145,000
Operating expenses	(83,000)	(244,000)	(193,000)	(337,000)
Interest expense	(50,000)	(154,000)	(127,000)	(288,000)
Depreciation expense	(47,000)	(284,000)	(157,000)	(588,000)
Loss on extinguishment of debt	(41,000)	—	(250,000)	—
Gain on sale of real estate	2,580,000	—	4,989,000	—
Income (loss) from discontinued operations	\$2,359,000	\$(145,000)	\$4,653,000	\$ (68,000)

4. Intangible Assets

The following summarizes our predecessor's identifiable intangible assets and acquired above/below market lease assets as of:

	June 30, 2013	December 31, 2012
Acquired in-place lease intangibles		
Gross amount	\$ 21,506,000	\$ 18,074,000
Accumulated amortization	(16,224,000)	(15,160,000)
Net balance	\$ 5,282,000	\$ 2,914,000
Acquired above market leases		
Gross amount	\$ 2,209,000	\$ 565,000
Accumulated amortization	(595,000)	(386,000)
Net balance	\$ 1,614,000	\$ 179,000
Below market leases		
Gross amount	\$ (3,751,000)	\$ (3,711,000)
Accumulated amortization	3,686,000	3,672,000
Net balance	\$ (65,000)	\$ (39,000)

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5. Notes Receivable

On February 8, 2013 the mortgage note borrower for the 2824 E. Foothill Blvd. loan early repaid the outstanding principal in full. Our predecessor received gross proceeds from this payoff of \$5.4 million, including \$6,310 in per diem interest, of which \$2.5 million was used to repay the loan secured by this note. The remaining proceeds were paid as a distribution to investors in RIF V. Our predecessor recorded a \$1.4 million gain on collection of notes receivable during the six months ended June 30, 2013.

The following table summarizes the balance of our notes receivable:

	<u>Face Amount</u>	<u>Unrecognized Non-Accrutable Yield</u>	<u>Unrecognized Accrutable Yield</u>	<u>Note Receivable</u>
At June 30, 2013:				
32401 - 32803 Calle Perfecto	\$14,286,000	\$ (5,816,000)	\$ (594,000)	\$ 7,876,000
At December 31, 2012:				
2824 E. Foothill Blvd.	\$ 5,370,000	—	\$ (1,394,000)	\$ 3,976,000
32401 - 32803 Calle Perfecto	14,410,000	(5,816,000)	(659,000)	7,935,000
Total	<u>\$19,780,000</u>	<u>\$ (5,816,000)</u>	<u>\$ (2,053,000)</u>	<u>\$ 11,911,000</u>

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6. NOTES PAYABLE

A summary of notes payable of our predecessor is as follows:

	Principal Amount as of		Contractual Maturity Date	Interest Rate
	June 30, 2013	December 31, 2012		
Fixed Rate Debt				
RIF I Holdings, LLC	\$ 38,764,000	\$ 41,238,000	5/31/2014	6.13%
RIF I - Walnut, LLC	11,350,000	11,350,000	9/1/2013	6.23%
RIF II - Orangethorpe, LLC	—	4,451,000	7/1/2013	5.147% (1)
RIF II - Easy Street, LLC	5,259,000	5,310,000	4/1/2014	5.32% (1)
RIF III Holdings, LLC (Note A)	74,678,000	78,338,000	8/31/2014	5.60% (2)
RIF III Holdings, LLC (Note B)	40,000	410,000	8/31/2014	12.00% (3)
RIF IV Holdings, LLC	65,777,000	—	10/1/2013	6.00%
RIF V - Foothill, LLC	—	2,542,000	9/1/2014	4.00%
RIF V - Calle Perfecto, LLC	5,380,000	5,429,000	9/1/2014 (4)	4.00% (5)
RIV V - Jersey, LLC	5,273,000 (6)	5,355,000 (6)	1/1/2015	5.45% (1)
RIF V - Arroyo, LLC	3,000,000	3,000,000	9/30/2014	4.50%
Variable Rate Debt				
RIF I Holdings, LLC	\$ 7,605,000	7,605,000	5/31/2014	LIBOR + 1.00%
RIF I - Mulberry, LLC	5,856,000	5,978,000	5/20/2014 (7)	LIBOR + 2.75%
RIF II - Orangethorpe, LLC	4,423,000	—	7/24/2013 (8)	LIBOR + 1.90%
RIF II Holdings, LLC	40,018,000	40,152,000	7/1/2013	LIBOR + 3.50% (9)
RIF IV Holdings, LLC	—	67,136,000	4/1/2013	LIBOR + 4.00%
RIF V - Grand Commerce Center, LLC	6,000,000	6,000,000	3/4/2014 (4)	LIBOR + 2.75%
RIF V - Vinedo, LLC	3,470,000	3,470,000	8/4/2014 (7)	LIBOR + 2.75%
RIF V - MacArthur, LLC	5,475,000	5,475,000	12/5/2014 (4)	LIBOR + 2.50%
RIF V - Campus, LLC	3,360,000	3,360,000	7/1/2015	LIBOR + 2.50% (10) (11)
RIF V - Golden Valley, LLC	2,900,000	2,900,000	6/1/2015 (4)	LIBOR + 2.75% (12)
RIF V - Cornerstone Portfolio	13,079,000	16,610,000	12/9/2014 (4)	LIBOR + 2.50%
RIF V - Del Norte, LLC	6,730,000	—	3/1/2016	LIBOR + 2.25% (4) (13)
RIF V - Glendale Commerce Center, LLC	42,750,000	—	5/1/2016	LIBOR + 2.00% (4)
	<u>\$351,187,000</u>	<u>\$ 316,109,000</u>		
Less: Mortgage Loans Associated with Real Estate Held for Sale				
	—	(13,279,000)		
	<u>\$351,187,000</u>	<u>\$ 302,830,000</u>		

- (1) Monthly payments of interest and principal based on 30-year amortization table.
- (2) Loan bears interest at 5.60%, with the option to pay a minimum interest rate of 4.25% per annum and to have the remaining 1.35% of the interest added to the principal outstanding. We have added \$1.8 million and \$1.2 million to the principal balance under the payment in kind election as of June 30, 2013 and December 31, 2012, respectively.
- (3) Loan bears interest at 12.00%, with the option to pay a minimum interest rate of 6.00% per annum and to have the remaining 6.00% of the interest accruing added to the principal outstanding.
- (4) Two additional one year extensions available at the borrower's option.
- (5) Monthly payments will include \$8,100 of principal repayment together with accrued interest.
- (6) Includes unamortized debt premium of \$0.1 million at June 30, 2013 and December 31, 2012.
- (7) One additional one year extension available at the borrower's option.
- (8) The loan matures at the earlier of (i) January 1, 2014; (ii) the date on which the IPO is consummated; or (iii) the date on which the Property is sold or assigned. We consummated our IPO on July 24, 2013.
- (9) Loan bears interest at LIBOR + 3.50% per annum through originally schedule maturity date of July 1, 2013, at which point the loan will bear interest at a fixed rate of 6.00% until its extended maturity date of October 1, 2013.
- (10) Monthly payments are interest only until 7/31/13. Commencing on 8/1/13 through the maturity date, monthly payments will include \$9,583 of principal repayment together with accrued interest.
- (11) Loan bears interest at the Lender's Prime Rate or LIBOR + 2.50%, based on our election on a monthly basis, but subject to a Floor Rate of 2.50%.
- (12) Monthly payments are interest only until 6/30/14. Commencing on 7/1/14 through the maturity date, there will be payments of interest and principal based upon a 25-year amortization table.
- (13) Loan bears interest at the Lender's Prime Rate or LIBOR + 2.25%, based on our election on a monthly basis, but subject to a Floor Rate of 2.50%.

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On March 22, 2013, our predecessor obtained a \$6.7 million loan. This loan bears interest at a floating rate of LIBOR +225 basis points per annum, subject to a floor of 2.50%, and matures on March 1, 2016. The loan is secured by our property located at 701 Del Norte Boulevard in Oxnard, California.

On April 1, 2013, our predecessor amended our RIF IV Holdings, LLC loan to extend the maturity to October 1, 2013. The loan bears interest at a rate of 6.0% per annum. At the same time, we also extended the maturity of our RIF II Holdings, LLC loan to October 1, 2013, from an originally scheduled maturity date of July 1, 2013. Effective July 1, 2013, this loan will also bear interest at a rate of 6.0% per annum.

On April 17, 2013, our predecessor obtained a \$42.8 million loan. This loan bears interest at a floating rate of LIBOR +200 basis points per annum and matures on May 1, 2016. The loan is secured by our Glendale Commerce Center property located in Los Angeles, California.

On June 28, 2013, our predecessor obtained a \$4.4 million loan. The proceeds of this loan were used to pay down the RIF II—Orangethorpe loan scheduled to mature July 1, 2013. This loan bears interest at a floating rate of LIBOR + 190 basis points per annum and matures at the earlier of (i) January 1, 2014, (ii) the date on which the IPO is consummated, or (iii) the date on which the property is sold or assigned.

On July 24, 2013, the day that we consummated our IPO, we entered into a \$60.0 million term loan which bears interest at a rate of LIBOR +195 basis points per annum, and matures August 1, 2019. On the same day, we also entered into a \$200 million unsecured revolving credit facility, which bears interest at a rate of LIBOR plus a margin of 135 basis points to 205 basis points per annum, depending on our leverage ratio, and matures on July 24, 2016. On July 24, 2013 we made an initial \$7.1 million draw on our revolving credit facility.

Using proceeds from the IPO, the concurrent private placement, the term loan and the revolving credit facility, on July 24, 2013 we repaid \$303.3 million of the \$351.2 million outstanding indebtedness secured by the properties we acquired in our formation transactions. The remaining outstanding indebtedness, which consisted of the \$42.8 million Glendale Commerce note and the \$5.3 million RIF V—Jersey note, were assumed by us as part of the formation transactions.

7. **Operating Leases**

Our predecessor leases space to tenants primarily under non-cancelable operating leases that generally contain provisions for a base rent plus reimbursement for certain operating expenses. Operating expense reimbursements are reflected in the combined statements of operations as tenant reimbursements.

Future minimum base rent for our predecessor under operating leases as of June 30, 2013 is summarized as follows:

Twelve months ending June 30,	
2014	\$ 35,080,000
2015	21,356,000
2016	15,381,000
2017	10,603,000
2018	8,108,000
Thereafter	15,194,000
Total	<u>\$105,722,000</u>

The future minimum lease payments in the table above exclude (i) tenant reimbursements, amortization of adjustments for deferred rent receivables and the amortization of above/below-market lease intangibles and (ii) assume that the termination options in some leases, which generally require payment of a termination fee, are not exercised.

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8. Interest Rate Contracts

Our predecessor uses interest rate swap agreements to manage our exposure to interest rate movements associated with certain of our existing LIBOR-based variable rate debt. The accounting for changes in fair value (i.e., gains or losses) of a derivative instrument depends on whether it has been designated and qualifies as part of a hedging relationship and further, on the type of hedging relationship. None of the interest rate swaps are designated as hedges, and as such, changes in fair value are recognized in earnings under “Gain on mark-to-market of interest rate swaps.” Our predecessor recognized a gain on mark-to-market interest rate swaps of \$0.6 million during the three months ending June 30, 2012, and \$49,000 and \$1.2 million during the six months ending June 30, 2013 and 2012, respectively.

The fair value of each interest rate swap agreement is obtained through independent third-party valuation sources that use widely accepted valuation techniques including discounted cash flow analyses on the expected cash flows of each derivative. These analyses reflect the contractual terms of the derivatives, including the period to maturity, and use observable market-based inputs, including interest rate curves and implied volatilities (also referred to as “significant other observable inputs”). The fair values of our interest rate swap agreements are determined using the market standard methodology of netting the discounted future fixed cash payments and the discounted expected variable cash receipts. The variable cash receipts are based on an expectation of future interest rates (forward curves) derived from observable market interest rate curves. The fair value calculation also includes an amount for risk of non-performance using “significant unobservable inputs” such as estimates of current credit spreads to evaluate the likelihood of default, which have determined to be insignificant to the overall fair value of our interest rate swap agreements. We recognize our interest rate swap agreements as either assets or liabilities on the balance sheet at fair value, disclosed as “Interest rate contracts.”

The following table is a summary of our predecessor’s interest rate swap agreements as of June 30, 2013 and December 31, 2012:

Description	Effective Date	Termination Date	Interest Strike Rate	Fair Value as of		Notional Amount in Effect as of	
				June 30, 2013	December 31, 2012	June 30, 2013	December 31, 2012
Rexford Industrial Fund III, LLC	11/15/2006	3/15/2013	5.1100%	—	(49,000)	—	5,000,000

9. Fair Value Measurements

The FASB fair value framework includes a hierarchy that distinguishes between assumptions based on market data obtained from sources independent of the reporting entity and the reporting entity’s own assumptions about market-based inputs. Level 1 inputs utilize unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities. Level 2 inputs are observable either directly or indirectly for similar assets and liabilities in active markets. Level 3 inputs are unobservable assumptions generated by the reporting entity.

Recurring Measurements – Interest Rate Contracts

The valuation of our predecessor’s interest rate swaps is determined using widely accepted valuation techniques, including discounted cash flow analysis on the expected future cash flows of each derivative. This analysis reflects the contractual terms of the derivatives, including the period to maturity, and uses observable market-based inputs, including interest rate curves and implied volatilities. Our predecessor incorporates credit valuation adjustments to appropriately reflect both our own nonperformance risk and the respective counterparty’s nonperformance risk in the fair value measurements.

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The following table sets forth the liabilities that our predecessor measures at fair value on a recurring basis by level within the fair value hierarchy as of June 30, 2013 and December 31, 2012:

	Fair Value Measurement Using			
	Total Fair Value	Quoted Price in Active Markets for Identical Assets and Liabilities (Level 1)	Significant Other Observable Inputs (Level 2)	Significant Unobservable Inputs (Level 3)
Liabilities				
<i>Interest rate swap at:</i>				
June 30, 2013	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —
December 31, 2012	\$ 49,000	\$ —	\$ 49,000	\$ —

Financial Instruments Disclosed at Fair Value

The carrying amounts of cash and cash equivalents, restricted cash, rents and other receivables, other assets, accounts payable, accrued expenses and other liabilities, and tenant security deposits approximate fair value because of their short-term nature.

The fair value of our secured notes payable was estimated by calculating the present value of principal and interest payments, using currently available market rates, adjusted with a credit spread, and assuming the loans are outstanding through maturity.

The following table sets forth the carrying value and the estimated fair value of our predecessor's notes payable as of June 30, 2013 and December 31, 2012:

	Fair Value Measurement Using				Carrying Value
	Total Fair Value	Quoted Price in Active Markets for Identical Assets and Liabilities (Level 1)	Significant Other Observable Inputs (Level 2)	Significant Unobservable Inputs (Level 3)	
Liabilities					
<i>Notes Payable at:</i>					
June 30, 2013	\$356,945,000	\$ —	\$ 356,945,000	\$ —	\$351,187,000
December 31, 2012	\$322,802,000	\$ —	\$ 322,802,000	\$ —	\$316,109,000

10. Related Party Transactions

Howard Schwimmer

Our predecessor engaged in transactions with Howard Schwimmer, our Co-Chief Executive Officer, earning management and development fees and leasing commissions from entities controlled individually by Mr. Schwimmer. Fees and commissions earned from Mr. Schwimmer are included in management, leasing and development services in the combined statements of operations. Our predecessor recorded \$50,000 and \$70,000 in management and leasing services revenue for the three months ended June 30, 2013 and 2012, respectively, and \$79,000 and \$97,000 in management and leasing services revenue for the six months ended June 30, 2013 and 2012.

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11. Commitments and Contingencies

Legal

From time to time, we are party to various lawsuits, claims and other legal proceedings that arise in the ordinary course of our business. Excluding ordinary routine litigation incidental to our business, we are not currently a party to any legal proceedings that we believe would reasonably be expected to have a material adverse effect on our business, financial condition or results of operations. On August 21, 2013, an investor in one of our Predecessor Funds sent a purported books and records request under the California Corporations Code seeking information regarding the Predecessor Fund's manager and members and certain historical tax information.

Environmental

We monitor our properties for the presence of hazardous or toxic substances. While there can be no assurance that a material environmental liability does not exist, we are not currently aware of any environmental liability with respect to the properties that would have a material effect on our combined financial condition, results of operations and cash flows. Further, we are not aware of any environmental liability or any unasserted claim or assessment with respect to an environmental liability that we believe would require additional disclosure or the recording of a loss contingency.

12. Investment in Unconsolidated Real Estate

Our predecessor owned interests in two industrial properties through noncontrolling interests (i) in joint venture entities that that they did not control but over which they exercised significant influence or (ii) as tenants-in-common subject to common control. Our predecessor accounted for these investments under the equity method of accounting (i.e., at cost, increased or decreased by our share of earnings or losses, less distributions, plus contributions and other adjustments required by equity method accounting, such as basis differences from other-than-temporary impairments, if applicable).

The following table sets forth the ownership interests of our predecessor's equity method investments in real estate and their respective carrying values. The carrying values of these investments are affected by the timing and nature of distributions:

Investment Property	Ownership Interest	Carrying Value at	
		June 30, 2013	December 31, 2012
10439-10477 Roselle St. (1)	70.00%	\$ 8,692,000	\$ 9,988,000
3001-3223 Mission Oaks Boulevard	15.00%	2,794,000	2,709,000
		<u>\$11,486,000</u>	<u>\$ 12,697,000</u>

- (1) This is a tenancy-in-common interest in which control is shared equally with the other tenant-in-common partners. As part of the IPO, we acquired the 30% tenancy-in-common interest not previously owned by us.

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The following tables present combined summarized financial information of our predecessor's equity method investment properties. Amounts provided are the total amounts attributable to the entities and do not represent our proportionate share:

	Three Months Ended June 30,		Six Months Ended June 30,	
	2013	2012	2013	2012
Revenues	\$ 2,099,000	\$ 317,000	\$ 4,245,000	\$ 571,000
Expenses	(3,147,000)	(1,402,000)	(5,368,000)	(1,658,000)
Net income (loss)	<u>\$(1,048,000)</u>	<u>\$(1,085,000)</u>	<u>\$(1,123,000)</u>	<u>\$(1,087,000)</u>

	June 30, 2013	December 31, 2012
Assets	\$ 69,990,000	\$ 71,242,000
Liabilities	(42,201,000)	(42,265,000)
Partners'/members' equity	<u>\$ 27,789,000</u>	<u>\$ 28,977,000</u>

Our predecessor's unconsolidated real estate entities incurred management, leasing and development fees, which were payable to us, of \$0.1 million and \$12,000 during the three months ended June 30, 2013 and 2012, respectively, and \$0.2 million and \$18,000 during the six months ended June 30, 2013 and 2012, respectively. We recognized management, leasing and development fees of \$0.1 million and \$8,000 for the three months ended June 30, 2013 and 2012, respectively, and \$0.2 million and \$13,000 for the six months ended June 30, 2013 and 2012, respectively, which has been recorded in management, leasing and development services.

13. Equity

Controlling interests in our predecessor company include the interests owned by partners of RILLC, and Rexford Sponsor V, LLC, and any interests held by their spouses and children ("RILLC and Affiliates"). Noncontrolling interests relate to all other interests not held by RILLC and Affiliates. Noncontrolling interests also includes the 27.76% interest of 10 investors in RIF I—Walnut, LLC, and the 3.23% interest of one investor in RIF IV—Burbank, LLC, both consolidated subsidiaries in our predecessor's financial statements as of June 30, 2013 and December 31, 2012.

The continuing investors (including our predecessor's principals and executive officers) that received Operating Partnership units in the formation transactions comprise the noncontrolling interests in our Operating Partnership, subsequent to our IPO.

Equity distributions by our Predecessor Funds are allocated between the general partner and limited partners (collectively "Partners") in accordance with each Fund's operating agreements. Generally this provides for distributions to be allocated to Partners, *pari passu*, in accordance with their respective percentage interests. After Partners have exceeded certain cash distribution thresholds, as defined in each Predecessor Fund's operating agreement, then the general partner may receive incentive promote cash distributions commensurate with the cash return performance hurdles also detailed in the Predecessor Fund's operating agreement. Each Fund's operating agreement generally provides for income, expenses, gains and losses to be allocated in a manner consistent with cash distributions described above.

During November and December 2012, our predecessor granted to its employees a 9% equity interest in Rexford Fund V Manager, LLC's profits interest in RIF V. An additional 2% equity interest was granted in January 2013. Rexford Fund V Manager, LLC is the controlling member of RIF V and is a wholly-owned subsidiary of Rexford Sponsor V, LLC. The fair value of these interests has been estimated to be approximately \$1.0 million which will be amortized over the vesting period using the accelerated attribution method to the extent the required achievement and vesting of these interests remain probable. The equity interests are considered performance-based equity interests and are subject to graded vesting over the shorter of a 7-year period or the dissolution date of Rexford Fund V Manager, LLC. On July 24, 2013, the day we consummated our IPO, Rexford Fund V Manager, LLC was dissolved.

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Our predecessor expensed \$20,000 and \$0 during the three months ended June 30, 2013 and 2012, respectively and \$85,000 and \$0 during the six months ended June 30, 2013 and 2012, respectively, related to these equity awards.

As of June 30, 2013 and December 31, 2012, RIF V had unfunded capital commitments of \$37.5 million and \$39.0 million, respectively.

14. Subsequent Events

On July 24, 2013 (i) we issued a total of 16,000,000 shares of our common stock in our IPO in exchange for net proceeds of approximately \$208.5 million in cash; (ii) we issued a total of 3,358,311 shares of our common stock in exchange for gross proceeds of \$47.0 million cash; (iii) in our formation transactions, we acquired certain assets of our predecessor in exchange for the assumption or discharge of \$303.3 million in indebtedness, the payment of \$7.2 million in cash, the issuance of 3,697,086 common units of our operating partnership and 4,947,558 shares of our common stock and (iv) entered into a \$60.0 million term loan and a \$200 million senior unsecured revolving credit facility.

On July 30, 2013 we acquired the property located at 8101-8117 Orion Avenue in Van Nuys, CA for a contract price of \$5.6 million, using proceeds from our revolving credit facility. The property consists of one multi-tenant industrial building totaling 48,388 square feet situated on 1.89 acres of land.

On August 7, 2013 we acquired the property located at 18310-18330 Oxnard Street in Tarzana, CA for a contract price of \$8.4 million, using proceeds from our revolving credit facility. The property consists of one multi-tenant industrial building totaling 75,288 square feet situated on 3.11 acres of land.

On August 21, 2013, we issued a total of 451,972 shares of our common stock pursuant to a partial exercise by the underwriters of their IPO over-allotment option, in exchange for proceeds of \$5.9 million, net of the underwriters discount.

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Item 2. Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations

The following discussion should be read in conjunction with the combined financial statements of Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc. Predecessor and the related notes thereto that appear in Part I, Item 1 "Financial Statements" of this Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q. The terms "Company," "we," "us," and "our" refer to Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc. and its consolidated subsidiaries except where the context otherwise requires.

Forward-Looking Statements

We make statements in this quarterly report that are forward-looking statements, which are usually identified by the use of words such as "anticipates," "believes," "estimates," "expects," "intends," "may," "plans," "projects," "seeks," "should," "will," and variations of such words or similar expressions. Our forward-looking statements reflect our current views about our plans, intentions, expectations, strategies and prospects, which are based on the information currently available to us and on assumptions we have made. Although we believe that our plans, intentions, expectations, strategies and prospects as reflected in or suggested by our forward-looking statements are reasonable, we can give no assurance that our plans, intentions, expectations, strategies or prospects will be attained or achieved and you should not place undue reliance on these forward-looking statements. Furthermore, actual results may differ materially from those described in the forward-looking statements and may be affected by a variety of risks and factors including, without limitation:

- the competitive environment in which we operate
- real estate risks, including fluctuations in real estate values and the general economic climate in local markets and competition for tenants in such markets;
- decreased rental rates or increasing vacancy rates;
- potential defaults on or non-renewal of leases by tenants;
- potential bankruptcy or insolvency of tenants;
- acquisition risks, including failure of such acquisitions to perform in accordance with projections;
- the timing of acquisitions and dispositions;
- potential natural disasters such as earthquakes, wildfires or floods;
- national, international, regional and local economic conditions;
- the general level of interest rates;
- potential changes in the law or governmental regulations that affect us and interpretations of those laws and regulations, including changes in real estate and zoning or REIT tax laws, and potential increases in real property tax rates;
- financing risks, including the risks that our cash flows from operations may be insufficient to meet required payments of principal and interest and we may be unable to refinance our existing debt upon maturity or obtain new financing on attractive terms or at all;
- lack of or insufficient amounts of insurance;
- our ability to qualify and maintain our qualification as a REIT;
- litigation, including costs associated with prosecuting or defending pending or threatened claims and any adverse outcomes; and
- possible environmental liabilities, including costs, fines or penalties that may be incurred due to necessary remediation of contamination of properties presently owned or previously owned by us.

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Accordingly, there is no assurance that our expectations will be realized. Except as otherwise required by the federal securities laws, we disclaim any obligations or undertaking to publicly release any updates or revisions to any forward-looking statement contained herein (or elsewhere) to reflect any change in our expectations with regard thereto or any change in events, conditions or circumstances on which any such statement is based. The reader should review carefully our financial statements and the notes thereto, as well as the section entitled “Risk Factors” in this report.

Overview and Background

Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc. is a self-administered and self-managed full-service REIT focused on owning and operating industrial properties in Southern California infill markets. Our goal is to generate attractive risk-adjusted returns for our stockholders by providing superior access to industrial property investments in Southern California infill markets.

We were formed as a Maryland corporation on January 18, 2013 and Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P., of which we are the sole general partner, was formed as a Maryland limited partnership on January 18, 2013. We are organized and conduct our operations to qualify as a REIT under the Code and generally are not subject to federal taxes on our income to the extent we distribute our income to our shareholders and maintain our qualification as a REIT.

We also hold a 15% interest in a joint venture (the “JV”) that indirectly owns three properties located in Ventura County.

On July 24, 2013, we completed our initial public offering (the “IPO”) of 16,000,000 shares common stock and the related formation transactions and concurrent private placement. On August 21, 2013, we issued an additional 451,972 shares of our common stock in connection with the partial exercise of the over-allotment option granted to the underwriters in the IPO.

Because the transactions referenced above did not occur until after June 30, 2013, the historical financial results in the financial statements discussed below relate to our predecessor only. Our predecessor (“Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc. Predecessor”) is comprised of Rexford Industrial, LLC (“RILLC”), Rexford Sponsor V, LLC, Rexford Industrial Fund V REIT, LLC (“RIF V REIT”) and their consolidated subsidiaries which consists of Rexford Industrial Fund I, LLC (“RIF I”), Rexford Industrial Fund II, LLC (“RIF II”), Rexford Industrial Fund III, LLC (“RIF III”), Rexford Industrial Fund IV, LLC (“RIF IV”), Rexford Industrial Fund V, LP (“RIF V”) and their subsidiaries.

Factors That May Influence Future Results of Operations

Business and Strategy

We expect to continue our predecessor’s investment strategy of acquiring leased, partially leased, distressed, on- and off-market and lightly marketed industrial properties primarily in Southern California infill industrial markets, through equity investments and/or acquiring debt instruments. We believe that the systematic aggregation of such properties will result in a diversified portfolio that will produce sustainable returns which are attractive in light of the associated risks. Future results of operations may be affected, either positively or negatively, by our ability to execute this strategy.

Rental Revenue and Tenant Reimbursements

We receive income primarily from rental revenue from our properties. The amount of rental revenue generated by the properties in our portfolio depends principally on the occupancy levels and lease rates at our properties, our ability to lease currently available space and space that becomes available as a result of lease expirations and on the rental rates at our properties.

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Occupancy Rates. As of June 30, 2013, properties owned by our predecessor were approximately 88.3% occupied and 89.8% leased. The difference between our occupancy rate and leased rate is attributed to our uncommenced leases. Our occupancy rate is impacted by market conditions in the areas in which we operate. In particular, we have generally experienced more challenging market conditions and slower recovery in San Diego county, where our properties were 83.4% occupied as of June 30, 2013. By way of comparison, our Los Angeles county properties and Orange county properties were 90.9% and 88.1% occupied, respectively, as of June 30, 2013. Recently, we have noted gradual improvements in market conditions in our markets generally, as evidenced both by improved leasing velocity and stabilization of rental rates. In addition, a key component of our growth strategy is to acquire distressed, off-market and lightly marketed properties that are often operating below market occupancy at the time of acquisition. Through various redevelopment, repositioning and professional leasing and marketing strategies, we seek to increase the properties' functionality and attractiveness to prospective tenants and, over time, stabilize the properties at occupancy rates that meet or exceed market rates. Consistent with this strategy, three of our properties, representing 207,333 square feet, are currently in various stages of redevelopment and repositioning. Excluding properties in redevelopment or repositioning, our remaining properties were approximately 90.6% occupied as of June 30, 2013. Through June 30, 2013, we entered into 32 leases (excluding renewals) that had not commenced as of June 30, 2013, representing 150,968 square feet, or an additional 2.3% of our total rentable square feet (net of renewals). We believe the opportunity to increase occupancy at our properties will be a significant driver of future revenue growth.

Leasing Activity. In 2012, we entered into 172 new leases covering approximately 833,754 square feet and renewed 194 leases covering approximately 1,056,558 square feet, while 102 leases covering approximately 508,441 square feet terminated. In the six months ended June 30, 2013, we entered into 90 new leases covering approximately 548,901 square feet and renewed 114 leases covering approximately 582,093 square feet, while 62 leases covering approximately 182,265 square feet terminated. Our leasing activity is impacted both by our own redeveloping and repositioning efforts as well as by market conditions. When we redevelop or reposition a property, its space may become unavailable for leasing until completion of the redevelopment or repositioning efforts. In addition, while we have recently noted gradual improvements in market conditions in our markets, the market recovery has been uneven and some markets, particularly San Diego county, have been slower to recover.

Rental Rates. Of the 194 leases that we renewed in 2012, the rental rates under the renewed leases were approximately 1.6% below the expiring rent on a weighted average basis and of the 114 leases that we renewed in the six months ended June 30, 2013, the rental rates under the renewed leases were approximately 1.2% below the expiring rent on a weighted average basis. We believe that the marginal decreases in rental rates on renewed leases generally reflects the uneven market recovery in our markets, and in particular in San Diego county. Among the factors that affect lease rates on renewal is our acquisition activity. We acquired seven properties in 2012 and six additional properties in 2013 as of August 31, 2013. At the time of acquisition of these properties, our underwriting and what we believe to be our value-oriented purchase prices factored in anticipated roll-downs in rent at some upcoming lease expirations. We believe that rental rates in our markets for product such as our properties are just beginning to recover from the 2008 financial crisis and subsequent economic recession, and accordingly we expect potential increases in lease rates upon renewal of upcoming lease expirations as market conditions continue to improve.

Future economic downturns or regional downturns affecting our submarkets that impair our ability to renew or re-lease space and adverse developments that affect the ability of our tenants to fulfill their lease obligations, such as tenant bankruptcies, could adversely affect our ability to maintain or increase occupancy or rental rates at our properties. Adverse developments or trends in one or more of these factors could adversely affect our rental revenue in future periods.

Scheduled Lease Expirations

Our ability to re-lease space subject to expiring leases will impact our results of operations and is affected by economic and competitive conditions in our markets and by the desirability of our individual properties. As of June 30, 2013, in addition to approximately 641,450 rentable square feet of currently available space in our properties, leases representing approximately 14.0% and 27.2% of the aggregate rentable square footage of our portfolio are scheduled to expire during the years ending December 31, 2013 and December 31, 2014, respectively. As described in more detail above under “—Rental Revenue and Tenant Reimbursements,” in the six month ended June 30, 2013 and the year ended December 31, 2012 we renewed approximately 64.8% and 66% of leases scheduled to expire, which renewed leases represented approximately 76.2% and 67.5% of the aggregate rentable square footage under all expiring leases in those years, respectively.

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The leases scheduled to expire during the years ending December 31, 2013 and December 31, 2014 represent approximately 17.2% and 30.1%, respectively, of the total annualized rent for our portfolio. We estimate that, on a weighted average basis, in-place rents of leases scheduled to expire in 2013 and 2014 are currently at or slightly above current market rents. However, we believe that rental rates in our markets for product such as our properties are just beginning to recover, and accordingly we expect potential increases in lease rates upon renewal of upcoming 2013 and 2014 lease expirations as market conditions continue to improve.

Taxable REIT Subsidiary

As part of our formation transactions, we acquired Rexford Industrial Realty and Management, Inc., which we refer to as the services company. The services company is wholly owned, indirectly, by our Operating Partnership. We will elect, together with our services company, to treat our services company as a taxable REIT subsidiary for federal income tax purposes. A taxable REIT subsidiary generally may provide non-customary and other services to our tenants and engage in activities that we may not engage in directly without adversely affecting our qualification as a REIT, provided a taxable REIT subsidiary may not operate or manage a lodging facility or health care facility or provide rights to any brand name under which any lodging facility or health care facility is operated. We may form additional taxable REIT subsidiaries in the future, and our Operating Partnership may contribute some or all of its interests in certain wholly owned subsidiaries or their assets to our services company. Any income earned by our taxable REIT subsidiaries will not be included in our taxable income for purposes of the 75% or 95% gross income tests, except to the extent such income is distributed to us as a dividend, in which case such dividend income will qualify under the 95%, but not the 75%, gross income test. Because a taxable REIT subsidiary is subject to federal income tax, and state and local income tax (where applicable) as a regular corporation, the income earned by our taxable REIT subsidiaries generally will be subject to an additional level of tax as compared to the income earned by our other subsidiaries.

Conditions in Our Markets

The properties in our initial portfolio are located primarily in Southern California infill markets. Positive or negative changes in economic or other conditions, adverse weather conditions and natural disasters in this market may affect our overall performance.

Rental Expenses

Our rental expenses generally consist of utilities, real estate taxes, insurance and site repair and maintenance costs. For the majority of our properties, our rental expenses are controlled, in part, by either the triple net provisions or modified gross expense reimbursements in tenant leases. However, the terms of our leases vary and in some instances we may absorb rental expenses. Our overall financial results will be impacted by the extent to which we are able to pass-through rental expenses to our tenants.

General and Administrative Expenses

We expect to incur increased general and administrative expenses, including legal, accounting and other expenses related to corporate governance, public reporting and compliance with various provisions of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act, as compared to our predecessor. We anticipate that our staffing levels will increase from approximately 31 employees presently to between 35 and 40 employees during the next 12 to 24 months and, as a result, our general and administrative expenses will increase further.

Critical Accounting Policies

Our discussion and analysis of the historical financial condition and results of operations of our predecessor are based upon its combined financial statements, which have been prepared in accordance with GAAP. The preparation of these financial statements in conformity with GAAP requires management to make estimates and assumptions in certain circumstances that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities at the date of the

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financial statements and the reported amount of revenue and expenses in the reporting period. Actual amounts may differ from these estimates and assumptions. We have provided a summary of significant accounting policies in note 2 to the combined financial statements. We have summarized below those accounting policies that require material subjective or complex judgments and that have the most significant impact on financial condition and results of operations. Management evaluates these estimates on an ongoing basis, based upon information currently available and on various assumptions that it believes are reasonable as of the date hereof. In addition, other companies in similar businesses may use different estimation policies and methodologies, which may impact the comparability of our or our predecessor's results of operations and financial condition to those of other companies.

The following discussion of critical accounting policies uses "we" and "Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc. Predecessor" interchangeably. Except where specifically stated otherwise, we expect the critical accounting policies of Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc. to be substantially similar to those of Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc. Predecessor.

A critical accounting policy is one that is both important to the portrayal of an entity's financial condition and results of operations and requires judgment on the part of management. Generally, the judgment requires management to make estimates and assumptions about the effect of matters that are inherently uncertain. Estimates are prepared using management's best judgment, after considering past and current economic conditions and expectations for the future. The current economic environment has increased the degree of uncertainty inherent in these estimates and assumptions. Changes in estimates could affect our financial position and specific items in our results of operations that are used by the users of our financial statements in their evaluation of our performance. Of the accounting policies discussed in Note 2 to the combined financial statements, the accounting policies presented below have been identified by us as critical accounting policies.

Investments in Real Estate

We generally acquire individual properties, and, in some instances, a portfolio of properties. When we acquire individual operating properties, with the intention to hold the investment for the long-term, we allocate the purchase price to the various components of the acquisition based upon the fair value of each component. The components typically include land, building, debt, intangible assets related to above and below market leases, value of costs to obtain tenants, and other assumed assets and liabilities. We consider Level 3 inputs such as the replacement cost of such assets, appraisals, property condition reports, comparable market rental data and other related information in determining the fair value of the tangible assets. The recorded fair value of intangible lease assets or liabilities includes Level 3 inputs including the value associated with leasing commissions, legal and other costs, as well as the estimated period necessary to lease such property and lease commencement. An intangible asset or liability resulting from in-place leases that are above or below the market rental rates are valued based upon our estimates of prevailing market rates for similar leases. Intangible lease assets or liabilities are amortized over the estimated, reasonably assured lease term of the remaining in-place leases as an adjustment to "rental revenues" or "real estate related depreciation and amortization" depending on the nature of the intangible. The difference between the fair value and the face value of debt assumed in connection with an acquisition is recorded as a premium or discount and amortized to "interest expense" over the life of the debt assumed. The valuation of assumed liabilities is based on our estimate of the current market rates for similar liabilities in effect at the acquisition date.

In an acquisition of multiple properties, we must also allocate the purchase price among the properties. The allocation of the purchase price is based on our assessment of estimated fair value and often is based upon the expected future cash flows of the property and various characteristics of the markets where the property is located. The fair value may also include an enterprise value premium that we estimate a third party would be willing to pay for a portfolio of properties. The initial allocation of the purchase price is based on management's preliminary assessment, which may differ when final information becomes available. Subsequent adjustments made to the initial purchase price allocation are made within the allocation period, which typically does not exceed one year.

Capitalization of Costs and Depreciation and Amortization

We capitalize costs incurred in developing, renovating, rehabilitating and improving real estate assets as part of the investment basis. Costs incurred in making repairs and maintaining real estate assets are expensed as incurred. During the land development and construction periods, we capitalize interest costs, insurance, real estate taxes and certain general and administrative costs of the personnel performing development, renovations and rehabilitation if such costs are incremental and identifiable to a specific activity to get the asset ready for its intended

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use. Capitalized costs are included in the investment basis of real estate assets. We also capitalize costs incurred to successfully originate a lease that result directly from, and are essential to, the acquisition of that lease. Leasing costs that meet the requirements for capitalization are presented as a component of other assets.

Real estate, including land, building and land improvements, tenant improvements, and furniture, fixtures and equipment, leasing costs and intangible lease assets and liabilities are stated at historical cost less accumulated depreciation and amortization, unless circumstances indicate that the cost cannot be recovered, in which case, the carrying value of the property is reduced to estimated fair value as discussed below in our policy with regards to impairment of long-lived assets. We estimate the depreciable portion of our real estate assets and related useful lives in order to record depreciation expense. Our ability to estimate the depreciable portions of our real estate assets and useful lives is critical to the determination of the appropriate amount of depreciation and amortization expense recorded and the carrying value of the underlying assets. Any change to the assets to be depreciated and the estimated depreciable lives of these assets would have an impact on the depreciation expense recognized.

As discussed above in investments in real estate, in connection with property acquisitions, we may acquire leases with rental rates above or below the market rental rates. Such differences are recorded as an intangible lease asset or liability and amortized to "rental revenues" over the reasonably assured term of the related leases. The unamortized balances of these assets and liabilities associated with the early termination of leases are fully amortized to their respective revenue line items in the combined financial statements of Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc. Predecessor over the shorter of the expected life of such assets and liabilities or the remaining lease term.

Our estimate of the useful life of our assets is evaluated upon acquisition and when circumstances indicate a change in the useful life, which requires significant judgment regarding the economic obsolescence of tangible and intangible assets.

Impairment of Long-Lived Assets

We assess the carrying values of our respective long-lived assets, including goodwill, whenever events or changes in circumstances indicate that the carrying amounts of these assets may not be fully recoverable.

Recoverability of real estate assets is measured by comparison of the carrying amount of the asset to the estimated future undiscounted cash flows. In order to review our real estate assets for recoverability, we consider current market conditions, as well as our intent with respect to holding or disposing of the asset. Our intent with regard to the underlying assets might change as market conditions change, as well as other factors, especially in the current global economic environment. Fair value is determined through various valuation techniques, including discounted cash flow models, applying a capitalization rate to estimated net operating income of a property and quoted market values and third party appraisals, where considered necessary. The use of projected future cash flows is based on assumptions that are consistent with our estimates of future expectations and the strategic plan we use to manage our underlying business. If our analysis indicates that the carrying value of the real estate asset is not recoverable on an undiscounted cash flow basis, we recognize an impairment charge for the amount by which the carrying value exceeds the current estimated fair value of the real estate property.

Assumptions and estimates used in the recoverability analyses for future cash flows, discount rates and capitalization rates are complex and subjective. Changes in economic and operating conditions or our intent with regard to our investment that occur subsequent to our impairment analyses could impact these assumptions and result in future impairment of our real estate properties.

Valuation of Receivables

We are subject to tenant defaults and bankruptcies that could affect the collection of outstanding receivables. In order to mitigate these risks, we perform credit reviews and analyses on prospective tenants before significant leases are executed and on existing tenants before properties are acquired. We specifically analyze aged receivables, customer credit-worthiness, historical bad debts and current economic trends when evaluating the adequacy of the allowance for doubtful accounts. As a result of our periodic analysis, we maintain an allowance for estimated losses that may result from the inability of our tenants to make required payments. This estimate requires significant judgment related to the lessees' ability to fulfill their obligations under the leases. We believe our allowance for doubtful accounts is adequate for our outstanding receivables for the periods presented. If a tenant is insolvent or files for bankruptcy protection and fails to make contractual payments beyond any allowance, we may recognize additional bad debt expense in future periods equal to the net outstanding balances, which include amounts recognized as straight-line revenue not realizable until future periods.

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Consolidation

We consolidate all entities that are wholly owned and those in which we own less than 100% but control, as well as any variable interest entities in which we are the primary beneficiary. We evaluate our ability to control an entity and whether the entity is a variable interest entity and we are the primary beneficiary through consideration of the substantive terms of the arrangement to identify which enterprise has the power to direct the activities of a variable interest entity that most significantly impacts the entity's economic performance and the obligation to absorb losses of the entity or the right to receive benefits from the entity. Investments in entities in which we do not control but over which we have the ability to exercise significant influence over operating and financial policies are presented under the equity method. Investments in entities that we do not control and over which we do not exercise significant influence are carried at the lower of cost or fair value, as appropriate. Our ability to correctly assess our influence and/or control over an entity affects the presentation of these investments in our combined financial statements.

Historical Results of Operations of Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc. Predecessor

Comparison of the Three Months Ended June 30, 2013 to the Three Months Ended June 30, 2012

Our results of operations for all periods presented were affected by acquisitions and dispositions made during the six months ended June 30, 2013 and the period from April 1, 2012 through December 31, 2012. Therefore, our results are not comparable from period to period. Our "Total Portfolio" represents all of the properties in our initial portfolio owned during the reported periods. To eliminate the effect of changes in our Total Portfolio due to acquisitions and dispositions, we have separately presented the results of our "Same Properties Portfolio."

Properties included in our Same Properties Portfolio are the properties in our initial portfolio that were wholly-owned by us as of April 1, 2012 and still owned as of June 30, 2013, and excludes our joint venture or tenants-in-common properties and any properties that were acquired or sold during the six months ended June 30, 2013 and the period from April 1, 2012 through December 31, 2012.

The results of our Same Properties Portfolio are presented to highlight for investors and users of our combined financial statements the operating results of our on-going business.

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	Same Properties Portfolio				Total Portfolio			
	For the Three Months Ended 6/30/2013	6/30/2012	Increase/ (Decrease)	% Change	For the Three Months Ended 6/30/2013	6/30/2012	Increase/ (Decrease)	% Change
RENTAL REVENUES								
Rental revenues	\$7,564,000	\$ 6,873,000	\$ 691,000	10.1%	\$ 9,152,000	\$ 6,940,000	\$2,212,000	31.9%
Tenant reimbursements	884,000	684,000	200,000	29.2%	1,127,000	706,000	421,000	59.6%
Management, leasing and development services	—	—	—	0.0%	170,000	106,000	64,000	60.4%
Other income	42,000	36,000	6,000	16.7%	49,000	33,000	16,000	48.5%
TOTAL RENTAL REVENUES	8,490,000	7,593,000	897,000	11.8%	10,498,000	7,785,000	2,713,000	34.8%
Interest income	324,000	250,000	74,000	29.6%	324,000	449,000	(125,000)	-27.8%
TOTAL REVENUES	8,814,000	7,843,000	971,000	12.4%	10,822,000	8,234,000	2,588,000	31.4%
EXPENSES								
Property expenses	2,141,000	2,207,000	(66,000)	-3.0%	2,442,000	2,184,000	258,000	11.8%
General and administrative	—	—	—	0.0%	1,396,000	1,180,000	216,000	18.3%
Depreciation and amortization	2,876,000	2,981,000	(105,000)	-3.5%	3,564,000	2,849,000	715,000	25.1%
Other property expenses	303,000	280,000	23,000	8.2%	444,000	353,000	91,000	25.8%
TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSES	5,320,000	5,468,000	(148,000)	-2.7%	7,846,000	6,566,000	1,280,000	19.5%
OTHER (INCOME) EXPENSE								
Acquisition expenses	—	—	—	0.0%	624,000	167,000	457,000	273.7%
Interest expense	4,195,000	4,960,000	(765,000)	-15.4%	4,467,000	4,346,000	121,000	2.8%
Gain on mark-to-market interest rate swaps	—	—	—	0.0%	—	(612,000)	612,000	-100.0%
TOTAL OTHER EXPENSE	4,195,000	4,960,000	(765,000)	-15.4%	5,091,000	3,901,000	1,190,000	30.5%
TOTAL EXPENSES	9,515,000	10,428,000	(913,000)	-8.8%	12,937,000	10,467,000	2,470,000	23.6%
Equity in loss of unconsolidated real estate entities	—	—	—	—	(712,000)	(90,000)	(622,000)	—
Gain from early repayment of note receivable	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Loss on extinguishment of debt	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
NET LOSS FROM CONTINUING OPERATIONS	(701,000)	(2,585,000)	1,884,000	—	(2,827,000)	(2,323,000)	(504,000)	—
DISCONTINUED OPERATIONS								
Loss from discontinued operations before gains on sale of real estate	—	—	—	—	(221,000)	(145,000)	(76,000)	—
Gain on sale of real estate	—	—	—	—	2,580,000	—	2,580,000	—
INCOME (LOSS) FROM DISCONTINUED OPERATIONS	—	—	—	—	2,359,000	(145,000)	2,504,000	—
NET LOSS	(701,000)	(2,585,000)	1,884,000	—	(468,000)	(2,468,000)	2,000,000	—

Rental Revenue

Our Same Properties Portfolio and Total Portfolio rental revenue increased \$0.7 million, or 10.1%, and \$2.2 million, or 31.9%, respectively, during the three months ended June 30, 2013 compared to the three months ended June 30, 2012. The increase in our Same Properties Portfolio is primarily due to a 10.4% increase in our average occupancy for comparable periods. Our Total Portfolio rental revenue was also positively impacted by the revenues from the four properties we acquired during 2013 and the three properties we acquired during the last three quarters of 2012.

Tenant Reimbursements

Our Same Properties Portfolio and Total Portfolio tenant reimbursements revenue increased \$0.2 million, or 29.2%, and \$0.4 million or 59.6%, respectively, during the three months ended June 30, 2013 compared to the three months ended June 30, 2012. The increase in our Same Properties Portfolio is primarily due to a 10.4% increase in our average occupancy for comparable periods and an increase in common area maintenance recoveries related to prior year reconciliations. The Total Portfolio tenant reimbursement revenue was also positively impacted by the revenues from the four properties we acquired during 2013 and the three properties we acquired during the last three quarters of 2012.

Management, Leasing and Development Services

Total Portfolio management, leasing, and development services revenue increased \$0.1 million or 60.4% during the three months ended June 30, 2013 compared to the three months ended June 30, 2012, due to additional management fee revenues from the properties that our JV acquired in June 2012. There are no management, leasing and development fees allocable to the Same Properties Portfolio.

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Property Expenses

Same Properties Portfolio and Total Portfolio property expenses as a percentage of total rental revenues decreased to 25.3% and 23.8% respectively during the three months ended June 30, 2013 from 29.2% and 28.6%, respectively, during the three months ended June 30, 2012, due to operational efficiencies resulting from a decrease in our fixed costs, primarily real estate taxes, as a percentage of rental revenues. The decreases in our Total Portfolio property expenses were partially offset by the incremental expenses from the four properties we acquired during 2013 and the three properties we acquired during the last three quarters of 2012.

General and Administrative

Total Portfolio general and administrative expenses increased \$0.2 million, or 18.3%, during the three months ended June 30, 2013 compared to the three months ended June 30, 2012, primarily due to higher corporate expenses resulting from additional head count.

Depreciation and Amortization

Total Portfolio depreciation and amortization expenses increased \$0.7 million, or 25.1%, due to incremental expenses from the four properties we acquired during 2013 and the three properties we acquired during the last three quarters of 2012, partially offset by a decrease in amortization expense due to acquired lease related intangible and tangible assets for several of our properties being fully depreciated in 2012.

Other Property Expenses

Our Total Portfolio other property expenses increased \$0.1 million, or 25.8%, during the three months ended June 30, 2013 compared to the three months ended June 30, 2012, mainly due to an increase in property overhead expenses in our Total Portfolio.

Acquisition Expenses

Total Portfolio acquisition expenses increased \$0.5 million, or 273.7%, during the three months ended June 30, 2013 compared to the three months ended June 30, 2012 due to higher expenses incurred for 2013 transactions.

Interest Expense

Same Properties Portfolio interest expense decreased \$0.8 million, or 15.4%, and Total Portfolio interest expense increased \$0.1 million, or 2.8%, during the three months ended June 30, 2013 compared to the three months ended June 30, 2012, due to the expiration of our interest rate swaps during 2012 and 2013, which was partially offset by increased interest expense as a result of additional debt incurred in 2013.

Gain on mark-to-market interest rate swaps

Total Portfolio gain on mark-to-market interest rate swaps decreased \$0.6 million, or 100.0%, during the three months ended June 30, 2013 compared to the three months ended June 30, 2012 due to the expiration of our interest rate swaps during 2012 and 2013.

Equity in Loss of Unconsolidated Real Estate Entities

The equity in loss of unconsolidated real estate entities includes our equity interests in the operating results of two properties, La Jolla Sorrento and Mission Oaks. Our share of the loss totaled \$0.7 million for the three months ended June 30, 2013 compared to \$0.1 million for the three months ended June 30, 2012. The difference is primarily attributable to a \$0.8 million impairment charge associated with our interest in La Jolla Sorrento during the three months ended June 30, 2013.

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Discontinued Operations

Our income from discontinued operations of \$2.4 million for the three months ended June 30, 2013 is comprised primarily of the gain related to the disposition of our properties located at 1950 East Williams Street, 9027 Glenoaks Blvd., 2929 S. Fair Drive and 2411, 2507 and 2515 Erie Drive and 1255 Knollwood Circle. This gain is partially offset by losses from operations of the disposed property. Our loss from discontinued operations of \$0.1 million for the three months ended June 30, 2012 is comprised of loss from operations for the six properties classified as held for sale.

Comparison of the Six Months Ended June 30, 2013 to the Six Months Ended June 30, 2012

Our results of operations for all periods presented were affected by acquisitions and dispositions made during the six months ended June 30, 2013 and the year ended December 31, 2012. Therefore, our results are not comparable from period to period. Our “Total Portfolio” represents all of the properties in our initial portfolio owned during the reported periods. To eliminate the effect of changes in our Total Portfolio due to acquisitions and dispositions, we have separately presented the results of our “Same Properties Portfolio.”

Properties included in our Same Properties Portfolio are the properties in our initial portfolio that were wholly-owned by us as of January 1, 2012 and still owned as of June 30, 2013, and excludes our joint venture or tenants-in-common properties and any properties that were acquired or sold during the six months ended June 30, 2013 and the year ended December 31, 2012.

The results of our Same Properties Portfolio are presented to highlight for investors and users of our combined financial statements the operating results of our on-going business.

	Same Properties Portfolio				Total Portfolio			
	For the Six Months Ended 6/30/2013	6/30/2012	Increase/ (Decrease)	% Change	For the Six Months Ended 6/30/2013	6/30/2012	Increase/ (Decrease)	% Change
RENTAL REVENUES								
Rental revenues	\$14,587,000	\$13,565,000	\$ 1,022,000	7.5%	\$16,932,000	\$13,784,000	\$3,148,000	22.8%
Tenant reimbursements	1,670,000	1,391,000	279,000	20.1%	1,974,000	1,413,000	561,000	39.7%
Management, leasing and development services	—	—	—	0.0%	431,000	170,000	261,000	153.5%
Other income	160,000	48,000	112,000	233.3%	167,000	50,000	117,000	234.0%
TOTAL RENTAL REVENUES	16,417,000	15,004,000	1,413,000	9.4%	19,504,000	15,417,000	4,087,000	26.5%
Interest income	572,000	500,000	72,000	14.4%	635,000	785,000	(150,000)	-19.1%
TOTAL REVENUES	16,989,000	15,504,000	1,485,000	9.6%	20,139,000	16,202,000	3,937,000	24.3%
EXPENSES								
Property expenses	3,977,000	4,085,000	(108,000)	-2.6%	4,562,000	4,170,000	392,000	9.4%
General and administrative	—	—	—	0.0%	2,535,000	2,157,000	378,000	17.5%
Depreciation and amortization	5,933,000	6,447,000	(514,000)	-8.0%	6,739,000	6,203,000	536,000	8.6%
Other property expenses	588,000	485,000	103,000	21.2%	781,000	629,000	152,000	24.2%
TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSES	10,498,000	11,017,000	(519,000)	-4.7%	14,617,000	13,159,000	1,458,000	11.1%
OTHER (INCOME) EXPENSE								
Acquisition expenses	—	—	—	0.0%	717,000	234,000	483,000	206.4%
Interest expense	7,982,000	8,895,000	(913,000)	-10.3%	8,324,000	8,504,000	(180,000)	-2.1%
Gain on mark-to-market interest rate swaps	—	—	—	0.0%	(49,000)	(1,223,000)	1,174,000	-96.0%
TOTAL OTHER EXPENSE	7,982,000	8,895,000	(913,000)	-10.3%	8,992,000	7,515,000	1,477,000	19.7%
TOTAL EXPENSES	18,480,000	19,912,000	(1,432,000)	-7.2%	23,609,000	20,674,000	2,935,000	14.2%
Equity in loss of unconsolidated real estate entities	—	—	—		(925,000)	(33,000)	(892,000)	
Gain from early repayment of note receivable	—	—	—		1,365,000	—	1,365,000	
Loss on extinguishment of debt	—	—	—		(37,000)	—	(37,000)	
NET LOSS FROM CONTINUING OPERATIONS	(1,491,000)	(4,408,000)	2,917,000		(3,067,000)	(4,505,000)	1,438,000	
DISCONTINUED OPERATIONS								
Loss from discontinued operations before gains on sale of real estate	—	—	—		(336,000)	(68,000)	(268,000)	
Gain on sale of real estate	—	—	—		4,989,000	—	4,989,000	
INCOME FROM DISCONTINUED OPERATIONS	—	—	—		4,653,000	(68,000)	4,721,000	
NET (LOSS) INCOME	(1,491,000)	(4,408,000)	2,917,000		1,586,000	(4,573,000)	6,159,000	

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Rental Revenue

Our Same Properties Portfolio and Total Portfolio rental revenue increased \$1.0 million, or 7.5%, and \$3.1 million, or 22.8%, respectively, during the six months ended June 30, 2013 compared to the six months ended June 30, 2012. The increase in our Same Properties Portfolio is primarily due to an 8.3% increase in our average occupancy for comparable periods. Our Total Portfolio rental revenue was also positively impacted by the revenues from the four properties we acquired during 2013 and the four properties we acquired during 2012.

Tenant Reimbursements

Our Same Properties Portfolio and Total Portfolio tenant reimbursements revenue increased \$0.3 million, or 20.1%, and \$0.6 million or 39.7%, respectively, during the six months ended June 30, 2013 compared to the six months ended June 30, 2012. The increase in our Same Properties Portfolio is primarily due to an 8.3% increase in our average occupancy for comparable periods. The Total Portfolio tenant reimbursement revenue was also positively impacted by reimbursement revenues from the four properties we acquired during 2013 and the four properties we acquired during 2012.

Management, Leasing and Development Services

Total Portfolio management, leasing, and development services revenue increased \$0.3 million or 153.5% during the six months ended June 30, 2013 compared to the six months ended June 30, 2012, due to additional management fee revenues from the properties that our JV acquired in June 2012. There are no management, leasing and development fees allocable to the Same Properties Portfolio.

Other Operating Income

Total Portfolio other operating income increased \$0.1 million, or 234.0%, during the six months ended June 30, 2013 compared to the six months ended June 30, 2012, primarily due to receipt of construction easement income at one of our properties.

Property Expenses

Same Properties Portfolio and Total Portfolio property expenses as a percentage of total rental revenues decreased to 24.5% and 24.1% respectively during the six months ended June 30, 2013 from 27.3% and 27.4%, respectively, during the six months ended June 30, 2012, due to operational efficiencies resulting from a decrease in our fixed costs, primarily real estate taxes, as a percentage of rental revenues. The decreases in our Total Portfolio property expenses were partially offset by the incremental expenses from the four properties we acquired during 2013 and four properties we acquired during 2012.

General and Administrative

Total Portfolio general and administrative expenses increased \$0.4 million, or 17.5%, during the six months ended June 30, 2013 compared to the six months ended June 30, 2012 primarily due to higher corporate expenses resulting from additional head count.

Depreciation and Amortization

Same Properties Portfolio depreciation and amortization expenses decreased \$0.5 million, or 8.0%, due to acquired lease related intangible and tangible assets for several of our properties being fully depreciated during 2012, while Total Portfolio depreciation and amortization expenses increased \$0.5 million, or 8.6%, due to incremental expenses from the four properties we acquired during 2013 and the four properties we acquired during 2012.

Other Property Expenses

Same Properties Portfolio and Total Portfolio other property expenses increased \$0.1 million, or 21.2%, and \$0.2 million, or 24.2%, during the six months ended June 30, 2013 compared to the six months ended June 30, 2012, mainly due to an increase in property overhead expenses in our Total Portfolio.

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Acquisition Expenses

Total Portfolio acquisition expenses increased \$0.5 million, or 206.4%, during the six months ended June 30, 2013 compared to the six months ended June 30, 2012 due to higher expenses incurred for 2013 transactions.

Interest Expense

Same Properties Portfolio and Total Portfolio interest expense decreased \$0.9 million, or 10.3%, and \$0.2 million, or 2.1% respectively, during the six months ended June 30, 2013 compared to the six months ended June 30, 2012, due to the expiration of our interest rate swaps during 2012 and 2013, which was partially offset by increased interest expense as a result of additional debt incurred in 2012. The Total Portfolio was partially offset by the interest expense for the new acquisitions in 2013.

Gain on mark-to-market interest rate swaps

Total Portfolio gain on mark-to-market interest rate swaps decreased \$1.2 million, or 96.0%, during the six months ended June 30, 2013 compared to the six months ended June 30, 2012 due to the expiration of our interest rate swaps during 2012 and 2013.

Equity in Loss of Unconsolidated Real Estate Entities

The equity in loss of unconsolidated real estate entities includes our equity interests in the operating results of two properties, La Jolla Sorrento and Mission Oaks. The Mission Oaks properties were acquired on June 28, 2012, and as a result, do not have comparable operating results for the periods presented. Our share of the loss totaled \$0.9 million for the six months ended June 30, 2013, compared to \$33,000 for the six months ended June 30, 2012. The difference is primarily attributable to a \$0.8 million impairment charge associated with our interest in La Jolla Sorrento during the six months ended June 30, 2013.

Gain from Early Repayment of Note Receivable

The gain from early repayment of a note receivable for the six months ended June 30, 2013 represents the gain related to the collection of a note receivable held by us and secured by the Foothill property located at 2824 Foothill & 2801 Sierra Blvd., in Pasadena, California, or the Foothill Note.

Loss on Extinguishment of Debt

The loss on extinguishment of debt for the six months ended June 30, 2013 is comprised of the loss related to the repayment of debt secured by the Foothill Note and property dispositions which were both repaid early.

Discontinued Operations

Our income from discontinued operations of \$4.7 million for the six months ended June 30, 2013 is comprised primarily of the gain related to the disposition of our property located at 4578 Worth Street, 1950 East Williams Street, 9027 Glenoaks Blvd., 2929 S. Fair Drive and 2411, 2507 and 2515 Erie Drive and 1255 Knollwood Circle. This gain is partially offset by losses from operations of the disposed property. Our loss from discontinued operations of \$68,000 for the six months ended June 30, 2012 is comprised of loss from operations for the six properties classified as held for sale.

Liquidity and Capital Resources

We believe that the completion of our IPO has improved our financial position through changes in our capital structure, including a reduction in our leverage. Our predecessor had total indebtedness of \$351.2 million as of June 30, 2013. After the completion of our IPO, concurrent private place and formation transactions, our total indebtedness on July 31, 2013 was \$120.7 million, reflecting a debt to total market capitalization of approximately 22.9%. Our total market capitalization is defined as the sum of the market value of our outstanding common stock (which may decrease, thereby increasing our debt to total capitalization ratio), including restricted stock that we may issue to certain of our directors, officers and employees, plus the aggregate value of common units not owned by us, plus the value of our total consolidated indebtedness. We had approximately \$2.0 million of cash as at July 24, 2013, immediately following the completion of these transactions.

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Concurrently with the closing of the IPO, we also entered into a \$200 million senior unsecured revolving credit facility, of which \$124.3 million is available to us as of July 31, 2013. Subsequent to the completion of our IPO, on August 21, 2013, we issued a total of 451,972 shares of our common stock pursuant to a partial exercise by the underwriters of their IPO over-allotment option, in exchange for proceeds of \$5.9 million, net of the underwriters discount. We intend to use these proceeds and our revolving credit facility for general corporate purposes, including property acquisitions, redevelopment and repositioning opportunities and working capital requirements.

Our short-term liquidity requirements consist primarily of funds to pay for operating expenses and other expenditures directly associated with our properties, including:

- property expenses;
- interest expense and scheduled principal payments on outstanding indebtedness;
- general and administrative expenses; and
- capital expenditures for tenant improvements and leasing commissions.

In addition, we will require funds for future dividends expected to be paid to our common stockholders and distributions to holders of common units following completion of the offering.

We intend to satisfy our short-term liquidity requirements through net cash flow from operating activities, the proceeds of our IPO, the concurrent private placement and the partial exercise of the over-allotment option, and borrowings available under our revolving credit facility.

Our long-term liquidity needs consist primarily of funds necessary to pay for acquisitions, recurring and non-recurring capital expenditures and scheduled debt maturities. We intend to satisfy our long-term liquidity needs through cash flow from operations, long-term secured and unsecured borrowings, issuance of equity securities, and if necessary, borrowings available under our revolving credit facility.

Contractual Obligations

The following table sets forth our principal obligations and commitments, including periodic interest payments related to our indebtedness outstanding as of July 31, 2013, after paydowns using the proceeds from our IPO and the term loan that we put in place at the completion of the IPO (in thousands):

	Payments by Period						
	Total	2013	2014	2015 (in thousands)	2016	2017	Thereafter
Principal payments (1)	\$120,689	\$ —	\$ —	\$5,189	\$55,500	\$ —	\$ 60,000
Interest payments - fixed rate debt	448	143	281	24	—	—	—
Interest payments - variable rate debt (2)	11,013	1,042	2,500	2,500	1,737	1,252	1,982
Total	<u>\$132,150</u>	<u>\$1,185</u>	<u>\$2,781</u>	<u>\$7,713</u>	<u>\$57,237</u>	<u>\$1,252</u>	<u>\$ 61,982</u>

(1) Does not include indebtedness outstanding on the three properties owned indirectly by the JV in which we own a 15% interest.

(2) Based on the 30-day LIBOR rate of 0.18643% for our term loan and the Glendale Commerce Center loan, and 30-day LIBOR rate of 0.19003% for our revolving credit facility. These are the rates in effect on July 31, 2013 based on the rate definition per the loans documents.

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Consolidated Indebtedness

At July 31, 2013, we had total indebtedness of approximately \$120.7 million, including approximately \$12.8 million outstanding under our revolving credit facility, \$60.0 million of secured indebtedness under our term loan and approximately \$47.9 million of secured indebtedness that was assumed as part of the formation transactions. Additionally, there was approximately \$6.2 million of secured indebtedness allocable to our 15% joint venture interest in the three properties owned indirectly by the JV which is not reflected on our balance sheet. The weighted average interest rate on our total consolidated indebtedness is 2.2% (based on the LIBOR rates in effect on July 31, 2013 based on the rate definition per the loan documents and a margin of 135 basis points on our revolving credit facility). As of July 31, 2013, approximately \$115.5 million (representing the outstanding principal amount under our term loan, the revolving credit facility and one of the secured loans that was assumed as part of our formation transactions), or approximately 95.7%, of our outstanding long-term debt exposed to fluctuations in short-term interest rates.

The following table sets forth our consolidated indebtedness as of July 31, 2013:

	<u>Principal (dollars in thousands)</u>	<u>Interest Rate</u>	<u>Effective Interest Rate</u>	<u>Contractual Maturity Date</u>
Fixed Rate Debt				
10700 Jersey Blvd	\$ 5,189	5.45%	5.45000%	1/1/2015
Variable Rate Debt				
Term Loan	60,000	LIBOR + 1.90%	2.08643% (1)	8/1/2019 (2)
Revolving Credit Facility	12,750	LIBOR + 1.35%	1.54003% (3)	7/24/2016 (4)
Glendale Commerce Center	42,750	LIBOR + 2.00%	2.18643% (1)	5/1/2016 (4)
Subtotal	<u>\$ 115,500</u>			
Total/Weighted Average	<u>\$ 120,689</u>		2.20874%	

- (1) Based on a 30-day LIBOR rate of 0.18643% as of July 31, 2013 as defined per the loans documents.
- (2) With one 1-year option to extend, provided that certain conditions are satisfied.
- (3) Based on a 30-day LIBOR rate of 0.19003% as of July 31, 2013 as defined per the loans documents.
- (4) With two 1-year option to extend, provided that certain conditions are satisfied.

The following table sets forth our allocated share of secured indebtedness outstanding on three properties owned directly by the JV, in which we own a 15% interest, as of July 31, 2013:

	<u>Principal (1) (dollars in thousands)</u>	<u>Interest Rate</u>	<u>Effective Interest Rate (2)</u>	<u>Contractual Maturity Date (3)</u>
3001 Mission Oaks Blvd	\$ 2,011	LIBOR + 2.50%	2.75%	6/28/2015
3175 Mission Oaks Blvd	3,094	LIBOR + 2.50%	2.75%	6/28/2015
3233 Mission Oaks Blvd	1,120	LIBOR + 2.50%	2.75%	6/28/2015
Total/Weighted Average	<u>\$ 6,225</u>			

- (1) Represents 15% of the principal amount of the JV debt based on our 15% interest in the JV.
- (2) Based on a 30-day LIBOR rate of 0.25% as of July 31, 2013 as defined per the loans documents.
- (3) With two 1-year options to extend, provided that certain conditions are satisfied.

Certain of our loan agreements contain financial covenants. The Glendale Commerce Center loan described above contains a debt service coverage ratio requirement that is tested quarterly, and a debt service coverage ratio requirement and a loan-to-value ratio requirement that are tested each time we exercise an option to extend the maturity date of the loan. In addition, pursuant to the terms of the Glendale Commerce Center loan, we must also meet certain liquidity and net worth requirements that are tested annually.

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The Mission Oaks Boulevard loans described above each contain a combined debt yield ratio requirement that is tested annually, and a combined debt service coverage ratio requirement and a combined loan-to-value ratio requirement that are tested each time the borrowers of the Mission Oaks Blvd loans exercise an option to extend the maturity date of the loans. We and the borrowers of the Mission Oaks Blvd loans are currently in compliance with the financial covenants and net worth liquidity requirements in our and their respective loan agreements. The Glendale Commerce Center loan and the Mission Oaks Blvd loans also each contain cross-default provisions with respect to certain of our other indebtedness, and the Mission Oaks Blvd loans are cross-collateralized with each other.

Our ability to borrow under the revolving credit facility will be subject to our ongoing compliance with a number of customary restrictive covenants, including a maximum leverage ratio, a maximum secured leverage ratio, a maximum recourse debt ratio, a minimum fixed charge coverage ratio, an unencumbered debt yield ratio, and a minimum tangible net worth requirement. Additionally, under the revolving credit facility, our distributions may not exceed the greater of (i) 95.0% of our funds from operations or (ii) the amount required for us to qualify and maintain our status as a REIT and avoid the payment of federal or state income or excise tax in any 12 month period. If a default or event of default occurs and is continuing, we may be precluded from making certain distributions (other than those required to allow us to qualify and maintain our status as a REIT). The revolving credit facility also includes cross-default provisions with respect to certain of our other indebtedness.

Off Balance Sheet Arrangements

As of June 30, 2013, neither Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc. nor our predecessor, had any off-balance sheet arrangements other than the two unconsolidated real estate entities which have been disclosed in the notes to our combined financial statements.

Cash Flows of Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc. Predecessor

Comparison of Six Months Ended June 30, 2013 to Six Months Ended June 30, 2012

The following table summarizes the historical cash flows of Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc. Predecessor for the six months ended June 30, 2013 and 2012:

	Six Months Ended June 30,	
	2013	2012
	(dollars in thousands)	
Cash provided by operating activities	\$ 2,402	\$ 181
Cash used in investing activities	\$ (47,290)	\$ (11,137)
Cash provided by financing activities	\$ 26,340	\$ 9,617

Net cash provided by operating activities. Net cash provided by operating activities increased by \$2.2 million to \$2.4 million for the six months ended June 30, 2013 compared to \$0.2 million for the six months ended June 30, 2012. The increase was primarily attributable to incremental cash flows from property acquisitions completed during 2013 and 2012 and lower cash interest paid due to the expiration of various interest rate swaps during 2012, partially offset by expenditures toward the completion of our new corporate offices and the payment of bonuses during 2013.

Net cash used in investing activities. Net cash used in investing activities increased by \$36.2 million to \$47.3 million for the six months ended June 30, 2013 compared to \$11.1 million for the six months ended June 30, 2012. The increase is primarily attributable to a net increase of \$65.7 million paid toward acquisitions and construction and development projects for comparable periods, partially offset by \$21.5 million received from property dispositions and \$5.4 million from the Foothill note receivable repayment during the six months ended June 30, 2013, and contributions of \$2.8 million for an investment in a joint venture in 2012.

Net cash provided by financing activities. Net cash provided by financing activities increased by \$16.7 million to \$26.3 million for the six months ended June 30, 2013 compared to \$9.6 million for the six months ended June 30, 2012. The increase is primarily attributable to a net increase in debt of \$29.9 million, partially offset by a \$5.7 million decrease in cash contributions, a \$5.8 million increase in distributions and reimbursements paid to members, and an increase of \$1.5 million of prepaid offering costs.

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Item 3. Quantitative and Qualitative Disclosures about Market Risk

Our future income, cash flows and fair values relevant to financial instruments are dependent upon prevailing market interest rates. Market risk refers to the risk of loss from adverse changes in market prices and interest rates. In the future, we may use derivative financial instruments to manage, or hedge, interest rate risks related to our borrowings, primarily through interest rate swaps.

An interest rate swap is a contractual agreement entered into by two counterparties under which each agrees to make periodic payments to the other for an agreed period of time based on a notional amount of principal. Under the most common form of interest rate swap, known from our perspective as a floating-to-fixed interest rate swap, a series of floating, or variable, rate payments on a notional amount of principal is exchanged for a series of fixed interest rate payments on such notional amount. As of July 31, 2013, none of variable rate debt was hedged with interest rate swaps contracts.

No assurance can be given that any future hedging activities by us will have the desired beneficial effect on our results of operations or financial condition.

The variable rate component of our variable rate consolidated indebtedness is LIBOR-based. Based on our consolidated indebtedness balance as of July 31, 2013, if LIBOR were to increase by 50 basis points, the increase in interest expense on our variable rate debt would decrease our future earnings and cash flows by approximately \$0.6 million annually. If LIBOR were to decrease by 50 basis points, the decrease in interest expense on our variable rate debt would be approximately \$0.2 million annually.

Interest risk amounts are our management's estimates and were determined by considering the effect of hypothetical interest rates on our financial instruments. These analyses do not consider the effect of any change in overall economic activity that could occur in that environment. Further, in the event of a change of that magnitude, we may take actions to further mitigate our exposure to the change. However, due to the uncertainty of the specific actions that would be taken and their possible effects, these analyses assume no changes in our financial structure.

Item 4. Controls and Procedures

We maintain disclosure controls and procedures (as such term is defined in Rule 13a-15(e) and 15d-15(e) under the Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act")) that are designed to ensure that information required to be disclosed in our reports under the Exchange Act is processed, recorded, summarized and reported within the time periods specified in Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC") rules and regulations and that such information is accumulated and communicated to management, including our Co-Chief Executive Officers and Chief Financial Officer, as appropriate, to allow for timely decisions regarding required disclosure. In designing and evaluating the disclosure controls and procedures, management recognizes that any controls and procedures, no matter how well designed and operated, can provide only reasonable assurance of achieving the desired control objectives, and management is required to apply its judgment in evaluating the cost-benefit relationship of possible controls and procedures.

As of June 30, 2013, the end of the period covered by this Report, we carried out an evaluation, under the supervision and with the participation of management, including our Co-Chief Executive Officers and Chief Financial Officer, regarding the effectiveness of our disclosure controls and procedures at the end of the period covered by this Report. Based on the foregoing, our Co-Chief Executive Officers and Chief Financial Officer concluded, as of that time, that our disclosure controls and procedures were effective in ensuring that information required to be disclosed by us in reports filed or submitted under the Exchange Act (i) is processed, recorded, summarized and reported within the time periods specified in the SEC's rules and forms and (ii) is accumulated and communicated to our management, including our Co-Chief Executive Officers and our Chief Financial Officer, as appropriate to allow for timely decisions regarding required disclosure.

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No changes to our internal control over financial reporting were identified in connection with the evaluation referenced above that occurred during the period covered by this report that have materially affected, or are reasonably likely to materially affect, our internal control over financial reporting.

Part II. OTHER INFORMATION

Item 1. Legal Proceedings

From time to time, we are party to various lawsuits, claims and other legal proceedings that arise in the ordinary course of our business. Excluding ordinary routine litigation incidental to our business, we are not currently a party to any legal proceedings that we believe would reasonably be expected to have a material adverse effect on our business, financial condition or results of operations. On August 21, 2013, an investor in one of our predecessor funds sent a purported books and records request under the California Corporations Code seeking information regarding the predecessor fund's manager and members and certain historical tax information.

Item 1A. Risk Factors

There have been no material changes to the risk factors included in the section entitled "Risk Factors" beginning on page 31 in our Prospectus dated July 18, 2013. Please review the Risk Factors in the July 18, 2013 Prospectus which is available at the SEC's website at www.sec.gov.

Item 2. Unregistered Sales of Equity Securities and Use of Proceeds

Unregistered Sales of Equity Securities

On July 24, 2013, in connection with our formation transactions, our IPO and our concurrent private placement we completed the following transactions:

- In our formation transactions, we acquired certain assets of our predecessor in exchange for the assumption or discharge of \$303.3 million in indebtedness, the payment of \$7.1 million in cash, the issuance of 3,697,086 common units of our operating partnership and 4,947,558 shares of our common stock.
- In our private placement we issued a total of 3,358,311 shares of our common stock in exchange for net proceeds of \$47.0 million cash.

Use of Proceeds

On July 24, 2013, we consummated our IPO and issued a total of 16,000,000 shares of our common stock in exchange for net proceeds of \$208.5 million. Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith Incorporated, Well Fargo Securities, LLC, FBR Capital Markets & Co. and J.P. Morgan Securities, LLC acted as representatives of each of the underwriters and joint book-running managers.

On July 24, 2013, in connection with our concurrent private placement, we also issued 3,358,311 shares of our common stock in exchange for net proceeds of \$47.0 million.

On August 21, 2013, we issued a total of 451,972 shares of our common stock pursuant to a partial exercise by the underwriters of the IPO over-allotment option, in exchange for net proceeds of \$5.9 million.

We invested the net proceeds of the IPO in accordance with our investment objectives and strategies, including the repayment of certain indebtedness, as described in the prospectus comprising a part of the Registration Statement referenced above.

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There has been no material change in our planned use of proceeds from our IPO as described in the final prospectus filed with the SEC pursuant to Rule 424(b).

Item 3. Defaults Upon Senior Securities

None.

Item 4. Mine Safety Disclosures

None.

Item 5. Other Information

None.

Item 6. Exhibits

Exhibit

- 1.1* Underwriting Agreement
- 2.1* Contribution Agreement by and among Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P., Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc. and Rexford Industrial Fund I, LLC
- 2.2* Contribution Agreement by and among Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P., Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc. and Rexford Industrial Fund II, LLC
- 2.3* Contribution Agreement by and among Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P., Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc. and Rexford Industrial Fund III, LLC
- 2.4* Contribution Agreement by and among Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P., Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc. and Rexford Industrial Fund IV, LLC
- 2.5* Agreement and Plan of Merger by and among Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc. and Rexford Industrial Fund V REIT, LLC
- 2.6* Agreement and Plan of Merger by and among Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc., Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P., and Rexford Industrial Fund V, LP
- 2.7* Contribution Agreement by and among Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P., Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc. and Allan Ziman, as Special Trustee of the Declaration of Trust of Jeanette Rubin trust, dated August 16, 1978, as amended
- 2.8* Contribution Agreement by and among Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P., Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc. and the Contributors named therein
- 2.9* Contribution Agreement by and among Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P., Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc. and Christopher Baer
- 2.10* Agreement and Plan of Merger by and among Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc., Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P., Rexford Industrial Merger Sub LLC, and Rexford Industrial, LLC
- 2.11* Agreement and Plan of Merger by and among Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc., Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P., Rexford Fund V Manager Merger Sub LLC, and Rexford Fund V Manager LLC
- 2.12* Agreement and Plan of Merger by and among Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc., Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P., Rexford Sponsor V Merger Sub LLC, and Rexford Sponsor V LLC
- 2.13* Representation, Warranty and Indemnity Agreement by and among Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc., Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P., Richard Ziman, Howard Schwimmer and Michael S. Frankel
- 2.14* Indemnity Escrow Agreement, by and among Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc., Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P., Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc., acting in the capacity of escrow agent, Richard Ziman, Howard Schwimmer and Michael S. Frankel
- 3.1 Articles of Amendment and Restatement of Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc. (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 3.1 of Form S-11/A, filed by the registrant on July 15, 2013 (Registration No. 333-188806))
- 3.2 Amended and Restated Bylaws of Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc. (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 3.2 of Form S-11/A, filed by the registrant on July 15, 2013 (Registration No. 333-188806))

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10.1*	Amended and Restated Agreement of Limited Partnership of Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P.
10.2*	Registration Rights Agreement among Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc. and the persons named therein
10.3*†	Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc. and Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P., 2013 Incentive Award Plan
10.4†	Form of Restricted Stock Award Agreement under 2013 Incentive Award Plan (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.4 of Form S-11/A, filed by the registrant on July 15, 2013 (Registration No. 333-188806))
10.5	Form of Indemnification Agreement between Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc. and its directors and officers (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.5 of Form S-11/A, filed by the registrant on July 9, 2013 (Registration No. 333-188806))
10.6*	Tax Matters Agreement by and among Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc., Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P., and each partner set forth in Schedule I, Schedule II and Schedule III thereto
10.7*	Guaranty Agreement by and among the guarantors identified on Exhibit A thereto and Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P. in favor of a to be named lender
10.8*†	Employment Agreement between Michael S. Frankel, Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc. and Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P.
10.9*†	Employment Agreement between Howard Schwimmer, Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc. and Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P.
10.10*†	Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc. Non-Employee Director Compensation Program
10.11*	Credit Agreement among Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P., as Borrower, Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc., as Parent, Bank of America, N.A., as Administrative Agent, Swing Line Lender and L/C Issuer, The Other Lenders Party Thereto, Wells Fargo Bank, National Association and JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A., as Co-Syndication Agents and Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith Incorporated, as Sole Lead Arranger and Sole Bookrunner
10.12*	Term Loan Agreement among RIF I—Don Julian, LLC, RIF I—Lewis Road, LLC, RIF I—Walnut, LLC, RIF I—Oxnard, LLC, RIF II—Kaiser, LLC, RIF III—Irwindale, LLC and Rexford Business Center—Fullerton, LLC, collectively as Borrower, and Bank of America, N.A., as Lender
10.13*	Consent Agreement by and among RIF V—Jersey, LLC, Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc., Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P., and U.S. Bank National Association, as trustee, successor-in-interest to Bank of America, N. A., as trustee, successor by merger to LaSalle Bank, National Association, as trustee for Morgan Stanley Capital I Inc., Commercial Mortgage Pass-Through Certificates, Series 2005-TOP17, as Noteholder, whose master servicer is Wells Fargo Bank, National Association
31.1*	Certification of the Principal Executive Officer pursuant to Section 302 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002
31.2*	Certification of the Principal Executive Officer pursuant to Section 302 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002
31.3*	Certification of the Principal Financial Officer pursuant to Section 302 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002
32.1*	Certification of Principal Executive Officer pursuant to Section 906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002
32.2*	Certification of Principal Executive Officer pursuant to Section 906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002
32.3*	Certification of Principal Financial Officer pursuant to Section 906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002
101.1**	The registrant's Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the quarter ended June 30, 2013, formatted in XBRL (Extensible Business Reporting Language): (i) Combined Balance Sheets, (ii) Combined Statements of Operation, (iii) Combined Statement of Changes in Equity, (iv) Combined Statements of Cash Flows and (v) the Notes to Combined Financial Statements that have been detail tagged

* Filed herein

** To be filed by amendment

† Compensatory plan or arrangement

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 authorized.

September 3, 2013	Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc. <u>/s/ Michael S. Frankel</u> Michael S. Frankel Co-Chief Executive Officer (Principal Executive Officer)
September 3, 2013	<u>/s/ Howard Schwimmer</u> Howard Schwimmer Co-Chief Executive Officer (Principal Executive Officer)
September 3, 2013	<u>/s/ Adeel Khan</u> Adeel Khan Chief Financial Officer (Principal Financial and Accounting Officer)

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, INC.

(a Maryland corporation)

16,000,000 Shares of Common Stock

UNDERWRITING AGREEMENT

Dated: July 18, 2013

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Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith
Incorporated

FBR Capital Markets & Co.

Wells Fargo Securities, LLC

J.P. Morgan Securities LLC

as Representative(s) of the several Underwriters

c/o Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith
Incorporated

One Bryant Park
New York, New York 10036

Ladies and Gentlemen:

Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc., a Maryland corporation (the "Company"), and Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P., a Maryland limited partnership (the "Operating Partnership"), confirm their respective agreements with Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith Incorporated ("Merrill Lynch"), FBR Capital Markets & Co. ("FBR"), Wells Fargo Securities, LLC ("Wells Fargo"), J.P. Morgan Securities LLC ("J.P. Morgan") and each of the other Underwriters named in Schedule A hereto (collectively, the "Underwriters," which term shall also include any underwriter substituted as hereinafter provided in Section 10 hereof), for whom Merrill Lynch, FBR, Wells Fargo and J.P. Morgan are acting as representatives (in such capacity, the "Representatives"), with respect to (i) the sale by the Company and the purchase by the Underwriters, acting severally and not jointly, of the respective numbers of shares of common stock, par value \$0.01 per share, of the Company ("Common Stock") set forth in Schedule A hereto and (ii) the grant by the Company to the Underwriters, acting severally and not jointly, of the option described in Section 2(b) hereof to purchase all or any part of 2,400,000 additional shares of Common Stock. The aforesaid 16,000,000 shares of Common Stock (the "Initial Securities") to be purchased by the Underwriters and all or any part of the 2,400,000 shares of Common Stock subject to the option described in Section 2(b) hereof (the "Option Securities") are herein called, collectively, the "Securities."

The Company understands that the Underwriters propose to make a public offering of the Securities as soon as the Representatives deem advisable after this Agreement has been executed and delivered.

The Company and the Underwriters agree that up to 56,250 shares of the Initial Securities to be purchased by the Underwriters (the "Reserved Securities") shall be reserved for sale by the Underwriters to certain persons designated by the Company (the "Invitees"), as part of the distribution of the Securities by the Underwriters, subject to the terms of this Agreement, the applicable rules, regulations and interpretations of the Financial Industry Regulatory Authority, Inc. ("FINRA") and all other applicable laws, rules and regulations. The Company solely determined, without any direct or indirect participation by the Underwriters, the Invitees who will purchase Reserved Securities (including the amount to be purchased by such persons) sold by the Underwriters. To the extent that such Reserved Securities are not orally confirmed for purchase by the Invitees by 8:00 A.M. (New York City time) on the first business day after the date of this Agreement, such Reserved Securities may be offered to the public as part of the public offering contemplated hereby.

The Company has filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "Commission") a registration statement on Form S-11 (No. 333-188806), including the related preliminary prospectus or prospectuses, covering the registration of the sale of the Securities under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the "1933 Act"). Promptly after execution and delivery of this Agreement, the Company will prepare and file a prospectus in accordance with the provisions of Rule 430A ("Rule 430A") of the rules and regulations of the Commission under the 1933 Act (the "1933 Act Regulations") and Rule 424(b) ("Rule 424(b)") of the 1933 Act Regulations. The information included in such prospectus that was omitted from such registration statement at the time it became effective but that is deemed to be part of such registration statement at the time it became effective pursuant to Rule 430A(b) is herein called the "Rule 430A Information." Such registration statement, including the amendments thereto, the exhibits thereto and any schedules thereto, at the time it became effective, and including the Rule 430A Information, is herein called the "Registration Statement." Any registration statement filed pursuant to Rule 462(b) of the 1933 Act Regulations is herein called the "Rule 462(b) Registration Statement" and, after such filing, the term "Registration Statement" shall include the Rule 462(b) Registration Statement. Each prospectus used prior to the effectiveness of the Registration Statement, and each prospectus that omitted the Rule 430A Information that was used after such effectiveness and prior to the execution and delivery of this Agreement, is herein called a "preliminary prospectus." The final prospectus, in the form first furnished to the Underwriters for use in connection with the offering of the Securities, is herein called the "Prospectus." For purposes of this Agreement, all references to the Registration Statement, any preliminary prospectus, the Prospectus or any amendment or supplement to any of the foregoing shall be deemed to include the copy filed with the Commission pursuant to its Electronic Data Gathering, Analysis and Retrieval system or any successor system ("EDGAR").

As used in this Agreement:

"Applicable Time" means 4:30 P.M., New York City time, on July 18, 2013 or such other time as agreed by the Company and the Representatives.

"General Disclosure Package" means any Issuer General Use Free Writing Prospectuses issued at or prior to the Applicable Time, the most recent preliminary prospectus that is distributed to investors prior to the Applicable Time and the information included on Schedule B-1 hereto, all considered together.

“Issuer Free Writing Prospectus” means any “issuer free writing prospectus,” as defined in Rule 433 of the 1933 Act Regulations (“Rule 433”), including without limitation any “free writing prospectus” (as defined in Rule 405 of the 1933 Act Regulations (“Rule 405”)) relating to the Securities that is (i) required to be filed with the Commission by the Company, (ii) a “road show that is a written communication” within the meaning of Rule 433(d)(8)(i), whether or not required to be filed with the Commission, or (iii) exempt from filing with the Commission pursuant to Rule 433(d)(5)(i) because it contains a description of the Securities or of the offering that does not reflect the final terms, in each case in the form filed or required to be filed with the Commission or, if not required to be filed, in the form retained in the Company’s records pursuant to Rule 433(g).

“Issuer General Use Free Writing Prospectus” means any Issuer Free Writing Prospectus that is intended for general distribution to prospective investors (other than a “*bona fide* electronic road show,” as defined in Rule 433 (the “Bona Fide Electronic Road Show”)), as evidenced by its being specified in Schedule B-2 hereto.

“Issuer Limited Use Free Writing Prospectus” means any Issuer Free Writing Prospectus that is not an Issuer General Use Free Writing Prospectus.

“Testing-the-Waters Communication” means any oral or written communication with potential investors undertaken in reliance on Section 5(d) of the 1933 Act.

“Written Testing-the-Waters Communication” means any Testing-the-Waters Communication that is a written communication within the meaning of Rule 405 under the 1933 Act.

All references in this Agreement to financial statements and schedules and other information which is “contained,” “included” or “stated” in the Registration Statement, any preliminary prospectus or the Prospectus (or other references of like import) shall include all such financial statements and schedules and other information which is incorporated by reference in or otherwise deemed by 1933 Act Regulations to be a part of or included in the Registration Statement, any preliminary prospectus or the Prospectus, as the case may be, prior to the execution and delivery of this Agreement.

At the Closing Time (as defined below), or as soon thereafter as is practicable, the Company, the Operating Partnership and certain of their existing and newly formed subsidiaries will complete or use their reasonable best efforts to complete, as the case may be, a series of transactions described more fully in the Preliminary Prospectus and the Prospectus under the captions “Prospectus Summary—Structure and Formation of Our Company—Formation Transactions,” “Prospectus Summary—Structure and Formation of Our Company—Concurrent Private Placement,” “Management’s Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations—Overview—Formation Transactions,” “Management’s Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operation —Overview—Concurrent Private Placement,” “Certain Relationships and Related Transactions—Concurrent Private Placement,” “Structure and Formation of our Company—Our Formation Transactions and Structure—Formation Transactions” and “Structure and Formation of our Company—Our Formation Transactions and Structure—Concurrent Private Placement” (collectively, the “Formation Transactions”). As part of the Formation Transactions, the Company will, among other things, (1) consolidate the ownership of the properties described in the Prospectus (the “Properties”) under the Company and the Operating Partnership by directly or indirectly acquiring, in a series of transactions, the equity interests in certain predecessor entities of the Company (collectively, the “Predecessor Entities”) and (2) contribute the net proceeds from the offering of the Securities to the Operating Partnership in exchange for common units of partnership interests in the Operating Partnership (the “OP Units”). A list of agreements pursuant to which the Formation Transactions will be completed is set forth on Schedule C hereto (collectively, the “Formation Transaction Documents”).

SECTION 1. Representations and Warranties.

(a) *Representations and Warranties by the Company.* Each of the Company and the Operating Partnership represents and warrants to each Underwriter as of the date hereof, the Applicable Time, the Closing Time and any Date of Delivery (as defined below), and agrees with each Underwriter, as follows:

(i) Registration Statement and Prospectuses. Each of the Registration Statement and any amendment thereto has become effective under the 1933 Act. No stop order suspending the effectiveness of the Registration Statement or any post-effective amendment thereto has been issued under the 1933 Act, no order preventing or suspending the use of any preliminary prospectus or the Prospectus has been issued and no proceedings for any of those purposes have been instituted or are pending or, to the Company's knowledge, contemplated. The Company has complied with each request (if any) from the Commission for additional information.

Each of the Registration Statement and any post-effective amendment thereto, at the time it became effective, complied in all material respects with the requirements of the 1933 Act and the 1933 Act Regulations. Each preliminary prospectus, the Prospectus and any amendment or supplement thereto, at the time each was filed with the Commission, complied in all material respects with the requirements of the 1933 Act and the 1933 Act Regulations. Each preliminary prospectus delivered to the Underwriters for use in connection with this offering and the Prospectus was or will be identical to the electronically transmitted copies thereof filed with the Commission pursuant to EDGAR, except to the extent permitted by Regulation S-T.

(ii) Accurate Disclosure. Neither the Registration Statement nor any amendment thereto, at its effective time, at the Closing Time or at any Date of Delivery, contained, contains or will contain an untrue statement of a material fact or omitted, omits or will omit to state a material fact required to be stated therein or necessary to make the statements therein not misleading. As of the Applicable Time, none of (A) the General Disclosure Package, (B) any individual Issuer Limited Use Free Writing Prospectus, when considered together with the General Disclosure Package and (C) any individual Written Testing-the-Waters Communication, when considered together with the General Disclosure Package, included, includes or will include an untrue statement of a material fact or omitted, omits or will omit to state a material fact necessary in order to make the statements therein, in the light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading. Neither the Prospectus nor any amendment or supplement thereto (including any prospectus wrapper), as of its issue date, at the time of any filing with the Commission pursuant to Rule 424(b), at the Closing Time or at any Date of Delivery, included, includes or will include an untrue statement of a material fact or omitted, omits or will omit to state a material fact necessary in order to make the statements therein, in the light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading.

The representations and warranties in this subsection shall not apply to statements in or omissions from the Registration Statement (or any amendment thereto), the General Disclosure Package or the Prospectus (or any amendment or supplement thereto) made in reliance upon and in conformity with written information furnished to the Company by any Underwriter through the Representatives expressly for use therein. For purposes of this Agreement, the only information so furnished shall be the information contained in the first sentence of the fifth paragraph (regarding selling concessions), the first sentence of the twelfth paragraph (regarding present intent to release shares subject to lock-up agreements), the sixteenth paragraph (regarding sales to

accounts over which the Underwriters exercise discretionary authority), the eighteenth paragraph (regarding short sales and stabilizing transactions) and the nineteenth paragraph (regarding penalty bids), each under the heading “Underwriting” contained in the Prospectus (collectively, the “Underwriter Information”).

(iii) Issuer Free Writing Prospectuses. No Issuer Free Writing Prospectus conflicts or will conflict with the information contained in the Registration Statement or the Prospectus, and any preliminary or other prospectus deemed to be a part thereof that has not been superseded or modified. The Company has made available a Bona Fide Electronic Road Show in compliance with Rule 433(d)(8)(ii) such that no filing of any “road show” (as defined in Rule 433(h)) is required in connection with the offering of the Securities.

(iv) Testing-the-Waters Materials. The Company (A) has not engaged in any Testing-the-Waters Communications other than Testing-the-Waters Communications with the consent of the Representatives with entities that are “qualified institutional buyers” within the meaning of Rule 144A under the 1933 Act or institutions that are “accredited investors” within the meaning of Rule 501 under the 1933 Act and (B) has not authorized anyone other than the Representatives to engage in Testing-the-Waters Communications. The Company reconfirms that the Representatives have been authorized to act on its behalf in undertaking Testing-the-Waters Communications. The Company has not distributed any Written Testing-the-Waters Communications.

(v) Company Not Ineligible Issuer. At the time of filing the Registration Statement and any post-effective amendment thereto, at the earliest time thereafter that the Company or another offering participant made a *bona fide* offer (within the meaning of Rule 164(h)(2) of the 1933 Act Regulations) of the Securities and at the date hereof, the Company was not and is not an “ineligible issuer,” as defined in Rule 405, without taking account of any determination by the Commission pursuant to Rule 405 that it is not necessary that the Company be considered an ineligible issuer.

(vi) Emerging Growth Company Status. From the time of the initial confidential submission of the Registration Statement to the Commission through the date hereof, the Company has been and is an “emerging growth company,” as defined in Section 2(a) of the Securities Act (an “Emerging Growth Company”).

(vii) Independent Accountants. Ernst & Young LLP, who certified the financial statements and supporting schedules included in the Registration Statement, the General Disclosure Package and the Prospectus, are independent public accountants as required by the 1933 Act, the 1933 Act Regulations and the Public Accounting Oversight Board.

(viii) Financial Statements; Non-GAAP Financial Measures. The financial statements included in the Registration Statement, the General Disclosure Package and the Prospectus, together with the related schedules and notes, present fairly in all material respects: (1) the financial position of the Company and the Operating Partnership on a consolidated basis at the date indicated and (2) the financial position of the Predecessor Entities on a combined basis at the dates indicated and the statements of operations, equity (deficit) and cash flows of the Predecessor Entities for the periods specified; said financial statements have been prepared in conformity with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles (“GAAP”) applied on a consistent basis throughout the periods involved. The supporting schedules, if any, present fairly in all material respects in accordance with GAAP the information required to be stated therein. The selected financial data and the summary financial information included in the Registration

Statement, the General Disclosure Package and the Prospectus present fairly in all material respects the information shown therein and have been compiled on a basis consistent with that of the audited financial statements included therein. The pro forma financial statements and the related notes thereto included in the Registration Statement, the General Disclosure Package and the Prospectus present fairly in all material respects the information shown therein, have been prepared in accordance with the Commission's rules and guidelines with respect to pro forma financial statements and have been properly compiled on the bases described therein, and the assumptions used in the preparation thereof are reasonable and the adjustments used therein are appropriate to give effect to the transactions and circumstances referred to therein. The pro forma financial statements in the Registration Statement comply as to form with the applicable requirements of Regulation S-X of the 1933 Act. No other financial statements or supporting schedules of the Company or any of its subsidiaries are required to be included in the Registration Statement, the General Disclosure Package or the Prospectus under the 1933 Act or the 1933 Act Regulations. All disclosures contained in the Registration Statement, the General Disclosure Package or the Prospectus regarding "non-GAAP financial measures" (as such term is defined by the rules and regulations of the Commission) comply in all material respects with Regulation G of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "1934 Act") and Item 10 of Regulation S-K of the 1933 Act, to the extent applicable. The interactive data in eXtensible Business Reporting Language incorporated by reference in the Registration Statement, the General Disclosure Package and the Prospectus, if any, fairly presents the information called for in all material respects and has been prepared in accordance with the Commission's rules and guidelines applicable thereto.

(ix) No Material Adverse Change in Business. Except as otherwise stated therein, since the respective dates as of which information is given in the Registration Statement, the General Disclosure Package or the Prospectus, (A) there has been no material adverse change in the condition, financial or otherwise, or in the earnings, business affairs or business prospects of the Company, the Operating Partnership, their respective subsidiaries and the Predecessor Entities (and their subsidiaries) considered as one enterprise (including all of the Properties), whether or not arising in the ordinary course of business (a "Material Adverse Effect"), (B) there have been no transactions entered into by the Company or any of its subsidiaries or any Predecessor Entity (or subsidiary thereof), other than those in the ordinary course of business, which are material with respect to such entities considered as one enterprise or incurred any liability or obligation, direct or contingent, that is material to such entities considered as one enterprise, and (C) there has been no dividend or other distribution of any kind declared, paid or made by the Company or any of its subsidiaries or, except as permitted by the Formation Transaction Documents, any Predecessor Entity (or subsidiary thereof) on any class of the capital stock or other equity interest of such entity.

(x) Good Standing of the Company. The Company has been duly organized and is validly existing as a corporation in good standing under the laws of the State of Maryland and has corporate power and authority to own, lease and operate its properties and to conduct its business as described in the Registration Statement, the General Disclosure Package and the Prospectus and to enter into and perform its obligations under this Agreement and the Formation Transaction Documents, to the extent it is a party to such agreements, and, as the sole general partner of the Operating Partnership, to cause the Operating Partnership to enter into and perform the Operating Partnership's obligations under this Agreement and the Formation Transaction Documents, to the extent the Operating Partnership is a party to such agreements; and the Company is duly qualified as a foreign corporation to transact business and is in good standing in each other jurisdiction in which such qualification is required, whether by reason of the ownership or leasing of property or the conduct of business, except where the failure so to qualify or to be in good standing would not result in a Material Adverse Effect.

(xi) Good Standing of the Operating Partnership: Partnership Agreement. The Operating Partnership has been duly formed and is validly existing as a limited partnership in good standing under the laws of the State of Maryland and has partnership power and authority to own or lease, as the case may be, and to operate its properties and to conduct its business as described in the General Disclosure Package and the Prospectus and to enter into and perform its obligations under this Agreement and the Formation Transaction Documents, to the extent it is a party to such agreements; and the Operating Partnership is duly qualified as a foreign partnership to transact business and is in good standing in each other jurisdiction in which such qualification is required, whether by reason of the ownership or leasing of property or the conduct of business, except where the failure so to qualify or to be in good standing would not result in a Material Adverse Effect. The Company is the sole general partner of the Operating Partnership. The aggregate percentage interests of the Company and the limited partners in the Operating Partnership at the Closing Time, after giving effect to the Formation Transactions, will be as set forth in the Prospectus; provided, that to the extent that any portion of the option to purchase additional shares described in Section 2(b) hereof is exercised at the Closing Time, the percentage interest of the Company and of such limited partners in the Operating Partnership will be adjusted accordingly. The Amended and Restated Partnership Agreement of the Operating Partnership has been duly and validly authorized, executed and delivered by or on behalf of the partners of the Operating Partnership and constitutes a valid and binding agreement of the parties thereto, enforceable in accordance with its terms, except to the extent that such enforceability may be limited by applicable bankruptcy, insolvency, fraudulent conveyance, reorganization, moratorium and other similar laws relating to or affecting creditors' rights and remedies generally, and subject, as to enforceability, to general principles of equity and, with respect to rights to indemnity and contribution thereunder, except as rights may be limited by applicable law or policies underlying such law.

(xii) Good Standing of Subsidiaries. Each "significant subsidiary" of the Company (as such term is defined in Rule 1-02 of Regulation S-X) (each a "Subsidiary" and, collectively the "Subsidiaries") has been duly organized and is validly existing in good standing under the laws of the jurisdiction of its incorporation or organization, has corporate or similar power and authority to own, lease and operate its properties and to conduct its business as described in the Registration Statement, the General Disclosure Package and the Prospectus and is duly qualified to transact business and is in good standing in each jurisdiction in which such qualification is required, whether by reason of the ownership or leasing of property or the conduct of business, except where the failure to so qualify or to be in good standing would not result in a Material Adverse Effect. Except as otherwise disclosed in the Registration Statement, the General Disclosure Package and the Prospectus, all of the issued and outstanding capital stock or other ownership interests of each Subsidiary has been duly authorized and validly issued, is (as applicable) fully paid and non-assessable and is, or upon consummation of the Formation Transactions will be, owned by the Company, directly or through subsidiaries, free and clear of any security interest, mortgage, pledge, lien, encumbrance, claim or equity. None of the outstanding shares of capital stock or other ownership interests of any Subsidiary was issued in violation of the preemptive or similar rights of any securityholder of such Subsidiary. The Company does not, and will not upon consummation of the Formation Transactions, own or control, directly or indirectly, any corporation, association or other entity that is or will be a Subsidiary other than the entities listed on Exhibit 21 to the Registration Statement.

(xiii) Capitalization. The authorized, issued and outstanding shares of capital stock of the Company are as set forth in the Registration Statement, the General Disclosure Package and the Prospectus under the caption “Capitalization” (except for subsequent issuances, if any, pursuant to this Agreement, pursuant to reservations, agreements or employee benefit plans referred to in the Registration Statement, the General Disclosure Package and the Prospectus or pursuant to the exercise, redemption, or exchange of convertible or exchangeable securities, options or warrants referred to in the Registration Statement, the General Disclosure Package and the Prospectus, including OP Units). The issued and outstanding shares of capital stock of the Company, have been duly authorized and validly issued and are fully paid and non-assessable. None of the outstanding shares of capital stock of the Company was issued in violation of the preemptive or other similar rights of any securityholder of the Company. The OP Units to be issued in the Formation Transactions have been duly authorized for issuance by the Operating Partnership to the holders thereof and, at the Closing Time, will be validly issued and fully paid. Other than the OP Units to be issued in the Formation Transactions, there are no other OP Units outstanding. All securities issued in connection with the Formation Transactions were, are or will be issued pursuant to an exemption from registration or qualification under the 1933 Act and applicable state securities laws. None of such OP Units were issued in violation of the preemptive or other similar rights of any securityholder of the Operating Partnership or any other person or entity. Except as set forth in the General Disclosure Package and the Prospectus, there are no outstanding options, warrants or other rights to purchase, agreements or other obligations to issue, or rights to convert any obligations into or exchange any securities or interests for shares of the Company’s or its subsidiaries’ capital stock, including OP Units or other ownership interests of the Operating Partnership.

(xiv) Authorization of Agreement. This Agreement has been duly authorized, executed and delivered by the Company and the Operating Partnership.

(xv) Formation Transactions. The Company and its subsidiaries and the Predecessor Entities, in each case, to the extent that each such entity is a party thereto, have the legal right and power to enter into each of the Formation Transaction Documents. The Company and its subsidiaries and the Predecessor Entities, in each case, to the extent that each such entity is a party thereto, have duly authorized, executed and delivered, or will execute and deliver prior to or concurrent with the Closing Time, each of the Formation Transaction Documents. Each Formation Transaction Document has been filed as an exhibit to the Registration Statement (to the extent that it is required to be so filed) and each of the Formation Transaction Documents constitutes a legally valid and binding obligation of the Company and its subsidiaries and the Predecessor Entities, in each case, to the extent that it is a party thereto, enforceable against each of them that is a party thereto in accordance with its terms, except to the extent that such enforceability may be limited by applicable bankruptcy, insolvency, fraudulent conveyance, reorganization, moratorium and other similar laws relating to or affecting creditors’ rights and remedies generally, and subject, as to enforceability, to general principles of equity and, with respect to rights to indemnity and contribution thereunder, except as rights may be limited by applicable law or policies underlying such law.

(xvi) Authorization and Description of Securities. The Securities to be purchased by the Underwriters from the Company have been duly authorized for issuance and sale to the Underwriters pursuant to this Agreement and, when issued and delivered by the Company pursuant to this Agreement against payment of the consideration set forth herein, will be validly issued and fully paid and non-assessable; and the issuance of the Securities is not subject to the preemptive, resale rights, rights of first refusal or other similar rights of any securityholder of the Company. The Common Stock conforms in all material respects to all statements relating thereto contained in the Registration Statement, the General Disclosure Package and the Prospectus and

such description conforms to the rights set forth in the instruments defining the same. No holder of Securities will be subject to personal liability solely by reason of being such a holder. The certificates to be used to represent any certified shares of Common Stock will be in substantially the form filed as an exhibit to the Registration Statement and will, at the Closing Time and on each Date of Delivery (if any) be substantially in such form.

(xvii) Registration Rights. There are no persons with registration rights or other similar rights to have any securities registered for sale pursuant to the Registration Statement or otherwise registered for sale or sold by the Company under the 1933 Act pursuant to this Agreement, other than those rights that have been disclosed in the Registration Statement, the General Disclosure Package and the Prospectus.

(xviii) Absence of Violations, Defaults and Conflicts. Neither the Company nor any of its subsidiaries is (A) in violation of its charter, bylaws or similar organizational document, (B) in default in the performance or observance of any obligation, agreement, covenant or condition contained in any contract, indenture, mortgage, deed of trust, loan or credit agreement, note, lease or other agreement or instrument to which the Company or any of its subsidiaries is a party or by which it or any of them may be bound or to which any of the properties or assets of the Company or any subsidiary is subject (collectively, "Agreements and Instruments"), except for such defaults that would not, singly or in the aggregate, result in a Material Adverse Effect, or (C) in violation of any law, statute, rule, regulation, judgment, order, writ or decree of any arbitrator, court, governmental body, regulatory body, administrative agency or other authority, body or agency having jurisdiction over the Company or any of its subsidiaries or any of their respective properties, assets or operations (each, a "Governmental Entity"), except for such violations that would not, singly or in the aggregate, result in a Material Adverse Effect. The execution, delivery and performance of this Agreement and the Formation Transaction Documents and the consummation of the transactions contemplated herein, therein and in the Registration Statement, the General Disclosure Package and the Prospectus (including the issuance and sale of the Securities and the use of the proceeds from the sale of the Securities as described therein under the caption "Use of Proceeds") and compliance by the Company and the Operating Partnership with their respective obligations hereunder and under the Formation Transactions Documents have been duly authorized by all necessary corporate action and do not and will not, whether with or without the giving of notice or passage of time or both, conflict with or constitute a breach of, or default or Repayment Event (as defined below) under, or result in the creation or imposition of any lien, charge or encumbrance upon any properties or assets of the Company or any subsidiary pursuant to, the Agreements and Instruments (except for such conflicts, breaches, defaults or Repayment Events or liens, charges or encumbrances as are described in or contemplated by the Prospectus or that would not, singly or in the aggregate, result in a Material Adverse Effect), nor will such action result in any violation of the provisions of the charter, bylaws or similar organizational document of the Company or any of its subsidiaries or any law, statute, rule, regulation, judgment, order, writ or decree of any Governmental Entity, except, in the case of violations of law, statute, rule, regulation, judgment, order, writ or decree, for such violations that would not result in a Material Adverse Effect. As used herein, a "Repayment Event" means any event or condition which gives the holder of any note, debenture or other evidence of indebtedness (or any person acting on such holder's behalf) the right to require the repurchase, redemption or repayment of all or a portion of such indebtedness by the Company or any of its subsidiaries.

(xix) Absence of Labor Dispute. No labor dispute with the employees of the Company or any of its subsidiaries exists or, to the knowledge of the Company, is imminent, and the Company is not aware of any existing or imminent labor disturbance by the employees of any of

its or any subsidiary's principal suppliers, manufacturers, customers or contractors, which, in any case, would result in a Material Adverse Effect. Except as listed on Schedule E to the Company's knowledge, no officer or other key person of the Company, is subject to any noncompete, nondisclosure, confidentiality, employment, consulting or similar agreement that would be violated by the present or proposed business activities of the Company or the Operating Partnership as described in the Registration Statement, the General Disclosure Package and the Prospectus.

(xx) Employee Benefits. (i) The Company and each of its subsidiaries or their "ERISA Affiliates" (as defined below) are in compliance in all respects with all applicable provisions of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974, as amended, including the regulations and published interpretations thereunder ("ERISA"); (ii) no "reportable event" (as defined in ERISA) has occurred with respect to any "employee benefit plan" (as defined in ERISA) for which the Company or any of its subsidiaries or ERISA Affiliates has any liability, whether actual or contingent, excluding any reportable event for which the notice requirements have been waived; (iii) the Company and each of its subsidiaries or their ERISA Affiliates have not incurred and do not reasonably expect to incur liability under Title IV of ERISA, including with respect to termination of, or withdrawal from, any "employee benefit plan"; and (iv) each "employee benefit plan" maintained or contributed to by the Company and each of its subsidiaries that is intended to be qualified under Section 401(a) of the U.S. Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, and the regulations and published interpretations thereunder (collectively the "Code") is the subject of a favorable determination or opinion letter from the Internal Revenue Service to the effect that it is so qualified and, to the knowledge of the Company, nothing has occurred, whether by action or by failure to act, which would cause the loss of such qualification; except, in the cases of (i), (ii), and (iii), as would not reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect. "ERISA Affiliate" means, with respect to the Company or any of its subsidiaries, any member of any group of organizations described in Sections 414(b), (c) or (m) of the Code or Section 4001(b)(1) of ERISA of which the Company or such subsidiary is a member.

(xxi) Absence of Proceedings. There is no action, suit, proceeding, inquiry or investigation before or brought by any Governmental Entity now pending or, to the knowledge of the Company, threatened against the Company or any subsidiary or Predecessor Entity (or subsidiary thereof), which is required to be disclosed in the Registration Statement, or which would reasonably be expected to result in a Material Adverse Effect, or would reasonably be expected to materially and adversely affect their respective properties or assets or the consummation of the transactions contemplated in this Agreement, the Formation Transaction Documents or the performance by the Company and its subsidiaries of their obligations hereunder or thereunder; and the aggregate of all pending legal or governmental proceedings to which the Company or any subsidiary or Predecessor Entity (or subsidiary thereof) is a party or of which any of their respective properties or assets is the subject which are not described in the Registration Statement, the General Disclosure Package and the Prospectus, including ordinary routine litigation incidental to the business, would not reasonably be expected to result in a Material Adverse Effect.

(xxii) Accuracy of Descriptions. The statements in the Registration Statement, the General Disclosure Package and the Prospectus under the headings "Prospectus Summary—Structure and Formation of Our Company," "Prospectus Summary—Benefits of the Formation Transactions to Related Parties," "Prospectus Summary—Conflicts of Interest," "Prospectus Summary—Emerging Growth Company," "Risk Factors—Risks Relating to Our Organizational Structure and Our Formation Transactions," "Risk Factors Risks Relating to Our Organizational Structure and Our Formation Transactions Risks Relating to Our Status as a REIT," "Certain

Relationships and Related Transactions,” “Structure and Formation of Our Company,” “Description of Stock,” “Material Provisions of Maryland Law and of Our Charter and Bylaws,” “Description of the Partnership Agreement of Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P.” and “U.S. Federal Income Tax Considerations”, insofar as such statements summarize legal matters, agreements, documents, proceedings or affiliate transactions discussed therein, are accurate and fair summaries of such legal matters, agreements, documents, proceedings or affiliate transactions in all material respects.

(xxiii) Accuracy of Exhibits. There are no contracts or documents which are required to be described in the Registration Statement, the General Disclosure Package or the Prospectus or to be filed as exhibits to the Registration Statement which have not been so described and filed as required.

(xxiv) Absence of Further Requirements. No filing with, or authorization, approval, consent, license, order, registration, qualification or decree of, any Governmental Entity is necessary or required for the performance by the Company or any subsidiary or Predecessor Entity of its obligations hereunder, in connection with its offering, issuance or sale of the Securities hereunder or its consummation of the transactions contemplated by this Agreement or the Formation Transaction Documents, as applicable, except (A) such as have been already obtained or as may be required under the 1933 Act, the 1933 Act Regulations, the rules of the New York Stock Exchange (“NYSE”), state securities laws or the rules of FINRA and (B) such as have been obtained under the laws and regulations of jurisdictions outside the United States in which the Reserved Securities were offered.

(xxv) Possession of Licenses and Permits. The Company and its subsidiaries possess such permits, licenses, approvals, consents and other authorizations (collectively, “Governmental Licenses”) issued by the appropriate Governmental Entities necessary to conduct the business now operated by them, except where the failure so to possess would not, singly or in the aggregate, result in a Material Adverse Effect. The Company and its subsidiaries are in compliance with the terms and conditions of all Governmental Licenses, except where the failure so to comply would not, singly or in the aggregate, result in a Material Adverse Effect. All of the Governmental Licenses are valid and in full force and effect, except when the invalidity of such Governmental Licenses or the failure of such Governmental Licenses to be in full force and effect would not, singly or in the aggregate, result in a Material Adverse Effect. Neither the Company nor any subsidiary, or Predecessor Entity (or subsidiary thereof) has received any notice of proceedings relating to the revocation or modification of any Governmental Licenses which, singly or in the aggregate, if the subject of an unfavorable decision, ruling or finding, would result in a Material Adverse Effect.

(xxvi) Title to Personal Property. Each of the Company and its subsidiaries and the Predecessor Entities (and subsidiaries thereof) have good and marketable title to, or have valid and marketable rights to lease or otherwise use, all items of personal property, in each case free and clear of all liens, encumbrances, claims and defects and imperfections of title except those that (i) do not materially interfere with the use made and proposed to be made of such property by the Company and its subsidiaries and the Predecessor Entities (and subsidiaries thereof) or (ii) could not reasonably be expected, individually or in the aggregate, to have a Material Adverse Effect.

(xxvii) Real Property. (i) Upon consummation of the Formation Transactions, the Company and its subsidiaries will have good and marketable fee simple title (or in the case of ground leases, a valid leasehold interest) to all real property owned by them and the

improvements (exclusive of improvements owned by tenants or by landlords, if applicable) located thereon, in each case, free and clear of all mortgages, pledges, liens, security interests, claims, restrictions or encumbrances of any kind except such as (A) are described in the Registration Statement, the General Disclosure Package and the Prospectus or (B) will not, singly or in the aggregate, materially affect the value of such property and do not interfere in any material respect with the use made and proposed to be made of such property by the Company or any of its subsidiaries; (ii) all of the leases and subleases material to the business of the Company and its subsidiaries and the Predecessor Entities, considered as one enterprise, and under which the Company or any of its subsidiaries, upon consummation of the Formation Transactions, will hold Properties described in the Registration Statement, the General Disclosure Package and the Prospectus, are in full force and effect, and neither the Company nor any subsidiary or Predecessor Entity (or subsidiary thereof) has any notice of any material claim of any sort that has been asserted by anyone adverse to the rights of the Company or any subsidiary or Predecessor Entity (or subsidiary thereof) under any of the leases or subleases mentioned above, or affecting or questioning the rights of the Company or such subsidiary or Predecessor Entity (or subsidiary thereof) to the continued possession of the leased or subleased premises under any such lease or sublease; (iii) except as otherwise set forth in or described in the Registration Statement, the General Disclosure Package and the Prospectus, the mortgages and deeds of trust encumbering the Properties are not convertible into debt or equity securities of the entity owning such Property or of the Company or any of its subsidiaries or any Predecessor Entity (or subsidiary thereof), and such mortgages and deeds of trust, upon consummation of the Formation Transactions and application of the proceeds of the offering contemplated by this Agreement, will not be cross-defaulted or cross-collateralized to any property not owned, or to be owned upon consummation of the Formation Transactions, directly or indirectly, in whole or in part, by the Company or its subsidiaries; (iv) to the knowledge of the Company and its subsidiaries and the Predecessor Entities (or subsidiaries thereof), none of the tenants under any lease of space at any of the Properties that, singly or in the aggregate, is material to the Company and its subsidiaries and the Predecessor Entities considered as one enterprise is the subject of bankruptcy, reorganization or similar proceedings; (v) none of the Company or any of its subsidiaries or any Predecessor Entity (or subsidiary thereof) has received from any Governmental Entities any written notice of any condemnation or zoning change affecting the Properties or any part thereof, and none of the Company or any of its subsidiaries or any Predecessor Entity (or subsidiary thereof) knows of any such condemnation or zoning change which is threatened and, in each case, which if consummated would reasonably be expected to materially affect the value of such Property or interfere in any material respect with the use made or proposed to be made of such Property by the Company or any of its subsidiaries or any Predecessor Entity (or subsidiary thereof); (vi) each of the Properties complies with all applicable codes, ordinances, laws and regulations (including without limitation, building and zoning codes, laws and regulations and laws relating to access to the Properties), except for failures to the extent disclosed in the Registration Statement, the General Disclosure Package and the Prospectus and except for such failures to comply that would not individually or in the aggregate reasonably be expected to materially affect the value of such Property or interfere in any material respect with the use made or proposed to be made of such Property by the Company or any of its subsidiaries; (vii) neither the Company nor any subsidiary or Predecessor Entity (or subsidiary thereof) has received written notice of proposed material special assessment or any proposed change in any property tax, zoning or land use law or availability of water affecting any Property that would materially affect the value of such Property or interfere in any material respect with the use made or proposed to be made of such Property by the Company or any of its subsidiaries or any Predecessor Entity (or subsidiary thereof); (viii) there are no subleases with respect to any Property or portion thereof; (ix) the Company or one or more of its subsidiaries or one or more of the Predecessor Entities or one or

more of their subsidiaries has obtained, on or prior to the date hereof, one or more title insurance policies on, whether directly or through assignment or endorsements, or a so-called "fairway-endorsement" on existing title policies covering, the fee interests (or leasehold interests as the case may be) from a nationally recognized title insurance company, or, if such title insurance policy has not yet been issued, a binding commitment by such title insurance company to issue such a policy, in any event covering each Property, with coverage in an amount at least equal to 80% to the cost of acquisition of such Property (including the principal amount of any indebtedness assumed in connection with such acquisition) by the Company or its subsidiary or a Predecessor Entity or its subsidiary in which title to such property is vested, including the principal amount of any indebtedness assumed with respect to the Property, and such title insurance policies, fairway endorsements or binding commitments, as the case may be, are in full force and effect; (x) except as would not individually or in the aggregate materially affect the value of such property or interfere in any material respect with the use made and proposed to be made of such property by the Company or any of its subsidiaries, (a) there are no encroachments upon any Property by improvements on an adjacent property, and (b) none of the improvements on any Property encroach on any adjacent property, streets or alleys; (xi) except as set forth in the Registration Statement, the General Disclosure Package and the Prospectus, neither the Company nor any of its subsidiaries is party to any material Lease that is required to be disclosed in the Registration Statement or the Prospectus; (xii) except as set forth in the Registration Statement, the General Disclosure Package and the Prospectus, neither the Company nor any of its subsidiaries holds any Property under a ground lease, and true and complete copies of each ground lease described in the Registration Statement, the General Disclosure Package and the Prospectus have been provided to the Underwriters or their counsel; (xiii) all real property owned or leased by the Company or a Subsidiary is free of material structural defects and all building systems contained therein are in good working order in all material respects, subject to ordinary wear and tear or, in each instance, the Company has created an adequate reserve to effect reasonably required repairs, maintenance and capital expenditures; to the knowledge of the Company and the Operating Partnership, water, storm water, sanitary sewer, electricity and telephone service are all available at the property lines of such property over duly dedicated streets or perpetual easements of record benefiting such property; except as described in the General Disclosure Package and the Prospectus, to the knowledge of the Company and the Operating Partnership, there is no pending or threatened special assessment, tax reduction proceeding or other action that, individually or in the aggregate, could reasonably be expected to increase or decrease the real property taxes or assessments of any of such property, that, individually or in the aggregate, could reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect; and (xv) to the knowledge of the Company and the Operating Partnership, except as set forth in or described in the Registration Statement, the General Disclosure Package and the Prospectus or reflected in the pro forma financial statements, and, with respect to (A) through (G) below, except as would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected have a Material Adverse Effect: (A) no rentals or other amounts due under any lease have been paid more than one (1) month in advance; (B) no tenant has asserted in writing any defense or set-off against the payment of rent in connection with any lease nor has any tenant contested any tax, operating cost or other escalation payment or occupancy charge, or any other amounts payable under its leases; (C) all tenants, licensees, franchisees or other parties under any lease, exhibit, schedule, amendment or other document related to the lease of space at the Properties (the "Leases") are in possession of their respective premises; (D) none of the Leases has been assigned, mortgaged, pledged, sublet, hypothecated or otherwise encumbered, except in connection with secured debt described in the Registration Statement, the General Disclosure Package and the Prospectus; (E) none of the Company or any of its subsidiaries or Predecessor Entities (or subsidiary thereof) has waived any material provision under any of the Leases; (F) there are no uncured events of default,

or events that with the giving of notice or passage of time, or both, would constitute an event of default, by any tenant under any of the terms and provisions of the Leases; and (G) no tenant under any of the Leases and no third party has a right of first refusal or other right to purchase the premises demised under such Lease.

(xxviii) Possession of Intellectual Property. The Company and its subsidiaries own or possess, or can acquire on reasonable terms, adequate patents, patent rights, licenses, inventions, copyrights, know-how (including trade secrets and other unpatented and/or unpatentable proprietary or confidential information, systems or procedures), trademarks, service marks, trade names or other intellectual property (collectively, "Intellectual Property") reasonably necessary to carry on the business now operated or proposed to be operated by them, and neither the Company nor any of its subsidiaries nor any Predecessor Entity (or subsidiaries thereof) has received any notice or is otherwise aware of any infringement of or conflict with asserted rights of others with respect to any Intellectual Property or of any facts or circumstances which would render any Intellectual Property invalid or inadequate to protect the interest of the Company or any subsidiary or Predecessor Entity (or subsidiaries thereof) therein, and which infringement or conflict (if the subject of any unfavorable decision, ruling or finding) or invalidity or inadequacy, singly or in the aggregate, would reasonably be expected to result in a Material Adverse Effect.

(xxix) No Acquisitions or Dispositions. (i) There are no contracts, letters of intent, term sheets, agreements, arrangements or understandings with respect to the direct or indirect acquisition or disposition by any of the Company or its subsidiaries or Predecessor Entities (or subsidiary thereof) of interests in assets or real property that are required to be described in the Registration Statement, the General Disclosure Package and the Prospectus that are not so described; and (ii) except as described in the Registration Statement and the Prospectus, neither the Company nor any of its subsidiaries or Predecessor Entities (or subsidiary thereof) has sold any real property to a third party during the immediately preceding twelve (12) calendar months, except for such sales as would not reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect.

(xxx) Mortgages; Deeds of Trust. The Company has provided to the Representatives true and complete copies of all credit agreements, mortgages, deeds of trust, guaranties, side letters, and other material documents evidencing, securing or otherwise relating to any secured or unsecured indebtedness of the Company or any of its subsidiaries and all material documents evidencing, securing or otherwise relating to any secured or unsecured indebtedness of the Predecessor Entities (or subsidiary thereof), and none of the Company, its subsidiaries and the Predecessor Entities (and their subsidiaries) that is party to any such document is in default thereunder, nor has an event occurred which with the passage of time or the giving of notice, or both, would become a default by any of them under any such document.

(xxxi) Environmental Laws. Except as described in the Registration Statement, the General Disclosure Package and the Prospectus or would not, singly or in the aggregate, be expected to result in a Material Adverse Effect, (A) neither the Company nor any of its subsidiaries nor any Predecessor Entity (or subsidiary thereof) is in violation of any binding federal, state, local or foreign statute, law, rule, regulation, ordinance, code, policy or rule of common law, including any binding judicial or administrative order, consent, decree or judgment, relating to pollution or protection of human health, the environment (including, without limitation, ambient air, surface water, groundwater, land surface or subsurface strata) or wildlife, including, without limitation, laws and regulations relating to the release or threatened release of chemicals, pollutants, contaminants, wastes, toxic substances, hazardous substances, petroleum or petroleum products, asbestos-containing materials, mold or any hazardous materials as defined by or regulated under any Environmental Laws, as defined below (collectively, "Hazardous

Materials”) or to the manufacture, processing, distribution, use, treatment, storage, disposal, transport or handling of Hazardous Materials (collectively, “Environmental Laws”), (B) the Company and its subsidiaries have all permits, authorizations and approvals required under any applicable Environmental Laws and are each in compliance with their requirements, and (C) there are no pending administrative, regulatory or judicial actions, suits, demands, demand letters, claims, liens, notices of noncompliance or violation, investigation or proceedings, including any action, suit or proceeding by any private party, relating to any Environmental Law against the Company or any of its subsidiaries or any Predecessor Entity (or subsidiary thereof), and none are threatened in writing, and (D) there are no events or circumstances that would reasonably be expected to form the basis of an order for clean-up or remediation, or an action, suit or proceeding by any private party or Governmental Entity, against or affecting the Company or any of its subsidiaries or any Predecessor Entity (or subsidiary thereof) relating to Hazardous Materials or any Environmental Laws. Except as otherwise set forth in the Registration Statement, the General Disclosure Package and the Prospectus, and except as would not individually or in the aggregate reasonably be expected to result in a Material Adverse Effect, there have been no and are no (i) aboveground or underground storage tanks; (ii) polychlorinated biphenyls (“PCBs”) or PCB-containing equipment; (iii) asbestos or asbestos containing materials; (iv) lead based paints; (v) mold or other airborne contaminants; or (vi) dry-cleaning facilities in, on, under, or about any Property owned, or to be owned upon consummation of the Formation Transactions, directly or indirectly by the Company or its subsidiaries. The Company or a subsidiary of the Company or a Predecessor Entity (or subsidiary thereof) has valid pollution and remediation legal liability insurance policies covering its Glendale Commerce Center, 15041 Calvert Street (Van Nuys), and 1661 240th Street (Los Angeles) properties, and except as otherwise set forth in the Registration Statement, the General Disclosure Package and the Prospectus, (A) neither the Company nor any of its subsidiaries or Predecessor Entities (or subsidiary thereof) has made any material claims under such pollution and remediation legal liability insurance policies within the last five (5) years; (B) consummation of the Formation Transactions will not affect the validity of, or the amount of coverage available under, such policies; and (C) neither the Company nor any of its subsidiaries or Predecessor Entities (or subsidiary thereof) has any reason to believe that it will not be able to renew its existing pollution and remediation legal liability insurance coverage as and when such coverage expires or to obtain similar coverage at reasonable cost or similar insurers as may be necessary to continue its business.

In the ordinary course of their business, the Company and its subsidiaries and the Predecessor Entities (and their subsidiaries) periodically review the effect of Environmental Laws on their business, operations and properties, in the course of which they identify and evaluate associated costs and liabilities (including, without limitation, any capital or operating expenditures required for clean-up, closure of properties or compliance with Environmental Laws, or any permit, license or approval, any related constraints on operating activities and any potential liabilities to third parties). On the basis of such review, the Company and its subsidiaries have reasonably concluded that such associated costs and liabilities would not, singly or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect, except as set forth in the Registration Statement, the General Disclosure Package and the Prospectus.

(xxxii) Accounting Controls and Disclosure Controls. The Company and each of its subsidiaries (i) have taken all necessary actions to ensure that, within the time period required, the Company and its subsidiaries will maintain effective internal control over financial reporting (as defined under Rule 13-a15 and 15d-15 under the 1934 Act Regulations) and (ii) currently maintain a system of internal accounting controls sufficient to provide reasonable assurances that

(A) transactions are executed in accordance with management's general or specific authorization; (B) transactions are recorded as necessary to permit preparation of financial statements in conformity with GAAP and to maintain accountability for assets; (C) access to assets is permitted only in accordance with management's general or specific authorization; and (D) the recorded accountability for assets is compared with the existing assets at reasonable intervals and appropriate action is taken with respect to any differences. Except as described in the Registration Statement, the General Disclosure Package and the Prospectus, since the Company's inception, there has been (1) no material weakness in the Company's internal control over financial reporting (whether or not remediated) and (2) no change in the Company's internal control over financial reporting that has materially affected, or is reasonably likely to materially affect, the Company's internal control over financial reporting.

(xxxiii) Compliance with the Sarbanes-Oxley Act. The Company has taken all necessary actions to ensure that, upon the effectiveness of the Registration Statement, it will be in compliance with all provisions of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002 and all rules and regulations promulgated thereunder or implementing the provisions thereof (the "Sarbanes-Oxley Act") that are then in effect and with which the Company is required to comply as of the effectiveness of the Registration Statement, and is actively taking steps to ensure that it will be in compliance in all material respects with other provisions of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act not currently in effect, upon the effectiveness of such provisions, or which will become applicable to the Company at all times after the effectiveness of the Registration Statement.

(xxxiv) Federal Tax Status. Commencing with its taxable year ending December 31, 2013, the Company will be organized in conformity with the requirements for qualification and taxation as a real estate investment trust (a "REIT") under the Code, and will operate in a manner that will enable it to meet the requirements for qualification and taxation as a REIT under the Code. All statements regarding the Company's qualification and taxation as a REIT and descriptions of the Company's organization and proposed method of operation (inasmuch as they relate to the Company's qualification and taxation as a REIT) set forth in the Registration Statement, the General Disclosure Package and the Prospectus are accurate and fair summaries of the legal or tax matters described therein in all material respects. Each of the Company's direct or indirect corporate subsidiaries will qualify as a "taxable REIT subsidiary" within the meaning of Section 856(l) of the Code. The Operating Partnership will be treated as a partnership and not as an association taxable as a corporation for U.S. federal income tax purposes.

(xxxv) Federal Tax Status of Rexford Industrial Fund V REIT, LLC. Commencing with its taxable year ended December 31, 2010 and through the Closing Time, Rexford Industrial Fund V REIT, LLC has been organized and has operated in conformity with the requirements for qualification and taxation as a real estate investment trust under the Code.

(xxxvi) Payment of Taxes. The Company and its current (and, with respect to (A) and (B), former) subsidiaries and the Predecessor Entities and their subsidiaries (A) have paid all material federal, state, local and foreign taxes (whether imposed directly, through withholding or otherwise and including any interest, additions to tax or penalties applicable thereto) required to be paid through the date hereof, other than those being contested in good faith by appropriate proceedings and for which adequate reserves have been provided on the books of the applicable entity, (B) have timely filed all material tax returns required to be filed through the date hereof, and all such tax returns are correct and complete in all material respects, and (C) have established adequate reserves for all taxes that have accrued but are not yet due and payable. The charges, accruals and reserves on the books of the Company, the Predecessor Entities and their subsidiaries in respect of any income and corporation tax liability for any years not finally

determined are adequate to meet any assessments or re-assessments for additional income tax for any years not finally determined, except to the extent of any inadequacy that would not result in a Material Adverse Effect. No tax deficiency has been asserted against the Company, any Predecessor Entity, or any of their current or former subsidiaries, nor does any such entity know of any tax deficiency that is likely to be asserted and, if determined adversely to any such entity, would reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect.

(xxxvii) Transfer Taxes. Except as disclosed in the Registration Statement, the General Disclosure Package and the Prospectus, there are no transfer taxes or other similar fees or charges under federal law or the laws of any state or any political subdivision thereof, required to be paid in connection with the execution and delivery of this Agreement or the issuance or sale by the Company of the Securities.

(xxxviii) Insurance. Each of the Company and its subsidiaries and the Predecessor Entities (and their subsidiaries) carry or are entitled to the benefits of insurance with financially sound and reputable insurers, in such amounts and covering such risks as is generally maintained by companies of established repute engaged in the same or similar business and in such amounts as is commercially reasonable for the value of the assets owned, in the aggregate, by the Company and its subsidiaries and the Predecessor Entities (and their subsidiaries), and all such insurance is in full force and effect. Neither the Company nor the Operating Partnership has any reason to believe that it or any subsidiaries will not be able (A) to renew its existing insurance coverage as and when such policies expire or (B) to obtain comparable coverage from similar institutions as may be necessary or appropriate to conduct its business as now conducted and at a cost that would not result in a Material Adverse Effect. Neither the Company nor any of its subsidiaries nor any Predecessor Entity (or subsidiaries thereof) has been denied any insurance coverage which it has sought or for which it has applied.

(xxxix) Investment Company Act. Neither the Company nor the Operating Partnership is required, or upon the issuance and sale of the Securities as herein contemplated and the application of the net proceeds therefrom as described in the General Disclosure Package and the Prospectus will be required, to register as an “investment company” under the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended (the “1940 Act”).

(xl) Absence of Manipulation. Neither the Company nor any affiliate of the Company has taken, nor will the Company or any affiliate take, directly or indirectly, any action which is designed, or would be expected, to cause or result in, or which constitutes, the stabilization or manipulation of the price of any security of the Company to facilitate the sale or resale of the Securities.

(xli) Foreign Corrupt Practices Act. None of the Company, any of its subsidiaries, any Predecessor Entity (or subsidiaries thereof) or, to the knowledge of the Company, any director, officer, agent, employee, affiliate or other person acting on behalf of the Company or any of its subsidiaries, is aware of or has taken any action, directly or indirectly, that would result in a violation by such persons of the Foreign Corrupt Practices Act of 1977, as amended, and the rules and regulations thereunder (the “FCPA”), including, without limitation, making use of the mails or any means or instrumentality of interstate commerce corruptly in furtherance of an offer, payment, promise to pay or authorization of the payment of any money, or other property, gift, promise to give, or authorization of the giving of anything of value to any “foreign official” (as such term is defined in the FCPA) or any foreign political party or official thereof or any candidate for foreign political office, in contravention of the FCPA and the Company and, to the knowledge of the Company, its affiliates have conducted their businesses in compliance with the FCPA and have instituted and maintain policies and procedures designed to ensure, and which are reasonably expected to continue to ensure, continued compliance therewith.

(xlii) Money Laundering Laws. The operations of the Company and its subsidiaries and the Predecessor Entities (and their subsidiaries) are and have been conducted at all times in compliance with applicable financial recordkeeping and reporting requirements of the Currency and Foreign Transactions Reporting Act of 1970, as amended, the money laundering statutes of all jurisdictions, the rules and regulations thereunder and any related or similar rules, regulations or guidelines, issued, administered or enforced by any Governmental Entity (collectively, the “Money Laundering Laws”); and no action, suit or proceeding by or before any Governmental Entity involving the Company or any subsidiary or Predecessor Entity (or subsidiary thereof) with respect to the Money Laundering Laws is pending or, to the best knowledge of the Company, threatened.

(xliii) OFAC. None of the Company, any of its subsidiaries or, to the knowledge of the Company, any director, officer, agent, employee, affiliate or representative of the Company or any of its subsidiaries is an individual or entity (“Person”) currently the subject or target of any sanctions administered or enforced by the United States Government, including, without limitation, the U.S. Department of the Treasury’s Office of Foreign Assets Control (“OFAC”), the United Nations Security Council (“UNSC”), the European Union, Her Majesty’s Treasury (“HMT”), or other relevant sanctions authority (collectively, “Sanctions”), nor is the Company located, organized or resident in a country or territory that is the subject of Sanctions; and the Company will not directly or indirectly use the proceeds of the sale of the Securities, or lend, contribute or otherwise make available such proceeds to any subsidiaries, joint venture partners or other Person, to fund any activities of or business with any Person, or in any country or territory, that, at the time of such funding, is the subject of Sanctions or in any other manner that will result in a violation by any Person (including any Person participating in the transaction, whether as underwriter, advisor, investor or otherwise) of Sanctions.

(xliv) Distribution of Offering Material. The Company and its subsidiaries have not distributed, and prior to the later of the Closing Time and the completion of the distribution of the Securities, will not distribute, any offering material in connection with the offering or sale of the Securities other than any preliminary prospectus, the Prospectus, any issuer free writing prospectus, or any other materials, if any, permitted by the 1933 Act.

(xlv) Restrictions on Distributions. No subsidiary of the Company is currently prohibited, directly or indirectly, from paying any distributions to the Company or the Operating Partnership or from making any other distribution on such subsidiary’s equity interests, except (A) pursuant to the agreements set forth in Schedule F and (B) as described in or contemplated by the Prospectus and as prohibited by applicable law.

(xlvi) Prior Sales of Common Stock. Except as disclosed in the Registration Statement, the General Disclosure Package and the Prospectus, the Company has not sold, issued or distributed any shares of Common Stock.

(xlvii) No Equity Awards. Except for grants (i) pursuant to equity incentive plans disclosed in the Registration Statement, the General Disclosure Package and the Prospectus or (ii) representing conversions of the equity interests in the Predecessor Entities, the Company has not granted to any person or entity, a compensatory stock option or other compensatory equity-based award to purchase or receive common stock of the Company or OP Units of the Operating Partnership pursuant to an equity-based compensation plan or otherwise.

(xlviii) No Finder's Fee. Except for the Underwriters' discounts and commissions payable by the Company to the Underwriters in connection with the offering of the Securities contemplated herein or as otherwise disclosed in the Registration Statement, the General Disclosure Package and the Prospectus, the Company has not incurred any liability for any brokerage commission, finder's fees or similar payments in connection with the offering of the Securities contemplated hereby.

(xlix) Approval of Listing. The Securities have been approved for listing on the NYSE, subject to notice of issuance.

(l) Absence of Certain Relationships. No relationship, direct or indirect, exists between or among the Company or its subsidiaries, on the one hand, and the directors, officers or stockholders of the Company, on the other hand, which is required to be described in the Registration Statement, the General Disclosure Package or the Prospectus which is not so described. The Company has not, directly or indirectly, including through any subsidiary, extended credit, arranged to extend credit, or renewed any extension of credit, in the form of a personal loan, to or for any executive officer of the Company or the Operating Partnership, or to or for any family member or affiliate of any director or executive officer of the Company or the Operating Partnership.

(li) No Integration. Neither the Company nor the Operating Partnership has sold or issued any securities that would be integrated with the offering of Securities pursuant to the 1933 Act and the 1933 Act Regulations or the interpretations thereof by the Commission.

(lii) Sales of Reserved Securities. In connection with any offer and sale of Reserved Securities outside the United States, each preliminary prospectus, the Prospectus, any prospectus wrapper and any amendment or supplement thereto, at the time it was distributed, complied and will comply in all material respects with any applicable laws or regulations of foreign jurisdictions. The Company has not offered, or caused the Representatives to offer, Reserved Securities to any person with the specific intent to unlawfully influence (i) a customer or supplier of the Company or any of its affiliates to alter the customer's or supplier's level or type of business with any such entity or (ii) a trade journalist or publication to write or publish favorable information about the Company or any of its affiliates, or their respective businesses or products.

(liii) Lending Relationship. Except as disclosed in the Registration Statement, the General Disclosure Package and the Prospectus, the Company (i) does not have any material lending or other relationship with any bank or lending affiliate of any Underwriter and (ii) does not intend to use any of the proceeds from the sale of the Securities to repay any outstanding debt owed to any affiliate of any Underwriter.

(liv) No FINRA Affiliations. There are no affiliations or associations between any member of FINRA and any of the Company's officers, directors or 5% or greater securityholders.

(lv) Statistical and Market-Related Data. Any statistical and market-related data included in the Registration Statement, the General Disclosure Package or the Prospectus are based on or derived from sources that the Company believes to be reliable and accurate in all material respects, and, to the extent required, the Company has obtained the written consent to the use of such data from such sources.

(c) *Officer's Certificates.* Any certificate signed by any officer of the Company or any of its subsidiaries delivered to the Representatives or to counsel for the Underwriters shall be deemed a representation and warranty by the Company and the Operating Partnership to each Underwriter as to the matters covered thereby.

SECTION 2. Sale and Delivery to Underwriters; Closing.

(a) *Initial Securities.* On the basis of the representations and warranties herein contained and subject to the terms and conditions herein set forth, the Company agrees to sell to each Underwriter, severally and not jointly, and each Underwriter, severally and not jointly, agrees to purchase from the Company, at the price per share set forth in Schedule A, the number of Initial Securities set forth in Schedule A opposite the name of such Underwriter, plus any additional number of Initial Securities which such Underwriter may become obligated to purchase pursuant to the provisions of Section 10 hereof, subject, in each case, to such adjustments among the Underwriters as Merrill Lynch in its sole discretion shall make to eliminate any sales or purchases of fractional shares.

(b) *Option Securities.* In addition, on the basis of the representations and warranties herein contained and subject to the terms and conditions herein set forth, the Company hereby grants an option to the Underwriters, severally and not jointly, to purchase up to an additional 2,400,000 shares of Common Stock, as set forth in Schedule A, at the price per share set forth in Schedule A, less an amount per share equal to any dividends or distributions declared by the Company and payable on the Initial Securities but not payable on the Option Securities. The option hereby granted may be exercised for 30 days after the date hereof and may be exercised in whole or in part at any time from time to time upon notice by the Representatives to the Company setting forth the number of Option Securities as to which the several Underwriters are then exercising the option and the time and date of payment and delivery for such Option Securities. Any such time and date of delivery (a "Date of Delivery") shall be determined by the Representatives, but shall not be later than seven full business days after the exercise of said option, nor in any event prior to the Closing Time. If the option is exercised as to all or any portion of the Option Securities, each of the Underwriters, acting severally and not jointly, will purchase that proportion of the total number of Option Securities then being purchased which the number of Initial Securities set forth in Schedule A opposite the name of such Underwriter bears to the total number of Initial Securities, subject, in each case, to such adjustments as the Representatives in its sole discretion shall make to eliminate any sales or purchases of fractional shares.

(c) *Payment.* Payment of the purchase price for, and delivery of certificates for, the Initial Securities shall be made at the offices of Hunton & Williams LLP, 200 Park Avenue, New York, New York 10166, or at such other place as shall be agreed upon by the Representatives and the Company, at 9:00 A.M. (New York City time) on the third (fourth, if the pricing occurs after 4:30 P.M. (New York City time) on any given day) business day after the date hereof (unless postponed in accordance with the provisions of Section 10), or such other time not later than ten business days after such date as shall be agreed upon by the Representatives and the Company (such time and date of payment and delivery being herein called "Closing Time"). In addition, in the event that any or all of the Option Securities are purchased by the Underwriters, payment of the purchase price for, and delivery of certificates for, such Option Securities shall be made at the above-mentioned offices, or at such other place as shall be agreed upon by the Representatives and the Company, on each Date of Delivery as specified in the notice from the Representatives to the Company. Payment shall be made to the Company by wire transfer of immediately available funds to a bank account designated by the Company against delivery to the Representatives for the respective accounts of the Underwriters of certificates for the Securities to be purchased by them. It is understood that each Underwriter has authorized the Representatives, for its account, to accept delivery of, receipt for, and make payment of the purchase price for, the Initial Securities and the Option Securities, if any, which it has agreed to purchase. The Representatives,

individually and not as representatives of the Underwriters, may (but shall not be obligated to) make payment of the purchase price for the Initial Securities or the Option Securities, if any, to be purchased by any Underwriter whose funds have not been received by the Closing Time or the relevant Date of Delivery, as the case may be, but such payment shall not relieve such Underwriter from its obligations hereunder.

SECTION 3. Covenants of the Company and the Operating Partnership. The Company and the Operating Partnership, jointly and severally, covenant with each Underwriter as follows:

(a) *Compliance with Securities Regulations and Commission Requests*. The Company, subject to Section 3(b), will comply with the requirements of Rule 430A, and will notify the Representatives immediately, and confirm the notice in writing, (i) when any post-effective amendment to the Registration Statement shall become effective or any amendment or supplement to the Prospectus shall have been filed, (ii) of the receipt of any comments from the Commission, (iii) of any request by the Commission for any amendment to the Registration Statement or any amendment or supplement to the Prospectus or for additional information, (iv) of the issuance by the Commission of any stop order suspending the effectiveness of the Registration Statement or any post-effective amendment or of any order preventing or suspending the use of any preliminary prospectus or the Prospectus, or of the suspension of the qualification of the Securities for offering or sale in any jurisdiction, or of the initiation or threatening of any proceedings for any of such purposes or of any examination pursuant to Section 8(e) of the 1933 Act concerning the Registration Statement and (v) if the Company becomes the subject of a proceeding under Section 8A of the 1933 Act in connection with the offering of the Securities. The Company will effect all filings required under Rule 424(b), in the manner and within the time period required by Rule 424(b) (without reliance on Rule 424(b)(8)), and will take such steps as it deems necessary to ascertain promptly whether the form of prospectus transmitted for filing under Rule 424(b) was received for filing by the Commission and, in the event that it was not, it will promptly file such prospectus. The Company will make commercially reasonable efforts to prevent the issuance of any stop order, prevention or suspension and, if any such order is issued, to obtain the lifting thereof at the earliest possible moment.

(b) *Continued Compliance with Securities Laws*. The Company will comply with the 1933 Act and the 1933 Act Regulations so as to permit the completion of the distribution of the Securities as contemplated in this Agreement and in the Registration Statement, the General Disclosure Package and the Prospectus. If at any time when a prospectus relating to the Securities is (or, but for the exception afforded by Rule 172 of the 1933 Act Regulations (“Rule 172”), would be) required by the 1933 Act to be delivered in connection with sales of the Securities, any event shall occur or condition shall exist as a result of which it is necessary, in the opinion of counsel for the Underwriters or for the Company, to (i) amend the Registration Statement in order that the Registration Statement will not include an untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact required to be stated therein or necessary to make the statements therein not misleading, (ii) amend or supplement the General Disclosure Package or the Prospectus in order that the General Disclosure Package or the Prospectus, as the case may be, will not include any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact necessary in order to make the statements therein not misleading in the light of the circumstances existing at the time it is delivered to a purchaser or (iii) amend the Registration Statement or amend or supplement the General Disclosure Package or the Prospectus, as the case may be, in order to comply with the requirements of the 1933 Act or the 1933 Act Regulations, the Company will (A) promptly give the Representatives notice of such event, (B) furnish the Representatives with copies of any such documents prior to such proposed filing or use, as the case may be, (C) promptly prepare any amendment or supplement as may be necessary to correct such statement or omission or to make the Registration Statement, the General Disclosure Package or the Prospectus comply with such requirements and, a reasonable amount of time prior to any proposed filing or use, furnish the Representatives with copies of any such amendment or

supplement and (D) promptly file with the Commission any such amendment or supplement; provided that the Company shall not file or use any such amendment or supplement to which the Representatives or counsel for the Underwriters shall reasonably object. The Company will furnish to the Underwriters such number of copies of such amendment or supplement as the Underwriters may request. The Company has given the Representatives notice of any filings made pursuant to the 1934 Act or 1934 Act Regulations within 24 hours prior to the Applicable Time; the Company will give the Representatives notice of its intention to make any such filing from the Applicable Time to the Closing Time and will furnish the Representatives with copies of any such documents a reasonable amount of time prior to such proposed filing, as the case may be, and will not file or use any such document to which the Representatives or counsel for the Underwriters shall reasonably object.

(c) *Delivery of Registration Statements.* The Company has furnished or will deliver to the Representatives and counsel for the Underwriters, without charge, signed copies of the Registration Statement as originally filed and each amendment thereto (including exhibits filed therewith) and signed copies of all consents and certificates of experts, and will also deliver to the Representatives, without charge, a conformed copy of the Registration Statement as originally filed and each amendment thereto (without exhibits) for each of the Underwriters. The copies of the Registration Statement and each amendment thereto furnished to the Underwriters will be identical to the electronically transmitted copies thereof filed with the Commission pursuant to EDGAR, except to the extent permitted by Regulation S-T.

(d) *Delivery of Prospectuses.* The Company has delivered to each Underwriter, without charge, as many copies of each preliminary prospectus as such Underwriter reasonably requested, and the Company hereby consents to the use of such copies for purposes permitted by the 1933 Act. The Company will furnish to each Underwriter, without charge, during the period when a prospectus relating to the Securities is (or, but for the exception afforded by Rule 172, would be) required to be delivered under the 1933 Act, such number of copies of the Prospectus (as amended or supplemented) as such Underwriter may reasonably request. The Prospectus and any amendments or supplements thereto furnished to the Underwriters will be identical to the electronically transmitted copies thereof filed with the Commission pursuant to EDGAR, except to the extent permitted by Regulation S-T.

(e) *Delivery of Formation Transaction Documents.* The Company will deliver to the Representatives a true and correct copy of each of the executed Formation Transaction Documents, together with all related agreements and all schedules and exhibits thereto, promptly upon its execution.

(f) *Blue Sky Qualifications.* The Company will use its best efforts, in cooperation with the Underwriters, to qualify the Securities for offering and sale under the applicable securities laws of such states and other jurisdictions (domestic or foreign) as the Representatives may designate and to maintain such qualifications in effect so long as required to complete the distribution of the Securities; provided, however, that the Company shall not be obligated to file any general consent to service of process or to qualify as a foreign corporation or as a dealer in securities in any jurisdiction in which it is not so qualified or to subject itself to taxation in respect of doing business in any jurisdiction in which it is not otherwise so subject.

(g) *Rule 158.* The Company will timely file such reports pursuant to the 1934 Act as are necessary in order to make generally available to its securityholders as soon as practicable an earnings statement for the purposes of, and to provide to the Underwriters the benefits contemplated by, the last paragraph of Section 11(a) of the 1933 Act.

(h) *Use of Proceeds.* The Company will use the net proceeds received by it from the sale of the Securities in the manner specified in the Registration Statement, the General Disclosure Package and the Prospectus under "Use of Proceeds."

(i) *Listing.* The Company will use its best efforts to effect and maintain the listing of the Common Stock (including the Securities) on the NYSE.

(j) *Restriction on Sale of Securities.* During a period of 180 days from the date of the Prospectus, the Company will not, without the prior written consent of Merrill Lynch, FBR and Wells Fargo, (i) directly or indirectly, offer, pledge, sell, contract to sell, sell any option or contract to purchase, purchase any option or contract to sell, grant any option, right or warrant to purchase or otherwise transfer or dispose of any shares of Common Stock or any securities convertible into or exercisable or exchangeable for Common Stock or file any registration statement under the 1933 Act with respect to any of the foregoing (except for a registration statement on Form S-8 relating to the Company's equity incentive plan) or (ii) enter into any swap or any other agreement or any transaction that transfers, in whole or in part, directly or indirectly, the economic consequence of ownership of the Common Stock, whether any such swap or transaction described in clause (i) or (ii) above is to be settled by delivery of Common Stock or such other securities, in cash or otherwise. The foregoing sentence shall not apply to (A) the Securities to be sold hereunder, (B) any shares of Common Stock issued by the Company upon the exercise of an option or warrant or the conversion of a security outstanding on the date hereof and referred to in the Registration Statement, the General Disclosure Package and the Prospectus, (C) any shares of Common Stock issued or options to purchase Common Stock granted pursuant to existing employee benefit plans of the Company referred to in the Registration Statement, the General Disclosure Package and the Prospectus or (D) any shares of Common Stock issued pursuant to any non-employee director stock plan or dividend reinvestment plan referred to in the Registration Statement, the General Disclosure Package and the Prospectus, (E) any shares of Common Stock issued in connection with the Formation Transactions and the Company's concurrent private placement (as defined in the Prospectus) or (G) shares of Common Stock transferred in order to comply with the ownership limitations set forth in Article VI of the Company's charter.

(k) *Reporting Requirements.* The Company, during the period when a Prospectus relating to the Securities is (or, but for the exception afforded by Rule 172, would be) required to be delivered under the 1933 Act, will file all documents required to be filed with the Commission pursuant to the 1934 Act within the time periods required by the 1934 Act and 1934 Act Regulations. Additionally, the Company shall report the use of proceeds from the issuance of the Securities as may be required under Rule 463 under the 1933 Act.

(l) *Issuer Free Writing Prospectuses.* The Company agrees that, unless it obtains the prior written consent of the Representatives, it will not make any offer relating to the Securities that would constitute an Issuer Free Writing Prospectus or that would otherwise constitute a "free writing prospectus," or a portion thereof, required to be filed by the Company with the Commission or retained by the Company under Rule 433; provided that the Representatives will be deemed to have consented to the Issuer Free Writing Prospectuses listed on Schedule B-2 hereto and any "road show that is a written communication" within the meaning of Rule 433(d)(8)(i) that has been reviewed by the Representatives. The Company represents that it has treated or agrees that it will treat each such free writing prospectus consented to, or deemed consented to, by the Representatives as an "issuer free writing prospectus," as defined in Rule 433, and that it has complied and will comply with the applicable requirements of Rule 433 with respect thereto, including timely filing with the Commission where required, legending and record keeping. If at any time following issuance of an Issuer Free Writing Prospectus there occurred or occurs an event or development as a result of which such Issuer Free Writing Prospectus conflicted or would conflict with the information contained in the Registration Statement, any preliminary prospectus or the Prospectus or included or would include an untrue statement of a material fact or omitted or would omit to state a material fact necessary in order to make the statements therein, in the light of the circumstances existing at that subsequent time, not misleading, the Company will promptly notify the Representatives and will promptly amend or supplement, at its own expense, such Issuer Free Writing

Prospectus to eliminate or correct such conflict, untrue statement or omission; provided that any statements in or omissions from any such Issuer Free Writing Prospectus based upon and in conformity with the Underwriter Information shall be at the expense of the Underwriters.

(m) *Compliance with FINRA Rules.* The Company hereby agrees that it will ensure that the Reserved Securities will be restricted as required by FINRA or the FINRA rules from sale, transfer, assignment, pledge or hypothecation for a period of three months following the date of this Agreement. The Underwriters will notify the Company as to which persons will need to be so restricted. At the request of the Underwriters, the Company will direct the transfer agent to place a stop transfer restriction upon such securities for such period of time. Should the Company release, or seek to release, from such restrictions any of the Reserved Securities, the Company agrees to reimburse the Underwriters for any reasonable expenses (including, without limitation, legal expenses) they incur in connection with such release.

(n) *Testing-the-Waters Materials.* If at any time following the distribution of any Written Testing-the-Waters Communication there occurred or occurs an event or development as a result of which such Written Testing-the-Waters Communication included or would include an untrue statement of a material fact or omitted or would omit to state a material fact necessary in order to make the statements therein, in the light of the circumstances existing at that subsequent time, not misleading, the Company will promptly notify the Representatives and will promptly amend or supplement, at its own expense, such Written Testing-the-Waters Communication to eliminate or correct such untrue statement or omission; provided that any statements in or omissions from any such Testing-the-Waters Materials based upon and in conformity with the Underwriter Information shall be at the expense of the Underwriters.

(o) *Emerging Growth Company Status.* The Company will promptly notify the Representatives if the Company ceases to be an Emerging Growth Company at any time prior to the later of (i) completion of the distribution of the Securities within the meaning of the Securities Act and (ii) completion of the 180-day restricted period referred to in Section 3(j).

(p) *Absence of Manipulation.* Except as contemplated herein or in the General Disclosure Package and the Prospectus, each of the Company and the Operating Partnership will not take, directly or indirectly, any action designed to or that would constitute or that might reasonably be expected to cause or result in, stabilization or manipulation of the price of any securities of the Company to facilitate the sale or resale of the Securities.

(q) *Qualification and Taxation as a REIT.* The Company will use its best efforts to meet the requirements for qualification and taxation as a REIT under the Code for its taxable year ending December 31, 2013, and the Company will use its best efforts to continue to qualify for taxation as a REIT under the Code and will not take any action to revoke or otherwise terminate the Company's REIT election, unless the Company's board of directors determines in good faith that it is no longer in the best interests of the Company to be so qualified.

(r) *Sarbanes-Oxley.* The Company will comply in all material respects with all applicable provisions of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act that are in effect.

(s) *Notification of Material Events.* The Company, during the period when the Prospectus is (or but for the exemption in Rule 172 would be) required to be delivered under the 1933 Act or the 1934 Act, shall notify the Representatives of the occurrence of any material events respecting its (including those of the Operating Partnership) activities, affairs or condition, financial or otherwise, if, but only if, as a result of any such event it is necessary, in the opinion of counsel, to amend or supplement the Prospectus in order to make the Prospectus not misleading in the light of the circumstances existing at the

time it is (or but for the exemption in Rule 172 would be) delivered to a purchaser, and the Company will forthwith supply such information as shall be necessary in the opinion of counsel to the Company and the Underwriters for the Company to prepare any necessary amendment or supplement to the Prospectus so that, as so amended or supplemented, the Prospectus will not contain an untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact necessary in order to make the statements therein, in the light of the circumstances existing at the time it is (or but for the exemption in Rule 172 would be) delivered to a purchaser, not misleading.

SECTION 4. Payment of Expenses.

(a) *Expenses.* The Company will pay or cause to be paid all expenses incident to the performance of its obligations under this Agreement, including (i) the preparation, printing and filing of the Registration Statement (including financial statements and exhibits) as originally filed and each amendment thereto, (ii) the preparation, printing and delivery to the Underwriters of copies of each preliminary prospectus, each Issuer Free Writing Prospectus and the Prospectus and any amendments or supplements thereto and any costs associated with electronic delivery of any of the foregoing by the Underwriters to investors, (iii) the preparation, issuance and delivery of the certificates for the Securities to the Underwriters, including any stock or other transfer taxes and any stamp or other duties payable upon the sale, issuance or delivery of the Securities to the Underwriters, (iv) the fees and disbursements of the Company's counsel, accountants and other advisors, (v) the qualification of the Securities under securities laws in accordance with the provisions of Section 3(e) hereof, including filing fees and the reasonable fees and disbursements of counsel for the Underwriters in connection therewith and in connection with the preparation of the Blue Sky Survey and any supplement thereto, (vi) the fees and expenses of any transfer agent or registrar for the Securities, (vii) the costs and expenses of the Company relating to investor presentations on any "road show" undertaken in connection with the marketing of the Securities, including without limitation, expenses associated with the production of road show slides and graphics, fees and expenses of any consultants engaged in connection with the road show presentations, the cost of travel and lodging expenses of the representatives and officers of the Company and any such consultants, and one-half of the cost of aircraft and other transportation chartered in connection with the road show (except that the Underwriters shall pay all lodging, commercial airfare and other expenses attributable to employees of the Underwriters and one-half of the cost of any aircraft or other transportation chartered in connection with the road show), (viii) the filing fees incident to, and the reasonable fees and disbursements of counsel to the Underwriters in connection with, the review by FINRA of the terms of the sale of the Securities (in an amount not to exceed \$10,000), (ix) the fees and expenses incurred in connection with the listing of the Securities on the NYSE, (x) the costs and expenses (including, without limitation, any damages or other amounts payable in connection with legal or contractual liability) associated with the reforming of any contracts for sale of the Securities made by the Underwriters caused by a breach of the representation contained in the third sentence of Section 1(a)(ii) and (xi) all costs and expenses of the Underwriters, including the fees and disbursements of counsel for the Underwriters, in connection with matters related to the Reserved Securities which are designated by the Company for sale to Invitees. Except as explicitly provided in this Section 4(a), Section 4(b), Section 6 and Section 7, the Underwriters shall pay their own expenses.

(b) *Termination of Agreement.* If this Agreement is terminated by the Representatives in accordance with the provisions of Section 5 or Section 9(a)(i) or (iii) hereof, the Company shall reimburse the Underwriters for all of their out-of-pocket expenses, including the reasonable fees and disbursements of counsel for the Underwriters.

SECTION 5. Conditions of Underwriters' Obligations. The obligations of the several Underwriters hereunder are subject to the accuracy of the representations and warranties of the Company and the Operating Partnership contained herein or in certificates of any officer of the Company or the

Operating Partnership or any of their subsidiaries delivered pursuant to the provisions hereof, to the performance by the Company and the Operating Partnership of their respective covenants and other obligations hereunder, and to the following further conditions:

(a) *Effectiveness of Registration Statement; Rule 430A Information.* The Registration Statement, including any Rule 462(b) Registration Statement, has become effective and at Closing Time no stop order suspending the effectiveness of the Registration Statement or any post-effective amendment thereto has been issued under the 1933 Act, no order preventing or suspending the use of any preliminary prospectus or the Prospectus has been issued and no proceedings for any of those purposes have been instituted or are pending or, to the Company's knowledge, contemplated; and the Company has complied with each request (if any) from the Commission for additional information. A prospectus containing the Rule 430A Information shall have been filed with the Commission in the manner and within the time frame required by Rule 424(b) without reliance on Rule 424(b)(8) or a post-effective amendment providing such information shall have been filed with, and declared effective by, the Commission in accordance with the requirements of Rule 430A.

(b) *Opinion of Counsel for the Company and the Operating Partnership.* At the Closing Time, the Representatives shall have received the favorable opinion, dated the Closing Time, of Latham & Watkins LLP, counsel for the Company and the Operating Partnership, in form and substance satisfactory to counsel for the Underwriters, together with signed or reproduced copies of such letter for each of the other Underwriters, to the effect set forth in Exhibit A hereto.

(c) *Opinion of Tax Counsel for Company and the Operating Partnership.* At the Closing Time, the Representatives shall have received the favorable opinion, dated as of the Closing Time, of Latham & Watkins LLP, tax counsel for the Company and the Operating Partnership, in form and substance satisfactory to counsel for the Underwriters, together with signed or reproduced copies of such letter for each of the other Underwriters, to the effect set forth in Exhibit B hereto.

(d) *Opinion of Maryland Counsel for Company and the Operating Partnership.* At the Closing Time, the Representatives shall have received the favorable opinion, dated as of the Closing Time, of Venable LLP, Maryland counsel for the Company and the Operating Partnership, in form and substance satisfactory to counsel for the Underwriters, together with signed or reproduced copies of such letter for each of the other Underwriters, to the effect set forth in Exhibit C hereto.

(e) *Opinion of Counsel for Underwriters.* At the Closing Time, the Representatives shall have received the favorable opinion, dated the Closing Time, of Hunton & Williams LLP, counsel for the Underwriters, together with signed or reproduced copies of such letter for each of the other Underwriters, with respect to such matters as the Underwriters may reasonably request.

(f) *Officers' Certificate.* At the Closing Time, there shall not have been, since the date hereof or since the respective dates as of which information is given in the General Disclosure Package or the Prospectus, any material adverse change in the condition, financial or otherwise, or in the earnings, business affairs or business prospects of the Company and its subsidiaries, the Predecessor Entities (and their subsidiaries) considered as one enterprise, whether or not arising in the ordinary course of business, and the Representatives shall have received a certificate of each of the Co-Chief Executive Officers and the Chief Financial Officer of the Company, dated the Closing Time, to the effect that (i) there has been no such material adverse change, (ii) the representations and warranties in Section I(a) of this Agreement are true and correct with the same force and effect as though expressly made at and as of the Closing Time, (iii) each of the Company and the Operating Partnership have complied with all agreements and satisfied all conditions on its part to be performed or satisfied at or prior to the Closing Time, and (iv) no stop order suspending the effectiveness of the Registration Statement under the 1933 Act has been issued,

no order preventing or suspending the use of any preliminary prospectus or the Prospectus has been issued and no proceedings for any of those purposes have been instituted or are pending or, to their knowledge, contemplated.

(g) *Certificate of Chief Financial Officer.* The Representatives shall have received certificates of the Chief Financial Officer of the Company, dated as of the Applicable Time and as of the Closing Time, certifying to the matters set forth on Exhibit D hereto.

(h) *Accountant's Comfort Letter.* At the time of the execution of this Agreement, the Representatives shall have received from Ernst & Young LLP a letter, dated such date, in form and substance satisfactory to the Representatives, together with signed or reproduced copies of such letter for each of the other Underwriters containing statements and information of the type ordinarily included in accountants' "comfort letters" to underwriters with respect to the financial statements and certain financial information contained in the Registration Statement, the General Disclosure Package and the Prospectus.

(i) *Bring-down Comfort Letter.* At the Closing Time, the Representatives shall have received from Ernst & Young LLP a letter, dated as of the Closing Time, to the effect that they reaffirm the statements made in the letter furnished pursuant to subsection (g) of this Section, except that the specified date referred to shall be a date not more than three business days prior to the Closing Time.

(j) *Approval of Listing.* At the Closing Time, the Securities shall have been approved for listing on the NYSE, subject only to official notice of issuance.

(k) *No Objection.* FINRA has confirmed that it has not raised any objection with respect to the fairness and reasonableness of the underwriting terms and arrangements relating to the offering of the Securities.

(l) *Lock-up Agreements.* At the date of this Agreement, the Representatives shall have received an agreement substantially in the form of Exhibit E hereto signed by the persons listed on Schedule D hereto.

(m) *No Amendments or Supplements.* No amendment or supplement to the Registration Statement, the Prospectus, any preliminary prospectus or any Issuer Free Writing Prospectus shall be filed to which the Underwriters shall have reasonably objected in writing.

(n) *Completion of Formation Transactions.* All of the transactions which are to occur to consummate the Formation Transactions shall have been consummated on terms satisfactory to the Representatives.

(o) *Conditions to Purchase of Option Securities.* In the event that the Underwriters exercise their option provided in Section 2(b) hereof to purchase all or any portion of the Option Securities, the representations and warranties of the Company and the Operating Partnership contained herein and the statements in any certificates furnished by the Company and any of their subsidiaries hereunder shall be true and correct as of each Date of Delivery and, at the relevant Date of Delivery, the Representatives shall have received:

(i) Officers' Certificate. A certificate, dated such Date of Delivery, of the Co-Chief Executive Officers of the Company and the Chief Financial Officer of the Company confirming that the certificate delivered at the Closing Time pursuant to Section 5(f) hereof remains true and correct as of such Date of Delivery.

(ii) Opinion of Counsel for the Company and the Operating Partnership. The favorable opinion of Latham & Watkins LLP, counsel for the Company and the Operating Partnership, in form and substance satisfactory to counsel for the Underwriters, dated such Date of Delivery, relating to the Option Securities to be purchased on such Date of Delivery and otherwise to the same effect as the opinion required by Section 5(b) hereof.

(iii) Opinion of Tax Counsel for Company and the Operating Partnership. The favorable opinion of Latham & Watkins LLP, tax counsel for the Company and the Operating Partnership, dated such Date of Delivery, relating to the Option Securities to be purchased on such Date of Delivery and otherwise to the same effect as the opinion required by Section 5(c) hereof.

(iv) Opinion of Maryland Counsel for Company and the Operating Partnership. The favorable opinion of Venable LLP, Maryland counsel for the Company and the Operating Partnership, in form and substance satisfactory reasonably to counsel for the Underwriters, dated such Date of Delivery, relating to the Option Securities to be purchased on such Date of Delivery and otherwise to the same effect as the opinion required by Section 5(d) hereof.

(v) Opinion of Counsel for Underwriters. The favorable opinion of Hunton & Williams LLP, counsel for the Underwriters, dated such Date of Delivery, relating to the Option Securities to be purchased on such Date of Delivery and otherwise to the same effect as the opinion required by Section 5(e) hereof.

(vi) Bring-down Comfort Letter. A letter from Ernst & Young LLP, in form and substance satisfactory to the Representatives and dated such Date of Delivery, substantially in the same form and substance as the letter furnished to the Representatives pursuant to Section 5(g) hereof, except that the “specified date” in the letter furnished pursuant to this paragraph shall be a date not more than three business days prior to such Date of Delivery.

(p) *Additional Documents.* At the Closing Time and at each Date of Delivery (if any) counsel for the Underwriters shall have been furnished with such documents and opinions as they may require for the purpose of enabling them to pass upon the issuance and sale of the Securities as herein contemplated, or in order to evidence the accuracy of any of the representations or warranties, or the fulfillment of any of the conditions, herein contained; and all proceedings taken by the Company in connection with the issuance and sale of the Securities as herein contemplated shall be satisfactory in form and substance to the Representatives and counsel for the Underwriters.

(q) *Termination of Agreement.* If any condition specified in this Section shall not have been fulfilled when and as required to be fulfilled, this Agreement, or, in the case of any condition to the purchase of Option Securities on a Date of Delivery which is after the Closing Time, the obligations of the several Underwriters to purchase the relevant Option Securities, may be terminated by the Representatives by notice to the Company at any time at or prior to Closing Time or such Date of Delivery, as the case may be, and such termination shall be without liability of any party to any other party except as provided in Section 4 and except that Sections 1, 6, 7, 8, 11, 12, 14 and 15 shall survive any such termination and remain in full force and effect.

SECTION 6. Indemnification.

(a) *Indemnification of Underwriters.* The Company and the Operating Partnership agree, jointly and severally, to indemnify and hold harmless each Underwriter, its affiliates (as such term is defined in Rule 501(b) under the 1933 Act (each, an “Affiliate”)), its selling agents and each person, if any, who controls any Underwriter within the meaning of Section 15 of the 1933 Act or Section 20 of the 1934 Act as follows:

(i) against any and all loss, liability, claim, damage and expense whatsoever, as incurred, arising out of any untrue statement or alleged untrue statement of a material fact contained in the Registration Statement (or any amendment thereto), including the Rule 430A Information, or the omission or alleged omission therefrom of a material fact required to be stated therein or necessary to make the statements therein not misleading or arising out of any untrue statement or alleged untrue statement of a material fact included in (A) any preliminary prospectus, any Issuer Free Writing Prospectus, any Written Testing-the-Waters Communication, the General Disclosure Package or the Prospectus (or any amendment or supplement thereto), or (B) in any materials or information provided to investors by, or with the approval of, the Company in connection with the marketing of the offering of the Securities (“Marketing Materials”), including any road show or investor presentation made to investors by the Company (whether in person or electronically), or the omission or alleged omission in any preliminary prospectus, Issuer Free Writing Prospectus, any Written Testing-the-Waters Communication, the Prospectus or in Marketing Materials of a material fact necessary in order to make the statements therein, in the light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading;

(ii) against any and all loss, liability, claim, damage and expense whatsoever, as incurred, to the extent of the aggregate amount paid in settlement of any litigation, or any investigation or proceeding by any governmental agency or body, commenced or threatened, or of any claim whatsoever based upon any such untrue statement or omission, or any such alleged untrue statement or omission; provided that (subject to Section 6(d) below) any such settlement is effected with the written consent of the Company; and

(iii) against any and all expense whatsoever, as incurred (including the fees and disbursements of counsel chosen by the Representatives), reasonably incurred in investigating, preparing or defending against any litigation, or any investigation or proceeding by any governmental agency or body, commenced or threatened, or any claim whatsoever based upon any such untrue statement or omission, or any such alleged untrue statement or omission, to the extent that any such expense is not paid under (i) or (ii) above;

provided, however, that this indemnity agreement shall not apply to any loss, liability, claim, damage or expense to the extent arising out of any untrue statement or omission or alleged untrue statement or omission made in the Registration Statement (or any amendment thereto), including the Rule 430A Information, or any preliminary prospectus, any Issuer Free Writing Prospectus or any preliminary prospectus, any Issuer Free Writing Prospectus, the General Disclosure Package or the Prospectus (or any amendment or supplement thereto) in reliance upon and in conformity with the Underwriter Information.

(b) *Indemnification of Company and Directors and Officers.* Each Underwriter severally agrees to indemnify and hold harmless the Company, its directors, each of its officers who signed the Registration Statement, and each person, if any, who controls the Company within the meaning of Section 15 of the 1933 Act or Section 20 of the 1934 Act, against any and all loss, liability, claim, damage and expense described in the indemnity contained in subsection (a) of this Section, as incurred, but only with respect to untrue statements or omissions, or alleged untrue statements or omissions, made in the Registration Statement (or any amendment thereto), including the Rule 430A Information, or any preliminary prospectus, any Issuer Free Writing Prospectus, the General Disclosure Package or the Prospectus (or any amendment or supplement thereto) in reliance upon and in conformity with the Underwriter Information.

(c) *Actions against Parties; Notification.* Each indemnified party shall give notice as promptly as reasonably practicable to each indemnifying party of any action commenced against it in respect of which indemnity may be sought hereunder, but failure to so notify an indemnifying party shall not relieve such indemnifying party from any liability hereunder to the extent it is not materially prejudiced as a result thereof and in any event shall not relieve it from any liability which it may have otherwise than on account of this indemnity agreement. In the case of parties indemnified pursuant to Section 6(a) above, counsel to the indemnified parties shall be selected by the Representatives, and, in the case of parties indemnified pursuant to Section 6(b) above, counsel to the indemnified parties shall be selected by the Company. An indemnifying party may participate at its own expense in the defense of any such action; provided, however, that counsel to the indemnifying party shall not (except with the consent of the indemnified party) also be counsel to the indemnified party. In no event shall the indemnifying parties be liable for fees and expenses of more than one counsel (in addition to any local counsel) separate from their own counsel for all indemnified parties in connection with any one action or separate but similar or related actions in the same jurisdiction arising out of the same general allegations or circumstances. No indemnifying party shall, without the prior written consent of the indemnified parties, settle or compromise or consent to the entry of any judgment with respect to any litigation, or any investigation or proceeding by any governmental agency or body, commenced or threatened, or any claim whatsoever in respect of which indemnification or contribution could be sought under this Section 6 or Section 7 hereof (whether or not the indemnified parties are actual or potential parties thereto), unless such settlement, compromise or consent (i) includes an unconditional release of each indemnified party from all liability arising out of such litigation, investigation, proceeding or claim and (ii) does not include a statement as to or an admission of fault, culpability or a failure to act by or on behalf of any indemnified party.

(d) *Settlement without Consent if Failure to Reimburse.* If at any time an indemnified party shall have requested an indemnifying party to reimburse the indemnified party for fees and expenses of counsel, such indemnifying party agrees that it shall be liable for any settlement of the nature contemplated by Section 6(a)(ii) or settlement of any claim in connection with any violation referred to in Section 6(e) effected without its written consent if (i) such settlement is entered into more than 45 days after receipt by such indemnifying party of the aforesaid request, (ii) such indemnifying party shall have received notice of the terms of such settlement at least 30 days prior to such settlement being entered into and (iii) such indemnifying party shall not have reimbursed such indemnified party in accordance with such request prior to the date of such settlement.

(e) *Indemnification for Reserved Securities.* In connection with the offer and sale of the Reserved Securities, the Company agrees to indemnify and hold harmless the Underwriters, their Affiliates and selling agents and each person, if any, who controls any Underwriter within the meaning of either Section 15 of the 1933 Act or Section 20 of the 1934 Act, from and against any and all loss, liability, claim, damage and expense (including, without limitation, any legal or other expenses reasonably incurred in connection with defending, investigating or settling any such action or claim), as incurred, (i) arising out of the violation of any applicable laws or regulations of foreign jurisdictions where Reserved Securities have been offered, (ii) arising out of any untrue statement or alleged untrue statement of a material fact contained in any prospectus wrapper or other material prepared by or with the consent of the Company for distribution to Invitees in connection with the offering of the Reserved Securities or caused by any omission or alleged omission to state therein a material fact required to be stated therein or necessary to make the statements therein not misleading, (iii) caused by the failure of any Invitee to pay for and accept delivery of Reserved Securities which have been orally confirmed for purchase by any Invitee by 8:00 A.M. (New York City time) on the first business day after the date of the Agreement or (iv) related to, or arising out of or in connection with, the offering of the Reserved Securities.

SECTION 7. Contribution. If the indemnification provided for in Section 6 hereof is for any reason unavailable to or insufficient to hold harmless an indemnified party in respect of any losses, liabilities, claims, damages or expenses referred to therein, then each indemnifying party shall contribute to the aggregate amount of such losses, liabilities, claims, damages and expenses incurred by such indemnified party, as incurred, (i) in such proportion as is appropriate to reflect the relative benefits received by the Company and the Operating Partnership, on the one hand, and the Underwriters, on the other hand, from the offering of the Securities pursuant to this Agreement or (ii) if the allocation provided by clause (i) is not permitted by applicable law, in such proportion as is appropriate to reflect not only the relative benefits referred to in clause (i) above but also the relative fault of the Company and the Operating Partnership, on the one hand, and of the Underwriters, on the other hand, in connection with the statements or omissions, or in connection with any violation of the nature referred to in Section 6(e) hereof, which resulted in such losses, liabilities, claims, damages or expenses, as well as any other relevant equitable considerations.

The relative benefits received by the Company and the Operating Partnership, on the one hand, and the Underwriters, on the other hand, in connection with the offering of the Securities pursuant to this Agreement shall be deemed to be in the same respective proportions as the total net proceeds from the offering of the Securities pursuant to this Agreement (before deducting expenses) received by the Company and the Operating Partnership, on the one hand, and the total underwriting discount received by the Underwriters, on the other hand, in each case as set forth on the cover of the Prospectus, bear to the aggregate initial public offering price of the Securities as set forth on the cover of the Prospectus.

The relative fault of the Company and the Operating Partnership, on the one hand, and the Underwriters, on the other hand, shall be determined by reference to, among other things, whether any such untrue or alleged untrue statement of a material fact or omission or alleged omission to state a material fact relates to information supplied by the Company and the Operating Partnership or by the Underwriters and the parties' relative intent, knowledge, access to information and opportunity to correct or prevent such statement or omission or any violation of the nature referred to in Section 6(e) hereof.

The Company, the Operating Partnership and the Underwriters agree that it would not be just and equitable if contribution pursuant to this Section 7 were determined by pro rata allocation (even if the Underwriters were treated as one entity for such purpose) or by any other method of allocation which does not take account of the equitable considerations referred to above in this Section 7. The aggregate amount of losses, liabilities, claims, damages and expenses incurred by an indemnified party and referred to above in this Section 7 shall be deemed to include any legal or other expenses reasonably incurred by such indemnified party in investigating, preparing or defending against any litigation, or any investigation or proceeding by any governmental agency or body, commenced or threatened, or any claim whatsoever based upon any such untrue or alleged untrue statement or omission or alleged omission.

Notwithstanding the provisions of this Section 7, no Underwriter shall be required to contribute any amount in excess of the underwriting commissions received by such Underwriter in connection with the Shares underwritten by it and distributed to the public.

No person guilty of fraudulent misrepresentation (within the meaning of Section 11(f) of the 1933 Act) shall be entitled to contribution from any person who was not guilty of such fraudulent misrepresentation.

For purposes of this Section 7, each person, if any, who controls an Underwriter within the meaning of Section 15 of the 1933 Act or Section 20 of the 1934 Act and each Underwriter's Affiliates and selling agents shall have the same rights to contribution as such Underwriter, and each director of the Company, each officer of the Company who signed the Registration Statement, and each person, if any,

who controls the Company or the Operating Partnership within the meaning of Section 15 of the 1933 Act or Section 20 of the 1934 Act shall have the same rights to contribution as the Company or the Operating Partnership. The Underwriters' respective obligations to contribute pursuant to this Section 7 are several in proportion to the number of Initial Securities set forth opposite their respective names in Schedule A hereto and not joint.

The provisions of this Section shall not affect any agreement among the Company and the Operating Partnership with respect to contribution.

SECTION 8. Representations, Warranties and Agreements to Survive. All representations, warranties and agreements contained in this Agreement or in certificates of officers of the Company or any of its subsidiaries submitted pursuant hereto, shall remain operative and in full force and effect regardless of (i) any investigation made by or on behalf of any Underwriter or its Affiliates or selling agents, any person controlling any Underwriter, its officers or directors, any person controlling the Company or the Operating Partnership and (ii) delivery of and payment for the Securities.

SECTION 9. Termination of Agreement.

(a) *Termination*. The Representatives may terminate this Agreement, by notice to the Company, at any time at or prior to the Closing Time (i) if there has been, in the judgment of the Representatives, since the time of execution of this Agreement or since the respective dates as of which information is given in the Registration Statement, the General Disclosure Package or the Prospectus, any material adverse change in the condition, financial or otherwise, or in the earnings, business affairs or business prospects of the Company and its subsidiaries considered as one enterprise, whether or not arising in the ordinary course of business, or (ii) if there has occurred any material adverse change in the financial markets in the United States or the international financial markets, any outbreak of hostilities or escalation thereof or other calamity or crisis or any change or development involving a prospective change in national or international political, financial or economic conditions, in each case the effect of which is such as to make it, in the judgment of the Representatives, impracticable or inadvisable to proceed with the completion of the offering or to enforce contracts for the sale of the Securities, or (iii) if trading in any securities of the Company has been suspended or materially limited by the Commission or the NYSE, or (iv) if trading generally on the NYSE Amex or the NYSE or in the Nasdaq Global Market has been suspended or materially limited, or minimum or maximum prices for trading have been fixed, or maximum ranges for prices have been required, by any of said exchanges or by order of the Commission, FINRA or any other governmental authority, or (v) a material disruption has occurred in commercial banking or securities settlement or clearance services in the United States or with respect to Clearstream or Euroclear systems in Europe, or (vi) if a banking moratorium has been declared by either Federal or New York authorities.

(b) *Liabilities*. If this Agreement is terminated pursuant to this Section, such termination shall be without liability of any party to any other party except as provided in Section 4 hereof, and provided further that Sections 1, 6, 7, 8, 14 and 15 shall survive such termination and remain in full force and effect.

SECTION 10. Default by One or More of the Underwriters. If one or more of the Underwriters shall fail at Closing Time or a Date of Delivery to purchase the Securities which it or they are obligated to purchase under this Agreement (the "Defaulted Securities"), the Representatives shall have the right, within 24 hours thereafter, to make arrangements for one or more of the non-defaulting Underwriters, or any other underwriters, to purchase all, but not less than all, of the Defaulted Securities in such amounts as may be agreed upon and upon the terms herein set forth; if, however, the Representatives shall not have completed such arrangements within such 24-hour period, then:

(i) if the number of Defaulted Securities does not exceed 10% of the number of Securities to be purchased on such date, each of the non-defaulting Underwriters shall be obligated, severally and not jointly, to purchase the full amount thereof in the proportions that their respective underwriting obligations hereunder bear to the underwriting obligations of all non-defaulting Underwriters, or

(ii) if the number of Defaulted Securities exceeds 10% of the number of Securities to be purchased on such date, this Agreement or, with respect to any Date of Delivery which occurs after the Closing Time, the obligation of the Underwriters to purchase, and the Company to sell, the Option Securities to be purchased and sold on such Date of Delivery shall terminate without liability on the part of any non-defaulting Underwriter.

No action taken pursuant to this Section shall relieve any defaulting Underwriter from liability in respect of its default.

In the event of any such default which does not result in a termination of this Agreement or, in the case of a Date of Delivery which is after the Closing Time, which does not result in a termination of the obligation of the Underwriters to purchase and the Company to sell the relevant Option Securities, as the case may be, either the (i) Representatives or (ii) the Company shall have the right to postpone Closing Time or the relevant Date of Delivery, as the case may be, for a period not exceeding seven days in order to effect any required changes in the Registration Statement, the General Disclosure Package or the Prospectus or in any other documents or arrangements. As used herein, the term "Underwriter" includes any person substituted for an Underwriter under this Section 10.

SECTION 11. Notices. All notices and other communications hereunder shall be in writing and shall be deemed to have been duly given if mailed or transmitted by any standard form of telecommunication. Notices to the Underwriters shall be directed to Merrill Lynch at One Bryant Park, New York, New York 10036, attention of Syndicate Department (facsimile: (646) 855-3073), with a copy to ECM Legal (facsimile: (212) 230-8730) with a copy to (which shall not constitute notice) Hunton & Williams LLP, Bank of America Plaza, Suite 4100, 60 Peachtree Street, NE, Atlanta, Georgia 30308, attention of Christopher C. Green (facsimile (404) 888-4190); notices to the Company shall be directed to it at 11620 Wilshire Boulevard, Suite 300, attention of Michael S. Frankel.

SECTION 12. No Advisory or Fiduciary Relationship. The Company and its subsidiaries acknowledge and agree that (a) the purchase and sale of the Securities pursuant to this Agreement, including the determination of the initial public offering price of the Securities and any related discounts and commissions, is an arm's-length commercial transaction between the Company and its subsidiaries, on the one hand, and the several Underwriters, on the other hand, (b) in connection with the offering of the Securities and the process leading thereto, each Underwriter is and has been acting solely as a principal and is not the agent or fiduciary of the Company, any of its subsidiaries, or their respective stockholders, equity interest holders, creditors, employees or any other party, (c) no Underwriter has assumed or will assume an advisory or fiduciary responsibility in favor of the Company or its subsidiaries with respect to the offering of the Securities or the process leading thereto (irrespective of whether such Underwriter has advised or is currently advising the Company or any of its subsidiaries on other matters) and no Underwriter has any obligation to the Company or any of its subsidiaries with respect to the offering of the Securities except the obligations expressly set forth in this Agreement, (d) the Underwriters and their respective affiliates may be engaged in a broad range of transactions that involve interests that differ from those of each of the Company and its subsidiaries, and (e) none of the Underwriters or legal counsel for the Underwriters has provided any legal, accounting, regulatory or tax advice to the Company or its subsidiaries with respect to the offering of the Securities and the Company and its subsidiaries have consulted their own respective legal, accounting, regulatory and tax advisors to the extent they deemed appropriate.

SECTION 13. Parties. This Agreement shall each inure to the benefit of and be binding upon the Underwriters, the Company and the Operating Partnership and their respective successors. Nothing expressed or mentioned in this Agreement is intended or shall be construed to give any person, firm or corporation, other than the Underwriters, the Company and the Operating Partnership and their respective successors and the controlling persons and officers and directors referred to in Sections 6 and 7 and their heirs and legal representatives, any legal or equitable right, remedy or claim under or in respect of this Agreement or any provision herein contained. This Agreement and all conditions and provisions hereof are intended to be for the sole and exclusive benefit of the Underwriters, the Company and the Operating Partnership and their respective successors, and said controlling persons and officers and directors and their heirs and legal representatives, and for the benefit of no other person, firm or corporation. No purchaser of Securities from any Underwriter shall be deemed to be a successor by reason merely of such purchase.

SECTION 14. Trial by Jury. The Company (on its behalf and, to the extent permitted by applicable law, on behalf of its stockholders and affiliates), the Operating Partnership and each of the Underwriters hereby irrevocably waives, to the fullest extent permitted by applicable law, any and all right to trial by jury in any legal proceeding arising out of or relating to this Agreement or the transactions contemplated hereby.

SECTION 15. GOVERNING LAW. THIS AGREEMENT AND ANY CLAIM, CONTROVERSY OR DISPUTE ARISING UNDER OR RELATED TO THIS AGREEMENT SHALL BE GOVERNED BY, AND CONSTRUED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE LAWS OF, THE STATE OF NEW YORK.

SECTION 16. TIME. TIME SHALL BE OF THE ESSENCE OF THIS AGREEMENT. EXCEPT AS OTHERWISE SET FORTH HEREIN, SPECIFIED TIMES OF DAY REFER TO NEW YORK CITY TIME.

SECTION 17. Counterparts. This Agreement may be executed in any number of counterparts, each of which shall be deemed to be an original, but all such counterparts shall together constitute one and the same Agreement.

SECTION 18. Effect of Headings. The Section headings herein are for convenience only and shall not affect the construction hereof.

If the foregoing is in accordance with your understanding of our agreement, please sign and return to the Company a counterpart hereof, whereupon this instrument, along with all counterparts, will become a binding agreement among the Underwriters, the Company and the Operating Partnership in accordance with its terms.

Very truly yours,

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, INC.

By: /s/ Howard Schwimmer

Name: Howard Schwimmer

Title: Co-Chief Executive Officer

By: /s/ Michael Frankel

Name: Michael S. Frankel

Title: Co-Chief Executive Officer

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, L.P.

By: Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc., its general partner

By: /s/ Howard Schwimmer

Name: Howard Schwimmer

Title: Co-Chief Executive Officer

By: /s/ Michael Frankel

Name: Michael S. Frankel

Title: Co-Chief Executive Officer

[Signature page to Underwriting Agreement.]

CONFIRMED AND ACCEPTED,
as of the date first above written:

MERRILL LYNCH, PIERCE, FENNER & SMITH
INCORPORATED

By /s/ Brad Smith
Authorized Signatory

FBR CAPITAL MARKETS & CO.

By /s/ Bradley Wright
Authorized Signatory

WELLS FARGO SECURITIES, LLC

By /s/ David Herman
Authorized Signatory

J.P. MORGAN SECURITIES LLC

By /s/ Karin Ross
Authorized Signatory

For themselves and as Representatives of the other Underwriters named in Schedule A hereto.

[Signature page to Underwriting Agreement.]

SCHEDULE A

The initial public offering price per share for the Securities shall be \$14.00.

The purchase price per share for the Securities to be paid by the several Underwriters shall be \$13.02, being an amount equal to the initial public offering price set forth above less \$0.98 per share, subject to adjustment in accordance with Section 2(b) for dividends or distributions declared by the Company and payable on the Initial Securities but not payable on the Option Securities.

Name of Underwriter	Number of Initial Securities
Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith Incorporated	5,440,000
FBR Capital Markets & Co.	3,680,000
Wells Fargo Securities, LLC	3,680,000
J.P. Morgan Securities LLC	2,000,000
PNC Capital Markets LLC	640,000
RBS Securities Inc.	560,000
Total	<u>16,000,000</u>

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SCHEDULE B-1

Pricing Terms

1. The Company is selling 16,000,000 shares of Common Stock.
2. The Company has granted an option to the Underwriters, severally and not jointly, to purchase up to an additional 2,400,000 shares of Common Stock.
3. The initial public offering price per share for the Securities shall be \$14.00.

SCHEDULE B-2

Free Writing Prospectuses

None.

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SCHEDULE C

List of Formation Transaction Documents

Contribution Agreements

1. Contribution Agreement by and among Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P. and Rexford Industrial Fund I, LLC, dated as of July 24, 2013.
2. Contribution Agreement by and among Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P. and Rexford Industrial Fund II, LLC, dated as of July 24, 2013.
3. Contribution Agreement by and among Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P. and Rexford Industrial Fund III, LLC, dated as of July 24, 2013.
4. Contribution Agreement by and among Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P. and Rexford Industrial Fund IV, LLC, dated as of July 24, 2013.
5. Contribution Agreement by and among Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P. and Allen Ziman, as Special Trustee of the Declaration of Trust of Jeanette Rubin Trust, dated August 16, 1979, as amended, dated as of July 24, 2013.
6. Contribution Agreement by and among Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P. and the Contributors named therein, dated as of July 24, 2013.
7. Contribution Agreement by and among Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P. and Christopher Baer, dated as of July 24, 2013.

Merger Agreements

1. Agreement and Plan of Merger by and among Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc. and Rexford Industrial Fund V REIT, LLC, dated as of July 24, 2013.
2. Agreement and Plan of Merger by and among Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc., Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P. and Rexford Industrial Fund V, LP, dated as of July 24, 2013.
3. Agreement and Plan of Merger by and among Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc., Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P., Rexford Fund V Manager Sub LLC and Rexford Sponsor V LLC, dated as of July 24, 2013.
4. Agreement and Plan of Merger by and among Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc., Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P., Rexford Sponsor V Merger Sub LLC and Rexford Fund V Manager LLC, dated as of July 24, 2013.
5. Agreement and Plan of Merger by and among Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc., Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P., Rexford Industrial Merger Sub LLC and Rexford Industrial LLC, dated as of July 24, 2013.

Representation, Warranty and Indemnity Agreement

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1. Representation, Warranty and Indemnity Agreement by and among Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc., Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P., Richard Ziman, Howard Schwimmer and Michael S. Frankel, dated as of July 24, 2013.

Indemnity Escrow Agreement

1. Indemnity Escrow Agreement by and among Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc., Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P., Richard Ziman, Howard Schwimmer and Michael S. Frankel, dated as of July 24, 2013.

SCHEDULE D

List of Persons and Entities Subject to Lock-up

Richard Ziman
Howard Schwimmer
Michael S. Frankel
Adeel Khan
Robert L. Antin
Leslie E. Bider
Steven C. Good
Joel S. Marcus

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SCHEDULE E

Officers and Key Persons Subject to Non-Compete/Confidentiality Agreements

Shannon Lewis

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SCHEDULE F

1. Credit Agreement dated July 24, 2013, among Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P., as Borrower, Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc., as Parent, Bank of America, N.A., as Administrative Agent, Swing Line Lender and L/C Issuer, The Other Lenders Party Thereto, and Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith Incorporated, as Sole Lead Arranger and Sole Bookrunner.
2. Term Loan Agreement, dated July 24, 2013, among RIF I—Don Julian, LLC, RIF I—Lewis Road, LLC, RIF I—Walnut, LLC, RIF I—Oxnard, LLC, RIF II—Kaiser, LLC and RIF III—Irwindale, LLC, collectively as Borrower, and Bank of America, N.A., as Lender.
3. Unconditional Guaranty Agreement, executed as of July 24, 2013, by the Subsidiary Guarantors party thereto, for the benefit of the Credit Parties (as defined therein).

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REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, INC.

CERTIFICATE OF CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER

July 18, 2013

I, Adeel Khan, Chief Financial Officer (“CFO”) of Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc., a Maryland corporation (the “Company”), pursuant to the Underwriting Agreement, dated as of July 18, 2013 (the “Underwriting Agreement”), among the Company, Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P., a Maryland limited partnership, and Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith Incorporated, FBR Capital Markets & Co., Wells Fargo Securities, LLC and J.P. Morgan Securities LLC, on behalf of the several underwriters named on Schedule A to the Underwriting Agreement (the “Underwriters”), do hereby certify, in my capacity as CFO, on behalf of the Company to the Underwriters as of the date first written above that:

1. I am providing this certificate in connection with the offering (the “Offering”) by the Company of its shares of common stock, \$0.01 par value per share, pursuant to the Underwriting Agreement. Capitalized terms used herein with definition have the meanings ascribed to them in the Underwriting Agreement.
2. I have reviewed and supervised the preparation of the financial statements and other financial data included in the latest Preliminary Prospectus included in the Registration Statement or filed pursuant to Rule 424(b) prior to or on the date hereof (the “Preliminary Prospectus”).
3. In connection with the drafting of the Preliminary Prospectus, I have reviewed the circled information contained on the attached Exhibit A (the “Circled Information”), which is included in the Preliminary Prospectus. To the best of my knowledge after reasonable investigation, the Circled Information is true, correct and accurate, in each case in all material respects.

This certificate is being furnished to the Underwriters solely to assist them in conducting and documenting their investigation of the affairs of the Company and its subsidiaries in connection with the Offering. This certificate shall not be used, quoted or otherwise referred to without the prior written consent of the Company.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has executed and delivered this Chief Financial Officer's Certificate on behalf of the Company as of the date first written above.

Very truly yours,

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, INC.

By: _____
Name: Adeel Khan
Title: Chief Financial Officer

Exhibit A

(Circled Information)

—, 2013

Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith
Incorporated

FBR Capital Markets & Co.

Wells Fargo Securities, LLC

J.P. Morgan Securities LLC

as Representative(s) of the several
Underwriters to be named in the
within-mentioned Underwriting Agreement

c/o Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith
Incorporated

One Bryant Park
New York, New York 10036

Re: Proposed Public Offering by Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc.

Dear Sirs:

The undersigned, an [officer/director]¹ of Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc., a Maryland corporation (the “Company”), understands that Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith Incorporated (“Merrill Lynch”), FBR Capital Markets & Co. (“FBR”), Wells Fargo Securities, LLC (“Wells Fargo”) and J.P. Morgan Securities LLC propose to enter into an Underwriting Agreement (the “Underwriting Agreement”) with the Company and Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P. (the “Operating Partnership”) providing for the public offering of shares (the “Securities”) of the Company’s common stock, par value \$0.01 per share (the “Common Stock”). In recognition of the benefit that such an offering will confer upon the undersigned as an [officer/director] of the Company, and for other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the undersigned agrees with each underwriter to be named in the Underwriting Agreement that, during the period beginning on the date hereof and ending on the date that is 180 days from the date of the Underwriting Agreement, the undersigned will not, without the prior written consent of Merrill Lynch, FBR or Wells Fargo, directly or indirectly, (i) offer, pledge, sell, contract to sell, sell any option or contract to purchase, purchase any option or contract to sell, grant any option, right or warrant for the sale of, or otherwise dispose of or transfer any shares of the Company’s Common Stock or any securities convertible into or exchangeable or exercisable for Common Stock, whether now owned or hereafter acquired by the undersigned or with respect to which the undersigned has or hereafter acquires the power of disposition (collectively, the “Lock-Up Securities”), or exercise any right with respect to the registration of any of the Lock-up

¹ Delete or revise bracketed language as appropriate.

Securities, or file or cause to be filed any registration statement in connection therewith, under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or (ii) enter into any swap or any other agreement or any transaction that transfers, in whole or in part, directly or indirectly, the economic consequence of ownership of the Lock-Up Securities, whether any such swap or transaction is to be settled by delivery of Common Stock or other securities, in cash or otherwise. If the undersigned is an officer or director of the Company, the undersigned further agrees that the foregoing provisions shall be equally applicable to any issuer-directed Securities the undersigned may purchase in the offering.

Notwithstanding the foregoing, and subject to the conditions below, the undersigned may transfer the Lock-Up Securities without the prior written consent of Merrill Lynch, FBR or Wells Fargo, provided that (1) Merrill Lynch, FBR and Wells Fargo receive a signed lock-up agreement for the balance of the lockup period from each donee, trustee, distributee, or transferee, as the case may be, (2) any such transfer shall not involve a disposition for value, (3) such transfers are not required to be reported with the Securities and Exchange Commission on Form 4 in accordance with Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, and (4) the undersigned does not otherwise voluntarily effect any public filing or report regarding such transfers:

- (i) to the Company pursuant to the exercise and issuance of options;
- (ii) as a bona fide gift or gifts or other dispositions by will or intestacy;
- (iii) to any trust for the direct or indirect benefit of the undersigned or the immediate family of the undersigned, provided that the trustee of the trust agrees to be bound in writing by the restrictions set forth herein;
- (iv) to an immediate family member, a partnership or limited liability company solely for the direct or indirect benefit of the undersigned or the immediate family member for the undersigned, provided that such immediate family member, partnership or limited liability company agrees to be bound in writing by the restrictions set forth herein;
- (v) to a spouse, former spouse, child or other dependent pursuant to a domestic relations order or an order of competent jurisdiction;
- (vi) as a distribution to stockholders, partners or members of the undersigned;
- (vii) to the undersigned's affiliates or to any investment fund or other entity controlled or managed by the undersigned;
- (viii) any transfer required under any benefit plans of the Company or the bylaws of the Company;
- (ix) as required by participants in the Company's 2013 Equity Incentive Plan in order to reimburse or pay federal income tax and withholding obligations in connection with vesting of restricted stock grants; or
- (x) to a nominee or custodian of a person or entity to whom a disposition or transfer would be permissible under clauses (i) through (ix) above.

For purposes of this agreement, "immediate family" shall mean any relationship by blood, marriage or adoption, not more remote than first cousin.

Furthermore, the undersigned may sell shares of Common Stock of the Company purchased by the undersigned on the open market following the Public Offering if and only if (i) such sales are not required to be reported in any public report or filing with the Securities Exchange Commission, or otherwise and (ii) the undersigned does not otherwise voluntarily effect any public filing or report regarding such sales.

The undersigned agrees that, prior to engaging in any transaction or taking any other action that is subject to the terms of this lock-up agreement during the period from the date of this lock-up agreement to and including the 34th day following the expiration of the initial 180-day lock-up period, it will give notice thereof to the Company and will not consummate such transaction or take any such action unless it has received written confirmation from the Company that the 180-day lock-up period has expired.

The undersigned also agrees and consents to the entry of stop transfer instructions with the Company's transfer agent and registrar against the transfer of the Lock-Up Securities except in compliance with the foregoing restrictions.

Very truly yours,

Signature: _____

Print Name: _____

CONTRIBUTION AGREEMENT

by and among

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, L.P.,

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, INC.,

and

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL FUND I, LLC

Dated as of July 24, 2013

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CONTRIBUTION AGREEMENT

THIS CONTRIBUTION AGREEMENT is made and entered into as of July 24, 2013 (this "Agreement"), by and among Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc., a Maryland corporation (the "REIT"), Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P., a Maryland limited partnership (the "Operating Partnership") and a subsidiary of the REIT, and Rexford Industrial Fund I, LLC, a California limited liability company (the "Contributor"). Certain capitalized terms are defined in Section 6.02 of this Agreement.

RECITALS

WHEREAS, the REIT desires to consolidate the ownership of a portfolio of properties currently owned, directly or indirectly, by certain entities each as described on Exhibit A hereto;

WHEREAS, concurrently with the execution of this Agreement, Rexford Industrial Fund V REIT, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company ("RIF V REIT"), will enter into an agreement and plan of merger with the REIT pursuant to which RIF V REIT will merge with and into the REIT and the equity interest in RIF V REIT will be converted automatically into the right to receive cash, without interest, or shares of common stock of the REIT, par value \$.01 per share ("REIT Shares");

WHEREAS, concurrently with the execution of this Agreement, Rexford Industrial Fund V, LP, a Delaware limited partnership ("RIF V Fund"), will enter into an agreement and plan of merger with the Operating Partnership pursuant to which RIF V Fund will merge with and into the Operating Partnership and the partnership interests in RIF V Fund will be (a) converted automatically into the right to receive cash, without interest, REIT Shares and/or common units of partnership interest in the Operating Partnership ("OP Units") and (b) in the case of the partnership interests in RIF V Fund held by RIF V Manager or the REIT, cancelled;

WHEREAS, concurrently with the execution of this Agreement, Rexford Sponsor V LLC, a Delaware limited liability company ("Sponsor"), will enter into an agreement and plan of merger pursuant to which Sponsor will merge with and into a direct wholly-owned subsidiary of the Operating Partnership with Sponsor as the surviving entity, and the equity interests in Sponsor will be converted automatically into the right to receive cash, without interest, OP Units and/or REIT Shares;

WHEREAS, concurrently with the execution of this Agreement, Rexford Industrial, LLC, a California limited liability company ("RI LLC"), will enter into an agreement and plan of merger pursuant to which RI LLC will merge with and into a direct wholly-owned subsidiary of the Operating Partnership, with RI LLC as the surviving entity, and the equity interests in RI LLC will be converted automatically into the right to receive cash, without interest, OP Units and/or REIT Shares;

WHEREAS, concurrently with the execution of this Agreement, Rexford Fund V Manager LLC, a Delaware limited liability company ("RIF V Manager"), will enter into an agreement and plan of merger pursuant to which RIF V Manager will merge with and into an indirect wholly-owned subsidiary of the Operating Partnership, with RIF V Manager as the surviving entity, and the equity interests in RIF V Manager will be converted automatically into the right to receive cash, without interest, OP Units and/or REIT Shares;

WHEREAS, concurrently with the completion of the transactions described in the preceding paragraphs, the parties to this Agreement wish to effect a transaction pursuant to which (a) the Contributor will contribute to the Operating Partnership all of the Contributor's direct and indirect interests (the "Contributed Interests") in the entities identified under the heading "Contributed Entities - Rexford Industrial Fund I, LLC" on Exhibit A hereto (the "Contributed Entities"), the Contributed Properties and the other Contributed Assets identified herein, and (b) the Operating Partnership shall acquire from the Contributor, all of the Contributor's right, title and interest in and to such Contributed Interests, Contributed Properties and the other Contributed Assets, in exchange for a combination of cash, without interest, REIT Shares and/or OP Units and the assumption by the Operating Partnership of the Assumed Liabilities, all on the terms and subject to the conditions set forth herein;

WHEREAS, concurrently with the execution of this Agreement, each of Rexford Industrial Fund II, LLC, Rexford Industrial Fund III, LLC and Rexford Industrial Fund IV, LLC (each such entity, the Contributor, RIF V REIT and RIF V Fund may be referred to herein as a "RIF Fund Entity") will enter into a contribution agreement with the REIT and the Operating Partnership on substantially the same terms as this Contribution Agreement (the "Other RIF Fund Contribution Agreements");

WHEREAS, in the event that all members of the Contributor or another RIF Fund Entity return duly executed and completed Consent Forms approving the Formation Transactions, then, in lieu of this Agreement or the applicable Other RIF Fund Contribution Agreement, the REIT may elect to cause the applicable RIF Fund Entity to enter into an agreement and plan of merger with the Operating Partnership pursuant to which such RIF Fund Entity will merge with and into the Operating Partnership and the membership interests in such RIF Fund Entity will be converted automatically into the right to receive cash, REIT Shares and/or OP Units;

WHEREAS, the Formation Transactions relate to the initial public offering of the REIT Shares or, depending on prevailing market conditions at the time of the offering, a private offering of the REIT Shares (the "Offering"), following which the REIT will operate as a self-administered and self-managed real estate investment trust within the meaning of Section 856 of the Code;

WHEREAS, substantially concurrently with the completion of the Formation Transactions and the Offering, the REIT will contribute to the Operating Partnership, all of the assets (other than OP Units), rights and obligations acquired by the REIT as a result of the Formation Transactions and the Offering; and

WHEREAS, all necessary approvals have been obtained by each of the Operating Partnership and the Contributor to consummate the transactions contemplated herein and by the other Formation Transaction Documentation.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the foregoing and the representations, warranties, covenants and other terms contained in this Agreement, the parties hereto, intending to be legally bound hereby, agree as follows:

ARTICLE I
CONTRIBUTION

Section 1.01 CONTRIBUTION TRANSACTION; ASSIGNMENT AND ASSUMPTION OF ASSUMED LIABILITIES.

(a) At the Closing and subject to the terms and conditions contained in this Agreement and in accordance with applicable Laws, the Contributor hereby contributes, assigns, sets over, transfers, conveys and delivers to the Operating Partnership, absolutely and unconditionally and free and clear of all Liens (other than those arising under Organizational Documents of the applicable Rexford Entities and Permitted Liens with respect to the Contributed Properties), all of its right, title and interest in and to the Contributed Assets, including all rights to indemnification in favor of the Contributor under the Organizational Documents; *provided*, that the Operating Partnership accepts the assignment by the Contributor and agrees to be bound by the terms of the Organizational Documents governing the Contributor's Contributed Interests and undertakes, assumes and agrees punctually and faithfully to perform, pay or discharge when due and otherwise in accordance with its terms, all agreements, covenants, conditions, obligations and liabilities of the Contributor in the applicable Rexford Entities with respect to the Contributor's Contributed Interests on or after the Closing Date.

(b) At the Closing and subject to the terms and conditions contained in this Agreement, the Operating Partnership assumes and agrees to pay, perform and discharge all of the Assumed Liabilities.

(c) Without limiting the foregoing, the Contributor, on behalf of itself and its Affiliates, consents to, and agrees and acknowledges that all requirements and conditions for the transactions contemplated by this Agreement, including the transfer of the Contributed Assets and the admission of the Operating Partnership as a partner or member of each of the Contributed Entities have been satisfied or otherwise waived.

(d) All of the parties hereto agree that, as a result of the assignment and assumptions hereunder, for purposes of the Organizational Documents governing the Contributed Entities, the Operating Partnership shall be a substituted general partner, limited partner, manager or member, as the case may be, of the applicable Contributed Entity.

Section 1.02 CONSIDERATION.

(a) At Closing, subject to the terms and conditions contained in this Agreement, the Contributor shall receive cash, OP Units and/or REIT Shares with an aggregate value equal to the Equity Value represented by the Contributed Assets (collectively referred to as the "Contribution Consideration"). The parties acknowledge that, concurrently with the Closing,

the Contributor expects to distribute the Contribution Consideration to its members in accordance with irrevocable elections made by the members of the Contributor in a Consent Form submitted by such members to the Contributor, or, if any such member has failed to submit a Consent Form, in accordance with determinations made by the Contributor. As a means of expediting such distribution, the Operating Partnership agrees to deliver such cash, OP Units and/or REIT Shares directly to such members as the nominees of the Contributor (the "Nominees"). The transfer of OP Units to any Nominee shall be evidenced by an entry to the Register (as defined in the Operating Partnership Agreement), and the transfer of REIT Shares to any Nominee shall be evidenced by the establishment of a credit to a book-entry account at the REIT's transfer agent. Subject to Section 1.03, the amount of cash, number of OP Units and/or REIT Shares comprising the Contribution Consideration attributable to each Nominee shall be as follows:

(i) Cash. One hundred percent (100%) of the Allocated Share attributable to a Nominee who is not an Accredited Investor shall be paid in cash.

(ii) OP Units. The Elected OP Unit Percentage of the Allocated Share attributable to a Nominee who is an Accredited Investor shall be distributed in whole OP Units in the form of a number of OP Units equal to the applicable portion of such Allocated Share divided by the Offering Price; and

(iii) REIT Shares. The Elected REIT Shares Percentage of the Allocated Share attributable to a Nominee who is an Accredited Investor shall be distributed in whole REIT Shares in the form of a number of REIT Shares equal to the applicable portion of such Allocated Share divided by the Offering Price; *provided, that* to the extent such distribution of REIT Shares to such Nominee would result in a violation of the restrictions on ownership and transfer set forth in Section 6.2.1 of the REIT's charter (the "Ownership Limits"), such Nominee shall receive (x) the maximum number of whole REIT Shares that would not result in such violation of the Ownership Limits, and (y) that number of whole OP Units equal to the remaining number of REIT Shares not distributed as a result of the application of the foregoing clause (x).

(b) At Closing, each Nominee receiving OP Units in accordance with the foregoing shall be admitted as a limited partner of the Operating Partnership. By executing and delivering a Consent Form, each Nominee has agreed and accepted all of the terms and conditions of the Operating Partnership Agreement and shall be deemed to have executed and delivered a counterpart signature page to the Operating Partnership Agreement.

Section 1.03 FRACTIONAL INTEREST. No fractional OP Units or REIT Shares shall be issued pursuant to this Agreement or the other Formation Transaction Documentation. All fractional OP Units that a Nominee would otherwise be entitled to receive as a result of the Formation Transactions shall be aggregated, and the Nominee shall receive the number of whole OP Units resulting from such aggregation and, in lieu of any fractional OP Unit resulting from such aggregation, an amount in cash determined by multiplying that fraction of an OP Unit to which the Nominee would otherwise have been entitled, by the Offering Price. All fractional REIT Shares that a Nominee would otherwise be entitled to receive as a result of the Formation Transactions shall be aggregated, and the Nominee shall receive the number of whole REIT

Shares resulting from such aggregation and, in lieu of any fractional REIT Share resulting from such aggregation, an amount in cash determined by multiplying that fraction of a REIT Share to which the Nominee would otherwise have been entitled, by the Offering Price. No interest will be paid or will accrue on any cash paid or payable in lieu of any fractional OP Unit or REIT Share.

Section 1.04 FURTHER ACTION. If, at any time after the Closing, the Operating Partnership shall determine or be advised that any deeds, bills of sale, assignments (including any intellectual property assignments), assurances or any other actions or things are necessary or desirable to vest, perfect or confirm of record or otherwise in the Operating Partnership the right, title or interest in or to any Contributed Assets, the Contributor shall execute and deliver all such deeds, bills of sale, assignments (including any intellectual property assignments) and assurances and take and do all such other actions and things as may be necessary or desirable to vest, perfect or confirm any and all right, title and interest in such Contributed Assets or otherwise to carry out this Agreement.

Section 1.05 CALCULATION OF CONTRIBUTION CONSIDERATION. As soon as practicable following the determination of the Offering Price and prior to the Closing, all calculations relating to the Contribution Consideration shall be performed in good faith by, or under the direction of, the REIT and the Operating Partnership, and the parties hereby agree that, absent manifest error, such calculations shall be final and binding upon the Contributor and each Nominee.

ARTICLE II

CLOSING

Section 2.01 CONDITIONS PRECEDENT.

(a) Condition to Each Party's Obligations. The respective obligation of each party to effect the contributions contemplated by this Agreement and to consummate the other transactions contemplated hereby to occur on the Closing Date is subject to the satisfaction or waiver on or prior to the Closing of the following conditions:

(i) Registration Statement. If the REIT undertakes a public Offering, the public Offering registration statement must have been declared effective under the Securities Act and will not be the subject of any stop order or proceedings by the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC") seeking a stop order. This condition may not be waived by any party.

(ii) No Injunction. No Governmental Authority of competent jurisdiction shall have enacted, issued, promulgated, enforced or entered any statute, rule, regulation, executive order, decree, judgment, injunction, stay or other order (whether temporary, preliminary or permanent), in any case which is in effect and which prevents or prohibits consummation of any of the transactions contemplated in this Agreement nor shall any of the same brought by a Governmental Authority of competent jurisdiction be pending or threatened that seeks the foregoing.

(iii) Operating Partnership Agreement. The Operating Partnership Agreement, in substantially the form attached hereto as Exhibit B, shall have been executed and delivered by the partners of the Operating Partnership and shall be in full force and effect and, except as contemplated by Section 2.03 or the other Formation Transaction Documents, shall not have been amended or modified.

(b) Conditions to the Obligations of the Operating Partnership. The obligations of the Operating Partnership to effect the contribution contemplated by this Agreement and to consummate the other transactions contemplated hereby to occur on the Closing Date are further subject to satisfaction of the following conditions (any of which may be waived by the Operating Partnership in whole or in part):

(i) Representations and Warranties. The representations and warranties of the Contributor contained in this Agreement shall be true and correct in all material respects at the Closing as if made again at that time (except to the extent that any representation or warranty speaks as of an earlier date, in which case it must be true and correct only as of that earlier date).

(ii) Performance by the Contributor. The Contributor shall have performed each of the agreements and covenants required by this Agreement to be performed or complied with by it on or prior to the Closing Date and the Contributor shall not have breached any of its covenants contained herein in any material respect.

(iii) Offering Closing. The closing of the Offering shall occur substantially concurrently with the Closing.

(iv) Consents, Etc. All necessary consents and approvals of Governmental Authorities or third parties (including lenders) for the Contributor to consummate the transactions contemplated hereby shall have been obtained.

(v) No Fund Material Adverse Effect. There shall have not occurred between the date hereof and the Closing Date a Fund Material Adverse Effect.

(vi) Formation Transactions. The Formation Transactions shall have been or shall be consummated substantially concurrently in accordance with the timing set forth in the respective Formation Transaction Documentation.

(vii) Lock-Up Agreement. Each Nominee receiving REIT Shares or OP Units shall have entered into the Lock-Up Agreement substantially in the form attached as Exhibit C.

(viii) Tax Matters Agreement. Any Nominee that will receive OP Units in the contribution contemplated by this Agreement and that (1) owns, directly or indirectly, an interest in any Contributed Property specified in the Tax Matters Agreement or (2) has been provided an opportunity to guarantee debt as set forth in the Tax Matters Agreement shall have entered into the Tax Matters Agreement substantially in the form attached as Exhibit D, if applicable.

(c) Conditions to the Obligations of the Contributor. The obligation of the Contributor to effect the contribution contemplated by this Agreement and to consummate the other transactions contemplated hereby to occur on the Closing Date are further subject to satisfaction of the following conditions (any of which may be waived by the Contributor in whole or in part):

(i) Representations and Warranties. Except as would not have an OP Material Adverse Effect, the representations and warranties of the Operating Partnership contained in this Agreement shall be true and correct at the Closing as if made again at that time (except to the extent that any representation or warranty speaks as of an earlier date, in which case it must be true and correct only as of that earlier date).

(ii) Performance by the Operating Partnership. Except as would not have an OP Material Adverse Effect, the Operating Partnership shall have performed all agreements and covenants required by this Agreement to be performed or complied with by it on or prior to the Closing Date.

(iii) Registration Rights Agreement. The REIT shall have entered into the Registration Rights Agreement, substantially in the form attached as Exhibit E hereto. This condition may not be waived by any party hereto.

(iv) Tax Matters Agreement. If the Contributor (1) owns, directly or indirectly, an interest in any Contributed Property specified in the Tax Matters Agreement or (2) has any members that have been provided an opportunity to guarantee debt as set forth in the Tax Matters Agreement, the REIT and the Operating Partnership shall have entered into the Tax Matters Agreement substantially in the form attached as Exhibit D, if applicable.

Section 2.02 TIME AND PLACE. Unless this Agreement shall have been terminated pursuant to Section 2.06, and subject to the satisfaction or waiver of the conditions in Section 2.01, the closing of the contributions contemplated by Section 1.01 and the other transactions contemplated by this Agreement shall occur substantially concurrently with the receipt by the REIT of the proceeds from the Offering from the underwriters (the “Closing” or the “Closing Date”) in the order set forth on Exhibit F. The Closing shall take place at the offices of Latham & Watkins LLP, 355 South Grand Avenue, Los Angeles, California 90071 or such other place as determined by the REIT in its sole discretion.

Section 2.03 DELIVERY OF CONTRIBUTION CONSIDERATION.

(a) Subject to Section 5.03(a), as soon as reasonably practicable after the Closing, the Operating Partnership shall deliver to the Nominees the Contribution Consideration payable in the amounts and form provided in Section 1.02(a). The issuance of any OP Units and admission of the recipients thereof as limited partners of the Operating Partnership pursuant to Section 1.02(b) shall be evidenced by an entry to the Register. Any certificate representing REIT Shares issuable as Contribution Consideration shall bear the following legend:

THE SECURITIES REPRESENTED HEREBY HAVE NOT BEEN REGISTERED UNDER THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933, AS AMENDED (THE “ACT”), OR THE SECURITIES LAWS OF ANY STATE AND MAY NOT BE SOLD, TRANSFERRED OR OTHERWISE DISPOSED OF IN THE ABSENCE OF SUCH REGISTRATION, UNLESS THE TRANSFEROR DELIVERS TO THE CORPORATION AN OPINION OF COUNSEL SATISFACTORY TO THE CORPORATION, TO THE EFFECT THAT THE PROPOSED SALE, TRANSFER OR OTHER DISPOSITION MAY BE EFFECTED WITHOUT REGISTRATION UNDER THE ACT AND UNDER APPLICABLE STATE SECURITIES OR “BLUE SKY” LAWS.

THE SHARES REPRESENTED BY THIS CERTIFICATE ARE SUBJECT TO RESTRICTIONS ON BENEFICIAL AND CONSTRUCTIVE OWNERSHIP AND TRANSFER FOR THE PURPOSE OF THE CORPORATION’S MAINTENANCE OF ITS STATUS AS A REAL ESTATE INVESTMENT TRUST UNDER THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE OF 1986, AS AMENDED (THE “CODE”). SUBJECT TO CERTAIN FURTHER RESTRICTIONS AND EXCEPT AS EXPRESSLY PROVIDED IN THE CORPORATION’S CHARTER, (I) NO PERSON MAY BENEFICIALLY OR CONSTRUCTIVELY OWN SHARES OF THE CORPORATION’S COMMON STOCK IN EXCESS OF 9.8% (IN VALUE OR NUMBER OF SHARES) OF THE OUTSTANDING SHARES OF COMMON STOCK OF THE CORPORATION UNLESS SUCH PERSON IS AN EXCEPTED HOLDER (IN WHICH CASE THE EXCEPTED HOLDER LIMIT SHALL BE APPLICABLE); (II) NO PERSON MAY BENEFICIALLY OR CONSTRUCTIVELY OWN SHARES OF CAPITAL STOCK OF THE CORPORATION IN EXCESS OF 9.8% OF THE VALUE OF THE TOTAL OUTSTANDING SHARES OF CAPITAL STOCK OF THE CORPORATION, UNLESS SUCH PERSON IS AN EXCEPTED HOLDER (IN WHICH CASE THE EXCEPTED HOLDER LIMIT SHALL BE APPLICABLE); (III) NO PERSON MAY BENEFICIALLY OR CONSTRUCTIVELY OWN CAPITAL STOCK THAT COULD RESULT IN THE CORPORATION BEING “CLOSELY HELD” UNDER SECTION 856(h) OF THE CODE OR OTHERWISE CAUSE THE CORPORATION TO FAIL TO QUALIFY AS A REIT; AND (IV) NO PERSON MAY TRANSFER SHARES OF CAPITAL STOCK IF SUCH TRANSFER WOULD RESULT IN THE CAPITAL STOCK OF THE CORPORATION BEING OWNED BY FEWER THAN 100 PERSONS. ANY PERSON WHO BENEFICIALLY OR CONSTRUCTIVELY OWNS OR ATTEMPTS TO

BENEFICIALLY OR CONSTRUCTIVELY OWN SHARES OF CAPITAL STOCK WHICH CAUSES OR MAY CAUSE A PERSON TO BENEFICIALLY OR CONSTRUCTIVELY OWN SHARES OF CAPITAL STOCK IN EXCESS OR IN VIOLATION OF THE ABOVE LIMITATIONS MUST IMMEDIATELY NOTIFY THE CORPORATION OR, IN THE CASE OF SUCH A PROPOSED OR ATTEMPTED TRANSACTION, GIVE AT LEAST 15 DAYS PRIOR WRITTEN NOTICE. IF ANY OF THE RESTRICTIONS ON TRANSFER OR OWNERSHIP SET FORTH IN (I) THROUGH (III) ABOVE ARE VIOLATED, THE SHARES OF CAPITAL STOCK REPRESENTED HEREBY WILL BE AUTOMATICALLY TRANSFERRED TO A TRUSTEE OF A TRUST FOR THE BENEFIT OF ONE OR MORE CHARITABLE BENEFICIARIES. IN ADDITION, THE CORPORATION MAY TAKE OTHER ACTIONS, INCLUDING REDEEMING SHARES UPON THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS SPECIFIED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS IN ITS SOLE AND ABSOLUTE DISCRETION IF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS DETERMINES THAT OWNERSHIP OR A TRANSFER OR OTHER EVENT MAY VIOLATE THE RESTRICTIONS DESCRIBED ABOVE. FURTHERMORE, UPON THE OCCURRENCE OF CERTAIN EVENTS, ATTEMPTED TRANSFERS IN VIOLATION OF THE RESTRICTIONS DESCRIBED ABOVE MAY BE VOID AB INITIO. ALL UNDERLINED TERMS IN THIS LEGEND HAVE THE MEANINGS DEFINED IN THE CHARTER OF THE CORPORATION, AS THE SAME MAY BE AMENDED FROM TIME TO TIME, A COPY OF WHICH, INCLUDING THE RESTRICTIONS ON TRANSFER AND OWNERSHIP, WILL BE FURNISHED TO EACH HOLDER OF CAPITAL STOCK OF THE CORPORATION ON REQUEST AND WITHOUT CHARGE. REQUESTS FOR SUCH A COPY MAY BE DIRECTED TO THE SECRETARY OF THE CORPORATION AT ITS PRINCIPAL OFFICE.

(b) The Operating Partnership (or its successor in interest) shall not be liable to any Nominee for any portion of the Contribution Consideration delivered to a public official pursuant to any applicable abandoned property, escheat or similar Law.

Section 2.04 CLOSING DELIVERIES. At the Closing, the parties shall make, execute, acknowledge and deliver, or cause to be made, executed, acknowledged and delivered (a) an Assignment and Assumption of Assumed Contracts, (b) a Bill of Sale, (c) an Assumption of Assumed Liabilities, (d) an Assignment and Assumption of Membership Interests, (e) all documents required by a lender in connection with the assumption or prepayment of an Existing Loan at or prior to Closing, duly executed by the applicable party, and (f) any other documents reasonably requested by the Operating Partnership or reasonably necessary or desirable to assign, transfer, convey, contribute and deliver the Contributed Assets, free and clear of all Liens and to effectuate the transactions contemplated hereby.

Section 2.05 CLOSING COSTS. If the Closing occurs, the REIT and the Operating Partnership shall be solely responsible for all transaction costs and expenses of the REIT, the Operating Partnership and the Rexford Entities in connection with the Formation Transactions and the Offering, which include, but are not limited to, the underwriting discounts and commissions. In the event the Closing does not occur, each party shall be responsible for its allocable portion of such costs and expenses in accordance with the terms of those certain letter agreements identified on Schedule 2.05.

Section 2.06 TERM OF THE AGREEMENT. This Agreement shall terminate automatically if the transactions contemplated herein shall not have been consummated on or prior to December 31, 2013 (such date is hereinafter referred to as the "Outside Date").

Section 2.07 EFFECT OF TERMINATION. In the event of termination of this Agreement for any reason, all obligations on the part of the Operating Partnership and the Contributor under this Agreement shall terminate, except that the obligations set forth in Article VI shall survive, it being understood and agreed, however, for the avoidance of doubt, that if this Agreement is terminated because one or more of the conditions to the non-breaching party's obligations under this Agreement are not satisfied by the Outside Date as a result of the other party's material breach of a covenant, representation, warranty or other obligation under this Agreement or any other Formation Transaction Documentation, the non-breaching party's right to pursue all legal remedies with respect to such breach will survive such termination unimpaired.

Section 2.08 TAX WITHHOLDING. The Operating Partnership shall be entitled to deduct and withhold from the consideration payable pursuant to this Agreement such amounts as the Operating Partnership is required to deduct and withhold with respect to the making of such payment under the Code or any provision of state, local or foreign tax law. To the extent that amounts are so withheld by the Operating Partnership, such withheld amounts shall be treated for all purposes of this Agreement as having been paid to the Contributor or Nominee, as applicable.

ARTICLE III

REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES OF THE OPERATING PARTNERSHIP

The Operating Partnership hereby represents and warrants to the Contributor as follows:

Section 3.01 ORGANIZATION; AUTHORITY.

(a) The Operating Partnership has been duly formed and is validly existing and in good standing under the Laws of its jurisdiction of formation, and, upon the effectiveness of the Operating Partnership Agreement, will have all requisite power and authority to enter into this Agreement and the other Formation Transaction Documentation and to carry out the transactions contemplated hereby and thereby, and to own, lease and/or operate its property and to carry on its business as presently conducted and, to the extent required under applicable Laws,

is qualified to do business and is in good standing in each jurisdiction in which the nature of its business or the character of its property make such qualification necessary, other than such failures to be so qualified as would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have an OP Material Adverse Effect.

(b) Schedule 3.01(b) sets forth as of the date hereof, (i) each Subsidiary of the Operating Partnership (each an “Operating Partnership Subsidiary”), (ii) the ownership interest therein of the Operating Partnership, and (iii) if not wholly owned by the Operating Partnership, the identity and ownership interest of each of the other owners of such Operating Partnership Subsidiary. Each Operating Partnership Subsidiary has been duly organized or formed and is validly existing and is in good standing under the Laws of its jurisdiction of organization or formation, as applicable, has all requisite power and authority to own, lease and/or operate its property and to carry on its business as presently conducted and, to the extent required under applicable Laws, is qualified to do business and is in good standing in each jurisdiction in which the nature of its business or the character of its property make such qualification necessary, other than such failures to be so qualified as would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have an OP Material Adverse Effect.

Section 3.02 DUE AUTHORIZATION. The execution, delivery and performance of this Agreement and the other Formation Transaction Documentation (including each agreement, document and instrument executed and delivered by or on behalf of the Operating Partnership pursuant to this Agreement or the other Formation Transaction Documentation) by the Operating Partnership has been duly and validly authorized by all necessary actions required of the Operating Partnership. This Agreement, the other Formation Transaction Documentation and each agreement, document and instrument executed and delivered by or on behalf of the Operating Partnership pursuant to this Agreement or the other Formation Transaction Documentation constitutes, or when executed and delivered will constitute, the legal, valid and binding obligation of the Operating Partnership, enforceable against the Operating Partnership in accordance with its terms, subject to applicable bankruptcy, insolvency, moratorium or other similar Laws relating to creditors’ rights and general principles of equity.

Section 3.03 CONSENTS AND APPROVALS. Except in connection with the Offering and the consummation of the other Formation Transactions or as shall have been obtained on or prior to the Closing Date, no consent, waiver, approval, authorization, order, license, permit or registration of, qualification, designation, declaration or filing with, any Person or Governmental Authority or under any applicable Laws is required to be obtained by the Operating Partnership in connection with the execution, delivery and performance of this Agreement and the transactions contemplated hereby, except for (a) those consents, waivers, approvals, authorizations, orders, licenses, permits, registrations, qualifications, designations, declarations or filings, the failure of which to obtain or to file would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have an OP Material Adverse Effect, or (b) those consents under the Organizational Documents of the Contributor and the Contributed Entities, the failure of which to obtain would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have an OP Material Adverse Effect.

Section 3.04 NO VIOLATION. None of the execution, delivery or performance of this Agreement, the other Formation Transaction Documentation, any agreement contemplated hereby between the parties to this Agreement and the transactions contemplated hereby between the parties to this Agreement does or will, with or without the giving of notice, lapse of time, or both, violate, conflict with, result in a breach of, or constitute a default under or give to others any right of termination, acceleration, cancellation or other right under, (a) the Organizational Documents of the Operating Partnership, (b) any agreement, document or instrument to which the Operating Partnership or any of its respective assets are bound or (c) any term or provision of any judgment, order, writ, injunction, or decree binding on the Operating Partnership, except for, in the case of clause (b) or (c), any such breaches or defaults that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have an OP Material Adverse Effect.

Section 3.05 VALIDITY OF OP UNITS AND REIT SHARES. Any OP Units to be issued pursuant to this Agreement will have been duly authorized by the Operating Partnership and, when issued against the consideration therefor, will be validly issued, fully paid and non-assessable, free and clear of all Liens created by the Operating Partnership (other than any Liens created by the Amended and Restated Agreement of Limited Partnership of the Operating Partnership (the “Operating Partnership Agreement”)). Any REIT Shares to be issued pursuant to this Agreement will have been duly authorized by the REIT and, when issued against the consideration therefor, will be validly issued, fully paid and non-assessable, free and clear of all Liens created by the REIT (other than any Liens created by the charter of the REIT).

Section 3.06 LITIGATION. Except for actions, suits or proceedings covered by policies of insurance, there is no action, suit or proceeding pending or, to the knowledge of the Operating Partnership, threatened against the Operating Partnership or any Operating Partnership Subsidiary, other than actions, suits, proceedings arising in the ordinary course of business from the ownership and operation of the Operating Partnership, that individually or in the aggregate, would not reasonably be expected, (a) if adversely determined, to have an OP Material Adverse Effect, or (b) to challenge or impair the ability of the Operating Partnership to execute or deliver, or materially perform its obligations under, this Agreement and the documents executed by it pursuant to this Agreement or to consummate the transactions contemplated hereby or thereby, to such an extent as would result in an OP Material Adverse Effect.

Section 3.07 OPERATING PARTNERSHIP AGREEMENT. Attached as Exhibit B hereto is a true and correct copy of the Operating Partnership Agreement in substantially final form.

Section 3.08 LIMITED ACTIVITIES. Except for activities in connection with the Offering, the Formation Transactions or in the ordinary course of business, the Operating Partnership and the Operating Partnership Subsidiaries have not engaged in any material business or incurred any material obligations.

Section 3.09 NO BROKER. The Operating Partnership has not entered into, and covenants that it will not enter into, any agreement, arrangement or understanding with any Person or firm which will result in the obligation of the Contributor or any Affiliates thereof to pay any finder’s fee, brokerage commission or similar payment in connection with the transaction contemplated by this Agreement (other than underwriting discounts, commissions and other fees and expenses to be paid by the REIT in connection with the Offering and any related financing transactions).

Section 3.10 NO OTHER REPRESENTATIONS OR WARRANTIES. Other than the representations and warranties expressly set forth in this Article III and any other agreement entered into in connection with the Formation Transactions, the Operating Partnership shall not be deemed to have made any other representation or warranty in connection with this Agreement or the transactions contemplated hereby. All representations, warranties and covenants of the Operating Partnership contained in this Agreement shall expire at the Closing.

ARTICLE IV

REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES OF THE CONTRIBUTORS

Except as disclosed in the Offering Document or the schedules attached hereto, the Contributor hereby represents and warrants to the Operating Partnership that as of the Closing Date:

Section 4.01 ORGANIZATION; AUTHORITY.

(a) The Contributor has been duly formed, is validly existing and in good standing under the Laws of its jurisdiction of formation, and has all requisite power and authority to enter into this Agreement, each agreement contemplated hereby and the other Formation Transaction Documentation to which it is a party (including any agreement, document and instrument executed and delivered by or on behalf of the Contributor pursuant to this Agreement or the other Formation Transaction Documentation) and to carry out the transactions contemplated hereby and thereby, and to carry on its business as presently conducted. The Contributor, to the extent required under applicable Laws, is qualified to do business and is in good standing in each jurisdiction in which the nature of its business make such qualification necessary, other than such failures to be so qualified as would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Fund Material Adverse Effect.

(b) Schedule 4.01(b) sets forth as of the date hereof with respect to the Contributor (i) each Contributed Entity, (ii) the direct or indirect ownership interest therein of the Contributor, (iii) if not wholly owned by the Contributor, the identity and ownership interest of each of the other owners of such Contributed Entity, (iv) each Contributed Property, (v) the ownership interest therein of the Contributor, (vi) if not wholly owned by the Contributor, the identity and ownership interest of each of the other owners of such Contributed Property. Such Contributed Entity has been duly organized and is validly existing and is in good standing under the Laws of its jurisdiction of organization, and has all requisite power and authority to own, lease and/or operate its Contributed Property and to carry on its business as presently conducted. Such Contributed Entity, to the extent required under applicable Laws, is qualified to do business and is in good standing in each jurisdiction in which the nature of its business or the character of its Contributed Property make such qualification necessary, other than such failures to be so qualified as would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Fund Material Adverse Effect. Except as set forth on Schedule 4.01(b), each of the Contributor and the Contributed Entities does not own any equity or ownership interest in any other Person.

(c) The Operating Partnership has been provided complete and accurate copies of Organizational Documents, as amended through the date hereof, and such Organizational Documents are in full force and effect as of the date hereof and have not been further modified or amended.

Section 4.02 DUE AUTHORIZATION. The execution, delivery and performance by the Contributor of this Agreement and the other Formation Transaction Documentation (including any agreement, document and instrument executed and delivered by or on behalf of the Contributor pursuant to this Agreement or the other Formation Transaction Documentation) to which it is a party have been duly and validly authorized by all necessary actions required of the Contributor. This Agreement, the other Formation Transaction Documentation and each agreement, document and instrument executed and delivered by or on behalf of the Contributor or any Contributed Entity pursuant to this Agreement or the other Formation Transaction Documentation constitutes, or when executed and delivered will constitute, the legal, valid and binding obligation of the Contributor or such Contributed Entity, each enforceable against the Contributor or such Contributed Entity in accordance with its terms, subject to applicable bankruptcy, insolvency, moratorium or other similar Laws relating to creditors' rights and general principles of equity.

Section 4.03 OWNERSHIP OF CONTRIBUTED ASSETS. The Contributor is the sole record owner of all of the Contributed Assets and has the power and authority to transfer, sell, assign and convey to the Operating Partnership the Contributed Assets free and clear of any Liens and, upon delivery of the consideration for the Contributed Assets as provided herein, the Operating Partnership will acquire good and valid title thereto, free and clear of any Liens (other than those Liens created by the Organizational Documents governing Contributed Interests). Except as provided for or contemplated by this Agreement or the other applicable Formation Transaction Documentation, there are no rights to purchase, veto rights with respect to transfers, subscriptions, warrants, options, conversion rights, preemptive rights, agreements, instruments or understandings of any kind outstanding (a) relating to any of the Contributed Assets, (b) related to any of the Contributed Entities or (c) to purchase, transfer or to otherwise acquire, or to in any way encumber, any equity interest in any of the Contributed Entities or any of the Contributed Assets (including, without limitation, any securities or obligations of any kind convertible or exchangeable into any of the interests which comprise Contributed Interests). Except as set forth in the Organizational Documents, none of the Contributor or any of the Contributed Entities is a party to any agreement for the sale of its material assets, for the grant to any Person of any preferential right to purchase any such material assets or the acquisition of any material operating business, material assets or capital stock of any other corporation, entity or business, other than the purchase or sale of assets in the ordinary course of business.

Section 4.04 CONSENTS AND APPROVALS. Except as shall have been obtained or satisfied on or prior to the Closing Date, no consent, waiver, approval, authorization, order, license, permit or registration of, qualification, designation, declaration or filing with, any Person or any Governmental Authority or under any applicable Laws is required to be obtained by the Contributor or any Contributed Entity in connection with the execution, delivery and performance of this Agreement, the other Formation Transaction Documentation to which the Contributor or the Contributed Entities is a party and the transactions contemplated hereby and thereby, except for those consents, waivers, approvals, authorizations, orders, licenses, permits, registrations, qualifications, designations, declarations or filings, the failure of which to obtain or to file would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Fund Material Adverse Effect.

Section 4.05 NO VIOLATION. None of the execution, delivery or performance of this Agreement, any agreement contemplated hereby between the parties to this Agreement and the transactions contemplated hereby between the parties to this Agreement does or will, with or without the giving of notice, lapse of time, or both, violate, conflict with, result in a breach of, or constitute a default under or give to others any right of termination, acceleration, cancellation or other right under, (a) the Organizational Documents of the Contributor or the Contributed Entities, (b) any agreement, document or instrument to which the Contributor or any Contributed Entity is a party or by which the Contributor, any Contributed Entity, any Contributed Property or any of the Contributed Assets are bound by or (c) any term or provision of any judgment, order, writ, injunction, or decree binding on the Contributor (or its assets or properties), any Contributed Entity or any Contributed Property, except for, in the case of clause (b) or (c), any such breaches or defaults that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Fund Material Adverse Effect.

Section 4.06 LICENSES AND PERMITS. All notices, licenses, permits, certificates and authorizations required for the continued use, occupancy, management, leasing and operation of the Contributed Properties have been obtained or can be obtained without material cost, are in full force and effect, are in good standing and (to the extent required in connection with the transactions contemplated by the Formation Transaction Documentation) are assignable to the Operating Partnership, except in each case for items that, if not so obtained, obtainable and/or transferred, would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Fund Material Adverse Effect. Neither the Contributor, nor the Contributed Entities, nor, to the knowledge of the Contributor, any third party has taken any action that (or failed to take any action the omission of which) would result in the revocation of any such notice, license, permit, certificate or authorization where such revocation or revocations would, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Fund Material Adverse Effect, nor has any one of them received any written notice of violation from any Governmental Authority or written notice of the intention of any entity to revoke any such notice, license, permit, certificate or authorization, that in each case has not been cured or otherwise resolved to the satisfaction of such Governmental Authority or other entity and except as would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Fund Material Adverse Effect.

Section 4.07 COMPLIANCE WITH LAWS. The Contributor and the Contributed Entities have conducted their respective businesses in compliance with all applicable Laws, except for such failures that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Fund Material Adverse Effect. Neither the Contributor, nor the Contributed Entities, nor, to the knowledge of the Contributor, any third party are in violation of any Law or has been informed in writing of any continuing violation of any such Laws or that any investigation has been commenced and is continuing or is contemplated respecting any such possible violation, except in each case for violations that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Fund Material Adverse Effect. There has not been committed by the Contributor or the Contributed Entities or, to the knowledge of the Contributor, any other Person in occupancy of or involved with the operation or use of the Properties any act or omission affording the federal government or any other Governmental Authority the right of forfeiture as against any Property or any part thereof.

Section 4.08 CONTRIBUTED PROPERTIES.

(a) Except as set forth in Schedule 4.08(a), the Contributor or a Contributed Entity is the insured under a policy of title insurance as the owner of, and, to the knowledge of the Contributor, the Contributor or a Contributed Entity is the owner of, good marketable and insurable fee simple title (or, in the case of certain Contributed Properties, a tenancy-in-common estate) to the Contributed Property owned by the Contributor or the Contributed Entity, in each case free and clear of all Liens except for Permitted Liens. Prior to the Closing, neither the Contributor nor any of the Contributed Entities shall take or omit to take any action to cause any Lien to attach to any Contributed Property, except for Permitted Liens and Liens, if any, given to secure mortgage indebtedness encumbering such Contributed Property.

(b) Except for matters that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Fund Material Adverse Effect, (1) neither the Contributor nor any of the Contributed Entities nor, to the knowledge of the Contributor, any other party to any material agreement affecting any Property (other than a Lease (as such term is hereinafter defined) for space within such Property), is in breach or default of any such agreement, (2) to the knowledge of the Contributor, no event has occurred or has been threatened in writing, which with or without the passage of time or the giving of notice, or both, would, individually or together with all such other events, constitute a default under any such agreement, or would, individually or together with all such other events, reasonably be expected to cause the acceleration of any material obligation of any party thereto or the creation of a Lien upon any asset of the Contributor or the Contributed Entities, except for Permitted Liens, or otherwise reasonably be expected to have a Fund Material Adverse Effect and (3) all agreements affecting any Property required for the continued use, occupancy, management, leasing and operation of such Property (exclusive of space Leases) are valid and binding and in full force and effect, subject to applicable bankruptcy, insolvency, moratorium or other similar Laws relating to creditors' rights and general principles of equity.

(c) Except for matters that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Fund Material Adverse Effect or that are otherwise disclosed on Schedule 4.08(c), (1) neither the Contributor, nor the Contributed Entities, nor, to the knowledge of the Contributor, any other party to any Lease, is in breach or default of any such Lease, (2) to the knowledge of the Contributor, no event has occurred or has been threatened in writing, which with or without the passage of time or the giving of notice, or both, would, individually or together with all such other events, constitute a default under any Lease or would permit termination, modification or acceleration under such Lease and (3) to the knowledge of the Contributor, each of the leases (and all amendments thereto or modifications thereof) to which the Contributor or the Contributed Entities is a party or by which the Contributor or the Contributed Entities or any Contributed Property is bound or subject (collectively, the "Leases") is valid and binding and in full force and effect, subject to applicable bankruptcy, insolvency, moratorium or other similar Laws relating to creditors' rights and general principles of equity.

Section 4.09 INSURANCE. Each of the Contributor or the Contributed Entities has in place the public liability, casualty and other insurance coverage with respect to each Contributed Property owned, leased and/or managed by it as the Contributor reasonably deems necessary and in all cases including such coverage as is required under the terms of any continuing loan or Lease. Each of the insurance policies with respect to each Contributed Property is in full force and effect in all material respects and all premiums due and payable thereunder have been fully paid when due. To the knowledge of the Contributor, neither the Contributor nor the Contributed Entities have received from any insurance company any notices of cancellation or intent to cancel any insurance.

Section 4.10 ENVIRONMENTAL MATTERS. Except for matters that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Fund Material Adverse Effect, to the knowledge of the Contributor, (A) the Contributor, the Contributed Entities and each Property are in compliance with all Environmental Laws, (B) neither the Contributor nor the Contributed Entities have received any written notice from any Governmental Authority or third party alleging that the Contributor or the Contributed Entities or any Contributed Property is not in compliance with applicable Environmental Laws, and (C) there has not been a release of a hazardous substance on any of the Contributed Properties that would require investigation or remediation under applicable Environmental Laws. The representations and warranties contained in this Section 4.10 constitute the sole and exclusive representations and warranties made by the Contributor concerning environmental matters.

Section 4.11 EMINENT DOMAIN. There is no existing or, to the knowledge of the Contributor, proposed or threatened condemnation, eminent domain or similar proceeding, or private purchase in lieu of such a proceeding which would affect any of the Contributed Properties, except for such proceedings that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Fund Material Adverse Effect.

Section 4.12 EXISTING LOANS. Schedule 4.12 lists, as of the date hereof, all secured loans presently encumbering the Properties or any direct or indirect interest in the Contributor or any Contributed Entities, and any unsecured loans relating thereto to be assumed by the REIT or any Subsidiary of the REIT at Closing (collectively, the “Existing Loans”). Except for matters that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Fund Material Adverse Effect or that are otherwise disclosed on Schedule 4.12, no monetary default (beyond applicable notice and cure periods) by any party exists under any of the Existing Loans and the documents entered into in connection therewith (collectively, the “Existing Loan Documents”) and no non-monetary default (beyond applicable notice and cure periods) by any party exists under any of such Existing Loan Documents.

Section 4.13 FINANCIAL STATEMENTS. The consolidated financial statements of the Contributor and the Contributed Entities included in the Offering Document have been prepared in all material respects in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles applied on a consistent basis during the periods involved (except as may be indicated in the notes thereto), subject, in the case of unaudited statements, to normal year-end audit adjustments, and fairly present in all material respects the financial condition and results of operations of the Contributor and the Contributed Entities as of the dates indicated therein and for the periods ended as indicated therein.

Section 4.14 TAXES.

- (a) Contributor has timely and properly filed (or caused to be timely and properly filed) all Tax Returns required to be filed by it and each Contributed Entity (after giving effect to any filing extension properly granted by a Governmental Authority having authority to do so) and all such Tax Returns are accurate and complete in all material respects;
- (b) Contributor and each Contributed Entity have paid (or have had paid on their behalf) all Taxes as required to be paid by them;
- (c) no income or material non-income Tax Returns filed by Contributor or any Contributed Entity are the subject of a pending or ongoing audit, and
- (d) no deficiencies for any income or material non-income Taxes have been proposed, asserted or assessed against Contributor or any Contributed Entity, and no requests for waivers of the time to assess any such Taxes are pending. Since its formation, for U.S. federal income tax purposes, each of Contributor and each Contributed Entity has been treated as a partnership or as a disregarded entity, and not as a corporation or an association taxable as a corporation.

Section 4.15 LITIGATION. Except for actions, suits or proceedings fully covered by policies of insurance there is no action, suit or proceeding pending or, to the knowledge of the Contributor, threatened against or affecting the Contributor, any of the Contributed Entities or any of the Contributed Properties, or any officer, director, principal, managing member, general partner or Affiliate of any of the foregoing other than actions, suits or proceedings arising in the ordinary course of business from the ownership and operation which, if adversely determined, would not have a Fund Material Adverse Effect. There is no action, suit, or proceeding pending or, to the knowledge of the Contributor, threatened against or affecting the Contributor, any of the Contributed Entities or any officer, director, principal, managing member, general partner or Affiliate of any of the foregoing, which challenges or impairs the ability of the Contributor or any Contributed Entities to execute or deliver, or perform its obligations under this Agreement or any Formation Transaction Documentation or any other documents to be executed by it pursuant to this Agreement or any Formation Transaction Documentation or to consummate the transactions contemplated hereby or thereby. Except for matters fully covered by insurance, there is no judgment, decree, injunction, rule or order of a Governmental Authority outstanding against the Contributor, the Contributed Entities or any officer, director, principal, managing member or general partner of any of the foregoing in their capacity as such which would reasonably be expected to have a Fund Material Adverse Effect. None of the Contributor, the Contributed Entities or any officer, director, principal, managing member, general partner or Affiliate of any of the foregoing has received any written notice of any pending or threatened proceedings for the rezoning (i.e., as opposed to the current zoning) of any Property or any portion thereof which would impair the current or proposed use thereof in a manner that would result in a Fund Material Adverse Effect.

Section 4.16 INSOLVENCY. No attachments, execution proceedings, assignments for the benefit of creditors, insolvency, bankruptcy, reorganization or other proceedings are pending or, to the Contributor's knowledge, threatened against the Contributor, any Contributed Entities or any Contributed Property, nor are any such proceedings contemplated by the Contributor.

Section 4.17 SECURITIES LAW MATTERS. The Contributor acknowledges that: (i) the REIT and Operating Partnership intend the offer and issuance of any REIT Shares or OP Units to the Contributor and any Nominees to be exempt from registration under the Securities Act and applicable state securities laws by virtue of the status of such Contributor and Nominee as an “accredited investor” (within the meaning of Rule 501(a) of Regulation D under the Securities Act) acquiring any REIT Shares or OP Units in a transaction exempt from registration pursuant to Rule 506 of Regulation D under the Securities Act, and (ii) in issuing any REIT Shares or OP Units pursuant to the terms of this Agreement, the REIT and Operating Partnership are relying on the representations made by the Contributor and any Nominee electing to receive REIT Shares or OP Units as consideration in the Contribution, which representations were set forth in Appendix C to the Request for Consent – Accredited Investor Representations Letter.

Section 4.18 NO BROKER. The Contributor has not entered into, and it covenants that it will not enter into, any agreement, arrangement or understanding with any Person or firm which will result in the obligation of the REIT or any Affiliate to pay any finder’s fee, brokerage commission or similar payment in connection with the transaction contemplated by this Agreement (other than underwriting discounts, commissions and other fees and expenses to be paid by the REIT in connection with the Offering and any related financing transactions).

Section 4.19 OWNERSHIP OF CERTAIN ASSETS. Except as set forth in Schedule 4.19, neither the Contributor nor any of the Contributed Entities owns any loan assets or other securities of any issuer except for equity interests in other Contributed Entities.

Section 4.20 EMPLOYEES. None of the Contributor or any of the Contributed Entities has or has ever had any employees.

Section 4.21 NO OTHER REPRESENTATIONS OR WARRANTIES. Other than the representations and warranties expressly set forth in this Article IV and any other agreement entered into by the Contributor in connection with the Formation Transactions, the Contributor shall not be deemed to have made any other representation or warranty in connection with this Agreement or the transactions contemplated hereby.

Section 4.22 SURVIVAL OF REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES. The parties hereto agree and acknowledge that the representations and warranties set forth in this Article IV (other than Section 4.01, Section 4.02, Section 4.03, and Section 4.17) shall not survive the Closing.

ARTICLE V

COVENANTS AND OTHER AGREEMENTS

Section 5.01 PRE-CLOSING COVENANTS. During the period from the date hereof to the Closing Date (except as otherwise provided for or contemplated by this Agreement or in connection with the Formation Transactions), the Contributor shall use commercially reasonable efforts to (and shall cause each of the Contributed Entities to) conduct its businesses and operate and maintain the Contributed Properties in the ordinary course of business consistent with past practice, pay its debt obligations as they become due and payable, and use commercially reasonable efforts to preserve intact its current business organizations and preserve its relationships with customers, tenants, suppliers, advertisers and others having business dealings with it, in each case consistent with past practice. In addition, and without limiting the generality of the foregoing, during the period from the date hereof to the Closing Date and except in connection with the Formation Transactions, the Contributor shall not (and shall not permit any of the Contributed Entities to) without the prior written consent of the REIT, which consent may be withheld by the REIT in its sole discretion:

(a) (i) other than distributions to the members of the Contributor in connection with such members' payment of any Taxes related to their ownership of the membership interest of the Contributor or as otherwise contemplated by this Agreement, declare, set aside or pay any dividends or distributions in respect of any Contributed Interests, except in the ordinary course of business consistent with past practice and in accordance with the applicable governing document of the Contributor, (ii) issue or authorize the issuance of any other securities in respect of, in lieu of or in substitution for any Contributed Interests or make any other changes to the equity capital structure of the Contributor or the Contributed Entities, or (iii) purchase, redeem or otherwise acquire any Contributed Interests or interests of the Contributed Entities or any other securities thereof;

(b) other than in accordance with Section 4.08(a), issue, deliver, sell, transfer, dispose, mortgage, pledge, assign or otherwise encumber, or cause the issuance, delivery, sale, transfer, disposition, mortgage, pledge, assignment or otherwise encumbrance of, any limited liability company, partnership interests or other equity interests of the Contributor or of the Contributed Entities or any other assets of the Contributor or the Contributed Entities;

(c) amend, modify or terminate any lease, contract or other instruments relating to a Contributed Property, except in the ordinary course of business consistent with past practice;

(d) amend its certificate of formation and limited liability company agreement;

(e) adopt a plan of liquidation, dissolution, merger, consolidation, restructuring, recapitalization or reorganization;

(f) materially alter the manner of keeping the Contributor's or the Contributed Entities' books, accounts or records or the accounting practices therein reflected;

(g) file an entity classification election pursuant to Treasury Regulation Section 301.7701-3(c) on Internal Revenue Service Form 8832 (Entity Classification Election) to treat the Contributor or any Contributed Entity as an association taxable as a corporation for United States federal income tax purposes; make or change any other Tax elections; settle or compromise any claim, notice, audit report or assessment in respect of Taxes; change any annual

Tax accounting period; adopt or change any method of Tax accounting; file any amended Tax Return; enter into any tax allocation agreement, tax sharing agreement, tax indemnity agreement or closing agreement relating to any Tax; surrender of any right to claim a Tax refund; or consent to any extension or waiver of the statute of limitations period applicable to any Tax claim or assessment;

(h) terminate or amend any existing insurance policies affecting any Contributed Property that results in a material reduction in insurance coverage for such Contributed Property;

(i) knowingly cause or permit the Contributor or any Contributed Entity to violate, or fail to use commercially reasonable efforts to cure any violation of, any applicable Laws;

(j) take any action or fail to take any action the result of which would have a Fund Material Adverse Effect; or

(k) authorize, commit or agree to take any of the foregoing actions.

Section 5.02 COMMERCIALY REASONABLE EFFORTS BY THE OPERATING PARTNERSHIP AND THE CONTRIBUTOR. Each of the Operating Partnership and the Contributor shall use commercially reasonable efforts and cooperate with each other in (a) promptly determining whether any filings are required to be made or consents, approvals, waivers, permits or authorizations are required to be obtained (under any applicable Law or regulation or from any Governmental Authority or third party) in connection with the transactions contemplated by this Agreement, and (b) promptly making (or causing to be made) any such filings, in furnishing information required in connection therewith and in timely seeking to obtain any such consents, approvals, waivers, permits and authorizations.

Section 5.03 TAX MATTERS.

(a) So long as some portion of the Contribution Consideration is in the form of OP Units, the parties hereto intend and agree that, for United States federal income tax purposes, the transactions contemplated by this Agreement shall constitute an “assets-over” partnership merger within the meaning of Treasury Regulations Section 1.708-1(c)(3)(i) pursuant to which the Contributor contributes all of its assets and liabilities to the Operating Partnership in exchange for OP Units in a transaction qualifying under Section 721(a) of the Code and immediately thereafter, the Contributor distributes such OP Units to the Nominees. As a result, (i) in accordance with Treasury Regulations Section 1.708-1(c)(4), any payment of cash or REIT Shares attributable to a Nominee shall be treated as a sale by such Nominee of its interests in the Contributor and a purchase of such interests by the Operating Partnership for the cash and/or REIT Shares so paid under the terms of this Agreement, and (ii) Contributor shall cause each such Nominee who receives cash and/or REIT Shares to explicitly agree and consent (the “Sale Consent”) to such treatment in their Consent Forms as a condition to electing such consideration. To the extent the Operating Partnership acquires any interests in the Contributor as described in clause (i) above, or otherwise previously acquired any such interests, for United States federal income tax purposes the receipt by the Operating Partnership of the portion of property

attributable to such interests shall be treated as a distribution by the Contributor in redemption of such interests. Notwithstanding Section 1.02 and any Nominee's election as to the form of its Contribution Consideration, if any Nominee (other than a non-Accredited Investor), fails to execute a Sale Consent prior to the Closing, such Nominee's Contribution Consideration shall consist solely of OP Units. Notwithstanding Sections 1.03 and 2.03(a), any cash paid as the Contribution Consideration shall be paid only after the receipt of a Sale Consent from such Nominee.

(b) All transfer, stamp, documentary, sales, use, registration, value-added and other similar Taxes (including all applicable real estate transfer Taxes) incurred in connection with this Agreement and the transactions contemplated hereby ("Transfer Taxes") will be borne by the Operating Partnership. The parties agree, upon request, to use commercially reasonable efforts to obtain any certificate or other document from any Governmental Authority or any other Person as may be necessary to mitigate, reduce or eliminate any Transfer Taxes that could be imposed in connection with the transactions contemplated hereby.

(c) The Contributor shall timely file or cause to be timely filed when due all income Tax Returns required to be filed by the Contributor and shall pay or cause to be paid all income Taxes required to be paid.

(d) The Operating Partnership shall prepare or cause to be prepared and file or cause to be filed all other Tax Returns of the Contributor and all Tax Returns of each Contributed Entity which are due after the Closing Date. All such Tax Returns shall be prepared in a manner consistent with past practice, except as otherwise required by applicable law.

(e) The REIT, the Operating Partnership and the Contributor shall cooperate fully, as and to the extent reasonably requested by the other party, in connection with the filing of Tax Returns related to the transactions pursuant to this Agreement and any audit, litigation or administrative, judicial or other inquiry or proceeding with respect to Taxes related to the transactions pursuant to this Agreement. Such cooperation shall include the retention and (upon the other party's request) the provision of records and information which are reasonably relevant to any such action or other proceeding and making employees available on a mutually convenient basis to provide additional information and explanation of any material provided hereunder. The REIT, the Operating Partnership and the Contributor further agree, upon request, to use their reasonable efforts to obtain any certificate or other document from any governmental authority or any other Person as may be necessary to mitigate, reduce or eliminate any Tax that could be imposed with respect to the transactions contemplated hereby.

(f) Prior to Closing, the Contributor shall deliver to the Operating Partnership a properly executed certificate prepared in accordance with Treasury regulations section 1.1445-2(b) certifying the Contributor's non-foreign status, and if requested by the Operating Partnership, and any similar withholding certificates or other forms under applicable state, local or foreign Tax laws.

(g) The REIT and the Operating Partnership make no representations or warranties to the Contributor, the Nominees or to the Rexford Entities regarding the Tax treatment of the contributions pursuant to this Agreement or of the other Formation Transactions,

or with respect to any other Tax consequences to the Contributor or any Contributed Entity of this Agreement or the other Formation Transactions. The Contributor acknowledges that each Contributed Entity, the Contributor and the Nominees are relying solely on their own Tax advisors in connection with this Agreement and the other Formation Transactions.

Section 5.04 CONSENT AND WAIVER OF RIGHTS UNDER ORGANIZATIONAL DOCUMENTS. As of the Closing, the Contributor, on its own behalf and, to the extent permitted to do so pursuant to a Consent Form or otherwise, on behalf of each Nominee, waives and relinquishes all rights and benefits otherwise afforded to the Contributor and such Nominees (a) under the Organizational Documents of the Contributed Entities including, without limitation, any rights of appraisal, rights of first offer or first refusal, buy/sell agreements, put, option, or similar parallel exit or dissenter rights in connection with the Formation Transactions and the Offering, and any right to consent to or approve of the sale or contribution or other transaction undertaken by the other equity holders of the Contributed Entities of the Contributed Assets to the Operating Partnership, the REIT or any Affiliate thereof and any and all notice provisions related thereto, (b) to the extent permissible under applicable Laws, any statutory rights with respect to the Contributed Assets or the Contributed Entities and (c) for claims against the REIT or the Operating Partnership for breach by any of their respective present or former officers, directors, managing members, general partners or Affiliates of their fiduciary duties or similar obligations (including duties of disclosure) to any of their respective present or former shareholders, members, partners, equity interest holders or Affiliates or the terms of any applicable Organizational Documents. The Contributor acknowledges, on its own behalf and, to the extent permitted to do so pursuant to a Consent Form or otherwise, on behalf of each Nominee, that the agreements contained herein and the transactions contemplated hereby and any actions taken in contemplation of the transactions contemplated hereby may conflict with, and may not have been contemplated by, the Organizational Documents of any Contributed Entity or other agreements among one or more holders of Contributed Assets or one or more of the partners or members of any Contributed Entity. With respect to each Contributed Entity and each Contributed Property, the Contributor expressly gives, on its own behalf and, to the extent permitted to do so pursuant to a Consent Form or otherwise, on behalf of each Nominee, all consents (and any consents necessary to authorize the proper parties in interest to give all consents) and waivers it is entitled to give that are necessary or desirable to facilitate the contribution or other Formation Transactions relating to such Contributed Entity or Contributed Property. In addition, the Contributor agrees, on its own behalf and, to the extent permitted to do so pursuant to a Consent Form or otherwise, on behalf of each Nominee, that if the transactions contemplated hereby occur, this Agreement shall be deemed to be an amendment to the Organizational Documents of the applicable Contributed Entity to the extent the terms herein conflict with the terms thereof, including without limitation, terms with respect to allocations, distributions and the like. In the event the transactions contemplated by this Agreement do not occur, nothing in this Agreement shall be deemed to be or construed as an amendment or modification of, or commitment of any kind to amend or modify, the Organizational Documents of any Contributed Entity, which shall remain in full force and effect without modification.

Section 5.05 EXCLUDED ASSETS. Prior to the Closing and after such amounts are reasonably determined, the Contributor and the Contributed Entities shall distribute or cause to be distributed or paid out the Excluded Assets identified on Schedule 5.05.

Section 5.06 ALTERNATE TRANSACTION. In the event that the REIT determines that a structure change is necessary, advisable or desirable, the REIT may elect, in its sole and absolute discretion, to effect an Alternate Transaction (subject to the limitations in the definition thereof), without the need for the REIT to seek any further consent or action from the Contributor or any Nominee, and the Contributor shall, and it shall cause its members and Subsidiaries to, enter into such agreements as shall be necessary to consummate the Alternate Transaction. Without limiting the foregoing, in the event that all members of the Contributor return duly executed and completed Consent Forms approving the Formation Transactions, then, in lieu of this Agreement, the REIT may elect to cause the Contributor to enter into an agreement and plan of merger with the Operating Partnership pursuant to which the Contributor will merge with and into the Operating Partnership and the membership interests in the Contributor will be converted automatically into the right to receive cash, REIT Shares and/or OP Units. In the event that an Alternate Transaction is used to effect the transactions contemplated by this Agreement, then the REIT may elect to terminate this Agreement without any liability or obligation to any Person.

Section 5.07 ELIMINATED ASSETS. The parties hereby agree that the Operating Partnership shall have the right, in its sole discretion, to exclude any Contributed Asset, or any interest held directly or indirectly through a Contributed Asset (the "Eliminated Assets"), from this contribution after the date hereof until the Closing, provided that the Operating Partnership shall provide prior written notice to the Contributor regarding such exclusion. Immediately prior to the Closing and after such amounts are reasonably determined, the Contributor and each Contributed Entity shall distribute or cause to be distributed or paid out the Eliminated Assets.

ARTICLE VI

GENERAL PROVISIONS

Section 6.01 NOTICES. All notices and other communications under this Agreement shall be in writing and shall be deemed given when (a) delivered personally, (b) five (5) Business Days after being mailed by certified mail, return receipt requested and postage prepaid, (c) one (1) Business Day after being sent by a nationally recognized overnight courier or (d) transmitted by facsimile if confirmed within twenty-four (24) hours thereafter by a signed original sent in the manner provided in clause (a), (b) or (c) to the parties at the following addresses (or at such other address for a party as shall be specified by notice from such party):

- (a) if to the REIT or the Operating Partnership, to:

Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc.
11620 Wilshire Boulevard, Suite 300
Los Angeles, CA 90025
Facsimile: (310) 966-1690
Attention: Howard Schwimmer and Michael S. Frankel

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- (b) if to the Contributor:
c/o Rexford Industrial, LLC
11620 Wilshire Boulevard, Suite 300
Los Angeles, CA 90025
Facsimile: (310) 966-1690
Attention: Howard Schwimmer and Michael S. Frankel

Section 6.02 DEFINITIONS. For purposes of this Agreement, the following terms shall have the following meanings.

(a) “Accredited Investor” has the meaning set forth under Regulation D of the Securities Act.

(b) “Affiliate” means, with respect to any Person, a Person that, directly or indirectly, through one or more intermediaries, controls, is controlled by, or is under common control with the specified Person. For the purposes of this definition, “control” (including, with correlative meanings, the terms “controlled by” and “under common control with”) as used with respect to any Person, shall mean the possession, directly or indirectly, of the power to direct or cause the direction of the management or policies of such Person, whether through the ownership of voting securities, by agreement or otherwise.

(c) “Allocated Share” means an amount of Contribution Consideration that would be distributed to a Pre-Formation Participant as a Nominee of the Contributor in accordance with the provisions of the Contributor’s Organizational Documents relating to distributions of distributable net proceeds from sales of directly or indirectly owned properties or assets, and assuming the sale of the relevant Target Asset or Target Assets that are directly or indirectly owned by such entity for a value equal to such Target Asset’s or Target Assets’ respective Equity Value(s).

(d) “Alternate Transaction” means any transaction structure, other than that contemplated by this Agreement, pursuant to which the REIT, the Operating Partnership or any of their Subsidiaries acquire all or a portion of the interests in the Contributor or the Contributed Assets or the assets held directly or indirectly by the applicable Rexford Entities in a transaction pursuant to which the Contributor and/or the Nominees receive the amount of cash, the number of OP Units and/or the number of REIT Shares that were to be received by the Contributor and/or the Nominees pursuant to this Agreement (or a portion thereof equal in value to the value of the portion of such assets acquired by the REIT, the Operating Partnership or any of their Subsidiaries pursuant to such Alternate Transaction); *provided*, that such structure will not (i) result in a breach of the Contributor’s or any applicable Contributed Entity’s governing documents and (ii) would not give rise to dissenters’ or appraisal rights by the members of the Contributor, unless such rights have fully waived by all such members in the Consent Forms.

(e) “Assignment and Assumption of Assumed Contracts” means that certain Assignment and Assumption of Assumed Contracts, dated as of the Closing Date and executed by the parties thereto, substantially in the form attached hereto as Exhibit G.

(f) “Assignment and Assumption of Membership Interests” means that certain Assignment and Assumption of Membership Interests, dated as of the Closing Date and executed by the parties thereto, substantially in the form attached hereto as Exhibit H.

(g) “Assumed Contracts” means all contracts, agreements, commitments, understandings and licenses of the Contributor.

(h) “Assumed Liabilities” means any direct or indirect liability, indebtedness, obligation, commitment, expense, claim, deficiency, guaranty or endorsement of or by the Contributor of any type, whether accrued, absolute, contingent, matured, unmatured, known or unknown or otherwise, including, without limitation, all such liabilities, whether past, currently existing or hereafter arising, relating to the ownership of Contributed Assets or the businesses conducted with such Contributed Assets.

(i) “Assumption of Assumed Liabilities” means that certain Assumption of Assumed Liabilities, dated as of the Closing Date and executed by the parties thereto, substantially in the form attached hereto as Exhibit I.

(j) “Bill of Sale” means that certain Bill of Sale, dated as of the Closing Date and executed by the parties thereto, substantially in the form attached hereto as Exhibit J.

(k) “Business Day” means any day that is not a Saturday, Sunday or legal holiday in the State of California.

(l) “Code” means the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, together with the rules and regulations promulgated or issued thereunder.

(m) “Consent Form” means the form provided to each holder of Pre-Formation Interests to consent to the Formation Transactions and to make such holder’s irrevocable elections with respect to consideration to be received by such holder (as Nominee or otherwise) in the Formation Transactions.

(n) “Contributed Assets” means, other than the Excluded Assets, all of the Contributor’s right, title and interest in, under and to all of the assets, properties and rights of the Contributor of every kind, nature and description, whether such assets, properties and rights are real, personal or mixed, tangible or intangible, including without limitation:

(i) the Contributor’s Contributed Interests;

(ii) cash and cash equivalents;

(iii) all accounts or notes receivable held by the Contributor, and any security, claim, remedy or other right related to any of the foregoing;

(iv) all inventory, finished goods, raw materials, work in progress, packaging, supplies, parts and other inventories;

(v) the Assumed Contracts;

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- (vi) all Intellectual Property Assets;
- (vii) all furniture, fixtures, equipment, machinery, tools, vehicles, office equipment, supplies, computers, telephones and other tangible personal property;
- (viii) all permits, including environmental permits, which are held by the Contributor and required for the conduct of the Contributor's business as currently conducted or for the ownership and use of the Contributed Assets;
- (ix) all rights to any actions, claims or suits of any nature available to or being pursued by the Contributor to the extent related to the Contributor's business, the Contributed Assets or the Assumed Liabilities, whether arising by way of counterclaim or otherwise;
- (x) all prepaid expenses, credits, advance payments, claims, security, refunds, rights of recovery, rights of set-off, rights of recoupment, deposits, charges, sums and fees (including any such item relating to the payment of taxes);
- (xi) all of the Contributor's rights under warranties, indemnities and all similar rights against third parties to the extent related to any Contributed Assets;
- (xii) all insurance benefits, including rights and proceeds, arising from or relating to the Contributor's business, the Contributed Assets or the Assumed Liabilities;
- (xiii) originals, or where not available, copies, of all books and records, including, but not limited to, books of account, ledgers and general, financial and accounting records, machinery and equipment maintenance files, customer and tenant data, other records and data (including all correspondence with any Governmental Authority), strategic plans, internal financial statements, marketing and promotional surveys, and other similar documents and data; and
- (xiv) all goodwill and the going concern value of the Contributor's business.
- (o) "Contributed Properties" means all Properties owned directly or indirectly, in whole or in part, by the Contributed Entities, as identified on Schedule 4.01(b).
- (p) "Elected OP Unit Percentage" means, with respect to the Contribution Consideration to be received by any Nominee, the percentage of the Allocated Share that the Nominee has made a Valid Election to receive in the form of OP Units.
- (q) "Elected REIT Share Percentage" means, with respect to the Contribution Consideration to be received by any Nominee, the percentage of the Allocated Share that the Nominee has made a Valid Election to receive in the form of REIT Shares.
- (r) "Entity Specific Debt" has the meaning set forth in Schedule 6.02(e) hereto.

(s) “Environmental Laws” means all federal, state and local Laws governing pollution or the protection of human health or the environment.

(t) “Equity Value” has the meaning set forth in Schedule 6.02(c) hereto.

(u) “Excluded Assets” means (i) the assets identified on Schedule 5.05 and (ii) any interest excluded from the contribution hereunder in accordance with Section 5.07.

(v) “Formation Transaction Documentation” means all of the agreements (including this Agreement) and related documents substantially in the forms accompanying the Request for Consent dated February 22, 2013 and identified in Exhibit K hereto, pursuant to which all of the Rexford Entities and/or the Pre-Formation Interests are to be acquired by the REIT or the Operating Partnership, directly or indirectly, as part of the Formation Transactions.

(w) “Formation Transactions” means the transactions contemplated by this Agreement and the other Formation Transaction Documentation.

(x) “Fund Material Adverse Effect” means any material adverse change in the assets, business, condition (financial or otherwise), results of operation or prospects of the Contributor, the Contributed Entities or Contributed Properties, taken as a whole.

(y) “Fund V Subsequent Investment Amount” has the meaning set forth in Schedule 6.02(c) hereto.

(z) “Governmental Authority” means any government or agency, bureau, board, commission, court, department, official, political subdivision, tribunal or other instrumentality of any government, whether federal, state or local, domestic or foreign.

(aa) “Intellectual Property” means all of the following and similar intangible property and related proprietary rights, interests and protections, however arising, pursuant to the Laws of any jurisdiction throughout the world: (a) trademarks, service marks, trade names, brand names, logos, trade dress and other proprietary indicia of goods and services, whether registered or unregistered, and all registrations and applications for registration of such trademarks, including intent-to-use applications, all issuances, extensions and renewals of such registrations and applications and the goodwill connected with the use of and symbolized by any of the foregoing; (b) internet domain names, whether or not trademarks, registered in any top-level domain by any authorized private registrar or Governmental Authority; (c) original works of authorship in any medium of expression, whether or not published, all copyrights (whether registered or unregistered), all registrations and applications for registration of such copyrights, and all issuances, extensions and renewals of such registrations and applications; (d) confidential or proprietary information, formulas, designs, devices, technology, know-how, research and development, inventions, methods, processes, compositions and other trade secrets, whether or not patentable and whether or not the foregoing has been reduced to a writing or other tangible form, and all improvements, documents and things embodying, incorporating, or referring in any way to the foregoing; (e) patented and patentable designs and inventions, all design, plant and utility patents, letters patent, utility models, pending patent applications and provisional applications and all issuances, divisions, continuations, continuations-in-part, reissues,

extensions, reexaminations and renewals of such patents and applications; (f) all other intellectual property and proprietary rights, of every kind and nature throughout the world and however designated in all media in existence now or hereafter developed (including without limitation, moral rights, character rights, publicity rights, privacy rights and “rental” rights), whether arising by operation of law, contract, license or otherwise; and (g) all rights to sue and recover and retain damages, costs and attorneys’ fees for past, present and future infringement, misappropriation, or other unauthorized use, and any other rights relating to any of the foregoing.

(bb) “Intellectual Property Assets” means all Intellectual Property of the Contributor.

(cc) “Interim Period” has the meaning set forth in Schedule 6.02(c) hereto.

(dd) “Laws” means laws, statutes, rules, regulations, codes, orders, ordinances, judgments, injunctions, decrees and policies of any Governmental Authority, including, without limitation, zoning, land use or other similar rules or ordinances.

(ee) “Liens” means all pledges, claims, liens, charges, restrictions, controls, easements, rights of way, exceptions, reservations, leases, licenses, grants, covenants and conditions, encumbrances and security interests of any kind or nature whatsoever.

(ff) “Lock-Up Agreement” means that certain Lock-Up Agreement, by and between the underwriters and each investor of the REIT and/or the Operating Partnership.

(gg) “Management Companies” means, collectively RIF V Manager, Sponsor, and RI LLC.

(hh) “Offering Closing Date” means the closing date of the Offering.

(ii) “Offering Document” means either (i) in the event the REIT undertakes a public Offering, the REIT’s final prospectus as filed with the SEC; or (ii) in the event the REIT undertakes a private Offering, the REIT’s final offering memorandum (together with any supplements and amendments thereto) used in the Offering.

(jj) “Offering Price” means the initial offering price of a REIT Share in the Offering.

(kk) “OP Material Adverse Effect” means any material adverse change in any of the assets, business, condition (financial or otherwise), results of operation or prospects of the Operating Partnership and each Operating Partnership Subsidiary, taken as a whole.

(ll) “Organizational Documents” means the certificate of formation, certificate of incorporation and bylaws, certificate of limited partnership and limited partnership agreement, limited liability company agreement or operating agreement, of the Contributor or the applicable Contributed Entity.

(mm) “Permitted Liens” means (i) Liens, or deposits made to secure the release of such Liens, securing Taxes, the payment of which is not delinquent or the payment of which (including, without limitation, the amount or validity thereof) is being contested in good faith by appropriate proceedings for which adequate reserves have been made in accordance with GAAP; (ii) zoning, entitlement, building and other land use Laws imposed by Governmental Authorities having jurisdiction over the Contributed Properties; (iii) covenants, conditions, restrictions, easements for public utilities, encroachments, rights of access or other non-monetary matters that do not materially impair the use of the Contributed Properties for the purposes for which they are currently being used or proposed to be used in connection with the relevant Person’s business; (iv) Liens securing financing or credit arrangements existing as of the Closing Date; (v) Liens arising under Leases in effect as of the Closing Date; (vi) any exceptions contained in any title policy (including any policy issued to a secured lender) relating to the Contributed Properties as of the Closing Date; and (vii) mechanics’, carriers’, workers’, repairers’ and similar Liens arising or incurred in the ordinary course of business that are not yet due and payable or the payment of which (including, without limitation, the amount or validity thereof) is being contested in good faith by appropriate proceedings for which adequate reserves have been made in accordance with GAAP, and which are not, in the aggregate, material to the business, operations and financial condition of the Contributed Properties so encumbered.

(nn) “Person” means an individual, corporation, partnership, limited liability company, joint venture, association, trust, unincorporated organization or other entity.

(oo) “Pre-Formation Interests” means the equity interests directly or indirectly held by the Pre-Formation Participants in the Rexford Entities and in the “Rexford Properties” as defined in that certain Confidential Request for Consent and Investment Election dated February 22, 2013.

(pp) “Pre-Formation Participants” means the holders of the equity interests in the relevant RIF Fund Entity and the Management Companies immediately prior to the Formation Transactions, and shall include any other Person contributing any interest or Property to the REIT, the Operating Partnership or any Subsidiary thereof in the Formation Transactions.

(qq) “Properties” means the real properties owned directly or indirectly, in whole or in part, by the Rexford Entities.

(rr) “Registration Rights Agreement” means that certain Registration Rights Agreement, by and among the REIT, the Operating Partnership and the parties identified as a signatory on Schedule A thereto.

(ss) “Rexford Entity” means a RIF Fund Entity, the Management Companies and each of their respective Subsidiaries, as applicable. As used herein, “Rexford Entities” refer to each Rexford Entity, collectively.

(tt) “Securities Act” means the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder.

(uu) “Subsidiary” of any Person means any corporation, partnership, limited liability company, joint venture, trust or other legal entity of which such Person owns (either directly or through or together with another Subsidiary of such Person) either (i) a general

partner, managing member or other similar interest, or (ii) (A) ten percent (10%) or more of the voting power of the voting capital stock or other equity interests, or (B) ten percent (10%) or more of the outstanding voting capital stock or other voting equity interests of such corporation, partnership, limited liability company, joint venture or other legal entity.

(vv) “Target Asset” has the meaning set forth in Schedule 6.02(c) hereto.

(ww) “Tax” means all federal, state, local and foreign income, gross receipts, license, property, withholding, sales, franchise, employment, payroll, goods and services, stamp, environmental, customs duties, capital stock, social security, transfer, alternative minimum, excise and other taxes, tariffs or governmental charges of any nature whatsoever, including estimated taxes, together with penalties, interest or additions to Tax with respect thereto, whether or not disputed.

(xx) “Tax Matters Agreement” means that certain Tax Matters Agreement, by and among the REIT, the Operating Partnership and the other parties identified as signatories therein.

(yy) “Tax Return” means any return, declaration, report, claim for refund, or information return or statement relating to Taxes, including any schedule or attachment thereto, and including any amendment thereof.

(zz) “Valid Election” means, with respect to any Nominee, an irrevocable election to receive all or a portion of its Allocated Share in the form of OP Units or REIT Shares as indicated on the properly completed and timely received Consent Form of the Nominee or a Consent Form as to which any deficiencies have been waived by the REIT.

Section 6.03 COUNTERPARTS. This Agreement may be executed in counterparts, all of which shall be considered one and the same agreement and shall become effective when one or more counterparts have been signed by each party and delivered to each other party.

Section 6.04 ENTIRE AGREEMENT; THIRD-PARTY BENEFICIARIES. This Agreement, the other Formation Transaction Documentation and the Consent Forms to which the Nominees are a party, including, without limitation, the exhibits and schedules hereto and thereto, constitute the entire agreement and, except as set forth in Section 2.05, supersede each prior agreement and understanding, whether written or oral, among the parties regarding the subject matter of this Agreement. This Agreement is not intended to confer any rights or remedies on any Person (including any Nominee) other than the parties hereto.

Section 6.05 GOVERNING LAW. This Agreement shall be governed by, and construed in accordance with, the Laws of the State of California, regardless of any Laws that might otherwise govern under applicable principles of conflicts of laws thereof.

Section 6.06 ASSIGNMENT. This Agreement shall be binding upon, and shall be enforceable by and inure to the benefit of, the parties hereto and their respective heirs, legal representatives, successors and assigns; *provided, however*, that this Agreement may not be assigned (except by operation of law) by any party without the prior written consent of the other parties, and any attempted assignment without such consent shall be null and void and of no force and effect, except that the Operating Partnership may assign its rights and obligations hereunder to an Affiliate.

Section 6.07 JURISDICTION. The parties hereto hereby (a) submit to the exclusive jurisdiction of any state or federal court sitting in the County of Los Angeles, with respect to any dispute arising out of this Agreement or any transaction contemplated hereby to the extent such courts would have subject matter jurisdiction with respect to such dispute and (b) irrevocably waive, and agree not to assert by way of motion, defense, or otherwise, in any such action, any claim that it is not subject personally to the jurisdiction of the above-named courts, that its property is exempt or immune from attachment or execution, that the action is brought in an inconvenient forum, or that the venue of the action is improper.

Section 6.08 DISPUTE RESOLUTION. The parties intend that this Section 6.08 will be valid, binding, enforceable, exclusive and irrevocable and that it shall survive any termination of this Agreement.

(a) Upon any dispute, controversy or claim arising out of or relating to this Agreement or the enforcement, breach, termination or validity thereof (“Dispute”), the party raising the Dispute will give written notice to the other parties to the Dispute describing the nature of the Dispute following which the parties to such Dispute shall attempt for a period of ten (10) Business Days from receipt by the parties of notice of such Dispute to resolve such Dispute by negotiation between representatives of the parties hereto who have authority to settle such Dispute. All such negotiations shall be confidential and any statements or offers made therein shall be treated as compromise and settlement negotiations for purposes of any applicable rules of evidence and shall not be admissible as evidence in any subsequent proceeding for any purpose. The statute of limitations applicable to the commencement of a lawsuit shall apply to the commencement of an arbitration hereunder, except that no defense based on the running of the statute of limitations will be available based upon the passage of time during any such negotiation. Regardless of the foregoing, a party shall have the right to seek immediate injunctive relief pursuant to Section 6.08(c), below without regard to any such ten (10) Business Day negotiation period.

(b) Any Dispute (including the determination of the scope or applicability of this agreement to arbitrate) that is not resolved pursuant to Section 6.08(a) above shall be submitted to final and binding arbitration in California before one neutral and impartial arbitrator, in accordance with the Laws of the State of California for agreements made in and to be performed in that State. The arbitration shall be administered by JAMS, Inc. (“JAMS”) pursuant to its Comprehensive Arbitration Rules and Procedures, as in effect on the date hereof. Each of the REIT and the Operating Partnership, on the one hand, and the Contributor, on the other hand, shall appoint one arbitrator within fifteen (15) days of a demand for arbitration. If the REIT and the Operating Partnership and the Contributor cannot mutually agree upon an arbitrator within such 15-day period, the arbitrator shall be appointed by JAMS in accordance with its Comprehensive Arbitration Rules and Procedures, as in effect on the date hereof. The arbitrator shall designate the place and time of the hearing. The hearing shall be scheduled to begin as soon as practicable and no later than sixty (60) days after the appointment of the arbitrator (unless such period is extended by the arbitrator for good cause shown) and shall be conducted as expeditiously as possible. The award, which shall set forth the arbitrator’s findings

of fact and conclusions of law, shall be filed with JAMS and mailed to the parties no later than thirty (30) days after the close of the arbitration hearing. The arbitration award shall be final and binding on the parties and not subject to collateral attack. Judgment upon the arbitration award may be entered in any federal or state court having jurisdiction thereof.

(c) Notwithstanding the parties' agreement to submit all Disputes to final and binding arbitration before JAMS, the parties shall have the right to seek and obtain temporary or preliminary injunctive relief in any court having jurisdiction thereof. Such courts shall have authority to, among other things, grant temporary or provisional injunctive relief in order to protect any party's rights under this Agreement. Without prejudice to such provisional remedies as may be available under the jurisdiction of a court, the arbitral tribunal shall have full authority to grant provisional remedies and to direct the parties to request that any court modify or vacate any temporary or preliminary relief issued by such court, and to award damages for the failure of any party to respect the arbitral tribunal's orders to that effect.

(d) The prevailing party shall be entitled to recover its costs and reasonable attorneys' fees, and the non-prevailing party shall pay all expenses and fees of JAMS, all costs of the stenographic record, all expenses of witnesses or proofs that may have been produced at the direction of the arbitrator, and the fees, costs, and expenses of the arbitrator. The arbitrator shall allocate such costs and designate the prevailing party or parties for these purposes.

Section 6.09 SEVERABILITY. Each provision of this Agreement will be interpreted so as to be effective and valid under applicable Law, but if any provision is held invalid, illegal or unenforceable under applicable Law in any jurisdiction, then such invalidity, illegality or unenforceability will not affect any other provision, and this Agreement will be reformed, construed and enforced in such jurisdiction as if such invalid, illegal or unenforceable provision had never been included herein.

Section 6.10 RULES OF CONSTRUCTION.

(a) The parties hereto agree that they have had the opportunity to be represented by counsel during the negotiation, preparation and execution of this Agreement and, therefore, waive the application of any Law, regulation, holding or rule of construction providing that ambiguities in an agreement or other document will be construed against the party drafting such agreement or document.

(b) The words "hereof," "herein" and "herewith" and words of similar import shall, unless otherwise stated, be construed to refer to this Agreement as a whole and not to any particular provision of this Agreement, and article, section, paragraph, exhibit and schedule references are to the articles, sections, paragraphs, exhibits and schedules of this Agreement unless otherwise specified. Whenever the words "include," "includes" or "including" are used in this Agreement, they shall be deemed to be followed by the words "without limitation." All terms defined in this Agreement shall have the defined meanings contained herein when used in any certificate or other document made or delivered pursuant hereto unless otherwise defined therein. The definitions contained in this Agreement are applicable to the singular as well as the plural forms of such terms and to the masculine as well as to the feminine and neuter genders of such terms. Unless explicitly stated otherwise herein, any agreement, instrument or statute

defined or referred to herein or in any agreement or instrument that is referred to herein means such agreement, instrument or statute as from time to time, amended, qualified or supplemented, including (in the case of agreements and instruments) by waiver or consent and (in the case of statutes) by succession of comparable successor statutes and all attachments thereto and instruments incorporated therein. References to a Person are also to its permitted successors and assigns.

Section 6.11 EQUITABLE REMEDIES. The parties agree that irreparable damage would occur to the Operating Partnership in the event that any of the provisions of this Agreement were not performed in accordance with their specific terms or were otherwise breached. It is accordingly agreed that the Operating Partnership shall be entitled to an injunction or injunctions to prevent breaches of this Agreement by a Contributor and to enforce specifically the terms and provisions hereof in any federal or state court located in California, this being in addition to any other remedy to which the Operating Partnership is entitled under this Agreement or otherwise at law or in equity.

Section 6.12 TIME OF THE ESSENCE. Time is of the essence with respect to all obligations under this Agreement.

Section 6.13 DESCRIPTIVE HEADINGS. The descriptive headings herein are inserted for convenience only and are not intended to be part of or to affect the meaning or interpretation of this Agreement.

Section 6.14 NO PERSONAL LIABILITY CONFERRED. This Agreement shall not create or permit any personal liability or obligation on the part of any officer, director, partner, employee or shareholder of the Operating Partnership or the Contributor.

Section 6.15 CONSENT OF PARTNER, MANAGER or MEMBER. In accordance with the terms of certain of the agreements governing the Contributed Interests, the undersigned, in its capacity as a partner, manager or member of one or more of the Contributed Entities, consents to the applicable transfers contemplated in Section 1.01 hereof and the admission of the Operating Partnership as a substituted partner or member in each applicable Contributed Entity and waives any right of first refusal which the undersigned has with respect of the transfer of any of the Contributed Interests to the Operating Partnership.

Section 6.16 WAIVER OF SECTION 1542 PROTECTIONS. As of the Closing Date, each of the parties hereto expressly acknowledges that it has had, or has had and waived, the opportunity to be advised by independent legal counsel and hereby waives and relinquishes all rights and benefits afforded by Section 1542 of the California Civil Code and does so understanding and acknowledging the significance and consequence of such specific waiver of Section 1542 which provides:

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

Section 6.17 AMENDMENTS. This Agreement may be amended by appropriate instrument, without the consent of the Contributor, at any time prior to the Closing Date; provided, that no such amendment, modification or supplement shall be made that alters the amount or changes the form of the consideration to be delivered to the Contributor, without the prior written consent of the Contributor.

[SIGNATURE PAGES FOLLOW]

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have caused this Agreement to be signed by their respective duly authorized officers or representatives, all as of the date first written above.

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, L.P., a Maryland limited partnership

By: REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, INC., a Maryland corporation
Its: General Partner

By: /s/ Howard Schwimmer
Name: Howard Schwimmer
Title: Co-Chief Executive Officer

By: /s/ Michael Frankel
Name: Michael S. Frankel
Title: Co-Chief Executive Officer

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, INC., a Maryland corporation

By: /s/ Howard Schwimmer
Name: Howard Schwimmer
Title: Co-Chief Executive Officer

By: /s/ Michael Frankel
Name: Michael S. Frankel
Title: Co-Chief Executive Officer

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL FUND I, LLC, a California limited liability company

By: REXFORD INDUSTRIAL, LLC, a California limited liability company
Its: Manager

By: /s/ Howard Schwimmer
Name: Howard Schwimmer
Title: Manager

[Signature Page to Fund I Contribution Agreement]

CONTRIBUTION AGREEMENT

by and among

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, L.P.,

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, INC.,

and

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL FUND II, LLC

Dated as of July 24, 2013

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CONTRIBUTION AGREEMENT

THIS CONTRIBUTION AGREEMENT is made and entered into as of July 24, 2013 (this "Agreement"), by and among Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc., a Maryland corporation (the "REIT"), Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P., a Maryland limited partnership (the "Operating Partnership") and a subsidiary of the REIT, and Rexford Industrial Fund II, LLC, a California limited liability company (the "Contributor"). Certain capitalized terms are defined in Section 6.02 of this Agreement.

RECITALS

WHEREAS, the REIT desires to consolidate the ownership of a portfolio of properties currently owned, directly or indirectly, by certain entities each as described on Exhibit A hereto;

WHEREAS, concurrently with the execution of this Agreement, Rexford Industrial Fund V REIT, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company ("RIF V REIT"), will enter into an agreement and plan of merger with the REIT pursuant to which RIF V REIT will merge with and into the REIT and the equity interest in RIF V REIT will be converted automatically into the right to receive cash, without interest, or shares of common stock of the REIT, par value \$.01 per share ("REIT Shares");

WHEREAS, concurrently with the execution of this Agreement, Rexford Industrial Fund V, LP, a Delaware limited partnership ("RIF V Fund"), will enter into an agreement and plan of merger with the Operating Partnership pursuant to which RIF V Fund will merge with and into the Operating Partnership and the partnership interests in RIF V Fund will be (a) converted automatically into the right to receive cash, without interest, REIT Shares and/or common units of partnership interest in the Operating Partnership ("OP Units") and (b) in the case of the partnership interests in RIF V Fund held by RIF V Manager or the REIT, cancelled;

WHEREAS, concurrently with the execution of this Agreement, Rexford Sponsor V LLC, a Delaware limited liability company ("Sponsor"), will enter into an agreement and plan of merger pursuant to which Sponsor will merge with and into a direct wholly-owned subsidiary of the Operating Partnership with Sponsor as the surviving entity, and the equity interests in Sponsor will be converted automatically into the right to receive cash, without interest, OP Units and/or REIT Shares;

WHEREAS, concurrently with the execution of this Agreement, Rexford Industrial, LLC, a California limited liability company ("RI LLC"), will enter into an agreement and plan of merger pursuant to which RI LLC will merge with and into a direct wholly-owned subsidiary of the Operating Partnership, with RI LLC as the surviving entity, and the equity interests in RI LLC will be converted automatically into the right to receive cash, without interest, OP Units and/or REIT Shares;

WHEREAS, concurrently with the execution of this Agreement, Rexford Fund V Manager LLC, a Delaware limited liability company ("RIF V Manager"), will enter into an agreement and plan of merger pursuant to which RIF V Manager will merge with and into an indirect wholly-owned subsidiary of the Operating Partnership, with RIF V Manager as the surviving entity, and the equity interests in RIF V Manager will be converted automatically into the right to receive cash, without interest, OP Units and/or REIT Shares;

WHEREAS, concurrently with the completion of the transactions described in the preceding paragraphs, the parties to this Agreement wish to effect a transaction pursuant to which (a) the Contributor will contribute to the Operating Partnership all of the Contributor's direct and indirect interests (the "Contributed Interests") in the entities identified under the heading "Contributed Entities - Rexford Industrial Fund II, LLC" on Exhibit A hereto (the "Contributed Entities"), the Contributed Properties and the other Contributed Assets identified herein, and (b) the Operating Partnership shall acquire from the Contributor, all of the Contributor's right, title and interest in and to such Contributed Interests, Contributed Properties and the other Contributed Assets, in exchange for a combination of cash, without interest, REIT Shares and/or OP Units and the assumption by the Operating Partnership of the Assumed Liabilities, all on the terms and subject to the conditions set forth herein;

WHEREAS, concurrently with the execution of this Agreement, each of Rexford Industrial Fund I, LLC, Rexford Industrial Fund III, LLC and Rexford Industrial Fund IV, LLC (each such entity, the Contributor, RIF V REIT and RIF V Fund may be referred to herein as a "RIF Fund Entity") will enter into a contribution agreement with the REIT and the Operating Partnership on substantially the same terms as this Contribution Agreement (the "Other RIF Fund Contribution Agreements");

WHEREAS, in the event that all members of the Contributor or another RIF Fund Entity return duly executed and completed Consent Forms approving the Formation Transactions, then, in lieu of this Agreement or the applicable Other RIF Fund Contribution Agreement, the REIT may elect to cause the applicable RIF Fund Entity to enter into an agreement and plan of merger with the Operating Partnership pursuant to which such RIF Fund Entity will merge with and into the Operating Partnership and the membership interests in such RIF Fund Entity will be converted automatically into the right to receive cash, REIT Shares and/or OP Units;

WHEREAS, the Formation Transactions relate to the initial public offering of the REIT Shares or, depending on prevailing market conditions at the time of the offering, a private offering of the REIT Shares (the "Offering"), following which the REIT will operate as a self-administered and self-managed real estate investment trust within the meaning of Section 856 of the Code;

WHEREAS, substantially concurrently with the completion of the Formation Transactions and the Offering, the REIT will contribute to the Operating Partnership, all of the assets (other than OP Units), rights and obligations acquired by the REIT as a result of the Formation Transactions and the Offering; and

WHEREAS, all necessary approvals have been obtained by each of the Operating Partnership and the Contributor to consummate the transactions contemplated herein and by the other Formation Transaction Documentation.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the foregoing and the representations, warranties, covenants and other terms contained in this Agreement, the parties hereto, intending to be legally bound hereby, agree as follows:

ARTICLE I
CONTRIBUTION

Section 1.01 CONTRIBUTION TRANSACTION; ASSIGNMENT AND ASSUMPTION OF ASSUMED LIABILITIES.

(a) At the Closing and subject to the terms and conditions contained in this Agreement and in accordance with applicable Laws, the Contributor hereby contributes, assigns, sets over, transfers, conveys and delivers to the Operating Partnership, absolutely and unconditionally and free and clear of all Liens (other than those arising under Organizational Documents of the applicable Rexford Entities and Permitted Liens with respect to the Contributed Properties), all of its right, title and interest in and to the Contributed Assets, including all rights to indemnification in favor of the Contributor under the Organizational Documents; *provided*, that the Operating Partnership accepts the assignment by the Contributor and agrees to be bound by the terms of the Organizational Documents governing the Contributor's Contributed Interests and undertakes, assumes and agrees punctually and faithfully to perform, pay or discharge when due and otherwise in accordance with its terms, all agreements, covenants, conditions, obligations and liabilities of the Contributor in the applicable Rexford Entities with respect to the Contributor's Contributed Interests on or after the Closing Date.

(b) At the Closing and subject to the terms and conditions contained in this Agreement, the Operating Partnership assumes and agrees to pay, perform and discharge all of the Assumed Liabilities.

(c) Without limiting the foregoing, the Contributor, on behalf of itself and its Affiliates, consents to, and agrees and acknowledges that all requirements and conditions for the transactions contemplated by this Agreement, including the transfer of the Contributed Assets and the admission of the Operating Partnership as a partner or member of each of the Contributed Entities have been satisfied or otherwise waived.

(d) All of the parties hereto agree that, as a result of the assignment and assumptions hereunder, for purposes of the Organizational Documents governing the Contributed Entities, the Operating Partnership shall be a substituted general partner, limited partner, manager or member, as the case may be, of the applicable Contributed Entity.

Section 1.02 CONSIDERATION.

(a) At Closing, subject to the terms and conditions contained in this Agreement, the Contributor shall receive cash, OP Units and/or REIT Shares with an aggregate value equal to the Equity Value represented by the Contributed Assets (collectively referred to as the "Contribution Consideration"). The parties acknowledge that, concurrently with the Closing,

the Contributor expects to distribute the Contribution Consideration to its members in accordance with irrevocable elections made by the members of the Contributor in a Consent Form submitted by such members to the Contributor, or, if any such member has failed to submit a Consent Form, in accordance with determinations made by the Contributor. As a means of expediting such distribution, the Operating Partnership agrees to deliver such cash, OP Units and/or REIT Shares directly to such members as the nominees of the Contributor (the "Nominees"). The transfer of OP Units to any Nominee shall be evidenced by an entry to the Register (as defined in the Operating Partnership Agreement), and the transfer of REIT Shares to any Nominee shall be evidenced by the establishment of a credit to a book-entry account at the REIT's transfer agent. Subject to Section 1.03, the amount of cash, number of OP Units and/or REIT Shares comprising the Contribution Consideration attributable to each Nominee shall be as follows:

(i) Cash. One hundred percent (100%) of the Allocated Share attributable to a Nominee who is not an Accredited Investor shall be paid in cash.

(ii) OP Units. The Elected OP Unit Percentage of the Allocated Share attributable to a Nominee who is an Accredited Investor shall be distributed in whole OP Units in the form of a number of OP Units equal to the applicable portion of such Allocated Share divided by the Offering Price; and

(iii) REIT Shares. The Elected REIT Shares Percentage of the Allocated Share attributable to a Nominee who is an Accredited Investor shall be distributed in whole REIT Shares in the form of a number of REIT Shares equal to the applicable portion of such Allocated Share divided by the Offering Price; *provided, that* to the extent such distribution of REIT Shares to such Nominee would result in a violation of the restrictions on ownership and transfer set forth in Section 6.2.1 of the REIT's charter (the "Ownership Limits"), such Nominee shall receive (x) the maximum number of whole REIT Shares that would not result in such violation of the Ownership Limits, and (y) that number of whole OP Units equal to the remaining number of REIT Shares not distributed as a result of the application of the foregoing clause (x).

(b) At Closing, each Nominee receiving OP Units in accordance with the foregoing shall be admitted as a limited partner of the Operating Partnership. By executing and delivering a Consent Form, each Nominee has agreed and accepted all of the terms and conditions of the Operating Partnership Agreement and shall be deemed to have executed and delivered a counterpart signature page to the Operating Partnership Agreement.

Section 1.03 FRACTIONAL INTEREST. No fractional OP Units or REIT Shares shall be issued pursuant to this Agreement or the other Formation Transaction Documentation. All fractional OP Units that a Nominee would otherwise be entitled to receive as a result of the Formation Transactions shall be aggregated, and the Nominee shall receive the number of whole OP Units resulting from such aggregation and, in lieu of any fractional OP Unit resulting from such aggregation, an amount in cash determined by multiplying that fraction of an OP Unit to which the Nominee would otherwise have been entitled, by the Offering Price. All fractional REIT Shares that a Nominee would otherwise be entitled to receive as a result of the Formation Transactions shall be aggregated, and the Nominee shall receive the number of whole REIT

Shares resulting from such aggregation and, in lieu of any fractional REIT Share resulting from such aggregation, an amount in cash determined by multiplying that fraction of a REIT Share to which the Nominee would otherwise have been entitled, by the Offering Price. No interest will be paid or will accrue on any cash paid or payable in lieu of any fractional OP Unit or REIT Share.

Section 1.04 FURTHER ACTION. If, at any time after the Closing, the Operating Partnership shall determine or be advised that any deeds, bills of sale, assignments (including any intellectual property assignments), assurances or any other actions or things are necessary or desirable to vest, perfect or confirm of record or otherwise in the Operating Partnership the right, title or interest in or to any Contributed Assets, the Contributor shall execute and deliver all such deeds, bills of sale, assignments (including any intellectual property assignments) and assurances and take and do all such other actions and things as may be necessary or desirable to vest, perfect or confirm any and all right, title and interest in such Contributed Assets or otherwise to carry out this Agreement.

Section 1.05 CALCULATION OF CONTRIBUTION CONSIDERATION. As soon as practicable following the determination of the Offering Price and prior to the Closing, all calculations relating to the Contribution Consideration shall be performed in good faith by, or under the direction of, the REIT and the Operating Partnership, and the parties hereby agree that, absent manifest error, such calculations shall be final and binding upon the Contributor and each Nominee.

ARTICLE II

CLOSING

Section 2.01 CONDITIONS PRECEDENT.

(a) Condition to Each Party's Obligations. The respective obligation of each party to effect the contributions contemplated by this Agreement and to consummate the other transactions contemplated hereby to occur on the Closing Date is subject to the satisfaction or waiver on or prior to the Closing of the following conditions:

(i) Registration Statement. If the REIT undertakes a public Offering, the public Offering registration statement must have been declared effective under the Securities Act and will not be the subject of any stop order or proceedings by the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC") seeking a stop order. This condition may not be waived by any party.

(ii) No Injunction. No Governmental Authority of competent jurisdiction shall have enacted, issued, promulgated, enforced or entered any statute, rule, regulation, executive order, decree, judgment, injunction, stay or other order (whether temporary, preliminary or permanent), in any case which is in effect and which prevents or prohibits consummation of any of the transactions contemplated in this Agreement nor shall any of the same brought by a Governmental Authority of competent jurisdiction be pending or threatened that seeks the foregoing.

(iii) Operating Partnership Agreement. The Operating Partnership Agreement, in substantially the form attached hereto as Exhibit B, shall have been executed and delivered by the partners of the Operating Partnership and shall be in full force and effect and, except as contemplated by Section 2.03 or the other Formation Transaction Documents, shall not have been amended or modified.

(b) Conditions to the Obligations of the Operating Partnership. The obligations of the Operating Partnership to effect the contribution contemplated by this Agreement and to consummate the other transactions contemplated hereby to occur on the Closing Date are further subject to satisfaction of the following conditions (any of which may be waived by the Operating Partnership in whole or in part):

(i) Representations and Warranties. The representations and warranties of the Contributor contained in this Agreement shall be true and correct in all material respects at the Closing as if made again at that time (except to the extent that any representation or warranty speaks as of an earlier date, in which case it must be true and correct only as of that earlier date).

(ii) Performance by the Contributor. The Contributor shall have performed each of the agreements and covenants required by this Agreement to be performed or complied with by it on or prior to the Closing Date and the Contributor shall not have breached any of its covenants contained herein in any material respect.

(iii) Offering Closing. The closing of the Offering shall occur substantially concurrently with the Closing.

(iv) Consents, Etc. All necessary consents and approvals of Governmental Authorities or third parties (including lenders) for the Contributor to consummate the transactions contemplated hereby shall have been obtained.

(v) No Fund Material Adverse Effect. There shall have not occurred between the date hereof and the Closing Date a Fund Material Adverse Effect.

(vi) Formation Transactions. The Formation Transactions shall have been or shall be consummated substantially concurrently in accordance with the timing set forth in the respective Formation Transaction Documentation.

(vii) Lock-Up Agreement. Each Nominee receiving REIT Shares or OP Units shall have entered into the Lock-Up Agreement substantially in the form attached as Exhibit C.

(viii) Tax Matters Agreement. Any Nominee that will receive OP Units in the contribution contemplated by this Agreement and that (1) owns, directly or indirectly, an interest in any Contributed Property specified in the Tax Matters Agreement or (2) has been provided an opportunity to guarantee debt as set forth in the Tax Matters Agreement shall have entered into the Tax Matters Agreement substantially in the form attached as Exhibit D, if applicable.

(c) Conditions to the Obligations of the Contributor. The obligation of the Contributor to effect the contribution contemplated by this Agreement and to consummate the other transactions contemplated hereby to occur on the Closing Date are further subject to satisfaction of the following conditions (any of which may be waived by the Contributor in whole or in part):

(i) Representations and Warranties. Except as would not have an OP Material Adverse Effect, the representations and warranties of the Operating Partnership contained in this Agreement shall be true and correct at the Closing as if made again at that time (except to the extent that any representation or warranty speaks as of an earlier date, in which case it must be true and correct only as of that earlier date).

(ii) Performance by the Operating Partnership. Except as would not have an OP Material Adverse Effect, the Operating Partnership shall have performed all agreements and covenants required by this Agreement to be performed or complied with by it on or prior to the Closing Date.

(iii) Registration Rights Agreement. The REIT shall have entered into the Registration Rights Agreement, substantially in the form attached as Exhibit E hereto. This condition may not be waived by any party hereto.

(iv) Tax Matters Agreement. If the Contributor (1) owns, directly or indirectly, an interest in any Contributed Property specified in the Tax Matters Agreement or (2) has any members that have been provided an opportunity to guarantee debt as set forth in the Tax Matters Agreement, the REIT and the Operating Partnership shall have entered into the Tax Matters Agreement substantially in the form attached as Exhibit D, if applicable.

Section 2.02 TIME AND PLACE. Unless this Agreement shall have been terminated pursuant to Section 2.06, and subject to the satisfaction or waiver of the conditions in Section 2.01, the closing of the contributions contemplated by Section 1.01 and the other transactions contemplated by this Agreement shall occur substantially concurrently with the receipt by the REIT of the proceeds from the Offering from the underwriters (the “Closing” or the “Closing Date”) in the order set forth on Exhibit F. The Closing shall take place at the offices of Latham & Watkins LLP, 355 South Grand Avenue, Los Angeles, California 90071 or such other place as determined by the REIT in its sole discretion.

Section 2.03 DELIVERY OF CONTRIBUTION CONSIDERATION.

(a) Subject to Section 5.03(a), as soon as reasonably practicable after the Closing, the Operating Partnership shall deliver to the Nominees the Contribution Consideration payable in the amounts and form provided in Section 1.02(a). The issuance of any OP Units and admission of the recipients thereof as limited partners of the Operating Partnership pursuant to Section 1.02(b) shall be evidenced by an entry to the Register. Any certificate representing REIT Shares issuable as Contribution Consideration shall bear the following legend:

THE SECURITIES REPRESENTED HEREBY HAVE NOT BEEN REGISTERED UNDER THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933, AS AMENDED (THE “ACT”), OR THE SECURITIES LAWS OF ANY STATE AND MAY NOT BE SOLD, TRANSFERRED OR OTHERWISE DISPOSED OF IN THE ABSENCE OF SUCH REGISTRATION, UNLESS THE TRANSFEROR DELIVERS TO THE CORPORATION AN OPINION OF COUNSEL SATISFACTORY TO THE CORPORATION, TO THE EFFECT THAT THE PROPOSED SALE, TRANSFER OR OTHER DISPOSITION MAY BE EFFECTED WITHOUT REGISTRATION UNDER THE ACT AND UNDER APPLICABLE STATE SECURITIES OR “BLUE SKY” LAWS.

THE SHARES REPRESENTED BY THIS CERTIFICATE ARE SUBJECT TO RESTRICTIONS ON BENEFICIAL AND CONSTRUCTIVE OWNERSHIP AND TRANSFER FOR THE PURPOSE OF THE CORPORATION’S MAINTENANCE OF ITS STATUS AS A REAL ESTATE INVESTMENT TRUST UNDER THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE OF 1986, AS AMENDED (THE “CODE”). SUBJECT TO CERTAIN FURTHER RESTRICTIONS AND EXCEPT AS EXPRESSLY PROVIDED IN THE CORPORATION’S CHARTER, (I) NO PERSON MAY BENEFICIALLY OR CONSTRUCTIVELY OWN SHARES OF THE CORPORATION’S COMMON STOCK IN EXCESS OF 9.8% (IN VALUE OR NUMBER OF SHARES) OF THE OUTSTANDING SHARES OF COMMON STOCK OF THE CORPORATION UNLESS SUCH PERSON IS AN EXCEPTED HOLDER (IN WHICH CASE THE EXCEPTED HOLDER LIMIT SHALL BE APPLICABLE); (II) NO PERSON MAY BENEFICIALLY OR CONSTRUCTIVELY OWN SHARES OF CAPITAL STOCK OF THE CORPORATION IN EXCESS OF 9.8% OF THE VALUE OF THE TOTAL OUTSTANDING SHARES OF CAPITAL STOCK OF THE CORPORATION, UNLESS SUCH PERSON IS AN EXCEPTED HOLDER (IN WHICH CASE THE EXCEPTED HOLDER LIMIT SHALL BE APPLICABLE); (III) NO PERSON MAY BENEFICIALLY OR CONSTRUCTIVELY OWN CAPITAL STOCK THAT COULD RESULT IN THE CORPORATION BEING “CLOSELY HELD” UNDER SECTION 856(h) OF THE CODE OR OTHERWISE CAUSE THE CORPORATION TO FAIL TO QUALIFY AS A REIT; AND (IV) NO PERSON MAY TRANSFER SHARES OF CAPITAL STOCK IF SUCH TRANSFER WOULD RESULT IN THE CAPITAL STOCK OF THE CORPORATION BEING OWNED BY FEWER THAN 100 PERSONS. ANY PERSON WHO BENEFICIALLY OR CONSTRUCTIVELY OWNS OR ATTEMPTS TO

BENEFICIALLY OR CONSTRUCTIVELY OWN SHARES OF CAPITAL STOCK WHICH CAUSES OR MAY CAUSE A PERSON TO BENEFICIALLY OR CONSTRUCTIVELY OWN SHARES OF CAPITAL STOCK IN EXCESS OR IN VIOLATION OF THE ABOVE LIMITATIONS MUST IMMEDIATELY NOTIFY THE CORPORATION OR, IN THE CASE OF SUCH A PROPOSED OR ATTEMPTED TRANSACTION, GIVE AT LEAST 15 DAYS PRIOR WRITTEN NOTICE. IF ANY OF THE RESTRICTIONS ON TRANSFER OR OWNERSHIP SET FORTH IN (I) THROUGH (III) ABOVE ARE VIOLATED, THE SHARES OF CAPITAL STOCK REPRESENTED HEREBY WILL BE AUTOMATICALLY TRANSFERRED TO A TRUSTEE OF A TRUST FOR THE BENEFIT OF ONE OR MORE CHARITABLE BENEFICIARIES. IN ADDITION, THE CORPORATION MAY TAKE OTHER ACTIONS, INCLUDING REDEEMING SHARES UPON THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS SPECIFIED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS IN ITS SOLE AND ABSOLUTE DISCRETION IF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS DETERMINES THAT OWNERSHIP OR A TRANSFER OR OTHER EVENT MAY VIOLATE THE RESTRICTIONS DESCRIBED ABOVE. FURTHERMORE, UPON THE OCCURRENCE OF CERTAIN EVENTS, ATTEMPTED TRANSFERS IN VIOLATION OF THE RESTRICTIONS DESCRIBED ABOVE MAY BE VOID AB INITIO. ALL UNDERLINED TERMS IN THIS LEGEND HAVE THE MEANINGS DEFINED IN THE CHARTER OF THE CORPORATION, AS THE SAME MAY BE AMENDED FROM TIME TO TIME, A COPY OF WHICH, INCLUDING THE RESTRICTIONS ON TRANSFER AND OWNERSHIP, WILL BE FURNISHED TO EACH HOLDER OF CAPITAL STOCK OF THE CORPORATION ON REQUEST AND WITHOUT CHARGE. REQUESTS FOR SUCH A COPY MAY BE DIRECTED TO THE SECRETARY OF THE CORPORATION AT ITS PRINCIPAL OFFICE.

(b) The Operating Partnership (or its successor in interest) shall not be liable to any Nominee for any portion of the Contribution Consideration delivered to a public official pursuant to any applicable abandoned property, escheat or similar Law.

Section 2.04 CLOSING DELIVERIES. At the Closing, the parties shall make, execute, acknowledge and deliver, or cause to be made, executed, acknowledged and delivered (a) an Assignment and Assumption of Assumed Contracts, (b) a Bill of Sale, (c) an Assumption of Assumed Liabilities, (d) an Assignment and Assumption of Membership Interests, (e) all documents required by a lender in connection with the assumption or prepayment of an Existing Loan at or prior to Closing, duly executed by the applicable party, and (f) any other documents reasonably requested by the Operating Partnership or reasonably necessary or desirable to assign, transfer, convey, contribute and deliver the Contributed Assets, free and clear of all Liens and to effectuate the transactions contemplated hereby.

Section 2.05 CLOSING COSTS. If the Closing occurs, the REIT and the Operating Partnership shall be solely responsible for all transaction costs and expenses of the REIT, the Operating Partnership and the Rexford Entities in connection with the Formation Transactions and the Offering, which include, but are not limited to, the underwriting discounts and commissions. In the event the Closing does not occur, each party shall be responsible for its allocable portion of such costs and expenses in accordance with the terms of those certain letter agreements identified on Schedule 2.05.

Section 2.06 TERM OF THE AGREEMENT. This Agreement shall terminate automatically if the transactions contemplated herein shall not have been consummated on or prior to December 31, 2013 (such date is hereinafter referred to as the "Outside Date").

Section 2.07 EFFECT OF TERMINATION. In the event of termination of this Agreement for any reason, all obligations on the part of the Operating Partnership and the Contributor under this Agreement shall terminate, except that the obligations set forth in Article VI shall survive, it being understood and agreed, however, for the avoidance of doubt, that if this Agreement is terminated because one or more of the conditions to the non-breaching party's obligations under this Agreement are not satisfied by the Outside Date as a result of the other party's material breach of a covenant, representation, warranty or other obligation under this Agreement or any other Formation Transaction Documentation, the non-breaching party's right to pursue all legal remedies with respect to such breach will survive such termination unimpaired.

Section 2.08 TAX WITHHOLDING. The Operating Partnership shall be entitled to deduct and withhold from the consideration payable pursuant to this Agreement such amounts as the Operating Partnership is required to deduct and withhold with respect to the making of such payment under the Code or any provision of state, local or foreign tax law. To the extent that amounts are so withheld by the Operating Partnership, such withheld amounts shall be treated for all purposes of this Agreement as having been paid to the Contributor or Nominee, as applicable.

ARTICLE III

REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES OF THE OPERATING PARTNERSHIP

The Operating Partnership hereby represents and warrants to the Contributor as follows:

Section 3.01 ORGANIZATION; AUTHORITY.

(a) The Operating Partnership has been duly formed and is validly existing and in good standing under the Laws of its jurisdiction of formation, and, upon the effectiveness of the Operating Partnership Agreement, will have all requisite power and authority to enter into this Agreement and the other Formation Transaction Documentation and to carry out the transactions contemplated hereby and thereby, and to own, lease and/or operate its property and to carry on its business as presently conducted and, to the extent required under applicable Laws,

is qualified to do business and is in good standing in each jurisdiction in which the nature of its business or the character of its property make such qualification necessary, other than such failures to be so qualified as would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have an OP Material Adverse Effect.

(b) Schedule 3.01(b) sets forth as of the date hereof, (i) each Subsidiary of the Operating Partnership (each an “Operating Partnership Subsidiary”), (ii) the ownership interest therein of the Operating Partnership, and (iii) if not wholly owned by the Operating Partnership, the identity and ownership interest of each of the other owners of such Operating Partnership Subsidiary. Each Operating Partnership Subsidiary has been duly organized or formed and is validly existing and is in good standing under the Laws of its jurisdiction of organization or formation, as applicable, has all requisite power and authority to own, lease and/or operate its property and to carry on its business as presently conducted and, to the extent required under applicable Laws, is qualified to do business and is in good standing in each jurisdiction in which the nature of its business or the character of its property make such qualification necessary, other than such failures to be so qualified as would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have an OP Material Adverse Effect.

Section 3.02 DUE AUTHORIZATION. The execution, delivery and performance of this Agreement and the other Formation Transaction Documentation (including each agreement, document and instrument executed and delivered by or on behalf of the Operating Partnership pursuant to this Agreement or the other Formation Transaction Documentation) by the Operating Partnership has been duly and validly authorized by all necessary actions required of the Operating Partnership. This Agreement, the other Formation Transaction Documentation and each agreement, document and instrument executed and delivered by or on behalf of the Operating Partnership pursuant to this Agreement or the other Formation Transaction Documentation constitutes, or when executed and delivered will constitute, the legal, valid and binding obligation of the Operating Partnership, enforceable against the Operating Partnership in accordance with its terms, subject to applicable bankruptcy, insolvency, moratorium or other similar Laws relating to creditors’ rights and general principles of equity.

Section 3.03 CONSENTS AND APPROVALS. Except in connection with the Offering and the consummation of the other Formation Transactions or as shall have been obtained on or prior to the Closing Date, no consent, waiver, approval, authorization, order, license, permit or registration of, qualification, designation, declaration or filing with, any Person or Governmental Authority or under any applicable Laws is required to be obtained by the Operating Partnership in connection with the execution, delivery and performance of this Agreement and the transactions contemplated hereby, except for (a) those consents, waivers, approvals, authorizations, orders, licenses, permits, registrations, qualifications, designations, declarations or filings, the failure of which to obtain or to file would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have an OP Material Adverse Effect, or (b) those consents under the Organizational Documents of the Contributor and the Contributed Entities, the failure of which to obtain would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have an OP Material Adverse Effect.

Section 3.04 NO VIOLATION. None of the execution, delivery or performance of this Agreement, the other Formation Transaction Documentation, any agreement contemplated hereby between the parties to this Agreement and the transactions contemplated hereby between the parties to this Agreement does or will, with or without the giving of notice, lapse of time, or both, violate, conflict with, result in a breach of, or constitute a default under or give to others any right of termination, acceleration, cancellation or other right under, (a) the Organizational Documents of the Operating Partnership, (b) any agreement, document or instrument to which the Operating Partnership or any of its respective assets are bound or (c) any term or provision of any judgment, order, writ, injunction, or decree binding on the Operating Partnership, except for, in the case of clause (b) or (c), any such breaches or defaults that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have an OP Material Adverse Effect.

Section 3.05 VALIDITY OF OP UNITS AND REIT SHARES. Any OP Units to be issued pursuant to this Agreement will have been duly authorized by the Operating Partnership and, when issued against the consideration therefor, will be validly issued, fully paid and non-assessable, free and clear of all Liens created by the Operating Partnership (other than any Liens created by the Amended and Restated Agreement of Limited Partnership of the Operating Partnership (the “Operating Partnership Agreement”)). Any REIT Shares to be issued pursuant to this Agreement will have been duly authorized by the REIT and, when issued against the consideration therefor, will be validly issued, fully paid and non-assessable, free and clear of all Liens created by the REIT (other than any Liens created by the charter of the REIT).

Section 3.06 LITIGATION. Except for actions, suits or proceedings covered by policies of insurance, there is no action, suit or proceeding pending or, to the knowledge of the Operating Partnership, threatened against the Operating Partnership or any Operating Partnership Subsidiary, other than actions, suits, proceedings arising in the ordinary course of business from the ownership and operation of the Operating Partnership, that individually or in the aggregate, would not reasonably be expected, (a) if adversely determined, to have an OP Material Adverse Effect, or (b) to challenge or impair the ability of the Operating Partnership to execute or deliver, or materially perform its obligations under, this Agreement and the documents executed by it pursuant to this Agreement or to consummate the transactions contemplated hereby or thereby, to such an extent as would result in an OP Material Adverse Effect.

Section 3.07 OPERATING PARTNERSHIP AGREEMENT. Attached as Exhibit B hereto is a true and correct copy of the Operating Partnership Agreement in substantially final form.

Section 3.08 LIMITED ACTIVITIES. Except for activities in connection with the Offering, the Formation Transactions or in the ordinary course of business, the Operating Partnership and the Operating Partnership Subsidiaries have not engaged in any material business or incurred any material obligations.

Section 3.09 NO BROKER.. The Operating Partnership has not entered into, and covenants that it will not enter into, any agreement, arrangement or understanding with any Person or firm which will result in the obligation of the Contributor or any Affiliates thereof to pay any finder’s fee, brokerage commission or similar payment in connection with the transaction contemplated by this Agreement (other than underwriting discounts, commissions and other fees and expenses to be paid by the REIT in connection with the Offering and any related financing transactions).

Section 3.10 NO OTHER REPRESENTATIONS OR WARRANTIES. Other than the representations and warranties expressly set forth in this Article III and any other agreement entered into in connection with the Formation Transactions, the Operating Partnership shall not be deemed to have made any other representation or warranty in connection with this Agreement or the transactions contemplated hereby. All representations, warranties and covenants of the Operating Partnership contained in this Agreement shall expire at the Closing.

ARTICLE IV

REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES OF THE CONTRIBUTORS

Except as disclosed in the Offering Document or the schedules attached hereto, the Contributor hereby represents and warrants to the Operating Partnership that as of the Closing Date:

Section 4.01 ORGANIZATION; AUTHORITY.

(a) The Contributor has been duly formed, is validly existing and in good standing under the Laws of its jurisdiction of formation, and has all requisite power and authority to enter into this Agreement, each agreement contemplated hereby and the other Formation Transaction Documentation to which it is a party (including any agreement, document and instrument executed and delivered by or on behalf of the Contributor pursuant to this Agreement or the other Formation Transaction Documentation) and to carry out the transactions contemplated hereby and thereby, and to carry on its business as presently conducted. The Contributor, to the extent required under applicable Laws, is qualified to do business and is in good standing in each jurisdiction in which the nature of its business make such qualification necessary, other than such failures to be so qualified as would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Fund Material Adverse Effect.

(b) Schedule 4.01(b) sets forth as of the date hereof with respect to the Contributor (i) each Contributed Entity, (ii) the direct or indirect ownership interest therein of the Contributor, (iii) if not wholly owned by the Contributor, the identity and ownership interest of each of the other owners of such Contributed Entity, (iv) each Contributed Property, (v) the ownership interest therein of the Contributor, (vi) if not wholly owned by the Contributor, the identity and ownership interest of each of the other owners of such Contributed Property. Such Contributed Entity has been duly organized and is validly existing and is in good standing under the Laws of its jurisdiction of organization, and has all requisite power and authority to own, lease and/or operate its Contributed Property and to carry on its business as presently conducted. Such Contributed Entity, to the extent required under applicable Laws, is qualified to do business and is in good standing in each jurisdiction in which the nature of its business or the character of its Contributed Property make such qualification necessary, other than such failures to be so qualified as would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Fund Material Adverse Effect. Except as set forth on Schedule 4.01(b), each of the Contributor and the Contributed Entities does not own any equity or ownership interest in any other Person.

(c) The Operating Partnership has been provided complete and accurate copies of Organizational Documents, as amended through the date hereof, and such Organizational Documents are in full force and effect as of the date hereof and have not been further modified or amended.

Section 4.02 DUE AUTHORIZATION. The execution, delivery and performance by the Contributor of this Agreement and the other Formation Transaction Documentation (including any agreement, document and instrument executed and delivered by or on behalf of the Contributor pursuant to this Agreement or the other Formation Transaction Documentation) to which it is a party have been duly and validly authorized by all necessary actions required of the Contributor. This Agreement, the other Formation Transaction Documentation and each agreement, document and instrument executed and delivered by or on behalf of the Contributor or any Contributed Entity pursuant to this Agreement or the other Formation Transaction Documentation constitutes, or when executed and delivered will constitute, the legal, valid and binding obligation of the Contributor or such Contributed Entity, each enforceable against the Contributor or such Contributed Entity in accordance with its terms, subject to applicable bankruptcy, insolvency, moratorium or other similar Laws relating to creditors' rights and general principles of equity.

Section 4.03 OWNERSHIP OF CONTRIBUTED ASSETS. The Contributor is the sole record owner of all of the Contributed Assets and has the power and authority to transfer, sell, assign and convey to the Operating Partnership the Contributed Assets free and clear of any Liens and, upon delivery of the consideration for the Contributed Assets as provided herein, the Operating Partnership will acquire good and valid title thereto, free and clear of any Liens (other than those Liens created by the Organizational Documents governing Contributed Interests). Except as provided for or contemplated by this Agreement or the other applicable Formation Transaction Documentation, there are no rights to purchase, veto rights with respect to transfers, subscriptions, warrants, options, conversion rights, preemptive rights, agreements, instruments or understandings of any kind outstanding (a) relating to any of the Contributed Assets, (b) related to any of the Contributed Entities or (c) to purchase, transfer or to otherwise acquire, or to in any way encumber, any equity interest in any of the Contributed Entities or any of the Contributed Assets (including, without limitation, any securities or obligations of any kind convertible or exchangeable into any of the interests which comprise Contributed Interests). Except as set forth in the Organizational Documents, none of the Contributor or any of the Contributed Entities is a party to any agreement for the sale of its material assets, for the grant to any Person of any preferential right to purchase any such material assets or the acquisition of any material operating business, material assets or capital stock of any other corporation, entity or business, other than the purchase or sale of assets in the ordinary course of business.

Section 4.04 CONSENTS AND APPROVALS. Except as shall have been obtained or satisfied on or prior to the Closing Date, no consent, waiver, approval, authorization, order, license, permit or registration of, qualification, designation, declaration or filing with, any Person or any Governmental Authority or under any applicable Laws is required to be obtained by the Contributor or any Contributed Entity in connection with the execution, delivery and performance of this Agreement, the other Formation Transaction Documentation to which the Contributor or the Contributed Entities is a party and the transactions contemplated hereby and thereby, except for those consents, waivers, approvals, authorizations, orders, licenses, permits, registrations, qualifications, designations, declarations or filings, the failure of which to obtain or to file would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Fund Material Adverse Effect.

Section 4.05 NO VIOLATION. None of the execution, delivery or performance of this Agreement, any agreement contemplated hereby between the parties to this Agreement and the transactions contemplated hereby between the parties to this Agreement does or will, with or without the giving of notice, lapse of time, or both, violate, conflict with, result in a breach of, or constitute a default under or give to others any right of termination, acceleration, cancellation or other right under, (a) the Organizational Documents of the Contributor or the Contributed Entities, (b) any agreement, document or instrument to which the Contributor or any Contributed Entity is a party or by which the Contributor, any Contributed Entity, any Contributed Property or any of the Contributed Assets are bound by or (c) any term or provision of any judgment, order, writ, injunction, or decree binding on the Contributor (or its assets or properties), any Contributed Entity or any Contributed Property, except for, in the case of clause (b) or (c), any such breaches or defaults that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Fund Material Adverse Effect.

Section 4.06 LICENSES AND PERMITS. All notices, licenses, permits, certificates and authorizations required for the continued use, occupancy, management, leasing and operation of the Contributed Properties have been obtained or can be obtained without material cost, are in full force and effect, are in good standing and (to the extent required in connection with the transactions contemplated by the Formation Transaction Documentation) are assignable to the Operating Partnership, except in each case for items that, if not so obtained, obtainable and/or transferred, would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Fund Material Adverse Effect. Neither the Contributor, nor the Contributed Entities, nor, to the knowledge of the Contributor, any third party has taken any action that (or failed to take any action the omission of which) would result in the revocation of any such notice, license, permit, certificate or authorization where such revocation or revocations would, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Fund Material Adverse Effect, nor has any one of them received any written notice of violation from any Governmental Authority or written notice of the intention of any entity to revoke any such notice, license, permit, certificate or authorization, that in each case has not been cured or otherwise resolved to the satisfaction of such Governmental Authority or other entity and except as would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Fund Material Adverse Effect.

Section 4.07 COMPLIANCE WITH LAWS. The Contributor and the Contributed Entities have conducted their respective businesses in compliance with all applicable Laws, except for such failures that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Fund Material Adverse Effect. Neither the Contributor, nor the Contributed Entities, nor, to the knowledge of the Contributor, any third party are in violation of any Law or has been informed in writing of any continuing violation of any such Laws or that any investigation has been commenced and is continuing or is contemplated respecting any such possible violation, except in each case for violations that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Fund Material Adverse Effect. There has not been committed by the Contributor or the Contributed Entities or, to the knowledge of the Contributor, any other Person in occupancy of or involved with the operation or use of the Properties any act or omission affording the federal government or any other Governmental Authority the right of forfeiture as against any Property or any part thereof.

Section 4.08 CONTRIBUTED PROPERTIES.

(a) Except as set forth in Schedule 4.08(a), the Contributor or a Contributed Entity is the insured under a policy of title insurance as the owner of, and, to the knowledge of the Contributor, the Contributor or a Contributed Entity is the owner of, good marketable and insurable fee simple title (or, in the case of certain Contributed Properties, a tenancy-in-common estate) to the Contributed Property owned by the Contributor or the Contributed Entity, in each case free and clear of all Liens except for Permitted Liens. Prior to the Closing, neither the Contributor nor any of the Contributed Entities shall take or omit to take any action to cause any Lien to attach to any Contributed Property, except for Permitted Liens and Liens, if any, given to secure mortgage indebtedness encumbering such Contributed Property.

(b) Except for matters that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Fund Material Adverse Effect, (1) neither the Contributor nor any of the Contributed Entities nor, to the knowledge of the Contributor, any other party to any material agreement affecting any Property (other than a Lease (as such term is hereinafter defined) for space within such Property), is in breach or default of any such agreement, (2) to the knowledge of the Contributor, no event has occurred or has been threatened in writing, which with or without the passage of time or the giving of notice, or both, would, individually or together with all such other events, constitute a default under any such agreement, or would, individually or together with all such other events, reasonably be expected to cause the acceleration of any material obligation of any party thereto or the creation of a Lien upon any asset of the Contributor or the Contributed Entities, except for Permitted Liens, or otherwise reasonably be expected to have a Fund Material Adverse Effect and (3) all agreements affecting any Property required for the continued use, occupancy, management, leasing and operation of such Property (exclusive of space Leases) are valid and binding and in full force and effect, subject to applicable bankruptcy, insolvency, moratorium or other similar Laws relating to creditors' rights and general principles of equity.

(c) Except for matters that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Fund Material Adverse Effect or that are otherwise disclosed on Schedule 4.08(c), (1) neither the Contributor, nor the Contributed Entities, nor, to the knowledge of the Contributor, any other party to any Lease, is in breach or default of any such Lease, (2) to the knowledge of the Contributor, no event has occurred or has been threatened in writing, which with or without the passage of time or the giving of notice, or both, would, individually or together with all such other events, constitute a default under any Lease or would permit termination, modification or acceleration under such Lease and (3) to the knowledge of the Contributor, each of the leases (and all amendments thereto or modifications thereof) to which the Contributor or the Contributed Entities is a party or by which the Contributor or the Contributed Entities or any Contributed Property is bound or subject (collectively, the "Leases") is valid and binding and in full force and effect, subject to applicable bankruptcy, insolvency, moratorium or other similar Laws relating to creditors' rights and general principles of equity.

Section 4.09 INSURANCE. Each of the Contributor or the Contributed Entities has in place the public liability, casualty and other insurance coverage with respect to each Contributed Property owned, leased and/or managed by it as the Contributor reasonably deems necessary and in all cases including such coverage as is required under the terms of any continuing loan or Lease. Each of the insurance policies with respect to each Contributed Property is in full force and effect in all material respects and all premiums due and payable thereunder have been fully paid when due. To the knowledge of the Contributor, neither the Contributor nor the Contributed Entities have received from any insurance company any notices of cancellation or intent to cancel any insurance.

Section 4.10 ENVIRONMENTAL MATTERS. Except for matters that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Fund Material Adverse Effect, to the knowledge of the Contributor, (A) the Contributor, the Contributed Entities and each Property are in compliance with all Environmental Laws, (B) neither the Contributor nor the Contributed Entities have received any written notice from any Governmental Authority or third party alleging that the Contributor or the Contributed Entities or any Contributed Property is not in compliance with applicable Environmental Laws, and (C) there has not been a release of a hazardous substance on any of the Contributed Properties that would require investigation or remediation under applicable Environmental Laws. The representations and warranties contained in this Section 4.10 constitute the sole and exclusive representations and warranties made by the Contributor concerning environmental matters.

Section 4.11 EMINENT DOMAIN. There is no existing or, to the knowledge of the Contributor, proposed or threatened condemnation, eminent domain or similar proceeding, or private purchase in lieu of such a proceeding which would affect any of the Contributed Properties, except for such proceedings that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Fund Material Adverse Effect.

Section 4.12 EXISTING LOANS. Schedule 4.12 lists, as of the date hereof, all secured loans presently encumbering the Properties or any direct or indirect interest in the Contributor or any Contributed Entities, and any unsecured loans relating thereto to be assumed by the REIT or any Subsidiary of the REIT at Closing (collectively, the “Existing Loans”). Except for matters that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Fund Material Adverse Effect or that are otherwise disclosed on Schedule 4.12, no monetary default (beyond applicable notice and cure periods) by any party exists under any of the Existing Loans and the documents entered into in connection therewith (collectively, the “Existing Loan Documents”) and no non-monetary default (beyond applicable notice and cure periods) by any party exists under any of such Existing Loan Documents.

Section 4.13 FINANCIAL STATEMENTS. The consolidated financial statements of the Contributor and the Contributed Entities included in the Offering Document have been prepared in all material respects in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles applied on a consistent basis during the periods involved (except as may be indicated in the notes thereto), subject, in the case of unaudited statements, to normal year-end audit adjustments, and fairly present in all material respects the financial condition and results of operations of the Contributor and the Contributed Entities as of the dates indicated therein and for the periods ended as indicated therein.

Section 4.14 TAXES.

- (a) Contributor has timely and properly filed (or caused to be timely and properly filed) all Tax Returns required to be filed by it and each Contributed Entity (after giving effect to any filing extension properly granted by a Governmental Authority having authority to do so) and all such Tax Returns are accurate and complete in all material respects;
- (b) Contributor and each Contributed Entity have paid (or have had paid on their behalf) all Taxes as required to be paid by them;
- (c) no income or material non-income Tax Returns filed by Contributor or any Contributed Entity are the subject of a pending or ongoing audit, and
- (d) no deficiencies for any income or material non-income Taxes have been proposed, asserted or assessed against Contributor or any Contributed Entity, and no requests for waivers of the time to assess any such Taxes are pending. Since its formation, for U.S. federal income tax purposes, each of Contributor and each Contributed Entity has been treated as a partnership or as a disregarded entity, and not as a corporation or an association taxable as a corporation.

Section 4.15 LITIGATION. Except for actions, suits or proceedings fully covered by policies of insurance there is no action, suit or proceeding pending or, to the knowledge of the Contributor, threatened against or affecting the Contributor, any of the Contributed Entities or any of the Contributed Properties, or any officer, director, principal, managing member, general partner or Affiliate of any of the foregoing other than actions, suits or proceedings arising in the ordinary course of business from the ownership and operation which, if adversely determined, would not have a Fund Material Adverse Effect. There is no action, suit, or proceeding pending or, to the knowledge of the Contributor, threatened against or affecting the Contributor, any of the Contributed Entities or any officer, director, principal, managing member, general partner or Affiliate of any of the foregoing, which challenges or impairs the ability of the Contributor or any Contributed Entities to execute or deliver, or perform its obligations under this Agreement or any Formation Transaction Documentation or any other documents to be executed by it pursuant to this Agreement or any Formation Transaction Documentation or to consummate the transactions contemplated hereby or thereby. Except for matters fully covered by insurance, there is no judgment, decree, injunction, rule or order of a Governmental Authority outstanding against the Contributor, the Contributed Entities or any officer, director, principal, managing member or general partner of any of the foregoing in their capacity as such which would reasonably be expected to have a Fund Material Adverse Effect. None of the Contributor, the Contributed Entities or any officer, director, principal, managing member, general partner or Affiliate of any of the foregoing has received any written notice of any pending or threatened proceedings for the rezoning (i.e., as opposed to the current zoning) of any Property or any portion thereof which would impair the current or proposed use thereof in a manner that would result in a Fund Material Adverse Effect.

Section 4.16 INSOLVENCY. No attachments, execution proceedings, assignments for the benefit of creditors, insolvency, bankruptcy, reorganization or other proceedings are pending or, to the Contributor's knowledge, threatened against the Contributor, any Contributed Entities or any Contributed Property, nor are any such proceedings contemplated by the Contributor.

Section 4.17 SECURITIES LAW MATTERS. The Contributor acknowledges that: (i) the REIT and Operating Partnership intend the offer and issuance of any REIT Shares or OP Units to the Contributor and any Nominees to be exempt from registration under the Securities Act and applicable state securities laws by virtue of the status of such Contributor and Nominee as an “accredited investor” (within the meaning of Rule 501(a) of Regulation D under the Securities Act) acquiring any REIT Shares or OP Units in a transaction exempt from registration pursuant to Rule 506 of Regulation D under the Securities Act, and (ii) in issuing any REIT Shares or OP Units pursuant to the terms of this Agreement, the REIT and Operating Partnership are relying on the representations made by the Contributor and any Nominee electing to receive REIT Shares or OP Units as consideration in the Contribution, which representations were set forth in Appendix C to the Request for Consent – Accredited Investor Representations Letter.

Section 4.18 NO BROKER. The Contributor has not entered into, and it covenants that it will not enter into, any agreement, arrangement or understanding with any Person or firm which will result in the obligation of the REIT or any Affiliate to pay any finder’s fee, brokerage commission or similar payment in connection with the transaction contemplated by this Agreement (other than underwriting discounts, commissions and other fees and expenses to be paid by the REIT in connection with the Offering and any related financing transactions).

Section 4.19 OWNERSHIP OF CERTAIN ASSETS. Except as set forth in Schedule 4.19, neither the Contributor nor any of the Contributed Entities owns any loan assets or other securities of any issuer except for equity interests in other Contributed Entities.

Section 4.20 EMPLOYEES. None of the Contributor or any of the Contributed Entities has or has ever had any employees.

Section 4.21 NO OTHER REPRESENTATIONS OR WARRANTIES. Other than the representations and warranties expressly set forth in this Article IV and any other agreement entered into by the Contributor in connection with the Formation Transactions, the Contributor shall not be deemed to have made any other representation or warranty in connection with this Agreement or the transactions contemplated hereby.

Section 4.22 SURVIVAL OF REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES. The parties hereto agree and acknowledge that the representations and warranties set forth in this Article IV (other than Section 4.01, Section 4.02, Section 4.03, and Section 4.17) shall not survive the Closing.

ARTICLE V

COVENANTS AND OTHER AGREEMENTS

Section 5.01 PRE-CLOSING COVENANTS. During the period from the date hereof to the Closing Date (except as otherwise provided for or contemplated by this Agreement or in connection with the Formation Transactions), the Contributor shall use commercially reasonable

efforts to (and shall cause each of the Contributed Entities to) conduct its businesses and operate and maintain the Contributed Properties in the ordinary course of business consistent with past practice, pay its debt obligations as they become due and payable, and use commercially reasonable efforts to preserve intact its current business organizations and preserve its relationships with customers, tenants, suppliers, advertisers and others having business dealings with it, in each case consistent with past practice. In addition, and without limiting the generality of the foregoing, during the period from the date hereof to the Closing Date and except in connection with the Formation Transactions, the Contributor shall not (and shall not permit any of the Contributed Entities to) without the prior written consent of the REIT, which consent may be withheld by the REIT in its sole discretion:

(a) (i) other than distributions to the members of the Contributor in connection with such members' payment of any Taxes related to their ownership of the membership interest of the Contributor or as otherwise contemplated by this Agreement, declare, set aside or pay any dividends or distributions in respect of any Contributed Interests, except in the ordinary course of business consistent with past practice and in accordance with the applicable governing document of the Contributor, (ii) issue or authorize the issuance of any other securities in respect of, in lieu of or in substitution for any Contributed Interests or make any other changes to the equity capital structure of the Contributor or the Contributed Entities, or (iii) purchase, redeem or otherwise acquire any Contributed Interests or interests of the Contributed Entities or any other securities thereof;

(b) other than in accordance with Section 4.08(a), issue, deliver, sell, transfer, dispose, mortgage, pledge, assign or otherwise encumber, or cause the issuance, delivery, sale, transfer, disposition, mortgage, pledge, assignment or otherwise encumbrance of, any limited liability company, partnership interests or other equity interests of the Contributor or of the Contributed Entities or any other assets of the Contributor or the Contributed Entities;

(c) amend, modify or terminate any lease, contract or other instruments relating to a Contributed Property, except in the ordinary course of business consistent with past practice;

(d) amend its certificate of formation and limited liability company agreement;

(e) adopt a plan of liquidation, dissolution, merger, consolidation, restructuring, recapitalization or reorganization;

(f) materially alter the manner of keeping the Contributor's or the Contributed Entities' books, accounts or records or the accounting practices therein reflected;

(g) file an entity classification election pursuant to Treasury Regulation Section 301.7701-3(c) on Internal Revenue Service Form 8832 (Entity Classification Election) to treat the Contributor or any Contributed Entity as an association taxable as a corporation for United States federal income tax purposes; make or change any other Tax elections; settle or compromise any claim, notice, audit report or assessment in respect of Taxes; change any annual Tax accounting period; adopt or change any method of Tax accounting; file any amended Tax

Return; enter into any tax allocation agreement, tax sharing agreement, tax indemnity agreement or closing agreement relating to any Tax; surrender of any right to claim a Tax refund; or consent to any extension or waiver of the statute of limitations period applicable to any Tax claim or assessment;

(h) terminate or amend any existing insurance policies affecting any Contributed Property that results in a material reduction in insurance coverage for such Contributed Property;

(i) knowingly cause or permit the Contributor or any Contributed Entity to violate, or fail to use commercially reasonable efforts to cure any violation of, any applicable Laws;

(j) take any action or fail to take any action the result of which would have a Fund Material Adverse Effect; or

(k) authorize, commit or agree to take any of the foregoing actions.

Section 5.02 COMMERCIALY REASONABLE EFFORTS BY THE OPERATING PARTNERSHIP AND THE CONTRIBUTOR. Each of the Operating Partnership and the Contributor shall use commercially reasonable efforts and cooperate with each other in (a) promptly determining whether any filings are required to be made or consents, approvals, waivers, permits or authorizations are required to be obtained (under any applicable Law or regulation or from any Governmental Authority or third party) in connection with the transactions contemplated by this Agreement, and (b) promptly making (or causing to be made) any such filings, in furnishing information required in connection therewith and in timely seeking to obtain any such consents, approvals, waivers, permits and authorizations.

Section 5.03 TAX MATTERS.

(a) So long as some portion of the Contribution Consideration is in the form of OP Units, the parties hereto intend and agree that, for United States federal income tax purposes, the transactions contemplated by this Agreement shall constitute an “assets-over” partnership merger within the meaning of Treasury Regulations Section 1.708-1(c)(3)(i) pursuant to which the Contributor contributes all of its assets and liabilities to the Operating Partnership in exchange for OP Units in a transaction qualifying under Section 721(a) of the Code and immediately thereafter, the Contributor distributes such OP Units to the Nominees. As a result, (i) in accordance with Treasury Regulations Section 1.708-1(c)(4), any payment of cash or REIT Shares attributable to a Nominee shall be treated as a sale by such Nominee of its interests in the Contributor and a purchase of such interests by the Operating Partnership for the cash and/or REIT Shares so paid under the terms of this Agreement, and (ii) Contributor shall cause each such Nominee who receives cash and/or REIT Shares to explicitly agree and consent (the “Sale Consent”) to such treatment in their Consent Forms as a condition to electing such consideration. To the extent the Operating Partnership acquires any interests in the Contributor as described in clause (i) above, or otherwise previously acquired any such interests, for United States federal income tax purposes the receipt by the Operating Partnership of the portion of property attributable to such interests shall be treated as a distribution by the Contributor in redemption of

such interests. Notwithstanding Section 1.02 and any Nominee's election as to the form of its Contribution Consideration, if any Nominee (other than a non-Accredited Investor), fails to execute a Sale Consent prior to the Closing, such Nominee's Contribution Consideration shall consist solely of OP Units. Notwithstanding Sections 1.03 and 2.03(a), any cash paid as the Contribution Consideration shall be paid only after the receipt of a Sale Consent from such Nominee.

(b) All transfer, stamp, documentary, sales, use, registration, value-added and other similar Taxes (including all applicable real estate transfer Taxes) incurred in connection with this Agreement and the transactions contemplated hereby ("Transfer Taxes") will be borne by the Operating Partnership. The parties agree, upon request, to use commercially reasonable efforts to obtain any certificate or other document from any Governmental Authority or any other Person as may be necessary to mitigate, reduce or eliminate any Transfer Taxes that could be imposed in connection with the transactions contemplated hereby.

(c) The Contributor shall timely file or cause to be timely filed when due all income Tax Returns required to be filed by the Contributor and shall pay or cause to be paid all income Taxes required to be paid.

(d) The Operating Partnership shall prepare or cause to be prepared and file or cause to be filed all other Tax Returns of the Contributor and all Tax Returns of each Contributed Entity which are due after the Closing Date. All such Tax Returns shall be prepared in a manner consistent with past practice, except as otherwise required by applicable law.

(e) The REIT, the Operating Partnership and the Contributor shall cooperate fully, as and to the extent reasonably requested by the other party, in connection with the filing of Tax Returns related to the transactions pursuant to this Agreement and any audit, litigation or administrative, judicial or other inquiry or proceeding with respect to Taxes related to the transactions pursuant to this Agreement. Such cooperation shall include the retention and (upon the other party's request) the provision of records and information which are reasonably relevant to any such action or other proceeding and making employees available on a mutually convenient basis to provide additional information and explanation of any material provided hereunder. The REIT, the Operating Partnership and the Contributor further agree, upon request, to use their reasonable efforts to obtain any certificate or other document from any governmental authority or any other Person as may be necessary to mitigate, reduce or eliminate any Tax that could be imposed with respect to the transactions contemplated hereby.

(f) Prior to Closing, the Contributor shall deliver to the Operating Partnership a properly executed certificate prepared in accordance with Treasury regulations section 1.1445-2(b) certifying the Contributor's non-foreign status, and if requested by the Operating Partnership, and any similar withholding certificates or other forms under applicable state, local or foreign Tax laws.

(g) The REIT and the Operating Partnership make no representations or warranties to the Contributor, the Nominees or to the Rexford Entities regarding the Tax treatment of the contributions pursuant to this Agreement or of the other Formation Transactions, or with respect to any other Tax consequences to the Contributor or any Contributed Entity of this Agreement or the other Formation Transactions. The Contributor acknowledges that each Contributed Entity, the Contributor and the Nominees are relying solely on their own Tax advisors in connection with this Agreement and the other Formation Transactions.

Section 5.04 CONSENT AND WAIVER OF RIGHTS UNDER ORGANIZATIONAL DOCUMENTS. As of the Closing, the Contributor, on its own behalf and, to the extent permitted to do so pursuant to a Consent Form or otherwise, on behalf of each Nominee, waives and relinquishes all rights and benefits otherwise afforded to the Contributor and such Nominees (a) under the Organizational Documents of the Contributed Entities including, without limitation, any rights of appraisal, rights of first offer or first refusal, buy/sell agreements, put, option, or similar parallel exit or dissenter rights in connection with the Formation Transactions and the Offering, and any right to consent to or approve of the sale or contribution or other transaction undertaken by the other equity holders of the Contributed Entities of the Contributed Assets to the Operating Partnership, the REIT or any Affiliate thereof and any and all notice provisions related thereto, (b) to the extent permissible under applicable Laws, any statutory rights with respect to the Contributed Assets or the Contributed Entities and (c) for claims against the REIT or the Operating Partnership for breach by any of their respective present or former officers, directors, managing members, general partners or Affiliates of their fiduciary duties or similar obligations (including duties of disclosure) to any of their respective present or former shareholders, members, partners, equity interest holders or Affiliates or the terms of any applicable Organizational Documents. The Contributor acknowledges, on its own behalf and, to the extent permitted to do so pursuant to a Consent Form or otherwise, on behalf of each Nominee, that the agreements contained herein and the transactions contemplated hereby and any actions taken in contemplation of the transactions contemplated hereby may conflict with, and may not have been contemplated by, the Organizational Documents of any Contributed Entity or other agreements among one or more holders of Contributed Assets or one or more of the partners or members of any Contributed Entity. With respect to each Contributed Entity and each Contributed Property, the Contributor expressly gives, on its own behalf and, to the extent permitted to do so pursuant to a Consent Form or otherwise, on behalf of each Nominee, all consents (and any consents necessary to authorize the proper parties in interest to give all consents) and waivers it is entitled to give that are necessary or desirable to facilitate the contribution or other Formation Transactions relating to such Contributed Entity or Contributed Property. In addition, the Contributor agrees, on its own behalf and, to the extent permitted to do so pursuant to a Consent Form or otherwise, on behalf of each Nominee, that if the transactions contemplated hereby occur, this Agreement shall be deemed to be an amendment to the Organizational Documents of the applicable Contributed Entity to the extent the terms herein conflict with the terms thereof, including without limitation, terms with respect to allocations, distributions and the like. In the event the transactions contemplated by this Agreement do not occur, nothing in this Agreement shall be deemed to be or construed as an amendment or modification of, or commitment of any kind to amend or modify, the Organizational Documents of any Contributed Entity, which shall remain in full force and effect without modification.

Section 5.05 EXCLUDED ASSETS. Prior to the Closing and after such amounts are reasonably determined, the Contributor and the Contributed Entities shall distribute or cause to be distributed or paid out the Excluded Assets identified on Schedule 5.05.

Section 5.06 ALTERNATE TRANSACTION. In the event that the REIT determines that a structure change is necessary, advisable or desirable, the REIT may elect, in its sole and absolute discretion, to effect an Alternate Transaction (subject to the limitations in the definition thereof), without the need for the REIT to seek any further consent or action from the Contributor or any Nominee, and the Contributor shall, and it shall cause its members and Subsidiaries to, enter into such agreements as shall be necessary to consummate the Alternate Transaction. Without limiting the foregoing, in the event that all members of the Contributor return duly executed and completed Consent Forms approving the Formation Transactions, then, in lieu of this Agreement, the REIT may elect to cause the Contributor to enter into an agreement and plan of merger with the Operating Partnership pursuant to which the Contributor will merge with and into the Operating Partnership and the membership interests in the Contributor will be converted automatically into the right to receive cash, REIT Shares and/or OP Units. In the event that an Alternate Transaction is used to effect the transactions contemplated by this Agreement, then the REIT may elect to terminate this Agreement without any liability or obligation to any Person.

Section 5.07 ELIMINATED ASSETS. The parties hereby agree that the Operating Partnership shall have the right, in its sole discretion, to exclude any Contributed Asset, or any interest held directly or indirectly through a Contributed Asset (the "Eliminated Assets"), from this contribution after the date hereof until the Closing, provided that the Operating Partnership shall provide prior written notice to the Contributor regarding such exclusion. Immediately prior to the Closing and after such amounts are reasonably determined, the Contributor and each Contributed Entity shall distribute or cause to be distributed or paid out the Eliminated Assets.

ARTICLE VI

GENERAL PROVISIONS

Section 6.01 NOTICES. All notices and other communications under this Agreement shall be in writing and shall be deemed given when (a) delivered personally, (b) five (5) Business Days after being mailed by certified mail, return receipt requested and postage prepaid, (c) one (1) Business Day after being sent by a nationally recognized overnight courier or (d) transmitted by facsimile if confirmed within twenty-four (24) hours thereafter by a signed original sent in the manner provided in clause (a), (b) or (c) to the parties at the following addresses (or at such other address for a party as shall be specified by notice from such party):

- (a) if to the REIT or the Operating Partnership, to:

Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc.
11620 Wilshire Boulevard, Suite 300
Los Angeles, CA 90025
Facsimile: (310) 966-1690
Attention: Howard Schwimmer and Michael S. Frankel

(b) if to the Contributor:

c/o Rexford Industrial, LLC
11620 Wilshire Boulevard, Suite 300
Los Angeles, CA 90025
Facsimile: (310) 966-1690
Attention: Howard Schwimmer and Michael S. Frankel

Section 6.02 DEFINITIONS. For purposes of this Agreement, the following terms shall have the following meanings.

(a) “Accredited Investor” has the meaning set forth under Regulation D of the Securities Act.

(b) “Affiliate” means, with respect to any Person, a Person that, directly or indirectly, through one or more intermediaries, controls, is controlled by, or is under common control with the specified Person. For the purposes of this definition, “control” (including, with correlative meanings, the terms “controlled by” and “under common control with”) as used with respect to any Person, shall mean the possession, directly or indirectly, of the power to direct or cause the direction of the management or policies of such Person, whether through the ownership of voting securities, by agreement or otherwise.

(c) “Allocated Share” means an amount of Contribution Consideration that would be distributed to a Pre-Formation Participant as a Nominee of the Contributor in accordance with the provisions of the Contributor’s Organizational Documents relating to distributions of distributable net proceeds from sales of directly or indirectly owned properties or assets, and assuming the sale of the relevant Target Asset or Target Assets that are directly or indirectly owned by such entity for a value equal to such Target Asset’s or Target Assets’ respective Equity Value(s).

(d) “Alternate Transaction” means any transaction structure, other than that contemplated by this Agreement, pursuant to which the REIT, the Operating Partnership or any of their Subsidiaries acquire all or a portion of the interests in the Contributor or the Contributed Assets or the assets held directly or indirectly by the applicable Rexford Entities in a transaction pursuant to which the Contributor and/or the Nominees receive the amount of cash, the number of OP Units and/or the number of REIT Shares that were to be received by the Contributor and/or the Nominees pursuant to this Agreement (or a portion thereof equal in value to the value of the portion of such assets acquired by the REIT, the Operating Partnership or any of their Subsidiaries pursuant to such Alternate Transaction); *provided*, that such structure will not (i) result in a breach of the Contributor’s or any applicable Contributed Entity’s governing documents and (ii) would not give rise to dissenters’ or appraisal rights by the members of the Contributor, unless such rights have fully waived by all such members in the Consent Forms.

(e) “Assignment and Assumption of Assumed Contracts” means that certain Assignment and Assumption of Assumed Contracts, dated as of the Closing Date and executed by the parties thereto, substantially in the form attached hereto as Exhibit G.

(f) “Assignment and Assumption of Membership Interests” means that certain Assignment and Assumption of Membership Interests, dated as of the Closing Date and executed by the parties thereto, substantially in the form attached hereto as Exhibit H.

(g) “Assumed Contracts” means all contracts, agreements, commitments, understandings and licenses of the Contributor.

(h) “Assumed Liabilities” means any direct or indirect liability, indebtedness, obligation, commitment, expense, claim, deficiency, guaranty or endorsement of or by the Contributor of any type, whether accrued, absolute, contingent, matured, unmatured, known or unknown or otherwise, including, without limitation, all such liabilities, whether past, currently existing or hereafter arising, relating to the ownership of Contributed Assets or the businesses conducted with such Contributed Assets.

(i) “Assumption of Assumed Liabilities” means that certain Assumption of Assumed Liabilities, dated as of the Closing Date and executed by the parties thereto, substantially in the form attached hereto as Exhibit I.

(j) “Bill of Sale” means that certain Bill of Sale, dated as of the Closing Date and executed by the parties thereto, substantially in the form attached hereto as Exhibit J.

(k) “Business Day” means any day that is not a Saturday, Sunday or legal holiday in the State of California.

(l) “Code” means the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, together with the rules and regulations promulgated or issued thereunder.

(m) “Consent Form” means the form provided to each holder of Pre-Formation Interests to consent to the Formation Transactions and to make such holder’s irrevocable elections with respect to consideration to be received by such holder (as Nominee or otherwise) in the Formation Transactions.

(n) “Contributed Assets” means, other than the Excluded Assets, all of the Contributor’s right, title and interest in, under and to all of the assets, properties and rights of the Contributor of every kind, nature and description, whether such assets, properties and rights are real, personal or mixed, tangible or intangible, including without limitation:

(i) the Contributor’s Contributed Interests;

(ii) cash and cash equivalents;

(iii) all accounts or notes receivable held by the Contributor, and any security, claim, remedy or other right related to any of the foregoing;

(iv) all inventory, finished goods, raw materials, work in progress, packaging, supplies, parts and other inventories;

(v) the Assumed Contracts;

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- (vi) all Intellectual Property Assets;
- (vii) all furniture, fixtures, equipment, machinery, tools, vehicles, office equipment, supplies, computers, telephones and other tangible personal property;
- (viii) all permits, including environmental permits, which are held by the Contributor and required for the conduct of the Contributor's business as currently conducted or for the ownership and use of the Contributed Assets;
- (ix) all rights to any actions, claims or suits of any nature available to or being pursued by the Contributor to the extent related to the Contributor's business, the Contributed Assets or the Assumed Liabilities, whether arising by way of counterclaim or otherwise;
- (x) all prepaid expenses, credits, advance payments, claims, security, refunds, rights of recovery, rights of set-off, rights of recoupment, deposits, charges, sums and fees (including any such item relating to the payment of taxes);
- (xi) all of the Contributor's rights under warranties, indemnities and all similar rights against third parties to the extent related to any Contributed Assets;
- (xii) all insurance benefits, including rights and proceeds, arising from or relating to the Contributor's business, the Contributed Assets or the Assumed Liabilities;
- (xiii) originals, or where not available, copies, of all books and records, including, but not limited to, books of account, ledgers and general, financial and accounting records, machinery and equipment maintenance files, customer and tenant data, other records and data (including all correspondence with any Governmental Authority), strategic plans, internal financial statements, marketing and promotional surveys, and other similar documents and data; and
- (xiv) all goodwill and the going concern value of the Contributor's business.
- (o) "Contributed Properties" means all Properties owned directly or indirectly, in whole or in part, by the Contributed Entities, as identified on Schedule 4.01(b).
- (p) "Elected OP Unit Percentage" means, with respect to the Contribution Consideration to be received by any Nominee, the percentage of the Allocated Share that the Nominee has made a Valid Election to receive in the form of OP Units.
- (q) "Elected REIT Share Percentage" means, with respect to the Contribution Consideration to be received by any Nominee, the percentage of the Allocated Share that the Nominee has made a Valid Election to receive in the form of REIT Shares.
- (r) "Entity Specific Debt" has the meaning set forth in Schedule 6.02(e) hereto.

(s) “Environmental Laws” means all federal, state and local Laws governing pollution or the protection of human health or the environment.

(t) “Equity Value” has the meaning set forth in Schedule 6.02(c) hereto.

(u) “Excluded Assets” means (i) the assets identified on Schedule 5.05 and (ii) any interest excluded from the contribution hereunder in accordance with Section 5.07.

(v) “Formation Transaction Documentation” means all of the agreements (including this Agreement) and related documents substantially in the forms accompanying the Request for Consent dated February 22, 2013 and identified in Exhibit K hereto, pursuant to which all of the Rexford Entities and/or the Pre-Formation Interests are to be acquired by the REIT or the Operating Partnership, directly or indirectly, as part of the Formation Transactions.

(w) “Formation Transactions” means the transactions contemplated by this Agreement and the other Formation Transaction Documentation.

(x) “Fund Material Adverse Effect” means any material adverse change in the assets, business, condition (financial or otherwise), results of operation or prospects of the Contributor, the Contributed Entities or Contributed Properties, taken as a whole.

(y) “Fund V Subsequent Investment Amount” has the meaning set forth in Schedule 6.02(c) hereto.

(z) “Governmental Authority” means any government or agency, bureau, board, commission, court, department, official, political subdivision, tribunal or other instrumentality of any government, whether federal, state or local, domestic or foreign.

(aa) “Intellectual Property” means all of the following and similar intangible property and related proprietary rights, interests and protections, however arising, pursuant to the Laws of any jurisdiction throughout the world: (a) trademarks, service marks, trade names, brand names, logos, trade dress and other proprietary indicia of goods and services, whether registered or unregistered, and all registrations and applications for registration of such trademarks, including intent-to-use applications, all issuances, extensions and renewals of such registrations and applications and the goodwill connected with the use of and symbolized by any of the foregoing; (b) internet domain names, whether or not trademarks, registered in any top-level domain by any authorized private registrar or Governmental Authority; (c) original works of authorship in any medium of expression, whether or not published, all copyrights (whether registered or unregistered), all registrations and applications for registration of such copyrights, and all issuances, extensions and renewals of such registrations and applications; (d) confidential or proprietary information, formulas, designs, devices, technology, know-how, research and development, inventions, methods, processes, compositions and other trade secrets, whether or not patentable and whether or not the foregoing has been reduced to a writing or other tangible form, and all improvements, documents and things embodying, incorporating, or referring in any way to the foregoing; (e) patented and patentable designs and inventions, all design, plant and utility patents, letters patent, utility models, pending patent applications and provisional applications and all issuances, divisions, continuations, continuations-in-part, reissues,

extensions, reexaminations and renewals of such patents and applications; (f) all other intellectual property and proprietary rights, of every kind and nature throughout the world and however designated in all media in existence now or hereafter developed (including without limitation, moral rights, character rights, publicity rights, privacy rights and “rental” rights), whether arising by operation of law, contract, license or otherwise; and (g) all rights to sue and recover and retain damages, costs and attorneys’ fees for past, present and future infringement, misappropriation, or other unauthorized use, and any other rights relating to any of the foregoing.

(bb) “Intellectual Property Assets” means all Intellectual Property of the Contributor.

(cc) “Interim Period” has the meaning set forth in Schedule 6.02(c) hereto.

(dd) “Laws” means laws, statutes, rules, regulations, codes, orders, ordinances, judgments, injunctions, decrees and policies of any Governmental Authority, including, without limitation, zoning, land use or other similar rules or ordinances.

(ee) “Liens” means all pledges, claims, liens, charges, restrictions, controls, easements, rights of way, exceptions, reservations, leases, licenses, grants, covenants and conditions, encumbrances and security interests of any kind or nature whatsoever.

(ff) “Lock-Up Agreement” means that certain Lock-Up Agreement, by and between the underwriters and each investor of the REIT and/or the Operating Partnership.

(gg) “Management Companies” means, collectively RIF V Manager, Sponsor, and RI LLC.

(hh) “Offering Closing Date” means the closing date of the Offering.

(ii) “Offering Document” means either (i) in the event the REIT undertakes a public Offering, the REIT’s final prospectus as filed with the SEC; or (ii) in the event the REIT undertakes a private Offering, the REIT’s final offering memorandum (together with any supplements and amendments thereto) used in the Offering.

(jj) “Offering Price” means the initial offering price of a REIT Share in the Offering.

(kk) “OP Material Adverse Effect” means any material adverse change in any of the assets, business, condition (financial or otherwise), results of operation or prospects of the Operating Partnership and each Operating Partnership Subsidiary, taken as a whole.

(ll) “Organizational Documents” means the certificate of formation, certificate of incorporation and bylaws, certificate of limited partnership and limited partnership agreement, limited liability company agreement or operating agreement, of the Contributor or the applicable Contributed Entity.

(mm) “Permitted Liens” means (i) Liens, or deposits made to secure the release of such Liens, securing Taxes, the payment of which is not delinquent or the payment of which (including, without limitation, the amount or validity thereof) is being contested in good faith by appropriate proceedings for which adequate reserves have been made in accordance with GAAP; (ii) zoning, entitlement, building and other land use Laws imposed by Governmental Authorities having jurisdiction over the Contributed Properties; (iii) covenants, conditions, restrictions, easements for public utilities, encroachments, rights of access or other non-monetary matters that do not materially impair the use of the Contributed Properties for the purposes for which they are currently being used or proposed to be used in connection with the relevant Person’s business; (iv) Liens securing financing or credit arrangements existing as of the Closing Date; (v) Liens arising under Leases in effect as of the Closing Date; (vi) any exceptions contained in any title policy (including any policy issued to a secured lender) relating to the Contributed Properties as of the Closing Date; and (vii) mechanics’, carriers’, workers’, repairers’ and similar Liens arising or incurred in the ordinary course of business that are not yet due and payable or the payment of which (including, without limitation, the amount or validity thereof) is being contested in good faith by appropriate proceedings for which adequate reserves have been made in accordance with GAAP, and which are not, in the aggregate, material to the business, operations and financial condition of the Contributed Properties so encumbered.

(nn) “Person” means an individual, corporation, partnership, limited liability company, joint venture, association, trust, unincorporated organization or other entity.

(oo) “Pre-Formation Interests” means the equity interests directly or indirectly held by the Pre-Formation Participants in the Rexford Entities and in the “Rexford Properties” as defined in that certain Confidential Request for Consent and Investment Election dated February 22, 2013.

(pp) “Pre-Formation Participants” means the holders of the equity interests in the relevant RIF Fund Entity and the Management Companies immediately prior to the Formation Transactions, and shall include any other Person contributing any interest or Property to the REIT, the Operating Partnership or any Subsidiary thereof in the Formation Transactions.

(qq) “Properties” means the real properties owned directly or indirectly, in whole or in part, by the Rexford Entities.

(rr) “Registration Rights Agreement” means that certain Registration Rights Agreement, by and among the REIT, the Operating Partnership and the parties identified as a signatory on Schedule A thereto.

(ss) “Rexford Entity” means a RIF Fund Entity, the Management Companies and each of their respective Subsidiaries, as applicable. As used herein, “Rexford Entities” refer to each Rexford Entity, collectively.

(tt) “Securities Act” means the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder.

(uu) “Subsidiary” of any Person means any corporation, partnership, limited liability company, joint venture, trust or other legal entity of which such Person owns (either directly or through or together with another Subsidiary of such Person) either (i) a general

partner, managing member or other similar interest, or (ii)(A) ten percent (10%) or more of the voting power of the voting capital stock or other equity interests, or (B) ten percent (10%) or more of the outstanding voting capital stock or other voting equity interests of such corporation, partnership, limited liability company, joint venture or other legal entity.

(vv) “Target Asset” has the meaning set forth in Schedule 6.02(c) hereto.

(ww) “Tax” means all federal, state, local and foreign income, gross receipts, license, property, withholding, sales, franchise, employment, payroll, goods and services, stamp, environmental, customs duties, capital stock, social security, transfer, alternative minimum, excise and other taxes, tariffs or governmental charges of any nature whatsoever, including estimated taxes, together with penalties, interest or additions to Tax with respect thereto, whether or not disputed.

(xx) “Tax Matters Agreement” means that certain Tax Matters Agreement, by and among the REIT, the Operating Partnership and the other parties identified as signatories therein.

(yy) “Tax Return” means any return, declaration, report, claim for refund, or information return or statement relating to Taxes, including any schedule or attachment thereto, and including any amendment thereof.

(zz) “Valid Election” means, with respect to any Nominee, an irrevocable election to receive all or a portion of its Allocated Share in the form of OP Units or REIT Shares as indicated on the properly completed and timely received Consent Form of the Nominee or a Consent Form as to which any deficiencies have been waived by the REIT.

Section 6.03 COUNTERPARTS. This Agreement may be executed in counterparts, all of which shall be considered one and the same agreement and shall become effective when one or more counterparts have been signed by each party and delivered to each other party.

Section 6.04 ENTIRE AGREEMENT; THIRD-PARTY BENEFICIARIES. This Agreement, the other Formation Transaction Documentation and the Consent Forms to which the Nominees are a party, including, without limitation, the exhibits and schedules hereto and thereto, constitute the entire agreement and, except as set forth in Section 2.05, supersede each prior agreement and understanding, whether written or oral, among the parties regarding the subject matter of this Agreement. This Agreement is not intended to confer any rights or remedies on any Person (including any Nominee) other than the parties hereto.

Section 6.05 GOVERNING LAW. This Agreement shall be governed by, and construed in accordance with, the Laws of the State of California, regardless of any Laws that might otherwise govern under applicable principles of conflicts of laws thereof.

Section 6.06 ASSIGNMENT. This Agreement shall be binding upon, and shall be enforceable by and inure to the benefit of, the parties hereto and their respective heirs, legal representatives, successors and assigns; *provided, however*, that this Agreement may not be assigned (except by operation of law) by any party without the prior written consent of the other parties, and any attempted assignment without such consent shall be null and void and of no force and effect, except that the Operating Partnership may assign its rights and obligations hereunder to an Affiliate.

Section 6.07 JURISDICTION. The parties hereto hereby (a) submit to the exclusive jurisdiction of any state or federal court sitting in the County of Los Angeles, with respect to any dispute arising out of this Agreement or any transaction contemplated hereby to the extent such courts would have subject matter jurisdiction with respect to such dispute and (b) irrevocably waive, and agree not to assert by way of motion, defense, or otherwise, in any such action, any claim that it is not subject personally to the jurisdiction of the above-named courts, that its property is exempt or immune from attachment or execution, that the action is brought in an inconvenient forum, or that the venue of the action is improper.

Section 6.08 DISPUTE RESOLUTION. The parties intend that this Section 6.08 will be valid, binding, enforceable, exclusive and irrevocable and that it shall survive any termination of this Agreement.

(a) Upon any dispute, controversy or claim arising out of or relating to this Agreement or the enforcement, breach, termination or validity thereof (“Dispute”), the party raising the Dispute will give written notice to the other parties to the Dispute describing the nature of the Dispute following which the parties to such Dispute shall attempt for a period of ten (10) Business Days from receipt by the parties of notice of such Dispute to resolve such Dispute by negotiation between representatives of the parties hereto who have authority to settle such Dispute. All such negotiations shall be confidential and any statements or offers made therein shall be treated as compromise and settlement negotiations for purposes of any applicable rules of evidence and shall not be admissible as evidence in any subsequent proceeding for any purpose. The statute of limitations applicable to the commencement of a lawsuit shall apply to the commencement of an arbitration hereunder, except that no defense based on the running of the statute of limitations will be available based upon the passage of time during any such negotiation. Regardless of the foregoing, a party shall have the right to seek immediate injunctive relief pursuant to Section 6.08(c), below without regard to any such ten (10) Business Day negotiation period.

(b) Any Dispute (including the determination of the scope or applicability of this agreement to arbitrate) that is not resolved pursuant to Section 6.08(a) above shall be submitted to final and binding arbitration in California before one neutral and impartial arbitrator, in accordance with the Laws of the State of California for agreements made in and to be performed in that State. The arbitration shall be administered by JAMS, Inc. (“JAMS”) pursuant to its Comprehensive Arbitration Rules and Procedures, as in effect on the date hereof. Each of the REIT and the Operating Partnership, on the one hand, and the Contributor, on the other hand, shall appoint one arbitrator within fifteen (15) days of a demand for arbitration. If the REIT and the Operating Partnership and the Contributor cannot mutually agree upon an arbitrator within such 15-day period, the arbitrator shall be appointed by JAMS in accordance with its Comprehensive Arbitration Rules and Procedures, as in effect on the date hereof. The arbitrator shall designate the place and time of the hearing. The hearing shall be scheduled to begin as soon as practicable and no later than sixty (60) days after the appointment of the arbitrator (unless such period is extended by the arbitrator for good cause shown) and shall be conducted as expeditiously as possible. The award, which shall set forth the arbitrator’s findings

of fact and conclusions of law, shall be filed with JAMS and mailed to the parties no later than thirty (30) days after the close of the arbitration hearing. The arbitration award shall be final and binding on the parties and not subject to collateral attack. Judgment upon the arbitration award may be entered in any federal or state court having jurisdiction thereof.

(c) Notwithstanding the parties' agreement to submit all Disputes to final and binding arbitration before JAMS, the parties shall have the right to seek and obtain temporary or preliminary injunctive relief in any court having jurisdiction thereof. Such courts shall have authority to, among other things, grant temporary or provisional injunctive relief in order to protect any party's rights under this Agreement. Without prejudice to such provisional remedies as may be available under the jurisdiction of a court, the arbitral tribunal shall have full authority to grant provisional remedies and to direct the parties to request that any court modify or vacate any temporary or preliminary relief issued by such court, and to award damages for the failure of any party to respect the arbitral tribunal's orders to that effect.

(d) The prevailing party shall be entitled to recover its costs and reasonable attorneys' fees, and the non-prevailing party shall pay all expenses and fees of JAMS, all costs of the stenographic record, all expenses of witnesses or proofs that may have been produced at the direction of the arbitrator, and the fees, costs, and expenses of the arbitrator. The arbitrator shall allocate such costs and designate the prevailing party or parties for these purposes.

Section 6.09 SEVERABILITY. Each provision of this Agreement will be interpreted so as to be effective and valid under applicable Law, but if any provision is held invalid, illegal or unenforceable under applicable Law in any jurisdiction, then such invalidity, illegality or unenforceability will not affect any other provision, and this Agreement will be reformed, construed and enforced in such jurisdiction as if such invalid, illegal or unenforceable provision had never been included herein.

Section 6.10 RULES OF CONSTRUCTION.

(a) The parties hereto agree that they have had the opportunity to be represented by counsel during the negotiation, preparation and execution of this Agreement and, therefore, waive the application of any Law, regulation, holding or rule of construction providing that ambiguities in an agreement or other document will be construed against the party drafting such agreement or document.

(b) The words "hereof," "herein" and "herewith" and words of similar import shall, unless otherwise stated, be construed to refer to this Agreement as a whole and not to any particular provision of this Agreement, and article, section, paragraph, exhibit and schedule references are to the articles, sections, paragraphs, exhibits and schedules of this Agreement unless otherwise specified. Whenever the words "include," "includes" or "including" are used in this Agreement, they shall be deemed to be followed by the words "without limitation." All terms defined in this Agreement shall have the defined meanings contained herein when used in any certificate or other document made or delivered pursuant hereto unless otherwise defined therein. The definitions contained in this Agreement are applicable to the singular as well as the plural forms of such terms and to the masculine as well as to the feminine and neuter genders of such terms. Unless explicitly stated otherwise herein, any agreement, instrument or statute

defined or referred to herein or in any agreement or instrument that is referred to herein means such agreement, instrument or statute as from time to time, amended, qualified or supplemented, including (in the case of agreements and instruments) by waiver or consent and (in the case of statutes) by succession of comparable successor statutes and all attachments thereto and instruments incorporated therein. References to a Person are also to its permitted successors and assigns.

Section 6.11 EQUITABLE REMEDIES. The parties agree that irreparable damage would occur to the Operating Partnership in the event that any of the provisions of this Agreement were not performed in accordance with their specific terms or were otherwise breached. It is accordingly agreed that the Operating Partnership shall be entitled to an injunction or injunctions to prevent breaches of this Agreement by a Contributor and to enforce specifically the terms and provisions hereof in any federal or state court located in California, this being in addition to any other remedy to which the Operating Partnership is entitled under this Agreement or otherwise at law or in equity.

Section 6.12 TIME OF THE ESSENCE. Time is of the essence with respect to all obligations under this Agreement.

Section 6.13 DESCRIPTIVE HEADINGS. The descriptive headings herein are inserted for convenience only and are not intended to be part of or to affect the meaning or interpretation of this Agreement.

Section 6.14 NO PERSONAL LIABILITY CONFERRED. This Agreement shall not create or permit any personal liability or obligation on the part of any officer, director, partner, employee or shareholder of the Operating Partnership or the Contributor.

Section 6.15 CONSENT OF PARTNER, MANAGER or MEMBER. In accordance with the terms of certain of the agreements governing the Contributed Interests, the undersigned, in its capacity as a partner, manager or member of one or more of the Contributed Entities, consents to the applicable transfers contemplated in Section 1.01 hereof and the admission of the Operating Partnership as a substituted partner or member in each applicable Contributed Entity and waives any right of first refusal which the undersigned has with respect of the transfer of any of the Contributed Interests to the Operating Partnership.

Section 6.16 WAIVER OF SECTION 1542 PROTECTIONS. As of the Closing Date, each of the parties hereto expressly acknowledges that it has had, or has had and waived, the opportunity to be advised by independent legal counsel and hereby waives and relinquishes all rights and benefits afforded by Section 1542 of the California Civil Code and does so understanding and acknowledging the significance and consequence of such specific waiver of Section 1542 which provides:

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

Section 6.17 AMENDMENTS. This Agreement may be amended by appropriate instrument, without the consent of the Contributor, at any time prior to the Closing Date; provided, that no such amendment, modification or supplement shall be made that alters the amount or changes the form of the consideration to be delivered to the Contributor, without the prior written consent of the Contributor.

[SIGNATURE PAGES FOLLOW]

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have caused this Agreement to be signed by their respective duly authorized officers or representatives, all as of the date first written above.

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, L.P.,
a Maryland limited partnership

By: REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, INC.,
a Maryland corporation
Its: General Partner

By: /s/ Howard Schwimmer
Name: Howard Schwimmer
Title: Co-Chief Executive Officer

By: /s/ Michael Frankel
Name: Michael S. Frankel
Title: Co-Chief Executive Officer

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, INC.,
a Maryland corporation

By: /s/ Howard Schwimmer
Name: Howard Schwimmer
Title: Co-Chief Executive Officer

By: /s/ Michael Frankel
Name: Michael S. Frankel
Title: Co-Chief Executive Officer

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL FUND II, LLC,
a California limited liability company

By: REXFORD INDUSTRIAL, LLC
a California limited liability company
Its: Manager

By: /s/ Howard Schwimmer
Name: Howard Schwimmer
Title: Manager

[Signature Page to Fund II Contribution Agreement]

CONTRIBUTION AGREEMENT

by and among

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, L.P.,

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, INC.,

and

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL FUND III, LLC

Dated as of July 24, 2013

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CONTRIBUTION AGREEMENT

THIS CONTRIBUTION AGREEMENT is made and entered into as of July 24, 2013 (this "Agreement"), by and among Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc., a Maryland corporation (the "REIT"), Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P., a Maryland limited partnership (the "Operating Partnership") and a subsidiary of the REIT, and Rexford Industrial Fund III, LLC, a California limited liability company (the "Contributor"). Certain capitalized terms are defined in Section 6.02 of this Agreement.

RECITALS

WHEREAS, the REIT desires to consolidate the ownership of a portfolio of properties currently owned, directly or indirectly, by certain entities each as described on Exhibit A hereto;

WHEREAS, concurrently with the execution of this Agreement, Rexford Industrial Fund V REIT, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company ("RIF V REIT"), will enter into an agreement and plan of merger with the REIT pursuant to which RIF V REIT will merge with and into the REIT and the equity interest in RIF V REIT will be converted automatically into the right to receive cash, without interest, or shares of common stock of the REIT, par value \$.01 per share ("REIT Shares");

WHEREAS, concurrently with the execution of this Agreement, Rexford Industrial Fund V, LP, a Delaware limited partnership ("RIF V Fund"), will enter into an agreement and plan of merger with the Operating Partnership pursuant to which RIF V Fund will merge with and into the Operating Partnership and the partnership interests in RIF V Fund will be (a) converted automatically into the right to receive cash, without interest, REIT Shares and/or common units of partnership interest in the Operating Partnership ("OP Units") and (b) in the case of the partnership interests in RIF V Fund held by RIF V Manager or the REIT, cancelled;

WHEREAS, concurrently with the execution of this Agreement, Rexford Sponsor V LLC, a Delaware limited liability company ("Sponsor"), will enter into an agreement and plan of merger pursuant to which Sponsor will merge with and into a direct wholly-owned subsidiary of the Operating Partnership with Sponsor as the surviving entity, and the equity interests in Sponsor will be converted automatically into the right to receive cash, without interest, OP Units and/or REIT Shares;

WHEREAS, concurrently with the execution of this Agreement, Rexford Industrial, LLC, a California limited liability company ("RI LLC"), will enter into an agreement and plan of merger pursuant to which RI LLC will merge with and into a direct wholly-owned subsidiary of the Operating Partnership, with RI LLC as the surviving entity, and the equity interests in RI LLC will be converted automatically into the right to receive cash, without interest, OP Units and/or REIT Shares;

WHEREAS, concurrently with the execution of this Agreement, Rexford Fund V Manager LLC, a Delaware limited liability company ("RIF V Manager"), will enter into an agreement and plan of merger pursuant to which RIF V Manager will merge with and into an indirect wholly-owned subsidiary of the Operating Partnership, with RIF V Manager as the surviving entity, and the equity interests in RIF V Manager will be converted automatically into the right to receive cash, without interest, OP Units and/or REIT Shares;

WHEREAS, concurrently with the completion of the transactions described in the preceding paragraphs, the parties to this Agreement wish to effect a transaction pursuant to which (a) the Contributor will contribute to the Operating Partnership all of the Contributor's direct and indirect interests (the "Contributed Interests") in the entities identified under the heading "Contributed Entities - Rexford Industrial Fund III, LLC" on Exhibit A hereto (the "Contributed Entities"), the Contributed Properties and the other Contributed Assets identified herein, and (b) the Operating Partnership shall acquire from the Contributor, all of the Contributor's right, title and interest in and to such Contributed Interests, Contributed Properties and the other Contributed Assets, in exchange for a combination of cash, without interest, REIT Shares and/or OP Units and the assumption by the Operating Partnership of the Assumed Liabilities, all on the terms and subject to the conditions set forth herein;

WHEREAS, concurrently with the execution of this Agreement, each of Rexford Industrial Fund I, LLC, Rexford Industrial Fund II, LLC and Rexford Industrial Fund IV, LLC (each such entity, the Contributor, RIF V REIT and RIF V Fund may be referred to herein as a "RIF Fund Entity") will enter into a contribution agreement with the REIT and the Operating Partnership on substantially the same terms as this Contribution Agreement (the "Other RIF Fund Contribution Agreements");

WHEREAS, in the event that all members of the Contributor or another RIF Fund Entity return duly executed and completed Consent Forms approving the Formation Transactions, then, in lieu of this Agreement or the applicable Other RIF Fund Contribution Agreement, the REIT may elect to cause the applicable RIF Fund Entity to enter into an agreement and plan of merger with the Operating Partnership pursuant to which such RIF Fund Entity will merge with and into the Operating Partnership and the membership interests in such RIF Fund Entity will be converted automatically into the right to receive cash, REIT Shares and/or OP Units;

WHEREAS, the Formation Transactions relate to the initial public offering of the REIT Shares or, depending on prevailing market conditions at the time of the offering, a private offering of the REIT Shares (the "Offering"), following which the REIT will operate as a self-administered and self-managed real estate investment trust within the meaning of Section 856 of the Code;

WHEREAS, substantially concurrently with the completion of the Formation Transactions and the Offering, the REIT will contribute to the Operating Partnership, all of the assets (other than OP Units), rights and obligations acquired by the REIT as a result of the Formation Transactions and the Offering; and

WHEREAS, all necessary approvals have been obtained by each of the Operating Partnership and the Contributor to consummate the transactions contemplated herein and by the other Formation Transaction Documentation.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the foregoing and the representations, warranties, covenants and other terms contained in this Agreement, the parties hereto, intending to be legally bound hereby, agree as follows:

ARTICLE I

CONTRIBUTION

Section 1.01 CONTRIBUTION TRANSACTION; ASSIGNMENT AND ASSUMPTION OF ASSUMED LIABILITIES.

(a) At the Closing and subject to the terms and conditions contained in this Agreement and in accordance with applicable Laws, the Contributor hereby contributes, assigns, sets over, transfers, conveys and delivers to the Operating Partnership, absolutely and unconditionally and free and clear of all Liens (other than those arising under Organizational Documents of the applicable Rexford Entities and Permitted Liens with respect to the Contributed Properties), all of its right, title and interest in and to the Contributed Assets, including all rights to indemnification in favor of the Contributor under the Organizational Documents; *provided*, that the Operating Partnership accepts the assignment by the Contributor and agrees to be bound by the terms of the Organizational Documents governing the Contributor's Contributed Interests and undertakes, assumes and agrees punctually and faithfully to perform, pay or discharge when due and otherwise in accordance with its terms, all agreements, covenants, conditions, obligations and liabilities of the Contributor in the applicable Rexford Entities with respect to the Contributor's Contributed Interests on or after the Closing Date.

(b) At the Closing and subject to the terms and conditions contained in this Agreement, the Operating Partnership assumes and agrees to pay, perform and discharge all of the Assumed Liabilities.

(c) Without limiting the foregoing, the Contributor, on behalf of itself and its Affiliates, consents to, and agrees and acknowledges that all requirements and conditions for the transactions contemplated by this Agreement, including the transfer of the Contributed Assets and the admission of the Operating Partnership as a partner or member of each of the Contributed Entities have been satisfied or otherwise waived.

(d) All of the parties hereto agree that, as a result of the assignment and assumptions hereunder, for purposes of the Organizational Documents governing the Contributed Entities, the Operating Partnership shall be a substituted general partner, limited partner, manager or member, as the case may be, of the applicable Contributed Entity.

Section 1.02 CONSIDERATION.

(a) At Closing, subject to the terms and conditions contained in this Agreement, the Contributor shall receive cash, OP Units and/or REIT Shares with an aggregate value equal to the Equity Value represented by the Contributed Assets (collectively referred to as the "Contribution Consideration"). The parties acknowledge that, concurrently with the Closing, the Contributor expects to distribute the Contribution Consideration to its members in

accordance with irrevocable elections made by the members of the Contributor in a Consent Form submitted by such members to the Contributor, or, if any such member has failed to submit a Consent Form, in accordance with determinations made by the Contributor. As a means of expediting such distribution, the Operating Partnership agrees to deliver such cash, OP Units and/or REIT Shares directly to such members as the nominees of the Contributor (the "Nominees"). The transfer of OP Units to any Nominee shall be evidenced by an amendment to the OP Agreement (the "Amendment"), and the transfer of REIT Shares to any Nominee shall be evidenced by an entry to the Register (as defined in the Operating Partnership Agreement). Subject to Section 1.03, the amount of cash, number of OP Units and/or REIT Shares comprising the Contribution Consideration attributable to each Nominee shall be as follows:

(i) Cash. One hundred percent (100%) of the Allocated Share attributable to a Nominee who is not an Accredited Investor shall be paid in cash.

(ii) OP Units. The Elected OP Unit Percentage of the Allocated Share attributable to a Nominee who is an Accredited Investor shall be distributed in whole OP Units in the form of a number of OP Units equal to the applicable portion of such Allocated Share divided by the Offering Price; and

(iii) REIT Shares. The Elected REIT Shares Percentage of the Allocated Share attributable to a Nominee who is an Accredited Investor shall be distributed in whole REIT Shares in the form of a number of REIT Shares equal to the applicable portion of such Allocated Share divided by the Offering Price; *provided, that* to the extent such distribution of REIT Shares to such Nominee would result in a violation of the restrictions on ownership and transfer set forth in Section 6.2.1 of the REIT's charter (the "Ownership Limits"), such Nominee shall receive (x) the maximum number of whole REIT Shares that would not result in such violation of the Ownership Limits, and (y) that number of whole OP Units equal to the remaining number of REIT Shares not distributed as a result of the application of the foregoing clause (x).

(b) At Closing, each Nominee receiving OP Units in accordance with the foregoing shall be admitted as a limited partner of the Operating Partnership. By executing and delivering a Consent Form, each Nominee has agreed and accepted all of the terms and conditions of the Operating Partnership Agreement and shall be deemed to have executed and delivered a counterpart signature page to the Operating Partnership Agreement.

Section 1.03 FRACTIONAL INTEREST. No fractional OP Units or REIT Shares shall be issued pursuant to this Agreement or the other Formation Transaction Documentation. All fractional OP Units that a Nominee would otherwise be entitled to receive as a result of the Formation Transactions shall be aggregated, and the Nominee shall receive the number of whole OP Units resulting from such aggregation and, in lieu of any fractional OP Unit resulting from such aggregation, an amount in cash determined by multiplying that fraction of an OP Unit to which the Nominee would otherwise have been entitled, by the Offering Price. All fractional REIT Shares that a Nominee would otherwise be entitled to receive as a result of the Formation Transactions shall be aggregated, and the Nominee shall receive the number of whole REIT Shares resulting from such aggregation and, in lieu of any fractional REIT Share resulting from such aggregation, an amount in cash determined by multiplying that fraction of a REIT Share to which the Nominee would otherwise have been entitled, by the Offering Price. No interest will be paid or will accrue on any cash paid or payable in lieu of any fractional OP Unit or REIT Share.

Section 1.04 FURTHER ACTION. If, at any time after the Closing, the Operating Partnership shall determine or be advised that any deeds, bills of sale, assignments (including any intellectual property assignments), assurances or any other actions or things are necessary or desirable to vest, perfect or confirm of record or otherwise in the Operating Partnership the right, title or interest in or to any Contributed Assets, the Contributor shall execute and deliver all such deeds, bills of sale, assignments (including any intellectual property assignments) and assurances and take and do all such other actions and things as may be necessary or desirable to vest, perfect or confirm any and all right, title and interest in such Contributed Assets or otherwise to carry out this Agreement.

Section 1.05 CALCULATION OF CONTRIBUTION CONSIDERATION. As soon as practicable following the determination of the Offering Price and prior to the Closing, all calculations relating to the Contribution Consideration shall be performed in good faith by, or under the direction of, the REIT and the Operating Partnership, and the parties hereby agree that, absent manifest error, such calculations shall be final and binding upon the Contributor and each Nominee.

ARTICLE II

CLOSING

Section 2.01 CONDITIONS PRECEDENT.

(a) Condition to Each Party's Obligations. The respective obligation of each party to effect the contributions contemplated by this Agreement and to consummate the other transactions contemplated hereby to occur on the Closing Date is subject to the satisfaction or waiver on or prior to the Closing of the following conditions:

(i) Registration Statement. If the REIT undertakes a public Offering, the public Offering registration statement must have been declared effective under the Securities Act and will not be the subject of any stop order or proceedings by the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC") seeking a stop order. This condition may not be waived by any party.

(ii) No Injunction. No Governmental Authority of competent jurisdiction shall have enacted, issued, promulgated, enforced or entered any statute, rule, regulation, executive order, decree, judgment, injunction, stay or other order (whether temporary, preliminary or permanent), in any case which is in effect and which prevents or prohibits consummation of any of the transactions contemplated in this Agreement nor shall any of the same brought by a Governmental Authority of competent jurisdiction be pending or threatened that seeks the foregoing.

(iii) Operating Partnership Agreement. The Operating Partnership Agreement, in substantially the form attached hereto as Exhibit B, shall have been executed and delivered by the partners of the Operating Partnership and shall be in full force and effect and, except as contemplated by Section 2.03 or the other Formation Transaction Documents, shall not have been amended or modified.

(b) Conditions to the Obligations of the Operating Partnership. The obligations of the Operating Partnership to effect the contribution contemplated by this Agreement and to consummate the other transactions contemplated hereby to occur on the Closing Date are further subject to satisfaction of the following conditions (any of which may be waived by the Operating Partnership in whole or in part):

(i) Representations and Warranties. The representations and warranties of the Contributor contained in this Agreement shall be true and correct in all material respects at the Closing as if made again at that time (except to the extent that any representation or warranty speaks as of an earlier date, in which case it must be true and correct only as of that earlier date).

(ii) Performance by the Contributor. The Contributor shall have performed each of the agreements and covenants required by this Agreement to be performed or complied with by it on or prior to the Closing Date and the Contributor shall not have breached any of its covenants contained herein in any material respect.

(iii) Offering Closing. The closing of the Offering shall occur substantially concurrently with the Closing.

(iv) Consents, Etc. All necessary consents and approvals of Governmental Authorities or third parties (including lenders) for the Contributor to consummate the transactions contemplated hereby shall have been obtained.

(v) No Fund Material Adverse Effect. There shall have not occurred between the date hereof and the Closing Date a Fund Material Adverse Effect.

(vi) Formation Transactions. The Formation Transactions shall have been or shall be consummated substantially concurrently in accordance with the timing set forth in the respective Formation Transaction Documentation.

(vii) Lock-Up Agreement. Each Nominee receiving REIT Shares or OP Units shall have entered into the Lock-Up Agreement substantially in the form attached as Exhibit C.

(viii) Tax Matters Agreement. Any Nominee that will receive OP Units in the contribution contemplated by this Agreement and that (1) owns, directly or indirectly, an interest in any Contributed Property specified in the Tax Matters Agreement or (2) has been provided an opportunity to guarantee debt as set forth in the Tax Matters Agreement shall have entered into the Tax Matters Agreement substantially in the form attached as Exhibit D, if applicable.

(c) Conditions to the Obligations of the Contributor. The obligation of the Contributor to effect the contribution contemplated by this Agreement and to consummate the other transactions contemplated hereby to occur on the Closing Date are further subject to satisfaction of the following conditions (any of which may be waived by the Contributor in whole or in part):

(i) Representations and Warranties. Except as would not have an OP Material Adverse Effect, the representations and warranties of the Operating Partnership contained in this Agreement shall be true and correct at the Closing as if made again at that time (except to the extent that any representation or warranty speaks as of an earlier date, in which case it must be true and correct only as of that earlier date).

(ii) Performance by the Operating Partnership. Except as would not have an OP Material Adverse Effect, the Operating Partnership shall have performed all agreements and covenants required by this Agreement to be performed or complied with by it on or prior to the Closing Date.

(iii) Registration Rights Agreement. The REIT shall have entered into the Registration Rights Agreement, substantially in the form attached as Exhibit E hereto. This condition may not be waived by any party hereto.

(iv) Tax Matters Agreement. If the Contributor (1) owns, directly or indirectly, an interest in any Contributed Property specified in the Tax Matters Agreement or (2) has any members that have been provided an opportunity to guarantee debt as set forth in the Tax Matters Agreement, the REIT and the Operating Partnership shall have entered into the Tax Matters Agreement substantially in the form attached as Exhibit D, if applicable.

Section 2.02 TIME AND PLACE. Unless this Agreement shall have been terminated pursuant to Section 2.06, and subject to the satisfaction or waiver of the conditions in Section 2.01, the closing of the contributions contemplated by Section 1.01 and the other transactions contemplated by this Agreement shall occur substantially concurrently with the receipt by the REIT of the proceeds from the Offering from the underwriters (the “Closing” or the “Closing Date”) in the order set forth on Exhibit F. The Closing shall take place at the offices of Latham & Watkins LLP, 355 South Grand Avenue, Los Angeles, California 90071 or such other place as determined by the REIT in its sole discretion.

Section 2.03 DELIVERY OF CONTRIBUTION CONSIDERATION.

(a) Subject to Section 5.03(a), as soon as reasonably practicable after the Closing, the Operating Partnership shall deliver to the Nominees the Contribution Consideration payable in the amounts and form provided in Section 1.02(a). The issuance of any OP Units and admission of the recipients thereof as limited partners of the Operating Partnership pursuant to Section 1.02(b) shall be evidenced by an entry to the Register. Any certificate representing REIT Shares issuable as Contribution Consideration shall bear the following legend:

THE SECURITIES REPRESENTED HEREBY HAVE NOT BEEN REGISTERED UNDER THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933, AS AMENDED (THE “ACT”), OR THE SECURITIES LAWS OF ANY STATE AND MAY NOT BE SOLD,

TRANSFERRED OR OTHERWISE DISPOSED OF IN THE ABSENCE OF SUCH REGISTRATION, UNLESS THE TRANSFEROR DELIVERS TO THE CORPORATION AN OPINION OF COUNSEL SATISFACTORY TO THE CORPORATION, TO THE EFFECT THAT THE PROPOSED SALE, TRANSFER OR OTHER DISPOSITION MAY BE EFFECTED WITHOUT REGISTRATION UNDER THE ACT AND UNDER APPLICABLE STATE SECURITIES OR "BLUE SKY" LAWS.

THE SHARES REPRESENTED BY THIS CERTIFICATE ARE SUBJECT TO RESTRICTIONS ON BENEFICIAL AND CONSTRUCTIVE OWNERSHIP AND TRANSFER FOR THE PURPOSE OF THE CORPORATION'S MAINTENANCE OF ITS STATUS AS A REAL ESTATE INVESTMENT TRUST UNDER THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE OF 1986, AS AMENDED (THE "CODE"). SUBJECT TO CERTAIN FURTHER RESTRICTIONS AND EXCEPT AS EXPRESSLY PROVIDED IN THE CORPORATION'S CHARTER, (I) NO PERSON MAY BENEFICIALLY OR CONSTRUCTIVELY OWN SHARES OF THE CORPORATION'S COMMON STOCK IN EXCESS OF 9.8% (IN VALUE OR NUMBER OF SHARES) OF THE OUTSTANDING SHARES OF COMMON STOCK OF THE CORPORATION UNLESS SUCH PERSON IS AN EXCEPTED HOLDER (IN WHICH CASE THE EXCEPTED HOLDER LIMIT SHALL BE APPLICABLE); (II) NO PERSON MAY BENEFICIALLY OR CONSTRUCTIVELY OWN SHARES OF CAPITAL STOCK OF THE CORPORATION IN EXCESS OF 9.8% OF THE VALUE OF THE TOTAL OUTSTANDING SHARES OF CAPITAL STOCK OF THE CORPORATION, UNLESS SUCH PERSON IS AN EXCEPTED HOLDER (IN WHICH CASE THE EXCEPTED HOLDER LIMIT SHALL BE APPLICABLE); (III) NO PERSON MAY BENEFICIALLY OR CONSTRUCTIVELY OWN CAPITAL STOCK THAT COULD RESULT IN THE CORPORATION BEING "CLOSELY HELD" UNDER SECTION 856(h) OF THE CODE OR OTHERWISE CAUSE THE CORPORATION TO FAIL TO QUALIFY AS A REIT; AND (IV) NO PERSON MAY TRANSFER SHARES OF CAPITAL STOCK IF SUCH TRANSFER WOULD RESULT IN THE CAPITAL STOCK OF THE CORPORATION BEING OWNED BY FEWER THAN 100 PERSONS. ANY PERSON WHO BENEFICIALLY OR CONSTRUCTIVELY OWNS OR ATTEMPTS TO BENEFICIALLY OR CONSTRUCTIVELY OWN SHARES OF CAPITAL STOCK WHICH CAUSES OR MAY CAUSE A PERSON TO BENEFICIALLY OR CONSTRUCTIVELY OWN SHARES OF CAPITAL STOCK IN EXCESS OR IN

VIOLATION OF THE ABOVE LIMITATIONS MUST IMMEDIATELY NOTIFY THE CORPORATION OR, IN THE CASE OF SUCH A PROPOSED OR ATTEMPTED TRANSACTION, GIVE AT LEAST 15 DAYS PRIOR WRITTEN NOTICE. IF ANY OF THE RESTRICTIONS ON TRANSFER OR OWNERSHIP SET FORTH IN (I) THROUGH (III) ABOVE ARE VIOLATED, THE SHARES OF CAPITAL STOCK REPRESENTED HEREBY WILL BE AUTOMATICALLY TRANSFERRED TO A TRUSTEE OF A TRUST FOR THE BENEFIT OF ONE OR MORE CHARITABLE BENEFICIARIES. IN ADDITION, THE CORPORATION MAY TAKE OTHER ACTIONS, INCLUDING REDEEMING SHARES UPON THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS SPECIFIED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS IN ITS SOLE AND ABSOLUTE DISCRETION IF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS DETERMINES THAT OWNERSHIP OR A TRANSFER OR OTHER EVENT MAY VIOLATE THE RESTRICTIONS DESCRIBED ABOVE. FURTHERMORE, UPON THE OCCURRENCE OF CERTAIN EVENTS, ATTEMPTED TRANSFERS IN VIOLATION OF THE RESTRICTIONS DESCRIBED ABOVE MAY BE VOID AB INITIO. ALL UNDERLINED TERMS IN THIS LEGEND HAVE THE MEANINGS DEFINED IN THE CHARTER OF THE CORPORATION, AS THE SAME MAY BE AMENDED FROM TIME TO TIME, A COPY OF WHICH, INCLUDING THE RESTRICTIONS ON TRANSFER AND OWNERSHIP, WILL BE FURNISHED TO EACH HOLDER OF CAPITAL STOCK OF THE CORPORATION ON REQUEST AND WITHOUT CHARGE. REQUESTS FOR SUCH A COPY MAY BE DIRECTED TO THE SECRETARY OF THE CORPORATION AT ITS PRINCIPAL OFFICE.

(b) The Operating Partnership (or its successor in interest) shall not be liable to any Nominee for any portion of the Contribution Consideration delivered to a public official pursuant to any applicable abandoned property, escheat or similar Law.

Section 2.04 CLOSING DELIVERIES. At the Closing, the parties shall make, execute, acknowledge and deliver, or cause to be made, executed, acknowledged and delivered (a) an Assignment and Assumption of Assumed Contracts, (b) a Bill of Sale, (c) an Assumption of Assumed Liabilities, (d) an Assignment and Assumption of Membership Interests, (e) all documents required by a lender in connection with the assumption or prepayment of an Existing Loan at or prior to Closing, duly executed by the applicable party, and (f) any other documents reasonably requested by the Operating Partnership or reasonably necessary or desirable to assign, transfer, convey, contribute and deliver the Contributed Assets, free and clear of all Liens and to effectuate the transactions contemplated hereby.

Section 2.05 CLOSING COSTS. If the Closing occurs, the REIT and the Operating Partnership shall be solely responsible for all transaction costs and expenses of the REIT, the Operating Partnership and the Rexford Entities in connection with the Formation Transactions and the Offering, which include, but are not limited to, the underwriting discounts and commissions. In the event the Closing does not occur, each party shall be responsible for its allocable portion of such costs and expenses in accordance with the terms of those certain letter agreements identified on Schedule 2.05.

Section 2.06 TERM OF THE AGREEMENT. This Agreement shall terminate automatically if the transactions contemplated herein shall not have been consummated on or prior to December 31, 2013 (such date is hereinafter referred to as the "Outside Date").

Section 2.07 EFFECT OF TERMINATION. In the event of termination of this Agreement for any reason, all obligations on the part of the Operating Partnership and the Contributor under this Agreement shall terminate, except that the obligations set forth in Article VI shall survive, it being understood and agreed, however, for the avoidance of doubt, that if this Agreement is terminated because one or more of the conditions to the non-breaching party's obligations under this Agreement are not satisfied by the Outside Date as a result of the other party's material breach of a covenant, representation, warranty or other obligation under this Agreement or any other Formation Transaction Documentation, the non-breaching party's right to pursue all legal remedies with respect to such breach will survive such termination unimpaired.

Section 2.08 TAX WITHHOLDING. The Operating Partnership shall be entitled to deduct and withhold from the consideration payable pursuant to this Agreement such amounts as the Operating Partnership is required to deduct and withhold with respect to the making of such payment under the Code or any provision of state, local or foreign tax law. To the extent that amounts are so withheld by the Operating Partnership, such withheld amounts shall be treated for all purposes of this Agreement as having been paid to the Contributor or Nominee, as applicable.

ARTICLE III

REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES OF THE OPERATING PARTNERSHIP

The Operating Partnership hereby represents and warrants to the Contributor as follows:

Section 3.01 ORGANIZATION; AUTHORITY.

(a) The Operating Partnership has been duly formed and is validly existing and in good standing under the Laws of its jurisdiction of formation, and, upon the effectiveness of the Operating Partnership Agreement, will have all requisite power and authority to enter into this Agreement and the other Formation Transaction Documentation and to carry out the transactions contemplated hereby and thereby, and to own, lease and/or operate its property and to carry on its business as presently conducted and, to the extent required under applicable Laws, is qualified to do business and is in good standing in each jurisdiction in which the nature of its business or the character of its property make such qualification necessary, other than such failures to be so qualified as would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have an OP Material Adverse Effect.

(b) Schedule 3.01(b) sets forth as of the date hereof, (i) each Subsidiary of the Operating Partnership (each an “Operating Partnership Subsidiary”), (ii) the ownership interest therein of the Operating Partnership, and (iii) if not wholly owned by the Operating Partnership, the identity and ownership interest of each of the other owners of such Operating Partnership Subsidiary. Each Operating Partnership Subsidiary has been duly organized or formed and is validly existing and is in good standing under the Laws of its jurisdiction of organization or formation, as applicable, has all requisite power and authority to own, lease and/or operate its property and to carry on its business as presently conducted and, to the extent required under applicable Laws, is qualified to do business and is in good standing in each jurisdiction in which the nature of its business or the character of its property make such qualification necessary, other than such failures to be so qualified as would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have an OP Material Adverse Effect.

Section 3.02 DUE AUTHORIZATION. The execution, delivery and performance of this Agreement and the other Formation Transaction Documentation (including each agreement, document and instrument executed and delivered by or on behalf of the Operating Partnership pursuant to this Agreement or the other Formation Transaction Documentation) by the Operating Partnership has been duly and validly authorized by all necessary actions required of the Operating Partnership. This Agreement, the other Formation Transaction Documentation and each agreement, document and instrument executed and delivered by or on behalf of the Operating Partnership pursuant to this Agreement or the other Formation Transaction Documentation constitutes, or when executed and delivered will constitute, the legal, valid and binding obligation of the Operating Partnership, enforceable against the Operating Partnership in accordance with its terms, subject to applicable bankruptcy, insolvency, moratorium or other similar Laws relating to creditors’ rights and general principles of equity.

Section 3.03 CONSENTS AND APPROVALS. Except in connection with the Offering and the consummation of the other Formation Transactions or as shall have been obtained on or prior to the Closing Date, no consent, waiver, approval, authorization, order, license, permit or registration of, qualification, designation, declaration or filing with, any Person or Governmental Authority or under any applicable Laws is required to be obtained by the Operating Partnership in connection with the execution, delivery and performance of this Agreement and the transactions contemplated hereby, except for (a) those consents, waivers, approvals, authorizations, orders, licenses, permits, registrations, qualifications, designations, declarations or filings, the failure of which to obtain or to file would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have an OP Material Adverse Effect, or (b) those consents under the Organizational Documents of the Contributor and the Contributed Entities, the failure of which to obtain would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have an OP Material Adverse Effect.

Section 3.04 NO VIOLATION. None of the execution, delivery or performance of this Agreement, the other Formation Transaction Documentation, any agreement contemplated hereby between the parties to this Agreement and the transactions contemplated hereby between the parties to this Agreement does or will, with or without the giving of notice, lapse of time, or

both, violate, conflict with, result in a breach of, or constitute a default under or give to others any right of termination, acceleration, cancellation or other right under, (a) the Organizational Documents of the Operating Partnership, (b) any agreement, document or instrument to which the Operating Partnership or any of its respective assets are bound or (c) any term or provision of any judgment, order, writ, injunction, or decree binding on the Operating Partnership, except for, in the case of clause (b) or (c), any such breaches or defaults that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have an OP Material Adverse Effect.

Section 3.05 VALIDITY OF OP UNITS AND REIT SHARES. Any OP Units to be issued pursuant to this Agreement will have been duly authorized by the Operating Partnership and, when issued against the consideration therefor, will be validly issued, fully paid and non-assessable, free and clear of all Liens created by the Operating Partnership (other than any Liens created by the Amended and Restated Agreement of Limited Partnership of the Operating Partnership (the "Operating Partnership Agreement")). Any REIT Shares to be issued pursuant to this Agreement will have been duly authorized by the REIT and, when issued against the consideration therefor, will be validly issued, fully paid and non-assessable, free and clear of all Liens created by the REIT (other than any Liens created by the charter of the REIT).

Section 3.06 LITIGATION. Except for actions, suits or proceedings covered by policies of insurance, there is no action, suit or proceeding pending or, to the knowledge of the Operating Partnership, threatened against the Operating Partnership or any Operating Partnership Subsidiary, other than actions, suits, proceedings arising in the ordinary course of business from the ownership and operation of the Operating Partnership, that individually or in the aggregate, would not reasonably be expected, (a) if adversely determined, to have an OP Material Adverse Effect, or (b) to challenge or impair the ability of the Operating Partnership to execute or deliver, or materially perform its obligations under, this Agreement and the documents executed by it pursuant to this Agreement or to consummate the transactions contemplated hereby or thereby, to such an extent as would result in an OP Material Adverse Effect.

Section 3.07 OPERATING PARTNERSHIP AGREEMENT. Attached as Exhibit B hereto is a true and correct copy of the Operating Partnership Agreement in substantially final form.

Section 3.08 LIMITED ACTIVITIES. Except for activities in connection with the Offering, the Formation Transactions or in the ordinary course of business, the Operating Partnership and the Operating Partnership Subsidiaries have not engaged in any material business or incurred any material obligations.

Section 3.09 NO BROKER. The Operating Partnership has not entered into, and covenants that it will not enter into, any agreement, arrangement or understanding with any Person or firm which will result in the obligation of the Contributor or any Affiliates thereof to pay any finder's fee, brokerage commission or similar payment in connection with the transaction contemplated by this Agreement (other than underwriting discounts, commissions and other fees and expenses to be paid by the REIT in connection with the Offering and any related financing transactions).

Section 3.10 NO OTHER REPRESENTATIONS OR WARRANTIES. Other than the representations and warranties expressly set forth in this Article III and any other agreement entered into in connection with the Formation Transactions, the Operating Partnership shall not be deemed to have made any other representation or warranty in connection with this Agreement or the transactions contemplated hereby. All representations, warranties and covenants of the Operating Partnership contained in this Agreement shall expire at the Closing.

ARTICLE IV

REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES OF THE CONTRIBUTORS

Except as disclosed in the Offering Document or the schedules attached hereto, the Contributor hereby represents and warrants to the Operating Partnership that as of the Closing Date:

Section 4.01 ORGANIZATION; AUTHORITY.

(a) The Contributor has been duly formed, is validly existing and in good standing under the Laws of its jurisdiction of formation, and has all requisite power and authority to enter into this Agreement, each agreement contemplated hereby and the other Formation Transaction Documentation to which it is a party (including any agreement, document and instrument executed and delivered by or on behalf of the Contributor pursuant to this Agreement or the other Formation Transaction Documentation) and to carry out the transactions contemplated hereby and thereby, and to carry on its business as presently conducted. The Contributor, to the extent required under applicable Laws, is qualified to do business and is in good standing in each jurisdiction in which the nature of its business make such qualification necessary, other than such failures to be so qualified as would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Fund Material Adverse Effect.

(b) Schedule 4.01(b) sets forth as of the date hereof with respect to the Contributor (i) each Contributed Entity, (ii) the direct or indirect ownership interest therein of the Contributor, (iii) if not wholly owned by the Contributor, the identity and ownership interest of each of the other owners of such Contributed Entity, (iv) each Contributed Property, (v) the ownership interest therein of the Contributor, (vi) if not wholly owned by the Contributor, the identity and ownership interest of each of the other owners of such Contributed Property. Such Contributed Entity has been duly organized and is validly existing and is in good standing under the Laws of its jurisdiction of organization, and has all requisite power and authority to own, lease and/or operate its Contributed Property and to carry on its business as presently conducted. Such Contributed Entity, to the extent required under applicable Laws, is qualified to do business and is in good standing in each jurisdiction in which the nature of its business or the character of its Contributed Property make such qualification necessary, other than such failures to be so qualified as would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Fund Material Adverse Effect. Except as set forth on Schedule 4.01(b), each of the Contributor and the Contributed Entities does not own any equity or ownership interest in any other Person.

(c) The Operating Partnership has been provided complete and accurate copies of Organizational Documents, as amended through the date hereof, and such Organizational Documents are in full force and effect as of the date hereof and have not been further modified or amended.

Section 4.02 DUE AUTHORIZATION. The execution, delivery and performance by the Contributor of this Agreement and the other Formation Transaction Documentation (including any agreement, document and instrument executed and delivered by or on behalf of the Contributor pursuant to this Agreement or the other Formation Transaction Documentation) to which it is a party have been duly and validly authorized by all necessary actions required of the Contributor. This Agreement, the other Formation Transaction Documentation and each agreement, document and instrument executed and delivered by or on behalf of the Contributor or any Contributed Entity pursuant to this Agreement or the other Formation Transaction Documentation constitutes, or when executed and delivered will constitute, the legal, valid and binding obligation of the Contributor or such Contributed Entity, each enforceable against the Contributor or such Contributed Entity in accordance with its terms, subject to applicable bankruptcy, insolvency, moratorium or other similar Laws relating to creditors' rights and general principles of equity.

Section 4.03 OWNERSHIP OF CONTRIBUTED ASSETS. The Contributor is the sole record owner of all of the Contributed Assets and has the power and authority to transfer, sell, assign and convey to the Operating Partnership the Contributed Assets free and clear of any Liens and, upon delivery of the consideration for the Contributed Assets as provided herein, the Operating Partnership will acquire good and valid title thereto, free and clear of any Liens (other than those Liens created by the Organizational Documents governing Contributed Interests). Except as provided for or contemplated by this Agreement or the other applicable Formation Transaction Documentation, there are no rights to purchase, veto rights with respect to transfers, subscriptions, warrants, options, conversion rights, preemptive rights, agreements, instruments or understandings of any kind outstanding (a) relating to any of the Contributed Assets, (b) related to any of the Contributed Entities or (c) to purchase, transfer or to otherwise acquire, or to in any way encumber, any equity interest in any of the Contributed Entities or any of the Contributed Assets (including, without limitation, any securities or obligations of any kind convertible or exchangeable into any of the interests which comprise Contributed Interests). Except as set forth in the Organizational Documents, none of the Contributor or any of the Contributed Entities is a party to any agreement for the sale of its material assets, for the grant to any Person of any preferential right to purchase any such material assets or the acquisition of any material operating business, material assets or capital stock of any other corporation, entity or business, other than the purchase or sale of assets in the ordinary course of business.

Section 4.04 CONSENTS AND APPROVALS. Except as shall have been obtained or satisfied on or prior to the Closing Date, no consent, waiver, approval, authorization, order, license, permit or registration of, qualification, designation, declaration or filing with, any Person or any Governmental Authority or under any applicable Laws is required to be obtained by the Contributor or any Contributed Entity in connection with the execution, delivery and performance of this Agreement, the other Formation Transaction Documentation to which the Contributor or the Contributed Entities is a party and the transactions contemplated hereby and thereby, except for those consents, waivers, approvals, authorizations, orders, licenses, permits, registrations, qualifications, designations, declarations or filings, the failure of which to obtain or to file would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Fund Material Adverse Effect.

Section 4.05 NO VIOLATION. None of the execution, delivery or performance of this Agreement, any agreement contemplated hereby between the parties to this Agreement and the transactions contemplated hereby between the parties to this Agreement does or will, with or without the giving of notice, lapse of time, or both, violate, conflict with, result in a breach of, or constitute a default under or give to others any right of termination, acceleration, cancellation or other right under, (a) the Organizational Documents of the Contributor or the Contributed Entities, (b) any agreement, document or instrument to which the Contributor or any Contributed Entity is a party or by which the Contributor, any Contributed Entity, any Contributed Property or any of the Contributed Assets are bound by or (c) any term or provision of any judgment, order, writ, injunction, or decree binding on the Contributor (or its assets or properties), any Contributed Entity or any Contributed Property, except for, in the case of clause (b) or (c), any such breaches or defaults that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Fund Material Adverse Effect.

Section 4.06 LICENSES AND PERMITS. All notices, licenses, permits, certificates and authorizations required for the continued use, occupancy, management, leasing and operation of the Contributed Properties have been obtained or can be obtained without material cost, are in full force and effect, are in good standing and (to the extent required in connection with the transactions contemplated by the Formation Transaction Documentation) are assignable to the Operating Partnership, except in each case for items that, if not so obtained, obtainable and/or transferred, would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Fund Material Adverse Effect. Neither the Contributor, nor the Contributed Entities, nor, to the knowledge of the Contributor, any third party has taken any action that (or failed to take any action the omission of which) would result in the revocation of any such notice, license, permit, certificate or authorization where such revocation or revocations would, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Fund Material Adverse Effect, nor has any one of them received any written notice of violation from any Governmental Authority or written notice of the intention of any entity to revoke any such notice, license, permit, certificate or authorization, that in each case has not been cured or otherwise resolved to the satisfaction of such Governmental Authority or other entity and except as would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Fund Material Adverse Effect.

Section 4.07 COMPLIANCE WITH LAWS. The Contributor and the Contributed Entities have conducted their respective businesses in compliance with all applicable Laws, except for such failures that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Fund Material Adverse Effect. Neither the Contributor, nor the Contributed Entities, nor, to the knowledge of the Contributor, any third party are in violation of any Law or has been informed in writing of any continuing violation of any such Laws or that any investigation has been commenced and is continuing or is contemplated respecting any such possible violation, except in each case for violations that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Fund Material Adverse Effect. There has not been committed by the Contributor or the Contributed Entities or, to the knowledge of the Contributor, any other Person in occupancy of or involved with the operation or use of the Properties any act or omission affording the federal government or any other Governmental Authority the right of forfeiture as against any Property or any part thereof.

Section 4.08 CONTRIBUTED PROPERTIES.

(a) Except as set forth in Schedule 4.08(a), the Contributor or a Contributed Entity is the insured under a policy of title insurance as the owner of, and, to the knowledge of the Contributor, the Contributor or a Contributed Entity is the owner of, good marketable and insurable fee simple title (or, in the case of certain Contributed Properties, a tenancy-in-common estate) to the Contributed Property owned by the Contributor or the Contributed Entity, in each case free and clear of all Liens except for Permitted Liens. Prior to the Closing, neither the Contributor nor any of the Contributed Entities shall take or omit to take any action to cause any Lien to attach to any Contributed Property, except for Permitted Liens and Liens, if any, given to secure mortgage indebtedness encumbering such Contributed Property.

(b) Except for matters that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Fund Material Adverse Effect, (1) neither the Contributor nor any of the Contributed Entities nor, to the knowledge of the Contributor, any other party to any material agreement affecting any Property (other than a Lease (as such term is hereinafter defined) for space within such Property), is in breach or default of any such agreement, (2) to the knowledge of the Contributor, no event has occurred or has been threatened in writing, which with or without the passage of time or the giving of notice, or both, would, individually or together with all such other events, constitute a default under any such agreement, or would, individually or together with all such other events, reasonably be expected to cause the acceleration of any material obligation of any party thereto or the creation of a Lien upon any asset of the Contributor or the Contributed Entities, except for Permitted Liens, or otherwise reasonably be expected to have a Fund Material Adverse Effect and (3) all agreements affecting any Property required for the continued use, occupancy, management, leasing and operation of such Property (exclusive of space Leases) are valid and binding and in full force and effect, subject to applicable bankruptcy, insolvency, moratorium or other similar Laws relating to creditors' rights and general principles of equity.

(c) Except for matters that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Fund Material Adverse Effect or that are otherwise disclosed on Schedule 4.08(c), (1) neither the Contributor, nor the Contributed Entities, nor, to the knowledge of the Contributor, any other party to any Lease, is in breach or default of any such Lease, (2) to the knowledge of the Contributor, no event has occurred or has been threatened in writing, which with or without the passage of time or the giving of notice, or both, would, individually or together with all such other events, constitute a default under any Lease or would permit termination, modification or acceleration under such Lease and (3) to the knowledge of the Contributor, each of the leases (and all amendments thereto or modifications thereof) to which the Contributor or the Contributed Entities is a party or by which the Contributor or the Contributed Entities or any Contributed Property is bound or subject (collectively, the "Leases") is valid and binding and in full force and effect, subject to applicable bankruptcy, insolvency, moratorium or other similar Laws relating to creditors' rights and general principles of equity.

Section 4.09 INSURANCE. Each of the Contributor or the Contributed Entities has in place the public liability, casualty and other insurance coverage with respect to each Contributed Property owned, leased and/or managed by it as the Contributor reasonably deems necessary and in all cases including such coverage as is required under the terms of any continuing loan or Lease. Each of the insurance policies with respect to each Contributed Property is in full force and effect in all material respects and all premiums due and payable thereunder have been fully paid when due. To the knowledge of the Contributor, neither the Contributor nor the Contributed Entities have received from any insurance company any notices of cancellation or intent to cancel any insurance.

Section 4.10 ENVIRONMENTAL MATTERS. Except for matters that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Fund Material Adverse Effect, to the knowledge of the Contributor, (A) the Contributor, the Contributed Entities and each Property are in compliance with all Environmental Laws, (B) neither the Contributor nor the Contributed Entities have received any written notice from any Governmental Authority or third party alleging that the Contributor or the Contributed Entities or any Contributed Property is not in compliance with applicable Environmental Laws, and (C) there has not been a release of a hazardous substance on any of the Contributed Properties that would require investigation or remediation under applicable Environmental Laws. The representations and warranties contained in this Section 4.10 constitute the sole and exclusive representations and warranties made by the Contributor concerning environmental matters.

Section 4.11 EMINENT DOMAIN. There is no existing or, to the knowledge of the Contributor, proposed or threatened condemnation, eminent domain or similar proceeding, or private purchase in lieu of such a proceeding which would affect any of the Contributed Properties, except for such proceedings that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Fund Material Adverse Effect.

Section 4.12 EXISTING LOANS. Schedule 4.12 lists, as of the date hereof, all secured loans presently encumbering the Properties or any direct or indirect interest in the Contributor or any Contributed Entities, and any unsecured loans relating thereto to be assumed by the REIT or any Subsidiary of the REIT at Closing (collectively, the “Existing Loans”). Except for matters that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Fund Material Adverse Effect or that are otherwise disclosed on Schedule 4.12, no monetary default (beyond applicable notice and cure periods) by any party exists under any of the Existing Loans and the documents entered into in connection therewith (collectively, the “Existing Loan Documents”) and no non-monetary default (beyond applicable notice and cure periods) by any party exists under any of such Existing Loan Documents.

Section 4.13 FINANCIAL STATEMENTS. The consolidated financial statements of the Contributor and the Contributed Entities included in the Offering Document have been prepared in all material respects in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles applied on a consistent basis during the periods involved (except as may be indicated in the notes thereto), subject, in the case of unaudited statements, to normal year-end audit adjustments, and fairly present in all material respects the financial condition and results of operations of the Contributor and the Contributed Entities as of the dates indicated therein and for the periods ended as indicated therein.

Section 4.14 TAXES.

- (a) Contributor has timely and properly filed (or caused to be timely and properly filed) all Tax Returns required to be filed by it and each Contributed Entity (after giving effect to any filing extension properly granted by a Governmental Authority having authority to do so) and all such Tax Returns are accurate and complete in all material respects;
- (b) Contributor and each Contributed Entity have paid (or have had paid on their behalf) all Taxes as required to be paid by them;
- (c) no income or material non-income Tax Returns filed by Contributor or any Contributed Entity are the subject of a pending or ongoing audit, and
- (d) no deficiencies for any income or material non-income Taxes have been proposed, asserted or assessed against Contributor or any Contributed Entity, and no requests for waivers of the time to assess any such Taxes are pending. Since its formation, for U.S. federal income tax purposes, each of Contributor and each Contributed Entity has been treated as a partnership or as a disregarded entity, and not as a corporation or an association taxable as a corporation.

Section 4.15 LITIGATION. Except for actions, suits or proceedings fully covered by policies of insurance there is no action, suit or proceeding pending or, to the knowledge of the Contributor, threatened against or affecting the Contributor, any of the Contributed Entities or any of the Contributed Properties, or any officer, director, principal, managing member, general partner or Affiliate of any of the foregoing other than actions, suits or proceedings arising in the ordinary course of business from the ownership and operation which, if adversely determined, would not have a Fund Material Adverse Effect. There is no action, suit, or proceeding pending or, to the knowledge of the Contributor, threatened against or affecting the Contributor, any of the Contributed Entities or any officer, director, principal, managing member, general partner or Affiliate of any of the foregoing, which challenges or impairs the ability of the Contributor or any Contributed Entities to execute or deliver, or perform its obligations under this Agreement or any Formation Transaction Documentation or any other documents to be executed by it pursuant to this Agreement or any Formation Transaction Documentation or to consummate the transactions contemplated hereby or thereby. Except for matters fully covered by insurance, there is no judgment, decree, injunction, rule or order of a Governmental Authority outstanding against the Contributor, the Contributed Entities or any officer, director, principal, managing member or general partner of any of the foregoing in their capacity as such which would reasonably be expected to have a Fund Material Adverse Effect. None of the Contributor, the Contributed Entities or any officer, director, principal, managing member, general partner or Affiliate of any of the foregoing has received any written notice of any pending or threatened proceedings for the rezoning (i.e., as opposed to the current zoning) of any Property or any portion thereof which would impair the current or proposed use thereof in a manner that would result in a Fund Material Adverse Effect.

Section 4.16 INSOLVENCY. No attachments, execution proceedings, assignments for the benefit of creditors, insolvency, bankruptcy, reorganization or other proceedings are pending or, to the Contributor's knowledge, threatened against the Contributor, any Contributed Entities or any Contributed Property, nor are any such proceedings contemplated by the Contributor.

Section 4.17 SECURITIES LAW MATTERS. The Contributor acknowledges that: (i) the REIT and Operating Partnership intend the offer and issuance of any REIT Shares or OP Units to the Contributor and any Nominees to be exempt from registration under the Securities Act and applicable state securities laws by virtue of the status of such Contributor and Nominee as an "accredited investor" (within the meaning of Rule 501(a) of Regulation D under the Securities Act) acquiring any REIT Shares or OP Units in a transaction exempt from registration pursuant to Rule 506 of Regulation D under the Securities Act, and (ii) in issuing any REIT Shares or OP Units pursuant to the terms of this Agreement, the REIT and Operating Partnership are relying on the representations made by the Contributor and any Nominee electing to receive REIT Shares or OP Units as consideration in the Contribution, which representations were set forth in Appendix C to the Request for Consent – Accredited Investor Representations Letter.

Section 4.18 NO BROKER. The Contributor has not entered into, and it covenants that it will not enter into, any agreement, arrangement or understanding with any Person or firm which will result in the obligation of the REIT or any Affiliate to pay any finder's fee, brokerage commission or similar payment in connection with the transaction contemplated by this Agreement (other than underwriting discounts, commissions and other fees and expenses to be paid by the REIT in connection with the Offering and any related financing transactions).

Section 4.19 OWNERSHIP OF CERTAIN ASSETS. Except as set forth in Schedule 4.19, neither the Contributor nor any of the Contributed Entities owns any loan assets or other securities of any issuer except for equity interests in other Contributed Entities.

Section 4.20 EMPLOYEES. None of the Contributor or any of the Contributed Entities has or has ever had any employees.

Section 4.21 NO OTHER REPRESENTATIONS OR WARRANTIES. Other than the representations and warranties expressly set forth in this Article IV and any other agreement entered into by the Contributor in connection with the Formation Transactions, the Contributor shall not be deemed to have made any other representation or warranty in connection with this Agreement or the transactions contemplated hereby.

Section 4.22 SURVIVAL OF REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES. The parties hereto agree and acknowledge that the representations and warranties set forth in this Article IV (other than Section 4.01, Section 4.02, Section 4.03, and Section 4.17) shall not survive the Closing.

ARTICLE V

COVENANTS AND OTHER AGREEMENTS

Section 5.01 PRE-CLOSING COVENANTS. During the period from the date hereof to the Closing Date (except as otherwise provided for or contemplated by this Agreement or in connection with the Formation Transactions), the Contributor shall use commercially reasonable efforts to (and shall cause each of the Contributed Entities to) conduct its businesses and operate and maintain the Contributed Properties in the ordinary course of business consistent with past practice, pay its debt obligations as they become due and payable, and use commercially reasonable efforts to preserve intact its current business organizations and preserve its relationships with customers, tenants, suppliers, advertisers and others having business dealings with it, in each case consistent with past practice. In addition, and without limiting the generality of the foregoing, during the period from the date hereof to the Closing Date and except in connection with the Formation Transactions, the Contributor shall not (and shall not permit any of the Contributed Entities to) without the prior written consent of the REIT, which consent may be withheld by the REIT in its sole discretion:

(a) (i) other than distributions to the members of the Contributor in connection with such members' payment of any Taxes related to their ownership of the membership interest of the Contributor or as otherwise contemplated by this Agreement, declare, set aside or pay any dividends or distributions in respect of any Contributed Interests, except in the ordinary course of business consistent with past practice and in accordance with the applicable governing document of the Contributor, (ii) issue or authorize the issuance of any other securities in respect of, in lieu of or in substitution for any Contributed Interests or make any other changes to the equity capital structure of the Contributor or the Contributed Entities, or (iii) purchase, redeem or otherwise acquire any Contributed Interests or interests of the Contributed Entities or any other securities thereof;

(b) other than in accordance with Section 4.08(a), issue, deliver, sell, transfer, dispose, mortgage, pledge, assign or otherwise encumber, or cause the issuance, delivery, sale, transfer, disposition, mortgage, pledge, assignment or otherwise encumbrance of, any limited liability company, partnership interests or other equity interests of the Contributor or of the Contributed Entities or any other assets of the Contributor or the Contributed Entities;

(c) amend, modify or terminate any lease, contract or other instruments relating to a Contributed Property, except in the ordinary course of business consistent with past practice;

(d) amend its certificate of formation and limited liability company agreement;

(e) adopt a plan of liquidation, dissolution, merger, consolidation, restructuring, recapitalization or reorganization;

(f) materially alter the manner of keeping the Contributor's or the Contributed Entities' books, accounts or records or the accounting practices therein reflected;

(g) file an entity classification election pursuant to Treasury Regulation Section 301.7701-3(c) on Internal Revenue Service Form 8832 (Entity Classification Election) to treat the Contributor or any Contributed Entity as an association taxable as a corporation for United States federal income tax purposes; make or change any other Tax elections; settle or compromise any claim, notice, audit report or assessment in respect of Taxes; change any annual

Tax accounting period; adopt or change any method of Tax accounting; file any amended Tax Return; enter into any tax allocation agreement, tax sharing agreement, tax indemnity agreement or closing agreement relating to any Tax; surrender of any right to claim a Tax refund; or consent to any extension or waiver of the statute of limitations period applicable to any Tax claim or assessment;

(h) terminate or amend any existing insurance policies affecting any Contributed Property that results in a material reduction in insurance coverage for such Contributed Property;

(i) knowingly cause or permit the Contributor or any Contributed Entity to violate, or fail to use commercially reasonable efforts to cure any violation of, any applicable Laws;

(j) take any action or fail to take any action the result of which would have a Fund Material Adverse Effect; or

(k) authorize, commit or agree to take any of the foregoing actions.

Section 5.02 COMMERCIALY REASONABLE EFFORTS BY THE OPERATING PARTNERSHIP AND THE CONTRIBUTOR. Each of the Operating Partnership and the Contributor shall use commercially reasonable efforts and cooperate with each other in (a) promptly determining whether any filings are required to be made or consents, approvals, waivers, permits or authorizations are required to be obtained (under any applicable Law or regulation or from any Governmental Authority or third party) in connection with the transactions contemplated by this Agreement, and (b) promptly making (or causing to be made) any such filings, in furnishing information required in connection therewith and in timely seeking to obtain any such consents, approvals, waivers, permits and authorizations.

Section 5.03 TAX MATTERS.

(a) So long as some portion of the Contribution Consideration is in the form of OP Units, the parties hereto intend and agree that, for United States federal income tax purposes, the transactions contemplated by this Agreement shall constitute an “assets-over” partnership merger within the meaning of Treasury Regulations Section 1.708-1(c)(3)(i) pursuant to which the Contributor contributes all of its assets and liabilities to the Operating Partnership in exchange for OP Units in a transaction qualifying under Section 721(a) of the Code and immediately thereafter, the Contributor distributes such OP Units to the Nominees. As a result, (i) in accordance with Treasury Regulations Section 1.708-1(c)(4), any payment of cash or REIT Shares attributable to a Nominee shall be treated as a sale by such Nominee of its interests in the Contributor and a purchase of such interests by the Operating Partnership for the cash and/or REIT Shares so paid under the terms of this Agreement, and (ii) Contributor shall cause each such Nominee who receives cash and/or REIT Shares to explicitly agree and consent (the “Sale Consent”) to such treatment in their Consent Forms as a condition to electing such consideration. To the extent the Operating Partnership acquires any interests in the Contributor as described in clause (i) above, or otherwise previously acquired any such interests, for United States federal income tax purposes the receipt by the Operating Partnership of the portion of property

attributable to such interests shall be treated as a distribution by the Contributor in redemption of such interests. Notwithstanding Section 1.02 and any Nominee's election as to the form of its Contribution Consideration, if any Nominee (other than a non-Accredited Investor), fails to execute a Sale Consent prior to the Closing, such Nominee's Contribution Consideration shall consist solely of OP Units. Notwithstanding Sections 1.03 and 2.03(a), any cash paid as the Contribution Consideration shall be paid only after the receipt of a Sale Consent from such Nominee.

(b) All transfer, stamp, documentary, sales, use, registration, value-added and other similar Taxes (including all applicable real estate transfer Taxes) incurred in connection with this Agreement and the transactions contemplated hereby ("Transfer Taxes") will be borne by the Operating Partnership. The parties agree, upon request, to use commercially reasonable efforts to obtain any certificate or other document from any Governmental Authority or any other Person as may be necessary to mitigate, reduce or eliminate any Transfer Taxes that could be imposed in connection with the transactions contemplated hereby.

(c) The Contributor shall timely file or cause to be timely filed when due all income Tax Returns required to be filed by the Contributor and shall pay or cause to be paid all income Taxes required to be paid.

(d) The Operating Partnership shall prepare or cause to be prepared and file or cause to be filed all other Tax Returns of the Contributor and all Tax Returns of each Contributed Entity which are due after the Closing Date. All such Tax Returns shall be prepared in a manner consistent with past practice, except as otherwise required by applicable law.

(e) The REIT, the Operating Partnership and the Contributor shall cooperate fully, as and to the extent reasonably requested by the other party, in connection with the filing of Tax Returns related to the transactions pursuant to this Agreement and any audit, litigation or administrative, judicial or other inquiry or proceeding with respect to Taxes related to the transactions pursuant to this Agreement. Such cooperation shall include the retention and (upon the other party's request) the provision of records and information which are reasonably relevant to any such action or other proceeding and making employees available on a mutually convenient basis to provide additional information and explanation of any material provided hereunder. The REIT, the Operating Partnership and the Contributor further agree, upon request, to use their reasonable efforts to obtain any certificate or other document from any governmental authority or any other Person as may be necessary to mitigate, reduce or eliminate any Tax that could be imposed with respect to the transactions contemplated hereby.

(f) Prior to Closing, the Contributor shall deliver to the Operating Partnership a properly executed certificate prepared in accordance with Treasury regulations section 1.1445-2(b) certifying the Contributor's non-foreign status, and if requested by the Operating Partnership, and any similar withholding certificates or other forms under applicable state, local or foreign Tax laws.

(g) The REIT and the Operating Partnership make no representations or warranties to the Contributor, the Nominees or to the Rexford Entities regarding the Tax treatment of the contributions pursuant to this Agreement or of the other Formation Transactions,

or with respect to any other Tax consequences to the Contributor or any Contributed Entity of this Agreement or the other Formation Transactions. The Contributor acknowledges that each Contributed Entity, the Contributor and the Nominees are relying solely on their own Tax advisors in connection with this Agreement and the other Formation Transactions.

Section 5.04 CONSENT AND WAIVER OF RIGHTS UNDER ORGANIZATIONAL DOCUMENTS. As of the Closing, the Contributor, on its own behalf and, to the extent permitted to do so pursuant to a Consent Form or otherwise, on behalf of each Nominee, waives and relinquishes all rights and benefits otherwise afforded to the Contributor and such Nominees (a) under the Organizational Documents of the Contributed Entities including, without limitation, any rights of appraisal, rights of first offer or first refusal, buy/sell agreements, put, option, or similar parallel exit or dissenter rights in connection with the Formation Transactions and the Offering, and any right to consent to or approve of the sale or contribution or other transaction undertaken by the other equity holders of the Contributed Entities of the Contributed Assets to the Operating Partnership, the REIT or any Affiliate thereof and any and all notice provisions related thereto, (b) to the extent permissible under applicable Laws, any statutory rights with respect to the Contributed Assets or the Contributed Entities and (c) for claims against the REIT or the Operating Partnership for breach by any of their respective present or former officers, directors, managing members, general partners or Affiliates of their fiduciary duties or similar obligations (including duties of disclosure) to any of their respective present or former shareholders, members, partners, equity interest holders or Affiliates or the terms of any applicable Organizational Documents. The Contributor acknowledges, on its own behalf and, to the extent permitted to do so pursuant to a Consent Form or otherwise, on behalf of each Nominee, that the agreements contained herein and the transactions contemplated hereby and any actions taken in contemplation of the transactions contemplated hereby may conflict with, and may not have been contemplated by, the Organizational Documents of any Contributed Entity or other agreements among one or more holders of Contributed Assets or one or more of the partners or members of any Contributed Entity. With respect to each Contributed Entity and each Contributed Property, the Contributor expressly gives, on its own behalf and, to the extent permitted to do so pursuant to a Consent Form or otherwise, on behalf of each Nominee, all consents (and any consents necessary to authorize the proper parties in interest to give all consents) and waivers it is entitled to give that are necessary or desirable to facilitate the contribution or other Formation Transactions relating to such Contributed Entity or Contributed Property. In addition, the Contributor agrees, on its own behalf and, to the extent permitted to do so pursuant to a Consent Form or otherwise, on behalf of each Nominee, that if the transactions contemplated hereby occur, this Agreement shall be deemed to be an amendment to the Organizational Documents of the applicable Contributed Entity to the extent the terms herein conflict with the terms thereof, including without limitation, terms with respect to allocations, distributions and the like. In the event the transactions contemplated by this Agreement do not occur, nothing in this Agreement shall be deemed to be or construed as an amendment or modification of, or commitment of any kind to amend or modify, the Organizational Documents of any Contributed Entity, which shall remain in full force and effect without modification.

Section 5.05 EXCLUDED ASSETS. Prior to the Closing and after such amounts are reasonably determined, the Contributor and the Contributed Entities shall distribute or cause to be distributed or paid out the Excluded Assets identified on Schedule 5.05.

Section 5.06 ALTERNATE TRANSACTION. In the event that the REIT determines that a structure change is necessary, advisable or desirable, the REIT may elect, in its sole and absolute discretion, to effect an Alternate Transaction (subject to the limitations in the definition thereof), without the need for the REIT to seek any further consent or action from the Contributor or any Nominee, and the Contributor shall, and it shall cause its members and Subsidiaries to, enter into such agreements as shall be necessary to consummate the Alternate Transaction. Without limiting the foregoing, in the event that all members of the Contributor return duly executed and completed Consent Forms approving the Formation Transactions, then, in lieu of this Agreement, the REIT may elect to cause the Contributor to enter into an agreement and plan of merger with the Operating Partnership pursuant to which the Contributor will merge with and into the Operating Partnership and the membership interests in the Contributor will be converted automatically into the right to receive cash, REIT Shares and/or OP Units. In the event that an Alternate Transaction is used to effect the transactions contemplated by this Agreement, then the REIT may elect to terminate this Agreement without any liability or obligation to any Person.

Section 5.07 ELIMINATED ASSETS. The parties hereby agree that the Operating Partnership shall have the right, in its sole discretion, to exclude any Contributed Asset, or any interest held directly or indirectly through a Contributed Asset (the "Eliminated Assets"), from this contribution after the date hereof until the Closing, provided that the Operating Partnership shall provide prior written notice to the Contributor regarding such exclusion. Immediately prior to the Closing and after such amounts are reasonably determined, the Contributor and each Contributed Entity shall distribute or cause to be distributed or paid out the Eliminated Assets.

ARTICLE VI

GENERAL PROVISIONS

Section 6.01 NOTICES. All notices and other communications under this Agreement shall be in writing and shall be deemed given when (a) delivered personally, (b) five (5) Business Days after being mailed by certified mail, return receipt requested and postage prepaid, (c) one (1) Business Day after being sent by a nationally recognized overnight courier or (d) transmitted by facsimile if confirmed within twenty-four (24) hours thereafter by a signed original sent in the manner provided in clause (a), (b) or (c) to the parties at the following addresses (or at such other address for a party as shall be specified by notice from such party):

- (a) if to the REIT or the Operating Partnership, to:

Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc.
11620 Wilshire Boulevard, Suite 300
Los Angeles, CA 90025
Facsimile: (310) 966-1690
Attention: Howard Schwimmer and Michael S. Frankel

(b) if to the Contributor:

c/o Rexford Industrial, LLC
11620 Wilshire Boulevard, Suite 300
Los Angeles, CA 90025
Facsimile: (310) 966-1690
Attention: Howard Schwimmer and Michael S. Frankel

Section 6.02 DEFINITIONS. For purposes of this Agreement, the following terms shall have the following meanings.

(a) “Accredited Investor” has the meaning set forth under Regulation D of the Securities Act.

(b) “Affiliate” means, with respect to any Person, a Person that, directly or indirectly, through one or more intermediaries, controls, is controlled by, or is under common control with the specified Person. For the purposes of this definition, “control” (including, with correlative meanings, the terms “controlled by” and “under common control with”) as used with respect to any Person, shall mean the possession, directly or indirectly, of the power to direct or cause the direction of the management or policies of such Person, whether through the ownership of voting securities, by agreement or otherwise.

(c) “Allocated Share” means an amount of Contribution Consideration that would be distributed to a Pre-Formation Participant as a Nominee of the Contributor in accordance with the provisions of the Contributor’s Organizational Documents relating to distributions of distributable net proceeds from sales of directly or indirectly owned properties or assets, and assuming the sale of the relevant Target Asset or Target Assets that are directly or indirectly owned by such entity for a value equal to such Target Asset’s or Target Assets’ respective Equity Value(s).

(d) “Alternate Transaction” means any transaction structure, other than that contemplated by this Agreement, pursuant to which the REIT, the Operating Partnership or any of their Subsidiaries acquire all or a portion of the interests in the Contributor or the Contributed Assets or the assets held directly or indirectly by the applicable Rexford Entities in a transaction pursuant to which the Contributor and/or the Nominees receive the amount of cash, the number of OP Units and/or the number of REIT Shares that were to be received by the Contributor and/or the Nominees pursuant to this Agreement (or a portion thereof equal in value to the value of the portion of such assets acquired by the REIT, the Operating Partnership or any of their Subsidiaries pursuant to such Alternate Transaction); *provided*, that such structure will not (i) result in a breach of the Contributor’s or any applicable Contributed Entity’s governing documents and (ii) would not give rise to dissenters’ or appraisal rights by the members of the Contributor, unless such rights have fully waived by all such members in the Consent Forms.

(e) “Assignment and Assumption of Assumed Contracts” means that certain Assignment and Assumption of Assumed Contracts, dated as of the Closing Date and executed by the parties thereto, substantially in the form attached hereto as Exhibit G.

(f) “Assignment and Assumption of Membership Interests” means that certain Assignment and Assumption of Membership Interests, dated as of the Closing Date and executed by the parties thereto, substantially in the form attached hereto as Exhibit H.

(g) “Assumed Contracts” means all contracts, agreements, commitments, understandings and licenses of the Contributor.

(h) “Assumed Liabilities” means any direct or indirect liability, indebtedness, obligation, commitment, expense, claim, deficiency, guaranty or endorsement of or by the Contributor of any type, whether accrued, absolute, contingent, matured, unmatured, known or unknown or otherwise, including, without limitation, all such liabilities, whether past, currently existing or hereafter arising, relating to the ownership of Contributed Assets or the businesses conducted with such Contributed Assets.

(i) “Assumption of Assumed Liabilities” means that certain Assumption of Assumed Liabilities, dated as of the Closing Date and executed by the parties thereto, substantially in the form attached hereto as Exhibit I.

(j) “Bill of Sale” means that certain Bill of Sale, dated as of the Closing Date and executed by the parties thereto, substantially in the form attached hereto as Exhibit J.

(k) “Business Day” means any day that is not a Saturday, Sunday or legal holiday in the State of California.

(l) “Code” means the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, together with the rules and regulations promulgated or issued thereunder.

(m) “Consent Form” means the form provided to each holder of Pre-Formation Interests to consent to the Formation Transactions and to make such holder’s irrevocable elections with respect to consideration to be received by such holder (as Nominee or otherwise) in the Formation Transactions.

(n) “Contributed Assets” means, other than the Excluded Assets, all of the Contributor’s right, title and interest in, under and to all of the assets, properties and rights of the Contributor of every kind, nature and description, whether such assets, properties and rights are real, personal or mixed, tangible or intangible, including without limitation:

(i) the Contributor’s Contributed Interests;

(ii) cash and cash equivalents;

(iii) all accounts or notes receivable held by the Contributor, and any security, claim, remedy or other right related to any of the foregoing;

(iv) all inventory, finished goods, raw materials, work in progress, packaging, supplies, parts and other inventories;

(v) the Assumed Contracts;

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- (vi) all Intellectual Property Assets;
- (vii) all furniture, fixtures, equipment, machinery, tools, vehicles, office equipment, supplies, computers, telephones and other tangible personal property;
- (viii) all permits, including environmental permits, which are held by the Contributor and required for the conduct of the Contributor's business as currently conducted or for the ownership and use of the Contributed Assets;
- (ix) all rights to any actions, claims or suits of any nature available to or being pursued by the Contributor to the extent related to the Contributor's business, the Contributed Assets or the Assumed Liabilities, whether arising by way of counterclaim or otherwise;
- (x) all prepaid expenses, credits, advance payments, claims, security, refunds, rights of recovery, rights of set-off, rights of recoupment, deposits, charges, sums and fees (including any such item relating to the payment of taxes);
- (xi) all of the Contributor's rights under warranties, indemnities and all similar rights against third parties to the extent related to any Contributed Assets;
- (xii) all insurance benefits, including rights and proceeds, arising from or relating to the Contributor's business, the Contributed Assets or the Assumed Liabilities;
- (xiii) originals, or where not available, copies, of all books and records, including, but not limited to, books of account, ledgers and general, financial and accounting records, machinery and equipment maintenance files, customer and tenant data, other records and data (including all correspondence with any Governmental Authority), strategic plans, internal financial statements, marketing and promotional surveys, and other similar documents and data; and
- (xiv) all goodwill and the going concern value of the Contributor's business.
- (o) "Contributed Properties" means all Properties owned directly or indirectly, in whole or in part, by the Contributed Entities, as identified on Schedule 4.01(b).
- (p) "Elected OP Unit Percentage" means, with respect to the Contribution Consideration to be received by any Nominee, the percentage of the Allocated Share that the Nominee has made a Valid Election to receive in the form of OP Units.
- (q) "Elected REIT Share Percentage" means, with respect to the Contribution Consideration to be received by any Nominee, the percentage of the Allocated Share that the Nominee has made a Valid Election to receive in the form of REIT Shares.
- (r) "Entity Specific Debt" has the meaning set forth in Schedule 6.02(e) hereto.

(s) “Environmental Laws” means all federal, state and local Laws governing pollution or the protection of human health or the environment.

(t) “Equity Value” has the meaning set forth in Schedule 6.02(c) hereto.

(u) “Excluded Assets” means (i) the assets identified on Schedule 5.05 and (ii) any interest excluded from the contribution hereunder in accordance with Section 5.07.

(v) “Formation Transaction Documentation” means all of the agreements (including this Agreement) and related documents substantially in the forms accompanying the Request for Consent dated February 22, 2013 and identified in Exhibit K hereto, pursuant to which all of the Rexford Entities and/or the Pre-Formation Interests are to be acquired by the REIT or the Operating Partnership, directly or indirectly, as part of the Formation Transactions.

(w) “Formation Transactions” means the transactions contemplated by this Agreement and the other Formation Transaction Documentation.

(x) “Fund Material Adverse Effect” means any material adverse change in the assets, business, condition (financial or otherwise), results of operation or prospects of the Contributor, the Contributed Entities or Contributed Properties, taken as a whole.

(y) “Fund V Subsequent Investment Amount” has the meaning set forth in Schedule 6.02(c) hereto.

(z) “Governmental Authority” means any government or agency, bureau, board, commission, court, department, official, political subdivision, tribunal or other instrumentality of any government, whether federal, state or local, domestic or foreign.

(aa) “Intellectual Property” means all of the following and similar intangible property and related proprietary rights, interests and protections, however arising, pursuant to the Laws of any jurisdiction throughout the world: (a) trademarks, service marks, trade names, brand names, logos, trade dress and other proprietary indicia of goods and services, whether registered or unregistered, and all registrations and applications for registration of such trademarks, including intent-to-use applications, all issuances, extensions and renewals of such registrations and applications and the goodwill connected with the use of and symbolized by any of the foregoing; (b) internet domain names, whether or not trademarks, registered in any top-level domain by any authorized private registrar or Governmental Authority; (c) original works of authorship in any medium of expression, whether or not published, all copyrights (whether registered or unregistered), all registrations and applications for registration of such copyrights, and all issuances, extensions and renewals of such registrations and applications; (d) confidential or proprietary information, formulas, designs, devices, technology, know-how, research and development, inventions, methods, processes, compositions and other trade secrets, whether or not patentable and whether or not the foregoing has been reduced to a writing or other tangible form, and all improvements, documents and things embodying, incorporating, or referring in any way to the foregoing; (e) patented and patentable designs and inventions, all design, plant and utility patents, letters patent, utility models, pending patent applications and provisional applications and all issuances, divisions, continuations, continuations-in-part, reissues, extensions, reexaminations and renewals of such patents and applications; (f) all other

intellectual property and proprietary rights, of every kind and nature throughout the world and however designated in all media in existence now or hereafter developed (including without limitation, moral rights, character rights, publicity rights, privacy rights and “rental” rights), whether arising by operation of law, contract, license or otherwise; and (g) all rights to sue and recover and retain damages, costs and attorneys’ fees for past, present and future infringement, misappropriation, or other unauthorized use, and any other rights relating to any of the foregoing.

(bb) “Intellectual Property Assets” means all Intellectual Property of the Contributor.

(cc) “Interim Period” has the meaning set forth in Schedule 6.02(c) hereto.

(dd) “Laws” means laws, statutes, rules, regulations, codes, orders, ordinances, judgments, injunctions, decrees and policies of any Governmental Authority, including, without limitation, zoning, land use or other similar rules or ordinances.

(ee) “Liens” means all pledges, claims, liens, charges, restrictions, controls, easements, rights of way, exceptions, reservations, leases, licenses, grants, covenants and conditions, encumbrances and security interests of any kind or nature whatsoever.

(ff) “Lock-Up Agreement” means that certain Lock-Up Agreement, by and between the underwriters and each investor of the REIT and/or the Operating Partnership.

(gg) “Management Companies” means, collectively RIF V Manager, Sponsor, and RI LLC.

(hh) “Offering Closing Date” means the closing date of the Offering.

(ii) “Offering Document” means either (i) in the event the REIT undertakes a public Offering, the REIT’s final prospectus as filed with the SEC; or (ii) in the event the REIT undertakes a private Offering, the REIT’s final offering memorandum (together with any supplements and amendments thereto) used in the Offering.

(jj) “Offering Price” means the initial offering price of a REIT Share in the Offering.

(kk) “OP Material Adverse Effect” means any material adverse change in any of the assets, business, condition (financial or otherwise), results of operation or prospects of the Operating Partnership and each Operating Partnership Subsidiary, taken as a whole.

(ll) “Organizational Documents” means the certificate of formation, certificate of incorporation and bylaws, certificate of limited partnership and limited partnership agreement, limited liability company agreement or operating agreement, of the Contributor or the applicable Contributed Entity.

(mm) "Permitted Liens" means (i) Liens, or deposits made to secure the release of such Liens, securing Taxes, the payment of which is not delinquent or the payment of which (including, without limitation, the amount or validity thereof) is being contested in good faith by appropriate proceedings for which adequate reserves have been made in accordance with GAAP; (ii) zoning, entitlement, building and other land use Laws imposed by Governmental Authorities having jurisdiction over the Contributed Properties; (iii) covenants, conditions, restrictions, easements for public utilities, encroachments, rights of access or other non-monetary matters that do not materially impair the use of the Contributed Properties for the purposes for which they are currently being used or proposed to be used in connection with the relevant Person's business; (iv) Liens securing financing or credit arrangements existing as of the Closing Date; (v) Liens arising under Leases in effect as of the Closing Date; (vi) any exceptions contained in any title policy (including any policy issued to a secured lender) relating to the Contributed Properties as of the Closing Date; and (vii) mechanics', carriers', workers', repairers' and similar Liens arising or incurred in the ordinary course of business that are not yet due and payable or the payment of which (including, without limitation, the amount or validity thereof) is being contested in good faith by appropriate proceedings for which adequate reserves have been made in accordance with GAAP, and which are not, in the aggregate, material to the business, operations and financial condition of the Contributed Properties so encumbered.

(nn) "Person" means an individual, corporation, partnership, limited liability company, joint venture, association, trust, unincorporated organization or other entity.

(oo) "Pre-Formation Interests" means the equity interests directly or indirectly held by the Pre-Formation Participants in the Rexford Entities and in the "Rexford Properties" as defined in that certain Confidential Request for Consent and Investment Election dated February 22, 2013.

(pp) "Pre-Formation Participants" means the holders of the equity interests in the relevant RIF Fund Entity and the Management Companies immediately prior to the Formation Transactions, and shall include any other Person contributing any interest or Property to the REIT, the Operating Partnership or any Subsidiary thereof in the Formation Transactions.

(qq) "Properties" means the real properties owned directly or indirectly, in whole or in part, by the Rexford Entities.

(rr) "Registration Rights Agreement" means that certain Registration Rights Agreement, by and among the REIT, the Operating Partnership and the parties identified as a signatory on Schedule A thereto.

(ss) "Rexford Entity" means a RIF Fund Entity, the Management Companies and each of their respective Subsidiaries, as applicable. As used herein, "Rexford Entities" refer to each Rexford Entity, collectively.

(tt) "Securities Act" means the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder.

(uu) "Subsidiary" of any Person means any corporation, partnership, limited liability company, joint venture, trust or other legal entity of which such Person owns (either directly or through or together with another Subsidiary of such Person) either (i) a general partner, managing member or other similar interest, or (ii)(A) ten percent (10%) or more of the voting power of the voting capital stock or other equity interests, or (B) ten percent (10%) or more of the outstanding voting capital stock or other voting equity interests of such corporation, partnership, limited liability company, joint venture or other legal entity.

(vv) “Target Asset” has the meaning set forth in Schedule 6.02(c) hereto.

(ww) “Tax” means all federal, state, local and foreign income, gross receipts, license, property, withholding, sales, franchise, employment, payroll, goods and services, stamp, environmental, customs duties, capital stock, social security, transfer, alternative minimum, excise and other taxes, tariffs or governmental charges of any nature whatsoever, including estimated taxes, together with penalties, interest or additions to Tax with respect thereto, whether or not disputed.

(xx) “Tax Matters Agreement” means that certain Tax Matters Agreement, by and among the REIT, the Operating Partnership and the other parties identified as signatories therein.

(yy) “Tax Return” means any return, declaration, report, claim for refund, or information return or statement relating to Taxes, including any schedule or attachment thereto, and including any amendment thereof.

(zz) “Valid Election” means, with respect to any Nominee, an irrevocable election to receive all or a portion of its Allocated Share in the form of OP Units or REIT Shares as indicated on the properly completed and timely received Consent Form of the Nominee or a Consent Form as to which any deficiencies have been waived by the REIT.

Section 6.03 COUNTERPARTS. This Agreement may be executed in counterparts, all of which shall be considered one and the same agreement and shall become effective when one or more counterparts have been signed by each party and delivered to each other party.

Section 6.04 ENTIRE AGREEMENT; THIRD-PARTY BENEFICIARIES. This Agreement, the other Formation Transaction Documentation and the Consent Forms to which the Nominees are a party, including, without limitation, the exhibits and schedules hereto and thereto, constitute the entire agreement and, except as set forth in Section 2.05, supersede each prior agreement and understanding, whether written or oral, among the parties regarding the subject matter of this Agreement. This Agreement is not intended to confer any rights or remedies on any Person (including any Nominee) other than the parties hereto.

Section 6.05 GOVERNING LAW. This Agreement shall be governed by, and construed in accordance with, the Laws of the State of California, regardless of any Laws that might otherwise govern under applicable principles of conflicts of laws thereof.

Section 6.06 ASSIGNMENT. This Agreement shall be binding upon, and shall be enforceable by and inure to the benefit of, the parties hereto and their respective heirs, legal representatives, successors and assigns; *provided, however*, that this Agreement may not be assigned (except by operation of law) by any party without the prior written consent of the other parties, and any attempted assignment without such consent shall be null and void and of no force and effect, except that the Operating Partnership may assign its rights and obligations hereunder to an Affiliate.

Section 6.07 JURISDICTION. The parties hereto hereby (a) submit to the exclusive jurisdiction of any state or federal court sitting in the County of Los Angeles, with respect to any dispute arising out of this Agreement or any transaction contemplated hereby to the extent such courts would have subject matter jurisdiction with respect to such dispute and (b) irrevocably waive, and agree not to assert by way of motion, defense, or otherwise, in any such action, any claim that it is not subject personally to the jurisdiction of the above-named courts, that its property is exempt or immune from attachment or execution, that the action is brought in an inconvenient forum, or that the venue of the action is improper.

Section 6.08 DISPUTE RESOLUTION. The parties intend that this Section 6.08 will be valid, binding, enforceable, exclusive and irrevocable and that it shall survive any termination of this Agreement.

(a) Upon any dispute, controversy or claim arising out of or relating to this Agreement or the enforcement, breach, termination or validity thereof (“Dispute”), the party raising the Dispute will give written notice to the other parties to the Dispute describing the nature of the Dispute following which the parties to such Dispute shall attempt for a period of ten (10) Business Days from receipt by the parties of notice of such Dispute to resolve such Dispute by negotiation between representatives of the parties hereto who have authority to settle such Dispute. All such negotiations shall be confidential and any statements or offers made therein shall be treated as compromise and settlement negotiations for purposes of any applicable rules of evidence and shall not be admissible as evidence in any subsequent proceeding for any purpose. The statute of limitations applicable to the commencement of a lawsuit shall apply to the commencement of an arbitration hereunder, except that no defense based on the running of the statute of limitations will be available based upon the passage of time during any such negotiation. Regardless of the foregoing, a party shall have the right to seek immediate injunctive relief pursuant to Section 6.08(c), below without regard to any such ten (10) Business Day negotiation period.

(b) Any Dispute (including the determination of the scope or applicability of this agreement to arbitrate) that is not resolved pursuant to Section 6.08(a) above shall be submitted to final and binding arbitration in California before one neutral and impartial arbitrator, in accordance with the Laws of the State of California for agreements made in and to be performed in that State. The arbitration shall be administered by JAMS, Inc. (“JAMS”) pursuant to its Comprehensive Arbitration Rules and Procedures, as in effect on the date hereof. Each of the REIT and the Operating Partnership, on the one hand, and the Contributor, on the other hand, shall appoint one arbitrator within fifteen (15) days of a demand for arbitration. If the REIT and the Operating Partnership and the Contributor cannot mutually agree upon an arbitrator within such 15-day period, the arbitrator shall be appointed by JAMS in accordance with its Comprehensive Arbitration Rules and Procedures, as in effect on the date hereof. The arbitrator shall designate the place and time of the hearing. The hearing shall be scheduled to begin as soon as practicable and no later than sixty (60) days after the appointment of the arbitrator (unless such period is extended by the arbitrator for good cause shown) and shall be conducted as expeditiously as possible. The award, which shall set forth the arbitrator’s findings of fact and conclusions of law, shall be filed with JAMS and mailed to the parties no later than thirty (30) days after the close of the arbitration hearing. The arbitration award shall be final and binding on the parties and not subject to collateral attack. Judgment upon the arbitration award may be entered in any federal or state court having jurisdiction thereof.

(c) Notwithstanding the parties' agreement to submit all Disputes to final and binding arbitration before JAMS, the parties shall have the right to seek and obtain temporary or preliminary injunctive relief in any court having jurisdiction thereof. Such courts shall have authority to, among other things, grant temporary or provisional injunctive relief in order to protect any party's rights under this Agreement. Without prejudice to such provisional remedies as may be available under the jurisdiction of a court, the arbitral tribunal shall have full authority to grant provisional remedies and to direct the parties to request that any court modify or vacate any temporary or preliminary relief issued by such court, and to award damages for the failure of any party to respect the arbitral tribunal's orders to that effect.

(d) The prevailing party shall be entitled to recover its costs and reasonable attorneys' fees, and the non-prevailing party shall pay all expenses and fees of JAMS, all costs of the stenographic record, all expenses of witnesses or proofs that may have been produced at the direction of the arbitrator, and the fees, costs, and expenses of the arbitrator. The arbitrator shall allocate such costs and designate the prevailing party or parties for these purposes.

Section 6.09 SEVERABILITY. Each provision of this Agreement will be interpreted so as to be effective and valid under applicable Law, but if any provision is held invalid, illegal or unenforceable under applicable Law in any jurisdiction, then such invalidity, illegality or unenforceability will not affect any other provision, and this Agreement will be reformed, construed and enforced in such jurisdiction as if such invalid, illegal or unenforceable provision had never been included herein.

Section 6.10 RULES OF CONSTRUCTION.

(a) The parties hereto agree that they have had the opportunity to be represented by counsel during the negotiation, preparation and execution of this Agreement and, therefore, waive the application of any Law, regulation, holding or rule of construction providing that ambiguities in an agreement or other document will be construed against the party drafting such agreement or document.

(b) The words "hereof," "herein" and "herewith" and words of similar import shall, unless otherwise stated, be construed to refer to this Agreement as a whole and not to any particular provision of this Agreement, and article, section, paragraph, exhibit and schedule references are to the articles, sections, paragraphs, exhibits and schedules of this Agreement unless otherwise specified. Whenever the words "include," "includes" or "including" are used in this Agreement, they shall be deemed to be followed by the words "without limitation." All terms defined in this Agreement shall have the defined meanings contained herein when used in any certificate or other document made or delivered pursuant hereto unless otherwise defined therein. The definitions contained in this Agreement are applicable to the singular as well as the plural forms of such terms and to the masculine as well as to the feminine and neuter genders of such terms. Unless explicitly stated otherwise herein, any agreement, instrument or statute defined or referred to herein or in any agreement or instrument that is referred to herein means such agreement, instrument or statute as from time to time, amended, qualified or supplemented,

including (in the case of agreements and instruments) by waiver or consent and (in the case of statutes) by succession of comparable successor statutes and all attachments thereto and instruments incorporated therein. References to a Person are also to its permitted successors and assigns.

Section 6.11 EQUITABLE REMEDIES. The parties agree that irreparable damage would occur to the Operating Partnership in the event that any of the provisions of this Agreement were not performed in accordance with their specific terms or were otherwise breached. It is accordingly agreed that the Operating Partnership shall be entitled to an injunction or injunctions to prevent breaches of this Agreement by a Contributor and to enforce specifically the terms and provisions hereof in any federal or state court located in California, this being in addition to any other remedy to which the Operating Partnership is entitled under this Agreement or otherwise at law or in equity.

Section 6.12 TIME OF THE ESSENCE. Time is of the essence with respect to all obligations under this Agreement.

Section 6.13 DESCRIPTIVE HEADINGS. The descriptive headings herein are inserted for convenience only and are not intended to be part of or to affect the meaning or interpretation of this Agreement.

Section 6.14 NO PERSONAL LIABILITY CONFERRED. This Agreement shall not create or permit any personal liability or obligation on the part of any officer, director, partner, employee or shareholder of the Operating Partnership or the Contributor.

Section 6.15 CONSENT OF PARTNER, MANAGER or MEMBER. In accordance with the terms of certain of the agreements governing the Contributed Interests, the undersigned, in its capacity as a partner, manager or member of one or more of the Contributed Entities, consents to the applicable transfers contemplated in Section 1.01 hereof and the admission of the Operating Partnership as a substituted partner or member in each applicable Contributed Entity and waives any right of first refusal which the undersigned has with respect to the transfer of any of the Contributed Interests to the Operating Partnership.

Section 6.16 WAIVER OF SECTION 1542 PROTECTIONS. As of the Closing Date, each of the parties hereto expressly acknowledges that it has had, or has had and waived, the opportunity to be advised by independent legal counsel and hereby waives and relinquishes all rights and benefits afforded by Section 1542 of the California Civil Code and does so understanding and acknowledging the significance and consequence of such specific waiver of Section 1542 which provides:

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

Section 6.17 AMENDMENTS. This Agreement may be amended by appropriate instrument, without the consent of the Contributor, at any time prior to the Closing Date; *provided*, that no such amendment, modification or supplement shall be made that alters the amount or changes the form of the consideration to be delivered to the Contributor, without the prior written consent of the Contributor.

[SIGNATURE PAGES FOLLOW]

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have caused this Agreement to be signed by their respective duly authorized officers or representatives, all as of the date first written above.

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, L.P.,
a Maryland limited partnership

By: REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, INC.,
a Maryland corporation

Its: General Partner

By: /s/ Howard Schwimmer
Name: Howard Schwimmer
Title: Co-Chief Executive Officer

By: /s/ Michael Frankel
Name: Michael S. Frankel
Title: Co-Chief Executive Officer

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, INC.,
a Maryland corporation

By: /s/ Howard Schwimmer
Name: Howard Schwimmer
Title: Co-Chief Executive Officer

By: /s/ Michael Frankel
Name: Michael S. Frankel
Title: Co-Chief Executive Officer

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL FUND III, LLC,
a California limited liability company

By: REXFORD INDUSTRIAL, LLC
a California limited liability company

Its: Manager

By: /s/ Howard Schwimmer
Name: Howard Schwimmer
Title: Manager

[Signature Page to Fund III Contribution Agreement]

CONTRIBUTION AGREEMENT

by and among

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, L.P.,

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, INC.,

and

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL FUND IV, LLC

Dated as of July 24, 2013

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CONTRIBUTION AGREEMENT

THIS CONTRIBUTION AGREEMENT is made and entered into as of July 24, 2013 (this "Agreement"), by and among Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc., a Maryland corporation (the "REIT"), Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P., a Maryland limited partnership (the "Operating Partnership") and a subsidiary of the REIT, and Rexford Industrial Fund IV, LLC, a California limited liability company (the "Contributor"). Certain capitalized terms are defined in Section 6.02 of this Agreement.

RECITALS

WHEREAS, the REIT desires to consolidate the ownership of a portfolio of properties currently owned, directly or indirectly, by certain entities each as described on Exhibit A hereto;

WHEREAS, concurrently with the execution of this Agreement, Rexford Industrial Fund V REIT, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company ("RIF V REIT"), will enter into an agreement and plan of merger with the REIT pursuant to which RIF V REIT will merge with and into the REIT and the equity interest in RIF V REIT will be converted automatically into the right to receive cash, without interest, or shares of common stock of the REIT, par value \$.01 per share ("REIT Shares");

WHEREAS, concurrently with the execution of this Agreement, Rexford Industrial Fund V, LP, a Delaware limited partnership ("RIF V Fund"), will enter into an agreement and plan of merger with the Operating Partnership pursuant to which RIF V Fund will merge with and into the Operating Partnership and the partnership interests in RIF V Fund will be (a) converted automatically into the right to receive cash, without interest, REIT Shares and/or common units of partnership interest in the Operating Partnership ("OP Units") and (b) in the case of the partnership interests in RIF V Fund held by RIF V Manager or the REIT, cancelled;

WHEREAS, concurrently with the execution of this Agreement, Rexford Sponsor V LLC, a Delaware limited liability company ("Sponsor"), will enter into an agreement and plan of merger pursuant to which Sponsor will merge with and into a direct wholly-owned subsidiary of the Operating Partnership with Sponsor as the surviving entity, and the equity interests in Sponsor will be converted automatically into the right to receive cash, without interest, OP Units and/or REIT Shares;

WHEREAS, concurrently with the execution of this Agreement, Rexford Industrial, LLC, a California limited liability company ("RI LLC"), will enter into an agreement and plan of merger pursuant to which RI LLC will merge with and into a direct wholly-owned subsidiary of the Operating Partnership, with RI LLC as the surviving entity, and the equity interests in RI LLC will be converted automatically into the right to receive cash, without interest, OP Units and/or REIT Shares;

WHEREAS, concurrently with the execution of this Agreement, Rexford Fund V Manager LLC, a Delaware limited liability company ("RIF V Manager"), will enter into an agreement and plan of merger pursuant to which RIF V Manager will merge with and into an indirect wholly-owned subsidiary of the Operating Partnership, with RIF V Manager as the surviving entity, and the equity interests in RIF V Manager will be converted automatically into the right to receive cash, without interest, OP Units and/or REIT Shares;

WHEREAS, concurrently with the completion of the transactions described in the preceding paragraphs, the parties to this Agreement wish to effect a transaction pursuant to which (a) the Contributor will contribute to the Operating Partnership all of the Contributor's direct and indirect interests (the "Contributed Interests") in the entities identified under the heading "Contributed Entities—Rexford Industrial Fund IV, LLC" on Exhibit A hereto (the "Contributed Entities"), the Contributed Properties and the other Contributed Assets identified herein, and (b) the Operating Partnership shall acquire from the Contributor, all of the Contributor's right, title and interest in and to such Contributed Interests, Contributed Properties and the other Contributed Assets, in exchange for a combination of cash, without interest, REIT Shares and/or OP Units and the assumption by the Operating Partnership of the Assumed Liabilities, all on the terms and subject to the conditions set forth herein;

WHEREAS, concurrently with the execution of this Agreement, each of Rexford Industrial Fund I, LLC, Rexford Industrial Fund II, LLC and Rexford Industrial Fund III, LLC (each such entity, the Contributor, RIF V REIT and RIF V Fund may be referred to herein as a "RIF Fund Entity") will enter into a contribution agreement with the REIT and the Operating Partnership on substantially the same terms as this Contribution Agreement (the "Other RIF Fund Contribution Agreements");

WHEREAS, in the event that all members of the Contributor or another RIF Fund Entity return duly executed and completed Consent Forms approving the Formation Transactions, then, in lieu of this Agreement or the applicable Other RIF Fund Contribution Agreement, the REIT may elect to cause the applicable RIF Fund Entity to enter into an agreement and plan of merger with the Operating Partnership pursuant to which such RIF Fund Entity will merge with and into the Operating Partnership and the membership interests in such RIF Fund Entity will be converted automatically into the right to receive cash, REIT Shares and/or OP Units;

WHEREAS, the Formation Transactions relate to the initial public offering of the REIT Shares or, depending on prevailing market conditions at the time of the offering, a private offering of the REIT Shares (the "Offering"), following which the REIT will operate as a self-administered and self-managed real estate investment trust within the meaning of Section 856 of the Code;

WHEREAS, substantially concurrently with the completion of the Formation Transactions and the Offering, the REIT will contribute to the Operating Partnership, all of the assets (other than OP Units), rights and obligations acquired by the REIT as a result of the Formation Transactions and the Offering; and

WHEREAS, all necessary approvals have been obtained by each of the Operating Partnership and the Contributor to consummate the transactions contemplated herein and by the other Formation Transaction Documentation.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the foregoing and the representations, warranties, covenants and other terms contained in this Agreement, the parties hereto, intending to be legally bound hereby, agree as follows:

ARTICLE I
CONTRIBUTION

Section 1.01 CONTRIBUTION TRANSACTION; ASSIGNMENT AND ASSUMPTION OF ASSUMED LIABILITIES.

(a) At the Closing and subject to the terms and conditions contained in this Agreement and in accordance with applicable Laws, the Contributor hereby contributes, assigns, sets over, transfers, conveys and delivers to the Operating Partnership, absolutely and unconditionally and free and clear of all Liens (other than those arising under Organizational Documents of the applicable Rexford Entities and Permitted Liens with respect to the Contributed Properties), all of its right, title and interest in and to the Contributed Assets, including all rights to indemnification in favor of the Contributor under the Organizational Documents; *provided*, that the Operating Partnership accepts the assignment by the Contributor and agrees to be bound by the terms of the Organizational Documents governing the Contributor's Contributed Interests and undertakes, assumes and agrees punctually and faithfully to perform, pay or discharge when due and otherwise in accordance with its terms, all agreements, covenants, conditions, obligations and liabilities of the Contributor in the applicable Rexford Entities with respect to the Contributor's Contributed Interests on or after the Closing Date.

(b) At the Closing and subject to the terms and conditions contained in this Agreement, the Operating Partnership assumes and agrees to pay, perform and discharge all of the Assumed Liabilities.

(c) Without limiting the foregoing, the Contributor, on behalf of itself and its Affiliates, consents to, and agrees and acknowledges that all requirements and conditions for the transactions contemplated by this Agreement, including the transfer of the Contributed Assets and the admission of the Operating Partnership as a partner or member of each of the Contributed Entities have been satisfied or otherwise waived.

(d) All of the parties hereto agree that, as a result of the assignment and assumptions hereunder, for purposes of the Organizational Documents governing the Contributed Entities, the Operating Partnership shall be a substituted general partner, limited partner, manager or member, as the case may be, of the applicable Contributed Entity.

Section 1.02 CONSIDERATION.

(a) At Closing, subject to the terms and conditions contained in this Agreement, the Contributor shall receive cash, OP Units and/or REIT Shares with an aggregate value equal to the Equity Value represented by the Contributed Assets (collectively referred to as the "Contribution Consideration"). The parties acknowledge that, concurrently with the Closing,

the Contributor expects to distribute the Contribution Consideration to its members in accordance with irrevocable elections made by the members of the Contributor in a Consent Form submitted by such members to the Contributor, or, if any such member has failed to submit a Consent Form, in accordance with determinations made by the Contributor. As a means of expediting such distribution, the Operating Partnership agrees to deliver such cash, OP Units and/or REIT Shares directly to such members as the nominees of the Contributor (the "Nominees"). The transfer of OP Units to any Nominee shall be evidenced by an entry to the Register (as defined in the Operating Partnership Agreement), and the transfer of REIT Shares to any Nominee shall be evidenced by the establishment of a credit to a book-entry account at the REIT's transfer agent. Subject to Section 1.03, the amount of cash, number of OP Units and/or REIT Shares comprising the Contribution Consideration attributable to each Nominee shall be as follows:

(i) Cash. One hundred percent (100%) of the Allocated Share attributable to a Nominee who is not an Accredited Investor shall be paid in cash.

(ii) OP Units. The Elected OP Unit Percentage of the Allocated Share attributable to a Nominee who is an Accredited Investor shall be distributed in whole OP Units in the form of a number of OP Units equal to the applicable portion of such Allocated Share divided by the Offering Price; and

(iii) REIT Shares. The Elected REIT Shares Percentage of the Allocated Share attributable to a Nominee who is an Accredited Investor shall be distributed in whole REIT Shares in the form of a number of REIT Shares equal to the applicable portion of such Allocated Share divided by the Offering Price; *provided, that* to the extent such distribution of REIT Shares to such Nominee would result in a violation of the restrictions on ownership and transfer set forth in Section 6.2.1 of the REIT's charter (the "Ownership Limits"), such Nominee shall receive (x) the maximum number of whole REIT Shares that would not result in such violation of the Ownership Limits, and (y) that number of whole OP Units equal to the remaining number of REIT Shares not distributed as a result of the application of the foregoing clause (x).

(b) At Closing, each Nominee receiving OP Units in accordance with the foregoing shall be admitted as a limited partner of the Operating Partnership. By executing and delivering a Consent Form, each Nominee has agreed and accepted all of the terms and conditions of the Operating Partnership Agreement and shall be deemed to have executed and delivered a counterpart signature page to the Operating Partnership Agreement.

Section 1.03 FRACTIONAL INTEREST. No fractional OP Units or REIT Shares shall be issued pursuant to this Agreement or the other Formation Transaction Documentation. All fractional OP Units that a Nominee would otherwise be entitled to receive as a result of the Formation Transactions shall be aggregated, and the Nominee shall receive the number of whole OP Units resulting from such aggregation and, in lieu of any fractional OP Unit resulting from such aggregation, an amount in cash determined by multiplying that fraction of an OP Unit to which the Nominee would otherwise have been entitled, by the Offering Price. All fractional REIT Shares that a Nominee would otherwise be entitled to receive as a result of the Formation Transactions shall be aggregated, and the Nominee shall receive the number of whole REIT

Shares resulting from such aggregation and, in lieu of any fractional REIT Share resulting from such aggregation, an amount in cash determined by multiplying that fraction of a REIT Share to which the Nominee would otherwise have been entitled, by the Offering Price. No interest will be paid or will accrue on any cash paid or payable in lieu of any fractional OP Unit or REIT Share.

Section 1.04 FURTHER ACTION. If, at any time after the Closing, the Operating Partnership shall determine or be advised that any deeds, bills of sale, assignments (including any intellectual property assignments), assurances or any other actions or things are necessary or desirable to vest, perfect or confirm of record or otherwise in the Operating Partnership the right, title or interest in or to any Contributed Assets, the Contributor shall execute and deliver all such deeds, bills of sale, assignments (including any intellectual property assignments) and assurances and take and do all such other actions and things as may be necessary or desirable to vest, perfect or confirm any and all right, title and interest in such Contributed Assets or otherwise to carry out this Agreement.

Section 1.05 CALCULATION OF CONTRIBUTION CONSIDERATION. As soon as practicable following the determination of the Offering Price and prior to the Closing, all calculations relating to the Contribution Consideration shall be performed in good faith by, or under the direction of, the REIT and the Operating Partnership, and the parties hereby agree that, absent manifest error, such calculations shall be final and binding upon the Contributor and each Nominee.

ARTICLE II

CLOSING

Section 2.01 CONDITIONS PRECEDENT.

(a) Condition to Each Party's Obligations. The respective obligation of each party to effect the contributions contemplated by this Agreement and to consummate the other transactions contemplated hereby to occur on the Closing Date is subject to the satisfaction or waiver on or prior to the Closing of the following conditions:

(i) Registration Statement. If the REIT undertakes a public Offering, the public Offering registration statement must have been declared effective under the Securities Act and will not be the subject of any stop order or proceedings by the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC") seeking a stop order. This condition may not be waived by any party.

(ii) No Injunction. No Governmental Authority of competent jurisdiction shall have enacted, issued, promulgated, enforced or entered any statute, rule, regulation, executive order, decree, judgment, injunction, stay or other order (whether temporary, preliminary or permanent), in any case which is in effect and which prevents or prohibits consummation of any of the transactions contemplated in this Agreement nor shall any of the same brought by a Governmental Authority of competent jurisdiction be pending or threatened that seeks the foregoing.

(iii) Operating Partnership Agreement. The Operating Partnership Agreement, in substantially the form attached hereto as Exhibit B, shall have been executed and delivered by the partners of the Operating Partnership and shall be in full force and effect and, except as contemplated by Section 2.03 or the other Formation Transaction Documents, shall not have been amended or modified.

(b) Conditions to the Obligations of the Operating Partnership. The obligations of the Operating Partnership to effect the contribution contemplated by this Agreement and to consummate the other transactions contemplated hereby to occur on the Closing Date are further subject to satisfaction of the following conditions (any of which may be waived by the Operating Partnership in whole or in part):

(i) Representations and Warranties. The representations and warranties of the Contributor contained in this Agreement shall be true and correct in all material respects at the Closing as if made again at that time (except to the extent that any representation or warranty speaks as of an earlier date, in which case it must be true and correct only as of that earlier date).

(ii) Performance by the Contributor. The Contributor shall have performed each of the agreements and covenants required by this Agreement to be performed or complied with by it on or prior to the Closing Date and the Contributor shall not have breached any of its covenants contained herein in any material respect.

(iii) Offering Closing. The closing of the Offering shall occur substantially concurrently with the Closing.

(iv) Consents, Etc. All necessary consents and approvals of Governmental Authorities or third parties (including lenders) for the Contributor to consummate the transactions contemplated hereby shall have been obtained.

(v) No Fund Material Adverse Effect. There shall have not occurred between the date hereof and the Closing Date a Fund Material Adverse Effect.

(vi) Formation Transactions. The Formation Transactions shall have been or shall be consummated substantially concurrently in accordance with the timing set forth in the respective Formation Transaction Documentation.

(vii) Lock-Up Agreement. Each Nominee receiving REIT Shares or OP Units shall have entered into the Lock-Up Agreement substantially in the form attached as Exhibit C.

(viii) Tax Matters Agreement. Any Nominee that will receive OP Units in the contribution contemplated by this Agreement and that (1) owns, directly or indirectly, an interest in any Contributed Property specified in the Tax Matters Agreement or (2) has been provided an opportunity to guarantee debt as set forth in the Tax Matters Agreement shall have entered into the Tax Matters Agreement substantially in the form attached as Exhibit D, if applicable.

(c) Conditions to the Obligations of the Contributor. The obligation of the Contributor to effect the contribution contemplated by this Agreement and to consummate the other transactions contemplated hereby to occur on the Closing Date are further subject to satisfaction of the following conditions (any of which may be waived by the Contributor in whole or in part):

(i) Representations and Warranties. Except as would not have an OP Material Adverse Effect, the representations and warranties of the Operating Partnership contained in this Agreement shall be true and correct at the Closing as if made again at that time (except to the extent that any representation or warranty speaks as of an earlier date, in which case it must be true and correct only as of that earlier date).

(ii) Performance by the Operating Partnership. Except as would not have an OP Material Adverse Effect, the Operating Partnership shall have performed all agreements and covenants required by this Agreement to be performed or complied with by it on or prior to the Closing Date.

(iii) Registration Rights Agreement. The REIT shall have entered into the Registration Rights Agreement, substantially in the form attached as Exhibit E hereto. This condition may not be waived by any party hereto.

(iv) Tax Matters Agreement. If the Contributor (1) owns, directly or indirectly, an interest in any Contributed Property specified in the Tax Matters Agreement or (2) has any members that have been provided an opportunity to guarantee debt as set forth in the Tax Matters Agreement, the REIT and the Operating Partnership shall have entered into the Tax Matters Agreement substantially in the form attached as Exhibit D, if applicable.

Section 2.02 TIME AND PLACE. Unless this Agreement shall have been terminated pursuant to Section 2.06, and subject to the satisfaction or waiver of the conditions in Section 2.01, the closing of the contributions contemplated by Section 1.01 and the other transactions contemplated by this Agreement shall occur substantially concurrently with the receipt by the REIT of the proceeds from the Offering from the underwriters (the “Closing” or the “Closing Date”) in the order set forth on Exhibit F. The Closing shall take place at the offices of Latham & Watkins LLP, 355 South Grand Avenue, Los Angeles, California 90071 or such other place as determined by the REIT in its sole discretion.

Section 2.03 DELIVERY OF CONTRIBUTION CONSIDERATION.

(a) Subject to Section 5.03(a), as soon as reasonably practicable after the Closing, the Operating Partnership shall deliver to the Nominees the Contribution Consideration payable in the amounts and form provided in Section 1.02(a). The issuance of any OP Units and admission of the recipients thereof as limited partners of the Operating Partnership pursuant to Section 1.02(b) shall be evidenced by an entry to the Register. Any certificate representing REIT Shares issuable as Contribution Consideration shall bear the following legend:

THE SECURITIES REPRESENTED HEREBY HAVE NOT BEEN REGISTERED UNDER THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933, AS AMENDED (THE "ACT"), OR THE SECURITIES LAWS OF ANY STATE AND MAY NOT BE SOLD, TRANSFERRED OR OTHERWISE DISPOSED OF IN THE ABSENCE OF SUCH REGISTRATION, UNLESS THE TRANSFEROR DELIVERS TO THE CORPORATION AN OPINION OF COUNSEL SATISFACTORY TO THE CORPORATION, TO THE EFFECT THAT THE PROPOSED SALE, TRANSFER OR OTHER DISPOSITION MAY BE EFFECTED WITHOUT REGISTRATION UNDER THE ACT AND UNDER APPLICABLE STATE SECURITIES OR "BLUE SKY" LAWS.

THE SHARES REPRESENTED BY THIS CERTIFICATE ARE SUBJECT TO RESTRICTIONS ON BENEFICIAL AND CONSTRUCTIVE OWNERSHIP AND TRANSFER FOR THE PURPOSE OF THE CORPORATION'S MAINTENANCE OF ITS STATUS AS A REAL ESTATE INVESTMENT TRUST UNDER THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE OF 1986, AS AMENDED (THE "CODE"). SUBJECT TO CERTAIN FURTHER RESTRICTIONS AND EXCEPT AS EXPRESSLY PROVIDED IN THE CORPORATION'S CHARTER, (I) NO PERSON MAY BENEFICIALLY OR CONSTRUCTIVELY OWN SHARES OF THE CORPORATION'S COMMON STOCK IN EXCESS OF 9.8% (IN VALUE OR NUMBER OF SHARES) OF THE OUTSTANDING SHARES OF COMMON STOCK OF THE CORPORATION UNLESS SUCH PERSON IS AN EXCEPTED HOLDER (IN WHICH CASE THE EXCEPTED HOLDER LIMIT SHALL BE APPLICABLE); (II) NO PERSON MAY BENEFICIALLY OR CONSTRUCTIVELY OWN SHARES OF CAPITAL STOCK OF THE CORPORATION IN EXCESS OF 9.8% OF THE VALUE OF THE TOTAL OUTSTANDING SHARES OF CAPITAL STOCK OF THE CORPORATION, UNLESS SUCH PERSON IS AN EXCEPTED HOLDER (IN WHICH CASE THE EXCEPTED HOLDER LIMIT SHALL BE APPLICABLE); (III) NO PERSON MAY BENEFICIALLY OR CONSTRUCTIVELY OWN CAPITAL STOCK THAT COULD RESULT IN THE CORPORATION BEING "CLOSELY HELD" UNDER SECTION 856(h) OF THE CODE OR OTHERWISE CAUSE THE CORPORATION TO FAIL TO QUALIFY AS A REIT; AND (IV) NO PERSON MAY TRANSFER SHARES OF CAPITAL STOCK IF SUCH TRANSFER WOULD RESULT IN THE CAPITAL STOCK OF THE CORPORATION BEING OWNED BY FEWER THAN 100 PERSONS. ANY PERSON WHO BENEFICIALLY OR CONSTRUCTIVELY OWNS OR ATTEMPTS TO

BENEFICIALLY OR CONSTRUCTIVELY OWN SHARES OF CAPITAL STOCK WHICH CAUSES OR MAY CAUSE A PERSON TO BENEFICIALLY OR CONSTRUCTIVELY OWN SHARES OF CAPITAL STOCK IN EXCESS OR IN VIOLATION OF THE ABOVE LIMITATIONS MUST IMMEDIATELY NOTIFY THE CORPORATION OR, IN THE CASE OF SUCH A PROPOSED OR ATTEMPTED TRANSACTION, GIVE AT LEAST 15 DAYS PRIOR WRITTEN NOTICE. IF ANY OF THE RESTRICTIONS ON TRANSFER OR OWNERSHIP SET FORTH IN (I) THROUGH (III) ABOVE ARE VIOLATED, THE SHARES OF CAPITAL STOCK REPRESENTED HEREBY WILL BE AUTOMATICALLY TRANSFERRED TO A TRUSTEE OF A TRUST FOR THE BENEFIT OF ONE OR MORE CHARITABLE BENEFICIARIES. IN ADDITION, THE CORPORATION MAY TAKE OTHER ACTIONS, INCLUDING REDEEMING SHARES UPON THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS SPECIFIED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS IN ITS SOLE AND ABSOLUTE DISCRETION IF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS DETERMINES THAT OWNERSHIP OR A TRANSFER OR OTHER EVENT MAY VIOLATE THE RESTRICTIONS DESCRIBED ABOVE. FURTHERMORE, UPON THE OCCURRENCE OF CERTAIN EVENTS, ATTEMPTED TRANSFERS IN VIOLATION OF THE RESTRICTIONS DESCRIBED ABOVE MAY BE VOID *AB INITIO*. ALL UNDERLINED TERMS IN THIS LEGEND HAVE THE MEANINGS DEFINED IN THE CHARTER OF THE CORPORATION, AS THE SAME MAY BE AMENDED FROM TIME TO TIME, A COPY OF WHICH, INCLUDING THE RESTRICTIONS ON TRANSFER AND OWNERSHIP, WILL BE FURNISHED TO EACH HOLDER OF CAPITAL STOCK OF THE CORPORATION ON REQUEST AND WITHOUT CHARGE. REQUESTS FOR SUCH A COPY MAY BE DIRECTED TO THE SECRETARY OF THE CORPORATION AT ITS PRINCIPAL OFFICE.

(b) The Operating Partnership (or its successor in interest) shall not be liable to any Nominee for any portion of the Contribution Consideration delivered to a public official pursuant to any applicable abandoned property, escheat or similar Law.

Section 2.04 CLOSING DELIVERIES. At the Closing, the parties shall make, execute, acknowledge and deliver, or cause to be made, executed, acknowledged and delivered (a) an Assignment and Assumption of Assumed Contracts, (b) a Bill of Sale, (c) an Assumption of Assumed Liabilities, (d) an Assignment and Assumption of Membership Interests, (e) all documents required by a lender in connection with the assumption or prepayment of an Existing Loan at or prior to Closing, duly executed by the applicable party, and (f) any other documents reasonably requested by the Operating Partnership or reasonably necessary or desirable to assign, transfer, convey, contribute and deliver the Contributed Assets, free and clear of all Liens and to effectuate the transactions contemplated hereby.

Section 2.05 CLOSING COSTS. If the Closing occurs, the REIT and the Operating Partnership shall be solely responsible for all transaction costs and expenses of the REIT, the Operating Partnership and the Rexford Entities in connection with the Formation Transactions and the Offering, which include, but are not limited to, the underwriting discounts and commissions. In the event the Closing does not occur, each party shall be responsible for its allocable portion of such costs and expenses in accordance with the terms of those certain letter agreements identified on Schedule 2.05.

Section 2.06 TERM OF THE AGREEMENT. This Agreement shall terminate automatically if the transactions contemplated herein shall not have been consummated on or prior to December 31, 2013 (such date is hereinafter referred to as the "Outside Date").

Section 2.07 EFFECT OF TERMINATION. In the event of termination of this Agreement for any reason, all obligations on the part of the Operating Partnership and the Contributor under this Agreement shall terminate, except that the obligations set forth in Article VI shall survive, it being understood and agreed, however, for the avoidance of doubt, that if this Agreement is terminated because one or more of the conditions to the non-breaching party's obligations under this Agreement are not satisfied by the Outside Date as a result of the other party's material breach of a covenant, representation, warranty or other obligation under this Agreement or any other Formation Transaction Documentation, the non-breaching party's right to pursue all legal remedies with respect to such breach will survive such termination unimpaired.

Section 2.08 TAX WITHHOLDING. The Operating Partnership shall be entitled to deduct and withhold from the consideration payable pursuant to this Agreement such amounts as the Operating Partnership is required to deduct and withhold with respect to the making of such payment under the Code or any provision of state, local or foreign tax law. To the extent that amounts are so withheld by the Operating Partnership, such withheld amounts shall be treated for all purposes of this Agreement as having been paid to the Contributor or Nominee, as applicable.

ARTICLE III

REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES OF THE OPERATING PARTNERSHIP

The Operating Partnership hereby represents and warrants to the Contributor as follows:

Section 3.01 ORGANIZATION; AUTHORITY.

(a) The Operating Partnership has been duly formed and is validly existing and in good standing under the Laws of its jurisdiction of formation, and, upon the effectiveness of the Operating Partnership Agreement, will have all requisite power and authority to enter into this Agreement and the other Formation Transaction Documentation and to carry out the transactions contemplated hereby and thereby, and to own, lease and/or operate its property and to carry on its business as presently conducted and, to the extent required under applicable Laws,

is qualified to do business and is in good standing in each jurisdiction in which the nature of its business or the character of its property make such qualification necessary, other than such failures to be so qualified as would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have an OP Material Adverse Effect.

(b) Schedule 3.01(b) sets forth as of the date hereof, (i) each Subsidiary of the Operating Partnership (each an “Operating Partnership Subsidiary”), (ii) the ownership interest therein of the Operating Partnership, and (iii) if not wholly owned by the Operating Partnership, the identity and ownership interest of each of the other owners of such Operating Partnership Subsidiary. Each Operating Partnership Subsidiary has been duly organized or formed and is validly existing and is in good standing under the Laws of its jurisdiction of organization or formation, as applicable, has all requisite power and authority to own, lease and/or operate its property and to carry on its business as presently conducted and, to the extent required under applicable Laws, is qualified to do business and is in good standing in each jurisdiction in which the nature of its business or the character of its property make such qualification necessary, other than such failures to be so qualified as would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have an OP Material Adverse Effect.

Section 3.02 DUE AUTHORIZATION. The execution, delivery and performance of this Agreement and the other Formation Transaction Documentation (including each agreement, document and instrument executed and delivered by or on behalf of the Operating Partnership pursuant to this Agreement or the other Formation Transaction Documentation) by the Operating Partnership has been duly and validly authorized by all necessary actions required of the Operating Partnership. This Agreement, the other Formation Transaction Documentation and each agreement, document and instrument executed and delivered by or on behalf of the Operating Partnership pursuant to this Agreement or the other Formation Transaction Documentation constitutes, or when executed and delivered will constitute, the legal, valid and binding obligation of the Operating Partnership, enforceable against the Operating Partnership in accordance with its terms, subject to applicable bankruptcy, insolvency, moratorium or other similar Laws relating to creditors’ rights and general principles of equity.

Section 3.03 CONSENTS AND APPROVALS. Except in connection with the Offering and the consummation of the other Formation Transactions or as shall have been obtained on or prior to the Closing Date, no consent, waiver, approval, authorization, order, license, permit or registration of, qualification, designation, declaration or filing with, any Person or Governmental Authority or under any applicable Laws is required to be obtained by the Operating Partnership in connection with the execution, delivery and performance of this Agreement and the transactions contemplated hereby, except for (a) those consents, waivers, approvals, authorizations, orders, licenses, permits, registrations, qualifications, designations, declarations or filings, the failure of which to obtain or to file would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have an OP Material Adverse Effect, or (b) those consents under the Organizational Documents of the Contributor and the Contributed Entities, the failure of which to obtain would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have an OP Material Adverse Effect.

Section 3.04 NO VIOLATION. None of the execution, delivery or performance of this Agreement, the other Formation Transaction Documentation, any agreement contemplated hereby between the parties to this Agreement and the transactions contemplated hereby between the parties to this Agreement does or will, with or without the giving of notice, lapse of time, or both, violate, conflict with, result in a breach of, or constitute a default under or give to others any right of termination, acceleration, cancellation or other right under, (a) the Organizational Documents of the Operating Partnership, (b) any agreement, document or instrument to which the Operating Partnership or any of its respective assets are bound or (c) any term or provision of any judgment, order, writ, injunction, or decree binding on the Operating Partnership, except for, in the case of clause (b) or (c), any such breaches or defaults that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have an OP Material Adverse Effect.

Section 3.05 VALIDITY OF OP UNITS AND REIT SHARES. Any OP Units to be issued pursuant to this Agreement will have been duly authorized by the Operating Partnership and, when issued against the consideration therefor, will be validly issued, fully paid and non-assessable, free and clear of all Liens created by the Operating Partnership (other than any Liens created by the Amended and Restated Agreement of Limited Partnership of the Operating Partnership (the “Operating Partnership Agreement”)). Any REIT Shares to be issued pursuant to this Agreement will have been duly authorized by the REIT and, when issued against the consideration therefor, will be validly issued, fully paid and non-assessable, free and clear of all Liens created by the REIT (other than any Liens created by the charter of the REIT).

Section 3.06 LITIGATION. Except for actions, suits or proceedings covered by policies of insurance, there is no action, suit or proceeding pending or, to the knowledge of the Operating Partnership, threatened against the Operating Partnership or any Operating Partnership Subsidiary, other than actions, suits, proceedings arising in the ordinary course of business from the ownership and operation of the Operating Partnership, that individually or in the aggregate, would not reasonably be expected, (a) if adversely determined, to have an OP Material Adverse Effect, or (b) to challenge or impair the ability of the Operating Partnership to execute or deliver, or materially perform its obligations under, this Agreement and the documents executed by it pursuant to this Agreement or to consummate the transactions contemplated hereby or thereby, to such an extent as would result in an OP Material Adverse Effect.

Section 3.07 OPERATING PARTNERSHIP AGREEMENT. Attached as Exhibit B hereto is a true and correct copy of the Operating Partnership Agreement in substantially final form.

Section 3.08 LIMITED ACTIVITIES. Except for activities in connection with the Offering, the Formation Transactions or in the ordinary course of business, the Operating Partnership and the Operating Partnership Subsidiaries have not engaged in any material business or incurred any material obligations.

Section 3.09 NO BROKER. The Operating Partnership has not entered into, and covenants that it will not enter into, any agreement, arrangement or understanding with any Person or firm which will result in the obligation of the Contributor or any Affiliates thereof to pay any finder’s fee, brokerage commission or similar payment in connection with the transaction contemplated by this Agreement (other than underwriting discounts, commissions and other fees and expenses to be paid by the REIT in connection with the Offering and any related financing transactions).

Section 3.10 NO OTHER REPRESENTATIONS OR WARRANTIES. Other than the representations and warranties expressly set forth in this Article III and any other agreement entered into in connection with the Formation Transactions, the Operating Partnership shall not be deemed to have made any other representation or warranty in connection with this Agreement or the transactions contemplated hereby. All representations, warranties and covenants of the Operating Partnership contained in this Agreement shall expire at the Closing.

ARTICLE IV

REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES OF THE CONTRIBUTORS

Except as disclosed in the Offering Document or the schedules attached hereto, the Contributor hereby represents and warrants to the Operating Partnership that as of the Closing Date:

Section 4.01 ORGANIZATION; AUTHORITY.

(a) The Contributor has been duly formed, is validly existing and in good standing under the Laws of its jurisdiction of formation, and has all requisite power and authority to enter into this Agreement, each agreement contemplated hereby and the other Formation Transaction Documentation to which it is a party (including any agreement, document and instrument executed and delivered by or on behalf of the Contributor pursuant to this Agreement or the other Formation Transaction Documentation) and to carry out the transactions contemplated hereby and thereby, and to carry on its business as presently conducted. The Contributor, to the extent required under applicable Laws, is qualified to do business and is in good standing in each jurisdiction in which the nature of its business make such qualification necessary, other than such failures to be so qualified as would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Fund Material Adverse Effect.

(b) Schedule 4.01(b) sets forth as of the date hereof with respect to the Contributor (i) each Contributed Entity, (ii) the direct or indirect ownership interest therein of the Contributor, (iii) if not wholly owned by the Contributor, the identity and ownership interest of each of the other owners of such Contributed Entity, (iv) each Contributed Property, (v) the ownership interest therein of the Contributor, (vi) if not wholly owned by the Contributor, the identity and ownership interest of each of the other owners of such Contributed Property. Such Contributed Entity has been duly organized and is validly existing and is in good standing under the Laws of its jurisdiction of organization, and has all requisite power and authority to own, lease and/or operate its Contributed Property and to carry on its business as presently conducted. Such Contributed Entity, to the extent required under applicable Laws, is qualified to do business and is in good standing in each jurisdiction in which the nature of its business or the character of its Contributed Property make such qualification necessary, other than such failures to be so qualified as would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Fund Material Adverse Effect. Except as set forth on Schedule 4.01(b), each of the Contributor and the Contributed Entities does not own any equity or ownership interest in any other Person.

(c) The Operating Partnership has been provided complete and accurate copies of Organizational Documents, as amended through the date hereof, and such Organizational Documents are in full force and effect as of the date hereof and have not been further modified or amended.

Section 4.02 DUE AUTHORIZATION. The execution, delivery and performance by the Contributor of this Agreement and the other Formation Transaction Documentation (including any agreement, document and instrument executed and delivered by or on behalf of the Contributor pursuant to this Agreement or the other Formation Transaction Documentation) to which it is a party have been duly and validly authorized by all necessary actions required of the Contributor. This Agreement, the other Formation Transaction Documentation and each agreement, document and instrument executed and delivered by or on behalf of the Contributor or any Contributed Entity pursuant to this Agreement or the other Formation Transaction Documentation constitutes, or when executed and delivered will constitute, the legal, valid and binding obligation of the Contributor or such Contributed Entity, each enforceable against the Contributor or such Contributed Entity in accordance with its terms, subject to applicable bankruptcy, insolvency, moratorium or other similar Laws relating to creditors' rights and general principles of equity.

Section 4.03 OWNERSHIP OF CONTRIBUTED ASSETS. The Contributor is the sole record owner of all of the Contributed Assets and has the power and authority to transfer, sell, assign and convey to the Operating Partnership the Contributed Assets free and clear of any Liens and, upon delivery of the consideration for the Contributed Assets as provided herein, the Operating Partnership will acquire good and valid title thereto, free and clear of any Liens (other than those Liens created by the Organizational Documents governing Contributed Interests). Except as provided for or contemplated by this Agreement or the other applicable Formation Transaction Documentation, there are no rights to purchase, veto rights with respect to transfers, subscriptions, warrants, options, conversion rights, preemptive rights, agreements, instruments or understandings of any kind outstanding (a) relating to any of the Contributed Assets, (b) related to any of the Contributed Entities or (c) to purchase, transfer or to otherwise acquire, or to in any way encumber, any equity interest in any of the Contributed Entities or any of the Contributed Assets (including, without limitation, any securities or obligations of any kind convertible or exchangeable into any of the interests which comprise Contributed Interests). Except as set forth in the Organizational Documents, none of the Contributor or any of the Contributed Entities is a party to any agreement for the sale of its material assets, for the grant to any Person of any preferential right to purchase any such material assets or the acquisition of any material operating business, material assets or capital stock of any other corporation, entity or business, other than the purchase or sale of assets in the ordinary course of business.

Section 4.04 CONSENTS AND APPROVALS. Except as shall have been obtained or satisfied on or prior to the Closing Date, no consent, waiver, approval, authorization, order, license, permit or registration of, qualification, designation, declaration or filing with, any Person or any Governmental Authority or under any applicable Laws is required to be obtained by the Contributor or any Contributed Entity in connection with the execution, delivery and performance of this Agreement, the other Formation Transaction Documentation to which the Contributor or the Contributed Entities is a party and the transactions contemplated hereby and thereby, except for those consents, waivers, approvals, authorizations, orders, licenses, permits, registrations, qualifications, designations, declarations or filings, the failure of which to obtain or to file would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Fund Material Adverse Effect.

Section 4.05 NO VIOLATION. None of the execution, delivery or performance of this Agreement, any agreement contemplated hereby between the parties to this Agreement and the transactions contemplated hereby between the parties to this Agreement does or will, with or without the giving of notice, lapse of time, or both, violate, conflict with, result in a breach of, or constitute a default under or give to others any right of termination, acceleration, cancellation or other right under, (a) the Organizational Documents of the Contributor or the Contributed Entities, (b) any agreement, document or instrument to which the Contributor or any Contributed Entity is a party or by which the Contributor, any Contributed Entity, any Contributed Property or any of the Contributed Assets are bound by or (c) any term or provision of any judgment, order, writ, injunction, or decree binding on the Contributor (or its assets or properties), any Contributed Entity or any Contributed Property, except for, in the case of clause (b) or (c), any such breaches or defaults that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Fund Material Adverse Effect.

Section 4.06 LICENSES AND PERMITS. All notices, licenses, permits, certificates and authorizations required for the continued use, occupancy, management, leasing and operation of the Contributed Properties have been obtained or can be obtained without material cost, are in full force and effect, are in good standing and (to the extent required in connection with the transactions contemplated by the Formation Transaction Documentation) are assignable to the Operating Partnership, except in each case for items that, if not so obtained, obtainable and/or transferred, would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Fund Material Adverse Effect. Neither the Contributor, nor the Contributed Entities, nor, to the knowledge of the Contributor, any third party has taken any action that (or failed to take any action the omission of which) would result in the revocation of any such notice, license, permit, certificate or authorization where such revocation or revocations would, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Fund Material Adverse Effect, nor has any one of them received any written notice of violation from any Governmental Authority or written notice of the intention of any entity to revoke any such notice, license, permit, certificate or authorization, that in each case has not been cured or otherwise resolved to the satisfaction of such Governmental Authority or other entity and except as would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Fund Material Adverse Effect.

Section 4.07 COMPLIANCE WITH LAWS. The Contributor and the Contributed Entities have conducted their respective businesses in compliance with all applicable Laws, except for such failures that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Fund Material Adverse Effect. Neither the Contributor, nor the Contributed Entities, nor, to the knowledge of the Contributor, any third party are in violation of any Law or has been informed in writing of any continuing violation of any such Laws or that any investigation has been commenced and is continuing or is contemplated respecting any such possible violation, except in each case for violations that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Fund Material Adverse Effect. There has not been committed by the Contributor or the Contributed Entities or, to the knowledge of the Contributor, any other Person in occupancy of or involved with the operation or use of the Properties any act or omission affording the federal government or any other Governmental Authority the right of forfeiture as against any Property or any part thereof.

Section 4.08 CONTRIBUTED PROPERTIES.

(a) Except as set forth in Schedule 4.08(a), the Contributor or a Contributed Entity is the insured under a policy of title insurance as the owner of, and, to the knowledge of the Contributor, the Contributor or a Contributed Entity is the owner of, good marketable and insurable fee simple title (or, in the case of certain Contributed Properties, a tenancy-in-common estate) to the Contributed Property owned by the Contributor or the Contributed Entity, in each case free and clear of all Liens except for Permitted Liens. Prior to the Closing, neither the Contributor nor any of the Contributed Entities shall take or omit to take any action to cause any Lien to attach to any Contributed Property, except for Permitted Liens and Liens, if any, given to secure mortgage indebtedness encumbering such Contributed Property.

(b) Except for matters that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Fund Material Adverse Effect, (1) neither the Contributor nor any of the Contributed Entities nor, to the knowledge of the Contributor, any other party to any material agreement affecting any Property (other than a Lease (as such term is hereinafter defined) for space within such Property), is in breach or default of any such agreement, (2) to the knowledge of the Contributor, no event has occurred or has been threatened in writing, which with or without the passage of time or the giving of notice, or both, would, individually or together with all such other events, constitute a default under any such agreement, or would, individually or together with all such other events, reasonably be expected to cause the acceleration of any material obligation of any party thereto or the creation of a Lien upon any asset of the Contributor or the Contributed Entities, except for Permitted Liens, or otherwise reasonably be expected to have a Fund Material Adverse Effect and (3) all agreements affecting any Property required for the continued use, occupancy, management, leasing and operation of such Property (exclusive of space Leases) are valid and binding and in full force and effect, subject to applicable bankruptcy, insolvency, moratorium or other similar Laws relating to creditors' rights and general principles of equity.

(c) Except for matters that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Fund Material Adverse Effect or that are otherwise disclosed on Schedule 4.08(c), (1) neither the Contributor, nor the Contributed Entities, nor, to the knowledge of the Contributor, any other party to any Lease, is in breach or default of any such Lease, (2) to the knowledge of the Contributor, no event has occurred or has been threatened in writing, which with or without the passage of time or the giving of notice, or both, would, individually or together with all such other events, constitute a default under any Lease or would permit termination, modification or acceleration under such Lease and (3) to the knowledge of the Contributor, each of the leases (and all amendments thereto or modifications thereof) to which the Contributor or the Contributed Entities is a party or by which the Contributor or the Contributed Entities or any Contributed Property is bound or subject (collectively, the "Leases") is valid and binding and in full force and effect, subject to applicable bankruptcy, insolvency, moratorium or other similar Laws relating to creditors' rights and general principles of equity.

Section 4.09 INSURANCE. Each of the Contributor or the Contributed Entities has in place the public liability, casualty and other insurance coverage with respect to each Contributed Property owned, leased and/or managed by it as the Contributor reasonably deems necessary and in all cases including such coverage as is required under the terms of any continuing loan or Lease. Each of the insurance policies with respect to each Contributed Property is in full force and effect in all material respects and all premiums due and payable thereunder have been fully paid when due. To the knowledge of the Contributor, neither the Contributor nor the Contributed Entities have received from any insurance company any notices of cancellation or intent to cancel any insurance.

Section 4.10 ENVIRONMENTAL MATTERS. Except for matters that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Fund Material Adverse Effect, to the knowledge of the Contributor, (A) the Contributor, the Contributed Entities and each Property are in compliance with all Environmental Laws, (B) neither the Contributor nor the Contributed Entities have received any written notice from any Governmental Authority or third party alleging that the Contributor or the Contributed Entities or any Contributed Property is not in compliance with applicable Environmental Laws, and (C) there has not been a release of a hazardous substance on any of the Contributed Properties that would require investigation or remediation under applicable Environmental Laws. The representations and warranties contained in this Section 4.10 constitute the sole and exclusive representations and warranties made by the Contributor concerning environmental matters.

Section 4.11 EMINENT DOMAIN. There is no existing or, to the knowledge of the Contributor, proposed or threatened condemnation, eminent domain or similar proceeding, or private purchase in lieu of such a proceeding which would affect any of the Contributed Properties, except for such proceedings that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Fund Material Adverse Effect.

Section 4.12 EXISTING LOANS. Schedule 4.12 lists, as of the date hereof, all secured loans presently encumbering the Properties or any direct or indirect interest in the Contributor or any Contributed Entities, and any unsecured loans relating thereto to be assumed by the REIT or any Subsidiary of the REIT at Closing (collectively, the “Existing Loans”). Except for matters that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Fund Material Adverse Effect or that are otherwise disclosed on Schedule 4.12, no monetary default (beyond applicable notice and cure periods) by any party exists under any of the Existing Loans and the documents entered into in connection therewith (collectively, the “Existing Loan Documents”) and no non-monetary default (beyond applicable notice and cure periods) by any party exists under any of such Existing Loan Documents.

Section 4.13 FINANCIAL STATEMENTS. The consolidated financial statements of the Contributor and the Contributed Entities included in the Offering Document have been prepared in all material respects in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles applied on a consistent basis during the periods involved (except as may be indicated in the notes thereto), subject, in the case of unaudited statements, to normal year-end audit adjustments, and fairly present in all material respects the financial condition and results of operations of the Contributor and the Contributed Entities as of the dates indicated therein and for the periods ended as indicated therein.

Section 4.14 TAXES.

- (a) Contributor has timely and properly filed (or caused to be timely and properly filed) all Tax Returns required to be filed by it and each Contributed Entity (after giving effect to any filing extension properly granted by a Governmental Authority having authority to do so) and all such Tax Returns are accurate and complete in all material respects;
- (b) Contributor and each Contributed Entity have paid (or have had paid on their behalf) all Taxes as required to be paid by them;
- (c) no income or material non-income Tax Returns filed by Contributor or any Contributed Entity are the subject of a pending or ongoing audit, and
- (d) no deficiencies for any income or material non-income Taxes have been proposed, asserted or assessed against Contributor or any Contributed Entity, and no requests for waivers of the time to assess any such Taxes are pending. Since its formation, for U.S. federal income tax purposes, each of Contributor and each Contributed Entity has been treated as a partnership or as a disregarded entity, and not as a corporation or an association taxable as a corporation.

Section 4.15 LITIGATION. Except for actions, suits or proceedings fully covered by policies of insurance there is no action, suit or proceeding pending or, to the knowledge of the Contributor, threatened against or affecting the Contributor, any of the Contributed Entities or any of the Contributed Properties, or any officer, director, principal, managing member, general partner or Affiliate of any of the foregoing other than actions, suits or proceedings arising in the ordinary course of business from the ownership and operation which, if adversely determined, would not have a Fund Material Adverse Effect. There is no action, suit, or proceeding pending or, to the knowledge of the Contributor, threatened against or affecting the Contributor, any of the Contributed Entities or any officer, director, principal, managing member, general partner or Affiliate of any of the foregoing, which challenges or impairs the ability of the Contributor or any Contributed Entities to execute or deliver, or perform its obligations under this Agreement or any Formation Transaction Documentation or any other documents to be executed by it pursuant to this Agreement or any Formation Transaction Documentation or to consummate the transactions contemplated hereby or thereby. Except for matters fully covered by insurance, there is no judgment, decree, injunction, rule or order of a Governmental Authority outstanding against the Contributor, the Contributed Entities or any officer, director, principal, managing member or general partner of any of the foregoing in their capacity as such which would reasonably be expected to have a Fund Material Adverse Effect. None of the Contributor, the Contributed Entities or any officer, director, principal, managing member, general partner or Affiliate of any of the foregoing has received any written notice of any pending or threatened proceedings for the rezoning (i.e., as opposed to the current zoning) of any Property or any portion thereof which would impair the current or proposed use thereof in a manner that would result in a Fund Material Adverse Effect.

Section 4.16 INSOLVENCY. No attachments, execution proceedings, assignments for the benefit of creditors, insolvency, bankruptcy, reorganization or other proceedings are pending or, to the Contributor's knowledge, threatened against the Contributor, any Contributed Entities or any Contributed Property, nor are any such proceedings contemplated by the Contributor.

Section 4.17 SECURITIES LAW MATTERS. The Contributor acknowledges that: (i) the REIT and Operating Partnership intend the offer and issuance of any REIT Shares or OP Units to the Contributor and any Nominees to be exempt from registration under the Securities Act and applicable state securities laws by virtue of the status of such Contributor and Nominee as an “accredited investor” (within the meaning of Rule 501(a) of Regulation D under the Securities Act) acquiring any REIT Shares or OP Units in a transaction exempt from registration pursuant to Rule 506 of Regulation D under the Securities Act, and (ii) in issuing any REIT Shares or OP Units pursuant to the terms of this Agreement, the REIT and Operating Partnership are relying on the representations made by the Contributor and any Nominee electing to receive REIT Shares or OP Units as consideration in the Contribution, which representations were set forth in Appendix C to the Request for Consent – Accredited Investor Representations Letter.

Section 4.18 NO BROKER. The Contributor has not entered into, and it covenants that it will not enter into, any agreement, arrangement or understanding with any Person or firm which will result in the obligation of the REIT or any Affiliate to pay any finder’s fee, brokerage commission or similar payment in connection with the transaction contemplated by this Agreement (other than underwriting discounts, commissions and other fees and expenses to be paid by the REIT in connection with the Offering and any related financing transactions).

Section 4.19 OWNERSHIP OF CERTAIN ASSETS. Except as set forth in Schedule 4.19, neither the Contributor nor any of the Contributed Entities owns any loan assets or other securities of any issuer except for equity interests in other Contributed Entities.

Section 4.20 EMPLOYEES. None of the Contributor or any of the Contributed Entities has or has ever had any employees.

Section 4.21 NO OTHER REPRESENTATIONS OR WARRANTIES. Other than the representations and warranties expressly set forth in this Article IV and any other agreement entered into by the Contributor in connection with the Formation Transactions, the Contributor shall not be deemed to have made any other representation or warranty in connection with this Agreement or the transactions contemplated hereby.

Section 4.22 SURVIVAL OF REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES. The parties hereto agree and acknowledge that the representations and warranties set forth in this Article IV (other than Section 4.01, Section 4.02, Section 4.03, and Section 4.17) shall not survive the Closing.

ARTICLE V

COVENANTS AND OTHER AGREEMENTS

Section 5.01 PRE-CLOSING COVENANTS. During the period from the date hereof to the Closing Date (except as otherwise provided for or contemplated by this Agreement or in connection with the Formation Transactions), the Contributor shall use commercially reasonable efforts to (and shall cause each of the Contributed Entities to) conduct its businesses and operate and maintain the Contributed Properties in the ordinary course of business consistent with past practice, pay its debt obligations as they become due and payable, and use commercially reasonable efforts to preserve intact its current business organizations and preserve its relationships with customers, tenants, suppliers, advertisers and others having business dealings with it, in each case consistent with past practice. In addition, and without limiting the generality of the foregoing, during the period from the date hereof to the Closing Date and except in connection with the Formation Transactions, the Contributor shall not (and shall not permit any of the Contributed Entities to) without the prior written consent of the REIT, which consent may be withheld by the REIT in its sole discretion:

(a) (i) other than distributions to the members of the Contributor in connection with such members' payment of any Taxes related to their ownership of the membership interest of the Contributor or as otherwise contemplated by this Agreement, declare, set aside or pay any dividends or distributions in respect of any Contributed Interests, except in the ordinary course of business consistent with past practice and in accordance with the applicable governing document of the Contributor, (ii) issue or authorize the issuance of any other securities in respect of, in lieu of or in substitution for any Contributed Interests or make any other changes to the equity capital structure of the Contributor or the Contributed Entities, or (iii) purchase, redeem or otherwise acquire any Contributed Interests or interests of the Contributed Entities or any other securities thereof;

(b) other than in accordance with Section 4.08(a), issue, deliver, sell, transfer, dispose, mortgage, pledge, assign or otherwise encumber, or cause the issuance, delivery, sale, transfer, disposition, mortgage, pledge, assignment or otherwise encumbrance of, any limited liability company, partnership interests or other equity interests of the Contributor or of the Contributed Entities or any other assets of the Contributor or the Contributed Entities;

(c) amend, modify or terminate any lease, contract or other instruments relating to a Contributed Property, except in the ordinary course of business consistent with past practice;

(d) amend its certificate of formation and limited liability company agreement;

(e) adopt a plan of liquidation, dissolution, merger, consolidation, restructuring, recapitalization or reorganization;

(f) materially alter the manner of keeping the Contributor's or the Contributed Entities' books, accounts or records or the accounting practices therein reflected;

(g) file an entity classification election pursuant to Treasury Regulation Section 301.7701-3(c) on Internal Revenue Service Form 8832 (Entity Classification Election) to treat the Contributor or any Contributed Entity as an association taxable as a corporation for United States federal income tax purposes; make or change any other Tax elections; settle or compromise any claim, notice, audit report or assessment in respect of Taxes; change any annual

Tax accounting period; adopt or change any method of Tax accounting; file any amended Tax Return; enter into any tax allocation agreement, tax sharing agreement, tax indemnity agreement or closing agreement relating to any Tax; surrender of any right to claim a Tax refund; or consent to any extension or waiver of the statute of limitations period applicable to any Tax claim or assessment;

(h) terminate or amend any existing insurance policies affecting any Contributed Property that results in a material reduction in insurance coverage for such Contributed Property;

(i) knowingly cause or permit the Contributor or any Contributed Entity to violate, or fail to use commercially reasonable efforts to cure any violation of, any applicable Laws;

(j) take any action or fail to take any action the result of which would have a Fund Material Adverse Effect; or

(k) authorize, commit or agree to take any of the foregoing actions.

Section 5.02 COMMERCIALY REASONABLE EFFORTS BY THE OPERATING PARTNERSHIP AND THE CONTRIBUTOR. Each of the Operating Partnership and the Contributor shall use commercially reasonable efforts and cooperate with each other in (a) promptly determining whether any filings are required to be made or consents, approvals, waivers, permits or authorizations are required to be obtained (under any applicable Law or regulation or from any Governmental Authority or third party) in connection with the transactions contemplated by this Agreement, and (b) promptly making (or causing to be made) any such filings, in furnishing information required in connection therewith and in timely seeking to obtain any such consents, approvals, waivers, permits and authorizations.

Section 5.03 TAX MATTERS.

(a) So long as some portion of the Contribution Consideration is in the form of OP Units, the parties hereto intend and agree that, for United States federal income tax purposes, the transactions contemplated by this Agreement shall constitute an “assets-over” partnership merger within the meaning of Treasury Regulations Section 1.708-1(c)(3)(i) pursuant to which the Contributor contributes all of its assets and liabilities to the Operating Partnership in exchange for OP Units in a transaction qualifying under Section 721(a) of the Code and immediately thereafter, the Contributor distributes such OP Units to the Nominees. As a result, (i) in accordance with Treasury Regulations Section 1.708-1(c)(4), any payment of cash or REIT Shares attributable to a Nominee shall be treated as a sale by such Nominee of its interests in the Contributor and a purchase of such interests by the Operating Partnership for the cash and/or REIT Shares so paid under the terms of this Agreement, and (ii) Contributor shall cause each such Nominee who receives cash and/or REIT Shares to explicitly agree and consent (the “Sale Consent”) to such treatment in their Consent Forms as a condition to electing such consideration. To the extent the Operating Partnership acquires any interests in the Contributor as described in clause (i) above, or otherwise previously acquired any such interests, for United States federal income tax purposes the receipt by the Operating Partnership of the portion of property

attributable to such interests shall be treated as a distribution by the Contributor in redemption of such interests. Notwithstanding Section 1.02 and any Nominee's election as to the form of its Contribution Consideration, if any Nominee (other than a non-Accredited Investor), fails to execute a Sale Consent prior to the Closing, such Nominee's Contribution Consideration shall consist solely of OP Units. Notwithstanding Sections 1.03 and 2.03(a), any cash paid as the Contribution Consideration shall be paid only after the receipt of a Sale Consent from such Nominee.

(b) All transfer, stamp, documentary, sales, use, registration, value-added and other similar Taxes (including all applicable real estate transfer Taxes) incurred in connection with this Agreement and the transactions contemplated hereby ("Transfer Taxes") will be borne by the Operating Partnership. The parties agree, upon request, to use commercially reasonable efforts to obtain any certificate or other document from any Governmental Authority or any other Person as may be necessary to mitigate, reduce or eliminate any Transfer Taxes that could be imposed in connection with the transactions contemplated hereby.

(c) The Contributor shall timely file or cause to be timely filed when due all income Tax Returns required to be filed by the Contributor and shall pay or cause to be paid all income Taxes required to be paid.

(d) The Operating Partnership shall prepare or cause to be prepared and file or cause to be filed all other Tax Returns of the Contributor and all Tax Returns of each Contributed Entity which are due after the Closing Date. All such Tax Returns shall be prepared in a manner consistent with past practice, except as otherwise required by applicable law.

(e) The REIT, the Operating Partnership and the Contributor shall cooperate fully, as and to the extent reasonably requested by the other party, in connection with the filing of Tax Returns related to the transactions pursuant to this Agreement and any audit, litigation or administrative, judicial or other inquiry or proceeding with respect to Taxes related to the transactions pursuant to this Agreement. Such cooperation shall include the retention and (upon the other party's request) the provision of records and information which are reasonably relevant to any such action or other proceeding and making employees available on a mutually convenient basis to provide additional information and explanation of any material provided hereunder. The REIT, the Operating Partnership and the Contributor further agree, upon request, to use their reasonable efforts to obtain any certificate or other document from any governmental authority or any other Person as may be necessary to mitigate, reduce or eliminate any Tax that could be imposed with respect to the transactions contemplated hereby.

(f) Prior to Closing, the Contributor shall deliver to the Operating Partnership a properly executed certificate prepared in accordance with Treasury regulations section 1.1445-2(b) certifying the Contributor's non-foreign status, and if requested by the Operating Partnership, and any similar withholding certificates or other forms under applicable state, local or foreign Tax laws.

(g) The REIT and the Operating Partnership make no representations or warranties to the Contributor, the Nominees or to the Rexford Entities regarding the Tax treatment of the contributions pursuant to this Agreement or of the other Formation Transactions,

or with respect to any other Tax consequences to the Contributor or any Contributed Entity of this Agreement or the other Formation Transactions. The Contributor acknowledges that each Contributed Entity, the Contributor and the Nominees are relying solely on their own Tax advisors in connection with this Agreement and the other Formation Transactions.

Section 5.04 CONSENT AND WAIVER OF RIGHTS UNDER ORGANIZATIONAL DOCUMENTS. As of the Closing, the Contributor, on its own behalf and, to the extent permitted to do so pursuant to a Consent Form or otherwise, on behalf of each Nominee, waives and relinquishes all rights and benefits otherwise afforded to the Contributor and such Nominees (a) under the Organizational Documents of the Contributed Entities including, without limitation, any rights of appraisal, rights of first offer or first refusal, buy/sell agreements, put, option, or similar parallel exit or dissenter rights in connection with the Formation Transactions and the Offering, and any right to consent to or approve of the sale or contribution or other transaction undertaken by the other equity holders of the Contributed Entities of the Contributed Assets to the Operating Partnership, the REIT or any Affiliate thereof and any and all notice provisions related thereto, (b) to the extent permissible under applicable Laws, any statutory rights with respect to the Contributed Assets or the Contributed Entities and (c) for claims against the REIT or the Operating Partnership for breach by any of their respective present or former officers, directors, managing members, general partners or Affiliates of their fiduciary duties or similar obligations (including duties of disclosure) to any of their respective present or former shareholders, members, partners, equity interest holders or Affiliates or the terms of any applicable Organizational Documents. The Contributor acknowledges, on its own behalf and, to the extent permitted to do so pursuant to a Consent Form or otherwise, on behalf of each Nominee, that the agreements contained herein and the transactions contemplated hereby and any actions taken in contemplation of the transactions contemplated hereby may conflict with, and may not have been contemplated by, the Organizational Documents of any Contributed Entity or other agreements among one or more holders of Contributed Assets or one or more of the partners or members of any Contributed Entity. With respect to each Contributed Entity and each Contributed Property, the Contributor expressly gives, on its own behalf and, to the extent permitted to do so pursuant to a Consent Form or otherwise, on behalf of each Nominee, all consents (and any consents necessary to authorize the proper parties in interest to give all consents) and waivers it is entitled to give that are necessary or desirable to facilitate the contribution or other Formation Transactions relating to such Contributed Entity or Contributed Property. In addition, the Contributor agrees, on its own behalf and, to the extent permitted to do so pursuant to a Consent Form or otherwise, on behalf of each Nominee, that if the transactions contemplated hereby occur, this Agreement shall be deemed to be an amendment to the Organizational Documents of the applicable Contributed Entity to the extent the terms herein conflict with the terms thereof, including without limitation, terms with respect to allocations, distributions and the like. In the event the transactions contemplated by this Agreement do not occur, nothing in this Agreement shall be deemed to be or construed as an amendment or modification of, or commitment of any kind to amend or modify, the Organizational Documents of any Contributed Entity, which shall remain in full force and effect without modification.

Section 5.05 EXCLUDED ASSETS. Prior to the Closing and after such amounts are reasonably determined, the Contributor and the Contributed Entities shall distribute or cause to be distributed or paid out the Excluded Assets identified on Schedule 5.05.

Section 5.06 ALTERNATE TRANSACTION. In the event that the REIT determines that a structure change is necessary, advisable or desirable, the REIT may elect, in its sole and absolute discretion, to effect an Alternate Transaction (subject to the limitations in the definition thereof), without the need for the REIT to seek any further consent or action from the Contributor or any Nominee, and the Contributor shall, and it shall cause its members and Subsidiaries to, enter into such agreements as shall be necessary to consummate the Alternate Transaction. Without limiting the foregoing, in the event that all members of the Contributor return duly executed and completed Consent Forms approving the Formation Transactions, then, in lieu of this Agreement, the REIT may elect to cause the Contributor to enter into an agreement and plan of merger with the Operating Partnership pursuant to which the Contributor will merge with and into the Operating Partnership and the membership interests in the Contributor will be converted automatically into the right to receive cash, REIT Shares and/or OP Units. In the event that an Alternate Transaction is used to effect the transactions contemplated by this Agreement, then the REIT may elect to terminate this Agreement without any liability or obligation to any Person.

Section 5.07 ELIMINATED ASSETS. The parties hereby agree that the Operating Partnership shall have the right, in its sole discretion, to exclude any Contributed Asset, or any interest held directly or indirectly through a Contributed Asset (the "Eliminated Assets"), from this contribution after the date hereof until the Closing, provided that the Operating Partnership shall provide prior written notice to the Contributor regarding such exclusion. Immediately prior to the Closing and after such amounts are reasonably determined, the Contributor and each Contributed Entity shall distribute or cause to be distributed or paid out the Eliminated Assets.

ARTICLE VI

GENERAL PROVISIONS

Section 6.01 NOTICES. All notices and other communications under this Agreement shall be in writing and shall be deemed given when (a) delivered personally, (b) five (5) Business Days after being mailed by certified mail, return receipt requested and postage prepaid, (c) one (1) Business Day after being sent by a nationally recognized overnight courier or (d) transmitted by facsimile if confirmed within twenty-four (24) hours thereafter by a signed original sent in the manner provided in clause (a), (b) or (c) to the parties at the following addresses (or at such other address for a party as shall be specified by notice from such party):

- (a) if to the REIT or the Operating Partnership, to:

Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc.
11620 Wilshire Boulevard, Suite 300
Los Angeles, CA 90025
Facsimile: (310) 966-1690
Attention: Howard Schwimmer and Michael S. Frankel

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- (b) if to the Contributor:
c/o Rexford Industrial, LLC
11620 Wilshire Boulevard, Suite 300
Los Angeles, CA 90025
Facsimile: (310) 966-1690
Attention: Howard Schwimmer and Michael S. Frankel

Section 6.02 DEFINITIONS. For purposes of this Agreement, the following terms shall have the following meanings.

(a) “Accredited Investor” has the meaning set forth under Regulation D of the Securities Act.

(b) “Affiliate” means, with respect to any Person, a Person that, directly or indirectly, through one or more intermediaries, controls, is controlled by, or is under common control with the specified Person. For the purposes of this definition, “control” (including, with correlative meanings, the terms “controlled by” and “under common control with”) as used with respect to any Person, shall mean the possession, directly or indirectly, of the power to direct or cause the direction of the management or policies of such Person, whether through the ownership of voting securities, by agreement or otherwise.

(c) “Allocated Share” means an amount of Contribution Consideration that would be distributed to a Pre-Formation Participant as a Nominee of the Contributor in accordance with the provisions of the Contributor’s Organizational Documents relating to distributions of distributable net proceeds from sales of directly or indirectly owned properties or assets, and assuming the sale of the relevant Target Asset or Target Assets that are directly or indirectly owned by such entity for a value equal to such Target Asset’s or Target Assets’ respective Equity Value(s).

(d) “Alternate Transaction” means any transaction structure, other than that contemplated by this Agreement, pursuant to which the REIT, the Operating Partnership or any of their Subsidiaries acquire all or a portion of the interests in the Contributor or the Contributed Assets or the assets held directly or indirectly by the applicable Rexford Entities in a transaction pursuant to which the Contributor and/or the Nominees receive the amount of cash, the number of OP Units and/or the number of REIT Shares that were to be received by the Contributor and/or the Nominees pursuant to this Agreement (or a portion thereof equal in value to the value of the portion of such assets acquired by the REIT, the Operating Partnership or any of their Subsidiaries pursuant to such Alternate Transaction); *provided*, that such structure will not (i) result in a breach of the Contributor’s or any applicable Contributed Entity’s governing documents and (ii) would not give rise to dissenters’ or appraisal rights by the members of the Contributor, unless such rights have fully waived by all such members in the Consent Forms.

(e) “Assignment and Assumption of Assumed Contracts” means that certain Assignment and Assumption of Assumed Contracts, dated as of the Closing Date and executed by the parties thereto, substantially in the form attached hereto as Exhibit G.

(f) “Assignment and Assumption of Membership Interests” means that certain Assignment and Assumption of Membership Interests, dated as of the Closing Date and executed by the parties thereto, substantially in the form attached hereto as Exhibit H.

(g) “Assumed Contracts” means all contracts, agreements, commitments, understandings and licenses of the Contributor.

(h) “Assumed Liabilities” means any direct or indirect liability, indebtedness, obligation, commitment, expense, claim, deficiency, guaranty or endorsement of or by the Contributor of any type, whether accrued, absolute, contingent, matured, unmatured, known or unknown or otherwise, including, without limitation, all such liabilities, whether past, currently existing or hereafter arising, relating to the ownership of Contributed Assets or the businesses conducted with such Contributed Assets.

(i) “Assumption of Assumed Liabilities” means that certain Assumption of Assumed Liabilities, dated as of the Closing Date and executed by the parties thereto, substantially in the form attached hereto as Exhibit I.

(j) “Bill of Sale” means that certain Bill of Sale, dated as of the Closing Date and executed by the parties thereto, substantially in the form attached hereto as Exhibit J.

(k) “Business Day” means any day that is not a Saturday, Sunday or legal holiday in the State of California.

(l) “Code” means the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, together with the rules and regulations promulgated or issued thereunder.

(m) “Consent Form” means the form provided to each holder of Pre-Formation Interests to consent to the Formation Transactions and to make such holder’s irrevocable elections with respect to consideration to be received by such holder (as Nominee or otherwise) in the Formation Transactions.

(n) “Contributed Assets” means, other than the Excluded Assets, all of the Contributor’s right, title and interest in, under and to all of the assets, properties and rights of the Contributor of every kind, nature and description, whether such assets, properties and rights are real, personal or mixed, tangible or intangible, including without limitation:

(i) the Contributor’s Contributed Interests;

(ii) cash and cash equivalents;

(iii) all accounts or notes receivable held by the Contributor, and any security, claim, remedy or other right related to any of the foregoing;

(iv) all inventory, finished goods, raw materials, work in progress, packaging, supplies, parts and other inventories;

(v) the Assumed Contracts;

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- (vi) all Intellectual Property Assets;
- (vii) all furniture, fixtures, equipment, machinery, tools, vehicles, office equipment, supplies, computers, telephones and other tangible personal property;
- (viii) all permits, including environmental permits, which are held by the Contributor and required for the conduct of the Contributor's business as currently conducted or for the ownership and use of the Contributed Assets;
- (ix) all rights to any actions, claims or suits of any nature available to or being pursued by the Contributor to the extent related to the Contributor's business, the Contributed Assets or the Assumed Liabilities, whether arising by way of counterclaim or otherwise;
- (x) all prepaid expenses, credits, advance payments, claims, security, refunds, rights of recovery, rights of set-off, rights of recoupment, deposits, charges, sums and fees (including any such item relating to the payment of taxes);
- (xi) all of the Contributor's rights under warranties, indemnities and all similar rights against third parties to the extent related to any Contributed Assets;
- (xii) all insurance benefits, including rights and proceeds, arising from or relating to the Contributor's business, the Contributed Assets or the Assumed Liabilities;
- (xiii) originals, or where not available, copies, of all books and records, including, but not limited to, books of account, ledgers and general, financial and accounting records, machinery and equipment maintenance files, customer and tenant data, other records and data (including all correspondence with any Governmental Authority), strategic plans, internal financial statements, marketing and promotional surveys, and other similar documents and data; and
- (xiv) all goodwill and the going concern value of the Contributor's business.
- (o) "Contributed Properties" means all Properties owned directly or indirectly, in whole or in part, by the Contributed Entities, as identified on Schedule 4.01(b).
- (p) "Elected OP Unit Percentage" means, with respect to the Contribution Consideration to be received by any Nominee, the percentage of the Allocated Share that the Nominee has made a Valid Election to receive in the form of OP Units.
- (q) "Elected REIT Share Percentage" means, with respect to the Contribution Consideration to be received by any Nominee, the percentage of the Allocated Share that the Nominee has made a Valid Election to receive in the form of REIT Shares.
- (r) "Entity Specific Debt" has the meaning set forth in Schedule 6.02(e) hereto.

(s) “Environmental Laws” means all federal, state and local Laws governing pollution or the protection of human health or the environment.

(t) “Equity Value” has the meaning set forth in Schedule 6.02(c) hereto.

(u) “Excluded Assets” means (i) the assets identified on Schedule 5.05 and (ii) any interest excluded from the contribution hereunder in accordance with Section 5.07.

(v) “Formation Transaction Documentation” means all of the agreements (including this Agreement) and related documents substantially in the forms accompanying the Request for Consent dated February 22, 2013 and identified in Exhibit K hereto, pursuant to which all of the Rexford Entities and/or the Pre-Formation Interests are to be acquired by the REIT or the Operating Partnership, directly or indirectly, as part of the Formation Transactions.

(w) “Formation Transactions” means the transactions contemplated by this Agreement and the other Formation Transaction Documentation.

(x) “Fund Material Adverse Effect” means any material adverse change in the assets, business, condition (financial or otherwise), results of operation or prospects of the Contributor, the Contributed Entities or Contributed Properties, taken as a whole.

(y) “Fund V Subsequent Investment Amount” has the meaning set forth in Schedule 6.02(c) hereto.

(z) “Governmental Authority” means any government or agency, bureau, board, commission, court, department, official, political subdivision, tribunal or other instrumentality of any government, whether federal, state or local, domestic or foreign.

(aa) “Intellectual Property” means all of the following and similar intangible property and related proprietary rights, interests and protections, however arising, pursuant to the Laws of any jurisdiction throughout the world: (a) trademarks, service marks, trade names, brand names, logos, trade dress and other proprietary indicia of goods and services, whether registered or unregistered, and all registrations and applications for registration of such trademarks, including intent-to-use applications, all issuances, extensions and renewals of such registrations and applications and the goodwill connected with the use of and symbolized by any of the foregoing; (b) internet domain names, whether or not trademarks, registered in any top-level domain by any authorized private registrar or Governmental Authority; (c) original works of authorship in any medium of expression, whether or not published, all copyrights (whether registered or unregistered), all registrations and applications for registration of such copyrights, and all issuances, extensions and renewals of such registrations and applications; (d) confidential or proprietary information, formulas, designs, devices, technology, know-how, research and development, inventions, methods, processes, compositions and other trade secrets, whether or not patentable and whether or not the foregoing has been reduced to a writing or other tangible form, and all improvements, documents and things embodying, incorporating, or referring in any way to the foregoing; (e) patented and patentable designs and inventions, all design, plant and utility patents, letters patent, utility models, pending patent applications and provisional applications and all issuances, divisions, continuations, continuations-in-part, reissues,

extensions, reexaminations and renewals of such patents and applications; (f) all other intellectual property and proprietary rights, of every kind and nature throughout the world and however designated in all media in existence now or hereafter developed (including without limitation, moral rights, character rights, publicity rights, privacy rights and “rental” rights), whether arising by operation of law, contract, license or otherwise; and (g) all rights to sue and recover and retain damages, costs and attorneys’ fees for past, present and future infringement, misappropriation, or other unauthorized use, and any other rights relating to any of the foregoing.

(bb) “Intellectual Property Assets” means all Intellectual Property of the Contributor.

(cc) “Interim Period” has the meaning set forth in Schedule 6.02(c) hereto.

(dd) “Laws” means laws, statutes, rules, regulations, codes, orders, ordinances, judgments, injunctions, decrees and policies of any Governmental Authority, including, without limitation, zoning, land use or other similar rules or ordinances.

(ee) “Liens” means all pledges, claims, liens, charges, restrictions, controls, easements, rights of way, exceptions, reservations, leases, licenses, grants, covenants and conditions, encumbrances and security interests of any kind or nature whatsoever.

(ff) “Lock-Up Agreement” means that certain Lock-Up Agreement, by and between the underwriters and each investor of the REIT and/or the Operating Partnership.

(gg) “Management Companies” means, collectively RIF V Manager, Sponsor, and RI LLC.

(hh) “Offering Closing Date” means the closing date of the Offering.

(ii) “Offering Document” means either (i) in the event the REIT undertakes a public Offering, the REIT’s final prospectus as filed with the SEC; or (ii) in the event the REIT undertakes a private Offering, the REIT’s final offering memorandum (together with any supplements and amendments thereto) used in the Offering.

(jj) “Offering Price” means the initial offering price of a REIT Share in the Offering.

(kk) “OP Material Adverse Effect” means any material adverse change in any of the assets, business, condition (financial or otherwise), results of operation or prospects of the Operating Partnership and each Operating Partnership Subsidiary, taken as a whole.

(ll) “Organizational Documents” means the certificate of formation, certificate of incorporation and bylaws, certificate of limited partnership and limited partnership agreement, limited liability company agreement or operating agreement, of the Contributor or the applicable Contributed Entity.

(mm) “Permitted Liens” means (i) Liens, or deposits made to secure the release of such Liens, securing Taxes, the payment of which is not delinquent or the payment of which (including, without limitation, the amount or validity thereof) is being contested in good faith by appropriate proceedings for which adequate reserves have been made in accordance with GAAP; (ii) zoning, entitlement, building and other land use Laws imposed by Governmental Authorities having jurisdiction over the Contributed Properties; (iii) covenants, conditions, restrictions, easements for public utilities, encroachments, rights of access or other non-monetary matters that do not materially impair the use of the Contributed Properties for the purposes for which they are currently being used or proposed to be used in connection with the relevant Person’s business; (iv) Liens securing financing or credit arrangements existing as of the Closing Date; (v) Liens arising under Leases in effect as of the Closing Date; (vi) any exceptions contained in any title policy (including any policy issued to a secured lender) relating to the Contributed Properties as of the Closing Date; and (vii) mechanics’, carriers’, workers’, repairers’ and similar Liens arising or incurred in the ordinary course of business that are not yet due and payable or the payment of which (including, without limitation, the amount or validity thereof) is being contested in good faith by appropriate proceedings for which adequate reserves have been made in accordance with GAAP, and which are not, in the aggregate, material to the business, operations and financial condition of the Contributed Properties so encumbered.

(nn) “Person” means an individual, corporation, partnership, limited liability company, joint venture, association, trust, unincorporated organization or other entity.

(oo) “Pre-Formation Interests” means the equity interests directly or indirectly held by the Pre-Formation Participants in the Rexford Entities and in the “Rexford Properties” as defined in that certain Confidential Request for Consent and Investment Election dated February 22, 2013.

(pp) “Pre-Formation Participants” means the holders of the equity interests in the relevant RIF Fund Entity and the Management Companies immediately prior to the Formation Transactions, and shall include any other Person contributing any interest or Property to the REIT, the Operating Partnership or any Subsidiary thereof in the Formation Transactions.

(qq) “Properties” means the real properties owned directly or indirectly, in whole or in part, by the Rexford Entities.

(rr) “Registration Rights Agreement” means that certain Registration Rights Agreement, by and among the REIT, the Operating Partnership and the parties identified as a signatory on Schedule A thereto.

(ss) “Rexford Entity” means a RIF Fund Entity, the Management Companies and each of their respective Subsidiaries, as applicable. As used herein, “Rexford Entities” refer to each Rexford Entity, collectively.

(tt) “Securities Act” means the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder.

(uu) “Subsidiary” of any Person means any corporation, partnership, limited liability company, joint venture, trust or other legal entity of which such Person owns (either directly or through or together with another Subsidiary of such Person) either (i) a general

partner, managing member or other similar interest, or (ii)(A) ten percent (10%) or more of the voting power of the voting capital stock or other equity interests, or (B) ten percent (10%) or more of the outstanding voting capital stock or other voting equity interests of such corporation, partnership, limited liability company, joint venture or other legal entity.

(vv) “Target Asset” has the meaning set forth in Schedule 6.02(c) hereto.

(ww) “Tax” means all federal, state, local and foreign income, gross receipts, license, property, withholding, sales, franchise, employment, payroll, goods and services, stamp, environmental, customs duties, capital stock, social security, transfer, alternative minimum, excise and other taxes, tariffs or governmental charges of any nature whatsoever, including estimated taxes, together with penalties, interest or additions to Tax with respect thereto, whether or not disputed.

(xx) “Tax Matters Agreement” means that certain Tax Matters Agreement, by and among the REIT, the Operating Partnership and the other parties identified signatories therein.

(yy) “Tax Return” means any return, declaration, report, claim for refund, or information return or statement relating to Taxes, including any schedule or attachment thereto, and including any amendment thereof.

(zz) “Valid Election” means, with respect to any Nominee, an irrevocable election to receive all or a portion of its Allocated Share in the form of OP Units or REIT Shares as indicated on the properly completed and timely received Consent Form of the Nominee or a Consent Form as to which any deficiencies have been waived by the REIT.

Section 6.03 COUNTERPARTS. This Agreement may be executed in counterparts, all of which shall be considered one and the same agreement and shall become effective when one or more counterparts have been signed by each party and delivered to each other party.

Section 6.04 ENTIRE AGREEMENT; THIRD-PARTY BENEFICIARIES. This Agreement, the other Formation Transaction Documentation and the Consent Forms to which the Nominees are a party, including, without limitation, the exhibits and schedules hereto and thereto, constitute the entire agreement and, except as set forth in Section 2.05, supersede each prior agreement and understanding, whether written or oral, among the parties regarding the subject matter of this Agreement. This Agreement is not intended to confer any rights or remedies on any Person (including any Nominee) other than the parties hereto.

Section 6.05 GOVERNING LAW. This Agreement shall be governed by, and construed in accordance with, the Laws of the State of California, regardless of any Laws that might otherwise govern under applicable principles of conflicts of laws thereof.

Section 6.06 ASSIGNMENT. This Agreement shall be binding upon, and shall be enforceable by and inure to the benefit of, the parties hereto and their respective heirs, legal representatives, successors and assigns; *provided, however*, that this Agreement may not be assigned (except by operation of law) by any party without the prior written consent of the other parties, and any attempted assignment without such consent shall be null and void and of no force and effect, except that the Operating Partnership may assign its rights and obligations hereunder to an Affiliate.

Section 6.07 JURISDICTION. The parties hereto hereby (a) submit to the exclusive jurisdiction of any state or federal court sitting in the County of Los Angeles, with respect to any dispute arising out of this Agreement or any transaction contemplated hereby to the extent such courts would have subject matter jurisdiction with respect to such dispute and (b) irrevocably waive, and agree not to assert by way of motion, defense, or otherwise, in any such action, any claim that it is not subject personally to the jurisdiction of the above-named courts, that its property is exempt or immune from attachment or execution, that the action is brought in an inconvenient forum, or that the venue of the action is improper.

Section 6.08 DISPUTE RESOLUTION. The parties intend that this Section 6.08 will be valid, binding, enforceable, exclusive and irrevocable and that it shall survive any termination of this Agreement.

(a) Upon any dispute, controversy or claim arising out of or relating to this Agreement or the enforcement, breach, termination or validity thereof (“Dispute”), the party raising the Dispute will give written notice to the other parties to the Dispute describing the nature of the Dispute following which the parties to such Dispute shall attempt for a period of ten (10) Business Days from receipt by the parties of notice of such Dispute to resolve such Dispute by negotiation between representatives of the parties hereto who have authority to settle such Dispute. All such negotiations shall be confidential and any statements or offers made therein shall be treated as compromise and settlement negotiations for purposes of any applicable rules of evidence and shall not be admissible as evidence in any subsequent proceeding for any purpose. The statute of limitations applicable to the commencement of a lawsuit shall apply to the commencement of an arbitration hereunder, except that no defense based on the running of the statute of limitations will be available based upon the passage of time during any such negotiation. Regardless of the foregoing, a party shall have the right to seek immediate injunctive relief pursuant to Section 6.08(c), below without regard to any such ten (10) Business Day negotiation period.

(b) Any Dispute (including the determination of the scope or applicability of this agreement to arbitrate) that is not resolved pursuant to Section 6.08(a) above shall be submitted to final and binding arbitration in California before one neutral and impartial arbitrator, in accordance with the Laws of the State of California for agreements made in and to be performed in that State. The arbitration shall be administered by JAMS, Inc. (“JAMS”) pursuant to its Comprehensive Arbitration Rules and Procedures, as in effect on the date hereof. Each of the REIT and the Operating Partnership, on the one hand, and the Contributor, on the other hand, shall appoint one arbitrator within fifteen (15) days of a demand for arbitration. If the REIT and the Operating Partnership and the Contributor cannot mutually agree upon an arbitrator within such 15-day period, the arbitrator shall be appointed by JAMS in accordance with its Comprehensive Arbitration Rules and Procedures, as in effect on the date hereof. The arbitrator shall designate the place and time of the hearing. The hearing shall be scheduled to begin as soon as practicable and no later than sixty (60) days after the appointment of the arbitrator (unless such period is extended by the arbitrator for good cause shown) and shall be conducted as expeditiously as possible. The award, which shall set forth the arbitrator’s findings

of fact and conclusions of law, shall be filed with JAMS and mailed to the parties no later than thirty (30) days after the close of the arbitration hearing. The arbitration award shall be final and binding on the parties and not subject to collateral attack. Judgment upon the arbitration award may be entered in any federal or state court having jurisdiction thereof.

(c) Notwithstanding the parties' agreement to submit all Disputes to final and binding arbitration before JAMS, the parties shall have the right to seek and obtain temporary or preliminary injunctive relief in any court having jurisdiction thereof. Such courts shall have authority to, among other things, grant temporary or provisional injunctive relief in order to protect any party's rights under this Agreement. Without prejudice to such provisional remedies as may be available under the jurisdiction of a court, the arbitral tribunal shall have full authority to grant provisional remedies and to direct the parties to request that any court modify or vacate any temporary or preliminary relief issued by such court, and to award damages for the failure of any party to respect the arbitral tribunal's orders to that effect.

(d) The prevailing party shall be entitled to recover its costs and reasonable attorneys' fees, and the non-prevailing party shall pay all expenses and fees of JAMS, all costs of the stenographic record, all expenses of witnesses or proofs that may have been produced at the direction of the arbitrator, and the fees, costs, and expenses of the arbitrator. The arbitrator shall allocate such costs and designate the prevailing party or parties for these purposes.

Section 6.09 SEVERABILITY. Each provision of this Agreement will be interpreted so as to be effective and valid under applicable Law, but if any provision is held invalid, illegal or unenforceable under applicable Law in any jurisdiction, then such invalidity, illegality or unenforceability will not affect any other provision, and this Agreement will be reformed, construed and enforced in such jurisdiction as if such invalid, illegal or unenforceable provision had never been included herein.

Section 6.10 RULES OF CONSTRUCTION.

(a) The parties hereto agree that they have had the opportunity to be represented by counsel during the negotiation, preparation and execution of this Agreement and, therefore, waive the application of any Law, regulation, holding or rule of construction providing that ambiguities in an agreement or other document will be construed against the party drafting such agreement or document.

(b) The words "hereof," "herein" and "herewith" and words of similar import shall, unless otherwise stated, be construed to refer to this Agreement as a whole and not to any particular provision of this Agreement, and article, section, paragraph, exhibit and schedule references are to the articles, sections, paragraphs, exhibits and schedules of this Agreement unless otherwise specified. Whenever the words "include," "includes" or "including" are used in this Agreement, they shall be deemed to be followed by the words "without limitation." All terms defined in this Agreement shall have the defined meanings contained herein when used in any certificate or other document made or delivered pursuant hereto unless otherwise defined therein. The definitions contained in this Agreement are applicable to the singular as well as the plural forms of such terms and to the masculine as well as to the feminine and neuter genders of such terms. Unless explicitly stated otherwise herein, any agreement, instrument or statute

defined or referred to herein or in any agreement or instrument that is referred to herein means such agreement, instrument or statute as from time to time, amended, qualified or supplemented, including (in the case of agreements and instruments) by waiver or consent and (in the case of statutes) by succession of comparable successor statutes and all attachments thereto and instruments incorporated therein. References to a Person are also to its permitted successors and assigns.

Section 6.11 EQUITABLE REMEDIES. The parties agree that irreparable damage would occur to the Operating Partnership in the event that any of the provisions of this Agreement were not performed in accordance with their specific terms or were otherwise breached. It is accordingly agreed that the Operating Partnership shall be entitled to an injunction or injunctions to prevent breaches of this Agreement by a Contributor and to enforce specifically the terms and provisions hereof in any federal or state court located in California, this being in addition to any other remedy to which the Operating Partnership is entitled under this Agreement or otherwise at law or in equity.

Section 6.12 TIME OF THE ESSENCE. Time is of the essence with respect to all obligations under this Agreement.

Section 6.13 DESCRIPTIVE HEADINGS. The descriptive headings herein are inserted for convenience only and are not intended to be part of or to affect the meaning or interpretation of this Agreement.

Section 6.14 NO PERSONAL LIABILITY CONFERRED. This Agreement shall not create or permit any personal liability or obligation on the part of any officer, director, partner, employee or shareholder of the Operating Partnership or the Contributor.

Section 6.15 CONSENT OF PARTNER, MANAGER or MEMBER. In accordance with the terms of certain of the agreements governing the Contributed Interests, the undersigned, in its capacity as a partner, manager or member of one or more of the Contributed Entities, consents to the applicable transfers contemplated in Section 1.01 hereof and the admission of the Operating Partnership as a substituted partner or member in each applicable Contributed Entity and waives any right of first refusal which the undersigned has with respect of the transfer of any of the Contributed Interests to the Operating Partnership.

Section 6.16 WAIVER OF SECTION 1542 PROTECTIONS. As of the Closing Date, each of the parties hereto expressly acknowledges that it has had, or has had and waived, the opportunity to be advised by independent legal counsel and hereby waives and relinquishes all rights and benefits afforded by Section 1542 of the California Civil Code and does so understanding and acknowledging the significance and consequence of such specific waiver of Section 1542 which provides:

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

Section 6.17 AMENDMENTS. This Agreement may be amended by appropriate instrument, without the consent of the Contributor, at any time prior to the Closing Date; *provided*, that no such amendment, modification or supplement shall be made that alters the amount or changes the form of the consideration to be delivered to the Contributor, without the prior written consent of the Contributor.

[SIGNATURE PAGES FOLLOW]

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have caused this Agreement to be signed by their respective duly authorized officers or representatives, all as of the date first written above.

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, L.P.,
a Maryland limited partnership

By: REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, INC.,
a Maryland corporation
Its: General Partner

By: /s/ Howard Schwimmer
Name: Howard Schwimmer
Title: Co-Chief Executive Officer

By: /s/ Michael Frankel
Name: Michael S. Frankel
Title: Co-Chief Executive Officer

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, INC.,
a Maryland corporation

By: /s/ Howard Schwimmer
Name: Howard Schwimmer
Title: Co-Chief Executive Officer

By: /s/ Michael Frankel
Name: Michael S. Frankel
Title: Co-Chief Executive Officer

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL FUND IV, LLC,
a California limited liability company

By: REXFORD INDUSTRIAL, LLC
a California limited liability company
Its: Manager

By: /s/ Howard Schwimmer
Name: Howard Schwimmer
Title: Manager

[Signature Page to Fund IV Contribution Agreement]

AGREEMENT AND PLAN OF MERGER

by and among

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, INC.,

and

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL FUND V REIT, LLC

Dated as of July 24, 2013

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AGREEMENT AND PLAN OF MERGER

THIS AGREEMENT AND PLAN OF MERGER is made and entered into as of July 24, 2013 (this "Agreement"), by and among Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc., a Maryland corporation (the "REIT") and Rexford Industrial Fund V REIT, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company (the "RIF V REIT"). Certain capitalized terms are defined in Section 6.02 of this Agreement.

RECITALS

WHEREAS, the REIT desires to consolidate the ownership of a portfolio of properties currently owned, directly or indirectly, by certain entities each as described on Exhibit A hereto;

WHEREAS, pursuant to this Agreement, RIF V REIT will merge with and into the REIT (the "Merger") and the equity interest in the RIF V REIT (the "RIF V REIT Interests") will be converted automatically into the right to receive cash, without interest, or shares of common stock of the REIT, par value \$.01 per share ("REIT Shares");

WHEREAS, concurrently with the execution of this Agreement, Rexford Industrial Fund V, LP, a Delaware limited partnership ("RIF V Fund"), will enter into an agreement and plan of merger with Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P., a Maryland limited partnership (the "Operating Partnership"), pursuant to which RIF V Fund will merge with and into the Operating Partnership and the partnership interests in RIF V Fund will (a) be converted automatically into the right to receive cash, without interest, REIT Shares and/or common units of partnership interest in the Operating Partnership ("OP Units") and (b) in the case of the partnership interests in RIF V Fund held by RIF V Manager or the REIT, cancelled;

WHEREAS, concurrently with the execution of this Agreement, Rexford Sponsor V LLC, a Delaware limited liability company ("Sponsor"), will enter into an agreement and plan of merger pursuant to which Sponsor will merge with and into a direct wholly-owned subsidiary of the Operating Partnership with Sponsor as the surviving entity, and the equity interests in Sponsor will be converted automatically into the right to receive cash, without interest, OP Units and/or REIT Shares;

WHEREAS, concurrently with the execution of this Agreement, Rexford Industrial, LLC, a California limited liability company ("RI LLC"), will enter into an agreement and plan of merger pursuant to which RI LLC will merge with and into a direct wholly-owned subsidiary of the Operating Partnership, with RI LLC as the surviving entity, and the equity interests in RI LLC will be converted automatically into the right to receive cash, without interest, OP Units and/or REIT Shares;

WHEREAS, concurrently with the execution of this Agreement, Rexford Fund V Manager LLC, a Delaware limited liability company ("RIF V Manager"), will enter into an agreement and plan of merger pursuant to which RIF V Manager will merge with and into an indirect wholly-owned subsidiary of the Operating Partnership, with RIF V Manager as the surviving entity, and the equity interests in RIF V Manager will be converted automatically into the right to receive cash, without interest, OP Units and/or REIT Shares;

WHEREAS, concurrently with the execution of this Agreement, the REIT and the Operating Partnership will enter into separate contribution agreements (the “RIF Fund Contribution Agreements”) with each of Rexford Industrial Fund I, LLC, Rexford Industrial Fund II, LLC, Rexford Industrial Fund III, LLC and Rexford Industrial Fund IV, LLC (each such entity may be referred to herein as a “Contributor,” each such entity, RIF V REIT and RIF V Fund may be referred to herein as a “RIF Fund Entity”), pursuant to which (a) each Contributor will contribute to the Operating Partnership all of such Contributor’s direct and indirect interests in the entities identified as “Contributed Entities” on Exhibit A hereto (the “Contributed Interests”) and the other contributed properties and contributed assets identified in each such RIF Fund Contribution Agreement, and (b) the Operating Partnership shall acquire from each Contributor, all of such Contributor’s right, title and interest in and to such Contributed Interests and the other contributed properties and contributed assets, in exchange for a combination of cash, without interest, REIT Shares and/or OP Units and the assumption by the Operating Partnership of the assumed liabilities identified in each such RIF Fund Contribution Agreement all on the terms and subject to the conditions set forth therein;

WHEREAS, in the event that all members of a Contributor return duly executed and completed Consent Forms approving the Formation Transactions, then, in lieu of the applicable RIF Fund Contribution Agreement, the REIT may elect to cause the applicable Contributor to enter into an agreement and plan of merger with the Operating Partnership pursuant to which such Contributor will merge with and into the Operating Partnership and the membership interests in such Contributor will be converted automatically into the right to receive cash, REIT Shares and/or OP Units;

WHEREAS, the Formation Transactions relate to the initial public offering of the REIT Shares or, depending on prevailing market conditions at the time of the offering, a private offering of the REIT Shares (the “Offering”), following which the REIT will operate as a self-administered and self-managed real estate investment trust within the meaning of Section 856 of the Code;

WHEREAS, substantially concurrently with the completion of the Formation Transactions and the Offering, the REIT will contribute to the Operating Partnership, all of the assets (other than OP Units), rights and obligations acquired by the REIT as a result of the Formation Transactions and the Offering;

WHEREAS, all necessary approvals have been obtained by each of the REIT and the RIF V REIT to consummate the transactions contemplated herein and by the other Formation Transaction Documentation.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the foregoing and the representations, warranties, covenants and other terms contained in this Agreement, the parties hereto, intending to be legally bound hereby, agree as follows:

ARTICLE I

THE MERGER

Section 1.01 THE MERGER. At the Effective Time, and subject to the terms and conditions contained in this Agreement and in accordance with applicable Laws, the RIF V REIT shall be merged with and into the REIT whereby the separate existence of the RIF V REIT shall cease, and the REIT shall continue its existence under Maryland law as the surviving entity (hereinafter sometimes referred to as the "Surviving Entity").

Section 1.02 EFFECTIVE TIME. Subject to and upon the terms and conditions of this Agreement, concurrently with or as soon as practicable after (i) the execution by the REIT and the Operating Partnership of the Underwriting Agreement and (ii) the satisfaction or waiver of the conditions set forth in Article II, the REIT and the RIF V REIT shall file articles of merger or similar documents with respect to the Merger (the "Certificate of Merger") as may be required by applicable Laws, with the State Department of Assessments and Taxation of Maryland ("SDAT") and the Secretary of State of the State of Delaware providing that the Merger shall become effective upon filing or at such later date and time set forth in the Certificate of Merger with respect to such Merger that is not more than 30 days after the Certificate of Merger is accepted by the SDAT (the "Effective Time"), together with any certificates and other filings or recordings related thereto, in such forms as are required by, and executed in accordance with the relevant provisions of applicable Laws.

Section 1.03 EFFECT OF THE MERGER. At the Effective Time, the effect of the Merger shall be as provided in this Agreement, the Certificate of Merger and applicable Laws.

Section 1.04 ORGANIZATIONAL DOCUMENTS. At the Effective Time, (i) the charter of the REIT, as in effect immediately prior to the Effective Time (the "REIT Charter"), shall be the charter of the Surviving Entity until thereafter amended as provided therein or in accordance with Maryland General Corporation Law (the "MGCL"), and (ii) the bylaws of the REIT, as in effect immediately prior to the Effective Time, shall be the bylaws of the Surviving Entity until thereafter amended as provided therein or in accordance with the MGCL.

Section 1.05 CONVERSION OF THE RIF V REIT INTERESTS.

(a) Under and subject to the terms and conditions of the respective Formation Transaction Documentation, each Pre-Formation Participant is irrevocably bound to accept and entitled to receive, as a result of and upon consummation of the Merger or other Formation Transactions, a specified share of the Rexford Entities as a whole in the form of the right to receive cash or REIT Shares as calculated in this Section 1.05.

(b) At the Effective Time, by virtue of the Merger and without any action on the part of the parties hereto, except as set forth in this Agreement, each RIF V REIT Interest shall be converted automatically into the right to receive cash or REIT Shares with an aggregate value equal to the portion of the Equity Value of the assets of RIF V Fund represented by such RIF V REIT Interest (collectively, but, for the avoidance of doubt, excluding any consideration payable to such Pre-Formation Participants pursuant to the Formation Transactions, in respect of

Pre-Formation Interests in any Rexford Entity other than the RIF V REIT, referred to as the “Merger Consideration”). The portion of the Equity Value of the assets of RIF V Fund “represented by” a RIF V REIT Interest shall be calculated using the same methodology used to calculate the Allocated Share of a holder of such RIF V REIT Interest.

(c) Subject to Section 1.07, the amount of cash or REIT Shares comprising the Merger Consideration for each RIF V REIT Interest so converted shall be as follows:

(i) Cash. One hundred percent (100%) of the Allocated Share attributable to a Pre-Formation Participant who is not an Accredited Investor shall be paid in cash.

(ii) REIT Shares. The Allocated Share attributable to a Pre-Formation Participant who is an Accredited Investor shall be distributed in whole REIT Shares in the form of a number of REIT Shares equal to such Allocated Share divided by the Offering Price; *provided, that* to the extent such distribution of REIT Shares to such Pre-Formation Participant would result in a violation of the restrictions on ownership and transfer set forth in Section 6.2.1 of the REIT’s charter (the “Ownership Limits”), such Pre-Formation Participant shall receive (x) the maximum number of whole REIT Shares that would not result in such a violation of the Ownership Limits, and (y) an amount of cash equal to the product of the remaining number of REIT Shares not distributed as a result of the application of the foregoing clause (x) multiplied by the Offering Price.

Section 1.06 CANCELLATION AND RETIREMENT OF RIF V REIT INTERESTS. From and after the Effective Time, (i) each RIF V REIT Interest converted into the right to receive the Merger Consideration pursuant to Section 1.05(a) shall no longer be outstanding and shall automatically be cancelled and retired and shall cease to exist, and each holder of such RIF V REIT Interest so converted shall thereafter cease to have any rights as a member of the RIF V REIT except the right to receive the Merger Consideration applicable thereto, and (ii) each RIF V REIT Interest issued and outstanding that is owned by the REIT, the Operating Partnership or any of their direct or indirect wholly-owned Subsidiaries shall no longer be outstanding and shall automatically be cancelled and retired and shall cease to exist and no consideration shall be delivered hereunder in exchange therefor.

Section 1.07 FRACTIONAL INTERESTS. No fractional REIT Shares shall be issued in the Merger or the other Formation Transactions. All fractional REIT Shares that a holder of RIF V REIT Interests would otherwise be entitled to receive as a result of the Merger and the other Formation Transactions shall be aggregated, and each holder shall receive the number of whole REIT Shares resulting from such aggregation and, in lieu of any fractional REIT Share resulting from such aggregation, an amount in cash determined by multiplying that fraction of a REIT Share to which such holder would otherwise have been entitled, by the Offering Price. No interest will be paid or will accrue on any cash paid or payable in lieu of any fractional REIT Share.

Section 1.08 FURTHER ACTION. If, at any time after the Effective Time, the Surviving Entity shall determine or be advised that any deeds, bills of sale, assignments (including any intellectual property assignments), assurances or any other actions or things are

necessary or desirable to vest, perfect or confirm of record or otherwise in the Surviving Entity the right, title or interest in, to or under any of the rights, properties or assets of the RIF V REIT acquired or to be acquired by the Surviving Entity as a result of, or in connection with, the Merger or otherwise to carry out this Agreement, the Surviving Entity shall be authorized to execute and deliver, in the name and on behalf of the RIF V REIT all such deeds, bills of sale, assignments (including any intellectual property assignments) and assurances and to take and do, in the name and on behalf of any RIF V REIT Interests all such other actions and things as may be necessary or desirable to vest, perfect or confirm any and all right, title and interest in, to and under such rights, properties or assets in the Surviving Entity or otherwise to carry out this Agreement.

Section 1.09 CALCULATION OF MERGER CONSIDERATION. As soon as practicable following the determination of the Offering Price and prior to the filing of the Certificate of Merger, all calculations relating to the Merger Consideration shall be performed in good faith by, or under the direction of, the REIT, and the parties hereby agree that, absent manifest error, such calculations shall be final and binding upon the holders of RIF V REIT Interests.

ARTICLE II

CLOSING

Section 2.01 CONDITIONS PRECEDENT.

(a) Condition to Each Party's Obligations. The respective obligation of each party to effect the Merger contemplated by this Agreement and to consummate the other transactions contemplated hereby to occur on the Closing Date is subject to the satisfaction or waiver on or prior to the Effective Time of the following conditions:

(i) Registration Statement. If the REIT undertakes a public Offering, the public Offering registration statement must have been declared effective under the Securities Act and will not be the subject of any stop order or proceedings by the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC") seeking a stop order. This condition may not be waived by any party.

(ii) No Injunction. No Governmental Authority of competent jurisdiction shall have enacted, issued, promulgated, enforced or entered any statute, rule, regulation, executive order, decree, judgment, injunction, stay or other order (whether temporary, preliminary or permanent), in any case which is in effect and which prevents or prohibits consummation of any of the transactions contemplated in this Agreement nor shall any of the same brought by a Governmental Authority of competent jurisdiction be pending or threatened that seeks the foregoing.

(iii) Operating Partnership Agreement. The Operating Partnership Agreement, in substantially the form attached hereto as Exhibit B, shall have been executed and delivered by the partners of the Operating Partnership and shall be in full force and effect and, except as contemplated by Section 2.03 or the other Formation Transaction Documents, shall not have been amended or modified.

(b) Conditions to the Obligations of the REIT. The obligations of the REIT to effect the Merger contemplated by this Agreement and to consummate the other transactions contemplated hereby to occur on the Closing Date are further subject to satisfaction of the following conditions (any of which may be waived by the REIT in whole or in part):

(i) Representations and Warranties. The representations and warranties of the RIF V REIT contained in this Agreement shall be true and correct in all material respects at the Closing as if made again at that time (except to the extent that any representation or warranty speaks as of an earlier date, in which case it must be true and correct only as of that earlier date).

(ii) Performance by the RIF V REIT. The RIF V REIT shall have performed each of the agreements and covenants required by this Agreement to be performed or complied with by it on or prior to the Closing Date and the RIF V REIT shall not have breached any of its covenants contained herein in any material respect.

(iii) Offering Closing. The closing of the Offering shall occur substantially concurrently with the Closing.

(iv) Consents, Etc. All necessary consents and approvals of Governmental Authorities or third parties (including lenders) for the RIF V REIT to consummate the transactions contemplated hereby shall have been obtained.

(v) No RIF V REIT Material Adverse Effect. There shall have not occurred between the date hereof and the Closing Date a RIF V REIT Material Adverse Effect.

(vi) Formation Transactions. The Formation Transactions shall have been or shall be consummated substantially concurrently in accordance with the timing set forth in the respective Formation Transaction Documentation.

(vii) Lock-Up Agreement. Each of the Pre-Formation Participants owning interests in the RIF V REIT shall have entered into the Lock-Up Agreement substantially in the form attached as Exhibit C.

(c) Conditions to the Obligations of the RIF V REIT. The obligation of the RIF V REIT to effect the Merger contemplated by this Agreement and to consummate the other transactions contemplated hereby to occur on the Closing Date are further subject to satisfaction of the following conditions (any of which may be waived by the RIF V REIT in whole or in part):

(i) Representations and Warranties. Except as would not have a REIT Material Adverse Effect, the representations and warranties of the REIT contained in this Agreement shall be true and correct at the Closing as if made again at that time (except to the extent that any representation or warranty speaks as of an earlier date, in which case it must be true and correct only as of that earlier date).

(ii) Performance by the REIT. Except as would not have a REIT Material Adverse Effect, the REIT shall have performed all agreements and covenants required by this Agreement to be performed or complied with by it on or prior to the Closing Date.

(iii) Registration Rights Agreement. The REIT shall have entered into the Registration Rights Agreement, substantially in the form attached as Exhibit D hereto. This condition may not be waived by any party hereto.

Section 2.02 TIME AND PLACE. Unless this Agreement shall have been terminated pursuant to Section 2.06, and subject to the satisfaction or waiver of the conditions in Section 2.01, the filing of the Certificate of Merger, the Effective Time and the closing of the Merger contemplated by Section 1.01 and the other transactions contemplated by this Agreement shall occur substantially concurrently with the receipt by the REIT of the proceeds from the Offering from the underwriters (the “Closing” or the “Closing Date”) in the order set forth on Exhibit E. The Closing shall take place at the offices of Latham & Watkins LLP, 355 South Grand Avenue, Los Angeles, California 90071 or such other place as determined by the REIT in its sole discretion.

Section 2.03 DELIVERY OF MERGER CONSIDERATION.

(a) As soon as reasonably practicable after the Effective Time, the Surviving Entity (or its successor in interest) shall deliver to each holder of RIF V REIT Interests, whose RIF V REIT Interests have been converted into the right to receive the Merger Consideration pursuant to Section 1.05(b) hereof, the Merger Consideration payable to such holder in the amounts and form provided in Section 1.05(c) hereof. Any certificate representing REIT Shares issuable as Merger Consideration shall bear the following legend:

THE SECURITIES REPRESENTED HEREBY HAVE NOT BEEN REGISTERED UNDER THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933, AS AMENDED (THE “ACT”), OR THE SECURITIES LAWS OF ANY STATE AND MAY NOT BE SOLD, TRANSFERRED OR OTHERWISE DISPOSED OF IN THE ABSENCE OF SUCH REGISTRATION, UNLESS THE TRANSFEROR DELIVERS TO THE CORPORATION AN OPINION OF COUNSEL SATISFACTORY TO THE CORPORATION, TO THE EFFECT THAT THE PROPOSED SALE, TRANSFER OR OTHER DISPOSITION MAY BE EFFECTED WITHOUT REGISTRATION UNDER THE ACT AND UNDER APPLICABLE STATE SECURITIES OR “BLUE SKY” LAWS.

THE SHARES REPRESENTED BY THIS CERTIFICATE ARE SUBJECT TO RESTRICTIONS ON BENEFICIAL AND CONSTRUCTIVE OWNERSHIP AND TRANSFER FOR THE PURPOSE OF THE CORPORATION’S MAINTENANCE OF ITS STATUS AS A REAL ESTATE INVESTMENT TRUST UNDER THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE OF 1986, AS AMENDED (THE “CODE”). SUBJECT TO CERTAIN

FURTHER RESTRICTIONS AND EXCEPT AS EXPRESSLY PROVIDED IN THE CORPORATION'S CHARTER, (I) NO PERSON MAY BENEFICIALLY OR CONSTRUCTIVELY OWN SHARES OF THE CORPORATION'S COMMON STOCK IN EXCESS OF 9.8% (IN VALUE OR NUMBER OF SHARES) OF THE OUTSTANDING SHARES OF COMMON STOCK OF THE CORPORATION UNLESS SUCH PERSON IS AN EXCEPTED HOLDER (IN WHICH CASE THE EXCEPTED HOLDER LIMIT SHALL BE APPLICABLE); (II) NO PERSON MAY BENEFICIALLY OR CONSTRUCTIVELY OWN SHARES OF CAPITAL STOCK OF THE CORPORATION IN EXCESS OF 9.8% OF THE VALUE OF THE TOTAL OUTSTANDING SHARES OF CAPITAL STOCK OF THE CORPORATION, UNLESS SUCH PERSON IS AN EXCEPTED HOLDER (IN WHICH CASE THE EXCEPTED HOLDER LIMIT SHALL BE APPLICABLE); (III) NO PERSON MAY BENEFICIALLY OR CONSTRUCTIVELY OWN CAPITAL STOCK THAT COULD RESULT IN THE CORPORATION BEING "CLOSELY HELD" UNDER SECTION 856(h) OF THE CODE OR OTHERWISE CAUSE THE CORPORATION TO FAIL TO QUALIFY AS A REIT; AND (IV) NO PERSON MAY TRANSFER SHARES OF CAPITAL STOCK IF SUCH TRANSFER WOULD RESULT IN THE CAPITAL STOCK OF THE CORPORATION BEING OWNED BY FEWER THAN 100 PERSONS. ANY PERSON WHO BENEFICIALLY OR CONSTRUCTIVELY OWNS OR ATTEMPTS TO BENEFICIALLY OR CONSTRUCTIVELY OWN SHARES OF CAPITAL STOCK WHICH CAUSES OR MAY CAUSE A PERSON TO BENEFICIALLY OR CONSTRUCTIVELY OWN SHARES OF CAPITAL STOCK IN EXCESS OR IN VIOLATION OF THE ABOVE LIMITATIONS MUST IMMEDIATELY NOTIFY THE CORPORATION OR, IN THE CASE OF SUCH A PROPOSED OR ATTEMPTED TRANSACTION, GIVE AT LEAST 15 DAYS PRIOR WRITTEN NOTICE. IF ANY OF THE RESTRICTIONS ON TRANSFER OR OWNERSHIP SET FORTH IN (I) THROUGH (III) ABOVE ARE VIOLATED, THE SHARES OF CAPITAL STOCK REPRESENTED HEREBY WILL BE AUTOMATICALLY TRANSFERRED TO A TRUSTEE OF A TRUST FOR THE BENEFIT OF ONE OR MORE CHARITABLE BENEFICIARIES. IN ADDITION, THE CORPORATION MAY TAKE OTHER ACTIONS, INCLUDING REDEEMING SHARES UPON THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS SPECIFIED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS IN ITS SOLE AND ABSOLUTE DISCRETION IF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS DETERMINES THAT OWNERSHIP OR A

TRANSFER OR OTHER EVENT MAY VIOLATE THE RESTRICTIONS DESCRIBED ABOVE. FURTHERMORE, UPON THE OCCURRENCE OF CERTAIN EVENTS, ATTEMPTED TRANSFERS IN VIOLATION OF THE RESTRICTIONS DESCRIBED ABOVE MAY BE VOID AB INITIO. ALL UNDERLINED TERMS IN THIS LEGEND HAVE THE MEANINGS DEFINED IN THE CHARTER OF THE CORPORATION, AS THE SAME MAY BE AMENDED FROM TIME TO TIME, A COPY OF WHICH, INCLUDING THE RESTRICTIONS ON TRANSFER AND OWNERSHIP, WILL BE FURNISHED TO EACH HOLDER OF CAPITAL STOCK OF THE CORPORATION ON REQUEST AND WITHOUT CHARGE. REQUESTS FOR SUCH A COPY MAY BE DIRECTED TO THE SECRETARY OF THE CORPORATION AT ITS PRINCIPAL OFFICE.

(b) The Surviving Entity (or its successor in interest) shall not be liable to any holder of a RIF V REIT Interest for any portion of the Merger Consideration delivered to a public official pursuant to any applicable abandoned property, escheat or similar Law.

(c) It is intended that the Merger contemplated by this Agreement shall be treated as a “reorganization” within the meaning of Section 368(a) of the Code, and the regulations promulgated thereunder, and that this Agreement will be, and is, adopted as a plan of reorganization.

Section 2.04 CLOSING DELIVERIES. At the Closing, the parties shall make, execute, acknowledge and deliver, or cause to be made, executed, acknowledged and delivered any other documents reasonably requested by the REIT or reasonably necessary or desirable to assign, transfer, convey, contribute and deliver the RIF V REIT Interests, free and clear of all Liens and to effectuate the transactions contemplated hereby.

Section 2.05 CLOSING COSTS. If the Closing occurs, the REIT and the Operating Partnership shall be solely responsible for all transaction costs and expenses of the REIT, the Operating Partnership and the Rexford Entities in connection with the Formation Transactions and the Offering, which include, but are not limited to, the underwriting discounts and commissions. In the event the Closing does not occur, each party shall be responsible for its allocable portion of such costs and expenses in accordance with the terms of those certain letter agreements identified on Schedule 2.05.

Section 2.06 TERM OF THE AGREEMENT. This Agreement shall terminate automatically if the transactions contemplated herein shall not have been consummated on or prior to December 31, 2013 (such date is hereinafter referred to as the “Outside Date”).

Section 2.07 EFFECT OF TERMINATION. In the event of termination of this Agreement for any reason, all obligations on the part of the REIT and the RIF V REIT under this Agreement shall terminate, except that the obligations set forth in Article VI shall survive, it being understood and agreed, however, for the avoidance of doubt, that if this Agreement is terminated because one or more of the conditions to the non-breaching party’s obligations under

this Agreement are not satisfied by the Outside Date as a result of the other party's material breach of a covenant, representation, warranty or other obligation under this Agreement or any other Formation Transaction Documentation, the non-breaching party's right to pursue all legal remedies with respect to such breach will survive such termination unimpaired.

Section 2.08 TAX WITHHOLDING. The REIT shall be entitled to deduct and withhold from the consideration payable pursuant to this Agreement to any holder of a RIF V REIT Interest such amounts required to be deducted and withheld with respect to the making of such payment under the Code or any provision of state, local or foreign tax law. To the extent that amounts are so withheld, such withheld amounts shall be treated for all purposes of this Agreement as having been paid to the holder of the RIF V REIT Interest in respect of which such deduction and withholding was made.

ARTICLE III

REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES OF THE REIT

The REIT hereby represents and warrants to the RIF V REIT as follows:

Section 3.01 ORGANIZATION; AUTHORITY.

(a) The REIT has been duly incorporated and is validly existing and in good standing under the Laws of its jurisdiction of incorporation and, upon the effectiveness of the REIT Charter, will have all requisite power and authority to enter into this Agreement and the other Formation Transaction Documentation and to carry out the transactions contemplated hereby and thereby, and to own, lease and/or operate its property and to carry on its business as presently conducted and, to the extent required under applicable Laws, is qualified to do business and is in good standing in each jurisdiction in which the nature of its business or the character of its property make such qualification necessary, other than such failures to be so qualified as would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a REIT Material Adverse Effect.

(b) Schedule 3.01(b) sets forth as of the date hereof, (i) each Subsidiary of the REIT (each a "REIT Subsidiary"), (ii) the ownership interest therein of the REIT, and (iii) if not wholly owned by the REIT, the identity and ownership interest of each of the other owners of such REIT Subsidiary. Each REIT Subsidiary has been duly organized or formed and is validly existing and is in good standing under the Laws of its jurisdiction of organization or formation, as applicable, has all requisite power and authority to own, lease and/or operate its property and to carry on its business as presently conducted and, to the extent required under applicable Laws, is qualified to do business and is in good standing in each jurisdiction in which the nature of its business or the character of its property make such qualification necessary, other than such failures to be so qualified as would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a REIT Material Adverse Effect.

Section 3.02 DUE AUTHORIZATION. The execution, delivery and performance of this Agreement and the other Formation Transaction Documentation (including each agreement, document and instrument executed and delivered by or on behalf of the REIT pursuant to this

Agreement or the other Formation Transaction Documentation) by the REIT has been duly and validly authorized by all necessary actions required of the REIT. This Agreement, the other Formation Transaction Documentation and each agreement, document and instrument executed and delivered by or on behalf of the REIT pursuant to this Agreement or the other Formation Transaction Documentation constitutes, or when executed and delivered will constitute, the legal, valid and binding obligation of the REIT, enforceable against the REIT in accordance with its terms, subject to applicable bankruptcy, insolvency, moratorium or other similar Laws relating to creditors' rights and general principles of equity.

Section 3.03 CONSENTS AND APPROVALS. Except for the filing of the Certificate of Merger in accordance with Section 1.02 hereof or in connection with the Offering and the consummation of the other Formation Transactions or as shall have been obtained on or prior to the Closing Date, no consent, waiver, approval, authorization, order, license, permit or registration of, qualification, designation, declaration or filing with, any Person or Governmental Authority or under any applicable Laws is required to be obtained by the REIT in connection with the execution, delivery and performance of this Agreement and the transactions contemplated hereby, except for (a) those consents, waivers, approvals, authorizations, orders, licenses, permits, registrations, qualifications, designations, declarations or filings, the failure of which to obtain or to file would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a REIT Material Adverse Effect, or (b) those consents under the Organizational Documents of the applicable Rexford Entity (including the RIF V REIT), the failure of which to obtain would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a REIT Material Adverse Effect.

Section 3.04 NO VIOLATION. None of the execution, delivery or performance of this Agreement, the other Formation Transaction Documentation, any agreement contemplated hereby between the parties to this Agreement and the transactions contemplated hereby between the parties to this Agreement does or will, with or without the giving of notice, lapse of time, or both, violate, conflict with, result in a breach of, or constitute a default under or give to others any right of termination, acceleration, cancellation or other right under, (a) the Organizational Documents of the REIT, (b) any agreement, document or instrument to which the REIT or any of its respective assets are bound or (c) any term or provision of any judgment, order, writ, injunction, or decree binding on the REIT, except for, in the case of clause (b) or (c), any such breaches or defaults that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a REIT Material Adverse Effect.

Section 3.05 VALIDITY OF REIT SHARES. Any REIT Shares to be issued pursuant to this Agreement will have been duly authorized by the REIT and, when issued against the consideration therefor, will be validly issued, fully paid and non-assessable, free and clear of all Liens created by the REIT (other than any Liens created by the REIT Charter).

Section 3.06 LITIGATION. Except for actions, suits or proceedings covered by policies of insurance, there is no action, suit or proceeding pending or, to the knowledge of the REIT, threatened against the REIT or any REIT Subsidiary, other than actions, suits, proceedings arising in the ordinary course of business from the ownership and operation of the REIT, that individually or in the aggregate, would not reasonably be expected, (a) if adversely determined, to have a REIT Material Adverse Effect, or (b) to challenge or impair the ability of the REIT to execute or deliver, or materially perform its obligations under, this Agreement and the documents executed by it pursuant to this Agreement or to consummate the transactions contemplated hereby or thereby, to such an extent as would result in a REIT Material Adverse Effect.

Section 3.07 REIT CHARTER; OPERATING PARTNERSHIP AGREEMENT. Attached as Exhibit F hereto is a true and correct copy of the REIT Charter in substantially final form. Attached hereto as Exhibit B hereto is a true and correct copy of the Amended and Restated Agreement of Limited Partnership of the Operating Partnership, as in effect immediately prior to the Effective Time (the "Operating Partnership Agreement").

Section 3.08 LIMITED ACTIVITIES. Except for activities in connection with the Offering, the Formation Transactions or in the ordinary course of business, the REIT and the REIT Subsidiaries have not engaged in any material business or incurred any material obligations.

Section 3.09 NO BROKER. The REIT has not entered into, and covenants that it will not enter into, any agreement, arrangement or understanding with any Person or firm which will result in the obligation of the RIF V REIT or any Affiliates thereof to pay any finder's fee, brokerage commission or similar payment in connection with the transaction contemplated by this Agreement (other than underwriting discounts, commissions and other fees and expenses to be paid by the REIT in connection with the Offering and any related financing transactions).

Section 3.10 NO OTHER REPRESENTATIONS OR WARRANTIES. Other than the representations and warranties expressly set forth in this Article III and any other agreement entered into in connection with the Formation Transactions, the REIT shall not be deemed to have made any other representation or warranty in connection with this Agreement or the transactions contemplated hereby. All representations, warranties and covenants of the REIT contained in this Agreement shall expire at the Closing.

ARTICLE IV

REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES OF THE RIF V REIT

Except as disclosed in the Offering Document or the schedules attached hereto, the RIF V REIT represents and warrants to the REIT that as of the Closing Date:

Section 4.01 ORGANIZATION; AUTHORITY.

(a) The RIF V REIT has been duly formed, is validly existing and in good standing under the Laws of its jurisdiction of formation, and has all requisite power and authority to enter into this Agreement, each agreement contemplated hereby and the other Formation Transaction Documentation to which it is a party (including any agreement, document and instrument executed and delivered by or on behalf of the RIF V REIT pursuant to this Agreement or the other Formation Transaction Documentation) and to carry out the transactions contemplated hereby and thereby, and to carry on its business as presently conducted. The RIF V REIT, to the extent required under applicable Laws, is qualified to do business and is in good standing in each jurisdiction in which the nature of its business make such qualification necessary, other than such failures to be so qualified as would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a RIF V REIT Material Adverse Effect.

(b) Schedule 4.01(b) sets forth as of the date hereof with respect to the RIF V REIT (i) each direct or indirect Subsidiary of the RIF V REIT (each a “RIF V REIT Subsidiary” and, collectively the “RIF V REIT Subsidiaries”), (ii) the direct or indirect ownership interest therein of the RIF V REIT, (iii) if not wholly owned by the RIF V REIT, the identity and ownership interest of each of the other owners of such Subsidiary, and (iv) each real property owned directly or indirectly, in whole or in part, by such Subsidiary (each a “Property”). Such RIF V REIT Subsidiary has been duly organized and is validly existing and is in good standing under the Laws of its jurisdiction of organization, and has all requisite power and authority to own, lease and/or operate its Property and to carry on its business as presently conducted. Such RIF V REIT Subsidiary, to the extent required under applicable Laws, is qualified to do business and is in good standing in each jurisdiction in which the nature of its business or the character of its Property make such qualification necessary, other than such failures to be so qualified as would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a RIF V REIT Material Adverse Effect. Except as set forth on Schedule 4.01(b), each of the RIF V REIT and RIF V REIT Subsidiaries does not own any equity or ownership interest in any other Person.

(c) The REIT has been provided complete and accurate copies of Organizational Documents, as amended through the date hereof, and such Organizational Documents are in full force and effect as of the date hereof and have not been further modified or amended.

Section 4.02 DUE AUTHORIZATION. The execution, delivery and performance by the RIF V REIT of this Agreement and the other Formation Transaction Documentation (including any agreement, document and instrument executed and delivered by or on behalf of the RIF V REIT pursuant to this Agreement or the other Formation Transaction Documentation) to which it is a party have been duly and validly authorized by all necessary actions required of the RIF V REIT. This Agreement, the other Formation Transaction Documentation and each agreement, document and instrument executed and delivered by or on behalf of the RIF V REIT or any RIF V REIT Subsidiary pursuant to this Agreement or the other Formation Transaction Documentation constitutes, or when executed and delivered will constitute, the legal, valid and binding obligation of the RIF V REIT or such RIF V REIT Subsidiary, each enforceable against the RIF V REIT or such RIF V REIT Subsidiary in accordance with its terms, subject to applicable bankruptcy, insolvency, moratorium or other similar Laws relating to creditors’ rights and general principles of equity.

Section 4.03 CAPITALIZATION. Schedule 4.03 sets forth as of the date hereof the ownership of the RIF V REIT. All of the issued and outstanding equity interests of the RIF V REIT and each RIF V REIT Subsidiary are duly authorized, validly issued and fully paid; and are not subject to preemptive rights or appraisal, dissenters’ or other similar rights under the Organizational Documents of or any contract to which the RIF V REIT is a party or otherwise bound, except for such preemptive rights, transfer restrictions, or appraisal, dissenters’ or other similar rights as would not prevent the Merger. There are no outstanding rights to purchase, subscriptions, warrants, options or any other security convertible into or exchangeable for equity interests in the RIF V REIT or its RIF V REIT Subsidiaries. Except as set forth in the

Organizational Documents, none of RIF V REIT or any of its RIF V REIT Subsidiaries is a party to any agreement for the sale of its material assets, for the grant to any Person of any preferential right to purchase any such material assets or the acquisition of any material operating business, material assets or capital stock of any other corporation, entity or business, other than the purchase or sale of assets in the ordinary course of business.

Section 4.04 CONSENTS AND APPROVALS. Except for the filing of the Certificate of Merger in accordance with Section 1.02 hereof or as shall have been obtained or satisfied on or prior to the Closing Date, no consent, waiver, approval, authorization, order, license, permit or registration of, qualification, designation, declaration or filing with, any Person or any Governmental Authority or under any applicable Laws is required to be obtained by the RIF V REIT or its RIF V REIT Subsidiaries in connection with the execution, delivery and performance of this Agreement, the other Formation Transaction Documentation to which the RIF V REIT or its RIF V REIT Subsidiaries is a party and the transactions contemplated hereby and thereby, except for those consents, waivers, approvals, authorizations, orders, licenses, permits, registrations, qualifications, designations, declarations or filings, the failure of which to obtain or to file would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a RIF V REIT Material Adverse Effect.

Section 4.05 NO VIOLATION. None of the execution, delivery or performance of this Agreement, any agreement contemplated hereby between the parties to this Agreement and the transactions contemplated hereby between the parties to this Agreement does or will, with or without the giving of notice, lapse of time, or both, violate, conflict with, result in a breach of, or constitute a default under or give to others any right of termination, acceleration, cancellation or other right under, (a) the Organizational Documents of the RIF V REIT or its RIF V REIT Subsidiaries or (b) any agreement, document or instrument to which the RIF V REIT or its RIF V REIT Subsidiaries is a party or by which the RIF V REIT or its RIF V REIT Subsidiaries or any of their respective assets or properties are bound by or (c) any term or provision of any judgment, order, writ, injunction, or decree binding on the RIF V REIT (or its assets or properties), or its RIF V REIT Subsidiaries, except for, in the case of clause (b) or (c), any such breaches or defaults that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a RIF V REIT Material Adverse Effect.

Section 4.06 LICENSES AND PERMITS. All notices, licenses, permits, certificates and authorizations required for the continued use, occupancy, management, leasing and operation of the Properties have been obtained or can be obtained without material cost, are in full force and effect, are in good standing and (to the extent required in connection with the transactions contemplated by the Formation Transaction Documentation) are assignable to the REIT, except in each case for items that, if not so obtained, obtainable and/or transferred, would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a RIF V REIT Material Adverse Effect. Neither the RIF V REIT, nor its RIF V REIT Subsidiaries, nor, to the knowledge of the RIF V REIT, any third party has taken any action that (or failed to take any action the omission of which) would result in the revocation of any such notice, license, permit, certificate or authorization where such revocation or revocations would, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a RIF V REIT Material Adverse Effect, nor has any one of them received any written notice of violation from any Governmental Authority or written notice of the intention of any entity to revoke any such notice, license, permit, certificate or authorization, that in each case has not been cured or otherwise resolved to the satisfaction of such Governmental Authority or other entity and except as would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a RIF V REIT Material Adverse Effect.

Section 4.07 COMPLIANCE WITH LAWS. The RIF V REIT and its RIF V REIT Subsidiaries have conducted their respective businesses in compliance with all applicable Laws, except for such failures that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a RIF V REIT Material Adverse Effect. Neither the RIF V REIT, nor its RIF V REIT Subsidiaries, nor, to the knowledge of the RIF V REIT, any third party are in violation of any Law or has been informed in writing of any continuing violation of any such Laws or that any investigation has been commenced and is continuing or is contemplated respecting any such possible violation, except in each case for violations that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a RIF V REIT Material Adverse Effect. There has not been committed by the RIF V REIT or its RIF V REIT Subsidiary or, to the knowledge of RIF V REIT, any other Person in occupancy of or involved with the operation or use of the Properties any act or omission affording the federal government or any other Governmental Authority the right of forfeiture as against any Property or any part thereof.

Section 4.08 PROPERTIES.

(a) Except as set forth in Schedule 4.08(a), the RIF V REIT or its RIF V REIT Subsidiary is the insured under a policy of title insurance as the owner of, and, to the knowledge of the RIF V REIT, the RIF V REIT or its RIF V REIT Subsidiary is the owner of, good, marketable and insurable fee simple title (or, in the case of certain Properties, the leasehold estate or tenancy-in-common estate) to the Property owned by the RIF V REIT or its RIF V REIT Subsidiary, in each case free and clear of all Liens except for Permitted Liens. Prior to the Effective Time, neither the RIF V REIT nor any of its RIF V REIT Subsidiaries shall take or omit to take any action to cause any Lien to attach to any Property, except for Permitted Liens and Liens, if any, given to secure mortgage indebtedness encumbering such Property.

(b) Except for matters that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a RIF V REIT Material Adverse Effect, (1) neither the RIF V REIT nor any of its RIF V REIT Subsidiaries nor, to the knowledge of the RIF V REIT, any other party to any material agreement affecting any Property (other than a Lease (as such term is hereinafter defined) for space within such Property), is in breach or default of any such agreement, (2) to the knowledge of the RIF V REIT, no event has occurred or has been threatened in writing, which with or without the passage of time or the giving of notice, or both, would, individually or together with all such other events, constitute a default under any such agreement, or would, individually or together with all such other events, reasonably be expected to cause the acceleration of any material obligation of any party thereto or the creation of a Lien upon any asset of the RIF V REIT or its RIF V REIT Subsidiary, except for Permitted Liens, or otherwise reasonably be expected to have a RIF V REIT Material Adverse Effect and (3) all agreements affecting any Property required for the continued use, occupancy, management, leasing and operation of such Property (exclusive of space Leases) are valid and binding and in full force and effect, subject to applicable bankruptcy, insolvency, moratorium or other similar Laws relating to creditors' rights and general principles of equity.

(c) Except for matters that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a RIF V REIT Material Adverse Effect or that are otherwise disclosed on Schedule 4.08(c), (1) neither the RIF V REIT, nor its RIF V REIT Subsidiaries, nor, to the knowledge of the RIF V REIT, any other party to any Lease, is in breach or default of any such Lease, (2) to the knowledge of the RIF V REIT, no event has occurred or has been threatened in writing, which with or without the passage of time or the giving of notice, or both, would, individually or together with all such other events, constitute a default under any Lease or would permit termination, modification or acceleration under such Lease and (3) to the knowledge of the RIF V REIT, each of the Leases (and all amendments thereto or modifications thereof) to which the RIF V REIT or its RIF V REIT Subsidiaries is a party or by which the RIF V REIT or its RIF V REIT Subsidiaries or any Property is bound or subject (collectively, the "Leases") is valid and binding and in full force and effect, subject to applicable bankruptcy, insolvency, moratorium or other similar Laws relating to creditors' rights and general principles of equity.

Section 4.09 INSURANCE. Each of the RIF V REIT or its RIF V REIT Subsidiaries has in place the public liability, casualty and other insurance coverage with respect to each Property owned, leased and/or managed by it as the RIF V REIT reasonably deems necessary and in all cases including such coverage as is required under the terms of any continuing loan or Lease. Each of the insurance policies with respect to each Property is in full force and effect in all material respects and all premiums due and payable thereunder have been fully paid when due. To the knowledge of the RIF V REIT, neither the RIF V REIT nor its RIF V REIT Subsidiaries have received from any insurance company any notices of cancellation or intent to cancel any insurance.

Section 4.10 ENVIRONMENTAL MATTERS. Except for matters that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a RIF V REIT Material Adverse Effect, to the knowledge of the RIF V REIT, (A) the RIF V REIT and its RIF V REIT Subsidiaries and each Property are in compliance with all Environmental Laws, (B) neither the RIF V REIT nor its RIF V REIT Subsidiaries have received any written notice from any Governmental Authority or third party alleging that the RIF V REIT or any of its RIF V REIT Subsidiaries or any Property is not in compliance with applicable Environmental Laws, and (C) there has not been a release of a hazardous substance on any of the Properties that would require investigation or remediation under applicable Environmental Laws. The representations and warranties contained in this Section 4.10 constitute the sole and exclusive representations and warranties made by the RIF V REIT concerning environmental matters.

Section 4.11 EMINENT DOMAIN. There is no existing or, to the knowledge of the RIF V REIT, proposed or threatened condemnation, eminent domain or similar proceeding, or private purchase in lieu of such a proceeding which would affect any of the Properties, except for such proceedings that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a RIF V REIT Material Adverse Effect.

Section 4.12 EXISTING LOANS. Schedule 4.12 lists, as of the date hereof, all secured loans presently encumbering the Properties or any direct or indirect interest in the RIF V REIT or any RIF V REIT Subsidiary, and any unsecured loans relating thereto to be assumed by the REIT or any Subsidiary of the REIT at Closing (collectively, the "Existing Loans"). Except for

matters that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a RIF V REIT Material Adverse Effect or that are otherwise disclosed on Schedule 4.12, no monetary default (beyond applicable notice and cure periods) by any party exists under any of the Existing Loans and the documents entered into in connection therewith (collectively, the “Existing Loan Documents”) and no non-monetary default (beyond applicable notice and cure periods) by any party exists under any of such Existing Loan Documents.

Section 4.13 FINANCIAL STATEMENTS. The consolidated financial statements of the RIF V REIT and the RIF V REIT Subsidiaries included in the Offering Document have been prepared in all material respects in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles applied on a consistent basis during the periods involved (except as may be indicated in the notes thereto), subject, in the case of unaudited statements, to normal year-end audit adjustments, and fairly present in all material respects the financial condition and results of operations of the RIF V REIT and the RIF V REIT Subsidiaries as of the dates indicated therein and for the periods ended as indicated therein.

Section 4.14 TAXES.

(a) The RIF V REIT has timely and properly filed (or caused to be timely and properly filed) all Tax Returns required to be filed by it and each of its RIF V REIT Subsidiaries (after giving effect to any filing extension properly granted by a Governmental Authority having authority to do so), and all such Tax Returns are accurate and complete in all material respects.

(b) The RIF V REIT and each of its RIF V REIT Subsidiaries have timely paid (or have had paid on their behalf) all Taxes as required to be paid by them.

(c) No income or material non-income Tax returns filed by the RIF V REIT or any of its RIF V REIT Subsidiaries are the subject of a pending or ongoing audit.

(d) No deficiencies for any income or material non-income Taxes have been proposed, asserted or assessed against the RIF V REIT or any of its RIF V REIT Subsidiaries. No requests for waivers of the time to assess any such Taxes are pending.

(e) The RIF V REIT:

(i) for all taxable years commencing the RIF V REIT’s taxable year ended December 31, 2010 through December 31, 2012, has been subject to taxation as a “real estate investment trust” within the meaning of Section 856 of the Code and has satisfied all requirements to qualify as a real estate investment trust for such years;

(ii) has operated since January 1, 2013 to the date hereof in a manner consistent with the requirements for qualification and taxation as a real estate investment trust;

(iii) intends to continue to operate in such a manner as to qualify as a REIT for its taxable year that will end with the Merger; and

(iv) has not taken or omitted to take any action that could reasonably be expected to result in a challenge by any tax authority to its status as a real estate investment trust.

(f) Since its inception neither the RIF V REIT nor any of its Subsidiaries has incurred any liability for Taxes under Sections 857(b)(1), 857(b)(6)(A), 860(c) or 4981 of the Code which have not been previously paid.

(g) As of the closing of the Formation Transactions, the RIF V REIT has no earnings and profits accumulated in any non-REIT year (within the meaning of Section 857(a)(2)(B) of the Code).

(h) Neither the RIF V REIT nor any of its Subsidiaries holds any asset the disposition of which would be subject to (or to rules similar to) Section 1374 of the Code.

(i) No RIF V REIT Subsidiary is a corporation for United States federal income tax purposes. Each RIF V REIT Subsidiary that is a partnership, joint venture or limited liability company has been since its formation treated for United States federal income tax purposes as a partnership or disregarded entity, as the case may be, and not as a corporation or an association taxable as a corporation.

(j) Neither RIF V REIT nor any of its RIF V REIT Subsidiaries has taken or agreed to take any action that would prevent the Merger from qualifying as a reorganization within the meaning of Section 368(a) of the Code, and neither the RIF V REIT nor any of its RIF V REIT Subsidiaries is aware of any agreement, plan or other circumstance that would prevent the Merger from qualifying as a reorganization within the meaning of Section 368(a) of the Code.

Section 4.15 LITIGATION. Except for actions, suits or proceedings fully covered by policies of insurance, there is no action, suit or proceeding pending or, to the knowledge of the RIF V REIT, threatened against or affecting the RIF V REIT, any of its RIF V REIT Subsidiaries or any of the Properties, or any officer, director, principal, managing member, general partner or Affiliate of any of the foregoing, other than actions, suits or proceedings arising in the ordinary course of business from the ownership and operation which, if adversely determined, would not have a RIF V REIT Material Adverse Effect. There is no action, suit, or proceeding pending or, to the knowledge of the RIF V REIT, threatened against or affecting the RIF V REIT, any of its RIF V REIT Subsidiaries or any officer, director, principal, managing member, general partner or Affiliate of any of the foregoing, which challenges or impairs the ability of the RIF V REIT or any RIF V REIT Subsidiary to execute or deliver, or perform its obligations under this Agreement or any Formation Transaction Documentation or any other documents to be executed by it pursuant to this Agreement or any Formation Transaction Documentation or to consummate the transactions contemplated hereby or thereby. Except for matters fully covered by insurance, there is no judgment, decree, injunction, rule or order of a Governmental Authority outstanding against the RIF V REIT, its RIF V REIT Subsidiaries or any officer, director, principal, managing member or general partner of any of the foregoing in their capacity as such, which would reasonably be expected to have a RIF V REIT Material Adverse Effect. None of RIF V REIT, its RIF V REIT Subsidiaries or any officer, director, principal, managing member, general

partner or Affiliate of any of the foregoing has received any written notice of any pending or threatened proceedings for the rezoning (i.e., as opposed to the current zoning) of any Property or any portion thereof which would impair the current or proposed use thereof in a manner that would result in a RIF V REIT Material Adverse Effect.

Section 4.16 **INSOLVENCY**. No attachments, execution proceedings, assignments for the benefit of creditors, insolvency, bankruptcy, reorganization or other proceedings are pending or, to the RIF V REIT's knowledge, threatened against the RIF V REIT, any RIF V REIT Subsidiary or any Property, nor are any such proceedings contemplated by the RIF V REIT.

Section 4.17 **SECURITIES LAW MATTERS**. The RIF V REIT acknowledges that: (i) the REIT intends the offer and issuance of any REIT Shares to any Pre-Formation Participants to be exempt from registration under the Securities Act and applicable state securities laws by virtue of the status of such equity holder as an "accredited investor" (within the meaning of Rule 501(a) of Regulation D under the Securities Act) acquiring any REIT Shares in a transaction exempt from registration pursuant to Rule 506 of Regulation D under the Securities Act, and (ii) in issuing any REIT Shares pursuant to the terms of this Agreement, the REIT is relying on the representations made by each equity holder receiving REIT Shares as consideration in the Merger, which representations were set forth in Appendix C to the Request for Consent – Accredited Investor Representations Letter.

Section 4.18 **NO BROKER**. The RIF V REIT has not entered into, and it covenants that it will not enter into, any agreement, arrangement or understanding with any Person or firm which will result in the obligation of the REIT or any Affiliate to pay any finder's fee, brokerage commission or similar payment in connection with the transaction contemplated by this Agreement (other than underwriting discounts, commissions and other fees and expenses to be paid by the REIT in connection with the Offering and any related financing transactions).

Section 4.19 **OWNERSHIP OF CERTAIN ASSETS**. Except as set forth in Schedule 4.19, neither the RIF V REIT nor any of its RIF V REIT Subsidiaries owns any loan assets or other securities of any issuer except for equity interests in other RIF V REIT Subsidiaries.

Section 4.20 **EMPLOYEES**. None of the RIF V REIT or any of the RIF V REIT Subsidiaries has or has ever had any employees.

Section 4.21 **NO OTHER REPRESENTATIONS OR WARRANTIES**. Other than the representations and warranties expressly set forth in this Article IV and any other agreement entered into by the RIF V REIT in connection with the Formation Transactions, the RIF V REIT shall not be deemed to have made any other representation or warranty in connection with this Agreement or the transactions contemplated hereby.

Section 4.22 **SURVIVAL OF REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES**. The parties hereto agree and acknowledge that the representations and warranties set forth in this Article IV (other than Section 4.01, Section 4.02, Section 4.03, and Section 4.17) shall not survive the Closing.

ARTICLE V

COVENANTS AND OTHER AGREEMENTS

Section 5.01 PRE-CLOSING COVENANTS. During the period from the date hereof to the Closing Date (except as otherwise provided for or contemplated by this Agreement or in connection with the Formation Transactions), the RIF V REIT shall use commercially reasonable efforts to (and shall cause each of its RIF V REIT Subsidiaries to) conduct its businesses and operate and maintain the Properties in the ordinary course of business consistent with past practice, pay its debt obligations as they become due and payable, and use commercially reasonable efforts to preserve intact its current business organizations and preserve its relationships with customers, tenants, suppliers, advertisers and others having business dealings with it, in each case consistent with past practice. In addition, and without limiting the generality of the foregoing, during the period from the date hereof to the Closing Date and except in connection with the Formation Transactions, the RIF V REIT shall not (and shall not permit any of its RIF V REIT Subsidiaries to) without the prior written consent of the REIT, which consent may be withheld by the REIT in its sole discretion:

(a) (i) declare, set aside or pay any dividends or distributions in respect of any RIF V REIT Interests, except (A) in the ordinary course of business consistent with past practice and in accordance with the applicable governing document of the RIF V REIT or (B) dividends or distributions, including under Sections 858 or 860 of the Code, reasonably necessary for the RIF V REIT to maintain its status as a real estate investment trust under the Code and avoid or reduce the imposition of any corporate level tax or excise Tax under the Code, including dividends or distributions described in Section 5.03(a), (ii) issue or authorize the issuance of any other securities in respect of, in lieu of or in substitution for any RIF V REIT Interests or make any other changes to the equity capital structure of the RIF V REIT or its RIF V REIT Subsidiaries, or (iii) purchase, redeem or otherwise acquire any RIF V REIT Interests or interests of its RIF V REIT Subsidiaries or any other securities thereof except as permitted under the applicable governing document of the RIF V REIT to preserve the RIF V REIT's status as a real estate investment trust under the Code;

(b) other than in accordance with Section 4.08(a), issue, deliver, sell, transfer, dispose, mortgage, pledge, assign or otherwise encumber, or cause the issuance, delivery, sale, transfer, disposition, mortgage, pledge, assignment or otherwise encumbrance of, any limited liability company, partnership interests or other equity interests of the RIF V REIT or of its RIF V REIT Subsidiaries or any other assets of the RIF V REIT or its RIF V REIT Subsidiaries;

(c) amend, modify or terminate any lease, contract or other instruments relating to the Property, except in the ordinary course of business consistent with past practice;

(d) amend its certificate of formation and limited liability company agreement;

(e) adopt a plan of liquidation, dissolution, merger, consolidation, restructuring, recapitalization or reorganization;

(f) materially alter the manner of keeping the RIF V REIT's or its RIF V REIT Subsidiaries' books, accounts or records or the accounting practices therein reflected;

(g) file an entity classification election pursuant to Treasury Regulation Section 301.7701-3(c) on Internal Revenue Service Form 8832 (Entity Classification Election) to treat the any RIF V REIT Subsidiaries as an association taxable as a corporation for United States federal income tax purposes; make or change any other Tax elections; settle or compromise any claim, notice, audit report or assessment in respect of Taxes; change any annual Tax accounting period; adopt or change any method of Tax accounting; file any amended Tax Return; enter into any tax allocation agreement, tax sharing agreement, tax indemnity agreement or closing agreement relating to any Tax; surrender of any right to claim a Tax refund; or consent to any extension or waiver of the statute of limitations period applicable to any Tax claim or assessment;

(h) terminate or amend any existing insurance policies affecting any Property that results in a material reduction in insurance coverage for the Property;

(i) knowingly cause or permit the RIF V REIT or any of the RIF V REIT Subsidiaries to violate, or fail to use commercially reasonable efforts to cure any violation of, any applicable Laws;

(j) take any action or fail to take any action the result of which would have a RIF V REIT Material Adverse Effect; or

(k) authorize, commit or agree to take any of the foregoing actions.

Section 5.02 COMMERCIALY REASONABLE EFFORTS BY THE REIT AND THE RIF V REIT. Each of the REIT and the RIF V REIT shall use commercially reasonable efforts and cooperate with each other in (a) promptly determining whether any filings are required to be made or consents, approvals, waivers, permits or authorizations are required to be obtained (under any applicable Law or regulation or from any Governmental Authority or third party) in connection with the transactions contemplated by this Agreement, and (b) promptly making (or causing to be made) any such filings, in furnishing information required in connection therewith and in timely seeking to obtain any such consents, approvals, waivers, permits and authorizations.

Section 5.03 TAX MATTERS.

(a) Prior to Closing, the RIF V REIT shall declare and pay a dividend in respect of the RIF V REIT Interests in accordance with the applicable governing document of the RIF V REIT in an amount reasonably estimated by the Company to equal or exceed the amount necessary for the RIF V REIT to maintain its status as a real estate investment trust under the Code and avoid the imposition of any corporate level tax or excise Tax under the Code for the taxable year of the RIF V REIT ending on the Closing of the Merger.

(b) The REIT and the RIF V REIT shall cooperate fully, as and to the extent reasonably requested by the other party, in connection with the filing of Tax Returns related to the transactions pursuant to this Agreement and any audit, litigation or administrative, judicial or other inquiry or proceeding with respect to Taxes related to the transactions pursuant to this Agreement. Such cooperation shall include the retention and (upon the other party's request) the provision of records and information which are reasonably relevant to any such action or other proceeding and making employees available on a mutually convenient basis to provide additional information and explanation of any material provided hereunder.

(c) The REIT shall prepare or cause to be prepared and file or cause to be filed all income Tax Returns of the RIF V REIT and each of its Subsidiaries which are due after the Closing Date. All such income Tax Returns shall be prepared in a manner consistent with past practice, except as otherwise required by applicable Law.

(d) The REIT shall prepare or cause to be prepared all other Tax Returns of the RIF V REIT and each of its Subsidiaries.

(e) The REIT and the RIF V REIT will each use its reasonable best efforts to cause the Merger to qualify, and will use its reasonable best efforts not to, and not to permit or cause any of its Subsidiaries to, take any action that could reasonably be expected to prevent or impede the Merger from qualifying, as a reorganization within the meaning of Section 368 of the Code.

(f) Unless otherwise required pursuant to a "determination" within the meaning of Section 1313(a) of the Code, each of the REIT and the RIF V REIT shall report the Merger as a "reorganization" within the meaning of Section 368(a) of the Code for federal income tax purposes.

(g) Following the Merger, the REIT will comply with the record-keeping and information filing requirements of Treasury Regulation Section 1.368-3.

(h) Prior to Closing, the RIF V REIT shall deliver to the REIT a properly executed certificate prepared in accordance with Treasury Regulations section 1.1445-2(b) certifying the non-foreign status of each holder of RIF V REIT Interests and any similar affidavits or other forms required under applicable state, local or foreign Tax Laws.

(i) The REIT makes no representations or warranties to the RIF V REIT or any holder of a RIF V REIT Interest regarding the Tax treatment of the Merger or the other Formation Transactions, or with respect to any other Tax consequences to the RIF V REIT or any holder of a RIF V REIT Interest of this Agreement, the Merger or the other Formation Transactions. The RIF V REIT acknowledges that the RIF V REIT and the holders of RIF V REIT Interests are relying solely on their own Tax advisors in connection with this Agreement, the Merger and the other Formation Transactions and agreements contemplated hereby.

Section 5.04 CONSENT AND WAIVER OF RIGHTS UNDER ORGANIZATIONAL DOCUMENTS. As of the Closing, the RIF V REIT waives and relinquishes all rights and benefits otherwise afforded to the RIF V REIT (a) under its Organizational Documents including, without limitation, any rights of appraisal, rights of first offer or first refusal, buy/sell agreements, put, option, or similar parallel exit or dissenter rights in connection with the Formation Transactions and the Offering, and any right to consent to or approve of the sale or contribution or other transaction undertaken by any equity holder of the RIF V REIT of their RIF

V REIT Interests to the REIT or any Affiliate thereof and any and all notice provisions related thereto and (b) for claims against the REIT or the Operating Partnership for breach by any of their respective present or former officers, directors, managing members, general partners or Affiliates of their fiduciary duties or similar obligations (including duties of disclosure) to any of their respective present or former shareholders, members, partners, equity interest holders or Affiliates or the terms of any applicable Organizational Documents. The RIF V REIT acknowledges that the agreements contained herein and the transactions contemplated hereby and any actions taken in contemplation of the transactions contemplated hereby may conflict with, and may not have been contemplated by, the Organizational Documents of the RIF V REIT or other agreements among one or more holders of RIF V REIT Interests or one or more of the members of the RIF V REIT. With respect to the RIF V REIT and each Property in which RIF V REIT Interests represent a direct or indirect interest, the RIF V REIT expressly gives all consents (and any consents necessary to authorize the proper parties in interest to give all consents) and waivers it is entitled to give that are necessary or desirable to facilitate the contribution or other Formation Transactions relating to the RIF V REIT or such Property. In addition, the RIF V REIT agrees that if the transactions contemplated hereby occur, this Agreement shall be deemed to be an amendment to the Organizational Documents of the RIF V REIT to the extent the terms herein conflict with the terms thereof, including without limitation, terms with respect to allocations, distributions and the like. In the event the transactions contemplated by this Agreement do not occur, nothing in this Agreement shall be deemed to be or construed as an amendment or modification of, or commitment of any kind to amend or modify, the Organizational Documents of the RIF V REIT, which shall remain in full force and effect without modification.

Section 5.05 EXCLUDED ASSETS. Prior to the Closing and after such amounts are reasonably determined, the RIF V REIT and its RIF V REIT Subsidiaries shall distribute or cause to be distributed or paid out the Excluded Assets identified on Schedule 5.05.

Section 5.06 ALTERNATE TRANSACTION. In the event that the REIT determines that a structure change is necessary, advisable or desirable, the REIT may elect, in its sole and absolute discretion, to effect an Alternate Transaction (subject to the limitations in the definition thereof), without the need for the REIT to seek any further consent or action from the RIF V REIT, and the RIF V REIT shall, and it shall cause its members and Subsidiaries to, enter into such agreements as shall be necessary to consummate an Alternate Transaction. In the event that an Alternate Transaction is used to effect the transactions contemplated by this Agreement, then the REIT may elect to terminate this Agreement without any liability or obligation to any Person.

Section 5.07 ELIMINATED ASSETS. The parties hereby agree that the REIT shall have the right, in its sole discretion, to exclude any Properties or other interests or assets held directly or indirectly by the RIF V REIT (the "Eliminated Assets") from the Merger after the date hereof until the Effective Time, provided that the REIT shall provide prior written notice to the RIF V REIT regarding such exclusion. Immediately prior to the Closing and after such amounts are reasonably determined, the RIF V REIT and its RIF V REIT Subsidiaries shall distribute or cause to be distributed or paid out the Eliminated Assets.

ARTICLE VI

GENERAL PROVISIONS

Section 6.01 NOTICES. All notices and other communications under this Agreement shall be in writing and shall be deemed given when (a) delivered personally, (b) five (5) Business Days after being mailed by certified mail, return receipt requested and postage prepaid, (c) one (1) Business Day after being sent by a nationally recognized overnight courier or (d) transmitted by facsimile if confirmed within twenty-four (24) hours thereafter by a signed original sent in the manner provided in clause (a), (b), or (c) to the parties at the following addresses (or at such other address for a party as shall be specified by notice from such party):

- (a) if to the REIT:
Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc.
11620 Wilshire Boulevard, Suite 300
Los Angeles, CA 90025
Facsimile: (310) 966-1690
Attention: Howard Schwimmer and Michael S. Frankel

- (b) if to the RIF V REIT:
c/o Rexford Industrial, LLC
11620 Wilshire Boulevard, Suite 300
Los Angeles, CA 90025
Facsimile: (310) 966-1690
Attention: Howard Schwimmer and Michael S. Frankel

Section 6.02 DEFINITIONS. For purposes of this Agreement, the following terms shall have the following meanings.

(a) “Accredited Investor” has the meaning set forth under Regulation D of the Securities Act.

(b) “Affiliate” means, with respect to any Person, a Person that, directly or indirectly, through one or more intermediaries, controls, is controlled by, or is under common control with the specified Person. For the purposes of this definition, “control” (including, with correlative meanings, the terms “controlled by” and “under common control with”) as used with respect to any Person, shall mean the possession, directly or indirectly, of the power to direct or cause the direction of the management or policies of such Person, whether through the ownership of voting securities, by agreement or otherwise.

(c) “Allocated Share” means an amount of Merger Consideration that would be distributed to a Pre-Formation Participant that is the holder of an interest in a Rexford Entity in accordance with the provisions of the existing Organizational Documents of such entity relating to distributions of distributable net proceeds from sales of directly or indirectly owned properties or assets, and assuming (x) the sale of the relevant Target Asset or Target Assets that are directly or indirectly owned by such entity for a value equal to such Target Asset’s or Target

Assets' respective Equity Value(s), and (y) the sale of additional assets that are owned directly or indirectly by RIF V Fund or RIF V REIT for an aggregate value equal to the Fund V Subsequent Investment Amount (which, for the sake of clarity, is the Equity Value attributable to Capital Contributions (as such term is defined in the RIF V Fund's and the RIF V REIT's respective Organizational Documents) made to or applied by RIF V Fund and RIF V REIT during the Interim Period, as further described in the definition of Equity Value set forth in Schedule 6.02(c), hereto).

(d) "Alternate Transaction" means any transaction structure, other than that contemplated by this Agreement, pursuant to which the REIT, the Operating Partnership or any of their Subsidiaries acquire all or a portion of the interests in the RIF V REIT or the assets held directly or indirectly by the RIF V REIT in a transaction pursuant to which each holder of RIF V REIT Interests receives the amount of cash and/or the number of REIT Shares that was to be received by such holder pursuant to this Agreement (or a portion thereof equal in value to the value of the portion of such assets acquired by the REIT, the Operating Partnership or any of their Subsidiaries pursuant to such Alternate Transaction); provided, that such structure will not (i) result in a breach of the RIF V REIT's or any applicable RIF V REIT Subsidiary's governing documents and (ii) would not give rise to dissenters' or appraisal rights by the members of the RIF V REIT, unless such rights have fully waived by all such members in the Consent Forms.

(e) "Business Day" means any day that is not a Saturday, Sunday or legal holiday in the State of California.

(f) "Code" means the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, together with the rules and regulations promulgated or issued thereunder.

(g) "Consent Form" means the form provided to each holder of Pre-Formation Interests to consent to the Formation Transactions and to make such holder's irrevocable elections with respect to consideration to be received by such holder in the Formation Transactions.

(h) "Entity Specific Debt" has the meaning set forth in Schedule 6.02(c) hereto.

(i) "Environmental Laws" means all federal, state and local Laws governing pollution or the protection of human health or the environment.

(j) "Equity Value" has the meaning set forth in Schedule 6.02(c) hereto.

(k) "Excluded Assets" means the assets identified on Schedule 5.05.

(l) "Formation Transaction Documentation" means all of the agreements (including this Agreement) and related documents substantially in the forms accompanying the Request for Consent dated February 22, 2013 and identified in Exhibit G hereto, pursuant to which all of the Rexford Entities and/or the Pre-Formation Interests are to be acquired by the REIT or the Operating Partnership, directly or indirectly, as part of the Formation Transactions.

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- (m) “Formation Transactions” means the transactions contemplated by this Agreement and the other Formation Transaction Documentation.
- (n) “Fund V Subsequent Investment Amount” has the meaning set forth in Schedule 6.02(c) hereto.
- (o) “Governmental Authority” means any government or agency, bureau, board, commission, court, department, official, political subdivision, tribunal or other instrumentality of any government, whether federal, state or local, domestic or foreign.
- (p) “Interim Period” has the meaning set forth in Schedule 6.02(c) hereto.
- (q) “Laws” means laws, statutes, rules, regulations, codes, orders, ordinances, judgments, injunctions, decrees and policies of any Governmental Authority, including, without limitation, zoning, land use or other similar rules or ordinances.
- (r) “Liens” means all pledges, claims, liens, charges, restrictions, controls, easements, rights of way, exceptions, reservations, leases, licenses, grants, covenants and conditions, encumbrances and security interests of any kind or nature whatsoever.
- (s) “Lock-Up Agreement” means that certain Lock-Up Agreement, by and between the underwriters and each investor of the REIT and/or the Operating Partnership.
- (t) “Management Companies” means, collectively RIF V Manager, Sponsor, and RI LLC.
- (u) “Offering Closing Date” means the closing date of the Offering.
- (v) “Offering Document” means either (i) in the event the REIT undertakes a public Offering, the REIT’s final prospectus as filed with the SEC; or (ii) in the event the REIT undertakes a private Offering, the REIT’s final offering memorandum (together with any supplements and amendments thereto) used in the Offering.
- (w) “Offering Price” means the initial offering price of a REIT Share in the Offering.
- (x) “Organizational Documents” means the certificate of formation, certificate of incorporation and bylaws, certificate of limited partnership and limited partnership agreement, limited liability company agreement or operating agreement, of the RIF V REIT or each RIF V REIT Subsidiary, as applicable.
- (y) “Permitted Liens” means (i) Liens, or deposits made to secure the release of such Liens, securing Taxes, the payment of which is not delinquent or the payment of which (including, without limitation, the amount or validity thereof) is being contested in good faith by appropriate proceedings for which adequate reserves have been made in accordance with GAAP; (ii) zoning, entitlement, building and other land use Laws imposed by Governmental Authorities having jurisdiction over the Properties; (iii) covenants, conditions, restrictions, easements for public utilities, encroachments, rights of access or other non-monetary matters that do not

materially impair the use of the Properties for the purposes for which they are currently being used or proposed to be used in connection with the relevant Person's business; (iv) Liens securing financing or credit arrangements existing as of the Closing Date; (v) Liens arising under Leases in effect as of the Closing Date; (vi) any exceptions contained in any title policy (including any policy issued to a secured lender) relating to the Properties as of the Closing Date; and (vii) mechanics', carriers', workers', repairers' and similar Liens arising or incurred in the ordinary course of business that are not yet due and payable or the payment of which (including, without limitation, the amount or validity thereof) is being contested in good faith by appropriate proceedings for which adequate reserves have been made in accordance with GAAP, and which are not, in the aggregate, material to the business, operations and financial condition of the Properties so encumbered.

(z) "Person" means an individual, corporation, partnership, limited liability company, joint venture, association, trust, unincorporated organization or other entity.

(aa) "Pre-Formation Interests" means the equity interests directly or indirectly held by the Pre-Formation Participants in the Rexford Entities and in the "Rexford Properties" as defined in that certain Confidential Request for Consent and Investment Election dated February 22, 2013.

(bb) "Pre-Formation Participants" means the holders of the equity interests in the relevant RIF Fund Entity and the Management Companies immediately prior to the Formation Transactions, and shall include any other Person contributing any interest or Property to the REIT, the Operating Partnership or any Subsidiary thereof in the Formation Transactions.

(cc) "Registration Rights Agreement" means that certain Registration Rights Agreement, by and among the REIT, the Operating Partnership and the parties identified as a signatory on Schedule A thereto.

(dd) "REIT Material Adverse Effect" means any material adverse change in any of the assets, business, condition (financial or otherwise), results of operation or prospects of the REIT and each REIT Subsidiary, taken as a whole.

(ee) "Rexford Entity" means a RIF Fund Entity, the Management Companies and each of their respective Subsidiaries, as applicable. As used herein, "Rexford Entities" refer to each Rexford Entity, collectively.

(ff) "RIF V REIT Material Adverse Effect" means any material adverse change in the assets, business, condition (financial or otherwise), results of operation or prospects of the RIF V REIT, RIF V REIT Subsidiaries or Properties, taken as a whole.

(gg) "Securities Act" means the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder.

(hh) "Subsidiary" of any Person means any corporation, partnership, limited liability company, joint venture, trust or other legal entity of which such Person owns (either directly or through or together with another Subsidiary of such Person) either (i) a general partner, managing member or other similar interest, or (ii)(A) ten percent (10%) or more of the voting power of the voting capital stock or other equity interests, or (B) ten percent (10%) or more of the outstanding voting capital stock or other voting equity interests of such corporation, partnership, limited liability company, joint venture or other legal entity.

(ii) “Target Asset” has the meaning set forth in Schedule 6.02(c) hereto.

(jj) “Tax” means all federal, state, local and foreign income, gross receipts, license, property, withholding, sales, franchise, employment, payroll, goods and services, stamp, environmental, customs duties, capital stock, social security, transfer, alternative minimum, excise and other taxes, tariffs or governmental charges of any nature whatsoever, including estimated taxes, together with penalties, interest or additions to Tax with respect thereto, whether or not disputed.

(kk) “Tax Return” means any return, declaration, report, claim for refund, or information return or statement relating to Taxes, including any schedule or attachment thereto, and including any amendment thereof.

(ll) “Underwriting Agreement” means that certain underwriting agreement, by and between the REIT, the Operating Partnership and certain underwriters set forth therein, pursuant to which the REIT will issue and sell shares in the Offering.

Section 6.03 COUNTERPARTS. This Agreement may be executed in counterparts, all of which shall be considered one and the same agreement and shall become effective when one or more counterparts have been signed by each party and delivered to each other party.

Section 6.04 ENTIRE AGREEMENT; THIRD-PARTY BENEFICIARIES. This Agreement, the other Formation Transaction Documentation and the Consent Forms to which the parties hereto are a party, including, without limitation, the exhibits and schedules hereto and thereto, constitute the entire agreement and, except as set forth in Section 2.05, supersede each prior agreement and understanding, whether written or oral, among the parties regarding the subject matter of this Agreement. This Agreement is not intended to confer any rights or remedies on any Person other than the parties hereto.

Section 6.05 GOVERNING LAW. This Agreement shall be governed by, and construed in accordance with, the Laws of the State of California, regardless of any Laws that might otherwise govern under applicable principles of conflicts of laws thereof.

Section 6.06 ASSIGNMENT. This Agreement shall be binding upon, and shall be enforceable by and inure to the benefit of, the parties hereto and their respective heirs, legal representatives, successors and assigns; *provided, however*, that this Agreement may not be assigned (except by operation of law) by any party without the prior written consent of the other parties, and any attempted assignment without such consent shall be null and void and of no force and effect, except that the REIT may assign its rights and obligations hereunder to an Affiliate.

Section 6.07 JURISDICTION. The parties hereto hereby (a) submit to the exclusive jurisdiction of any state or federal court sitting in the County of Los Angeles, with respect to any dispute arising out of this Agreement or any transaction contemplated hereby to the extent such courts would have subject matter jurisdiction with respect to such dispute and (b) irrevocably waive, and agree not to assert by way of motion, defense, or otherwise, in any such action, any claim that it is not subject personally to the jurisdiction of the above-named courts, that its property is exempt or immune from attachment or execution, that the action is brought in an inconvenient forum, or that the venue of the action is improper.

Section 6.08 DISPUTE RESOLUTION. The parties intend that this Section 6.08 will be valid, binding, enforceable, exclusive and irrevocable and that it shall survive any termination of this Agreement.

(a) Upon any dispute, controversy or claim arising out of or relating to this Agreement or the enforcement, breach, termination or validity thereof (“Dispute”), the party raising the Dispute will give written notice to the other parties to the Dispute describing the nature of the Dispute following which the parties to such Dispute shall attempt for a period of ten (10) Business Days from receipt by the parties of notice of such Dispute to resolve such Dispute by negotiation between representatives of the parties hereto who have authority to settle such Dispute. All such negotiations shall be confidential and any statements or offers made therein shall be treated as compromise and settlement negotiations for purposes of any applicable rules of evidence and shall not be admissible as evidence in any subsequent proceeding for any purpose. The statute of limitations applicable to the commencement of a lawsuit shall apply to the commencement of an arbitration hereunder, except that no defense based on the running of the statute of limitations will be available based upon the passage of time during any such negotiation. Regardless of the foregoing, a party shall have the right to seek immediate injunctive relief pursuant to Section 6.08(c), below without regard to any such ten (10) Business Day negotiation period.

(b) Any Dispute (including the determination of the scope or applicability of this agreement to arbitrate) that is not resolved pursuant to Section 6.08(a) above shall be submitted to final and binding arbitration in California before one neutral and impartial arbitrator, in accordance with the Laws of the State of California for agreements made in and to be performed in that State. The arbitration shall be administered by JAMS, Inc. (“JAMS”) pursuant to its Comprehensive Arbitration Rules and Procedures, as in effect on the date hereof. Each of the REIT, on the one hand, and the RIF V REIT, on the other hand, shall appoint one arbitrator within fifteen (15) days of a demand for arbitration. If the REIT and the RIF V REIT cannot mutually agree upon an arbitrator within such 15-day period, the arbitrator shall be appointed by JAMS in accordance with its Comprehensive Arbitration Rules and Procedures, as in effect on the date hereof. The arbitrator shall designate the place and time of the hearing. The hearing shall be scheduled to begin as soon as practicable and no later than sixty (60) days after the appointment of the arbitrator (unless such period is extended by the arbitrator for good cause shown) and shall be conducted as expeditiously as possible. The award, which shall set forth the arbitrator’s findings of fact and conclusions of law, shall be filed with JAMS and mailed to the parties no later than thirty (30) days after the close of the arbitration hearing. The arbitration award shall be final and binding on the parties and not subject to collateral attack. Judgment upon the arbitration award may be entered in any federal or state court having jurisdiction thereof.

(c) Notwithstanding the parties' agreement to submit all Disputes to final and binding arbitration before JAMS, the parties shall have the right to seek and obtain temporary or preliminary injunctive relief in any court having jurisdiction thereof. Such courts shall have authority to, among other things, grant temporary or provisional injunctive relief in order to protect any party's rights under this Agreement. Without prejudice to such provisional remedies as may be available under the jurisdiction of a court, the arbitral tribunal shall have full authority to grant provisional remedies and to direct the parties to request that any court modify or vacate any temporary or preliminary relief issued by such court, and to award damages for the failure of any party to respect the arbitral tribunal's orders to that effect.

(d) The prevailing party shall be entitled to recover its costs and reasonable attorneys' fees, and the non-prevailing party shall pay all expenses and fees of JAMS, all costs of the stenographic record, all expenses of witnesses or proofs that may have been produced at the direction of the arbitrator, and the fees, costs, and expenses of the arbitrator. The arbitrator shall allocate such costs and designate the prevailing party or parties for these purposes.

Section 6.09 SEVERABILITY. Each provision of this Agreement will be interpreted so as to be effective and valid under applicable Law, but if any provision is held invalid, illegal or unenforceable under applicable Law in any jurisdiction, then such invalidity, illegality or unenforceability will not affect any other provision, and this Agreement will be reformed, construed and enforced in such jurisdiction as if such invalid, illegal or unenforceable provision had never been included herein.

Section 6.10 RULES OF CONSTRUCTION.

(a) The parties hereto agree that they have had the opportunity to be represented by counsel during the negotiation, preparation and execution of this Agreement and, therefore, waive the application of any Law, regulation, holding or rule of construction providing that ambiguities in an agreement or other document will be construed against the party drafting such agreement or document.

(b) The words "hereof," "herein" and "herewith" and words of similar import shall, unless otherwise stated, be construed to refer to this Agreement as a whole and not to any particular provision of this Agreement, and article, section, paragraph, exhibit and schedule references are to the articles, sections, paragraphs, exhibits and schedules of this Agreement unless otherwise specified. Whenever the words "include," "includes" or "including" are used in this Agreement, they shall be deemed to be followed by the words "without limitation." All terms defined in this Agreement shall have the defined meanings contained herein when used in any certificate or other document made or delivered pursuant hereto unless otherwise defined therein. The definitions contained in this Agreement are applicable to the singular as well as the plural forms of such terms and to the masculine as well as to the feminine and neuter genders of such terms. Unless explicitly stated otherwise herein, any agreement, instrument or statute defined or referred to herein or in any agreement or instrument that is referred to herein means such agreement, instrument or statute as from time to time, amended, qualified or supplemented, including (in the case of agreements and instruments) by waiver or consent and (in the case of statutes) by succession of comparable successor statutes and all attachments thereto and instruments incorporated therein. References to a Person are also to its permitted successors and assigns.

Section 6.11 EQUITABLE REMEDIES. The parties agree that irreparable damage would occur to the REIT in the event that any of the provisions of this Agreement were not performed in accordance with their specific terms or were otherwise breached. It is accordingly agreed that the REIT shall be entitled to an injunction or injunctions to prevent breaches of this Agreement by the RIF V REIT and to enforce specifically the terms and provisions hereof in any federal or state court located in California, this being in addition to any other remedy to which the REIT is entitled under this Agreement or otherwise at law or in equity.

Section 6.12 TIME OF THE ESSENCE. Time is of the essence with respect to all obligations under this Agreement.

Section 6.13 DESCRIPTIVE HEADINGS. The descriptive headings herein are inserted for convenience only and are not intended to be part of or to affect the meaning or interpretation of this Agreement.

Section 6.14 NO PERSONAL LIABILITY CONFERRED. This Agreement shall not create or permit any personal liability or obligation on the part of any officer, director, partner, employee or shareholder of the REIT or the RIF V REIT.

Section 6.15 WAIVER OF SECTION 1542 PROTECTIONS. As of the Closing Date, each of the parties hereto expressly acknowledges that it has had, or has had and waived, the opportunity to be advised by independent legal counsel and hereby waives and relinquishes all rights and benefits afforded by Section 1542 of the California Civil Code and does so understanding and acknowledging the significance and consequence of such specific waiver of Section 1542 which provides:

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

Section 6.16 AMENDMENTS. This Agreement may be amended by appropriate instrument, without the consent of the RIF V REIT, at any time prior to the Effective Time; provided, that no such amendment, modification or supplement shall be made that alters the amount or changes the form of the consideration to be delivered to the RIF V REIT without the prior written consent of the RIF V REIT.

[SIGNATURE PAGES FOLLOW]

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have caused this Agreement to be signed by their respective duly authorized officers or representatives, all as of the date first written above.

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, INC.,
a Maryland corporation

By: /s/ Howard Schwimmer
Name: Howard Schwimmer
Title: Co-Chief Executive Officer

By: /s/ Michael Frankel
Name: Michael S. Frankel
Title: Co-Chief Executive Officer

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL FUND V REIT, LLC
a Delaware limited liability company

By: /s/ Howard Schwimmer
Name: Howard Schwimmer
Title: Authorized Signatory

By: /s/ Michael Frankel
Name: Michael S. Frankel
Title: Authorized Signatory

[Signature Page to Fund V REIT Merger Agreement]

AGREEMENT AND PLAN OF MERGER

by and among

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, INC.,

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, L.P.,

and

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL FUND V, LP

Dated as of July 24, 2013

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AGREEMENT AND PLAN OF MERGER

THIS AGREEMENT AND PLAN OF MERGER is made and entered into as of July 24, 2013 (this "Agreement"), by and among Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc., a Maryland corporation (the "REIT"), Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P., a Maryland limited partnership and a subsidiary of the REIT (the "Operating Partnership") and Rexford Industrial Fund V, LP, a Delaware limited partnership (the "RIF V Fund"). Certain capitalized terms are defined in Section 6.02 of this Agreement.

RECITALS

WHEREAS, the REIT desires to consolidate the ownership of a portfolio of properties currently owned, directly or indirectly, by certain entities each as described on Exhibit A hereto;

WHEREAS, pursuant to this Agreement, the RIF V Fund will merge with and into the Operating Partnership (the "Merger") and the partnership interests in the RIF V Fund (the "RIF V Fund Interests") will be (a) converted automatically into the right to receive cash, without interest, shares of common stock of the REIT, par value \$.01 per share ("REIT Shares") and/or common units of partnership interest in the Operating Partnership ("OP Units") and (b) in the case of the RIF V Fund Interests held by RIF V Manager or the REIT, cancelled;

WHEREAS, concurrently with the execution of this Agreement, Rexford Industrial Fund V REIT, LLC (the "RIF V REIT") will enter into an agreement and plan of merger with the REIT pursuant to which the RIF V REIT will merge with and into the REIT and the equity interest in the RIF V REIT will be converted automatically into the right to receive cash, without interest, or REIT Shares;

WHEREAS, concurrently with the execution of this Agreement, Rexford Sponsor V LLC, a Delaware limited liability company ("Sponsor"), will enter into an agreement and plan of merger pursuant to which Sponsor will merge with and into a direct wholly-owned subsidiary of the Operating Partnership with Sponsor as the surviving entity, and the equity interests in Sponsor will be converted automatically into the right to receive cash, without interest, OP Units and/or REIT Shares;

WHEREAS, concurrently with the execution of this Agreement, Rexford Industrial, LLC, a California limited liability company ("RI LLC"), will enter into an agreement and plan of merger pursuant to which RI LLC will merge with and into a direct wholly-owned subsidiary of the Operating Partnership, with RI LLC as the surviving entity, and the equity interests in RI LLC will be converted automatically into the right to receive cash, without interest, OP Units and/or REIT Shares;

WHEREAS, concurrently with the execution of this Agreement, Rexford Fund V Manager LLC, a Delaware limited liability company ("RIF V Manager"), will enter into an agreement and plan of merger pursuant to which RIF V Manager will merge with and into an indirect wholly-owned subsidiary of the Operating Partnership, with RIF V Manager as the surviving entity, and the equity interests in RIF V Manager will be converted automatically into the right to receive cash, without interest, OP Units and/or REIT Shares;

WHEREAS, concurrently with the execution of this Agreement, the REIT and the Operating Partnership will enter into separate contribution agreements (the “RIF Fund Contribution Agreements”) with each of Rexford Industrial Fund I, LLC, Rexford Industrial Fund II, LLC, Rexford Industrial Fund III, LLC and Rexford Industrial Fund IV, LLC (each such entity may be referred to herein as a “Contributor,” each such entity, RIF V REIT and RIF V Fund may be referred to herein as a “RIF Fund Entity”), pursuant to which (a) each Contributor will contribute to the Operating Partnership all of such Contributor’s direct and indirect interests in the entities identified as “Contributed Entities” on Exhibit A hereto (the “Contributed Interests”) and the other contributed properties and contributed assets identified in each such RIF Fund Contribution Agreement, and (b) the Operating Partnership shall acquire from each Contributor, all of such Contributor’s right, title and interest in and to such Contributed Interests and the other contributed properties and contributed assets, in exchange for a combination of cash, without interest, REIT Shares and/or OP Units and the assumption by the Operating Partnership of the assumed liabilities identified in each such RIF Fund Contribution Agreement all on the terms and subject to the conditions set forth therein;

WHEREAS, in the event that all members of a Contributor return duly executed and completed Consent Forms approving the Formation Transactions, then, in lieu of the applicable RIF Fund Contribution Agreement, the REIT may elect to cause the applicable Contributor to enter into an agreement and plan of merger with the Operating Partnership pursuant to which such Contributor will merge with and into the Operating Partnership and the membership interests in such Contributor will be converted automatically into the right to receive cash, REIT Shares and/or OP Units;

WHEREAS, the Formation Transactions relate to the initial public offering of the REIT Shares or, depending on prevailing market conditions at the time of the offering, a private offering of the REIT Shares (the “Offering”), following which the REIT will operate as a self-administered and self-managed real estate investment trust within the meaning of Section 856 of the Code;

WHEREAS, substantially concurrently with the completion of the Formation Transactions and the Offering, the REIT will contribute to the Operating Partnership, all of the assets (other than OP Units), rights and obligations acquired by the REIT as a result of the Formation Transactions and the Offering;

WHEREAS, all necessary approvals have been obtained by each of the Operating Partnership, the REIT and the RIF V Fund to consummate the transactions contemplated herein and by the other Formation Transaction Documentation.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the foregoing and the representations, warranties, covenants and other terms contained in this Agreement, the parties hereto, intending to be legally bound hereby, agree as follows:

ARTICLE I

THE MERGER

Section 1.01 THE MERGER. At the Effective Time, and subject to the terms and conditions contained in this Agreement and in accordance with applicable Laws, the RIF V Fund shall be merged with and into the Operating Partnership whereby the separate existence of the RIF V Fund shall cease, and the Operating Partnership shall continue its existence under Maryland law as the surviving entity (hereinafter sometimes referred to as the “Surviving Entity”).

Section 1.02 EFFECTIVE TIME. Subject to and upon the terms and conditions of this Agreement, concurrently with or as soon as practicable after (i) the execution by the REIT and the Operating Partnership of the Underwriting Agreement and (ii) the satisfaction or waiver of the conditions set forth in Article II, the Operating Partnership and the RIF V Fund shall file articles of merger or similar documents with respect to the Merger (the “Certificate of Merger”) as may be required by applicable Laws, with the State Department of Assessments and Taxation of Maryland (“SDAT”) and the Secretary of State of the State of Delaware providing that the Merger shall become effective upon filing or at such later date and time set forth in the Certificate of Merger with respect to such Merger that is not more than 30 days after the Certificate of Merger is accepted for record by the SDAT (the “Effective Time”), together with any certificates and other filings or recordings related thereto, in such forms as are required by, and executed in accordance with the relevant provisions of applicable Laws.

Section 1.03 EFFECT OF THE MERGER. At the Effective Time, the effect of the Merger shall be as provided in this Agreement, the Certificate of Merger and applicable Laws.

Section 1.04 ORGANIZATIONAL DOCUMENTS. At the Effective Time, (i) the certificate of limited partnership of the Operating Partnership, as in effect immediately prior to the Effective Time, shall be the certificate of limited partnership of the Surviving Entity until thereafter amended as provided therein or in accordance with the Maryland Revised Uniform Limited Partnership Act (the “MLPA”), and (ii) the Amended and Restated Agreement of Limited Partnership of the Operating Partnership, as in effect immediately prior to the Effective Time (the “Operating Partnership Agreement”), shall be the agreement of limited partnership of the Surviving Entity until thereafter amended as provided therein or in accordance with the MLPA.

Section 1.05 CONVERSION OF RIF V FUND INTERESTS.

(a) Under and subject to the terms and conditions of the respective Formation Transaction Documentation, each Pre-Formation Participant is irrevocably bound to accept and entitled to receive, as a result of and upon consummation of the Merger or other Formation Transactions, a specified share of the Rexford Entities as a whole in the form of the right to receive cash, REIT Shares and/or OP Units as calculated in this Section 1.05.

(b) At the Effective Time, by virtue of the Merger and without any action on the part of the parties hereto, except as set forth in this Agreement, each RIF V Fund Interest shall be converted automatically into the right to receive cash, OP Units and/or REIT Shares with an aggregate value equal to the portion of the Equity Value of the assets of RIF V Fund represented by such RIF V Fund Interest (collectively, but, for the avoidance of doubt, excluding any consideration payable to such Pre-Formation Participants pursuant to the Formation Transactions in respect of Pre-Formation Interests in any Rexford Entity other than the RIF V Fund referred to as the “Merger Consideration”) and each holder that receives OP Units in the Merger shall, upon receipt of such OP Units and the delivery of a Consent Form or a counterpart signature page to the Operating Partnership Agreement and such other documents and instruments as may be required in the sole discretion of the REIT to effect such holder’s admission as a limited partner of the Operating Partnership, be admitted as a limited partner of the Operating Partnership in accordance with the MLPA and the Operating Partnership Agreement. The portion of the Equity Value of the assets of RIF V Fund “represented by” a RIF V Fund Interest shall be calculated using the same methodology used to calculate the Allocated Share of a holder of such RIF V Fund Interest.

(c) Subject to Section 1.07, the amount of cash, number of OP Units and/or REIT Shares comprising the Merger Consideration for each RIF V Fund Interest so converted shall be as follows:

(i) Cash. One hundred percent (100%) of the Allocated Share attributable to a Pre-Formation Participant who is not an Accredited Investor shall be paid in cash.

(ii) OP Units. The Elected OP Unit Percentage of the Allocated Share attributable to a Pre-Formation Participant who is an Accredited Investor shall be distributed in whole OP Units in the form of a number of OP Units equal to the applicable portion of such Allocated Share divided by the Offering Price; and

(iii) REIT Shares. The Elected REIT Shares Percentage of the Allocated Share attributable to a Pre-Formation Participant who is an Accredited Investor shall be distributed in whole REIT Shares in the form of a number of REIT Shares equal to the applicable portion of such Allocated Share divided by the Offering Price; *provided, that* to the extent such distribution of REIT Shares to such Pre-Formation Participant would result in a violation of the restrictions on ownership and transfer set forth in Section 6.2.1 of the REIT Charter (the “Ownership Limits”), such Pre-Formation Participant shall receive (x) the maximum number of whole REIT Shares that would not result in such a violation of the Ownership Limits, and (y) that number of whole OP Units equal to the remaining number of REIT Shares not distributed as a result of the application of the foregoing clause (x).

Section 1.06 CANCELLATION AND RETIREMENT OF RIF V FUND INTERESTS. From and after the Effective Time, (i) each RIF V Fund Interest converted into the right to receive the Merger Consideration pursuant to Section 1.05(b) shall no longer be outstanding and shall automatically be cancelled and retired and shall cease to exist, and each holder of such RIF V Fund Interest so converted shall thereafter cease to have any rights as a member of the RIF V Fund except the right to receive the Merger Consideration applicable thereto, and (ii) each RIF V Fund Interest issued and outstanding that is owned by the REIT or the Operating Partnership, or any of its direct or indirect wholly-owned Subsidiaries, shall no longer be outstanding and shall automatically be cancelled and retired and shall cease to exist and no consideration shall be delivered hereunder in exchange therefor.

Section 1.07 FRACTIONAL INTERESTS. No fractional OP Units or REIT Shares shall be issued in the Merger or the other Formation Transactions. All fractional OP Units that a holder of RIF V Fund Interests would otherwise be entitled to receive as a result of the Merger and the other Formation Transactions shall be aggregated, and each holder shall receive the number of whole OP Units resulting from such aggregation and, in lieu of any fractional OP Unit resulting from such aggregation, an amount in cash determined by multiplying that fraction of a REIT Share to which such holder would otherwise have been entitled, by the Offering Price. All fractional REIT Shares that a holder of RIF V Fund Interests would otherwise be entitled to receive as a result of the Merger and the other Formation Transactions shall be aggregated, and each holder shall receive the number of whole REIT Shares resulting from such aggregation and, in lieu of any fractional REIT Share resulting from such aggregation, an amount in cash determined by multiplying that fraction of a REIT Share to which such holder would otherwise have been entitled, by the Offering Price. No interest will be paid or will accrue on any cash paid or payable in lieu of any fractional OP Unit or REIT Share.

Section 1.08 FURTHER ACTION. If, at any time after the Effective Time, the Surviving Entity shall determine or be advised that any deeds, bills of sale, assignments (including any intellectual property assignments), assurances or any other actions or things are necessary or desirable to vest, perfect or confirm of record or otherwise in the Surviving Entity the right, title or interest in, to or under any of the rights, properties or assets of the RIF V Fund acquired or to be acquired by the Surviving Entity as a result of, or in connection with, the Merger or otherwise to carry out this Agreement, the Surviving Entity shall be authorized to execute and deliver, in the name and on behalf of the RIF V Fund all such deeds, bills of sale, assignments (including any intellectual property assignments) and assurances and to take and do, in the name and on behalf of any RIF V Fund Interests all such other actions and things as may be necessary or desirable to vest, perfect or confirm any and all right, title and interest in, to and under such rights, properties or assets in the Surviving Entity or otherwise to carry out this Agreement.

Section 1.09 CALCULATION OF MERGER CONSIDERATION. As soon as practicable following the determination of the Offering Price and prior to the filing of the Certificate of Merger, all calculations relating to the Merger Consideration shall be performed in good faith by, or under the direction of, the Operating Partnership, and the parties hereby agree that, absent manifest error, such calculations shall be final and binding upon the holders of RIF V Fund Interests.

ARTICLE II

CLOSING

Section 2.01 CONDITIONS PRECEDENT.

(a) Condition to Each Party's Obligations. The respective obligation of each party to effect the Merger contemplated by this Agreement and to consummate the other transactions contemplated hereby to occur on the Closing Date is subject to the satisfaction or waiver on or prior to the Effective Time of the following conditions:

(i) Registration Statement. If the REIT undertakes a public Offering, the public Offering registration statement must have been declared effective under the Securities Act and will not be the subject of any stop order or proceedings by the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC") seeking a stop order. This condition may not be waived by any party.

(ii) No Injunction. No Governmental Authority of competent jurisdiction shall have enacted, issued, promulgated, enforced or entered any statute, rule, regulation, executive order, decree, judgment, injunction, stay or other order (whether temporary, preliminary or permanent), in any case which is in effect and which prevents or prohibits consummation of any of the transactions contemplated in this Agreement nor shall any of the same brought by a Governmental Authority of competent jurisdiction be pending or threatened that seeks the foregoing.

(iii) Operating Partnership Agreement. The Operating Partnership Agreement, in substantially the form attached hereto as Exhibit B, shall have been executed and delivered by the partners of the Operating Partnership and shall be in full force and effect and, except as contemplated by Section 2.03 or the other Formation Transaction Documents, shall not have been amended or modified.

(b) Conditions to the Obligations of the Operating Partnership. The obligations of the Operating Partnership to effect the Merger contemplated by this Agreement and to consummate the other transactions contemplated hereby to occur on the Closing Date are further subject to satisfaction of the following conditions (any of which may be waived by the Operating Partnership in whole or in part):

(i) Representations and Warranties. The representations and warranties of the RIF V Fund contained in this Agreement shall be true and correct in all material respects at the Closing as if made again at that time (except to the extent that any representation or warranty speaks as of an earlier date, in which case it must be true and correct only as of that earlier date).

(ii) Performance by the RIF V Fund. The RIF V Fund shall have performed each of the agreements and covenants required by this Agreement to be performed or complied with by it on or prior to the Closing Date and the RIF V Fund shall not have breached any of its covenants contained herein in any material respect.

(iii) Offering Closing. The closing of the Offering shall occur substantially concurrently with the Closing.

(iv) Consents, Etc. All necessary consents and approvals of Governmental Authorities or third parties (including lenders) for the RIF V Fund to consummate the transactions contemplated hereby shall have been obtained.

(v) No Fund Material Adverse Effect. There shall have not occurred between the date hereof and the Closing Date a Fund Material Adverse Effect.

(vi) Formation Transactions. The Formation Transactions shall have been or shall be consummated substantially concurrently in accordance with the timing set forth in the respective Formation Transaction Documentation.

(vii) Lock-Up Agreement. Each of the Pre-Formation Participants owning interests in the RIF V Fund shall have entered into the Lock-Up Agreement substantially in the form attached as Exhibit C.

(viii) Tax Matters Agreement. Any Pre-Formation Participant that will receive OP Units in the Merger and that (1) owns, directly or indirectly, an interest in any Property specified in the Tax Matters Agreement or (2) has been provided an opportunity to guarantee debt as set forth in the Tax Matters Agreement shall have entered into the Tax Matters Agreement substantially in the form attached as Exhibit D, if applicable.

(c) Conditions to the Obligations of the RIF V Fund. The obligation of the RIF V Fund to effect the Merger contemplated by this Agreement and to consummate the other transactions contemplated hereby to occur on the Closing Date are further subject to satisfaction of the following conditions (any of which may be waived by the RIF V Fund in whole or in part):

(i) Representations and Warranties. Except as would not have an OP Material Adverse Effect, the representations and warranties of the Operating Partnership contained in this Agreement shall be true and correct at the Closing as if made again at that time (except to the extent that any representation or warranty speaks as of an earlier date, in which case it must be true and correct only as of that earlier date).

(ii) Performance by the Operating Partnership. Except as would not have an OP Material Adverse Effect, the Operating Partnership shall have performed all agreements and covenants required by this Agreement to be performed or complied with by it on or prior to the Closing Date.

(iii) Registration Rights Agreement. The REIT shall have entered into the Registration Rights Agreement, substantially in the form attached as Exhibit F hereto. This condition may not be waived by any party hereto.

(iv) Tax Matters Agreement. If the RIF V Fund (1) owns, directly or indirectly, an interest in any Property specified in the Tax Matters Agreement or (2) has any members that have been provided an opportunity to guarantee debt as set forth in the Tax Matters Agreement, the REIT and the Operating Partnership shall have entered into the Tax Matters Agreement substantially in the form attached as Exhibit D, if applicable.

Section 2.02 TIME AND PLACE. Unless this Agreement shall have been terminated pursuant to Section 2.06, and subject to the satisfaction or waiver of the conditions in Section 2.01, the filing of the Certificate of Merger, the Effective Time and the closing of the Merger

contemplated by Section 1.01 and the other transactions contemplated by this Agreement shall occur substantially concurrently with the receipt by the REIT of the proceeds from the Offering from the underwriters (the “Closing” or the “Closing Date”) in the order set forth on Exhibit E. The Closing shall take place at the offices of Latham & Watkins LLP, 355 South Grand Avenue, Los Angeles, California 90071 or such other place as determined by the REIT in its sole discretion.

Section 2.03 DELIVERY OF MERGER CONSIDERATION.

(a) Subject to Section 5.03(a), as soon as reasonably practicable after the Effective Time, the Surviving Entity (or its successor in interest) shall deliver to each holder of RIF V Fund Interests, whose RIF V Fund Interests have been converted into the right to receive the Merger Consideration pursuant to Section 1.05(b) hereof, the Merger Consideration payable to such holder in the amounts and form provided in Section 1.05(c) hereof. The issuance of any OP Units and admission of the recipients thereof as limited partners of the Operating Partnership pursuant to Section 1.05(b) shall be evidenced by an entry to the Register (as defined in the Operating Partnership Agreement). Any certificate representing REIT Shares issuable as Merger Consideration shall bear the following legend:

THE SECURITIES REPRESENTED HEREBY HAVE NOT BEEN REGISTERED UNDER THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933, AS AMENDED (THE “ACT”), OR THE SECURITIES LAWS OF ANY STATE AND MAY NOT BE SOLD, TRANSFERRED OR OTHERWISE DISPOSED OF IN THE ABSENCE OF SUCH REGISTRATION, UNLESS THE TRANSFEROR DELIVERS TO THE CORPORATION AN OPINION OF COUNSEL SATISFACTORY TO THE CORPORATION, TO THE EFFECT THAT THE PROPOSED SALE, TRANSFER OR OTHER DISPOSITION MAY BE EFFECTED WITHOUT REGISTRATION UNDER THE ACT AND UNDER APPLICABLE STATE SECURITIES OR “BLUE SKY” LAWS.

THE SHARES REPRESENTED BY THIS CERTIFICATE ARE SUBJECT TO RESTRICTIONS ON BENEFICIAL AND CONSTRUCTIVE OWNERSHIP AND TRANSFER FOR THE PURPOSE OF THE CORPORATION’S MAINTENANCE OF ITS STATUS AS A REAL ESTATE INVESTMENT TRUST UNDER THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE OF 1986, AS AMENDED (THE “CODE”). SUBJECT TO CERTAIN FURTHER RESTRICTIONS AND EXCEPT AS EXPRESSLY PROVIDED IN THE CORPORATION’S CHARTER, (I) NO PERSON MAY BENEFICIALLY OR CONSTRUCTIVELY OWN SHARES OF THE CORPORATION’S COMMON STOCK IN EXCESS OF 9.8% (IN VALUE OR NUMBER OF SHARES) OF THE OUTSTANDING SHARES OF COMMON STOCK OF THE CORPORATION UNLESS SUCH PERSON IS AN

EXCEPTED HOLDER (IN WHICH CASE THE EXCEPTED HOLDER LIMIT SHALL BE APPLICABLE); (II) NO PERSON MAY BENEFICIALLY OR CONSTRUCTIVELY OWN SHARES OF CAPITAL STOCK OF THE CORPORATION IN EXCESS OF 9.8% OF THE VALUE OF THE TOTAL OUTSTANDING SHARES OF CAPITAL STOCK OF THE CORPORATION, UNLESS SUCH PERSON IS AN EXCEPTED HOLDER (IN WHICH CASE THE EXCEPTED HOLDER LIMIT SHALL BE APPLICABLE); (III) NO PERSON MAY BENEFICIALLY OR CONSTRUCTIVELY OWN CAPITAL STOCK THAT COULD RESULT IN THE CORPORATION BEING "CLOSELY HELD" UNDER SECTION 856(h) OF THE CODE OR OTHERWISE CAUSE THE CORPORATION TO FAIL TO QUALIFY AS A REIT; AND (IV) NO PERSON MAY TRANSFER SHARES OF CAPITAL STOCK IF SUCH TRANSFER WOULD RESULT IN THE CAPITAL STOCK OF THE CORPORATION BEING OWNED BY FEWER THAN 100 PERSONS. ANY PERSON WHO BENEFICIALLY OR CONSTRUCTIVELY OWNS OR ATTEMPTS TO BENEFICIALLY OR CONSTRUCTIVELY OWN SHARES OF CAPITAL STOCK WHICH CAUSES OR MAY CAUSE A PERSON TO BENEFICIALLY OR CONSTRUCTIVELY OWN SHARES OF CAPITAL STOCK IN EXCESS OR IN VIOLATION OF THE ABOVE LIMITATIONS MUST IMMEDIATELY NOTIFY THE CORPORATION OR, IN THE CASE OF SUCH A PROPOSED OR ATTEMPTED TRANSACTION, GIVE AT LEAST 15 DAYS PRIOR WRITTEN NOTICE. IF ANY OF THE RESTRICTIONS ON TRANSFER OR OWNERSHIP SET FORTH IN (I) THROUGH (III) ABOVE ARE VIOLATED, THE SHARES OF CAPITAL STOCK REPRESENTED HEREBY WILL BE AUTOMATICALLY TRANSFERRED TO A TRUSTEE OF A TRUST FOR THE BENEFIT OF ONE OR MORE CHARITABLE BENEFICIARIES. IN ADDITION, THE CORPORATION MAY TAKE OTHER ACTIONS, INCLUDING REDEEMING SHARES UPON THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS SPECIFIED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS IN ITS SOLE AND ABSOLUTE DISCRETION IF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS DETERMINES THAT OWNERSHIP OR A TRANSFER OR OTHER EVENT MAY VIOLATE THE RESTRICTIONS DESCRIBED ABOVE. FURTHERMORE, UPON THE OCCURRENCE OF CERTAIN EVENTS, ATTEMPTED TRANSFERS IN VIOLATION OF THE RESTRICTIONS DESCRIBED ABOVE MAY BE VOID *AB INITIO*. ALL UNDERLINED TERMS IN THIS LEGEND HAVE THE MEANINGS DEFINED IN THE CHARTER OF THE

CORPORATION, AS THE SAME MAY BE AMENDED FROM TIME TO TIME, A COPY OF WHICH, INCLUDING THE RESTRICTIONS ON TRANSFER AND OWNERSHIP, WILL BE FURNISHED TO EACH HOLDER OF CAPITAL STOCK OF THE CORPORATION ON REQUEST AND WITHOUT CHARGE. REQUESTS FOR SUCH A COPY MAY BE DIRECTED TO THE SECRETARY OF THE CORPORATION AT ITS PRINCIPAL OFFICE.

(b) The Surviving Entity (or its successor in interest) shall not be liable to any holder of a RIF V Fund Interest for any portion of the Merger Consideration delivered to a public official pursuant to any applicable abandoned property, escheat or similar Law.

Section 2.04 CLOSING DELIVERIES. At the Closing, the parties shall make, execute, acknowledge and deliver, or cause to be made, executed, acknowledged and delivered any other documents reasonably requested by the Operating Partnership or reasonably necessary or desirable to assign, transfer, convey, contribute and deliver the RIF V Fund Interests, free and clear of all Liens and to effectuate the transactions contemplated hereby.

Section 2.05 CLOSING COSTS. If the Closing occurs, the REIT and the Operating Partnership shall be solely responsible for all transaction costs and expenses of the REIT, the Operating Partnership and the Rexford Entities in connection with the Formation Transactions and the Offering, which include, but are not limited to, the underwriting discounts and commissions. In the event the Closing does not occur, each party shall be responsible for its allocable portion of such costs and expenses in accordance with the terms of those certain letter agreements identified on Schedule 2.05.

Section 2.06 TERM OF THE AGREEMENT. This Agreement shall terminate automatically if the transactions contemplated herein shall not have been consummated on or prior to December 31, 2013 (such date is hereinafter referred to as the "Outside Date").

Section 2.07 EFFECT OF TERMINATION. In the event of termination of this Agreement for any reason, all obligations on the part of the Operating Partnership and the RIF V Fund under this Agreement shall terminate, except that the obligations set forth in Article VI shall survive, it being understood and agreed, however, for the avoidance of doubt, that if this Agreement is terminated because one or more of the conditions to the non-breaching party's obligations under this Agreement are not satisfied by the Outside Date as a result of the other party's material breach of a covenant, representation, warranty or other obligation under this Agreement or any other Formation Transaction Documentation, the non-breaching party's right to pursue all legal remedies with respect to such breach will survive such termination unimpaired.

Section 2.08 TAX WITHHOLDING. The Operating Partnership shall be entitled to deduct and withhold from the consideration payable pursuant to this Agreement to any holder of a RIF V Fund Interest such amounts required to be deducted and withheld with respect to the making of such payment under the Code or any provision of state, local or foreign tax law. To the extent that amounts are so withheld, such withheld amounts shall be treated for all purposes of this Agreement as having been paid to the holder of the RIF V Fund Interest in respect of which such deduction and withholding was made.

ARTICLE III

REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES OF THE OPERATING PARTNERSHIP

The Operating Partnership hereby represents and warrants to the RIF V Fund as follows:

Section 3.01 ORGANIZATION; AUTHORITY.

(a) The Operating Partnership has been duly formed and is validly existing and in good standing under the Laws of its jurisdiction of formation and, upon the effectiveness of the Operating Partnership Agreement, will have all requisite power and authority to enter into this Agreement and the other Formation Transaction Documentation and to carry out the transactions contemplated hereby and thereby, and to own, lease and/or operate its property and to carry on its business as presently conducted and, to the extent required under applicable Laws, is qualified to do business and is in good standing in each jurisdiction in which the nature of its business or the character of its property make such qualification necessary, other than such failures to be so qualified as would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have an OP Material Adverse Effect.

(b) Schedule 3.01(b) sets forth as of the date hereof, (i) each Subsidiary of the Operating Partnership (each an “Operating Partnership Subsidiary”), (ii) the ownership interest therein of the Operating Partnership, and (iii) if not wholly owned by the Operating Partnership, the identity and ownership interest of each of the other owners of such Operating Partnership Subsidiary. Each Operating Partnership Subsidiary has been duly organized or formed and is validly existing and is in good standing under the Laws of its jurisdiction of organization or formation, as applicable, has all requisite power and authority to own, lease and/or operate its property and to carry on its business as presently conducted and, to the extent required under applicable Laws, is qualified to do business and is in good standing in each jurisdiction in which the nature of its business or the character of its property make such qualification necessary, other than such failures to be so qualified as would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have an OP Material Adverse Effect.

Section 3.02 DUE AUTHORIZATION. The execution, delivery and performance of this Agreement and the other Formation Transaction Documentation (including each agreement, document and instrument executed and delivered by or on behalf of the Operating Partnership pursuant to this Agreement or the other Formation Transaction Documentation) by the Operating Partnership has been duly and validly authorized by all necessary actions required of the Operating Partnership. This Agreement, the other Formation Transaction Documentation and each agreement, document and instrument executed and delivered by or on behalf of the Operating Partnership pursuant to this Agreement or the other Formation Transaction Documentation constitutes, or when executed and delivered will constitute, the legal, valid and binding obligation of the Operating Partnership, enforceable against the Operating Partnership in accordance with its terms, subject to applicable bankruptcy, insolvency, moratorium or other similar Laws relating to creditors’ rights and general principles of equity.

Section 3.03 CONSENTS AND APPROVALS. Except for the filing of the Certificate of Merger in accordance with Section 1.02 hereof or in connection with the Offering and the consummation of the other Formation Transactions or as shall have been obtained on or prior to the Closing Date, no consent, waiver, approval, authorization, order, license, permit or registration of, qualification, designation, declaration or filing with, any Person or Governmental Authority or under any applicable Laws is required to be obtained by the Operating Partnership in connection with the execution, delivery and performance of this Agreement and the transactions contemplated hereby, except for (a) those consents, waivers, approvals, authorizations, orders, licenses, permits, registrations, qualifications, designations, declarations or filings, the failure of which to obtain or to file would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have an OP Material Adverse Effect, or (b) those consents under the Organizational Documents of the applicable Rexford Entity (including the RIF V Fund), the failure of which to obtain would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have an OP Material Adverse Effect.

Section 3.04 NO VIOLATION. None of the execution, delivery or performance of this Agreement, the other Formation Transaction Documentation, any agreement contemplated hereby between the parties to this Agreement and the transactions contemplated hereby between the parties to this Agreement does or will, with or without the giving of notice, lapse of time, or both, violate, conflict with, result in a breach of, or constitute a default under or give to others any right of termination, acceleration, cancellation or other right under, (a) the Organizational Documents of the Operating Partnership, (b) any agreement, document or instrument to which the Operating Partnership or any of its respective assets are bound or (c) any term or provision of any judgment, order, writ, injunction, or decree binding on the Operating Partnership, except for, in the case of clause (b) or (c), any such breaches or defaults that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have an OP Material Adverse Effect.

Section 3.05 VALIDITY OF OP UNITS AND REIT SHARES. Any OP Units to be issued pursuant to this Agreement will have been duly authorized by the Operating Partnership and, when issued against the consideration therefor, will be validly issued, fully paid and non-assessable, free and clear of all Liens created by the Operating Partnership (other than any Liens created by the Operating Partnership Agreement). Any REIT Shares to be issued pursuant to this Agreement will have been duly authorized by the REIT and, when issued against the consideration therefor, will be validly issued, fully paid and non-assessable, free and clear of all Liens created by the REIT (other than any Liens created by the REIT Charter).

Section 3.06 LITIGATION. Except for actions, suits or proceedings covered by policies of insurance, there is no action, suit or proceeding pending or, to the knowledge of the Operating Partnership, threatened against the Operating Partnership or any Operating Partnership Subsidiary, other than actions, suits, proceedings arising in the ordinary course of business from the ownership and operation of the Operating Partnership, that individually or in the aggregate, would not reasonably be expected, (a) if adversely determined, to have an OP Material Adverse Effect, or (b) to challenge or impair the ability of the Operating Partnership to execute or deliver, or materially perform its obligations under, this Agreement and the documents executed by it pursuant to this Agreement or to consummate the transactions contemplated hereby or thereby to such an extent as would result in an OP Material Adverse Effect.

Section 3.07 OPERATING PARTNERSHIP AGREEMENT. Attached hereto as Exhibit B hereto is a true and correct copy of the Operating Partnership Agreement, as in effect immediately prior to the Effective Time.

Section 3.08 LIMITED ACTIVITIES. Except for activities in connection with the Offering, the Formation Transactions or in the ordinary course of business, the Operating Partnership and the Operating Partnership Subsidiaries have not engaged in any material business or incurred any material obligations.

Section 3.09 NO BROKER. The Operating Partnership has not entered into, and covenants that it will not enter into, any agreement, arrangement or understanding with any Person or firm which will result in the obligation of the RIF V Fund or any Affiliates thereof to pay any finder's fee, brokerage commission or similar payment in connection with the transaction contemplated by this Agreement (other than underwriting discounts, commissions and other fees and expenses to be paid by the REIT in connection with the Offering and any related financing transactions).

Section 3.10 NO OTHER REPRESENTATIONS OR WARRANTIES. Other than the representations and warranties expressly set forth in this Article III and any other agreement entered into in connection with the Formation Transactions, the Operating Partnership shall not be deemed to have made any other representation or warranty in connection with this Agreement or the transactions contemplated hereby. All representations, warranties and covenants of the Operating Partnership contained in this Agreement shall expire at the Closing.

ARTICLE IV

REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES OF THE RIF V FUND

Except as disclosed in the Offering Document or the schedules attached hereto, the RIF V Fund represents and warrants to the Operating Partnership that as of the Closing Date:

Section 4.01 ORGANIZATION; AUTHORITY.

(a) The RIF V Fund has been duly formed, is validly existing and in good standing under the Laws of its jurisdiction of formation, and has all requisite power and authority to enter into this Agreement, each agreement contemplated hereby and the other Formation Transaction Documentation to which it is a party (including any agreement, document and instrument executed and delivered by or on behalf of the RIF V Fund pursuant to this Agreement or the other Formation Transaction Documentation) and to carry out the transactions contemplated hereby and thereby, and to carry on its business as presently conducted. The RIF V Fund, to the extent required under applicable Laws, is qualified to do business and is in good standing in each jurisdiction in which the nature of its business make such qualification necessary, other than such failures to be so qualified as would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Fund Material Adverse Effect.

(b) Schedule 4.01(b) sets forth as of the date hereof with respect to the RIF V Fund (i) each direct or indirect Subsidiary of the RIF V Fund (each a “RIF V Fund Subsidiary” and, collectively the “RIF V Fund Subsidiaries”), (ii) the direct or indirect ownership interest therein of the RIF V Fund, (iii) if not wholly owned by the RIF V Fund, the identity and ownership interest of each of the other owners of such Subsidiary, and (iv) each real property owned directly or indirectly, in whole or in part, by the RIF V Fund or such Subsidiary (each a “Property”). Such RIF V Fund Subsidiary has been duly organized and is validly existing and is in good standing under the Laws of its jurisdiction of organization, and has all requisite power and authority to own, lease and/or operate its Property and to carry on its business as presently conducted. Such RIF V Fund Subsidiary, to the extent required under applicable Laws, is qualified to do business and is in good standing in each jurisdiction in which the nature of its business or the character of its Property make such qualification necessary, other than such failures to be so qualified as would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Fund Material Adverse Effect. Except as set forth on Schedule 4.01(b), each of the RIF V Fund and the RIF V Fund Subsidiaries does not own any equity or ownership interest in any other Person.

(c) The Operating Partnership has been provided complete and accurate copies of Organizational Documents, as amended through the date hereof, and such Organizational Documents are in full force and effect as of the date hereof and have not been further modified or amended.

Section 4.02 DUE AUTHORIZATION. The execution, delivery and performance by the RIF V Fund of this Agreement and the other Formation Transaction Documentation (including any agreement, document and instrument executed and delivered by or on behalf of the RIF V Fund pursuant to this Agreement or the other Formation Transaction Documentation) to which it is a party have been duly and validly authorized by all necessary actions required of the RIF V Fund. This Agreement, the other Formation Transaction Documentation and each agreement, document and instrument executed and delivered by or on behalf of the RIF V Fund or any RIF V Fund Subsidiary pursuant to this Agreement or the other Formation Transaction Documentation constitutes, or when executed and delivered will constitute, the legal, valid and binding obligation of the RIF V Fund or such RIF V Fund Subsidiary, each enforceable against the RIF V Fund or such RIF V Fund Subsidiary in accordance with its terms, subject to applicable bankruptcy, insolvency, moratorium or other similar Laws relating to creditors’ rights and general principles of equity.

Section 4.03 CAPITALIZATION. Schedule 4.03 sets forth as of the date hereof the ownership of the RIF V Fund. All of the issued and outstanding equity interests of the RIF V Fund and each RIF V Fund Subsidiary are duly authorized, validly issued and fully paid; and are not subject to preemptive rights or appraisal, dissenters’ or other similar rights under the Organizational Documents of or any contract to which the RIF V is a party or otherwise bound, except for such preemptive rights, transfer restrictions, or appraisal, dissenters’ or other similar rights as would not prevent the Merger. There are no outstanding rights to purchase, subscriptions, warrants, options or any other security convertible into or exchangeable for equity interests in the RIF V Fund or its RIF V Fund Subsidiaries. Except as set forth in the Organizational Documents, none of RIF V Fund or any of its RIF V Fund Subsidiaries is a party to any agreement for the sale of its material assets, for the grant to any Person of any preferential right to purchase any such material assets or the acquisition of any material operating business, material assets or capital stock of any other corporation, entity or business, other than the purchase or sale of assets in the ordinary course of business.

Section 4.04 CONSENTS AND APPROVALS . Except for the filing of the Certificate of Merger in accordance with Section 1.02 hereof or as shall have been obtained or satisfied on or prior to the Closing Date, no consent, waiver, approval, authorization, order, license, permit or registration of, qualification, designation, declaration or filing with, any Person or any Governmental Authority or under any applicable Laws is required to be obtained by the RIF V Fund or its RIF V Fund Subsidiaries in connection with the execution, delivery and performance of this Agreement, the other Formation Transaction Documentation to which the RIF V Fund or its RIF V Fund Subsidiaries is a party and the transactions contemplated hereby and thereby, except for those consents, waivers, approvals, authorizations, orders, licenses, permits, registrations, qualifications, designations, declarations or filings, the failure of which to obtain or to file would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Fund Material Adverse Effect.

Section 4.05 NO VIOLATION. None of the execution, delivery or performance of this Agreement, any agreement contemplated hereby between the parties to this Agreement and the transactions contemplated hereby between the parties to this Agreement does or will, with or without the giving of notice, lapse of time, or both, violate, conflict with, result in a breach of, or constitute a default under or give to others any right of termination, acceleration, cancellation or other right under, (a) the Organizational Documents of the RIF V Fund or its RIF V Fund Subsidiaries or (b) any agreement, document or instrument to which the RIF V Fund or its RIF V Fund Subsidiaries is a party or by which the RIF V Fund or its RIF V Fund Subsidiaries or any of their respective assets or properties are bound by or (c) any term or provision of any judgment, order, writ, injunction, or decree binding on the RIF V Fund or its RIF V Fund Subsidiaries (or its assets or properties), except for, in the case of clause (b) or (c), any such breaches or defaults that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Fund Material Adverse Effect.

Section 4.06 LICENSES AND PERMITS. All notices, licenses, permits, certificates and authorizations required for the continued use, occupancy, management, leasing and operation of the Properties have been obtained or can be obtained without material cost, are in full force and effect, are in good standing and (to the extent required in connection with the transactions contemplated by the Formation Transaction Documentation) are assignable to the Operating Partnership, except in each case for items that, if not so obtained, obtainable and/or transferred, would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Fund Material Adverse Effect. Neither the RIF V Fund, nor its RIF V Fund Subsidiaries, nor, to the knowledge of the RIF V Fund, any third party has taken any action that (or failed to take any action the omission of which) would result in the revocation of any such notice, license, permit, certificate or authorization where such revocation or revocations would, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Fund Material Adverse Effect, nor has any one of them received any written notice of violation from any Governmental Authority or written notice of the intention of any entity to revoke any such notice, license, permit, certificate or authorization, that in each case has not been cured or otherwise resolved to the satisfaction of such Governmental Authority or other entity and except as would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Fund Material Adverse Effect.

Section 4.07 COMPLIANCE WITH LAWS. The RIF V Fund and its RIF V Fund Subsidiaries have conducted their respective businesses in compliance with all applicable Laws, except for such failures that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Fund Material Adverse Effect. Neither the RIF V Fund, nor its RIF V Fund Subsidiaries, nor, to the knowledge of the RIF V Fund, any third party are in violation of any Law or has been informed in writing of any continuing violation of any such Laws or that any investigation has been commenced and is continuing or is contemplated respecting any such possible violation, except in each case for violations that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Fund Material Adverse Effect. There has not been committed by the RIF V Fund or its RIF V Fund Subsidiary or, to the knowledge of RIF V Fund, any other Person in occupancy of or involved with the operation or use of the Properties any act or omission affording the federal government or any other Governmental Authority the right of forfeiture as against any Property or any part thereof.

Section 4.08 PROPERTIES.

(a) Except as set forth in Schedule 4.08(a), the RIF V Fund or its RIF V Fund Subsidiary is the insured under a policy of title insurance as the owner of, and, to the knowledge of the RIF V Fund, the RIF V Fund or its RIF V Fund Subsidiary is the owner of, good, marketable and insurable fee simple title (or, in the case of certain Properties, a tenancy-in-common estate) to the Property owned by the RIF V Fund or its RIF V Fund Subsidiary, in each case free and clear of all Liens except for Permitted Liens. Prior to the Effective Time, neither the RIF V Fund nor any of its RIF V Fund Subsidiaries shall take or omit to take any action to cause any Lien to attach to any Property, except for Permitted Liens and Liens, if any, given to secure mortgage indebtedness encumbering such Property.

(b) Except for matters that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Fund Material Adverse Effect, (1) neither the RIF V Fund nor any of its RIF V Fund Subsidiaries nor, to the knowledge of the RIF V Fund, any other party to any material agreement affecting any Property (other than a Lease (as such term is hereinafter defined) for space within such Property), is in breach or default of any such agreement, (2) to the knowledge of the RIF V Fund, no event has occurred or has been threatened in writing, which with or without the passage of time or the giving of notice, or both, would, individually or together with all such other events, constitute a default under any such agreement, or would, individually or together with all such other events, reasonably be expected to cause the acceleration of any material obligation of any party thereto or the creation of a Lien upon any asset of the RIF V Fund or its RIF V Fund Subsidiary, except for Permitted Liens, or otherwise reasonably be expected to have a Fund Material Adverse Effect and (3) all agreements affecting any Property required for the continued use, occupancy, management, leasing and operation of such Property (exclusive of space Leases) are valid and binding and in full force and effect, subject to applicable bankruptcy, insolvency, moratorium or other similar Laws relating to creditors' rights and general principles of equity.

(c) Except for matters that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Fund Material Adverse Effect or that are otherwise disclosed on Schedule 4.08(c), (1) neither the RIF V Fund, nor its RIF V Fund Subsidiaries, nor, to the knowledge of the RIF V Fund, any other party to any Lease, is in breach or default of any such Lease, (2) to the knowledge of the RIF V Fund, no event has occurred or has been threatened in writing, which with or without the passage of time or the giving of notice, or both, would,

individually or together with all such other events, constitute a default under any Lease or would permit termination, modification or acceleration under such Lease and (3) to the knowledge of the RIF V Fund, each of the Leases (and all amendments thereto or modifications thereof) to which the RIF V Fund or its RIF V Fund Subsidiaries is a party or by which the RIF V Fund or its RIF V Fund Subsidiaries or any Property is bound or subject (collectively, the “Leases”) is valid and binding and in full force and effect, subject to applicable bankruptcy, insolvency, moratorium or other similar Laws relating to creditors’ rights and general principles of equity.

Section 4.09 INSURANCE. Each of the RIF V Fund or its RIF V Fund Subsidiaries has in place the public liability, casualty and other insurance coverage with respect to each Property owned, leased and/or managed by it as the RIF V Fund reasonably deems necessary and in all cases including such coverage as is required under the terms of any continuing loan or Lease. Each of the insurance policies with respect to each Property is in full force and effect in all material respects and all premiums due and payable thereunder have been fully paid when due. To the knowledge of the RIF V Fund, neither the RIF V Fund nor its RIF V Fund Subsidiaries have received from any insurance company any notices of cancellation or intent to cancel any insurance.

Section 4.10 ENVIRONMENTAL MATTERS. Except for matters that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Fund Material Adverse Effect, to the knowledge of the RIF V Fund, (A) the RIF V Fund and its RIF V Fund Subsidiaries and each Property are in compliance with all Environmental Laws, (B) neither the RIF V Fund nor its RIF V Fund Subsidiaries have received any written notice from any Governmental Authority or third party alleging that the RIF V Fund or any of its RIF V Fund Subsidiaries or any Property is not in compliance with applicable Environmental Laws, and (C) there has not been a release of a hazardous substance on any of the Properties that would require investigation or remediation under applicable Environmental Laws. The representations and warranties contained in this Section 4.10 constitute the sole and exclusive representations and warranties made by the RIF V Fund concerning environmental matters.

Section 4.11 EMINENT DOMAIN. There is no existing or, to the knowledge of the RIF V Fund, proposed or threatened condemnation, eminent domain or similar proceeding, or private purchase in lieu of such a proceeding which would affect any of the Properties, except for such proceedings that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Fund Material Adverse Effect.

Section 4.12 EXISTING LOANS. Schedule 4.12 lists, as of the date hereof, all secured loans presently encumbering the Properties or any direct or indirect interest in the RIF V Fund or any RIF V Fund Subsidiary, and any unsecured loans relating thereto to be assumed by the REIT or any Subsidiary of the REIT at Closing (collectively, the “Existing Loans”). Except for matters that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Fund Material Adverse Effect or that are otherwise disclosed on Schedule 4.12, no monetary default (beyond applicable notice and cure periods) by any party exists under any of the Existing Loans and the documents entered into in connection therewith (collectively, the “Existing Loan Documents”) and no non-monetary default (beyond applicable notice and cure periods) by any party exists under any of such Existing Loan Documents.

Section 4.13 FINANCIAL STATEMENTS. The consolidated financial statements of the RIF V Fund and the RIF V Fund Subsidiaries included in the Offering Document have been prepared in all material respects in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles applied on a consistent basis during the periods involved (except as may be indicated in the notes thereto), subject, in the case of unaudited statements, to normal year-end audit adjustments, and fairly present in all material respects the financial condition and results of operations of the RIF V Fund and the RIF V Fund Subsidiaries as of the dates indicated therein and for the periods ended as indicated therein.

Section 4.14 TAXES.

(a) The RIF V Fund has timely and properly filed (or caused to be timely and properly filed) all Tax Returns required to be filed by it and each RIF V Fund Subsidiary (after giving effect to any filing extension properly granted by a Governmental Authority having authority to do so), and all such Tax Returns are accurate and complete in all material respects.

(b) RIF V Fund and each RIF V Fund Subsidiary have paid (or have had paid on their behalf) all Taxes as required to be paid by them.

(c) No income or material non-income Tax Returns filed by the RIF V Fund or any RIF V Fund Subsidiary are the subject of a pending or ongoing audit.

(d) No deficiencies for any income or material non-income Taxes have been proposed, asserted or assessed against the RIF V Fund or any RIF V Fund Subsidiary, and no requests for waivers of the time to assess any such Taxes are pending. Since its formation, for U.S. federal income tax purposes each of RIF V Fund and each RIF V Fund Subsidiary has been treated as a partnership or as a disregarded entity, and not as a corporation or an association taxable as a corporation.

Section 4.15 LITIGATION. Except for actions, suits or proceedings fully covered by policies of insurance, there is no action, suit or proceeding pending or, to the knowledge of the RIF V Fund, threatened against or affecting the RIF V Fund, any of its RIF V Fund Subsidiaries or any of the Properties, or any officer, director, principal, managing member, general partner or Affiliate of any of the foregoing, other than actions, suits or proceedings arising in the ordinary course of business from the ownership and operation which, if adversely determined, would not have a Fund Material Adverse Effect. There is no action, suit, or proceeding pending or, to the knowledge of the RIF V Fund, threatened against or affecting the RIF V Fund, any of its RIF V Fund Subsidiaries or any officer, director, principal, managing member, general partner or Affiliate of any of the foregoing, which challenges or impairs the ability of the RIF V Fund or any RIF V Fund Subsidiary to execute or deliver, or perform its obligations under this Agreement or any Formation Transaction Documentation or any other documents to be executed by it pursuant to this Agreement or any Formation Transaction Documentation or to consummate the transactions contemplated hereby or thereby. Except for matters fully covered by insurance, there is no judgment, decree, injunction, rule or order of a Governmental Authority outstanding against the RIF V Fund, its RIF V Fund Subsidiaries or any officer, director, principal, managing member or general partner of any of the foregoing in their capacity as such, which would reasonably be expected to have a Fund Material Adverse Effect. None of RIF V Fund, its RIF V

Fund Subsidiaries or any officer, director, principal, managing member, general partner or Affiliate of any of the foregoing has received any written notice of any pending or threatened proceedings for the rezoning (i.e., as opposed to the current zoning) of any Property or any portion thereof which would impair the current or proposed use thereof in a manner that would result in a Fund Material Adverse Effect.

Section 4.16 INSOLVENCY. No attachments, execution proceedings, assignments for the benefit of creditors, insolvency, bankruptcy, reorganization or other proceedings are pending or, to the RIF V Fund's knowledge, threatened against the RIF V Fund, any RIF V Fund Subsidiary or any Property, nor are any such proceedings contemplated by the RIF V Fund.

Section 4.17 SECURITIES LAW MATTERS. The RIF V Fund acknowledges that: (i) the REIT and Operating Partnership intend the offer and issuance of any REIT Shares or OP Units to any Pre-Formation Participants to be exempt from registration under the Securities Act and applicable state securities laws by virtue of the status of such equity holder as an "accredited investor" (within the meaning of Rule 501(a) of Regulation D under the Securities Act) acquiring any REIT Shares or OP Units in a transaction exempt from registration pursuant to Rule 506 of Regulation D under the Securities Act, and (ii) in issuing any REIT Shares or OP Units pursuant to the terms of this Agreement, the REIT and Operating Partnership are relying on the representations made by each equity holder electing to receive REIT Shares or OP Units as consideration in the Merger, which representations were set forth in Appendix C to the Request for Consent – Accredited Investor Representations Letter.

Section 4.18 NO BROKER. The RIF V Fund has not entered into, and it covenants that it will not enter into, any agreement, arrangement or understanding with any Person or firm which will result in the obligation of the REIT or any Affiliate to pay any finder's fee, brokerage commission or similar payment in connection with the transaction contemplated by this Agreement (other than underwriting discounts, commissions and other fees and expenses to be paid by the REIT in connection with the Offering and any related financing transactions).

Section 4.19 OWNERSHIP OF CERTAIN ASSETS. Except as set forth in Schedule 4.19, neither the RIF V Fund nor any of its RIF V Fund Subsidiaries owns any loan assets or other securities of any issuer except for equity interests in other RIF V Fund Subsidiaries.

Section 4.20 EMPLOYEES. None of the RIF V Fund or any of the RIF V Fund Subsidiaries has or has ever had any employees.

Section 4.21 NO OTHER REPRESENTATIONS OR WARRANTIES. Other than the representations and warranties expressly set forth in this Article IV and any other agreement entered into by the RIF V Fund in connection with the Formation Transactions, the RIF V Fund shall not be deemed to have made any other representation or warranty in connection with this Agreement or the transactions contemplated hereby.

Section 4.22 SURVIVAL OF REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES. The parties hereto agree and acknowledge that the representations and warranties set forth in this Article IV (other than Section 4.01, Section 4.02, Section 4.03, and Section 4.17) shall not survive the Closing.

ARTICLE V

COVENANTS AND OTHER AGREEMENTS

Section 5.01 PRE-CLOSING COVENANTS. During the period from the date hereof to the Closing Date (except as otherwise provided for or contemplated by this Agreement or in connection with the Formation Transactions), the RIF V Fund shall use commercially reasonable efforts to (and shall cause each of its RIF V Fund Subsidiaries to) conduct its businesses and operate and maintain the Properties in the ordinary course of business consistent with past practice, pay its debt obligations as they become due and payable, and use commercially reasonable efforts to preserve intact its current business organizations and preserve its relationships with customers, tenants, suppliers, advertisers and others having business dealings with it, in each case consistent with past practice. In addition, and without limiting the generality of the foregoing, during the period from the date hereof to the Closing Date and except in connection with the Formation Transactions, the RIF V Fund shall not (and shall not permit any of its RIF V Fund Subsidiaries to) without the prior written consent of the Operating Partnership, which consent may be withheld by the Operating Partnership in its sole discretion:

(a) (i) other than distributions to the members of the RIF V Fund in connection with such members' payment of any Taxes related to their ownership of the membership interest of the RIF V Fund or as otherwise contemplated by this Agreement, declare, set aside or pay any dividends or distributions in respect of any RIF V Fund Interests, except in the ordinary course of business consistent with past practice and in accordance with the applicable governing document of the RIF V Fund, including distributions by RIF V Fund reasonably necessary to enable RIF V REIT to pay dividends to maintain its status as a real estate investment trust under the Code and avoid the imposition of any income Tax or excise Tax under the Code or any provision of state, local or foreign Tax law, (ii) issue or authorize the issuance of any other securities in respect of, in lieu of or in substitution for any RIF V Fund Interests or make any other changes to the equity capital structure of the RIF V Fund or its RIF V Fund Subsidiaries, or (iii) purchase, redeem or otherwise acquire any RIF V Fund Interests or interests of its RIF V Fund Subsidiaries or any other securities thereof;

(b) other than in accordance with Section 4.08(a), issue, deliver, sell, transfer, dispose, mortgage, pledge, assign or otherwise encumber, or cause the issuance, delivery, sale, transfer, disposition, mortgage, pledge, assignment or otherwise encumbrance of, any limited liability company, partnership interests or other equity interests of the RIF V Fund or of its RIF V Fund Subsidiaries or any other assets of the RIF V Fund or its RIF V Fund Subsidiaries;

(c) amend, modify or terminate any lease, contract or other instruments relating to the Property, except in the ordinary course of business consistent with past practice;

(d) amend its certificate of formation and limited liability company agreement;

(e) adopt a plan of liquidation, dissolution, merger, consolidation, restructuring, recapitalization or reorganization;

(f) materially alter the manner of keeping the RIF V Fund's or its RIF V Fund Subsidiaries' books, accounts or records or the accounting practices therein reflected;

(g) file an entity classification election pursuant to Treasury Regulation Section 301.7701-3(c) on Internal Revenue Service Form 8832 (Entity Classification Election) to treat the RIF V Fund or any RIF V Fund Subsidiaries as an association taxable as a corporation for United States federal income tax purposes; make or change any other Tax elections; settle or compromise any claim, notice, audit report or assessment in respect of Taxes; change any annual Tax accounting period; adopt or change any method of Tax accounting; file any amended Tax Return; enter into any tax allocation agreement, tax sharing agreement, tax indemnity agreement or closing agreement relating to any Tax; surrender of any right to claim a Tax refund; or consent to any extension or waiver of the statute of limitations period applicable to any Tax claim or assessment;

(h) terminate or amend any existing insurance policies affecting any Property that results in a material reduction in insurance coverage for the Property;

(i) knowingly cause or permit the RIF V Fund or any of the RIF V Fund Subsidiaries to violate, or fail to use commercially reasonable efforts to cure any violation of, any applicable Laws;

(j) take any action or fail to take any action the result of which would have a Fund Material Adverse Effect; or

(k) authorize, commit or agree to take any of the foregoing actions.

Section 5.02 COMMERCIALY REASONABLE EFFORTS BY THE OPERATING PARTNERSHIP AND THE RIF V FUND. Each of the Operating Partnership and RIF V Fund shall use commercially reasonable efforts and cooperate with each other in (a) promptly determining whether any filings are required to be made or consents, approvals, waivers, permits or authorizations are required to be obtained (under any applicable Law or regulation or from any Governmental Authority or third party) in connection with the transactions contemplated by this Agreement, and (b) promptly making (or causing to be made) any such filings, in furnishing information required in connection therewith and in timely seeking to obtain any such consents, approvals, waivers, permits and authorizations.

Section 5.03 TAX MATTERS.

(a) So long as some portion of the Merger Consideration is in the form of OP Units, the parties hereto intend and agree that, for United States federal income tax purposes, the transactions contemplated by this Agreement shall constitute an "assets-over" partnership merger within the meaning of Treasury Regulations Section 1.708-1(c)(3)(i) pursuant to which the RIF V Fund contributes all of its assets and liabilities to the Operating Partnership in exchange for OP Units in a transaction qualifying under Section 721(a) of the Code and immediately thereafter, the RIF V Fund distributes such OP Units to the holders of RIF V Fund Interests. As a result, (i) in accordance with Treasury Regulations Section 1.708-1(c)(4), any payment of cash or REIT Shares attributable to a holder of RIF V Fund Interests shall be treated as a sale by such holder of its interests in the RIF V Fund and a purchase of such interests by the Operating

Partnership for the cash and/or REIT Shares so paid under the terms of this Agreement, and (ii) RIF V Fund shall cause each such holder of RIF V Fund Interests who receives cash and/or REIT Shares to explicitly agree and consent (the “Sale Consent”) to such treatment in their Consent Forms as a condition to electing such consideration. To the extent the Operating Partnership acquires any interests in the RIF V Fund as described in clause (i) above, or otherwise previously acquired any such interests, for United States federal income tax purposes the receipt by the Operating Partnership of the portion of property attributable to such interests shall be treated as a distribution by the RIF V Fund in redemption of such interests. Notwithstanding Section 1.05 and any holder’s election as to the form of its Merger Consideration, if any holder of RIF V Fund Interests (other than a non-Accredited Investor), fails to execute a Sale Consent prior to the Closing, such holder’s Merger Consideration shall consist solely of OP Units. Notwithstanding Section 1.07 and Section 2.03(a), any cash paid as the Merger Consideration holder of RIF V Fund Interests shall be paid only after the receipt of a Sale Consent from such holder of RIF V Fund Interests.

(b) All transfer, stamp, documentary, sales, use, registration, value-added and other similar Taxes (including all applicable real estate transfer Taxes) incurred in connection with this Agreement and the transactions contemplated hereby (“Transfer Taxes”) will be borne by the Operating Partnership. The parties agree, upon request, to use commercially reasonable efforts to obtain any certificate or other document from any Governmental Authority or any other Person as may be necessary to mitigate, reduce or eliminate any Transfer Taxes that could be imposed in connection with the transactions contemplated hereby.

(c) The Operating Partnership shall prepare or cause to be prepared and file or cause to be filed all Tax Returns of the RIF V Fund and all Tax Returns of each RIF V Fund Subsidiary which are due after the Closing Date. All such Tax Returns shall be prepared in a manner consistent with past practice, except as otherwise required by applicable law.

(d) The Operating Partnership and the RIF V Fund shall cooperate fully, as and to the extent reasonably requested by the other party, in connection with the filing of Tax Returns related to the transactions pursuant to this Agreement and any audit, litigation or administrative, judicial or other inquiry or proceeding with respect to Taxes related to the transactions pursuant to this Agreement. Such cooperation shall include the retention and (upon the other party’s request) the provision of records and information which are reasonably relevant to any such action or other proceeding and making employees available on a mutually convenient basis to provide additional information and explanation of any material provided hereunder. The Operating Partnership and the RIF V Fund further agree, upon request, to use their reasonable efforts to obtain any certificate or other document from any governmental authority or any other Person as may be necessary to mitigate, reduce or eliminate any Tax that could be imposed with respect to the transactions contemplated hereby.

(e) Prior to Closing, the RIF V Fund shall deliver to the REIT a properly executed certificate prepared in accordance with Treasury Regulations section 1.1445-2(b) certifying the non-foreign status of the RIF V Fund and of each holder of the RIF V Fund Interests and any similar affidavits or other forms required under applicable state, local or foreign Tax Laws.

(f) The Operating Partnership makes no representations or warranties to the RIF V Fund, the Pre-Formation Participants or to the Rexford Entities regarding the Tax treatment of the Merger pursuant to this Agreement or of the other Formation Transactions, or with respect to any other Tax consequences to the RIF V Fund or any Rexford Entity of this Agreement or the other Formation Transactions. The RIF V Fund acknowledges that each Rexford Entity, the RIF V Fund and the Pre-Formation Participants holding are relying solely on their own Tax advisors in connection with this Agreement and the other Formation Transactions and agreements contemplated hereby.

Section 5.04 CONSENT AND WAIVER OF RIGHTS UNDER ORGANIZATIONAL DOCUMENTS. As of the Closing, the RIF V Fund waives and relinquishes all rights and benefits otherwise afforded to the RIF V Fund (a) under its Organizational Documents including, without limitation, any rights of appraisal, rights of first offer or first refusal, buy/sell agreements, put, option, or similar parallel exit or dissenter rights in connection with the Formation Transactions and the Offering, and any right to consent to or approve of the sale or contribution or other transaction undertaken by any equity holder of the RIF V Fund of their RIF V Fund Interests to the REIT or any Affiliate thereof and any and all notice provisions related thereto and (b) for claims against the REIT or the Operating Partnership for breach by any of their respective present or former officers, directors, managing members, general partners or Affiliates of their fiduciary duties or similar obligations (including duties of disclosure) to any of their respective present or former shareholders, members, partners, equity interest holders or Affiliates or the terms of any applicable Organizational Documents. The RIF V Fund acknowledges that the agreements contained herein and the transactions contemplated hereby and any actions taken in contemplation of the transactions contemplated hereby may conflict with, and may not have been contemplated by, the Organizational Documents of the RIF V Fund or other agreements among one or more holders of RIF V Fund Interests or one or more of the members of the RIF V Fund. With respect to the RIF V Fund and each Property in which the RIF V Fund Interests represent a direct or indirect interest, the RIF V Fund expressly gives all consents (and any consents necessary to authorize the proper parties in interest to give all consents) and waives it is entitled to give that are necessary or desirable to facilitate the contribution or other Formation Transactions relating to the RIF V Fund or such Property. In addition, the RIF V Fund agrees that if the transactions contemplated hereby occur, this Agreement shall be deemed to be an amendment to the Organizational Documents of the RIF V Fund to the extent the terms herein conflict with the terms thereof, including without limitation, terms with respect to allocations, distributions and the like. In the event the transactions contemplated by this Agreement do not occur, nothing in this Agreement shall be deemed to be or construed as an amendment or modification of, or commitment of any kind to amend or modify, the Organizational Documents of the RIF V Fund, which shall remain in full force and effect without modification.

Section 5.05 EXCLUDED ASSETS. Prior to the Closing and after such amounts are reasonably determined, the RIF V Fund and its Subsidiaries shall distribute or cause to be distributed or paid out the Excluded Assets identified on Schedule 5.05.

Section 5.06 ALTERNATE TRANSACTION. In the event that the Operating Partnership determines that a structure change is necessary, advisable or desirable, the Operating Partnership may elect, in its sole and absolute discretion, to effect an Alternate Transaction

(subject to the limitations in the definition thereof), without the need for the Operating Partnership to seek any further consent or action from the RIF V Fund, and the RIF V Fund shall, and it shall cause its partners and Subsidiaries to, enter into such agreements as shall be necessary to consummate an Alternate Transaction. In the event that an Alternate Transaction is used to effect the transactions contemplated by this Agreement, then the Operating Partnership may elect to terminate this Agreement without any liability or obligation to any Person.

Section 5.07 ELIMINATED ASSETS. The parties hereby agree that the Operating Partnership shall have the right, in its sole discretion, to exclude any Properties or other interests or assets held directly or indirectly by the RIF V Fund (the “Eliminated Assets”) from the Merger after the date hereof until the Effective Time, provided that the Operating Partnership shall provide prior written notice to the RIF V Fund regarding such exclusion. Immediately prior to the Closing and after such amounts are reasonably determined, the RIF V Fund and its Subsidiaries shall distribute or cause to be distributed or paid out the Eliminated Assets.

ARTICLE VI

GENERAL PROVISIONS

Section 6.01 NOTICES. All notices and other communications under this Agreement shall be in writing and shall be deemed given when (a) delivered personally, (b) five (5) Business Days after being mailed by certified mail, return receipt requested and postage prepaid, (c) one (1) Business Day after being sent by a nationally recognized overnight courier or (d) transmitted by facsimile if confirmed within twenty-four (24) hours thereafter by a signed original sent in the manner provided in clause (a), (b) or (c) to the parties at the following addresses (or at such other address for a party as shall be specified by notice from such party):

- (a) if to the Operating Partnership:
Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P.
11620 Wilshire Boulevard, Suite 300
Los Angeles, CA 90025
Facsimile: (310) 966-1690
Attention: Howard Schwimmer and Michael S. Frankel
- (b) if to the RIF V Fund:
c/o Rexford Industrial, LLC
11620 Wilshire Boulevard, Suite 300
Los Angeles, CA 90025
Facsimile: (310) 966-1690
Attention: Howard Schwimmer and Michael S. Frankel

Section 6.02 DEFINITIONS. For purposes of this Agreement, the following terms shall have the following meanings.

- (a) “Accredited Investor” has the meaning set forth under Regulation D of the Securities Act.

(b) “Affiliate” means, with respect to any Person, a Person that, directly or indirectly, through one or more intermediaries, controls, is controlled by, or is under common control with the specified Person. For the purposes of this definition, “control” (including, with correlative meanings, the terms “controlled by” and “under common control with”) as used with respect to any Person, shall mean the possession, directly or indirectly, of the power to direct or cause the direction of the management or policies of such Person, whether through the ownership of voting securities, by agreement or otherwise.

(c) “Allocated Share” means an amount of Merger Consideration that would be distributed to a Pre-Formation Participant that is the holder of an interest in a Rexford Entity in accordance with the provisions of the existing Organizational Documents of such entity relating to distributions of distributable net proceeds from sales of directly or indirectly owned properties or assets, and assuming (x) the sale of the relevant Target Asset or Target Assets that are directly or indirectly owned by such entity for a value equal to such Target Asset’s or Target Assets’ respective Equity Value(s), and (y) the sale of additional assets that are owned directly or indirectly by RIF V Fund or RIF V REIT for an aggregate value equal to the Fund V Subsequent Investment Amount (which, for the sake of clarity, is the Equity Value attributable to Capital Contributions (as such term is defined in the RIF V Fund’s and the RIF V REIT’s respective Organizational Documents) made to or applied by RIF V Fund and RIF V REIT during the Interim Period, as further described in the definition of Equity Value set forth in Schedule 6.02(g) hereto).

(d) “Alternate Transaction” means any transaction structure, other than that contemplated by this Agreement, pursuant to which the REIT, the Operating Partnership or any of their Subsidiaries acquire all or a portion of the interests in the RIF V Fund or the assets held directly or indirectly by the RIF V Fund in a transaction pursuant to which each holder of RIF V Fund Interests receives the amount of cash, the number of OP Units and/or the number of REIT Shares that were to be received by such holder pursuant to this Agreement (or a portion thereof equal in value to the value of the portion of such assets acquired by the REIT, the Operating Partnership or any of their Subsidiaries pursuant to such Alternate Transaction); provided, that such structure will not (i) result in a breach of the RIF V Fund’s or any applicable RIF V Fund Subsidiary’s governing documents and (ii) would not give rise to dissenters’ or appraisal rights by the members of the RIF V Fund, unless such rights have fully waived by all such members in the Consent Forms.

(e) “Business Day” means any day that is not a Saturday, Sunday or legal holiday in the State of California.

(f) “Code” means the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, together with the rules and regulations promulgated or issued thereunder.

(g) “Consent Form” means the form provided to each holder of Pre-Formation Interests to consent to the Formation Transactions and to make such holder’s irrevocable elections with respect to consideration to be received by such holder in the Formation Transactions.

(h) “Elected OP Unit Percentage” means, with respect to the Merger Consideration to be received by any Pre-Formation Participant, the percentage of the Allocated Share that the Pre-Formation Participant has made a Valid Election to receive in the form of OP Units.

(i) “Elected REIT Shares Percentage” means, with respect to the Merger Consideration to be received by any Pre-Formation Participant, the percentage of the Allocated Share that the Pre-Formation Participant has made a Valid Election to receive in the form of REIT Shares.

(j) “Entity Specific Debt” has the meaning set forth in Schedule 6.02(c) hereto.

(k) “Environmental Laws” means all federal, state and local Laws governing pollution or the protection of human health or the environment.

(l) “Equity Value” has the meaning set forth in Schedule 6.02(c) hereto.

(m) “Excluded Assets” means the assets identified on Schedule 5.05.

(n) “Formation Transaction Documentation” means all of the agreements (including this Agreement) and related documents substantially in the forms accompanying the Request for Consent dated February 22, 2013 and identified in Exhibit G hereto, pursuant to which all of the Rexford Entities and/or the Pre-Formation Interests are to be acquired by the REIT or the Operating Partnership, directly or indirectly, as part of the Formation Transactions.

(o) “Formation Transactions” means the transactions contemplated by this Agreement and the other Formation Transaction Documentation.

(p) “Fund Material Adverse Effect” means any material adverse change in the assets, business, condition (financial or otherwise), results of operation or prospects of the RIF V Fund, RIF V Fund Subsidiaries or Properties, taken as a whole.

(q) “Fund V Subsequent Investment Amount” has the meaning set forth in Schedule 6.02(c) hereto.

(r) “Governmental Authority” means any government or agency, bureau, board, commission, court, department, official, political subdivision, tribunal or other instrumentality of any government, whether federal, state or local, domestic or foreign.

(s) “Interim Period” has the meaning set forth in Schedule 6.02(c) hereto.

(t) “Laws” means laws, statutes, rules, regulations, codes, orders, ordinances, judgments, injunctions, decrees and policies of any Governmental Authority, including, without limitation, zoning, land use or other similar rules or ordinances.

(u) “Liens” means all pledges, claims, liens, charges, restrictions, controls, easements, rights of way, exceptions, reservations, leases, licenses, grants, covenants and conditions, encumbrances and security interests of any kind or nature whatsoever.

(v) “Lock-Up Agreement” means that certain Lock-Up Agreement, by and between the underwriters and each investor of the REIT and/or the Operating Partnership.

(w) “Management Companies” means, collectively RIF V Manager, Sponsor, and RI LLC.

(x) “Offering Closing Date” means the closing date of the Offering.

(y) “Offering Document” means either (i) in the event the REIT undertakes a public Offering, the REIT’s final prospectus as filed with the SEC; or (ii) in the event the REIT undertakes a private Offering, the REIT’s final offering memorandum (together with any supplements and amendments thereto) used in the Offering.

(z) “Offering Price” means the initial offering price of a REIT Share in the Offering.

(aa) “OP Material Adverse Effect” means any material adverse change in any of the assets, business, condition (financial or otherwise), results of operation or prospects of the Operating Partnership and each Operating Partnership Subsidiary, taken as a whole.

(bb) “Organizational Documents” means the certificate of formation, certificate of incorporation and bylaws, certificate of limited partnership and limited partnership agreement, limited liability company agreement or operating agreement, of the RIF V Fund or each RIF V Fund Subsidiary, as applicable.

(cc) “Permitted Liens” means (i) Liens, or deposits made to secure the release of such Liens, securing Taxes, the payment of which is not delinquent or the payment of which (including, without limitation, the amount or validity thereof) is being contested in good faith by appropriate proceedings for which adequate reserves have been made in accordance with GAAP; (ii) zoning, entitlement, building and other land use Laws imposed by Governmental Authorities having jurisdiction over the Properties; (iii) covenants, conditions, restrictions, easements for public utilities, encroachments, rights of access or other non-monetary matters that do not materially impair the use of the Properties for the purposes for which they are currently being used or proposed to be used in connection with the relevant Person’s business; (iv) Liens securing financing or credit arrangements existing as of the Closing Date; (v) Liens arising under Leases in effect as of the Closing Date; (vi) any exceptions contained in any title policy (including any policy issued to a secured lender) relating to the Properties as of the Closing Date; and (vii) mechanics’, carriers’, workers’, repairers’ and similar Liens arising or incurred in the ordinary course of business that are not yet due and payable or the payment of which (including, without limitation, the amount or validity thereof) is being contested in good faith by appropriate proceedings for which adequate reserves have been made in accordance with GAAP, and which are not, in the aggregate, material to the business, operations and financial condition of the Properties so encumbered.

(dd) "Person" means an individual, corporation, partnership, limited liability company, joint venture, association, trust, unincorporated organization or other entity.

(ee) "Pre-Formation Interests" means the equity interests directly or indirectly held by the Pre-Formation Participants in the Rexford Entities and in the "Rexford Properties" as defined in that certain Confidential Request for Consent and Investment Election dated February 22, 2013.

(ff) "Pre-Formation Participants" means the holders of the equity interests in the relevant RIF Fund Entity and the Management Companies immediately prior to the Formation Transactions, and shall include any other Person contributing any interest or Property to the REIT, the Operating Partnership or any Subsidiary thereof in the Formation Transactions.

(gg) "Registration Rights Agreement" means that certain Registration Rights Agreement, by and among the REIT, the Operating Partnership and the parties identified as a signatory on Schedule A thereto.

(hh) "REIT Charter" means the charter of the REIT, as in effect immediately prior to the Effective Time.

(ii) "Rexford Entity" means a RIF Fund Entity, the Management Companies and each of their respective Subsidiaries, as applicable. As used herein, "Rexford Entities" refer to each Rexford Entity, collectively.

(jj) "Securities Act" means the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder.

(kk) "Subsidiary" of any Person means any corporation, partnership, limited liability company, joint venture, trust or other legal entity of which such Person owns (either directly or through or together with another Subsidiary of such Person) either (i) a general partner, managing member or other similar interest, or (ii)(A) ten percent (10%) or more of the voting power of the voting capital stock or other equity interests, or (B) ten percent (10%) or more of the outstanding voting capital stock or other voting equity interests of such corporation, partnership, limited liability company, joint venture or other legal entity.

(ll) "Target Asset" has the meaning set forth in Schedule 6.02(c) hereto.

(mm) "Tax" means all federal, state, local and foreign income, gross receipts, license, property, withholding, sales, franchise, employment, payroll, goods and services, stamp, environmental, customs duties, capital stock, social security, transfer, alternative minimum, excise and other taxes, tariffs or governmental charges of any nature whatsoever, including estimated taxes, together with penalties, interest or additions to Tax with respect thereto, whether or not disputed.

(nn) "Tax Matters Agreement" means that certain Tax Matters Agreement by and among the REIT, the Operating Partnership and the other parties identified as signatories therein.

(oo) “Tax Return” means any return, declaration, report, claim for refund, or information return or statement relating to Taxes, including any schedule or attachment thereto, and including any amendment thereof.

(pp) “Underwriting Agreement” means that certain underwriting agreement, by and between the REIT, the Operating Partnership and certain underwriters set forth therein, pursuant to which the REIT will issue and sell shares in the Offering.

(qq) “Valid Election” means, with respect to any RIF V Fund Interest, an irrevocable election to receive all or a portion of its Allocated Share in the form of OP Units and/or REIT Shares as indicated on the properly completed and timely received Consent Form of the holder of the RIF V Fund Interest or a Consent Form as to which any deficiencies have been waived by the Operating Partnership.

Section 6.03 COUNTERPARTS. This Agreement may be executed in counterparts, all of which shall be considered one and the same agreement and shall become effective when one or more counterparts have been signed by each party and delivered to each other party.

Section 6.04 ENTIRE AGREEMENT; THIRD-PARTY BENEFICIARIES. This Agreement, the other Formation Transaction Documentation and the Consent Forms to which the parties hereto are a party, including, without limitation, the exhibits and schedules hereto and thereto, constitute the entire agreement and, except as set forth in Section 2.05, supersede each prior agreement and understanding, whether written or oral, among the parties regarding the subject matter of this Agreement. This Agreement is not intended to confer any rights or remedies on any Person other than the parties hereto.

Section 6.05 GOVERNING LAW. This Agreement shall be governed by, and construed in accordance with, the Laws of the State of California, regardless of any Laws that might otherwise govern under applicable principles of conflicts of laws thereof.

Section 6.06 ASSIGNMENT. This Agreement shall be binding upon, and shall be enforceable by and inure to the benefit of, the parties hereto and their respective heirs, legal representatives, successors and assigns; *provided, however*, that this Agreement may not be assigned (except by operation of law) by any party without the prior written consent of the other parties, and any attempted assignment without such consent shall be null and void and of no force and effect, except that the Operating Partnership may assign its rights and obligations hereunder to an Affiliate.

Section 6.07 JURISDICTION. The parties hereto hereby (a) submit to the exclusive jurisdiction of any state or federal court sitting in the County of Los Angeles, with respect to any dispute arising out of this Agreement or any transaction contemplated hereby to the extent such courts would have subject matter jurisdiction with respect to such dispute and (b) irrevocably waive, and agree not to assert by way of motion, defense, or otherwise, in any such action, any claim that it is not subject personally to the jurisdiction of the above-named courts, that its property is exempt or immune from attachment or execution, that the action is brought in an inconvenient forum, or that the venue of the action is improper.

Section 6.08 DISPUTE RESOLUTION. The parties intend that this Section 6.08 will be valid, binding, enforceable, exclusive and irrevocable and that it shall survive any termination of this Agreement.

(a) Upon any dispute, controversy or claim arising out of or relating to this Agreement or the enforcement, breach, termination or validity thereof (“Dispute”), the party raising the Dispute will give written notice to the other parties to the Dispute describing the nature of the Dispute following which the parties to such Dispute shall attempt for a period of ten (10) Business Days from receipt by the parties of notice of such Dispute to resolve such Dispute by negotiation between representatives of the parties hereto who have authority to settle such Dispute. All such negotiations shall be confidential and any statements or offers made therein shall be treated as compromise and settlement negotiations for purposes of any applicable rules of evidence and shall not be admissible as evidence in any subsequent proceeding for any purpose. The statute of limitations applicable to the commencement of a lawsuit shall apply to the commencement of an arbitration hereunder, except that no defense based on the running of the statute of limitations will be available based upon the passage of time during any such negotiation. Regardless of the foregoing, a party shall have the right to seek immediate injunctive relief pursuant to Section 6.08(c) below without regard to any such ten (10) Business Day negotiation period.

(b) Any Dispute (including the determination of the scope or applicability of this agreement to arbitrate) that is not resolved pursuant to Section 6.08(a), above shall be submitted to final and binding arbitration in California before one neutral and impartial arbitrator, in accordance with the Laws of the State of California for agreements made in and to be performed in that State. The arbitration shall be administered by JAMS, Inc. (“JAMS”) pursuant to its Comprehensive Arbitration Rules and Procedures, as in effect on the date hereof. Each of the Operating Partnership, on the one hand, and the RIF V Fund, on the other hand, shall appoint one arbitrator within fifteen (15) days of a demand for arbitration. If the Operating Partnership and the RIF V Fund cannot mutually agree upon an arbitrator within such 15-day period, the arbitrator shall be appointed by JAMS in accordance with its Comprehensive Arbitration Rules and Procedures, as in effect on the date hereof. The arbitrator shall designate the place and time of the hearing. The hearing shall be scheduled to begin as soon as practicable and no later than sixty (60) days after the appointment of the arbitrator (unless such period is extended by the arbitrator for good cause shown) and shall be conducted as expeditiously as possible. The award, which shall set forth the arbitrator’s findings of fact and conclusions of law, shall be filed with JAMS and mailed to the parties no later than thirty (30) days after the close of the arbitration hearing. The arbitration award shall be final and binding on the parties and not subject to collateral attack. Judgment upon the arbitration award may be entered in any federal or state court having jurisdiction thereof.

(c) Notwithstanding the parties’ agreement to submit all Disputes to final and binding arbitration before JAMS, the parties shall have the right to seek and obtain temporary or preliminary injunctive relief in any court having jurisdiction thereof. Such courts shall have authority to, among other things, grant temporary or provisional injunctive relief in order to protect any party’s rights under this Agreement. Without prejudice to such provisional remedies as may be available under the jurisdiction of a court, the arbitral tribunal shall have full authority to grant provisional remedies and to direct the parties to request that any court modify or vacate any temporary or preliminary relief issued by such court, and to award damages for the failure of any party to respect the arbitral tribunal’s orders to that effect.

(d) The prevailing party shall be entitled to recover its costs and reasonable attorneys' fees, and the non-prevailing party shall pay all expenses and fees of JAMS, all costs of the stenographic record, all expenses of witnesses or proofs that may have been produced at the direction of the arbitrator, and the fees, costs, and expenses of the arbitrator. The arbitrator shall allocate such costs and designate the prevailing party or parties for these purposes.

Section 6.09 SEVERABILITY. Each provision of this Agreement will be interpreted so as to be effective and valid under applicable Law, but if any provision is held invalid, illegal or unenforceable under applicable Law in any jurisdiction, then such invalidity, illegality or unenforceability will not affect any other provision, and this Agreement will be reformed, construed and enforced in such jurisdiction as if such invalid, illegal or unenforceable provision had never been included herein.

Section 6.10 RULES OF CONSTRUCTION.

(a) The parties hereto agree that they have had the opportunity to be represented by counsel during the negotiation, preparation and execution of this Agreement and, therefore, waive the application of any Law, regulation, holding or rule of construction providing that ambiguities in an agreement or other document will be construed against the party drafting such agreement or document.

(b) The words "hereof," "herein" and "herewith" and words of similar import shall, unless otherwise stated, be construed to refer to this Agreement as a whole and not to any particular provision of this Agreement, and article, section, paragraph, exhibit and schedule references are to the articles, sections, paragraphs, exhibits and schedules of this Agreement unless otherwise specified. Whenever the words "include," "includes" or "including" are used in this Agreement, they shall be deemed to be followed by the words "without limitation." All terms defined in this Agreement shall have the defined meanings contained herein when used in any certificate or other document made or delivered pursuant hereto unless otherwise defined therein. The definitions contained in this Agreement are applicable to the singular as well as the plural forms of such terms and to the masculine as well as to the feminine and neuter genders of such terms. Unless explicitly stated otherwise herein, any agreement, instrument or statute defined or referred to herein or in any agreement or instrument that is referred to herein means such agreement, instrument or statute as from time to time, amended, qualified or supplemented, including (in the case of agreements and instruments) by waiver or consent and (in the case of statutes) by succession of comparable successor statutes and all attachments thereto and instruments incorporated therein. References to a Person are also to its permitted successors and assigns.

Section 6.11 EQUITABLE REMEDIES. The parties agree that irreparable damage would occur to the Operating Partnership in the event that any of the provisions of this Agreement were not performed in accordance with their specific terms or were otherwise breached. It is accordingly agreed that the Operating Partnership shall be entitled to an injunction or injunctions to prevent breaches of this Agreement by the RIF V Fund and to enforce specifically the terms and provisions hereof in any federal or state court located in California, this being in addition to any other remedy to which the Operating Partnership is entitled under this Agreement or otherwise at law or in equity.

Section 6.12 TIME OF THE ESSENCE. Time is of the essence with respect to all obligations under this Agreement.

Section 6.13 DESCRIPTIVE HEADINGS. The descriptive headings herein are inserted for convenience only and are not intended to be part of or to affect the meaning or interpretation of this Agreement.

Section 6.14 NO PERSONAL LIABILITY CONFERRED. This Agreement shall not create or permit any personal liability or obligation on the part of any officer, director, partner, employee or shareholder of the Operating Partnership or the RIF V Fund.

Section 6.15 WAIVER OF SECTION 1542 PROTECTIONS. As of the Closing Date, each of the parties hereto expressly acknowledges that it has had, or has had and waived, the opportunity to be advised by independent legal counsel and hereby waives and relinquishes all rights and benefits afforded by Section 1542 of the California Civil Code and does so understanding and acknowledging the significance and consequence of such specific waiver of Section 1542 which provides:

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

Section 6.16 AMENDMENTS. This Agreement may be amended by appropriate instrument, without the consent of the RIF V Fund, at any time prior to the Effective Time; *provided*, that no such amendment, modification or supplement shall be made that alters the amount or changes the form of the consideration to be delivered to the RIF V Fund without the prior written consent of the RIF V Fund.

[SIGNATURE PAGES FOLLOW]

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have caused this Agreement to be signed by their respective duly authorized officers or representatives, all as of the date first written above.

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, INC.,
a Maryland corporation

By: /s/ Howard Schwimmer
Name: Howard Schwimmer
Title: Co-Chief Executive Officer

By: /s/ Michael Frankel
Name: Michael S. Frankel
Title: Co-Chief Executive Officer

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, L.P.,
a Maryland limited partnership

By: REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, INC.,
a Maryland corporation
Its: General Partner

By: /s/ Howard Schwimmer
Name: Howard Schwimmer
Title: Co-Chief Executive Officer

By: /s/ Michael Frankel
Name: Michael S. Frankel
Title: Co-Chief Executive Officer

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REXFORD INDUSTRIAL FUND V, LP,
a Delaware limited partnership

By: /s/ Howard Schwimmer
Name: Howard Schwimmer
Title: Authorized Signatory

By: /s/ Michael Frankel
Name: Michael S. Frankel
Title: Authorized Signatory

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CONTRIBUTION AGREEMENT

by and among

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, L.P.,

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, INC.,

and

**ALLAN ZIMAN,
AS SPECIAL TRUSTEE OF THE DECLARATION OF TRUST OF
JEANETTE RUBIN TRUST, DATED AUGUST 16, 1978, AS AMENDED**

Dated as of July 24, 2013

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CONTRIBUTION AGREEMENT

THIS CONTRIBUTION AGREEMENT is made and entered into as of July 24, 2013 (this "Agreement"), by and among Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc., a Maryland corporation (the "REIT"), Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P., a Maryland limited partnership (the "Operating Partnership") and a subsidiary of the REIT, and Allan Ziman, as Special Trustee of the Declaration of Trust of Jeanette Rubin Trust, dated August 16, 1978, as amended (the "Contributor"). Certain capitalized terms are defined in Section 6.02 of this Agreement.

RECITALS

WHEREAS, the REIT desires to consolidate the ownership of a portfolio of properties currently owned, directly or indirectly, by certain entities each as described on Exhibit A hereto;

WHEREAS, concurrently with the execution of this Agreement, Rexford Industrial Fund V REIT, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company ("RIF V REIT"), will enter into an agreement and plan of merger with the REIT pursuant to which RIF V REIT will merge with and into the REIT and the equity interest in RIF V REIT will be converted automatically into the right to receive cash, without interest, or shares of common stock of the REIT, par value \$.01 per share ("REIT Shares");

WHEREAS, concurrently with the execution of this Agreement, Rexford Industrial Fund V, LP, a Delaware limited partnership ("RIF V Fund"), will enter into an agreement and plan of merger with the Operating Partnership pursuant to which RIF V Fund will merge with and into the Operating Partnership and the partnership interests in RIF V Fund will be (a) converted automatically into the right to receive cash, without interest, REIT Shares and/or common units of partnership interest in the Operating Partnership ("OP Units") and (b) in the case of the partnership interests in RIF V Fund held by RIF V Manager or the REIT, cancelled;

WHEREAS, concurrently with the execution of this Agreement, Rexford Sponsor V LLC, a Delaware limited liability company ("Sponsor"), will enter into an agreement and plan of merger pursuant to which Sponsor will merge with and into a direct wholly-owned subsidiary of the Operating Partnership with Sponsor as the surviving entity, and the equity interests in Sponsor will be converted automatically into the right to receive cash, without interest, OP Units and/or REIT Shares;

WHEREAS, concurrently with the execution of this Agreement, Rexford Industrial, LLC, a California limited liability company ("RI LLC"), will enter into an agreement and plan of merger pursuant to which RI LLC will merge with and into a direct wholly-owned subsidiary of the Operating Partnership, with RI LLC as the surviving entity, and the equity interests in RI LLC will be converted automatically into the right to receive cash, without interest, OP Units and/or REIT Shares;

WHEREAS, concurrently with the execution of this Agreement, Rexford Fund V Manager LLC, a Delaware limited liability company ("RIF V Manager"), will enter into an agreement and plan of merger pursuant to which RIF V Manager will merge with and into an indirect wholly-owned subsidiary of the Operating Partnership, with RIF V Manager as the surviving entity, and the equity interests in RIF V Manager will be converted automatically into the right to receive cash, without interest, OP Units and/or REIT Shares;

WHEREAS, concurrently with the completion of the transactions described in the preceding paragraphs, the parties to this Agreement wish to effect a transaction pursuant to which (a) the Contributor will contribute to the Operating Partnership all of the Contributor's right, title and interests in and to an undivided thirty (30%) tenant in common interest (the "Contributed Interests") in that certain real property located at 10439-10477 Roselle Street, San Diego, California and commonly known as "La Jolla Sorrento Business Park" (the "Contributed Property"), and (b) the Operating Partnership shall acquire from the Contributor, all of the Contributor's right, title and interest in and to such Contributed Interests, in exchange for a combination of cash, without interest, REIT Shares and/or OP Units;

WHEREAS, concurrently with the execution of this Agreement, each of Rexford Industrial Fund I, LLC, Rexford Industrial Fund II, LLC, Rexford Industrial Fund III, LLC and Rexford Industrial Fund IV, LLC (each such entity, RIF V REIT and RIF V Fund may be referred to herein as a "RIF Fund Entity") will enter into a contribution agreement with the REIT and the Operating Partnership;

WHEREAS, the Formation Transactions relate to the initial public offering of the REIT Shares or, depending on prevailing market conditions at the time of the offering, a private offering of the REIT Shares (the "Offering"), following which the REIT will operate as a self-administered and self-managed real estate investment trust within the meaning of Section 856 of the Code;

WHEREAS, substantially concurrently with the completion of the Formation Transactions and the Offering, the REIT will contribute to the Operating Partnership, all of the assets (other than OP Units), rights and obligations acquired by the REIT as a result of the Formation Transactions and the Offering; and

WHEREAS, all necessary approvals have been obtained by each of the Operating Partnership and the Contributor to consummate the transactions contemplated herein and by the other Formation Transaction Documentation.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the foregoing and the representations, warranties, covenants and other terms contained in this Agreement, the parties hereto, intending to be legally bound hereby, agree as follows:

ARTICLE I

CONTRIBUTION

Section 1.01 CONTRIBUTION TRANSACTION.

(a) At the Closing and subject to the terms and conditions contained in this Agreement and in accordance with applicable Laws, the Contributor hereby contributes, assigns, sets over, transfers, conveys and delivers to the Operating Partnership, absolutely and unconditionally and free and clear of all Liens (other than Permitted Liens), all of its right, title

and interest in and to the Contributed Interests. Without limiting the foregoing, the Contributed Interests shall also include all of the Contributor's right, title and interests, as a tenant in common, in and to: (i) all fixtures, furniture, furnishings, apparatus and fittings, equipment, machinery, appliances, building supplies, tools, and other items of personal property used in connection with the operation or maintenance of the Contributed Property (the "Fixtures and Personal Property"); (ii) all intangible personal property now or hereafter used in connection with the operation, ownership, maintenance, management or occupancy of the Contributed Property, including, without limitation, any and all contract rights, warranties (including, without limitation, roof and construction warranties), guaranties, licenses, permits, entitlements, governmental approvals, certificates of occupancy and tenant books and records (the "Intangible Property"); (iii) all agreements and arrangements related to the Contributed Property, whether executed in the name of RIF II – La Jolla Sorrento or an Affiliate thereof as manager (collectively, "Property Agreements"), including without limitation, (1) all leases, licenses, tenancies, possession agreements and occupancy agreements with tenants of the Contributed Property ("Leases"), and (2) all service, equipment, franchise, operating, management, parking, supply, utility and maintenance agreements relating to the Contributed Property ("Service Contracts"), and (iv) all accounts, deposits and reserves related to the Contributed Property (collectively, "Property Accounts"). The parties acknowledge and agree (and the Operating Partnership hereby directs) that, at the Closing, the Contributor shall transfer the Contributed Interests directly to RIF II – La Jolla Sorrento Business Park, LLC ("RIF II – La Jolla Sorrento"), which is a wholly-owned subsidiary of the Operating Partnership and the current owner of an undivided 70% tenant in common interest in the Contributed Property.

(b) Without limiting the foregoing, the Contributor, on behalf of itself and its Affiliates, consents to, and agrees and acknowledges that all requirements and conditions for the transactions contemplated by this Agreement, including the transfer of the Contributed Interests.

Section 1.02 CONSIDERATION.

(a) At Closing, subject to the terms and conditions contained in this Agreement, the Contributor shall receive cash, OP Units and/or REIT Shares with an aggregate value equal to the Equity Value represented by the Contributed Interests (collectively referred to as the "Contribution Consideration"). The transfer of OP Units to the Contributor shall be evidenced by an entry to the Register (as defined in the Operating Partnership Agreement), and the transfer of REIT Shares to the Contributor shall be evidenced by the establishment of a credit to a book-entry account at the REIT's transfer agent. Subject to Section 1.03, the amount of cash, number of OP Units and/or REIT Shares comprising the Contribution Consideration attributable to Contributor shall be as follows:

(i) Cash. If the Contributor is not an Accredited Investor, one hundred percent (100%) of the Allocated Share attributable to the Contributor shall be paid in cash.

(ii) OP Units. If the Contributor is an Accredited Investor, the Elected OP Unit Percentage of the Allocated Share attributable to the Contributor shall be distributed in whole OP Units in the form of a number of OP Units equal to the applicable portion of such Allocated Share divided by the Offering Price; and

(iii) REIT Shares. If the Contributor is an Accredited Investor, the Elected REIT Shares Percentage of the Allocated Share attributable to the Contributor shall be distributed in whole REIT Shares in the form of a number of REIT Shares equal to the applicable portion of such Allocated Share divided by the Offering Price; *provided, that* to the extent such distribution of REIT Shares to the Contributor would result in a violation of the restrictions on ownership and transfer set forth in Section 6.2.1 of the REIT's charter (the "Ownership Limits"), the Contributor shall receive (x) the maximum number of whole REIT Shares that would not result in such violation of the Ownership Limits, and (y) that number of whole OP Units equal to the remaining number of REIT Shares not distributed as a result of the application of the foregoing clause (x).

(b) At Closing, if the Contributor is to receive OP Units in accordance with the foregoing, the Contributor shall be admitted as a limited partner of the Operating Partnership. By executing and delivering a Consent Form, the Contributor has agreed and accepted all of the terms and conditions of the Operating Partnership Agreement and shall be deemed to have executed and delivered a counterpart signature page to the Operating Partnership Agreement.

Section 1.03 FRACTIONAL INTEREST. No fractional OP Units or REIT Shares shall be issued pursuant to this Agreement or the other Formation Transaction Documentation. All fractional OP Units that the Contributor would otherwise be entitled to receive as a result of the Formation Transactions shall be aggregated, and the Contributor shall receive the number of whole OP Units resulting from such aggregation and, in lieu of any fractional OP Unit resulting from such aggregation, an amount in cash determined by multiplying that fraction of an OP Unit to which the Contributor would otherwise have been entitled, by the Offering Price. All fractional REIT Shares that the Contributor would otherwise be entitled to receive as a result of the Formation Transactions shall be aggregated, and the Contributor shall receive the number of whole REIT Shares resulting from such aggregation and, in lieu of any fractional REIT Share resulting from such aggregation, an amount in cash determined by multiplying that fraction of a REIT Share to which the Contributor would otherwise have been entitled, by the Offering Price. No interest will be paid or will accrue on any cash paid or payable in lieu of any fractional OP Unit or REIT Share.

Section 1.04 FURTHER ACTION. If, at any time after the Closing, the Operating Partnership shall determine or be advised that any deeds, bills of sale, assignments (including any intellectual property assignments), assurances or any other actions or things are necessary or desirable to vest, perfect or confirm of record or otherwise in the Operating Partnership the right, title or interest in or to any Contributed Interests, the Contributor shall execute and deliver all such deeds, bills of sale, assignments (including any intellectual property assignments) and assurances and take and do all such other actions and things as may be necessary or desirable to vest, perfect or confirm any and all right, title and interest in such Contributed Interests or otherwise to carry out this Agreement.

Section 1.05 CALCULATION OF CONTRIBUTION CONSIDERATION. As soon as practicable following the determination of the Offering Price and prior to the Closing, all calculations relating to the Contribution Consideration shall be performed in good faith by, or under the direction of, the REIT and the Operating Partnership, and the parties hereby agree that, absent manifest error, such calculations shall be final and binding upon the Contributor.

ARTICLE II

CLOSING

Section 2.01 CONDITIONS PRECEDENT.

(a) Condition to Each Party's Obligations. The respective obligation of each party to effect the contributions contemplated by this Agreement and to consummate the other transactions contemplated hereby to occur on the Closing Date is subject to the satisfaction or waiver on or prior to the Closing of the following conditions:

(i) Registration Statement. If the REIT undertakes a public Offering, the public Offering registration statement must have been declared effective under the Securities Act and will not be the subject of any stop order or proceedings by the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC") seeking a stop order. This condition may not be waived by any party.

(ii) No Injunction. No Governmental Authority of competent jurisdiction shall have enacted, issued, promulgated, enforced or entered any statute, rule, regulation, executive order, decree, judgment, injunction, stay or other order (whether temporary, preliminary or permanent), in any case which is in effect and which prevents or prohibits consummation of any of the transactions contemplated in this Agreement nor shall any of the same brought by a Governmental Authority of competent jurisdiction be pending or threatened that seeks the foregoing.

(iii) Operating Partnership Agreement. The Operating Partnership Agreement, in substantially the form attached hereto as Exhibit B, shall have been executed and delivered by the partners of the Operating Partnership and shall be in full force and effect and, except as contemplated by Section 2.03 or the other Formation Transaction Documents, shall not have been amended or modified.

(b) Conditions to the Obligations of the Operating Partnership. The obligations of the Operating Partnership to effect the contribution contemplated by this Agreement and to consummate the other transactions contemplated hereby to occur on the Closing Date are further subject to satisfaction of the following conditions (any of which may be waived by the Operating Partnership in whole or in part):

(i) Representations and Warranties. The representations and warranties of the Contributor contained in this Agreement shall be true and correct in all material respects at the Closing as if made again at that time (except to the extent that any representation or warranty speaks as of an earlier date, in which case it must be true and correct only as of that earlier date).

(ii) Performance by the Contributor. The Contributor shall have performed each of the agreements and covenants required by this Agreement to be performed or complied with by it on or prior to the Closing Date and the Contributor shall not have breached any of its covenants contained herein in any material respect.

(iii) Offering Closing. The closing of the Offering shall occur substantially concurrently with the Closing.

(iv) Consents, Etc. All necessary consents and approvals of Governmental Authorities or third parties (including lenders) for the Contributor to consummate the transactions contemplated hereby shall have been obtained.

(v) No Contributor Adverse Effect. There shall have not occurred between the date hereof and the Closing Date a Contributor Material Adverse Effect.

(vi) Formation Transactions. The Formation Transactions shall have been or shall be consummated substantially concurrently in accordance with the timing set forth in the respective Formation Transaction Documentation.

(vii) Lock-Up Agreement. If the Contributor is to receive REIT Shares or OP Units, the Contributor shall have entered into the Lock-Up Agreement substantially in the form attached as Exhibit C.

(viii) Tax Matters Agreement. Any Contributor that will receive OP Units in the contribution contemplated by this Agreement and that (1) owns, directly or indirectly, an interest in any Contributed Property specified in the Tax Matters Agreement or (2) has been provided an opportunity to guarantee debt as set forth in the Tax Matters Agreement shall have entered into the Tax Matters Agreement substantially in the form attached as Exhibit D, if applicable.

(ix) Closing Deliveries. The Contributor shall have delivered to the Title Company (as defined below), at least one (1) business day prior to Closing, all documents required under Section 2.04 below.

(x) Title Insurance. A title company satisfactory to the Operating Partnership in its reasonable discretion (the "Title Company") shall be irrevocably committed to issue the Title Policy (as defined in Section 2.04 below) to RIF II – La Jolla Sorrento, effective as of the Closing.

(c) Conditions to the Obligations of the Contributor. The obligation of the Contributor to effect the contribution contemplated by this Agreement and to consummate the other transactions contemplated hereby to occur on the Closing Date are further subject to satisfaction of the following conditions (any of which may be waived by the Contributor in whole or in part):

(i) Representations and Warranties. Except as would not have an OP Material Adverse Effect, the representations and warranties of the Operating Partnership contained in this Agreement shall be true and correct at the Closing as if made again at that time (except to the extent that any representation or warranty speaks as of an earlier date, in which case it must be true and correct only as of that earlier date).

(ii) Performance by the Operating Partnership. Except as would not have an OP Material Adverse Effect, the Operating Partnership shall have performed all agreements and covenants required by this Agreement to be performed or complied with by it on or prior to the Closing Date.

(iii) Registration Rights Agreement. The REIT shall have entered into the Registration Rights Agreement, substantially in the form attached as Exhibit E hereto. This condition may not be waived by any party hereto.

(iv) Tax Matters Agreement. If the Contributor (1) owns, directly or indirectly, an interest in any Contributed Property specified in the Tax Matters Agreement or (2) has any members that have been provided an opportunity to guarantee debt as set forth in the Tax Matters Agreement, the REIT and the Operating Partnership shall have entered into the Tax Matters Agreement substantially in the form attached as Exhibit D, if applicable.

Section 2.02 TIME AND PLACE. Unless this Agreement shall have been terminated pursuant to Section 2.06, and subject to the satisfaction or waiver of the conditions in Section 2.01, the closing of the contributions contemplated by Section 1.01 and the other transactions contemplated by this Agreement shall occur substantially concurrently with the receipt by the REIT of the proceeds from the Offering from the underwriters (the “Closing” or the “Closing Date”) in the order set forth on Exhibit F. The Closing shall take place at the offices of Latham & Watkins LLP, 355 South Grand Avenue, Los Angeles, California 90071 or such other place as determined by the REIT in its sole discretion.

Section 2.03 DELIVERY OF CONTRIBUTION CONSIDERATION.

(a) Subject to Section 5.03(a), as soon as reasonably practicable after the Closing, the Operating Partnership shall deliver to the Contributor the Contribution Consideration payable in the amounts and form provided in Section 1.02(a). The issuance of any OP Units and admission of the recipients thereof as limited partners of the Operating Partnership pursuant to Section 1.02(b) shall be evidenced by an entry to the Register. Any certificate representing REIT Shares issuable as Contribution Consideration shall bear the following legend:

THE SECURITIES REPRESENTED HEREBY HAVE NOT BEEN REGISTERED UNDER THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933, AS AMENDED (THE “ACT”), OR THE SECURITIES LAWS OF ANY STATE AND MAY NOT BE SOLD, TRANSFERRED OR OTHERWISE DISPOSED OF IN THE ABSENCE OF SUCH REGISTRATION, UNLESS THE TRANSFEROR DELIVERS TO THE CORPORATION AN OPINION OF COUNSEL SATISFACTORY TO THE CORPORATION, TO THE EFFECT THAT THE PROPOSED SALE, TRANSFER OR OTHER DISPOSITION MAY BE EFFECTED WITHOUT REGISTRATION UNDER THE ACT AND UNDER APPLICABLE STATE SECURITIES OR “BLUE SKY” LAWS.

THE SHARES REPRESENTED BY THIS CERTIFICATE ARE SUBJECT TO RESTRICTIONS ON BENEFICIAL AND CONSTRUCTIVE OWNERSHIP AND TRANSFER FOR THE PURPOSE OF THE CORPORATION'S MAINTENANCE OF ITS STATUS AS A REAL ESTATE INVESTMENT TRUST UNDER THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE OF 1986, AS AMENDED (THE "CODE"). SUBJECT TO CERTAIN FURTHER RESTRICTIONS AND EXCEPT AS EXPRESSLY PROVIDED IN THE CORPORATION'S CHARTER, (I) NO PERSON MAY BENEFICIALLY OR CONSTRUCTIVELY OWN SHARES OF THE CORPORATION'S COMMON STOCK IN EXCESS OF 9.8% (IN VALUE OR NUMBER OF SHARES) OF THE OUTSTANDING SHARES OF COMMON STOCK OF THE CORPORATION UNLESS SUCH PERSON IS AN EXCEPTED HOLDER (IN WHICH CASE THE EXCEPTED HOLDER LIMIT SHALL BE APPLICABLE); (II) NO PERSON MAY BENEFICIALLY OR CONSTRUCTIVELY OWN SHARES OF CAPITAL STOCK OF THE CORPORATION IN EXCESS OF 9.8% OF THE VALUE OF THE TOTAL OUTSTANDING SHARES OF CAPITAL STOCK OF THE CORPORATION, UNLESS SUCH PERSON IS AN EXCEPTED HOLDER (IN WHICH CASE THE EXCEPTED HOLDER LIMIT SHALL BE APPLICABLE); (III) NO PERSON MAY BENEFICIALLY OR CONSTRUCTIVELY OWN CAPITAL STOCK THAT COULD RESULT IN THE CORPORATION BEING "CLOSELY HELD" UNDER SECTION 856(h) OF THE CODE OR OTHERWISE CAUSE THE CORPORATION TO FAIL TO QUALIFY AS A REIT; AND (IV) NO PERSON MAY TRANSFER SHARES OF CAPITAL STOCK IF SUCH TRANSFER WOULD RESULT IN THE CAPITAL STOCK OF THE CORPORATION BEING OWNED BY FEWER THAN 100 PERSONS. ANY PERSON WHO BENEFICIALLY OR CONSTRUCTIVELY OWNS OR ATTEMPTS TO BENEFICIALLY OR CONSTRUCTIVELY OWN SHARES OF CAPITAL STOCK WHICH CAUSES OR MAY CAUSE A PERSON TO BENEFICIALLY OR CONSTRUCTIVELY OWN SHARES OF CAPITAL STOCK IN EXCESS OR IN VIOLATION OF THE ABOVE LIMITATIONS MUST IMMEDIATELY NOTIFY THE CORPORATION OR, IN THE CASE OF SUCH A PROPOSED OR ATTEMPTED TRANSACTION, GIVE AT LEAST 15 DAYS PRIOR WRITTEN NOTICE. IF ANY OF THE RESTRICTIONS ON TRANSFER OR OWNERSHIP SET FORTH IN (I) THROUGH (III) ABOVE ARE VIOLATED, THE SHARES OF CAPITAL STOCK REPRESENTED HEREBY WILL BE AUTOMATICALLY TRANSFERRED TO A TRUSTEE OF A TRUST FOR THE BENEFIT OF ONE OR MORE CHARITABLE BENEFICIARIES. IN ADDITION, THE CORPORATION MAY TAKE OTHER ACTIONS, INCLUDING REDEEMING SHARES UPON THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS SPECIFIED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS IN ITS SOLE AND ABSOLUTE DISCRETION IF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS DETERMINES THAT OWNERSHIP OR A TRANSFER OR OTHER EVENT MAY VIOLATE THE RESTRICTIONS DESCRIBED ABOVE.

FURTHERMORE, UPON THE OCCURRENCE OF CERTAIN EVENTS, ATTEMPTED TRANSFERS IN VIOLATION OF THE RESTRICTIONS DESCRIBED ABOVE MAY BE VOID *AB INITIO*. ALL UNDERLINED TERMS IN THIS LEGEND HAVE THE MEANINGS DEFINED IN THE CHARTER OF THE CORPORATION, AS THE SAME MAY BE AMENDED FROM TIME TO TIME, A COPY OF WHICH, INCLUDING THE RESTRICTIONS ON TRANSFER AND OWNERSHIP, WILL BE FURNISHED TO EACH HOLDER OF CAPITAL STOCK OF THE CORPORATION ON REQUEST AND WITHOUT CHARGE. REQUESTS FOR SUCH A COPY MAY BE DIRECTED TO THE SECRETARY OF THE CORPORATION AT ITS PRINCIPAL OFFICE.

(b) The Operating Partnership (or its successor in interest) shall not be liable to the Contributor for any portion of the Contribution Consideration delivered to a public official pursuant to any applicable abandoned property, escheat or similar Law.

Section 2.04 CLOSING DELIVERIES. Prior to the Closing, the parties shall make, execute, acknowledge and deliver, or cause to be made, executed, acknowledged and delivered, (a) a Grant Deed, substantially in the form attached hereto as Exhibit G, duly executed and notarized by the Contributor and conveying its entire undivided 30% tenant in common interest in the Contributed Property, free and clear of all Liens other than Permitted Liens, to RIF II – La Jolla Sorrento, (b) a standard owner’s affidavit executed by the Contributor to the extent necessary to enable the Title Company to issue or to irrevocably commit to issue to RIF II – La Jolla Sorrento, effective as of the Closing, with respect to the Contributed Property, either (i) an ALTA extended coverage owner’s policy of title insurance (in current form), with such endorsements thereto as the Operating Partnership may reasonably request, or (ii) such endorsements or other modifications to the owner’s policy of title insurance currently held by RIF II – La Jolla Sorrento as the Operating Partnership may reasonably request (including, without limitation, a date-down endorsement), in either event with a coverage amount and levels of co-insurance and reinsurance reasonably acceptable to the Operating Partnership, insuring fee simple title to all real property and improvements comprising the Contributed Property in the name of RIF II – La Jolla Sorrento, subject only to Permitted Liens (the “Title Policy”), and (c) any documents reasonably requested by the Operating Partnership or reasonably necessary or desirable to assign, transfer, convey, contribute and deliver the Contributed Interests, free and clear of all Liens other than Permitted Liens and to effectuate the transactions contemplated hereby. The parties acknowledge and agree that, upon the recordation of the Grant Deed at Closing, all Contributed Interests shall be deemed to have been transferred to RIF II – La Jolla Sorrento.

Section 2.05 CLOSING COSTS. If the Closing occurs, the REIT and the Operating Partnership shall be solely responsible for all transaction costs and expenses of the REIT, the Operating Partnership and the Rexford Entities in connection with the Formation Transactions and the Offering, which include, but are not limited to, the Title Policy¹ and the underwriting discounts and commissions. In the event the Closing does not occur, each party shall be responsible for its own costs and expenses.

Section 2.06 TERM OF THE AGREEMENT. This Agreement shall terminate automatically if the transactions contemplated herein shall not have been consummated on or prior to December 31, 2013 (such date is hereinafter referred to as the “Outside Date”).

Section 2.07 EFFECT OF TERMINATION. In the event of termination of this Agreement for any reason, all obligations on the part of the Operating Partnership and the Contributor under this Agreement shall terminate, except that the obligations set forth in Article VI shall survive, it being understood and agreed, however, for the avoidance of doubt, that if this Agreement is terminated because one or more of the conditions to the non-breaching party’s obligations under this Agreement are not satisfied by the Outside Date as a result of the other party’s material breach of a covenant, representation, warranty or other obligation under this Agreement or any other Formation Transaction Documentation, the non-breaching party’s right to pursue all legal remedies with respect to such breach will survive such termination unimpaired.

Section 2.08 TAX WITHHOLDING. The Operating Partnership shall be entitled to deduct and withhold from the consideration payable pursuant to this Agreement such amounts as the Operating Partnership is required to deduct and withhold with respect to the making of such payment under the Code or any provision of state, local or foreign tax law. To the extent that amounts are so withheld by the Operating Partnership, such withheld amounts shall be treated for all purposes of this Agreement as having been paid to the Contributor.

ARTICLE III

REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES OF THE OPERATING PARTNERSHIP

The Operating Partnership hereby represents and warrants to the Contributor as follows:

Section 3.01 ORGANIZATION; AUTHORITY.

(a) The Operating Partnership has been duly formed and is validly existing and in good standing under the Laws of its jurisdiction of formation, and, upon the effectiveness of the Operating Partnership Agreement, will have all requisite power and authority to enter into this Agreement and the other Formation Transaction Documentation and to carry out the transactions contemplated hereby and thereby, and to own, lease and/or operate its property and to carry on its business as presently conducted and, to the extent required under applicable Laws, is qualified to do business and is in good standing in each jurisdiction in which the nature of its business or the character of its property make such qualification necessary, other than such failures to be so qualified as would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have an OP Material Adverse Effect.

(b) Schedule 3.01(b) sets forth as of the date hereof, (i) each Subsidiary of the Operating Partnership (each an “Operating Partnership Subsidiary”), (ii) the ownership interest therein of the Operating Partnership, and (iii) if not wholly owned by the Operating Partnership, the identity and ownership interest of each of the other owners of such Operating Partnership

Subsidiary. Each Operating Partnership Subsidiary has been duly organized or formed and is validly existing and is in good standing under the Laws of its jurisdiction of organization or formation, as applicable, has all requisite power and authority to own, lease and/or operate its property and to carry on its business as presently conducted and, to the extent required under applicable Laws, is qualified to do business and is in good standing in each jurisdiction in which the nature of its business or the character of its property make such qualification necessary, other than such failures to be so qualified as would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have an OP Material Adverse Effect.

Section 3.02 DUE AUTHORIZATION. The execution, delivery and performance of this Agreement and the other Formation Transaction Documentation (including each agreement, document and instrument executed and delivered by or on behalf of the Operating Partnership pursuant to this Agreement or the other Formation Transaction Documentation) by the Operating Partnership has been duly and validly authorized by all necessary actions required of the Operating Partnership. This Agreement, the other Formation Transaction Documentation and each agreement, document and instrument executed and delivered by or on behalf of the Operating Partnership pursuant to this Agreement or the other Formation Transaction Documentation constitutes, or when executed and delivered will constitute, the legal, valid and binding obligation of the Operating Partnership, enforceable against the Operating Partnership in accordance with its terms, subject to applicable bankruptcy, insolvency, moratorium or other similar Laws relating to creditors' rights and general principles of equity.

Section 3.03 CONSENTS AND APPROVALS. Except in connection with the Offering and the consummation of the other Formation Transactions or as shall have been obtained on or prior to the Closing Date, no consent, waiver, approval, authorization, order, license, permit or registration of, qualification, designation, declaration or filing with, any Person or Governmental Authority or under any applicable Laws is required to be obtained by the Operating Partnership in connection with the execution, delivery and performance of this Agreement and the transactions contemplated hereby, except for (a) those consents, waivers, approvals, authorizations, orders, licenses, permits, registrations, qualifications, designations, declarations or filings, the failure of which to obtain or to file would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have an OP Material Adverse Effect, or (b) those consents under the Organizational Documents of the Contributor, the failure of which to obtain would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have an OP Material Adverse Effect.

Section 3.04 NO VIOLATION. None of the execution, delivery or performance of this Agreement, the other Formation Transaction Documentation, any agreement contemplated hereby between the parties to this Agreement and the transactions contemplated hereby between the parties to this Agreement does or will, with or without the giving of notice, lapse of time, or both, violate, conflict with, result in a breach of, or constitute a default under or give to others any right of termination, acceleration, cancellation or other right under, (a) the Organizational Documents of the Operating Partnership, (b) any agreement, document or instrument to which the Operating Partnership or any of its respective assets are bound or (c) any term or provision of any judgment, order, writ, injunction, or decree binding on the Operating Partnership, except for, in the case of clause (b) or (c), any such breaches or defaults that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have an OP Material Adverse Effect.

Section 3.05 VALIDITY OF OP UNITS AND REIT SHARES. Any OP Units to be issued pursuant to this Agreement will have been duly authorized by the Operating Partnership and, when issued against the consideration therefor, will be validly issued, fully paid and non-assessable, free and clear of all Liens created by the Operating Partnership (other than any Liens created by the Amended and Restated Agreement of Limited Partnership of the Operating Partnership (the "Operating Partnership Agreement")). Any REIT Shares to be issued pursuant to this Agreement will have been duly authorized by the REIT and, when issued against the consideration therefor, will be validly issued, fully paid and non-assessable, free and clear of all Liens created by the REIT (other than any Liens created by the charter of the REIT).

Section 3.06 LITIGATION. Except for actions, suits or proceedings covered by policies of insurance, there is no action, suit or proceeding pending or, to the knowledge of the Operating Partnership, threatened against the Operating Partnership or any Operating Partnership Subsidiary, other than actions, suits, proceedings arising in the ordinary course of business from the ownership and operation of the Operating Partnership, that individually or in the aggregate, would not reasonably be expected, (a) if adversely determined, to have an OP Material Adverse Effect, or (b) to challenge or impair the ability of the Operating Partnership to execute or deliver, or materially perform its obligations under, this Agreement and the documents executed by it pursuant to this Agreement or to consummate the transactions contemplated hereby or thereby, to such an extent as would result in an OP Material Adverse Effect.

Section 3.07 OPERATING PARTNERSHIP AGREEMENT. Attached as Exhibit B hereto is a true and correct copy of the Operating Partnership Agreement in substantially final form.

Section 3.08 LIMITED ACTIVITIES. Except for activities in connection with the Offering, the Formation Transactions or in the ordinary course of business, the Operating Partnership and the Operating Partnership Subsidiaries have not engaged in any material business or incurred any material obligations.

Section 3.09 NO BROKER. The Operating Partnership has not entered into, and covenants that it will not enter into, any agreement, arrangement or understanding with any Person or firm which will result in the obligation of the Contributor or any Affiliates thereof to pay any finder's fee, brokerage commission or similar payment in connection with the transaction contemplated by this Agreement (other than underwriting discounts, commissions and other fees and expenses to be paid by the REIT in connection with the Offering and any related financing transactions).

Section 3.10 NO OTHER REPRESENTATIONS OR WARRANTIES. Other than the representations and warranties expressly set forth in this Article III and any other agreement entered into in connection with the Formation Transactions, the Operating Partnership shall not be deemed to have made any other representation or warranty in connection with this Agreement or the transactions contemplated hereby. All representations, warranties and covenants of the Operating Partnership contained in this Agreement shall expire at the Closing.

ARTICLE IV

REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES OF THE CONTRIBUTOR

Except as disclosed in the Offering Document or the schedules attached hereto, the Contributor hereby represents and warrants to the Operating Partnership that as of the Closing Date:

Section 4.01 ORGANIZATION; AUTHORITY. The Contributor has been duly formed, is validly existing and in good standing under the Laws of its jurisdiction of formation, and has all requisite power and authority to enter into this Agreement, each agreement contemplated hereby and the other Formation Transaction Documentation to which it is a party (including any agreement, document and instrument executed and delivered by or on behalf of the Contributor pursuant to this Agreement or the other Formation Transaction Documentation) and to carry out the transactions contemplated hereby and thereby, and to carry on its business as presently conducted. The Contributor, to the extent required under applicable Laws, is qualified to do business and is in good standing in each jurisdiction in which the nature of its business make such qualification necessary, other than such failures to be so qualified as would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Contributor Material Adverse Effect.

Section 4.02 DUE AUTHORIZATION. The execution, delivery and performance by the Contributor of this Agreement and the other Formation Transaction Documentation (including any agreement, document and instrument executed and delivered by or on behalf of the Contributor pursuant to this Agreement or the other Formation Transaction Documentation) to which it is a party have been duly and validly authorized by all necessary actions required of the Contributor. This Agreement, the other Formation Transaction Documentation and each agreement, document and instrument executed and delivered by or on behalf of the Contributor pursuant to this Agreement or the other Formation Transaction Documentation constitutes, or when executed and delivered will constitute, the legal, valid and binding obligation of the Contributor, each enforceable against the Contributor in accordance with its terms, subject to applicable bankruptcy, insolvency, moratorium or other similar Laws relating to creditors' rights and general principles of equity.

Section 4.03 OWNERSHIP OF CONTRIBUTED INTERESTS. The Contributor is the sole record owner of all of the Contributed Interests and has the power and authority to transfer, sell, assign and convey to the Operating Partnership the Contributed Interests free and clear of any Liens and, upon delivery of the consideration for the Contributed Interests as provided herein, the Operating Partnership will acquire good and valid title thereto, free and clear of any Liens (other than Permitted Liens). Except as provided for or contemplated by this Agreement or the other applicable Formation Transaction Documentation, there are no rights to purchase, veto rights with respect to transfers, subscriptions, warrants, options, conversion rights, preemptive rights, agreements, instruments or understandings of any kind outstanding (a) relating to the Contributed Interests or (b) to purchase, transfer or to otherwise acquire, or to in any way encumber, any of the Contributed Interests (including, without limitation, any securities or obligations of any kind convertible into any of the interests which comprise Contributed Interests). Except as set forth in the Organizational Documents, the Contributor is not a party to

any agreement for the sale of its material assets, for the grant to any Person of any preferential right to purchase any such material assets or the acquisition of any material operating business, material assets or capital stock of any other corporation, entity or business, other than the purchase or sale of assets in the ordinary course of business.

Section 4.04 CONSENTS AND APPROVALS. Except as shall have been obtained or satisfied on or prior to the Closing Date, no consent, waiver, approval, authorization, order, license, permit or registration of, qualification, designation, declaration or filing with, any Person or any Governmental Authority or under any applicable Laws is required to be obtained by the Contributor in connection with the execution, delivery and performance of this Agreement, the other Formation Transaction Documentation to which the Contributor is a party and the transactions contemplated hereby and thereby, except for those consents, waivers, approvals, authorizations orders, licenses, permits, registrations, qualifications, designations, declarations or filings, the failure of which to obtain or to file would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Contributor Material Adverse Effect.

Section 4.05 NO VIOLATION. None of the execution, delivery or performance of this Agreement, any agreement contemplated hereby between the parties to this Agreement and the transactions contemplated hereby between the parties to this Agreement does or will, with or without the giving of notice, lapse of time, or both, violate, conflict with, result in a breach of, or constitute a default under or give to others any right of termination, acceleration, cancellation or other right under, (a) the Organizational Documents of the Contributor, (b) any agreement, document or instrument to which the Contributor is a party or by which the Contributor or any of the Contributed Interests are bound by or (c) any term or provision of any judgment, order, writ, injunction, or decree binding on the Contributor (or its assets or properties), except for, in the case of clause (b) or (c), any such breaches or defaults that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Contributor Material Adverse Effect.

Section 4.06 OMITTED.

Section 4.07 COMPLIANCE WITH LAWS. The Contributor has conducted its businesses in compliance with all applicable Laws, except for such failures that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Contributor Material Adverse Effect. Neither the Contributor nor, to the knowledge of the Contributor, any third party are in violation of any Law or has been informed in writing of any continuing violation of any such Laws or that any investigation has been commenced and is continuing or is contemplated respecting any such possible violation, except in each case for violations that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Contributor Material Adverse Effect. There has not been committed by the Contributor or, to the knowledge of the Contributor, any other Person in occupancy of or involved with the operation or use of the Contributed Property any act or omission affording the federal government or any other Governmental Authority the right of forfeiture as against the Contributed Property or any part thereof. There has not been committed by the Contributor or, to the knowledge of the Contributor, any other Person in occupancy of or involved with the operation or use of the Contributed Property any act or omission affording the federal government or any other Governmental Authority the right of forfeiture as against the Contributed Property or any part thereof.

Section 4.08 CONTRIBUTED PROPERTY. To the knowledge of the Contributor, the Contributor is the owner of a tenancy-in-common estate to the Contributed Property, free and clear of all Liens except for Permitted Liens. Prior to the Closing, the Contributor shall not take or omit to take any action to cause any Lien to attach to any Contributed Property, except for Permitted Liens and Liens, if any, given to secure mortgage indebtedness encumbering such Contributed Property.

Section 4.09 OMITTED.

Section 4.10 OMITTED.

Section 4.11 OMITTED.

Section 4.12 OMITTED.

Section 4.13 OMITTED.

Section 4.14 OMITTED.

Section 4.15 LITIGATION. Except for actions, suits or proceedings fully covered by policies of insurance, there is no action, suit or proceeding pending or, to the knowledge of the Contributor, threatened against or affecting the Contributor, or any officer, director, principal, managing member, general partner or Affiliate of any of the foregoing, other than actions, suits or proceedings arising in the ordinary course of business from the ownership and operation which, if adversely determined, would not have a Contributor Material Adverse Effect. There is no action, suit, or proceeding pending or, to the knowledge of the Contributor, threatened against or affecting the Contributor or any officer, director, principal, managing member, general partner or Affiliate of any of the foregoing, which challenges or impairs the ability of the Contributor to execute or deliver, or perform its obligations under this Agreement or any Formation Transaction Documentation or any other documents to be executed by it pursuant to this Agreement or any Formation Transaction Documentation or to consummate the transactions contemplated hereby or thereby. Except for matters fully covered by insurance, there is no judgment, decree, injunction, rule or order of a Governmental Authority outstanding against the Contributor or any officer, director, principal, managing member or general partner of any of the foregoing in their capacity as such, which would reasonably be expected to have a Contributor Material Adverse Effect. None of the Contributor or any officer, director, principal, managing member, general partner or Affiliate of any of the foregoing has received any written notice of any pending or threatened proceedings for the rezoning (i.e., as opposed to the current zoning) of the Contributed Property or any portion thereof which would impair the current or proposed use thereof in a manner that would result in a Contributor Material Adverse Effect.

Section 4.16 INSOLVENCY. No attachments, execution proceedings, assignments for the benefit of creditors, insolvency, bankruptcy, reorganization or other proceedings are pending or, to the Contributor's knowledge, threatened against the Contributor or the Contributed Property, nor are any such proceedings contemplated by the Contributor.

Section 4.17 SECURITIES LAW MATTERS. The Contributor acknowledges that: (i) the REIT and Operating Partnership intend the offer and issuance of any REIT Shares or OP Units to the Contributor to be exempt from registration under the Securities Act and applicable state securities laws by virtue of the status of such Contributor as an “accredited investor” (within the meaning of Rule 501(a) of Regulation D under the Securities Act) acquiring any REIT Shares or OP Units in a transaction exempt from registration pursuant to Rule 506 of Regulation D under the Securities Act, and (ii) in issuing any REIT Shares or OP Units pursuant to the terms of this Agreement, the REIT and Operating Partnership are relying on the representations made by the Contributor electing to receive REIT Shares or OP Units as consideration in the Contribution, which representations were set forth in Appendix C to the Request for Consent – Accredited Investor Representations Letter.

Section 4.18 NO BROKER. The Contributor has not entered into, and it covenants that it will not enter into, any agreement, arrangement or understanding with any Person or firm which will result in the obligation of the REIT or any Affiliate to pay any finder’s fee, brokerage commission or similar payment in connection with the transaction contemplated by this Agreement (other than underwriting discounts, commissions and other fees and expenses to be paid by the REIT in connection with the Offering and any related financing transactions).

Section 4.19 OMITTED.

Section 4.20 OMITTED.

Section 4.21 NO OTHER REPRESENTATIONS OR WARRANTIES. Other than the representations and warranties expressly set forth in this Article IV and any other agreement entered into by the Contributor in connection with the Formation Transactions, the Contributor shall not be deemed to have made any other representation or warranty in connection with this Agreement or the transactions contemplated hereby.

Section 4.22 SURVIVAL OF REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES. The parties hereto agree and acknowledge that the representations and warranties set forth in this Article IV (other than Section 4.01, Section 4.02, Section 4.03, and Section 4.17) shall not survive the Closing.

ARTICLE V

COVENANTS AND OTHER AGREEMENTS

Section 5.01 PRE-CLOSING COVENANTS. During the period from the date hereof to the Closing Date (except as otherwise provided for or contemplated by this Agreement or in connection with the Formation Transactions), the Contributor shall not without the prior written consent of the REIT, which consent may be withheld by the REIT in its sole discretion:

(a) other than in accordance with Section 4.08, issue, deliver, sell, transfer, dispose, mortgage, pledge, assign or otherwise encumber, or cause the issuance, delivery, sale, transfer, disposition, mortgage, pledge, assignment or otherwise encumbrance of, the Contributed Interests or the Contributed Property;

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- (b) knowingly cause or permit the Contributor to violate, or fail to use commercially reasonable efforts to cure any violation of, any applicable Laws;
 - (c) take any action or fail to take any action the result of which would have a Contributor Material Adverse Effect; or
 - (d) authorize, commit or agree to take any of the foregoing actions.

Section 5.02 COMMERCIALY REASONABLE EFFORTS BY THE OPERATING PARTNERSHIP AND THE CONTRIBUTOR. Each of the Operating Partnership and the Contributor shall use commercially reasonable efforts and cooperate with each other in (a) promptly determining whether any filings are required to be made or consents, approvals, waivers, permits or authorizations are required to be obtained (under any applicable Law or regulation or from any Governmental Authority or third party) in connection with the transactions contemplated by this Agreement, and (b) promptly making (or causing to be made) any such filings, in furnishing information required in connection therewith and in timely seeking to obtain any such consents, approvals, waivers, permits and authorizations.

Section 5.03 TAX MATTERS.

(a) The parties hereto intend and agree that, for United States federal income tax purposes, the contribution of Contributed Interests to the Operating Partnership shall constitute: (i) a contribution qualifying under Section 721(a) of the Code to the extent of the OP Units received by the Contributor; and (ii) a taxable sale of the Contributed Interests by the Contributor to the Operating Partnership to the extent of any cash (including cash in lieu of OP Units or REIT Shares) and/or REIT Shares received by the Contributor.

(b) All transfer, stamp, documentary, sales, use, registration, value-added and other similar Taxes (including all applicable real estate transfer Taxes) incurred in connection with this Agreement and the transactions contemplated hereby ("Transfer Taxes") will be borne by the Operating Partnership. The parties agree, upon request, to use commercially reasonable efforts to obtain any certificate or other document from any Governmental Authority or any other Person as may be necessary to mitigate, reduce or eliminate any Transfer Taxes that could be imposed in connection with the transactions contemplated hereby.

(c) The REIT, the Operating Partnership and the Contributor shall cooperate fully, as and to the extent reasonably requested by the other party, in connection with the filing of Tax Returns related to the transactions pursuant to this Agreement and any audit, litigation or administrative, judicial or other inquiry or proceeding with respect to Taxes related to the transactions pursuant to this Agreement. Such cooperation shall include the retention and (upon the other party's request) the provision of records and information which are reasonably relevant to any such action or other proceeding and making employees available on a mutually convenient basis to provide additional information and explanation of any material provided hereunder. The REIT, the Operating Partnership and the Contributor further agree, upon request, to use their reasonable efforts to obtain any certificate or other document from any governmental authority or any other Person as may be necessary to mitigate, reduce or eliminate any Tax that could be imposed with respect to the transactions contemplated hereby.

(d) Prior to Closing, the Contributor shall deliver to the Operating Partnership a properly executed certificate prepared in accordance with Treasury regulations section 1.1445-2(b) certifying the Contributor's non-foreign status, and if requested by the Operating Partnership, and any similar withholding certificates or other forms under applicable state, local or foreign Tax laws.

(e) The REIT and the Operating Partnership make no representations or warranties to the Contributor regarding the Tax treatment of the contributions pursuant to this Agreement or of the other Formation Transactions, or with respect to any other Tax consequences to the Contributor of this Agreement or the other Formation Transactions. The Contributor acknowledges that the Contributor is relying solely on its own Tax advisors in connection with this Agreement and the other Formation Transactions.

Section 5.04 CONSENT AND WAIVER OF RIGHTS UNDER TIC AGREEMENT. As of the Closing, the Contributor waives and relinquishes all rights and benefits otherwise afforded to the Contributor (a) under the TIC Agreement including, without limitation, any rights of appraisal, rights of first offer or first refusal, buy/sell agreements, put, option, or similar parallel exit or dissenter rights in connection with the Formation Transactions and the Offering, and any right to consent to or approve of the sale or contribution or other transaction undertaken by the other holders of interests similar to the Contributed Interests of such interests to the Operating Partnership, the REIT or any Affiliate thereof and any and all notice provisions related thereto, (b) to the extent permissible under applicable Laws, any statutory rights with respect to the Contributed Interests and (c) for claims against the REIT or the Operating Partnership for breach by any of their respective present or former officers, directors, managing members, general partners or Affiliates of their fiduciary duties or similar obligations (including duties of disclosure) to any of their respective present or former shareholders, members, partners, equity interest holders or Affiliates or the terms of the TIC Agreement. The Contributor acknowledges that the agreements contained herein and the transactions contemplated hereby and any actions taken in contemplation of the transactions contemplated hereby may conflict with, and may not have been contemplated by, the TIC Agreement. With respect to the property to which the Contributed Interests relate, the Contributor expressly gives all consents (and any consents necessary to authorize the proper parties in interest to give all consents) and waives it is entitled to give that are necessary or desirable to facilitate the contribution or other Formation Transactions relating to such property. In addition, the Contributor agrees that if the transactions contemplated hereby occur, this Agreement shall be deemed to be an amendment to the TIC Agreement to the extent the terms herein conflict with the terms thereof, including without limitation, terms with respect to allocations, distributions and the like. In the event the transactions contemplated by this Agreement do not occur, nothing in this Agreement shall be deemed to be or construed as an amendment or modification of, or commitment of any kind to amend or modify, the TIC Agreement, which shall remain in full force and effect without modification.

Section 5.05 OMITTED.

Section 5.06 OMITTED.

Section 5.07 ELIMINATED ASSETS. The parties hereby agree that the Operating Partnership shall have the right, in its sole discretion, to exclude the Contributed Interests (or any interest therein or portion thereof) (the “Eliminated Assets”), from this contribution after the date hereof until the Closing, provided that the Operating Partnership shall provide prior written notice to the Contributor regarding such exclusion.

ARTICLE VI

GENERAL PROVISIONS

Section 6.01 NOTICES. All notices and other communications under this Agreement shall be in writing and shall be deemed given when (a) delivered personally, (b) five (5) Business Days after being mailed by certified mail, return receipt requested and postage prepaid, (c) one (1) Business Day after being sent by a nationally recognized overnight courier or (d) transmitted by facsimile if confirmed within twenty-four (24) hours thereafter by a signed original sent in the manner provided in clause (a), (b) or (c) to the parties at the following addresses (or at such other address for a party as shall be specified by notice from such party):

- (a) if to the REIT or the Operating Partnership, to:
Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc.
11620 Wilshire Boulevard, Suite 300
Los Angeles, CA 90025
Facsimile: (310) 966-1690
Attention: Howard Schwimmer and Michael S. Frankel
- (b) if to the Contributor:
Allan Ziman, Special Trustee
132 West 8th Street
National City, CA 91950
Facsimile: (619) 477-8148

Section 6.02 DEFINITIONS. For purposes of this Agreement, the following terms shall have the following meanings.

(a) “Accredited Investor” has the meaning set forth under Regulation D of the Securities Act.

(b) “Affiliate” means, with respect to any Person, a Person that, directly or indirectly, through one or more intermediaries, controls, is controlled by, or is under common control with the specified Person. For the purposes of this definition, “control” (including, with correlative meanings, the terms “controlled by” and “under common control with”) as used with respect to any Person, shall mean the possession, directly or indirectly, of the power to direct or cause the direction of the management or policies of such Person, whether through the ownership of voting securities, by agreement or otherwise.

(c) “Allocated Share” means an amount of Contribution Consideration that would be distributed to the Contributor as a Pre-Formation Participant in accordance with the provisions of the TIC Agreement relating to distributions of distributable net proceeds from sales of directly or indirectly owned properties or assets, and assuming the sale of the relevant Target Asset or Target Assets that are directly or indirectly owned by such entity for a value equal to such Target Asset’s or Target Assets’ respective Equity Value(s).

(d) “Business Day” means any day that is not a Saturday, Sunday or legal holiday in the State of California.

(e) “Code” means the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, together with the rules and regulations promulgated or issued thereunder.

(f) “Consent Form” means the form provided to each holder of Pre-Formation Interests to consent to the Formation Transactions and to make such holder’s irrevocable elections with respect to consideration to be received by such holder in the Formation Transactions.

(g) “Contributor Material Adverse Effect” means any material adverse change in the assets, business, condition (financial or otherwise), results of operation or prospects of the Contributor or the Contributed Property, taken as a whole.

(h) “Elected OP Unit Percentage” means, with respect to the Contribution Consideration to be received by the Contributor, the percentage of the Allocated Share that the Contributor has made a Valid Election to receive in the form of OP Units.

(i) “Elected REIT Share Percentage” means, with respect to the Contribution Consideration to be received by the Contributor, the percentage of the Allocated Share that the Contributor has made a Valid Election to receive in the form of REIT Shares.

(j) “Entity Specific Debt” has the meaning set forth in Schedule 6.02(c) hereto.

(k) “Equity Value” has the meaning set forth in Schedule 6.02(c) hereto.

(l) “Excluded Assets” means (i) the assets identified on Schedule 6.02(k) and (ii) any interest excluded from the contribution hereunder in accordance with Section 5.07.

(m) “Formation Transaction Documentation” means all of the agreements (including this Agreement) and related documents substantially in the forms accompanying the Request for Consent dated February 22, 2013 and identified in Exhibit H hereto, pursuant to which all of the Rexford Entities and/or the Pre-Formation Interests are to be acquired by the REIT or the Operating Partnership, directly or indirectly, as part of the Formation Transactions.

(n) “Formation Transactions” means the transactions contemplated by this Agreement and the other Formation Transaction Documentation.

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- (o) “Fund V Subsequent Investment Amount” has the meaning set forth in Schedule 6.02(c) hereto.
- (p) “Governmental Authority” means any government or agency, bureau, board, commission, court, department, official, political subdivision, tribunal or other instrumentality of any government, whether federal, state or local, domestic or foreign.
- (q) “Interim Period” has the meaning set forth in Schedule 6.02(c) hereto.
- (r) “Laws” means laws, statutes, rules, regulations, codes, orders, ordinances, judgments, injunctions, decrees and policies of any Governmental Authority, including, without limitation, zoning, land use or other similar rules or ordinances.
- (s) “Liens” means all pledges, claims, liens, charges, restrictions, controls, easements, rights of way, exceptions, reservations, leases, licenses, grants, covenants and conditions, encumbrances and security interests of any kind or nature whatsoever.
- (t) “Lock-Up Agreement” means that certain Lock-Up Agreement, by and between the underwriters and each investor of the REIT and/or the Operating Partnership.
- (u) “Management Companies” means, collectively RIF V Manager, Sponsor, and RI LLC.
- (v) “Offering Closing Date” means the closing date of the Offering.
- (w) “Offering Document” means either (i) in the event the REIT undertakes a public Offering, the REIT’s final prospectus as filed with the SEC; or (ii) in the event the REIT undertakes a private Offering, the REIT’s final offering memorandum (together with any supplements and amendments thereto) used in the Offering.
- (x) “Offering Price” means the initial offering price of a REIT Share in the Offering.
- (y) “OP Material Adverse Effect” means any material adverse change in any of the assets, business, condition (financial or otherwise), results of operation or prospects of the Operating Partnership and each Operating Partnership Subsidiary, taken as a whole.
- (z) “Organizational Documents” means the certificate of formation, certificate of incorporation and bylaws, certificate of limited partnership and limited partnership agreement, limited liability company agreement, operating agreement, or trust documents, of the Contributor or the Operating Partnership.
- (aa) “Permitted Liens” means (i) Liens, or deposits made to secure the release of such Liens, securing Taxes, the payment of which is not delinquent or the payment of which (including, without limitation, the amount or validity thereof) is being contested in good faith by appropriate proceedings for which adequate reserves have been made in accordance with GAAP; (ii) zoning, entitlement, building and other land use Laws imposed by Governmental Authorities having jurisdiction over the Contributed Property; (iii) covenants, conditions, restrictions,

easements for public utilities, encroachments, rights of access or other non-monetary matters that do not materially impair the use of the Contributed Property for the purposes for which they are currently being used or proposed to be used in connection with the relevant Person's business; (iv) Liens securing financing or credit arrangements existing as of the Closing Date; (v) Liens arising under Leases in effect as of the Closing Date; (vi) any exceptions contained in any title policy (including any policy issued to a secured lender) relating to the Contributed Property as of the Closing Date; and (vii) mechanics', carriers', workers', repairers' and similar Liens arising or incurred in the ordinary course of business that are not yet due and payable or the payment of which (including, without limitation, the amount or validity thereof) is being contested in good faith by appropriate proceedings for which adequate reserves have been made in accordance with GAAP, and which are not, in the aggregate, material to the business, operations and financial condition of the Contributed Property so encumbered.

(bb) "Person" means an individual, corporation, partnership, limited liability company, joint venture, association, trust, unincorporated organization or other entity.

(cc) "Pre-Formation Interests" means the equity interests directly or indirectly held by the Pre-Formation Participants in the Rexford Entities and in the "Rexford Properties" as defined in that certain Confidential Request for Consent and Investment Election dated February 22, 2013.

(dd) "Pre-Formation Participants" means the holders of the equity interests in the relevant RIF Fund Entity and the Management Companies immediately prior to the Formation Transactions, and shall include any other Person contributing any interest or property to the REIT, the Operating Partnership or any Subsidiary thereof in the Formation Transactions.

(ee) "Property" means any real property owned directly or indirectly, in whole or in part, by the Rexford Entities.

(ff) "Registration Rights Agreement" means that certain Registration Rights Agreement, by and among the REIT, the Operating Partnership and the parties identified as a signatory on Schedule A thereto.

(gg) "Rexford Entity" means a RIF Fund Entity, the Management Companies and each of their respective Subsidiaries, as applicable. As used herein, "Rexford Entities" refer to each Rexford Entity, collectively.

(hh) "Securities Act" means the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder.

(ii) "Subsidiary" of any Person means any corporation, partnership, limited liability company, joint venture, trust or other legal entity of which such Person owns (either directly or through or together with another Subsidiary of such Person) either (i) a general partner, managing member or other similar interest, or (ii) (A) ten percent (10%) or more of the voting power of the voting capital stock or other equity interests, or (B) ten percent (10%) or more of the outstanding voting capital stock or other voting equity interests of such corporation, partnership, limited liability company, joint venture or other legal entity.

(jj) “Target Asset” has the meaning set forth in Schedule 6.02(c) hereto.

(kk) “Tax” means all federal, state, local and foreign income, gross receipts, license, property, withholding, sales, franchise, employment, payroll, goods and services, stamp, environmental, customs duties, capital stock, social security, transfer, alternative minimum, excise and other taxes, tariffs or governmental charges of any nature whatsoever, including estimated taxes, together with penalties, interest or additions to Tax with respect thereto, whether or not disputed.

(ll) “Tax Matters Agreement” means that certain Tax Matters Agreement, by and among the REIT, the Operating Partnership and the parties identified as a signatory on Schedule A thereto.

(mm) “Tax Return” means any return, declaration, report, claim for refund, or information return or statement relating to Taxes, including any schedule or attachment thereto, and including any amendment thereof.

(nn) “TIC Agreement” means that certain Tenancy-in-Common Agreement dated as of February 9, 2005, by and between RIF II – La Jolla Sorrento and the Contributor.

(oo) “Valid Election” means, with respect to the Contributor, an irrevocable election to receive all or a portion of its Allocated Share in the form of OP Units or REIT Shares as indicated on the properly completed and timely received Consent Form of the Contributor or a Consent Form as to which any deficiencies have been waived by the REIT.

Section 6.03 COUNTERPARTS. This Agreement may be executed in counterparts, all of which shall be considered one and the same agreement and shall become effective when one or more counterparts have been signed by each party and delivered to each other party.

Section 6.04 ENTIRE AGREEMENT; THIRD-PARTY BENEFICIARIES. This Agreement and the other Formation Transaction Documentation and the Consent Form to which the Contributor is a party, including, without limitation, the exhibits and schedules hereto and thereto, constitute the entire agreement and, except as set forth in Section 2.05, supersede each prior agreement and understanding, whether written or oral, among the parties regarding the subject matter of this Agreement. This Agreement is not intended to confer any rights or remedies on any Person other than the parties hereto.

Section 6.05 GOVERNING LAW. This Agreement shall be governed by, and construed in accordance with, the Laws of the State of California, regardless of any Laws that might otherwise govern under applicable principles of conflicts of laws thereof.

Section 6.06 ASSIGNMENT. This Agreement shall be binding upon, and shall be enforceable by and inure to the benefit of, the parties hereto and their respective heirs, legal representatives, successors and assigns; *provided, however*, that this Agreement may not be assigned (except by operation of law) by any party without the prior written consent of the other parties, and any attempted assignment without such consent shall be null and void and of no force and effect, except that the Operating Partnership may assign its rights and obligations hereunder to an Affiliate.

Section 6.07 JURISDICTION. The parties hereto hereby (a) submit to the exclusive jurisdiction of any state or federal court sitting in the County of Los Angeles, with respect to any dispute arising out of this Agreement or any transaction contemplated hereby to the extent such courts would have subject matter jurisdiction with respect to such dispute and (b) irrevocably waive, and agree not to assert by way of motion, defense, or otherwise, in any such action, any claim that it is not subject personally to the jurisdiction of the above-named courts, that its property is exempt or immune from attachment or execution, that the action is brought in an inconvenient forum, or that the venue of the action is improper.

Section 6.08 DISPUTE RESOLUTION. The parties intend that this Section 6.08 will be valid, binding, enforceable, exclusive and irrevocable and that it shall survive any termination of this Agreement.

(a) Upon any dispute, controversy or claim arising out of or relating to this Agreement or the enforcement, breach, termination or validity thereof (“Dispute”), the party raising the Dispute will give written notice to the other parties to the Dispute describing the nature of the Dispute following which the parties to such Dispute shall attempt for a period of ten (10) Business Days from receipt by the parties of notice of such Dispute to resolve such Dispute by negotiation between representatives of the parties hereto who have authority to settle such Dispute. All such negotiations shall be confidential and any statements or offers made therein shall be treated as compromise and settlement negotiations for purposes of any applicable rules of evidence and shall not be admissible as evidence in any subsequent proceeding for any purpose. The statute of limitations applicable to the commencement of a lawsuit shall apply to the commencement of an arbitration hereunder, except that no defense based on the running of the statute of limitations will be available based upon the passage of time during any such negotiation. Regardless of the foregoing, a party shall have the right to seek immediate injunctive relief pursuant to Section 6.08(c), below without regard to any such ten (10) Business Day negotiation period.

(b) Any Dispute (including the determination of the scope or applicability of this agreement to arbitrate) that is not resolved pursuant to Section 6.08(a) above shall be submitted to final and binding arbitration in California before one neutral and impartial arbitrator, in accordance with the Laws of the State of California for agreements made in and to be performed in that State. The arbitration shall be administered by JAMS, Inc. (“JAMS”) pursuant to its Comprehensive Arbitration Rules and Procedures, as in effect on the date hereof. Each of the REIT and the Operating Partnership, on the one hand, and the Contributor, on the other hand, shall appoint one arbitrator within fifteen (15) days of a demand for arbitration. If the REIT and the Operating Partnership and the Contributor cannot mutually agree upon an arbitrator within such 15-day period, the arbitrator shall be appointed by JAMS in accordance with its Comprehensive Arbitration Rules and Procedures, as in effect on the date hereof. The arbitrator shall designate the place and time of the hearing. The hearing shall be scheduled to begin as soon as practicable and no later than sixty (60) days after the appointment of the arbitrator (unless such period is extended by the arbitrator for good cause shown) and shall be conducted as expeditiously as possible. The award, which shall set forth the arbitrator’s findings of fact and conclusions of law, shall be filed with JAMS and mailed to the parties no later than thirty (30) days after the close of the arbitration hearing. The arbitration award shall be final and binding on the parties and not subject to collateral attack. Judgment upon the arbitration award may be entered in any federal or state court having jurisdiction thereof.

(c) Notwithstanding the parties' agreement to submit all Disputes to final and binding arbitration before JAMS, the parties shall have the right to seek and obtain temporary or preliminary injunctive relief in any court having jurisdiction thereof. Such courts shall have authority to, among other things, grant temporary or provisional injunctive relief in order to protect any party's rights under this Agreement. Without prejudice to such provisional remedies as may be available under the jurisdiction of a court, the arbitral tribunal shall have full authority to grant provisional remedies and to direct the parties to request that any court modify or vacate any temporary or preliminary relief issued by such court, and to award damages for the failure of any party to respect the arbitral tribunal's orders to that effect.

(d) The prevailing party shall be entitled to recover its costs and reasonable attorneys' fees, and the non-prevailing party shall pay all expenses and fees of JAMS, all costs of the stenographic record, all expenses of witnesses or proofs that may have been produced at the direction of the arbitrator, and the fees, costs, and expenses of the arbitrator. The arbitrator shall allocate such costs and designate the prevailing party or parties for these purposes.

Section 6.09 SEVERABILITY. Each provision of this Agreement will be interpreted so as to be effective and valid under applicable Law, but if any provision is held invalid, illegal or unenforceable under applicable Law in any jurisdiction, then such invalidity, illegality or unenforceability will not affect any other provision, and this Agreement will be reformed, construed and enforced in such jurisdiction as if such invalid, illegal or unenforceable provision had never been included herein.

Section 6.10 RULES OF CONSTRUCTION.

(a) The parties hereto agree that they have had the opportunity to be represented by counsel during the negotiation, preparation and execution of this Agreement and, therefore, waive the application of any Law, regulation, holding or rule of construction providing that ambiguities in an agreement or other document will be construed against the party drafting such agreement or document.

(b) The words "hereof," "herein" and "herewith" and words of similar import shall, unless otherwise stated, be construed to refer to this Agreement as a whole and not to any particular provision of this Agreement, and article, section, paragraph, exhibit and schedule references are to the articles, sections, paragraphs, exhibits and schedules of this Agreement unless otherwise specified. Whenever the words "include," "includes" or "including" are used in this Agreement, they shall be deemed to be followed by the words "without limitation." All terms defined in this Agreement shall have the defined meanings contained herein when used in any certificate or other document made or delivered pursuant hereto unless otherwise defined therein. The definitions contained in this Agreement are applicable to the singular as well as the plural forms of such terms and to the masculine as well as to the feminine and neuter genders of such terms. Unless explicitly stated otherwise herein, any agreement, instrument or statute defined or referred to herein or in any agreement or instrument that is referred to herein means such agreement, instrument or statute as from time to time, amended, qualified or supplemented, including (in the case of agreements and instruments) by waiver or consent and (in the case of statutes) by succession of comparable successor statutes and all attachments thereto and instruments incorporated therein. References to a Person are also to its permitted successors and assigns.

Section 6.11 EQUITABLE REMEDIES. The parties agree that irreparable damage would occur to the Operating Partnership in the event that any of the provisions of this Agreement were not performed in accordance with their specific terms or were otherwise breached. It is accordingly agreed that the Operating Partnership shall be entitled to an injunction or injunctions to prevent breaches of this Agreement by a Contributor and to enforce specifically the terms and provisions hereof in any federal or state court located in California, this being in addition to any other remedy to which the Operating Partnership is entitled under this Agreement or otherwise at law or in equity.

Section 6.12 TIME OF THE ESSENCE. Time is of the essence with respect to all obligations under this Agreement.

Section 6.13 DESCRIPTIVE HEADINGS. The descriptive headings herein are inserted for convenience only and are not intended to be part of or to affect the meaning or interpretation of this Agreement.

Section 6.14 NO PERSONAL LIABILITY CONFERRED. This Agreement shall not create or permit any personal liability or obligation on the part of any officer, director, partner, employee or shareholder of the Operating Partnership or the Contributor.

Section 6.15 OMITTED.

Section 6.16 WAIVER OF SECTION 1542 PROTECTIONS. As of the Closing Date, each of the parties hereto expressly acknowledges that it has had, or has had and waived, the opportunity to be advised by independent legal counsel and hereby waives and relinquishes all rights and benefits afforded by Section 1542 of the California Civil Code and does so understanding and acknowledging the significance and consequence of such specific waiver of Section 1542 which provides:

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

Section 6.17 AMENDMENTS. This Agreement may be amended by appropriate instrument, without the consent of the Contributor, at any time prior to the Closing Date; *provided*, that no such amendment, modification or supplement shall be made that alters the amount or changes the form of the consideration to be delivered to the Contributor, without the prior written consent of the Contributor.

[SIGNATURE PAGES FOLLOW]

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have caused this Agreement to be signed by their respective duly authorized officers or representatives, all as of the date first written above.

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, INC.,
A Maryland corporation

By: /s/ Howard Schwimmer
Name: Howard Schwimmer
Title: Co-Chief Executive Officer

By: /s/ Michael Frankel
Name: Michael S. Frankel
Title: Co-Chief Executive Officer

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, L.P.,
a Maryland limited partnership

By: REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, INC.,
a Maryland Corporation
Its: General Partner

By: /s/ Howard Schwimmer
Name: Howard Schwimmer
Title: Co-Chief Executive Officer

By: /s/ Michael Frankel
Name: Michael S. Frankel
Title: Co-Chief Executive Officer

[Signature Page to Rubin Trust Contribution Agreement]

JEANETTE RUBIN TRUST, DATED AUGUST
16, 1978, AS AMENDED

By: REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, INC.,
a Maryland corporation
as attorney-in-fact acting on behalf of Allan
Ziman as Special Trustee of Jeanette Rubin
Trust, dated August 16, 1978

By: /s/ Howard Schwimmer

Name: Howard Schwimmer

Title: Co-Chief Executive Officer

By: /s/ Michael Frankel

Name: Michael S. Frankel

Title: Co-Chief Executive Officer

[Signature Page to Rubin Trust Contribution Agreement]

CONTRIBUTION AGREEMENT

by and among

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, L.P.,

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, INC.,

and

THE CONTRIBUTORS PARTY HERETO

Dated as of July 24, 2013

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CONTRIBUTION AGREEMENT

THIS CONTRIBUTION AGREEMENT is made and entered into as of July 24, 2013 (this "Agreement"), by and among Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc., a Maryland corporation (the "REIT"), Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P., a Maryland limited partnership (the "Operating Partnership") and a subsidiary of the REIT, and each of the parties identified as a "Contributor" on Schedule I hereto (each, a "Contributor" and, collectively, the "Contributors"). Certain capitalized terms are defined in Section 6.02 of this Agreement.

RECITALS

WHEREAS, the REIT desires to consolidate the ownership of a portfolio of properties currently owned, directly or indirectly, by certain entities each as described on Exhibit A hereto;

WHEREAS, concurrently with the execution of this Agreement, Rexford Industrial Fund V REIT, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company ("RIF V REIT"), will enter into an agreement and plan of merger with the REIT pursuant to which RIF V REIT will merge with and into the REIT and the equity interest in RIF V REIT will be converted automatically into the right to receive cash, without interest, or shares of common stock of the REIT, par value \$.01 per share ("REIT Shares");

WHEREAS, concurrently with the execution of this Agreement, Rexford Industrial Fund V, LP, a Delaware limited partnership ("RIF V Fund"), will enter into an agreement and plan of merger with the Operating Partnership pursuant to which RIF V Fund will merge with and into the Operating Partnership and the partnership interests in RIF V Fund will be (a) converted automatically into the right to receive cash, without interest, REIT Shares and/or common units of partnership interest in the Operating Partnership ("OP Units") and (b) in the case of the partnership interests in RIF V Fund held by RIF V Manager or the REIT, cancelled;

WHEREAS, concurrently with the execution of this Agreement, Rexford Sponsor V LLC, a Delaware limited liability company ("Sponsor"), will enter into an agreement and plan of merger pursuant to which Sponsor will merge with and into a direct wholly-owned subsidiary of the Operating Partnership with Sponsor as the surviving entity, and the equity interests in Sponsor will be converted automatically into the right to receive cash, without interest, OP Units and/or REIT Shares;

WHEREAS, concurrently with the execution of this Agreement, Rexford Industrial, LLC, a California limited liability company ("RI LLC"), will enter into an agreement and plan of merger pursuant to which RI LLC will merge with and into a direct wholly-owned subsidiary of the Operating Partnership, with RI LLC as the surviving entity, and the equity interests in RI LLC will be converted automatically into the right to receive cash, without interest, OP Units and/or REIT Shares;

WHEREAS, concurrently with the execution of this Agreement, Rexford Fund V Manager LLC, a Delaware limited liability company ("RIF V Manager"), will enter into an agreement and plan of merger pursuant to which RIF V Manager will merge with and into an indirect wholly-owned subsidiary of the Operating Partnership, with RIF V Manager as the surviving entity, and the equity interests in RIF V Manager will be converted automatically into the right to receive cash, without interest, OP Units and/or REIT Shares;

WHEREAS, concurrently with the completion of the transactions described in the preceding paragraphs, the parties to this Agreement wish to effect a transaction pursuant to which (a) each Contributor will contribute to the Operating Partnership all of such Contributor's direct and indirect interests in and to an 8.33% membership interest owned by such Contributor (each a "Contributed Interest") and, collectively, the "Contributed Interests") in Rexford Business Center-Fullerton, LLC (the "Contributed Entity"), and (b) the Operating Partnership shall acquire from each Contributor, all of such Contributor's right, title and interest in and to such Contributed Interests, in exchange for a combination of cash, without interest, REIT Shares and/or OP Units;

WHEREAS, concurrently with the execution of this Agreement, each of Rexford Industrial Fund I, LLC, Rexford Industrial Fund II, LLC, Rexford Industrial Fund III, LLC and Rexford Industrial Fund IV, LLC (each such entity, RIF V REIT and RIF V Fund may be referred to herein as a "RIF Fund Entity") will enter into a contribution agreement with the REIT and the Operating Partnership ;

WHEREAS, the Formation Transactions relate to the initial public offering of the REIT Shares or, depending on prevailing market conditions at the time of the offering, a private offering of the REIT Shares (the "Offering"), following which the REIT will operate as a self-administered and self-managed real estate investment trust within the meaning of Section 856 of the Code;

WHEREAS, substantially concurrently with the completion of the Formation Transactions and the Offering, the REIT will contribute to the Operating Partnership, all of the assets (other than OP Units), rights and obligations acquired by the REIT as a result of the Formation Transactions and the Offering; and

WHEREAS, all necessary approvals have been obtained by each of the Operating Partnership and each Contributor to consummate the transactions contemplated herein and by the other Formation Transaction Documentation.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the foregoing and the representations, warranties, covenants and other terms contained in this Agreement, the parties hereto, intending to be legally bound hereby, agree as follows:

ARTICLE I

CONTRIBUTION

Section 1.01 CONTRIBUTION TRANSACTION.

(a) At the Closing and subject to the terms and conditions contained in this Agreement and in accordance with applicable Laws, each Contributor hereby contributes, assigns, sets over, transfers, conveys and delivers to the Operating Partnership, absolutely and unconditionally and free and clear of all Liens (other than those arising under Organizational

Documents governing the Contributed Interests), all of its right, title and interest in and to the Contributed Interests, including all rights to indemnification in favor of such Contributor under the Organizational Documents; *provided*, that the Operating Partnership accepts the assignment by such Contributor and agrees to be bound by the terms of the Organizational Documents governing such Contributor's Contributed Interests and undertakes, assumes and agrees punctually and faithfully to perform, pay or discharge when due and otherwise in accordance with its terms, all agreements, covenants, conditions, obligations and liabilities of such Contributor with respect to such Contributor's Contributed Interests on or after the Closing Date.

(b) Without limiting the foregoing, each Contributor, on behalf of itself and its Affiliates, consents to, and agrees and acknowledges that all requirements and conditions for the transactions contemplated by this Agreement, including the transfer of the Contributed Interests and the admission of the Operating Partnership as a partner or member of the Contributed Entity have been satisfied or otherwise waived.

(c) All of the parties hereto agree that, as a result of the assignment and assumptions hereunder and under the RIF Fund Contribution Agreements, for purposes of the Organizational Documents governing the Contributed Entity, the Operating Partnership shall be a substituted general partner, limited partner, manager or member, as the case may be, of the applicable Contributed Entity.

Section 1.02 CONSIDERATION.

(a) At Closing, subject to the terms and conditions contained in this Agreement, each Contributor shall receive cash, OP Units and/or REIT Shares with an aggregate value equal to the Equity Value represented by such Contributor's Contributed Interest (collectively referred to as such Contributor's "Contribution Consideration"). The transfer of OP Units to each Contributor shall be evidenced by an entry to the Register (as defined in the Operating Partnership Agreement), and the transfer of REIT Shares to each Contributor shall be evidenced by the establishment of a credit to a book-entry account at the REIT's transfer agent. Subject to Section 1.03, the amount of cash, number of OP Units and/or REIT Shares comprising the Contribution Consideration attributable to each Contributor shall be as follows:

(i) Cash. If the Contributor is not an Accredited Investor, one hundred percent (100%) of the Allocated Share attributable to such Contributor shall be paid in cash.

(ii) OP Units. If the Contributor is an Accredited Investor, the Elected OP Unit Percentage of the Allocated Share attributable to such Contributor shall be distributed in whole OP Units in the form of a number of OP Units equal to the applicable portion of such Allocated Share divided by the Offering Price; and

(iii) REIT Shares. If the Contributor is an Accredited Investor, the Elected REIT Shares Percentage of the Allocated Share attributable to such Contributor shall be distributed in whole REIT Shares in the form of a number of REIT Shares equal to the applicable portion of such Allocated Share divided by the Offering Price; *provided, that* to the extent such distribution of REIT Shares to such Contributor would result in a

violation of the restrictions on ownership and transfer set forth in Section 6.2.1 of the REIT's charter (the "Ownership Limits"), the Contributor shall receive (x) the maximum number of whole REIT Shares that would not result in such violation of the Ownership Limits, and (y) that number of whole OP Units equal to the remaining number of REIT Shares not distributed as a result of the application of the foregoing clause (x).

(b) At Closing, if a Contributor is to receive OP Units in accordance with the foregoing, such Contributor shall be admitted as a limited partner of the Operating Partnership. By executing and delivering a Consent Form, each Contributor has agreed and accepted all of the terms and conditions of the Operating Partnership Agreement and shall be deemed to have executed and delivered a counterpart signature page to the Operating Partnership Agreement.

Section 1.03 FRACTIONAL INTEREST. No fractional OP Units or REIT Shares shall be issued pursuant to this Agreement or the other Formation Transaction Documentation. All fractional OP Units that a Contributor would otherwise be entitled to receive as a result of the Formation Transactions shall be aggregated, and such Contributor shall receive the number of whole OP Units resulting from such aggregation and, in lieu of any fractional OP Unit resulting from such aggregation, an amount in cash determined by multiplying that fraction of an OP Unit to which the Contributor would otherwise have been entitled, by the Offering Price. All fractional REIT Shares that a Contributor would otherwise be entitled to receive as a result of the Formation Transactions shall be aggregated, and such Contributor shall receive the number of whole REIT Shares resulting from such aggregation and, in lieu of any fractional REIT Share resulting from such aggregation, an amount in cash determined by multiplying that fraction of a REIT Share to which such Contributor would otherwise have been entitled, by the Offering Price. No interest will be paid or will accrue on any cash paid or payable in lieu of any fractional OP Unit or REIT Share.

Section 1.04 FURTHER ACTION. If, at any time after the Closing, the Operating Partnership shall determine or be advised that any deeds, bills of sale, assignments (including any intellectual property assignments), assurances or any other actions or things are necessary or desirable to vest, perfect or confirm of record or otherwise in the Operating Partnership the right, title or interest in or to any Contributed Interests, each Contributor shall execute and deliver all such deeds, bills of sale, assignments (including any intellectual property assignments) and assurances and take and do all such other actions and things as may be necessary or desirable to vest, perfect or confirm any and all right, title and interest in such Contributed Interests or otherwise to carry out this Agreement.

Section 1.05 CALCULATION OF CONTRIBUTION CONSIDERATION. As soon as practicable following the determination of the Offering Price and prior to the Closing, all calculations relating to the Contribution Consideration shall be performed in good faith by, or under the direction of, the REIT and the Operating Partnership, and the parties hereby agree that, absent manifest error, such calculations shall be final and binding upon each Contributor.

ARTICLE II

CLOSING

Section 2.01 CONDITIONS PRECEDENT.

(a) Condition to Each Party's Obligations. The respective obligation of each party to effect the contributions contemplated by this Agreement and to consummate the other transactions contemplated hereby to occur on the Closing Date is subject to the satisfaction or waiver on or prior to the Closing of the following conditions:

(i) Registration Statement. If the REIT undertakes a public Offering, the public Offering registration statement must have been declared effective under the Securities Act and will not be the subject of any stop order or proceedings by the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC") seeking a stop order. This condition may not be waived by any party.

(ii) No Injunction. No Governmental Authority of competent jurisdiction shall have enacted, issued, promulgated, enforced or entered any statute, rule, regulation, executive order, decree, judgment, injunction, stay or other order (whether temporary, preliminary or permanent), in any case which is in effect and which prevents or prohibits consummation of any of the transactions contemplated in this Agreement nor shall any of the same brought by a Governmental Authority of competent jurisdiction be pending or threatened that seeks the foregoing.

(iii) Operating Partnership Agreement. The Operating Partnership Agreement, in substantially the form attached hereto as Exhibit B, shall have been executed and delivered by the partners of the Operating Partnership and shall be in full force and effect and, except as contemplated by Section 2.03 or the other Formation Transaction Documents, shall not have been amended or modified.

(b) Conditions to the Obligations of the Operating Partnership. The obligations of the Operating Partnership to effect the contribution contemplated by this Agreement and to consummate the other transactions contemplated hereby to occur on the Closing Date are further subject to satisfaction of the following conditions (any of which may be waived by the Operating Partnership in whole or in part):

(i) Representations and Warranties. The representations and warranties of each Contributor contained in this Agreement shall be true and correct in all material respects at the Closing as if made again at that time (except to the extent that any representation or warranty speaks as of an earlier date, in which case it must be true and correct only as of that earlier date).

(ii) Performance by each Contributor. Each Contributor shall have performed each of the agreements and covenants required by this Agreement to be performed or complied with by it on or prior to the Closing Date and no Contributor shall have breached any of its covenants contained herein in any material respect.

(iii) Offering Closing. The closing of the Offering shall occur substantially concurrently with the Closing.

(iv) Consents, Etc. All necessary consents and approvals of Governmental Authorities or third parties (including lenders) for each Contributor to consummate the transactions contemplated hereby shall have been obtained.

(v) No Contributor Material Adverse Effect. There shall not have occurred between the date hereof and the Closing Date a Contributor Material Adverse Effect.

(vi) Formation Transactions. The Formation Transactions shall have been or shall be consummated substantially concurrently in accordance with the timing set forth in the respective Formation Transaction Documentation.

(vii) Lock-Up Agreement. If a Contributor is to receive REIT Shares or OP Units, such Contributor shall have entered into the Lock-Up Agreement substantially in the form attached as Exhibit C.

(viii) Tax Matters Agreement. Any Contributor that will receive OP Units in the contribution contemplated by this Agreement and that (1) owns, directly or indirectly, an interest in any Contributed Property specified in the Tax Matters Agreement or (2) has been provided an opportunity to guarantee debt as set forth in the Tax Matters Agreement shall have entered into the Tax Matters Agreement substantially in the form attached as Exhibit D, if applicable.

(c) Conditions to the Obligations of a Contributor. The obligation of a Contributor to effect the contribution contemplated by this Agreement and to consummate the other transactions contemplated hereby to occur on the Closing Date are further subject to satisfaction of the following conditions (any of which may be waived by each Contributor in whole or in part):

(i) Representations and Warranties. Except as would not have an OP Material Adverse Effect, the representations and warranties of the Operating Partnership contained in this Agreement shall be true and correct at the Closing as if made again at that time (except to the extent that any representation or warranty speaks as of an earlier date, in which case it must be true and correct only as of that earlier date).

(ii) Performance by the Operating Partnership. Except as would not have an OP Material Adverse Effect, the Operating Partnership shall have performed all agreements and covenants required by this Agreement to be performed or complied with by it on or prior to the Closing Date.

(iii) Registration Rights Agreement. The REIT shall have entered into the Registration Rights Agreement, substantially in the form attached as Exhibit E hereto. This condition may not be waived by any party hereto.

(iv) Tax Matters Agreement. If a Contributor (1) owns, directly or indirectly, an interest in any Contributed Property specified in the Tax Matters Agreement or (2) has any members that have been provided an opportunity to guarantee debt as set forth in the Tax Matters Agreement, the REIT and the Operating Partnership shall have entered into the Tax Matters Agreement substantially in the form attached as Exhibit D, if applicable.

Section 2.02 TIME AND PLACE. Unless this Agreement shall have been terminated pursuant to Section 2.06, and subject to the satisfaction or waiver of the conditions in Section 2.01, the closing of the contributions contemplated by Section 1.01 and the other transactions contemplated by this Agreement shall occur substantially concurrently with the receipt by the REIT of the proceeds from the Offering from the underwriters (the “Closing” or the “Closing Date”) in the order set forth on Exhibit F. The Closing shall take place at the offices of Latham & Watkins LLP, 355 South Grand Avenue, Los Angeles, California 90071 or such other place as determined by the REIT in its sole discretion.

Section 2.03 DELIVERY OF CONTRIBUTION CONSIDERATION.

(a) Subject to Section 5.03(a), as soon as reasonably practicable after the Closing, the Operating Partnership shall deliver to each Contributor such Contributor’s Contribution Consideration payable in the amounts and form provided in Section 1.02(a). The issuance of any OP Units and admission of the recipients thereof as limited partners of the Operating Partnership pursuant to Section 1.02(b), shall be evidenced by an entry to the Register. Any certificate representing REIT Shares issuable as Contribution Consideration shall bear the following legend:

THE SECURITIES REPRESENTED HEREBY HAVE NOT BEEN REGISTERED UNDER THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933, AS AMENDED (THE “ACT”), OR THE SECURITIES LAWS OF ANY STATE AND MAY NOT BE SOLD, TRANSFERRED OR OTHERWISE DISPOSED OF IN THE ABSENCE OF SUCH REGISTRATION, UNLESS THE TRANSFEROR DELIVERS TO THE CORPORATION AN OPINION OF COUNSEL SATISFACTORY TO THE CORPORATION, TO THE EFFECT THAT THE PROPOSED SALE, TRANSFER OR OTHER DISPOSITION MAY BE EFFECTED WITHOUT REGISTRATION UNDER THE ACT AND UNDER APPLICABLE STATE SECURITIES OR “BLUE SKY” LAWS.

THE SHARES REPRESENTED BY THIS CERTIFICATE ARE SUBJECT TO RESTRICTIONS ON BENEFICIAL AND CONSTRUCTIVE OWNERSHIP AND TRANSFER FOR THE PURPOSE OF THE CORPORATION’S MAINTENANCE OF ITS STATUS AS A REAL ESTATE INVESTMENT TRUST UNDER THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE OF 1986, AS AMENDED (THE “CODE”). SUBJECT TO CERTAIN FURTHER RESTRICTIONS AND EXCEPT AS EXPRESSLY PROVIDED IN THE CORPORATION’S CHARTER, (I) NO PERSON MAY BENEFICIALLY OR

CONSTRUCTIVELY OWN SHARES OF THE CORPORATION'S COMMON STOCK IN EXCESS OF 9.8% (IN VALUE OR NUMBER OF SHARES) OF THE OUTSTANDING SHARES OF COMMON STOCK OF THE CORPORATION UNLESS SUCH PERSON IS AN EXCEPTED HOLDER (IN WHICH CASE THE EXCEPTED HOLDER LIMIT SHALL BE APPLICABLE); (II) NO PERSON MAY BENEFICIALLY OR CONSTRUCTIVELY OWN SHARES OF CAPITAL STOCK OF THE CORPORATION IN EXCESS OF 9.8% OF THE VALUE OF THE TOTAL OUTSTANDING SHARES OF CAPITAL STOCK OF THE CORPORATION, UNLESS SUCH PERSON IS AN EXCEPTED HOLDER (IN WHICH CASE THE EXCEPTED HOLDER LIMIT SHALL BE APPLICABLE); (III) NO PERSON MAY BENEFICIALLY OR CONSTRUCTIVELY OWN CAPITAL STOCK THAT COULD RESULT IN THE CORPORATION BEING "CLOSELY HELD" UNDER SECTION 856(h) OF THE CODE OR OTHERWISE CAUSE THE CORPORATION TO FAIL TO QUALIFY AS A REIT; AND (IV) NO PERSON MAY TRANSFER SHARES OF CAPITAL STOCK IF SUCH TRANSFER WOULD RESULT IN THE CAPITAL STOCK OF THE CORPORATION BEING OWNED BY FEWER THAN 100 PERSONS. ANY PERSON WHO BENEFICIALLY OR CONSTRUCTIVELY OWNS OR ATTEMPTS TO BENEFICIALLY OR CONSTRUCTIVELY OWN SHARES OF CAPITAL STOCK WHICH CAUSES OR MAY CAUSE A PERSON TO BENEFICIALLY OR CONSTRUCTIVELY OWN SHARES OF CAPITAL STOCK IN EXCESS OR IN VIOLATION OF THE ABOVE LIMITATIONS MUST IMMEDIATELY NOTIFY THE CORPORATION OR, IN THE CASE OF SUCH A PROPOSED OR ATTEMPTED TRANSACTION, GIVE AT LEAST 15 DAYS PRIOR WRITTEN NOTICE. IF ANY OF THE RESTRICTIONS ON TRANSFER OR OWNERSHIP SET FORTH IN (I) THROUGH (III) ABOVE ARE VIOLATED, THE SHARES OF CAPITAL STOCK REPRESENTED HEREBY WILL BE AUTOMATICALLY TRANSFERRED TO A TRUSTEE OF A TRUST FOR THE BENEFIT OF ONE OR MORE CHARITABLE BENEFICIARIES. IN ADDITION, THE CORPORATION MAY TAKE OTHER ACTIONS, INCLUDING REDEEMING SHARES UPON THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS SPECIFIED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS IN ITS SOLE AND ABSOLUTE DISCRETION IF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS DETERMINES THAT OWNERSHIP OR A TRANSFER OR OTHER EVENT MAY VIOLATE THE RESTRICTIONS DESCRIBED ABOVE. FURTHERMORE, UPON THE OCCURRENCE OF CERTAIN EVENTS, ATTEMPTED TRANSFERS IN VIOLATION OF THE RESTRICTIONS DESCRIBED ABOVE MAY BE VOID *AB INITIO*. ALL UNDERLINED TERMS IN THIS LEGEND HAVE THE MEANINGS DEFINED IN THE CHARTER OF THE CORPORATION, AS THE SAME MAY BE AMENDED FROM TIME TO TIME, A

COPY OF WHICH, INCLUDING THE RESTRICTIONS ON TRANSFER AND OWNERSHIP, WILL BE FURNISHED TO EACH HOLDER OF CAPITAL STOCK OF THE CORPORATION ON REQUEST AND WITHOUT CHARGE. REQUESTS FOR SUCH A COPY MAY BE DIRECTED TO THE SECRETARY OF THE CORPORATION AT ITS PRINCIPAL OFFICE.

(b) The Operating Partnership (or its successor in interest) shall not be liable to any Contributor for any portion of the Contribution Consideration delivered to a public official pursuant to any applicable abandoned property, escheat or similar Law.

Section 2.04 CLOSING DELIVERIES. At the Closing, the parties shall make, execute, acknowledge and deliver, or cause to be made, executed, acknowledged and delivered (a) an Assignment and Assumption of Membership Interests, and any other documents reasonably requested by the Operating Partnership or reasonably necessary or desirable to assign, transfer, convey, contribute and deliver the Contributed Interests, free and clear of all Liens and to effectuate the transactions contemplated hereby.

Section 2.05 CLOSING COSTS. If the Closing occurs, the REIT and the Operating Partnership shall be solely responsible for all transaction costs and expenses of the REIT, the Operating Partnership and the Rexford Entities in connection with the Formation Transactions and the Offering, which include, but are not limited to, the underwriting discounts and commissions. In the event the Closing does not occur, each party shall be responsible for its own costs and expenses.

Section 2.06 TERM OF THE AGREEMENT. This Agreement shall terminate automatically if the transactions contemplated herein shall not have been consummated on or prior to December 31, 2013 (such date is hereinafter referred to as the "Outside Date").

Section 2.07 EFFECT OF TERMINATION. In the event of termination of this Agreement for any reason, all obligations on the part of the Operating Partnership and each Contributor under this Agreement shall terminate, except that the obligations set forth in Article VI shall survive, it being understood and agreed, however, for the avoidance of doubt, that if this Agreement is terminated because one or more of the conditions to the non-breaching party's obligations under this Agreement are not satisfied by the Outside Date as a result of the other party's material breach of a covenant, representation, warranty or other obligation under this Agreement or any other Formation Transaction Documentation, the non-breaching party's right to pursue all legal remedies with respect to such breach will survive such termination unimpaired.

Section 2.08 TAX WITHHOLDING. The Operating Partnership shall be entitled to deduct and withhold from the consideration payable pursuant to this Agreement such amounts as the Operating Partnership is required to deduct and withhold with respect to the making of such payment under the Code or any provision of state, local or foreign tax law. To the extent that amounts are so withheld by the Operating Partnership, such withheld amounts shall be treated for all purposes of this Agreement as having been paid to the relevant Contributor.

ARTICLE III

REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES OF THE OPERATING PARTNERSHIP

The Operating Partnership hereby represents and warrants to each Contributor as follows:

Section 3.01 ORGANIZATION; AUTHORITY.

(a) The Operating Partnership has been duly formed and is validly existing and in good standing under the Laws of its jurisdiction of formation, and, upon the effectiveness of the Operating Partnership Agreement, will have all requisite power and authority to enter into this Agreement and the other Formation Transaction Documentation and to carry out the transactions contemplated hereby and thereby, and to own, lease and/or operate its property and to carry on its business as presently conducted and, to the extent required under applicable Laws, is qualified to do business and is in good standing in each jurisdiction in which the nature of its business or the character of its property make such qualification necessary, other than such failures to be so qualified as would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have an OP Material Adverse Effect.

(b) Schedule 3.01(b) sets forth as of the date hereof, (i) each Subsidiary of the Operating Partnership (each an “Operating Partnership Subsidiary”), (ii) the ownership interest therein of the Operating Partnership, and (iii) if not wholly owned by the Operating Partnership, the identity and ownership interest of each of the other owners of such Operating Partnership Subsidiary. Each Operating Partnership Subsidiary has been duly organized or formed and is validly existing and is in good standing under the Laws of its jurisdiction of organization or formation, as applicable, has all requisite power and authority to own, lease and/or operate its property and to carry on its business as presently conducted and, to the extent required under applicable Laws, is qualified to do business and is in good standing in each jurisdiction in which the nature of its business or the character of its property make such qualification necessary, other than such failures to be so qualified as would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have an OP Material Adverse Effect.

Section 3.02 DUE AUTHORIZATION. The execution, delivery and performance of this Agreement and the other Formation Transaction Documentation (including each agreement, document and instrument executed and delivered by or on behalf of the Operating Partnership pursuant to this Agreement or the other Formation Transaction Documentation) by the Operating Partnership has been duly and validly authorized by all necessary actions required of the Operating Partnership. This Agreement, the other Formation Transaction Documentation and each agreement, document and instrument executed and delivered by or on behalf of the Operating Partnership pursuant to this Agreement or the other Formation Transaction Documentation constitutes, or when executed and delivered will constitute, the legal, valid and binding obligation of the Operating Partnership, enforceable against the Operating Partnership in accordance with its terms, subject to applicable bankruptcy, insolvency, moratorium or other similar Laws relating to creditors’ rights and general principles of equity.

Section 3.03 CONSENTS AND APPROVALS. Except in connection with the Offering and the consummation of the other Formation Transactions or as shall have been obtained on or prior to the Closing Date, no consent, waiver, approval, authorization, order, license, permit or registration of, qualification, designation, declaration or filing with, any Person or Governmental Authority or under any applicable Laws is required to be obtained by the Operating Partnership in connection with the execution, delivery and performance of this Agreement and the transactions contemplated hereby, except for (a) those consents, waivers, approvals, authorizations, orders, licenses, permits, registrations, qualifications, designations, declarations or filings, the failure of which to obtain or to file would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have an OP Material Adverse Effect, or (b) those consents under the Organizational Documents of the Contributors, the failure of which to obtain would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have an OP Material Adverse Effect.

Section 3.04 NO VIOLATION. None of the execution, delivery or performance of this Agreement, the other Formation Transaction Documentation, any agreement contemplated hereby between the parties to this Agreement and the transactions contemplated hereby between the parties to this Agreement does or will, with or without the giving of notice, lapse of time, or both, violate, conflict with, result in a breach of, or constitute a default under or give to others any right of termination, acceleration, cancellation or other right under, (a) the Organizational Documents of the Operating Partnership, (b) any agreement, document or instrument to which the Operating Partnership or any of its respective assets are bound or (c) any term or provision of any judgment, order, writ, injunction, or decree binding on the Operating Partnership, except for, in the case of clause (b) or (c), any such breaches or defaults that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have an OP Material Adverse Effect.

Section 3.05 VALIDITY OF OP UNITS AND REIT SHARES. Any OP Units to be issued pursuant to this Agreement will have been duly authorized by the Operating Partnership and, when issued against the consideration therefor, will be validly issued, fully paid and non-assessable, free and clear of all Liens created by the Operating Partnership (other than any Liens created by the Amended and Restated Agreement of Limited Partnership of the Operating Partnership (the "Operating Partnership Agreement")). Any REIT Shares to be issued pursuant to this Agreement will have been duly authorized by the REIT and, when issued against the consideration therefor, will be validly issued, fully paid and non-assessable, free and clear of all Liens created by the REIT (other than any Liens created by the charter of the REIT).

Section 3.06 LITIGATION. Except for actions, suits or proceedings covered by policies of insurance, there is no action, suit or proceeding pending or, to the knowledge of the Operating Partnership, threatened against the Operating Partnership or any Operating Partnership Subsidiary, other than actions, suits, proceedings arising in the ordinary course of business from the ownership and operation of the Operating Partnership, that individually or in the aggregate, would not reasonably be expected, (a) if adversely determined, to have an OP Material Adverse Effect, or (b) to challenge or impair the ability of the Operating Partnership to execute or deliver, or materially perform its obligations under, this Agreement and the documents executed by it pursuant to this Agreement or to consummate the transactions contemplated hereby or thereby, to such an extent as would result in an OP Material Adverse Effect.

Section 3.07 OPERATING PARTNERSHIP AGREEMENT. Attached as Exhibit B hereto is a true and correct copy of the Operating Partnership Agreement in substantially final form.

Section 3.08 LIMITED ACTIVITIES. Except for activities in connection with the Offering, the Formation Transactions or in the ordinary course of business, the Operating Partnership and the Operating Partnership Subsidiaries have not engaged in any material business or incurred any material obligations.

Section 3.09 NO BROKER. The Operating Partnership has not entered into, and covenants that it will not enter into, any agreement, arrangement or understanding with any Person or firm which will result in the obligation of any Contributor or any Affiliates thereof to pay any finder's fee, brokerage commission or similar payment in connection with the transaction contemplated by this Agreement (other than underwriting discounts, commissions and other fees and expenses to be paid by the REIT in connection with the Offering and any related financing transactions).

Section 3.10 NO OTHER REPRESENTATIONS OR WARRANTIES. Other than the representations and warranties expressly set forth in this Article III and any other agreement entered into in connection with the Formation Transactions, the Operating Partnership shall not be deemed to have made any other representation or warranty in connection with this Agreement or the transactions contemplated hereby. All representations, warranties and covenants of the Operating Partnership contained in this Agreement shall expire at the Closing.

ARTICLE IV

REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES OF THE CONTRIBUTORS

Except as disclosed in the Offering Document or the schedules attached hereto, each Contributor hereby represents and warrants to the Operating Partnership that as of the Closing Date:

Section 4.01 ORGANIZATION; AUTHORITY.

(a) Such Contributor has been duly formed, is validly existing and in good standing under the Laws of its jurisdiction of formation, and has all requisite power and authority to enter into this Agreement, each agreement contemplated hereby and the other Formation Transaction Documentation to which it is a party (including any agreement, document and instrument executed and delivered by or on behalf of such Contributor pursuant to this Agreement or the other Formation Transaction Documentation) and to carry out the transactions contemplated hereby and thereby, and to carry on its business as presently conducted. Such Contributor, to the extent required under applicable Laws, is qualified to do business and is in good standing in each jurisdiction in which the nature of its business make such qualification necessary, other than such failures to be so qualified as would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Contributor Material Adverse Effect.

(b) The Operating Partnership has been provided complete and accurate copies of Organizational Documents, as amended through the date hereof, and such Organizational Documents are in full force and effect as of the date hereof and have not been further modified or amended.

Section 4.02 DUE AUTHORIZATION. The execution, delivery and performance by such Contributor of this Agreement and the other Formation Transaction Documentation (including any agreement, document and instrument executed and delivered by or on behalf of such Contributor pursuant to this Agreement or the other Formation Transaction Documentation) to which it is a party have been duly and validly authorized by all necessary actions required of such Contributor. This Agreement, the other Formation Transaction Documentation and each agreement, document and instrument executed and delivered by or on behalf of such Contributor pursuant to this Agreement or the other Formation Transaction Documentation constitutes, or when executed and delivered will constitute, the legal, valid and binding obligation of such Contributor, each enforceable against such Contributor in accordance with its terms, subject to applicable bankruptcy, insolvency, moratorium or other similar Laws relating to creditors' rights and general principles of equity.

Section 4.03 OWNERSHIP OF CONTRIBUTED INTERESTS. Such Contributor is the sole record owner of such Contributor's Contributed Interest and has the power and authority to transfer, sell, assign and convey to the Operating Partnership such Contributed Interest free and clear of any Liens and, upon delivery of the consideration for such Contributed Interest as provided herein, the Operating Partnership will acquire good and valid title thereto, free and clear of any Liens (other than those Liens created by the Organizational Documents governing such Contributed Interest). Except as provided for or contemplated by this Agreement or the other applicable Formation Transaction Documentation, there are no rights to purchase, veto rights with respect to transfers, subscriptions, warrants, options, conversion rights, preemptive rights, agreements, instruments or understandings of any kind outstanding (a) relating to such Contributed Interest or (b) to purchase, transfer or to otherwise acquire, or to in any way encumber such Contributed Interest (including, without limitation, any securities or obligations of any kind convertible or exchangeable into any of the interests which comprise Contributed Interests). Except as set forth in the Organizational Documents, such Contributor is not a party to any agreement for the sale of its Contributed Interest or for the grant to any Person of any preferential right to purchase its Contributed Interest.

Section 4.04 CONSENTS AND APPROVALS. Except as shall have been obtained or satisfied on or prior to the Closing Date, no consent, waiver, approval, authorization, order, license, permit or registration of, qualification, designation, declaration or filing with, any Person or any Governmental Authority or under any applicable Laws is required to be obtained by such Contributor in connection with the execution, delivery and performance of this Agreement, the other Formation Transaction Documentation to which such Contributor is a party and the transactions contemplated hereby and thereby, except for those consents, waivers, approvals, authorizations, orders, licenses, permits, registrations, qualifications, designations, declarations or filings, the failure of which to obtain or to file would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Contributor Material Adverse Effect.

Section 4.05 NO VIOLATION. None of the execution, delivery or performance of this Agreement, any agreement contemplated hereby between the parties to this Agreement and the transactions contemplated hereby between the parties to this Agreement does or will, with or without the giving of notice, lapse of time, or both, violate, conflict with, result in a breach of, or constitute a default under or give to others any right of termination, acceleration, cancellation or other right under, (a) the Organizational Documents of such Contributor, (b) any agreement, document or instrument to which such Contributor is a party or by which such Contributor or such Contributor's Contributed Interest is bound or (c) any term or provision of any judgment, order, writ, injunction, or decree binding on such Contributor (or its assets or properties), except for, in the case of clause (b) or (c), any such breaches or defaults that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Contributor Material Adverse Effect.

Section 4.06 OMITTED.

Section 4.07 COMPLIANCE WITH LAWS. The Contributor has conducted its business in compliance with all applicable Laws, except for such failures that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Contributor Material Adverse Effect. Neither such Contributor nor, to the knowledge of such Contributor, any third party, is in violation of any law or has been informed in writing of any continuing violation of any such Laws or that any investigation has been commenced and is continuing or is contemplated respecting any such possible violation, except in each case for violations that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Contributor Material Adverse Effect. There has not been committed by the Contributor, or to the knowledge of the Contributor, any other Person in occupancy of or involved with the operation or use of the Properties any act or omission affording the federal government or any other Governmental Authority the right of forfeiture as against any Property or any part thereof.

Section 4.08 OMITTED.

Section 4.09 OMITTED.

Section 4.10 OMITTED.

Section 4.11 OMITTED.

Section 4.12 OMITTED.

Section 4.13 OMITTED.

Section 4.14 OMITTED.

Section 4.15 LITIGATION. Except for actions, suits or proceedings fully covered by policies of insurance there is no action, suit or proceeding pending or, to the knowledge of such Contributor, threatened against or affecting such Contributor or such Contributor's Contributed Interest, or any officer, director, principal, managing member, general partner or Affiliate of any of the foregoing other than actions, suits or proceedings arising in the ordinary course of business from the ownership and operation which, if adversely determined, would not have a Contributor Material Adverse Effect. There is no action, suit, or proceeding pending or, to the knowledge of such Contributor, threatened against or affecting such Contributor or such Contributor's Contributed Interests or any officer, director, principal, managing member, general partner or Affiliate of any of the foregoing, which challenges or impairs the ability of such Contributor to

execute or deliver, or perform its obligations under this Agreement or any Formation Transaction Documentation or any other documents to be executed by it pursuant to this Agreement or any Formation Transaction Documentation or to consummate the transactions contemplated hereby or thereby. Except for matters fully covered by insurance, there is no judgment, decree, injunction, rule or order of a Governmental Authority outstanding against such Contributor or any officer, director, principal, managing member or general partner of any of the foregoing in their capacity as such, or which would reasonably be expected to have a Contributor Material Adverse Effect. None of the Contributor or any officer, director, principal, managing member, general partner or Affiliate of any of the foregoing has received any written notice of any pending or threatened proceedings for the rezoning (i.e., as opposed to the current zoning) of any Property or any portion thereof which would impair the current or proposed use thereof in a manner that would result in a Contributor Material Adverse Effect.

Section 4.16 INSOLVENCY. No attachments, execution proceedings, assignments for the benefit of creditors, insolvency, bankruptcy, reorganization or other proceedings are pending or, to such Contributor's knowledge, threatened against such Contributor, the Contributed Entity or any Contributed Property, nor are any such proceedings contemplated by such Contributor.

Section 4.17 SECURITIES LAW MATTERS. Such Contributor acknowledges that: (i) the REIT and Operating Partnership intend the offer and issuance of any REIT Shares or OP Units to such Contributor to be exempt from registration under the Securities Act and applicable state securities laws by virtue of the status of such Contributor as an "accredited investor" (within the meaning of Rule 501(a) of Regulation D under the Securities Act) acquiring any REIT Shares or OP Units in a transaction exempt from registration pursuant to Rule 506 of Regulation D under the Securities Act, and (ii) in issuing any REIT Shares or OP Units pursuant to the terms of this Agreement, the REIT and Operating Partnership are relying on the representations made by such Contributor electing to receive REIT Shares or OP Units as consideration in the Contribution, which representations were set forth in Appendix C to the Request for Consent – Accredited Investor Representations Letter.

Section 4.18 NO BROKER. Such Contributor has not entered into, and it covenants that it will not enter into, any agreement, arrangement or understanding with any Person or firm which will result in the obligation of the REIT or any Affiliate to pay any finder's fee, brokerage commission or similar payment in connection with the transaction contemplated by this Agreement (other than underwriting discounts, commissions and other fees and expenses to be paid by the REIT in connection with the Offering and any related financing transactions).

Section 4.19 OMITTED.

Section 4.20 EMPLOYEES. Neither the Contributor nor the Contributed Entity has or has ever had any employees.

Section 4.21 NO OTHER REPRESENTATIONS OR WARRANTIES. Other than the representations and warranties expressly set forth in this Article IV and any other agreement entered into by such Contributor in connection with the Formation Transactions, no Contributor shall be deemed to have made any other representation or warranty in connection with this Agreement or the transactions contemplated hereby.

Section 4.22 SURVIVAL OF REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES. The parties hereto agree and acknowledge that the representations and warranties set forth in this Article IV (other than Section 4.01, Section 4.02, Section 4.03, and Section 4.17) shall not survive the Closing.

ARTICLE V

COVENANTS AND OTHER AGREEMENTS

Section 5.01 PRE-CLOSING COVENANTS. During the period from the date hereof to the Closing Date (except as otherwise provided for or contemplated by this Agreement or in connection with the Formation Transactions), each Contributor shall use commercially reasonable efforts to conduct its businesses in the ordinary course of business consistent with past practice, pay its debt obligations as they become due and payable, and use commercially reasonable efforts to preserve intact its current business organizations and preserve its relationships with customers, tenants, suppliers, advertisers and others having business dealings with it, in each case consistent with past practice. In addition, and without limiting the generality of the foregoing, during the period from the date hereof to the Closing Date and except in connection with the Formation Transactions, no Contributor shall without the prior written consent of the REIT, which consent may be withheld by the REIT in its sole discretion:

- (a) issue, deliver, sell, transfer, dispose, mortgage, pledge, assign or otherwise encumber, or cause the issuance, delivery, sale, transfer, disposition, mortgage, pledge, assignment or otherwise encumbrance the Contributed Interests;
- (b) cause or permit the Contributed Entity to adopt a plan of liquidation, dissolution, merger, consolidation, restructuring, recapitalization or reorganization;
- (c) knowingly cause or permit the Contributed Entity to violate, or fail to use commercially reasonable efforts to cure any violation of, any applicable Laws;
- (d) take any action or fail to take any action the result of which would have a Contributor Material Adverse Effect; or
- (e) authorize, commit or agree to take any of the foregoing actions.

Section 5.02 COMMERCIALY REASONABLE EFFORTS BY THE OPERATING PARTNERSHIP AND THE CONTRIBUTOR. Each of the Operating Partnership and each Contributor shall use commercially reasonable efforts and cooperate with each other in (a) promptly determining whether any filings are required to be made or consents, approvals, waivers, permits or authorizations are required to be obtained (under any applicable Law or regulation or from any Governmental Authority or third party) in connection with the transactions contemplated by this Agreement, and (b) promptly making (or causing to be made) any such filings, in furnishing information required in connection therewith and in timely seeking to obtain any such consents, approvals, waivers, permits and authorizations.

Section 5.03 TAX MATTERS.

(a) So long as some portion of the Contribution Consideration is in the form of OP Units, the parties hereto intend and agree that, for United States federal income tax purposes, the transactions contemplated by this Agreement shall constitute an “assets-over” partnership merger within the meaning of Treasury Regulations Section 1.708-1(c)(3)(i) pursuant to which the Contributed Entity contributes all of its assets and liabilities to the Operating Partnership in exchange for OP Units in a transaction qualifying under Section 721(a) of the Code and immediately thereafter, the Contributed Entity distributes such OP Units to the Contributors. As a result, (i) in accordance with Treasury Regulations Section 1.708-1(c)(4), any payment of cash (including cash in lieu of fractional OP Units or REIT Shares) or REIT Shares attributable to a Contributor shall be treated as a sale by such Contributor of its interests in the Contributed Entity and a purchase of such interests by the Operating Partnership for the cash and/or REIT Shares so paid under the terms of this Agreement, and (ii) each Contributor who receives cash (including cash in lieu of fractional OP Units or REIT Shares) and/or REIT Shares explicitly agrees and consents (the “Sale Consent”) to such treatment for United States federal income tax purposes. To the extent the Operating Partnership acquires any interests in the Contributed Entity as described in clause (i) above, or otherwise previously acquired any such interests, for United States federal income tax purposes the receipt by the Operating Partnership of the portion of property attributable to such interests shall be treated as a distribution by the Contributed Entity in redemption of such interests. Notwithstanding Section 1.02 and any Contributor’s election as to the form of its Contribution Consideration, if any Contributor (other than a non-Accredited Investor), fails to execute a Sale Consent prior to the Closing, such Contributor’s Contribution Consideration shall consist solely of OP Units. Notwithstanding Sections 1.03 and 2.03(a), any cash paid as the Contribution Consideration shall be paid only after the receipt of a Sale Consent from such Contributor.

(b) All transfer, stamp, documentary, sales, use, registration, value-added and other similar Taxes (including all applicable real estate transfer Taxes) incurred in connection with this Agreement and the transactions contemplated hereby (“Transfer Taxes”) will be borne by the Operating Partnership. The parties agree, upon request, to use commercially reasonable efforts to obtain any certificate or other document from any Governmental Authority or any other Person as may be necessary to mitigate, reduce or eliminate any Transfer Taxes that could be imposed in connection with the transactions contemplated hereby.

(c) The REIT, the Operating Partnership and each Contributor shall cooperate fully, as and to the extent reasonably requested by the other party, in connection with the filing of Tax Returns related to the transactions pursuant to this Agreement and any audit, litigation or administrative, judicial or other inquiry or proceeding with respect to Taxes related to the transactions pursuant to this Agreement. Such cooperation shall include the retention and (upon the other party’s request) the provision of records and information which are reasonably relevant to any such action or other proceeding and making employees available on a mutually convenient basis to provide additional information and explanation of any material provided hereunder. The REIT, the Operating Partnership and each Contributor further agree, upon request, to use their reasonable efforts to obtain any certificate or other document from any governmental authority or any other Person as may be necessary to mitigate, reduce or eliminate any Tax that could be imposed with respect to the transactions contemplated hereby.

(d) Prior to Closing, each Contributor shall deliver to the Operating Partnership a properly executed certificate prepared in accordance with Treasury regulations section 1.1445-2(b) certifying such Contributor's non-foreign status, and if requested by the Operating Partnership, and any similar withholding certificates or other forms under applicable state, local or foreign Tax laws.

(e) The REIT and the Operating Partnership make no representations or warranties to any Contributor regarding the Tax treatment of the contributions pursuant to this Agreement or of the other Formation Transactions, or with respect to any other Tax consequences to any Contributor of this Agreement or the other Formation Transactions. Each Contributor acknowledges that such Contributor is relying solely on its own Tax advisors in connection with this Agreement and the other Formation Transactions.

Section 5.04 CONSENT AND WAIVER OF RIGHTS UNDER ORGANIZATIONAL DOCUMENTS. As of the Closing, each Contributor waives and relinquishes all rights and benefits otherwise afforded to such Contributor (a) under the Organizational Documents governing the Contributed Interests including, without limitation, any rights of appraisal, rights of first offer or first refusal, buy/sell agreements, put, option, or similar parallel exit or dissenter rights in connection with the Formation Transactions and the Offering, and any right to consent to or approve of the sale or contribution or other transaction undertaken by the other holders of interests similar to the Contributed Interests of such interests to the Operating Partnership, the REIT or any Affiliate thereof and any and all notice provisions related thereto, (b) to the extent permissible under applicable Laws, any statutory rights with respect to the Contributed Interests and (c) for claims against the REIT or the Operating Partnership for breach by any of their respective present or former officers, directors, managing members, general partners or Affiliates of their fiduciary duties or similar obligations (including duties of disclosure) to any of their respective present or former shareholders, members, partners, equity interest holders or Affiliates or the terms of any applicable Organizational Documents. Each Contributor acknowledges that the agreements contained herein and the transactions contemplated hereby and any actions taken in contemplation of the transactions contemplated hereby may conflict with, and may not have been contemplated by, the Organizational Documents governing the Contributed Interests. With respect to the entity to which the Contributed Interests relate, each Contributor expressly gives all consents (and any consents necessary to authorize the proper parties in interest to give all consents) and waivers it is entitled to give that are necessary or desirable to facilitate the contribution or other Formation Transactions relating to such entity. In addition, each Contributor agrees that if the transactions contemplated hereby occur, this Agreement shall be deemed to be an amendment to the Organizational Documents governing the Contributed Interests to the extent the terms herein conflict with the terms thereof, including without limitation, terms with respect to allocations, distributions and the like. In the event the transactions contemplated by this Agreement do not occur, nothing in this Agreement shall be deemed to be or construed as an amendment or modification of, or commitment of any kind to amend or modify, the Organizational Documents governing the Contributed Interests, which shall remain in full force and effect without modification.

Section 5.05 EXCLUDED ASSETS. Prior to the Closing and after such amounts are reasonably determined, the Contributed Entity shall distribute or cause to be distributed or paid out the Excluded Assets identified on Schedule 5.05.

Section 5.06 OMITTED.

Section 5.07 ELIMINATED ASSETS. The parties hereby agree that the Operating Partnership shall have the right, in its sole discretion, to exclude any Contributed Interests (or any interest therein or portion thereof) (the "Eliminated Assets"), from this contribution after the date hereof until the Closing, provided that the Operating Partnership shall provide prior written notice to the affected Contributor regarding such exclusion.

ARTICLE VI

GENERAL PROVISIONS

Section 6.01 NOTICES. All notices and other communications under this Agreement shall be in writing and shall be deemed given when (a) delivered personally, (b) five (5) Business Days after being mailed by certified mail, return receipt requested and postage prepaid, (c) one (1) Business Day after being sent by a nationally recognized overnight courier or (d) transmitted by facsimile if confirmed within twenty-four (24) hours thereafter by a signed original sent in the manner provided in clause (a), (b) or (c) to the parties at the following addresses (or at such other address for a party as shall be specified by notice from such party):

- (a) if to the REIT or the Operating Partnership, to:

Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc.
11620 Wilshire Boulevard, Suite 300
Los Angeles, CA 90025
Facsimile: (310) 966-1690
Attention: Howard Schwimmer and Michael S. Frankel

(b) if to a Contributor, to the address or facsimile number of such Contributor on file with the REIT or its Affiliate or to such other address or facsimile number as such Contributor shall specify by written notice.

Section 6.02 DEFINITIONS. For purposes of this Agreement, the following terms shall have the following meanings.

- (a) "Accredited Investor" has the meaning set forth under Regulation D of the Securities Act.

(b) "Affiliate" means, with respect to any Person, a Person that, directly or indirectly, through one or more intermediaries, controls, is controlled by, or is under common control with the specified Person. For the purposes of this definition, "control" (including, with correlative meanings, the terms "controlled by" and "under common control with") as used with respect to any Person, shall mean the possession, directly or indirectly, of the power to direct or cause the direction of the management or policies of such Person, whether through the ownership of voting securities, by agreement or otherwise.

(c) “Allocated Share” means an amount of Contribution Consideration that would be distributed to a Contributor as a Pre-Formation Participant in accordance with the provisions of the Organizational Documents relating to distributions of distributable net proceeds from sales of directly or indirectly owned properties or assets, and assuming the sale of the relevant Target Asset or Target Assets that are directly or indirectly owned by such entity for a value equal to such Target Asset’s or Target Assets’ respective Equity Value(s).

(d) “Assignment and Assumption of Membership Interests” means that certain Assignment and Assumption of Membership Interests, dated as of the Closing Date and executed by the parties thereto, substantially in the form attached hereto as Exhibit G.

(e) “Business Day” means any day that is not a Saturday, Sunday or legal holiday in the State of California.

(f) “Code” means the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, together with the rules and regulations promulgated or issued thereunder.

(g) “Consent Form” means the form provided to each holder of Pre-Formation Interests to consent to the Formation Transactions and to make such holder’s irrevocable elections with respect to consideration to be received by such holder in the Formation Transactions.

(h) “Contributor Material Adverse Effect” means any material adverse change in the assets, business, condition (financial or otherwise), results of operation or prospects of the Contributor, the Contributed Entity or Contributed Property, taken as a whole.

(i) “Elected OP Unit Percentage” means, with respect to the Contribution Consideration to be received by a Contributor, the percentage of the Allocated Share that such Contributor has made a Valid Election to receive in the form of OP Units.

(j) “Elected REIT Share Percentage” means, with respect to the Contribution Consideration to be received by a Contributor, the percentage of the Allocated Share that such Contributor has made a Valid Election to receive in the form of REIT Shares.

(k) “Entity Specific Debt” has the meaning set forth in Schedule 6.02(c) hereto.

(l) “Equity Value” has the meaning set forth in Schedule 6.02(c) hereto.

(m) “Excluded Assets” means (i) the assets identified on Schedule 5.05 and (ii) any interest excluded from the contribution hereunder in accordance with Section 5.07.

(n) “Formation Transaction Documentation” means all of the agreements (including this Agreement) and related documents substantially in the forms accompanying the Request for Consent dated February 22, 2013 and identified in Exhibit H hereto, pursuant to which all of the Rexford Entities and/or the Pre-Formation Interests are to be acquired by the REIT or the Operating Partnership, directly or indirectly, as part of the Formation Transactions.

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- (o) “Formation Transactions” means the transactions contemplated by this Agreement and the other Formation Transaction Documentation.
- (p) “Fund V Subsequent Investment Amount” has the meaning set forth in Schedule 6.02(c) hereto.
- (q) “Governmental Authority” means any government or agency, bureau, board, commission, court, department, official, political subdivision, tribunal or other instrumentality of any government, whether federal, state or local, domestic or foreign.
- (r) “Interim Period” has the meaning set forth in Schedule 6.02(c) hereto.
- (s) “Laws” means laws, statutes, rules, regulations, codes, orders, ordinances, judgments, injunctions, decrees and policies of any Governmental Authority, including, without limitation, zoning, land use or other similar rules or ordinances.
- (t) “Liens” means all pledges, claims, liens, charges, restrictions, controls, easements, rights of way, exceptions, reservations, leases, licenses, grants, covenants and conditions, encumbrances and security interests of any kind or nature whatsoever.
- (u) “Lock-Up Agreement” means that certain Lock-Up Agreement, by and between the underwriters and each investor of the REIT and/or the Operating Partnership.
- (v) “Management Companies” means, collectively RIF V Manager, Sponsor, and RI LLC.
- (w) “Offering Closing Date” means the closing date of the Offering.
- (x) “Offering Document” means either (i) in the event the REIT undertakes a public Offering, the REIT’s final prospectus as filed with the SEC; or (ii) in the event the REIT undertakes a private Offering, the REIT’s final offering memorandum (together with any supplements and amendments thereto) used in the Offering.
- (y) “Offering Price” means the initial offering price of a REIT Share in the Offering.
- (z) “OP Material Adverse Effect” means any material adverse change in any of the assets, business, condition (financial or otherwise), results of operation or prospects of the Operating Partnership and each Operating Partnership Subsidiary, taken as a whole.
- (aa) “Organizational Documents” means the certificate of formation, certificate of incorporation and bylaws, certificate of limited partnership and limited partnership agreement, limited liability company agreement or operating agreement, of a Contributor or governing the Contributed Interests.

(bb) "Permitted Liens" means (i) Liens, or deposits made to secure the release of such Liens, securing Taxes, the payment of which is not delinquent or the payment of which (including, without limitation, the amount or validity thereof) is being contested in good faith by appropriate proceedings for which adequate reserves have been made in accordance with GAAP; (ii) zoning, entitlement, building and other land use Laws imposed by Governmental Authorities having jurisdiction over the Contributed Property; (iii) covenants, conditions, restrictions, easements for public utilities, encroachments, rights of access or other non-monetary matters that do not materially impair the use of the Contributed Property for the purposes for which they are currently being used or proposed to be used in connection with the relevant Person's business; (iv) Liens securing financing or credit arrangements existing as of the Closing Date; (v) Liens arising under Leases in effect as of the Closing Date; (vi) any exceptions contained in any title policy (including any policy issued to a secured lender) relating to the Contributed Property as of the Closing Date; and (vii) mechanics', carriers', workers', repairers' and similar Liens arising or incurred in the ordinary course of business that are not yet due and payable or the payment of which (including, without limitation, the amount or validity thereof) is being contested in good faith by appropriate proceedings for which adequate reserves have been made in accordance with GAAP, and which are not, in the aggregate, material to the business, operations and financial condition of the Contributed Property so encumbered.

(cc) "Person" means an individual, corporation, partnership, limited liability company, joint venture, association, trust, unincorporated organization or other entity.

(dd) "Pre-Formation Interests" means the equity interests directly or indirectly held by the Pre-Formation Participants in the Rexford Entities and in the "Rexford Properties" as defined in that certain Confidential Request for Consent and Investment Election dated February 22, 2013.

(ee) "Pre-Formation Participants" means the holders of the equity interests in the relevant RIF Fund Entity and the Management Companies immediately prior to the Formation Transactions, and shall include any other Person contributing any interest or property to the REIT, the Operating Partnership or any Subsidiary thereof in the Formation Transactions.

(ff) "Property" means the real property owned directly or indirectly, in whole or in part, by the Rexford Entities.

(gg) "Registration Rights Agreement" means that certain Registration Rights Agreement, by and among the REIT, the Operating Partnership and the parties identified as a signatory on Schedule A thereto.

(hh) "Rexford Entity" means a RIF Fund Entity, the Management Companies and each of their respective Subsidiaries, as applicable. As used herein, "Rexford Entities" refer to each Rexford Entity, collectively.

(ii) "Securities Act" means the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder.

(jj) "Subsidiary" of any Person means any corporation, partnership, limited liability company, joint venture, trust or other legal entity of which such Person owns (either directly or through or together with another Subsidiary of such Person) either (i) a general partner, managing member or other similar interest, or (ii) (A) ten percent (10%) or more of the voting power of the voting capital stock or other equity interests, or (B) ten percent (10%) or more of the outstanding voting capital stock or other voting equity interests of such corporation, partnership, limited liability company, joint venture or other legal entity.

(kk) “Target Asset” has the meaning set forth in Schedule 6.02(c), hereto.

(ll) “Tax” means all federal, state, local and foreign income, gross receipts, license, property, withholding, sales, franchise, employment, payroll, goods and services, stamp, environmental, customs duties, capital stock, social security, transfer, alternative minimum, excise and other taxes, tariffs or governmental charges of any nature whatsoever, including estimated taxes, together with penalties, interest or additions to Tax with respect thereto, whether or not disputed.

(mm) “Tax Matters Agreement” means that certain Tax Matters Agreement, by and among the REIT, the Operating Partnership and the other parties identified as signatories therein.

(nn) “Tax Return” means any return, declaration, report, claim for refund, or information return or statement relating to Taxes, including any schedule or attachment thereto, and including any amendment thereof.

(oo) “Valid Election” means, with respect to a Contributor, an irrevocable election to receive all or a portion of its Allocated Share in the form of OP Units or REIT Shares as indicated on the properly completed and timely received Consent Form of such Contributor or a Consent Form as to which any deficiencies have been waived by the REIT.

Section 6.03 COUNTERPARTS. This Agreement may be executed in counterparts, all of which shall be considered one and the same agreement and shall become effective when one or more counterparts have been signed by each party and delivered to each other party.

Section 6.04 ENTIRE AGREEMENT; THIRD-PARTY BENEFICIARIES. This Agreement, the other Formation Transaction Documentation and the Consent Form to which a Contributor is a party, including, without limitation, the exhibits and schedules hereto and thereto, constitute the entire agreement and, except as set forth in Section 2.05, supersede each prior agreement and understanding, whether written or oral, among the parties regarding the subject matter of this Agreement. This Agreement is not intended to confer any rights or remedies on any Person other than the parties hereto.

Section 6.05 GOVERNING LAW. This Agreement shall be governed by, and construed in accordance with, the Laws of the State of California, regardless of any Laws that might otherwise govern under applicable principles of conflicts of laws thereof.

Section 6.06 ASSIGNMENT. This Agreement shall be binding upon, and shall be enforceable by and inure to the benefit of, the parties hereto and their respective heirs, legal representatives, successors and assigns; *provided, however*, that this Agreement may not be assigned (except by operation of law) by any party without the prior written consent of the other parties, and any attempted assignment without such consent shall be null and void and of no force and effect, except that the Operating Partnership may assign its rights and obligations hereunder to an Affiliate.

Section 6.07 JURISDICTION. The parties hereto hereby (a) submit to the exclusive jurisdiction of any state or federal court sitting in the County of Los Angeles, with respect to any dispute arising out of this Agreement or any transaction contemplated hereby to the extent such courts would have subject matter jurisdiction with respect to such dispute and (b) irrevocably waive, and agree not to assert by way of motion, defense, or otherwise, in any such action, any claim that it is not subject personally to the jurisdiction of the above-named courts, that its property is exempt or immune from attachment or execution, that the action is brought in an inconvenient forum, or that the venue of the action is improper.

Section 6.08 DISPUTE RESOLUTION. The parties intend that this Section 6.08 will be valid, binding, enforceable, exclusive and irrevocable and that it shall survive any termination of this Agreement.

(a) Upon any dispute, controversy or claim arising out of or relating to this Agreement or the enforcement, breach, termination or validity thereof (“Dispute”), the party raising the Dispute will give written notice to the other parties to the Dispute describing the nature of the Dispute following which the parties to such Dispute shall attempt for a period of ten (10) Business Days from receipt by the parties of notice of such Dispute to resolve such Dispute by negotiation between representatives of the parties hereto who have authority to settle such Dispute. All such negotiations shall be confidential and any statements or offers made therein shall be treated as compromise and settlement negotiations for purposes of any applicable rules of evidence and shall not be admissible as evidence in any subsequent proceeding for any purpose. The statute of limitations applicable to the commencement of a lawsuit shall apply to the commencement of an arbitration hereunder, except that no defense based on the running of the statute of limitations will be available based upon the passage of time during any such negotiation. Regardless of the foregoing, a party shall have the right to seek immediate injunctive relief pursuant to Section 6.08(c), below without regard to any such ten (10) Business Day negotiation period.

(b) Any Dispute (including the determination of the scope or applicability of this agreement to arbitrate) that is not resolved pursuant to Section 6.08(a) above shall be submitted to final and binding arbitration in California before one neutral and impartial arbitrator, in accordance with the Laws of the State of California for agreements made in and to be performed in that State. The arbitration shall be administered by JAMS, Inc. (“JAMS”) pursuant to its Comprehensive Arbitration Rules and Procedures, as in effect on the date hereof. Each of the REIT and the Operating Partnership, on the one hand, and the Contributors party to the Dispute, on the other hand, shall appoint one arbitrator within fifteen (15) days of a demand for arbitration. If the REIT and the Operating Partnership and the Contributors cannot mutually agree upon an arbitrator within such 15-day period, the arbitrator shall be appointed by JAMS in accordance with its Comprehensive Arbitration Rules and Procedures, as in effect on the date hereof. The arbitrator shall designate the place and time of the hearing. The hearing shall be scheduled to begin as soon as practicable and no later than sixty (60) days after the appointment of the arbitrator (unless such period is extended by the arbitrator for good cause shown) and shall be conducted as expeditiously as possible. The award, which shall set forth the arbitrator’s

findings of fact and conclusions of law, shall be filed with JAMS and mailed to the parties no later than thirty (30) days after the close of the arbitration hearing. The arbitration award shall be final and binding on the parties and not subject to collateral attack. Judgment upon the arbitration award may be entered in any federal or state court having jurisdiction thereof.

(c) Notwithstanding the parties' agreement to submit all Disputes to final and binding arbitration before JAMS, the parties shall have the right to seek and obtain temporary or preliminary injunctive relief in any court having jurisdiction thereof. Such courts shall have authority to, among other things, grant temporary or provisional injunctive relief in order to protect any party's rights under this Agreement. Without prejudice to such provisional remedies as may be available under the jurisdiction of a court, the arbitral tribunal shall have full authority to grant provisional remedies and to direct the parties to request that any court modify or vacate any temporary or preliminary relief issued by such court, and to award damages for the failure of any party to respect the arbitral tribunal's orders to that effect.

(d) The prevailing party shall be entitled to recover its costs and reasonable attorneys' fees, and the non-prevailing party shall pay all expenses and fees of JAMS, all costs of the stenographic record, all expenses of witnesses or proofs that may have been produced at the direction of the arbitrator, and the fees, costs, and expenses of the arbitrator. The arbitrator shall allocate such costs and designate the prevailing party or parties for these purposes.

Section 6.09 SEVERABILITY. Each provision of this Agreement will be interpreted so as to be effective and valid under applicable Law, but if any provision is held invalid, illegal or unenforceable under applicable Law in any jurisdiction, then such invalidity, illegality or unenforceability will not affect any other provision, and this Agreement will be reformed, construed and enforced in such jurisdiction as if such invalid, illegal or unenforceable provision had never been included herein.

Section 6.10 RULES OF CONSTRUCTION.

(a) The parties hereto agree that they have had the opportunity to be represented by counsel during the negotiation, preparation and execution of this Agreement and, therefore, waive the application of any Law, regulation, holding or rule of construction providing that ambiguities in an agreement or other document will be construed against the party drafting such agreement or document.

(b) The words "hereof," "herein" and "herewith" and words of similar import shall, unless otherwise stated, be construed to refer to this Agreement as a whole and not to any particular provision of this Agreement, and article, section, paragraph, exhibit and schedule references are to the articles, sections, paragraphs, exhibits and schedules of this Agreement unless otherwise specified. Whenever the words "include," "includes" or "including" are used in this Agreement, they shall be deemed to be followed by the words "without limitation." All terms defined in this Agreement shall have the defined meanings contained herein when used in any certificate or other document made or delivered pursuant hereto unless otherwise defined therein. The definitions contained in this Agreement are applicable to the singular as well as the plural forms of such terms and to the masculine as well as to the feminine and neuter genders of such terms. Unless explicitly stated otherwise herein, any agreement, instrument or statute

defined or referred to herein or in any agreement or instrument that is referred to herein means such agreement, instrument or statute as from time to time, amended, qualified or supplemented, including (in the case of agreements and instruments) by waiver or consent and (in the case of statutes) by succession of comparable successor statutes and all attachments thereto and instruments incorporated therein. References to a Person are also to its permitted successors and assigns.

Section 6.11 EQUITABLE REMEDIES. The parties agree that irreparable damage would occur to the Operating Partnership in the event that any of the provisions of this Agreement were not performed in accordance with their specific terms or were otherwise breached. It is accordingly agreed that the Operating Partnership shall be entitled to an injunction or injunctions to prevent breaches of this Agreement by a Contributor and to enforce specifically the terms and provisions hereof in any federal or state court located in California, this being in addition to any other remedy to which the Operating Partnership is entitled under this Agreement or otherwise at law or in equity.

Section 6.12 TIME OF THE ESSENCE. Time is of the essence with respect to all obligations under this Agreement.

Section 6.13 DESCRIPTIVE HEADINGS. The descriptive headings herein are inserted for convenience only and are not intended to be part of or to affect the meaning or interpretation of this Agreement.

Section 6.14 NO PERSONAL LIABILITY CONFERRED. This Agreement shall not create or permit any personal liability or obligation on the part of any officer, director, partner, employee or shareholder of the Operating Partnership or any Contributor.

Section 6.15 OMITTED.

Section 6.16 WAIVER OF SECTION 1542 PROTECTIONS. As of the Closing Date, each of the parties hereto expressly acknowledges that it has had, or has had and waived, the opportunity to be advised by independent legal counsel and hereby waives and relinquishes all rights and benefits afforded by Section 1542 of the California Civil Code and does so understanding and acknowledging the significance and consequence of such specific waiver of Section 1542 which provides:

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

Section 6.17 AMENDMENTS. This Agreement may be amended by appropriate instrument, without the consent of any Contributor, at any time prior to the Closing Date; *provided*, that no such amendment, modification or supplement shall be made that alters the amount or changes the form of the consideration to be delivered to a Contributor, without the prior written consent of such Contributor.

[SIGNATURE PAGES FOLLOW]

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have caused this Agreement to be signed by their respective duly authorized officers or representatives, all as of the date first written above.

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, L.P.,
a Maryland limited partnership

By: REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, INC.,
a Maryland corporation
Its: General Partner

By: /s/ Howard Schwimmer
Name: Howard Schwimmer
Title: Co-Chief Executive Officer

By: /s/ Michael Frankel
Name: Michael S. Frankel
Title: Co-Chief Executive Officer

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, INC.,
a Maryland corporation

By: /s/ Howard Schwimmer
Name: Howard Schwimmer
Title: Co-Chief Executive Officer

By: /s/ Michael Frankel
Name: Michael S. Frankel
Title: Co-Chief Executive Officer

[Signature Page to RBCF Contribution Agreement]

CONTRIBUTORS:

CONTRIBUTORS NAMED ON SCHEDULE I HERETO

By: REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, INC.,
a Maryland corporation
as attorney-in-fact acting on behalf of the Contributors named on
Schedule I hereto

By: /s/ Howard Schwimmer
Name: Howard Schwimmer
Title : Co-Chief Executive Officer

By: /s/ Michael Frankel
Name: Michael S. Frankel
Title : Co-Chief Executive Officer

[Signature Page to RBCF Contribution Agreement]

CONTRIBUTION AGREEMENT

by and among

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, L.P.,

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, INC.,

and

CHRISTOPHER R. BAER

Dated as of July 24, 2013

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CONTRIBUTION AGREEMENT

THIS CONTRIBUTION AGREEMENT is made and entered into as of July 24, 2013 (this "Agreement"), by and among Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc., a Maryland corporation (the "REIT"), Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P., a Maryland limited partnership (the "Operating Partnership") and a subsidiary of the REIT, and Christopher R. Baer, a natural person (the "Contributor"). Certain capitalized terms are defined in Section 6.02 of this Agreement.

RECITALS

WHEREAS, the REIT desires to consolidate the ownership of a portfolio of properties currently owned, directly or indirectly, by certain entities each as described on Exhibit A hereto;

WHEREAS, concurrently with the execution of this Agreement, Rexford Industrial Fund V REIT, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company ("RIF V REIT"), will enter into an agreement and plan of merger with the REIT pursuant to which RIF V REIT will merge with and into the REIT and the equity interest in RIF V REIT will be converted automatically into the right to receive cash, without interest, or shares of common stock of the REIT, par value \$.01 per share ("REIT Shares");

WHEREAS, concurrently with the execution of this Agreement, Rexford Industrial Fund V, LP, a Delaware limited partnership ("RIF V Fund"), will enter into an agreement and plan of merger with the Operating Partnership pursuant to which RIF V Fund will merge with and into the Operating Partnership and the partnership interests in RIF V Fund will be (a) converted automatically into the right to receive cash, without interest, REIT Shares and/or common units of partnership interest in the Operating Partnership ("OP Units") and (b) in the case of the partnership interests in RIF V Fund held by RIF V Manager or the REIT, cancelled;

WHEREAS, concurrently with the execution of this Agreement, Rexford Sponsor V LLC, a Delaware limited liability company ("Sponsor"), will enter into an agreement and plan of merger pursuant to which Sponsor will merge with and into a direct wholly-owned subsidiary of the Operating Partnership with Sponsor as the surviving entity, and the equity interests in Sponsor will be converted automatically into the right to receive cash, without interest, OP Units and/or REIT Shares;

WHEREAS, concurrently with the execution of this Agreement, Rexford Industrial, LLC, a California limited liability company ("RI LLC"), will enter into an agreement and plan of merger pursuant to which RI LLC will merge with and into a direct wholly-owned subsidiary of the Operating Partnership, with RI LLC as the surviving entity, and the equity interests in RI LLC will be converted automatically into the right to receive cash, without interest, OP Units and/or REIT Shares;

WHEREAS, concurrently with the execution of this Agreement, Rexford Fund V Manager LLC, a Delaware limited liability company ("RIF V Manager"), will enter into an agreement and plan of merger pursuant to which RIF V Manager will merge with and into an indirect wholly-owned subsidiary of the Operating Partnership, with RIF V Manager as the surviving entity, and the equity interests in RIF V Manager will be converted automatically into the right to receive cash, without interest, OP Units and/or REIT Shares;

WHEREAS, concurrently with the completion of the transactions described in the preceding paragraphs, the parties to this Agreement wish to effect a transaction pursuant to which (a) the Contributor will contribute to the Operating Partnership all of the Contributor's direct and indirect interests in and to a 3.23% membership interest (the "Contributed Interest") in RIF IV – Burbank, LLC (the "Contributed Entity"), and (b) the Operating Partnership shall acquire from the Contributor, all of the Contributor's right, title and interest in and to such Contributed Interest, in exchange for a combination of cash, without interest, REIT Shares and/or OP Units;

WHEREAS, concurrently with the execution of this Agreement, each of Rexford Industrial Fund I, LLC, Rexford Industrial Fund II, LLC, Rexford Industrial Fund III, LLC and Rexford Industrial Fund IV, LLC (each such entity, RIF V REIT and RIF V Fund may be referred to herein as a "RIF Fund Entity") will enter into a contribution agreement with the REIT and the Operating Partnership ;

WHEREAS, the Formation Transactions relate to the initial public offering of the REIT Shares or, depending on prevailing market conditions at the time of the offering, a private offering of the REIT Shares (the "Offering"), following which the REIT will operate as a self-administered and self-managed real estate investment trust within the meaning of Section 856 of the Code;

WHEREAS, substantially concurrently with the completion of the Formation Transactions and the Offering, the REIT will contribute to the Operating Partnership, all of the assets (other than OP Units), rights and obligations acquired by the REIT as a result of the Formation Transactions and the Offering; and

WHEREAS, all necessary approvals have been obtained by each of the Operating Partnership and the Contributor to consummate the transactions contemplated herein and by the other Formation Transaction Documentation.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the foregoing and the representations, warranties, covenants and other terms contained in this Agreement, the parties hereto, intending to be legally bound hereby, agree as follows:

ARTICLE I

CONTRIBUTION

Section 1.01 CONTRIBUTION TRANSACTION.

(a) At the Closing and subject to the terms and conditions contained in this Agreement and in accordance with applicable Laws, the Contributor hereby contributes, assigns, sets over, transfers, conveys and delivers to the Operating Partnership, absolutely and unconditionally and free and clear of all Liens (other than those arising under Organizational Documents governing the Contributed Interest), all of its right, title and interest in and to the

Contributed Interest, including all rights to indemnification in favor of the Contributor under the Organizational Documents; *provided*, that the Operating Partnership accepts the assignment by the Contributor and agrees to be bound by the terms of the Organizational Documents governing the Contributor's Contributed Interest and undertakes, assumes and agrees punctually and faithfully to perform, pay or discharge when due and otherwise in accordance with its terms, all agreements, covenants, conditions, obligations and liabilities of the Contributor with respect to the Contributor's Contributed Interest on or after the Closing Date.

(b) Without limiting the foregoing, the Contributor, on behalf of itself and its Affiliates, consents to, and agrees and acknowledges that all requirements and conditions for the transactions contemplated by this Agreement, including the transfer of the Contributed Interest and the admission of the Operating Partnership as a partner or member of the Contributed Entity have been satisfied or otherwise waived.

(c) All of the parties hereto agree that, as a result of the assignment and assumptions hereunder and under the RIF Fund Contribution Agreements, for purposes of the Organizational Documents governing the Contributed Entity, the Operating Partnership shall be a substituted general partner, limited partner, manager or member, as the case may be, of the applicable Contributed Entity.

Section 1.02 CONSIDERATION.

(a) At Closing, subject to the terms and conditions contained in this Agreement, the Contributor shall receive cash, OP Units and/or REIT Shares with an aggregate value equal to the Equity Value represented by the Contributed Interest (collectively referred to as the "Contribution Consideration"). The transfer of OP Units to the Contributor shall be evidenced by an entry to the Register (as defined in the Operating Partnership Agreement), and the transfer of REIT Shares to the Contributor shall be evidenced by the establishment of a credit to a book-entry account at the REIT's transfer agent. Subject to Section 1.03, the amount of cash, number of OP Units and/or REIT Shares comprising the Contribution Consideration attributable to Contributor shall be as follows:

(i) Cash. If the Contributor is not an Accredited Investor, one hundred percent (100%) of the Allocated Share attributable to the Contributor shall be paid in cash.

(ii) OP Units. If the Contributor is an Accredited Investor, the Elected OP Unit Percentage of the Allocated Share attributable to the Contributor shall be distributed in whole OP Units in the form of a number of OP Units equal to the applicable portion of such Allocated Share divided by the Offering Price; and

(iii) REIT Shares. If the Contributor is an Accredited Investor, the Elected REIT Shares Percentage of the Allocated Share attributable to the Contributor shall be distributed in whole REIT Shares in the form of a number of REIT Shares equal to the applicable portion of such Allocated Share divided by the Offering Price; *provided, that* to the extent such distribution of REIT Shares to the Contributor would result in a violation of the restrictions on ownership and transfer set forth in Section 6.2.1 of the

REIT's charter (the "Ownership Limits"), the Contributor shall receive (x) the maximum number of whole REIT Shares that would not result in such violation of the Ownership Limits, and (y) that number of whole OP Units equal to the remaining number of REIT Shares not distributed as a result of the application of the foregoing clause (x).

(b) At Closing, if the Contributor is to receive OP Units in accordance with the foregoing, the Contributor shall be admitted as a limited partner of the Operating Partnership. By executing and delivering a Consent Form, the Contributor has agreed and accepted all of the terms and conditions of the Operating Partnership Agreement and shall be deemed to have executed and delivered a counterpart signature page to the Operating Partnership Agreement.

Section 1.03 FRACTIONAL INTEREST. No fractional OP Units or REIT Shares shall be issued pursuant to this Agreement or the other Formation Transaction Documentation. All fractional OP Units that the Contributor would otherwise be entitled to receive as a result of the Formation Transactions shall be aggregated, and the Contributor shall receive the number of whole OP Units resulting from such aggregation and, in lieu of any fractional OP Unit resulting from such aggregation, an amount in cash determined by multiplying that fraction of an OP Unit to which the Contributor would otherwise have been entitled, by the Offering Price. All fractional REIT Shares that the Contributor would otherwise be entitled to receive as a result of the Formation Transactions shall be aggregated, and the Contributor shall receive the number of whole REIT Shares resulting from such aggregation and, in lieu of any fractional REIT Share resulting from such aggregation, an amount in cash determined by multiplying that fraction of a REIT Share to which the Contributor would otherwise have been entitled, by the Offering Price. No interest will be paid or will accrue on any cash paid or payable in lieu of any fractional OP Unit or REIT Share.

Section 1.04 FURTHER ACTION. If, at any time after the Closing, the Operating Partnership shall determine or be advised that any deeds, bills of sale, assignments (including any intellectual property assignments), assurances or any other actions or things are necessary or desirable to vest, perfect or confirm of record or otherwise in the Operating Partnership the right, title or interest in or to any Contributed Interest, the Contributor shall execute and deliver all such deeds, bills of sale, assignments (including any intellectual property assignments) and assurances and take and do all such other actions and things as may be necessary or desirable to vest, perfect or confirm any and all right, title and interest in such Contributed Interest or otherwise to carry out this Agreement.

Section 1.05 CALCULATION OF CONTRIBUTION CONSIDERATION. As soon as practicable following the determination of the Offering Price and prior to the Closing, all calculations relating to the Contribution Consideration shall be performed in good faith by, or under the direction of, the REIT and the Operating Partnership, and the parties hereby agree that, absent manifest error, such calculations shall be final and binding upon the Contributor.

ARTICLE II

CLOSING

Section 2.01 CONDITIONS PRECEDENT.

(a) Condition to Each Party's Obligations. The respective obligation of each party to effect the contributions contemplated by this Agreement and to consummate the other transactions contemplated hereby to occur on the Closing Date is subject to the satisfaction or waiver on or prior to the Closing of the following conditions:

(i) Registration Statement. If the REIT undertakes a public Offering, the public Offering registration statement must have been declared effective under the Securities Act and will not be the subject of any stop order or proceedings by the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC") seeking a stop order. This condition may not be waived by any party.

(ii) No Injunction. No Governmental Authority of competent jurisdiction shall have enacted, issued, promulgated, enforced or entered any statute, rule, regulation, executive order, decree, judgment, injunction, stay or other order (whether temporary, preliminary or permanent), in any case which is in effect and which prevents or prohibits consummation of any of the transactions contemplated in this Agreement nor shall any of the same brought by a Governmental Authority of competent jurisdiction be pending or threatened that seeks the foregoing.

(iii) Operating Partnership Agreement. The Operating Partnership Agreement, in substantially the form attached hereto as Exhibit B, shall have been executed and delivered by the partners of the Operating Partnership and shall be in full force and effect and, except as contemplated by Section 2.03 or the other Formation Transaction Documents, shall not have been amended or modified.

(b) Conditions to the Obligations of the Operating Partnership. The obligations of the Operating Partnership to effect the contribution contemplated by this Agreement and to consummate the other transactions contemplated hereby to occur on the Closing Date are further subject to satisfaction of the following conditions (any of which may be waived by the Operating Partnership in whole or in part):

(i) Representations and Warranties. The representations and warranties of the Contributor contained in this Agreement shall be true and correct in all material respects at the Closing as if made again at that time (except to the extent that any representation or warranty speaks as of an earlier date, in which case it must be true and correct only as of that earlier date).

(ii) Performance by the Contributor. The Contributor shall have performed each of the agreements and covenants required by this Agreement to be performed or complied with by it on or prior to the Closing Date and the Contributor shall not have breached any of its covenants contained herein in any material respect.

(iii) Offering Closing. The closing of the Offering shall occur substantially concurrently with the Closing.

(iv) Consents, Etc. All necessary consents and approvals of Governmental Authorities or third parties (including lenders) for the Contributor to consummate the transactions contemplated hereby shall have been obtained.

(v) No Contributor Material Adverse Effect. There shall not have occurred between the date hereof and the Closing Date a Contributor Material Adverse Effect.

(vi) Formation Transactions. The Formation Transactions shall have been or shall be consummated substantially concurrently in accordance with the timing set forth in the respective Formation Transaction Documentation.

(vii) Lock-Up Agreement. If the Contributor is to receive REIT Shares or OP Units, the Contributor shall have entered into the Lock-Up Agreement substantially in the form attached as Exhibit C.

(viii) Tax Matters Agreement. Any Contributor that will receive OP Units in the contribution contemplated by this Agreement and that (1) owns, directly or indirectly, an interest in any Contributed Property specified in the Tax Matters Agreement or (2) has been provided an opportunity to guarantee debt as set forth in the Tax Matters Agreement shall have entered into the Tax Matters Agreement substantially in the form attached as Exhibit D, if applicable.

(c) Conditions to the Obligations of the Contributor. The obligation of the Contributor to effect the contribution contemplated by this Agreement and to consummate the other transactions contemplated hereby to occur on the Closing Date are further subject to satisfaction of the following conditions (any of which may be waived by the Contributor in whole or in part):

(i) Representations and Warranties. Except as would not have an OP Material Adverse Effect, the representations and warranties of the Operating Partnership contained in this Agreement shall be true and correct at the Closing as if made again at that time (except to the extent that any representation or warranty speaks as of an earlier date, in which case it must be true and correct only as of that earlier date).

(ii) Performance by the Operating Partnership. Except as would not have an OP Material Adverse Effect, the Operating Partnership shall have performed all agreements and covenants required by this Agreement to be performed or complied with by it on or prior to the Closing Date.

(iii) Registration Rights Agreement. The REIT shall have entered into the Registration Rights Agreement, substantially in the form attached as Exhibit E hereto. This condition may not be waived by any party hereto.

(iv) Tax Matters Agreement. If the Contributor (1) owns, directly or indirectly, an interest in any Contributed Property specified in the Tax Matters Agreement or (2) has any members that have been provided an opportunity to guarantee debt as set forth in the Tax Matters Agreement, the REIT and the Operating Partnership shall have entered into the Tax Matters Agreement substantially in the form attached as Exhibit D, if applicable.

Section 2.02 TIME AND PLACE. Unless this Agreement shall have been terminated pursuant to Section 2.06, and subject to the satisfaction or waiver of the conditions in Section 2.01, the closing of the contributions contemplated by Section 1.01 and the other transactions contemplated by this Agreement shall occur substantially concurrently with the receipt by the REIT of the proceeds from the Offering from the underwriters (the “Closing” or the “Closing Date”) in the order set forth on Exhibit F. The Closing shall take place at the offices of Latham & Watkins LLP, 355 South Grand Avenue, Los Angeles, California 90071 or such other place as determined by the REIT in its sole discretion.

Section 2.03 DELIVERY OF CONTRIBUTION CONSIDERATION.

(a) Subject to Section 5.03(a), as soon as reasonably practicable after the Closing, the Operating Partnership shall deliver to the Contributor the Contribution Consideration payable in the amounts and form provided in Section 1.02(a). The issuance of any OP Units and admission of the recipients thereof as limited partners of the Operating Partnership pursuant to Section 1.02(b) shall be evidenced by an entry to the Register. Any certificate representing REIT Shares issuable as Contribution Consideration shall bear the following legend:

THE SECURITIES REPRESENTED HEREBY HAVE NOT BEEN REGISTERED UNDER THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933, AS AMENDED (THE “ACT”), OR THE SECURITIES LAWS OF ANY STATE AND MAY NOT BE SOLD, TRANSFERRED OR OTHERWISE DISPOSED OF IN THE ABSENCE OF SUCH REGISTRATION, UNLESS THE TRANSFEROR DELIVERS TO THE CORPORATION AN OPINION OF COUNSEL SATISFACTORY TO THE CORPORATION, TO THE EFFECT THAT THE PROPOSED SALE, TRANSFER OR OTHER DISPOSITION MAY BE EFFECTED WITHOUT REGISTRATION UNDER THE ACT AND UNDER APPLICABLE STATE SECURITIES OR “BLUE SKY” LAWS.

THE SHARES REPRESENTED BY THIS CERTIFICATE ARE SUBJECT TO RESTRICTIONS ON BENEFICIAL AND CONSTRUCTIVE OWNERSHIP AND TRANSFER FOR THE PURPOSE OF THE CORPORATION’S MAINTENANCE OF ITS STATUS AS A REAL ESTATE INVESTMENT TRUST UNDER THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE OF 1986, AS AMENDED (THE “CODE”). SUBJECT TO CERTAIN FURTHER RESTRICTIONS AND EXCEPT AS EXPRESSLY PROVIDED IN THE CORPORATION’S CHARTER, (I) NO PERSON MAY BENEFICIALLY OR CONSTRUCTIVELY OWN SHARES OF THE CORPORATION’S COMMON STOCK IN EXCESS OF 9.8% (IN VALUE OR NUMBER OF SHARES) OF THE OUTSTANDING SHARES OF COMMON STOCK OF THE CORPORATION UNLESS SUCH PERSON IS AN EXCEPTED HOLDER (IN WHICH CASE THE EXCEPTED HOLDER LIMIT SHALL BE APPLICABLE); (II) NO PERSON MAY BENEFICIALLY OR CONSTRUCTIVELY OWN SHARES OF

CAPITAL STOCK OF THE CORPORATION IN EXCESS OF 9.8% OF THE VALUE OF THE TOTAL OUTSTANDING SHARES OF CAPITAL STOCK OF THE CORPORATION, UNLESS SUCH PERSON IS AN EXCEPTED HOLDER (IN WHICH CASE THE EXCEPTED HOLDER LIMIT SHALL BE APPLICABLE); (III) NO PERSON MAY BENEFICIALLY OR CONSTRUCTIVELY OWN CAPITAL STOCK THAT COULD RESULT IN THE CORPORATION BEING "CLOSELY HELD" UNDER SECTION 856(h) OF THE CODE OR OTHERWISE CAUSE THE CORPORATION TO FAIL TO QUALIFY AS A REIT; AND (IV) NO PERSON MAY TRANSFER SHARES OF CAPITAL STOCK IF SUCH TRANSFER WOULD RESULT IN THE CAPITAL STOCK OF THE CORPORATION BEING OWNED BY FEWER THAN 100 PERSONS. ANY PERSON WHO BENEFICIALLY OR CONSTRUCTIVELY OWNS OR ATTEMPTS TO BENEFICIALLY OR CONSTRUCTIVELY OWN SHARES OF CAPITAL STOCK WHICH CAUSES OR MAY CAUSE A PERSON TO BENEFICIALLY OR CONSTRUCTIVELY OWN SHARES OF CAPITAL STOCK IN EXCESS OR IN VIOLATION OF THE ABOVE LIMITATIONS MUST IMMEDIATELY NOTIFY THE CORPORATION OR, IN THE CASE OF SUCH A PROPOSED OR ATTEMPTED TRANSACTION, GIVE AT LEAST 15 DAYS PRIOR WRITTEN NOTICE. IF ANY OF THE RESTRICTIONS ON TRANSFER OR OWNERSHIP SET FORTH IN (I) THROUGH (III) ABOVE ARE VIOLATED, THE SHARES OF CAPITAL STOCK REPRESENTED HEREBY WILL BE AUTOMATICALLY TRANSFERRED TO A TRUSTEE OF A TRUST FOR THE BENEFIT OF ONE OR MORE CHARITABLE BENEFICIARIES. IN ADDITION, THE CORPORATION MAY TAKE OTHER ACTIONS, INCLUDING REDEEMING SHARES UPON THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS SPECIFIED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS IN ITS SOLE AND ABSOLUTE DISCRETION IF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS DETERMINES THAT OWNERSHIP OR A TRANSFER OR OTHER EVENT MAY VIOLATE THE RESTRICTIONS DESCRIBED ABOVE. FURTHERMORE, UPON THE OCCURRENCE OF CERTAIN EVENTS, ATTEMPTED TRANSFERS IN VIOLATION OF THE RESTRICTIONS DESCRIBED ABOVE MAY BE VOID *AB INITIO*. ALL UNDERLINED TERMS IN THIS LEGEND HAVE THE MEANINGS DEFINED IN THE CHARTER OF THE CORPORATION, AS THE SAME MAY BE AMENDED FROM TIME TO TIME, A COPY OF WHICH, INCLUDING THE RESTRICTIONS ON TRANSFER AND OWNERSHIP, WILL BE FURNISHED TO EACH HOLDER OF CAPITAL STOCK OF THE CORPORATION ON REQUEST AND WITHOUT CHARGE. REQUESTS FOR SUCH A COPY MAY BE DIRECTED TO THE SECRETARY OF THE CORPORATION AT ITS PRINCIPAL OFFICE.

(b) The Operating Partnership (or its successor in interest) shall not be liable to the Contributor for any portion of the Contribution Consideration delivered to a public official pursuant to any applicable abandoned property, escheat or similar Law.

Section 2.04 CLOSING DELIVERIES. At the Closing, the parties shall make, execute, acknowledge and deliver, or cause to be made, executed, acknowledged and delivered (a) an Assignment and Assumption of Membership Interests, and any other documents reasonably requested by the Operating Partnership or reasonably necessary or desirable to assign, transfer, convey, contribute and deliver the Contributed Interest, free and clear of all Liens and to effectuate the transactions contemplated hereby.

Section 2.05 CLOSING COSTS. If the Closing occurs, the REIT and the Operating Partnership shall be solely responsible for all transaction costs and expenses of the REIT, the Operating Partnership and the Rexford Entities in connection with the Formation Transactions and the Offering, which include, but are not limited to, the underwriting discounts and commissions. In the event the Closing does not occur, each party shall be responsible for its own costs and expenses.

Section 2.06 TERM OF THE AGREEMENT. This Agreement shall terminate automatically if the transactions contemplated herein shall not have been consummated on or prior to December 31, 2013 (such date is hereinafter referred to as the "Outside Date").

Section 2.07 EFFECT OF TERMINATION. In the event of termination of this Agreement for any reason, all obligations on the part of the Operating Partnership and the Contributor under this Agreement shall terminate, except that the obligations set forth in Article VI shall survive, it being understood and agreed, however, for the avoidance of doubt, that if this Agreement is terminated because one or more of the conditions to the non-breaching party's obligations under this Agreement are not satisfied by the Outside Date as a result of the other party's material breach of a covenant, representation, warranty or other obligation under this Agreement or any other Formation Transaction Documentation, the non-breaching party's right to pursue all legal remedies with respect to such breach will survive such termination unimpaired.

Section 2.08 TAX WITHHOLDING. The Operating Partnership shall be entitled to deduct and withhold from the consideration payable pursuant to this Agreement such amounts as the Operating Partnership is required to deduct and withhold with respect to the making of such payment under the Code or any provision of state, local or foreign tax law. To the extent that amounts are so withheld by the Operating Partnership, such withheld amounts shall be treated for all purposes of this Agreement as having been paid to the Contributor.

ARTICLE III

REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES OF THE OPERATING PARTNERSHIP

The Operating Partnership hereby represents and warrants to the Contributor as follows:

Section 3.01 ORGANIZATION; AUTHORITY.

(a) The Operating Partnership has been duly formed and is validly existing and in good standing under the Laws of its jurisdiction of formation, and, upon the effectiveness of the Operating Partnership Agreement, will have all requisite power and authority to enter into this Agreement and the other Formation Transaction Documentation and to carry out the transactions contemplated hereby and thereby, and to own, lease and/or operate its property and to carry on its business as presently conducted and, to the extent required under applicable Laws, is qualified to do business and is in good standing in each jurisdiction in which the nature of its business or the character of its property make such qualification necessary, other than such failures to be so qualified as would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have an OP Material Adverse Effect.

(b) Schedule 3.01(b) sets forth as of the date hereof, (i) each Subsidiary of the Operating Partnership (each an “Operating Partnership Subsidiary”), (ii) the ownership interest therein of the Operating Partnership, and (iii) if not wholly owned by the Operating Partnership, the identity and ownership interest of each of the other owners of such Operating Partnership Subsidiary. Each Operating Partnership Subsidiary has been duly organized or formed and is validly existing and is in good standing under the Laws of its jurisdiction of organization or formation, as applicable, has all requisite power and authority to own, lease and/or operate its property and to carry on its business as presently conducted and, to the extent required under applicable Laws, is qualified to do business and is in good standing in each jurisdiction in which the nature of its business or the character of its property make such qualification necessary, other than such failures to be so qualified as would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have an OP Material Adverse Effect.

Section 3.02 DUE AUTHORIZATION. The execution, delivery and performance of this Agreement and the other Formation Transaction Documentation (including each agreement, document and instrument executed and delivered by or on behalf of the Operating Partnership pursuant to this Agreement or the other Formation Transaction Documentation) by the Operating Partnership has been duly and validly authorized by all necessary actions required of the Operating Partnership. This Agreement, the other Formation Transaction Documentation and each agreement, document and instrument executed and delivered by or on behalf of the Operating Partnership pursuant to this Agreement or the other Formation Transaction Documentation constitutes, or when executed and delivered will constitute, the legal, valid and binding obligation of the Operating Partnership, enforceable against the Operating Partnership in accordance with its terms, subject to applicable bankruptcy, insolvency, moratorium or other similar Laws relating to creditors’ rights and general principles of equity.

Section 3.03 CONSENTS AND APPROVALS. Except in connection with the Offering and the consummation of the other Formation Transactions or as shall have been obtained on or prior to the Closing Date, no consent, waiver, approval, authorization, order, license, permit or registration of, qualification, designation, declaration or filing with, any Person or Governmental Authority or under any applicable Laws is required to be obtained by the Operating Partnership in connection with the execution, delivery and performance of this Agreement and the transactions contemplated hereby, except for (a) those consents, waivers, approvals, authorizations, orders, licenses, permits, registrations, qualifications, designations, declarations or filings, the failure of which to obtain or to file would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have an OP Material Adverse Effect, or (b) those consents under the Organizational Documents of the Contributor, the failure of which to obtain would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have an OP Material Adverse Effect.

Section 3.04 NO VIOLATION. None of the execution, delivery or performance of this Agreement, the other Formation Transaction Documentation, any agreement contemplated hereby between the parties to this Agreement and the transactions contemplated hereby between the parties to this Agreement does or will, with or without the giving of notice, lapse of time, or both, violate, conflict with, result in a breach of, or constitute a default under or give to others any right of termination, acceleration, cancellation or other right under, (a) the Organizational Documents of the Operating Partnership, (b) any agreement, document or instrument to which the Operating Partnership or any of its respective assets are bound or (c) any term or provision of any judgment, order, writ, injunction, or decree binding on the Operating Partnership, except for, in the case of clause (b) or (c), any such breaches or defaults that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have an OP Material Adverse Effect.

Section 3.05 VALIDITY OF OP UNITS AND REIT SHARES. Any OP Units to be issued pursuant to this Agreement will have been duly authorized by the Operating Partnership and, when issued against the consideration therefor, will be validly issued, fully paid and non-assessable, free and clear of all Liens created by the Operating Partnership (other than any Liens created by the Amended and Restated Agreement of Limited Partnership of the Operating Partnership (the “Operating Partnership Agreement”)). Any REIT Shares to be issued pursuant to this Agreement will have been duly authorized by the REIT and, when issued against the consideration therefor, will be validly issued, fully paid and non-assessable, free and clear of all Liens created by the REIT (other than any Liens created by the charter of the REIT).

Section 3.06 LITIGATION. Except for actions, suits or proceedings covered by policies of insurance, there is no action, suit or proceeding pending or, to the knowledge of the Operating Partnership, threatened against the Operating Partnership or any Operating Partnership Subsidiary, other than actions, suits, proceedings arising in the ordinary course of business from the ownership and operation of the Operating Partnership, that individually or in the aggregate, would not reasonably be expected, (a) if adversely determined, to have an OP Material Adverse Effect, or (b) to challenge or impair the ability of the Operating Partnership to execute or deliver, or materially perform its obligations under, this Agreement and the documents executed by it pursuant to this Agreement or to consummate the transactions contemplated hereby or thereby, to such an extent as would result in an OP Material Adverse Effect.

Section 3.07 OPERATING PARTNERSHIP AGREEMENT. Attached as Exhibit B hereto is a true and correct copy of the Operating Partnership Agreement in substantially final form.

Section 3.08 LIMITED ACTIVITIES. Except for activities in connection with the Offering, the Formation Transactions or in the ordinary course of business, the Operating Partnership and the Operating Partnership Subsidiaries have not engaged in any material business or incurred any material obligations.

Section 3.09 NO BROKER. The Operating Partnership has not entered into, and covenants that it will not enter into, any agreement, arrangement or understanding with any Person or firm which will result in the obligation of the Contributor or any Affiliates thereof to pay any finder's fee, brokerage commission or similar payment in connection with the transaction contemplated by this Agreement (other than underwriting discounts, commissions and other fees and expenses to be paid by the REIT in connection with the Offering and any related financing transactions).

Section 3.10 NO OTHER REPRESENTATIONS OR WARRANTIES. Other than the representations and warranties expressly set forth in this Article III and any other agreement entered into in connection with the Formation Transactions, the Operating Partnership shall not be deemed to have made any other representation or warranty in connection with this Agreement or the transactions contemplated hereby. All representations, warranties and covenants of the Operating Partnership contained in this Agreement shall expire at the Closing.

ARTICLE IV

REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES OF THE CONTRIBUTOR

Except as disclosed in the Offering Document or the schedules attached hereto, the Contributor hereby represents and warrants to the Operating Partnership that as of the Closing Date:

Section 4.01 AUTHORITY.

(a) The Contributor has all requisite power and authority to enter into this Agreement, each agreement contemplated hereby and the other Formation Transaction Documentation to which it is a party (including any agreement, document and instrument executed and delivered by or on behalf of the Contributor pursuant to this Agreement or the other Formation Transaction Documentation) and to carry out the transactions contemplated hereby and thereby.

Section 4.02 DUE AUTHORIZATION. The execution, delivery and performance by the Contributor of this Agreement and the other Formation Transaction Documentation (including any agreement, document and instrument executed and delivered by or on behalf of the Contributor pursuant to this Agreement or the other Formation Transaction Documentation) to which it is a party have been duly and validly authorized by all necessary actions required of the Contributor. This Agreement, the other Formation Transaction Documentation and each agreement, document and instrument executed and delivered by or on behalf of the Contributor pursuant to this Agreement or the other Formation Transaction Documentation constitutes, or when executed and delivered will constitute, the legal, valid and binding obligation of the Contributor, each enforceable against the Contributor in accordance with its terms, subject to applicable bankruptcy, insolvency, moratorium or other similar Laws relating to creditors' rights and general principles of equity.

Section 4.03 OWNERSHIP OF CONTRIBUTED INTEREST. The Contributor is the sole record owner of the Contributed Interest and has the power and authority to transfer, sell, assign and convey to the Operating Partnership the Contributed Interest free and clear of any Liens and, upon delivery of the consideration for the Contributed Interest as provided herein, the Operating Partnership will acquire good and valid title thereto, free and clear of any Liens (other

than those Liens created by the Organizational Documents governing the Contributed Interest). Except as provided for or contemplated by this Agreement or the other applicable Formation Transaction Documentation, there are no rights to purchase, veto rights with respect to transfers, subscriptions, warrants, options, conversion rights, preemptive rights, agreements, instruments or understandings of any kind outstanding (a) relating to the Contributed Interest or (b) to purchase, transfer or to otherwise acquire, or to in any way encumber, any of the Contributed Interest (including, without limitation, any securities or obligations of any kind convertible or exchangeable into any of the interests which comprise Contributed Interest). Except as set forth in the Organizational Documents, the Contributor is not a party to any agreement for the sale of the Contributed Interest or for the grant to any Person of any preferential right to purchase the Contributed Interest.

Section 4.04 CONSENTS AND APPROVALS. Except as shall have been obtained or satisfied on or prior to the Closing Date, no consent, waiver, approval, authorization, order, license, permit or registration of, qualification, designation, declaration or filing with, any Person or any Governmental Authority or under any applicable Laws is required to be obtained by the Contributor in connection with the execution, delivery and performance of this Agreement, the other Formation Transaction Documentation to which the Contributor is a party and the transactions contemplated hereby and thereby, except for those consents, waivers, approvals, authorizations, orders, licenses, permits, registrations, qualifications, designations, declarations or filings, the failure of which to obtain or to file would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Contributor Material Adverse Effect.

Section 4.05 NO VIOLATION. None of the execution, delivery or performance of this Agreement, any agreement contemplated hereby between the parties to this Agreement and the transactions contemplated hereby between the parties to this Agreement does or will, with or without the giving of notice, lapse of time, or both, violate, conflict with, result in a breach of, or constitute a default under or give to others any right of termination, acceleration, cancellation or other right under, (a) any agreement, document or instrument to which the Contributor is a party or by which the Contributor or any of the Contributed Interest are bound by or (b) any term or provision of any judgment, order, writ, injunction, or decree binding on the Contributor (or its assets or properties), except for, in the case of clause (a) or (b), any such breaches or defaults that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Contributor Material Adverse Effect.

Section 4.06 OMITTED.

Section 4.07 COMPLIANCE WITH LAWS. The Contributor has conducted its business in compliance with all applicable Laws, except for such failures that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Contributor Material Adverse Effect. Neither the Contributor nor, to the knowledge of the Contributor, any third party, is in violation of any law has been informed in writing of any continuing violation of any such Laws or that any investigation has been commenced and is continuing or is contemplated respecting any such possible violation, except in each case for violations that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Contributor Material Adverse Effect. There has not been committed by the Contributor, or to the knowledge of the Contributor, any other Person in occupancy of or involved with the operation or use of the Properties any act or omission affording the federal government or any other Governmental Authority the right of forfeiture as against any Property or any part thereof.

Section 4.08 OMITTED.

Section 4.09 OMITTED.

Section 4.10 OMITTED.

Section 4.11 OMITTED.

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Section 4.13 OMITTED.

Section 4.14 OMITTED.

Section 4.15 LITIGATION. Except for actions, suits or proceedings fully covered by policies of insurance there is no action, suit or proceeding pending or, to the knowledge of the Contributor, threatened against or affecting the Contributor or the Contributed Interest, or any officer, director, principal, managing member, general partner or Affiliate of any of the foregoing other than actions, suits or proceedings arising in the ordinary course of business from the ownership and operation which, if adversely determined, would not have a Contributor Material Adverse Effect. There is no action, suit, or proceeding pending or, to the knowledge of the Contributor, threatened against or affecting the Contributor or the Contributed Interests or any officer, director, principal, managing member, general partner or Affiliate of any of the foregoing, which challenges or impairs the ability of the Contributor to execute or deliver, or perform its obligations under this Agreement or any Formation Transaction Documentation or any other documents to be executed by it pursuant to this Agreement or any Formation Transaction Documentation or to consummate the transactions contemplated hereby or thereby. Except for matters fully covered by insurance, there is no judgment, decree, injunction, rule or order of a Governmental Authority outstanding against the Contributor or any officer, director, principal, managing member or general partner of any of the foregoing in their capacity as such, or which would reasonably be expected to have a Contributor Material Adverse Effect. None of the Contributor or any officer, director, principal, managing member, general partner or Affiliate of any of the foregoing has received any written notice of any pending or threatened proceedings for the rezoning (i.e., as opposed to the current zoning) of any Property or any portion thereof which would impair the current or proposed use thereof in a manner that would result in a Contributor Material Adverse Effect.

Section 4.16 INSOLVENCY. No attachments, execution proceedings, assignments for the benefit of creditors, insolvency, bankruptcy, reorganization or other proceedings are pending or, to the Contributor's knowledge, threatened against the Contributor, the Contributed Entity or any Contributed Property, nor are any such proceedings contemplated by the Contributor.

Section 4.17 SECURITIES LAW MATTERS. The Contributor acknowledges that: (i) the REIT and Operating Partnership intend the offer and issuance of any REIT Shares or OP Units to the Contributor to be exempt from registration under the Securities Act and applicable

state securities laws by virtue of the status of such Contributor as an “accredited investor” (within the meaning of Rule 501(a) of Regulation D under the Securities Act) acquiring any REIT Shares or OP Units in a transaction exempt from registration pursuant to Rule 506 of Regulation D under the Securities Act, and (ii) in issuing any REIT Shares or OP Units pursuant to the terms of this Agreement, the REIT and Operating Partnership are relying on the representations made by the Contributor electing to receive REIT Shares or OP Units as consideration in the Contribution, which representations were set forth in Appendix C to the Request for Consent – Accredited Investor Representations Letter.

Section 4.18 NO BROKER. The Contributor has not entered into, and it covenants that it will not enter into, any agreement, arrangement or understanding with any Person or firm which will result in the obligation of the REIT or any Affiliate to pay any finder’s fee, brokerage commission or similar payment in connection with the transaction contemplated by this Agreement (other than underwriting discounts, commissions and other fees and expenses to be paid by the REIT in connection with the Offering and any related financing transactions).

Section 4.19 OMITTED.

Section 4.20 EMPLOYEES. Neither the Contributor nor the Contributed Entity has or has ever had any employees.

Section 4.21 NO OTHER REPRESENTATIONS OR WARRANTIES. Other than the representations and warranties expressly set forth in this Article IV and any other agreement entered into by the Contributor in connection with the Formation Transactions, the Contributor shall not be deemed to have made any other representation or warranty in connection with this Agreement or the transactions contemplated hereby.

Section 4.22 SURVIVAL OF REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES. The parties hereto agree and acknowledge that the representations and warranties set forth in this Article IV (other than Section 4.01, Section 4.02, Section 4.03, and Section 4.17) shall not survive the Closing.

ARTICLE V

COVENANTS AND OTHER AGREEMENTS

Section 5.01 PRE-CLOSING COVENANTS. During the period from the date hereof to the Closing Date (except as otherwise provided for or contemplated by this Agreement or in connection with the Formation Transactions), the Contributor shall use commercially reasonable efforts to conduct its businesses in the ordinary course of business consistent with past practice, pay its debt obligations as they become due and payable, and use commercially reasonable efforts to preserve intact its current business organizations and preserve its relationships with customers, tenants, suppliers, advertisers and others having business dealings with it, in each case consistent with past practice. In addition, and without limiting the generality of the foregoing, during the period from the date hereof to the Closing Date and except in connection

with the Formation Transactions, the Contributor shall not without the prior written consent of the REIT, which consent may be withheld by the REIT in its sole discretion:

- (a) issue, deliver, sell, transfer, dispose, mortgage, pledge, assign or otherwise encumber, or cause the issuance, delivery, sale, transfer, disposition, mortgage, pledge, assignment or otherwise encumbrance the Contributed Interest;
- (b) cause or permit the Contributed Entity to adopt a plan of liquidation, dissolution, merger, consolidation, restructuring, recapitalization or reorganization;
- (c) knowingly cause or permit the Contributed Entity to violate, or fail to use commercially reasonable efforts to cure any violation of, any applicable Laws;
- (d) take any action or fail to take any action the result of which would have a Contributor Material Adverse Effect; or
- (e) authorize, commit or agree to take any of the foregoing actions.

Section 5.02 COMMERCIALY REASONABLE EFFORTS BY THE OPERATING PARTNERSHIP AND THE CONTRIBUTOR. Each of the Operating Partnership and the Contributor shall use commercially reasonable efforts and cooperate with each other in (a) promptly determining whether any filings are required to be made or consents, approvals, waivers, permits or authorizations are required to be obtained (under any applicable Law or regulation or from any Governmental Authority or third party) in connection with the transactions contemplated by this Agreement, and (b) promptly making (or causing to be made) any such filings, in furnishing information required in connection therewith and in timely seeking to obtain any such consents, approvals, waivers, permits and authorizations.

Section 5.03 TAX MATTERS.

(a) So long as some portion of the Contribution Consideration is in the form of OP Units, the parties hereto intend and agree that, for United States federal income tax purposes, the transactions contemplated by this Agreement shall constitute an “assets-over” partnership merger within the meaning of Treasury Regulations Section 1.708-1(c)(3)(i) pursuant to which the Contributed Entity contributes all of its assets and liabilities to the Operating Partnership in exchange for OP Units in a transaction qualifying under Section 721(a) of the Code and immediately thereafter, the Contributed Entity distributes such OP Units to the Contributors. As a result, (i) in accordance with Treasury Regulations Section 1.708-1(c)(4), any payment of cash (including cash in lieu of fractional OP Units or REIT Shares) or REIT Shares attributable to a Contributor shall be treated as a sale by such Contributor of its interests in the Contributed Entity and a purchase of such interests by the Operating Partnership for the cash and/or REIT Shares so paid under the terms of this Agreement, and (ii) each Contributor who receives cash (including cash in lieu of fractional OP Units or REIT Shares) and/or REIT Shares explicitly agrees and consents (the “Sale Consent”) to such treatment for United States federal income tax purposes. To the extent the Operating Partnership acquires any interests in the Contributed Entity as described in clause (i) above, or otherwise previously acquired any such interests, for United States federal income tax purposes the receipt by the Operating Partnership of the portion of property attributable to such interests shall be treated as a distribution by the

Contributed Entity in redemption of such interests. Notwithstanding Section 1.02 and any Contributor's election as to the form of its Contribution Consideration, if any Contributor (other than a non-Accredited Investor), fails to execute a Sale Consent prior to the Closing, such Contributor's Contribution Consideration shall consist solely of OP Units. Notwithstanding Sections 1.03 and 2.03(a), any cash paid as the Contribution Consideration shall be paid only after the receipt of a Sale Consent from such Contributor.

(b) All transfer, stamp, documentary, sales, use, registration, value-added and other similar Taxes (including all applicable real estate transfer Taxes) incurred in connection with this Agreement and the transactions contemplated hereby ("Transfer Taxes") will be borne by the Operating Partnership. The parties agree, upon request, to use commercially reasonable efforts to obtain any certificate or other document from any Governmental Authority or any other Person as may be necessary to mitigate, reduce or eliminate any Transfer Taxes that could be imposed in connection with the transactions contemplated hereby.

(c) The REIT, the Operating Partnership and the Contributor shall cooperate fully, as and to the extent reasonably requested by the other party, in connection with the filing of Tax Returns related to the transactions pursuant to this Agreement and any audit, litigation or administrative, judicial or other inquiry or proceeding with respect to Taxes related to the transactions pursuant to this Agreement. Such cooperation shall include the retention and (upon the other party's request) the provision of records and information which are reasonably relevant to any such action or other proceeding and making employees available on a mutually convenient basis to provide additional information and explanation of any material provided hereunder. The REIT, the Operating Partnership and the Contributor further agree, upon request, to use their reasonable efforts to obtain any certificate or other document from any governmental authority or any other Person as may be necessary to mitigate, reduce or eliminate any Tax that could be imposed with respect to the transactions contemplated hereby.

(d) Prior to Closing, the Contributor shall deliver to the Operating Partnership a properly executed certificate prepared in accordance with Treasury regulations section 1.1445-2(b) certifying the Contributor's non-foreign status, and if requested by the Operating Partnership, and any similar withholding certificates or other forms under applicable state, local or foreign Tax laws.

(e) The REIT and the Operating Partnership make no representations or warranties to the Contributor regarding the Tax treatment of the contributions pursuant to this Agreement or of the other Formation Transactions, or with respect to any other Tax consequences to the Contributor of this Agreement or the other Formation Transactions. The Contributor acknowledges that the Contributor is relying solely on its own Tax advisors in connection with this Agreement and the other Formation Transactions.

Section 5.04 CONSENT AND WAIVER OF RIGHTS UNDER ORGANIZATIONAL DOCUMENTS. As of the Closing, the Contributor waives and relinquishes all rights and benefits otherwise afforded to the Contributor (a) under the Organizational Documents governing the Contributed Interest including, without limitation, any rights of appraisal, rights of first offer or first refusal, buy/sell agreements, put, option, or similar parallel exit or dissenter rights in connection with the Formation Transactions and the Offering, and any right to consent

to or approve of the sale or contribution or other transaction undertaken by the other holders of interests similar to the Contributed Interest of such interests to the Operating Partnership, the REIT or any Affiliate thereof and any and all notice provisions related thereto, (b) to the extent permissible under applicable Laws, any statutory rights with respect to the Contributed Interest and (c) for claims against the REIT or the Operating Partnership for breach by any of their respective present or former officers, directors, managing members, general partners or Affiliates of their fiduciary duties or similar obligations (including duties of disclosure) to any of their respective present or former shareholders, members, partners, equity interest holders or Affiliates or the terms of any applicable Organizational Documents. The Contributor acknowledges that the agreements contained herein and the transactions contemplated hereby and any actions taken in contemplation of the transactions contemplated hereby may conflict with, and may not have been contemplated by, the Organizational Documents governing the Contributed Interest. With respect to the entity to which the Contributed Interest relate, the Contributor expressly gives all consents (and any consents necessary to authorize the proper parties in interest to give all consents) and waives it is entitled to give that are necessary or desirable to facilitate the contribution or other Formation Transactions relating to such entity. In addition, the Contributor agrees that if the transactions contemplated hereby occur, this Agreement shall be deemed to be an amendment to the Organizational Documents governing the Contributed Interest to the extent the terms herein conflict with the terms thereof, including without limitation, terms with respect to allocations, distributions and the like. In the event the transactions contemplated by this Agreement do not occur, nothing in this Agreement shall be deemed to be or construed as an amendment or modification of, or commitment of any kind to amend or modify, the Organizational Documents governing the Contributed Interest, which shall remain in full force and effect without modification.

Section 5.05 EXCLUDED ASSETS. Prior to the Closing and after such amounts are reasonably determined, the Contributed Entity shall distribute or cause to be distributed or paid out the Excluded Assets identified on Schedule 5.05.

Section 5.06 OMITTED.

Section 5.07 ELIMINATED ASSETS. The parties hereby agree that the Operating Partnership shall have the right, in its sole discretion, to exclude any Contributed Interest (or any interest therein or portion thereof) (the "Eliminated Assets"), from this contribution after the date hereof until the Closing, provided that the Operating Partnership shall provide prior written notice to the Contributor regarding such exclusion.

ARTICLE VI

GENERAL PROVISIONS

Section 6.01 NOTICES. All notices and other communications under this Agreement shall be in writing and shall be deemed given when (a) delivered personally, (b) five (5) Business Days after being mailed by certified mail, return receipt requested and postage prepaid, (c) one (1) Business Day after being sent by a nationally recognized overnight courier or (d) transmitted by facsimile if confirmed within twenty-four (24) hours thereafter by a signed original sent in the manner provided in clause (a), (b) or (c) to the parties at the following addresses (or at such other address for a party as shall be specified by notice from such party):

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- (a) if to the REIT or the Operating Partnership, to:

Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc.
11620 Wilshire Boulevard, Suite 300
Los Angeles, CA 90025
Facsimile: (310) 966-1690
Attention: Howard Schwimmer and Michael S. Frankel

(b) if to the Contributor, to the address or facsimile number of the Contributor on file with the REIT or its Affiliate or to such other address or facsimile number as the Contributor shall specify by written notice.

Section 6.02 DEFINITIONS. For purposes of this Agreement, the following terms shall have the following meanings.

(a) “Accredited Investor” has the meaning set forth under Regulation D of the Securities Act.

(b) “Affiliate” means, with respect to any Person, a Person that, directly or indirectly, through one or more intermediaries, controls, is controlled by, or is under common control with the specified Person. For the purposes of this definition, “control” (including, with correlative meanings, the terms “controlled by” and “under common control with”) as used with respect to any Person, shall mean the possession, directly or indirectly, of the power to direct or cause the direction of the management or policies of such Person, whether through the ownership of voting securities, by agreement or otherwise.

(c) “Allocated Share” means an amount of Contribution Consideration that would be distributed to the Contributor as a Pre-Formation Participant in accordance with the provisions of the Organizational Documents relating to distributions of distributable net proceeds from sales of directly or indirectly owned properties or assets, and assuming the sale of the relevant Target Asset or Target Assets that are directly or indirectly owned by such entity for a value equal to such Target Asset’s or Target Assets’ respective Equity Value(s).

(d) “Assignment and Assumption of Membership Interests” means that certain Assignment and Assumption of Membership Interests, dated as of the Closing Date and executed by the parties thereto, substantially in the form attached hereto as Exhibit G.

(e) “Business Day” means any day that is not a Saturday, Sunday or legal holiday in the State of California.

(f) “Code” means the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, together with the rules and regulations promulgated or issued thereunder.

(g) “Consent Form” means the form provided to each holder of Pre-Formation Interests to consent to the Formation Transactions and to make such holder’s irrevocable elections with respect to consideration to be received by such holder in the Formation Transactions.

(h) “Contributor Material Adverse Effect” means any material adverse change in the assets, business, condition (financial or otherwise), results of operation or prospects of the Contributor, the Contributed Entity or Contributed Property, taken as a whole.

(i) “Elected OP Unit Percentage” means, with respect to the Contribution Consideration to be received by the Contributor, the percentage of the Allocated Share that the Contributor has made a Valid Election to receive in the form of OP Units.

(j) “Elected REIT Share Percentage” means, with respect to the Contribution Consideration to be received by the Contributor, the percentage of the Allocated Share that the Contributor has made a Valid Election to receive in the form of REIT Shares.

(k) “Entity Specific Debt” has the meaning set forth in Schedule 6.02(c) hereto.

(l) “Equity Value” has the meaning set forth in Schedule 6.02(c) hereto.

(m) “Excluded Assets” means (i) the assets identified on Schedule 5.05 and (ii) any interest excluded from the contribution hereunder in accordance with Section 5.07.

(n) “Formation Transaction Documentation” means all of the agreements (including this Agreement) and related documents substantially in the forms accompanying the Request for Consent dated February 22, 2013 and identified in Exhibit H hereto, pursuant to which all of the Rexford Entities and/or the Pre-Formation Interests are to be acquired by the REIT or the Operating Partnership, directly or indirectly, as part of the Formation Transactions.

(o) “Formation Transactions” means the transactions contemplated by this Agreement and the other Formation Transaction Documentation.

(p) “Fund V Subsequent Investment Amount” has the meaning set forth in Schedule 6.02(c) hereto.

(q) “Governmental Authority” means any government or agency, bureau, board, commission, court, department, official, political subdivision, tribunal or other instrumentality of any government, whether federal, state or local, domestic or foreign.

(r) “Interim Period” has the meaning set forth in Schedule 6.02(c) hereto.

(s) “Laws” means laws, statutes, rules, regulations, codes, orders, ordinances, judgments, injunctions, decrees and policies of any Governmental Authority, including, without limitation, zoning, land use or other similar rules or ordinances.

(t) “Liens” means all pledges, claims, liens, charges, restrictions, controls, easements, rights of way, exceptions, reservations, leases, licenses, grants, covenants and conditions, encumbrances and security interests of any kind or nature whatsoever.

(u) “Lock-Up Agreement” means that certain Lock-Up Agreement, by and between the underwriters and each investor of the REIT and/or the Operating Partnership.

(v) “Management Companies” means, collectively RIF V Manager, Sponsor, and RI LLC.

(w) “Offering Closing Date” means the closing date of the Offering.

(x) “Offering Document” means either (i) in the event the REIT undertakes a public Offering, the REIT’s final prospectus as filed with the SEC; or (ii) in the event the REIT undertakes a private Offering, the REIT’s final offering memorandum (together with any supplements and amendments thereto) used in the Offering.

(y) “Offering Price” means the initial offering price of a REIT Share in the Offering.

(z) “OP Material Adverse Effect” means any material adverse change in any of the assets, business, condition (financial or otherwise), results of operation or prospects of the Operating Partnership and each Operating Partnership Subsidiary, taken as a whole.

(aa) “Organizational Documents” means the certificate of formation, certificate of incorporation and bylaws, certificate of limited partnership and limited partnership agreement, limited liability company agreement or operating agreement, of the Contributor or governing the Contributed Interest.

(bb) “Permitted Liens” means (i) Liens, or deposits made to secure the release of such Liens, securing Taxes, the payment of which is not delinquent or the payment of which (including, without limitation, the amount or validity thereof) is being contested in good faith by appropriate proceedings for which adequate reserves have been made in accordance with GAAP; (ii) zoning, entitlement, building and other land use Laws imposed by Governmental Authorities having jurisdiction over the Contributed Property; (iii) covenants, conditions, restrictions, easements for public utilities, encroachments, rights of access or other non-monetary matters that do not materially impair the use of the Contributed Property for the purposes for which they are currently being used or proposed to be used in connection with the relevant Person’s business; (iv) Liens securing financing or credit arrangements existing as of the Closing Date; (v) Liens arising under Leases in effect as of the Closing Date; (vi) any exceptions contained in any title policy (including any policy issued to a secured lender) relating to the Contributed Property as of the Closing Date; and (vii) mechanics’, carriers’, workers’, repairers’ and similar Liens arising or incurred in the ordinary course of business that are not yet due and payable or the payment of which (including, without limitation, the amount or validity thereof) is being contested in good faith by appropriate proceedings for which adequate reserves have been made in accordance with GAAP, and which are not, in the aggregate, material to the business, operations and financial condition of the Contributed Property so encumbered.

(cc) "Person" means an individual, corporation, partnership, limited liability company, joint venture, association, trust, unincorporated organization or other entity.

(dd) "Pre-Formation Interests" means the equity interests directly or indirectly held by the Pre-Formation Participants in the Rexford Entities and in the "Rexford Properties" as defined in that certain Confidential Request for Consent and Investment Election dated February 22, 2013.

(ee) "Pre-Formation Participants" means the holders of the equity interests in the relevant RIF Fund Entity and the Management Companies immediately prior to the Formation Transactions, and shall include any other Person contributing any interest or property to the REIT, the Operating Partnership or any Subsidiary thereof in the Formation Transactions.

(ff) "Property" means the real property owned directly or indirectly, in whole or in part, by the Rexford Entities.

(gg) "Registration Rights Agreement" means that certain Registration Rights Agreement, by and among the REIT, the Operating Partnership and the parties identified as a signatory on Schedule A thereto.

(hh) "Rexford Entity" means a RIF Fund Entity, the Management Companies and each of their respective Subsidiaries, as applicable. As used herein, "Rexford Entities" refer to each Rexford Entity, collectively.

(ii) "Securities Act" means the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder.

(jj) "Subsidiary" of any Person means any corporation, partnership, limited liability company, joint venture, trust or other legal entity of which such Person owns (either directly or through or together with another Subsidiary of such Person) either (i) a general partner, managing member or other similar interest, or (ii) (A) ten percent (10%) or more of the voting power of the voting capital stock or other equity interests, or (B) ten percent (10%) or more of the outstanding voting capital stock or other voting equity interests of such corporation, partnership, limited liability company, joint venture or other legal entity.

(kk) "Target Asset" has the meaning set forth in Schedule 6.02(c) hereto.

(ll) "Tax" means all federal, state, local and foreign income, gross receipts, license, property, withholding, sales, franchise, employment, payroll, goods and services, stamp, environmental, customs duties, capital stock, social security, transfer, alternative minimum, excise and other taxes, tariffs or governmental charges of any nature whatsoever, including estimated taxes, together with penalties, interest or additions to Tax with respect thereto, whether or not disputed.

(mm) "Tax Matters Agreement" means that certain Tax Matters Agreement, by and among the REIT, the Operating Partnership and the other parties identified as signatories therein.

(nn) "Tax Return" means any return, declaration, report, claim for refund, or information return or statement relating to Taxes, including any schedule or attachment thereto, and including any amendment thereof.

(oo) "Valid Election" means, with respect to the Contributor, an irrevocable election to receive all or a portion of its Allocated Share in the form of OP Units or REIT Shares as indicated on the properly completed and timely received Consent Form of the Contributor or a Consent Form as to which any deficiencies have been waived by the REIT.

Section 6.03 COUNTERPARTS. This Agreement may be executed in counterparts, all of which shall be considered one and the same agreement and shall become effective when one or more counterparts have been signed by each party and delivered to each other party.

Section 6.04 ENTIRE AGREEMENT; THIRD-PARTY BENEFICIARIES. This Agreement, the other Formation Transaction Documentation and the Consent Form to which the Contributor is a party, including, without limitation, the exhibits and schedules hereto and thereto, constitute the entire agreement and, except as set forth in Section 2.05, supersede each prior agreement and understanding, whether written or oral, among the parties regarding the subject matter of this Agreement. This Agreement is not intended to confer any rights or remedies on any Person other than the parties hereto.

Section 6.05 GOVERNING LAW. This Agreement shall be governed by, and construed in accordance with, the Laws of the State of California, regardless of any Laws that might otherwise govern under applicable principles of conflicts of laws thereof.

Section 6.06 ASSIGNMENT. This Agreement shall be binding upon, and shall be enforceable by and inure to the benefit of, the parties hereto and their respective heirs, legal representatives, successors and assigns; *provided, however*, that this Agreement may not be assigned (except by operation of law) by any party without the prior written consent of the other parties, and any attempted assignment without such consent shall be null and void and of no force and effect, except that the Operating Partnership may assign its rights and obligations hereunder to an Affiliate.

Section 6.07 JURISDICTION. The parties hereto hereby (a) submit to the exclusive jurisdiction of any state or federal court sitting in the County of Los Angeles, with respect to any dispute arising out of this Agreement or any transaction contemplated hereby to the extent such courts would have subject matter jurisdiction with respect to such dispute and (b) irrevocably waive, and agree not to assert by way of motion, defense, or otherwise, in any such action, any claim that it is not subject personally to the jurisdiction of the above-named courts, that its property is exempt or immune from attachment or execution, that the action is brought in an inconvenient forum, or that the venue of the action is improper.

Section 6.08 DISPUTE RESOLUTION. The parties intend that this Section 6.08 will be valid, binding, enforceable, exclusive and irrevocable and that it shall survive any termination of this Agreement.

(a) Upon any dispute, controversy or claim arising out of or relating to this Agreement or the enforcement, breach, termination or validity thereof (“Dispute”), the party raising the Dispute will give written notice to the other parties to the Dispute describing the nature of the Dispute following which the parties to such Dispute shall attempt for a period of ten (10) Business Days from receipt by the parties of notice of such Dispute to resolve such Dispute by negotiation between representatives of the parties hereto who have authority to settle such Dispute. All such negotiations shall be confidential and any statements or offers made therein shall be treated as compromise and settlement negotiations for purposes of any applicable rules of evidence and shall not be admissible as evidence in any subsequent proceeding for any purpose. The statute of limitations applicable to the commencement of a lawsuit shall apply to the commencement of an arbitration hereunder, except that no defense based on the running of the statute of limitations will be available based upon the passage of time during any such negotiation. Regardless of the foregoing, a party shall have the right to seek immediate injunctive relief pursuant to Section 6.08(c) below without regard to any such ten (10) Business Day negotiation period.

(b) Any Dispute (including the determination of the scope or applicability of this agreement to arbitrate) that is not resolved pursuant to Section 6.08(a), above shall be submitted to final and binding arbitration in California before one neutral and impartial arbitrator, in accordance with the Laws of the State of California for agreements made in and to be performed in that State. The arbitration shall be administered by JAMS, Inc. (“JAMS”) pursuant to its Comprehensive Arbitration Rules and Procedures, as in effect on the date hereof. Each of the REIT and the Operating Partnership, on the one hand, and the Contributor, on the other hand, shall appoint one arbitrator within fifteen (15) days of a demand for arbitration. If the REIT and the Operating Partnership and the Contributor cannot mutually agree upon an arbitrator within such 15-day period, the arbitrator shall be appointed by JAMS in accordance with its Comprehensive Arbitration Rules and Procedures, as in effect on the date hereof. The arbitrator shall designate the place and time of the hearing. The hearing shall be scheduled to begin as soon as practicable and no later than sixty (60) days after the appointment of the arbitrator (unless such period is extended by the arbitrator for good cause shown) and shall be conducted as expeditiously as possible. The award, which shall set forth the arbitrator’s findings of fact and conclusions of law, shall be filed with JAMS and mailed to the parties no later than thirty (30) days after the close of the arbitration hearing. The arbitration award shall be final and binding on the parties and not subject to collateral attack. Judgment upon the arbitration award may be entered in any federal or state court having jurisdiction thereof.

(c) Notwithstanding the parties’ agreement to submit all Disputes to final and binding arbitration before JAMS, the parties shall have the right to seek and obtain temporary or preliminary injunctive relief in any court having jurisdiction thereof. Such courts shall have authority to, among other things, grant temporary or provisional injunctive relief in order to protect any party’s rights under this Agreement. Without prejudice to such provisional remedies as may be available under the jurisdiction of a court, the arbitral tribunal shall have full authority to grant provisional remedies and to direct the parties to request that any court modify or vacate any temporary or preliminary relief issued by such court, and to award damages for the failure of any party to respect the arbitral tribunal’s orders to that effect.

(d) The prevailing party shall be entitled to recover its costs and reasonable attorneys’ fees, and the non-prevailing party shall pay all expenses and fees of JAMS, all costs of the stenographic record, all expenses of witnesses or proofs that may have been produced at the direction of the arbitrator, and the fees, costs, and expenses of the arbitrator. The arbitrator shall allocate such costs and designate the prevailing party or parties for these purposes.

Section 6.09 SEVERABILITY. Each provision of this Agreement will be interpreted so as to be effective and valid under applicable Law, but if any provision is held invalid, illegal or unenforceable under applicable Law in any jurisdiction, then such invalidity, illegality or unenforceability will not affect any other provision, and this Agreement will be reformed, construed and enforced in such jurisdiction as if such invalid, illegal or unenforceable provision had never been included herein.

Section 6.10 RULES OF CONSTRUCTION.

(a) The parties hereto agree that they have had the opportunity to be represented by counsel during the negotiation, preparation and execution of this Agreement and, therefore, waive the application of any Law, regulation, holding or rule of construction providing that ambiguities in an agreement or other document will be construed against the party drafting such agreement or document.

(b) The words “hereof,” “herein” and “herewith” and words of similar import shall, unless otherwise stated, be construed to refer to this Agreement as a whole and not to any particular provision of this Agreement, and article, section, paragraph, exhibit and schedule references are to the articles, sections, paragraphs, exhibits and schedules of this Agreement unless otherwise specified. Whenever the words “include,” “includes” or “including” are used in this Agreement, they shall be deemed to be followed by the words “without limitation.” All terms defined in this Agreement shall have the defined meanings contained herein when used in any certificate or other document made or delivered pursuant hereto unless otherwise defined therein. The definitions contained in this Agreement are applicable to the singular as well as the plural forms of such terms and to the masculine as well as to the feminine and neuter genders of such terms. Unless explicitly stated otherwise herein, any agreement, instrument or statute defined or referred to herein or in any agreement or instrument that is referred to herein means such agreement, instrument or statute as from time to time, amended, qualified or supplemented, including (in the case of agreements and instruments) by waiver or consent and (in the case of statutes) by succession of comparable successor statutes and all attachments thereto and instruments incorporated therein. References to a Person are also to its permitted successors and assigns.

Section 6.11 EQUITABLE REMEDIES. The parties agree that irreparable damage would occur to the Operating Partnership in the event that any of the provisions of this Agreement were not performed in accordance with their specific terms or were otherwise breached. It is accordingly agreed that the Operating Partnership shall be entitled to an injunction or injunctions to prevent breaches of this Agreement by a Contributor and to enforce specifically the terms and provisions hereof in any federal or state court located in California, this being in addition to any other remedy to which the Operating Partnership is entitled under this Agreement or otherwise at law or in equity.

Section 6.12 TIME OF THE ESSENCE. Time is of the essence with respect to all obligations under this Agreement.

Section 6.13 DESCRIPTIVE HEADINGS. The descriptive headings herein are inserted for convenience only and are not intended to be part of or to affect the meaning or interpretation of this Agreement.

Section 6.14 NO PERSONAL LIABILITY CONFERRED. This Agreement shall not create or permit any personal liability or obligation on the part of any officer, director, partner, employee or shareholder of the Operating Partnership or the Contributor.

Section 6.15 OMITTED.

Section 6.16 WAIVER OF SECTION 1542 PROTECTIONS. As of the Closing Date, each of the parties hereto expressly acknowledges that it has had, or has had and waived, the opportunity to be advised by independent legal counsel and hereby waives and relinquishes all rights and benefits afforded by Section 1542 of the California Civil Code and does so understanding and acknowledging the significance and consequence of such specific waiver of Section 1542 which provides:

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

Section 6.17 AMENDMENTS. This Agreement may be amended by appropriate instrument, without the consent of the Contributor, at any time prior to the Closing Date; *provided*, that no such amendment, modification or supplement shall be made that alters the amount or changes the form of the consideration to be delivered to the Contributor, without the prior written consent of the Contributor.

[SIGNATURE PAGES FOLLOW]

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have caused this Agreement to be signed by their respective duly authorized officers or representatives, all as of the date first written above.

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, INC.,
A Maryland corporation

By: /s/ Howard Schwimmer
Name: Howard Schwimmer
Title: Co-Chief Executive Officer

By: /s/ Michael Frankel
Name: Michael S. Frankel
Title: Co-Chief Executive Officer

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, L.P.,
a Maryland limited partnership

By: REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, INC.,
a Maryland Corporation
Its: General Partner

By: /s/ Howard Schwimmer
Name: Howard Schwimmer
Title: Co-Chief Executive Officer

By: /s/ Michael Frankel
Name: Michael S. Frankel
Title: Co-Chief Executive Officer

[Signature Page to Burbank Contribution Agreement]

CHRISTOPHER R. BAER
a natural person

By: REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, INC.,
a Maryland corporation
as attorney-in-fact acting on behalf of
Christopher R. Baer, a natural person

By: /s/ Howard Schwimmer
Name: Howard Schwimmer
Title : Co-Chief Executive Officer

By: /s/ Michael Frankel
Name: Michael S. Frankel
Title : Co-Chief Executive Officer

[Signature Page to Burbank Contribution Agreement]

AGREEMENT AND PLAN OF MERGER

by and among

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, INC.,

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, L.P.,

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL MERGER SUB LLC,

and

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL, LLC

Dated as of July 24, 2013

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AGREEMENT AND PLAN OF MERGER

THIS AGREEMENT AND PLAN OF MERGER is made and entered into as of July 24, 2013 (this "Agreement"), by and among Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc., a Maryland corporation (the "REIT"), Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P., a Maryland limited partnership (the "Operating Partnership") and a subsidiary of the REIT, Rexford Industrial Merger Sub LLC, a California limited liability company to be formed prior to the Effective Time (defined below) and to be directly wholly owned by the Operating Partnership (the "Merger Sub" and, together with the Operating Partnership, the "OP Parties" and each, an "OP Party") and Rexford Industrial, LLC, a California limited liability company (the "Management Company"). Certain capitalized terms are defined in Section 6.02 of this Agreement.

RECITALS

WHEREAS, the REIT desires to consolidate the ownership of a portfolio of properties currently owned, directly or indirectly, by certain entities each as described on Exhibit A hereto;

WHEREAS, pursuant to this Agreement, the Management Company will merge with and into the Merger Sub, with the Management Company as the surviving entity (the "Merger") and the equity interests in the Management Company (the "Management Company Interests") will be converted automatically into the right to receive cash, without interest, common units of partnership interests in the Operating Partnership ("OP Units"), and/or shares of common stock of the REIT, par value \$.01 per share ("REIT Shares");

WHEREAS, concurrently with the execution of this Agreement, Rexford Sponsor V LLC, a Delaware limited liability company ("Sponsor"), will enter into an agreement and plan of merger pursuant to which Sponsor will merge with and into a direct wholly-owned subsidiary of the Operating Partnership, with Sponsor as the surviving entity, and the equity interests in Sponsor will be converted automatically into the right to receive cash, without interest, OP Units and/or REIT Shares;

WHEREAS, concurrently with the execution of this Agreement, Rexford Fund V Manager LLC, a Delaware limited liability company ("RIF V Manager"), will enter into an agreement and plan of merger pursuant to which RIF V Manager will merge with and into an indirect wholly-owned subsidiary of the Operating Partnership, with RIF V Manager as the surviving entity, and the equity interests in RIF V Manager will be converted automatically into the right to receive cash, without interest, OP Units and/or REIT Shares;

WHEREAS, concurrently with the execution of this Agreement, Rexford Industrial Fund V REIT, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company ("RIF V REIT"), will enter into an agreement and plan of merger with the REIT pursuant to which the RIF V REIT will merge with and into the REIT and the equity interests in the RIF V REIT will be converted automatically into the right to receive cash, without interest, or REIT Shares;

WHEREAS, concurrently with the execution of this Agreement, Rexford Industrial Fund V, LP, a Delaware limited partnership ("RIF V Fund"), will enter into an agreement and plan of merger with the Operating Partnership pursuant to which RIF V Fund will merge with and into the Operating Partnership and the partnership interests in RIF V Fund will be (a) converted automatically into the right to receive cash, without interest, REIT Shares and/or OP Units and (b) in the case of the partnership interests in RIF V Fund held by RIF V Manager or the REIT, cancelled;

WHEREAS, concurrently with the execution of this Agreement, the REIT and the Operating Partnership will enter into separate contribution agreements (the “RIF Fund Contribution Agreements”) with each of Rexford Industrial Fund I, LLC, Rexford Industrial Fund II, LLC, Rexford Industrial Fund III, LLC and Rexford Industrial Fund IV, LLC (each such entity may be referred to herein as a “Contributor,” each such entity, RIF V REIT and RIF V Fund may be referred to herein as a “RIF Fund Entity”), pursuant to which (a) each Contributor will contribute to the Operating Partnership all of such Contributor’s direct and indirect interests in the entities identified as “Contributed Entities” on Exhibit A hereto (the “Contributed Interests”) and the other contributed properties and contributed assets identified in each such RIF Fund Contribution Agreement, and (b) the Operating Partnership shall acquire from each Contributor, all of such Contributor’s right, title and interest in and to such Contributed Interests and the other contributed properties and contributed assets, in exchange for a combination of cash, without interest, REIT Shares and/or OP Units and the assumption by the Operating Partnership of the assumed liabilities identified in each such RIF Fund Contribution Agreement all on the terms and subject to the conditions set forth therein;

WHEREAS, in the event that all members of a Contributor return duly executed and completed Consent Forms approving the Formation Transactions, then, in lieu of the applicable RIF Fund Contribution Agreement, the REIT may elect to cause the applicable Contributor to enter into an agreement and plan of merger with the Operating Partnership pursuant to which such Contributor will merge with and into the Operating Partnership and the membership interests in such Contributor will be converted automatically into the right to receive cash, REIT Shares and/or OP Units;

WHEREAS, the Formation Transactions relate to the initial public offering of the REIT Shares or, depending on prevailing market conditions at the time of the offering, a private offering of the REIT Shares (the “Offering”), following which the REIT will operate as a self-administered and self-managed real estate investment trust within the meaning of Section 856 of the Code;

WHEREAS, substantially concurrently with the completion of the Formation Transactions and the Offering, the REIT will contribute to the Operating Partnership, all of the assets (other than OP Units), rights and obligations acquired by the REIT as a result of the Formation Transactions and the Offering;

WHEREAS, in accordance with Section 17550 of the Corporations Code of the State of California (the “CA Code”), the Management Company may be merged with and into the Merger Sub, subject to the requisite approval of the members as provided in Section 17551 of the CA Code; and

WHEREAS, all necessary approvals have been obtained by each of the Operating Partnership and the Management Company to consummate the transactions contemplated herein and by the other Formation Transaction Documentation.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the foregoing and the representations, warranties, covenants and other terms contained in this Agreement, the parties hereto, intending to be legally bound hereby, agree as follows:

ARTICLE I

THE MERGER

Section 1.01 THE MERGER. At the Effective Time, and subject to the terms and conditions contained in this Agreement and in accordance with applicable Laws, the Merger Sub shall be merged with and into the Management Company whereby the separate existence of the Merger Sub shall cease, and the Management Company shall continue its existence under California law as the surviving entity (hereinafter sometimes referred to as the "Surviving Entity").

Section 1.02 EFFECTIVE TIME. Subject to and upon the terms and conditions of this Agreement, concurrently with or as soon as practicable after (i) the execution by the REIT and the Operating Partnership of the Underwriting Agreement and (ii) the satisfaction or waiver of the conditions set forth in Article II, the Operating Partnership, Merger Sub and the Management Company shall file articles of merger or similar documents with respect to the Merger (the "Certificate of Merger") as may be required by applicable Laws, with the Secretary of State of the State of California providing that the Merger shall become effective upon filing or at such later date and time set forth in the Certificate of Merger with respect to such Merger (the "Effective Time"), together with any certificates and other filings or recordings related thereto, in such forms as are required by, and executed in accordance with the relevant provisions of applicable Laws.

Section 1.03 EFFECT OF THE MERGER. At the Effective Time, the effect of the Merger shall be as provided in this Agreement, the Certificate of Merger and applicable Laws.

Section 1.04 ORGANIZATIONAL DOCUMENTS. At the Effective Time, (i) the certificate of formation of the Management Company, as in effect immediately prior to the Effective Time, shall be the certificate of formation of the Surviving Entity until thereafter amended as provided therein or in accordance with the CA Code, and (ii) the limited liability company agreement of the Management Company, as in effect immediately prior to the Effective Time, shall be the limited liability company agreement of the Surviving Entity until thereafter amended as provided therein or in accordance with the CA Code.

Section 1.05 CONVERSION OF MANAGEMENT COMPANY INTERESTS.

(a) Under and subject to the terms and conditions of the respective Formation Transaction Documentation, each Pre-Formation Participant is irrevocably bound to accept and entitled to receive, as a result of and upon consummation of the Merger or other Formation Transactions, a specified share of the Rexford Entities as a whole in the form of the right to receive cash, REIT Shares and/or OP Units as calculated in this Section 1.05.

(b) At the Effective Time, by virtue of the Merger and without any action on the part of the parties hereto, except as set forth in this Agreement, each Management Company Interest shall be converted automatically into the right to receive cash, OP Units and/or REIT Shares with a value equal to the portion of the Equity Value of the Management Company represented by such Management Company Interest (collectively, and including as adjusted pursuant to Section 5.05, but, for the avoidance of doubt, excluding any consideration payable to such Pre-Formation Participants pursuant to the Formation Transactions in respect of Pre-Formation Interests in any Rexford Entity other than the Management Company, referred to as the “Merger Consideration”) and each holder that receives OP Units in the Merger shall, upon receipt of such OP Units and the delivery of a Consent Form or a counterpart signature page to the Operating Partnership Agreement and such other documents and instruments as may be required in the sole discretion of the REIT to effect such holder’s admission as a limited partner of the Operating Partnership, be admitted as a limited partner of the Operating Partnership in accordance with the Maryland Revised Uniform Limited Partnership Act and the Operating Partnership Agreement. The portion of the Equity Value of the Management Company “represented by” a Management Company Interest shall be calculated using the same methodology used to calculate the Allocated Share of a holder of such Management Company Interest.

(c) Subject to Section 1.07, the amount of cash, number of OP Units and/or REIT Shares comprising the Merger Consideration for each Management Company Interest so converted shall be as follows:

(i) Cash. One hundred percent (100%) of the Allocated Share attributable to a Pre-Formation Participant who is not an Accredited Investor shall be paid in cash.

(ii) OP Units. The Elected OP Unit Percentage of the Allocated Share attributable to a Pre-Formation Participant who is an Accredited Investor shall be distributed in in whole OP Units in the form of a number of OP Units equal to the applicable portion of such Allocated Share divided by the Offering Price.

(iii) REIT Shares. The Elected REIT Shares Percentage of the Allocated Share attributable to a Pre-Formation Participant who is an Accredited Investor shall be distributed in whole REIT Shares in the form of a number of REIT Shares equal to the applicable portion of such Allocated Share divided by the Offering Price; *provided, that* to the extent such distribution of REIT Shares to such Pre-Formation Participant would result in a violation of the restrictions on ownership and transfer set forth in Section 6.2.1 of the REIT’s charter (the “Ownership Limits”), such Pre-Formation Participant shall receive (x) the maximum number of whole REIT Shares that would not result in such a violation of the Ownership Limits, and (y) that number of whole OP Units equal to the remaining number of REIT Shares not distributed as a result of the application of the foregoing clause (x).

Section 1.06 CANCELLATION AND RETIREMENT OF MANAGEMENT COMPANY INTERESTS. From and after the Effective Time, (i) each Management Company Interest converted into the right to receive the Merger Consideration pursuant to Section 1.05(b) shall no longer be outstanding and shall automatically be cancelled and retired and shall cease to exist, and each holder of such Management Company Interest so converted shall thereafter cease to have any rights as a member of the Management Company except the right to receive the

Merger Consideration applicable thereto, (ii) each Management Company Interest issued and outstanding that is owned by the Operating Partnership or any of its direct or indirect wholly-owned Subsidiaries shall no longer be outstanding and shall automatically be cancelled and retired and shall cease to exist and no consideration shall be delivered hereunder in exchange therefor and (iii) each interest in the Merger Sub will be converted into one issued and outstanding Management Company Interest.

Section 1.07 FRACTIONAL INTERESTS. No fractional OP Units or REIT Shares shall be issued in the Merger or the other Formation Transactions. All fractional OP Units that a holder of Management Company Interests would otherwise be entitled to receive as a result of the Merger and the other Formation Transactions shall be aggregated, and each holder shall receive the number of whole OP Units resulting from such aggregation and, in lieu of any fractional OP Unit resulting from such aggregation, an amount in cash determined by multiplying that fraction of a REIT Share to which such holder would otherwise have been entitled, by the Offering Price. All fractional REIT Shares that a holder of Management Company Interests would otherwise be entitled to receive as a result of the Merger and the other Formation Transactions shall be aggregated, and each holder shall receive the number of whole REIT Shares resulting from such aggregation and, in lieu of any fractional REIT Share resulting from such aggregation, an amount in cash determined by multiplying that fraction of a REIT Share to which such holder would otherwise have been entitled, by the Offering Price. No interest will be paid or will accrue on any cash paid or payable in lieu of any fractional OP Unit or REIT Share.

Section 1.08 FURTHER ACTION. If, at any time after the Effective Time, the Surviving Entity shall determine or be advised that any deeds, bills of sale, assignments (including any intellectual property assignments), assurances or any other actions or things are necessary or desirable to vest, perfect or confirm of record or otherwise in the Surviving Entity the right, title or interest in, to or under any of the rights, properties or assets of the Management Company acquired or to be acquired by the Surviving Entity as a result of, or in connection with, the Merger or otherwise to carry out this Agreement, the Surviving Entity shall be authorized to execute and deliver, in the name and on behalf of the Management Company all such deeds, bills of sale, assignments (including any intellectual property assignments) and assurances and to take and do, in the name and on behalf of any Management Company Interests all such other actions and things as may be necessary or desirable to vest, perfect or confirm any and all right, title and interest in, to and under such rights, properties or assets in the Surviving Entity or otherwise to carry out this Agreement.

Section 1.09 CALCULATION OF MERGER CONSIDERATION As soon as practicable following the determination of the Offering Price and prior to the filing of the Certificate of Merger, all calculations relating to the Merger Consideration shall be performed in good faith by, or under the direction of, the Operating Partnership, and the parties hereby agree that, absent manifest error, such calculations shall be final and binding upon the holders of Management Company Interests.

ARTICLE II

CLOSING

Section 2.01 CONDITIONS PRECEDENT.

(a) Condition to Each Party's Obligations. The respective obligation of each party to effect the Merger contemplated by this Agreement and to consummate the other transactions contemplated hereby to occur on the Closing Date is subject to the satisfaction or waiver on or prior to the Effective Time of the following conditions:

(i) Registration Statement. If the REIT undertakes a public Offering, the public Offering registration statement must have been declared effective under the Securities Act and will not be the subject of any stop order or proceedings by the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC") seeking a stop order. This condition may not be waived by any party.

(ii) No Injunction. No Governmental Authority of competent jurisdiction shall have enacted, issued, promulgated, enforced or entered any statute, rule, regulation, executive order, decree, judgment, injunction, stay or other order (whether temporary, preliminary or permanent), in any case which is in effect and which prevents or prohibits consummation of any of the transactions contemplated in this Agreement nor shall any of the same brought by a Governmental Authority of competent jurisdiction be pending or threatened that seeks the foregoing.

(iii) Operating Partnership Agreement. The Operating Partnership Agreement, in substantially the form attached hereto as Exhibit B, shall have been executed and delivered by the partners of the Operating Partnership and shall be in full force and effect and, except as contemplated by Section 2.03 or the other Formation Transaction Documents, shall not have been amended or modified.

(b) Conditions to the Obligations of the OP Parties. The obligations of the OP Parties to effect the Merger contemplated by this Agreement and to consummate the other transactions contemplated hereby to occur on the Closing Date are further subject to satisfaction of the following conditions (any of which may be waived by the Operating Partnership in whole or in part):

(i) Representations and Warranties. The representations and warranties of the Management Company contained in this Agreement shall be true and correct in all material respects at the Closing as if made again at that time (except to the extent that any representation or warranty speaks as of an earlier date, in which case it must be true and correct only as of that earlier date).

(ii) Performance by the Management Company. The Management Company shall have performed each of the agreements and covenants required by this Agreement to be performed or complied with by it on or prior to the Closing Date and the Management Company shall not have breached any of its covenants contained herein in any material respect.

(iii) Offering Closing. The closing of the Offering shall occur substantially concurrently with the Closing.

(iv) Consents, Etc. All necessary consents and approvals of Governmental Authorities or third parties (including lenders) for the Management Company to consummate the transactions contemplated hereby shall have been obtained.

(v) No Management Company Material Adverse Effect. There shall have not occurred between the date hereof and the Closing Date a Management Company Material Adverse Effect.

(vi) Formation Transactions. The Formation Transactions shall have been or shall be consummated substantially concurrently in accordance with the timing set forth in the respective Formation Transaction Documentation.

(vii) Lock-Up Agreement. Each of the Pre-Formation Participants owning interests in the Management Company shall have entered into the Lock-Up Agreement substantially in the form attached as Exhibit C.

(viii) Tax Matters Agreement. Any Pre-Formation Participant that will receive OP Units in the Merger and that (1) owns, directly or indirectly, an interest in any Property specified in the Tax Matters Agreement or (2) has been provided an opportunity to guarantee debt as set forth in the Tax Matters Agreement shall have entered into the Tax Matters Agreement substantially in the form attached as Exhibit D, if applicable.

(c) Conditions to the Obligations of the Management Company. The obligation of the Management Company to effect the Merger contemplated by this Agreement and to consummate the other transactions contemplated hereby to occur on the Closing Date are further subject to satisfaction of the following conditions (any of which may be waived by the Management Company in whole or in part):

(i) Representations and Warranties. Except as would not have an OP Material Adverse Effect, the representations and warranties of the OP Parties contained in this Agreement shall be true and correct at the Closing as if made again at that time (except to the extent that any representation or warranty speaks as of an earlier date, in which case it must be true and correct only as of that earlier date).

(ii) Performance by the OP Parties. Except as would not have an OP Material Adverse Effect, the OP Parties shall have performed all agreements and covenants required by this Agreement to be performed or complied with by it on or prior to the Closing Date.

(iii) Registration Rights Agreement. The REIT shall have entered into the Registration Rights Agreement, substantially in the form attached as Exhibit E hereto. This condition may not be waived by any party hereto.

(iv) Tax Matters Agreement. If the Management Company (1) owns, directly or indirectly, an interest in any Property specified in the Tax Matters Agreement or (2) has any members that have been provided an opportunity to guarantee debt as set forth in the Tax Matters Agreement, the REIT and the Operating Partnership shall have entered into the Tax Matters Agreement substantially in the form attached as Exhibit D, if applicable.

Section 2.02 TIME AND PLACE. Unless this Agreement shall have been terminated pursuant to Section 2.06, and subject to the satisfaction or waiver of the conditions in Section 2.01, the filing of the Certificate of Merger, the Effective Time and the closing of the Merger contemplated by Section 1.01 and the other transactions contemplated by this Agreement shall occur substantially concurrently with the receipt by the REIT of the proceeds from the Offering from the underwriters (the “Closing” or the “Closing Date”) in the order set forth on Exhibit F. The Closing shall take place at the offices of Latham & Watkins LLP, 355 South Grand Avenue, Los Angeles, California 90071 or such other place as determined by the REIT in its sole discretion.

Section 2.03 DELIVERY OF MERGER CONSIDERATION.

(a) Subject to Section 5.03(a), as soon as reasonably practicable after the Effective Time, the Surviving Entity (or its successor in interest) shall deliver to each holder of Management Company Interests, whose Management Company Interests have been converted into the right to receive the Merger Consideration pursuant to Section 1.05(b) hereof, the Merger Consideration payable to such holder in the amounts and form provided in Section 1.05(e) hereof. The issuance of any OP Units and admission of the recipients thereof as limited partners of the Operating Partnership pursuant to Section 1.05(b), shall be evidenced by an entry to the Register (as defined in the Operating Partnership Agreement), and the Operating Partnership shall deliver, or cause to be delivered, an executed copy of the Amendment to each Pre-Formation Participant receiving OP Units hereunder. Any certificate representing REIT Shares issuable as Merger Consideration shall bear the following legend:

THE SECURITIES REPRESENTED HEREBY HAVE NOT BEEN REGISTERED UNDER THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933, AS AMENDED (THE “ACT”), OR THE SECURITIES LAWS OF ANY STATE AND MAY NOT BE SOLD, TRANSFERRED OR OTHERWISE DISPOSED OF IN THE ABSENCE OF SUCH REGISTRATION, UNLESS THE TRANSFEROR DELIVERS TO THE CORPORATION AN OPINION OF COUNSEL SATISFACTORY TO THE CORPORATION, TO THE EFFECT THAT THE PROPOSED SALE, TRANSFER OR OTHER DISPOSITION MAY BE EFFECTED WITHOUT REGISTRATION UNDER THE ACT AND UNDER APPLICABLE STATE SECURITIES OR “BLUE SKY” LAWS.

THE SHARES REPRESENTED BY THIS CERTIFICATE ARE SUBJECT TO RESTRICTIONS ON BENEFICIAL AND CONSTRUCTIVE OWNERSHIP AND TRANSFER FOR THE PURPOSE OF THE CORPORATION’S MAINTENANCE OF ITS STATUS AS A REAL ESTATE INVESTMENT TRUST

UNDER THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE OF 1986, AS AMENDED (THE “CODE”). SUBJECT TO CERTAIN FURTHER RESTRICTIONS AND EXCEPT AS EXPRESSLY PROVIDED IN THE CORPORATION’S CHARTER, (I) NO PERSON MAY BENEFICIALLY OR CONSTRUCTIVELY OWN SHARES OF THE CORPORATION’S COMMON STOCK IN EXCESS OF 9.8% (IN VALUE OR NUMBER OF SHARES) OF THE OUTSTANDING SHARES OF COMMON STOCK OF THE CORPORATION UNLESS SUCH PERSON IS AN EXCEPTED HOLDER (IN WHICH CASE THE EXCEPTED HOLDER LIMIT SHALL BE APPLICABLE); (II) NO PERSON MAY BENEFICIALLY OR CONSTRUCTIVELY OWN SHARES OF CAPITAL STOCK OF THE CORPORATION IN EXCESS OF 9.8% OF THE VALUE OF THE TOTAL OUTSTANDING SHARES OF CAPITAL STOCK OF THE CORPORATION, UNLESS SUCH PERSON IS AN EXCEPTED HOLDER (IN WHICH CASE THE EXCEPTED HOLDER LIMIT SHALL BE APPLICABLE); (III) NO PERSON MAY BENEFICIALLY OR CONSTRUCTIVELY OWN CAPITAL STOCK THAT COULD RESULT IN THE CORPORATION BEING “CLOSELY HELD” UNDER SECTION 856(h) OF THE CODE OR OTHERWISE CAUSE THE CORPORATION TO FAIL TO QUALIFY AS A REIT; AND (IV) NO PERSON MAY TRANSFER SHARES OF CAPITAL STOCK IF SUCH TRANSFER WOULD RESULT IN THE CAPITAL STOCK OF THE CORPORATION BEING OWNED BY FEWER THAN 100 PERSONS. ANY PERSON WHO BENEFICIALLY OR CONSTRUCTIVELY OWNS OR ATTEMPTS TO BENEFICIALLY OR CONSTRUCTIVELY OWN SHARES OF CAPITAL STOCK WHICH CAUSES OR MAY CAUSE A PERSON TO BENEFICIALLY OR CONSTRUCTIVELY OWN SHARES OF CAPITAL STOCK IN EXCESS OR IN VIOLATION OF THE ABOVE LIMITATIONS MUST IMMEDIATELY NOTIFY THE CORPORATION OR, IN THE CASE OF SUCH A PROPOSED OR ATTEMPTED TRANSACTION, GIVE AT LEAST 15 DAYS PRIOR WRITTEN NOTICE. IF ANY OF THE RESTRICTIONS ON TRANSFER OR OWNERSHIP SET FORTH IN (I) THROUGH (III) ABOVE ARE VIOLATED, THE SHARES OF CAPITAL STOCK REPRESENTED HEREBY WILL BE AUTOMATICALLY TRANSFERRED TO A TRUSTEE OF A TRUST FOR THE BENEFIT OF ONE OR MORE CHARITABLE BENEFICIARIES. IN ADDITION, THE CORPORATION MAY TAKE OTHER ACTIONS, INCLUDING REDEEMING SHARES UPON THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS SPECIFIED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

IN ITS SOLE AND ABSOLUTE DISCRETION IF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS DETERMINES THAT OWNERSHIP OR A TRANSFER OR OTHER EVENT MAY VIOLATE THE RESTRICTIONS DESCRIBED ABOVE. FURTHERMORE, UPON THE OCCURRENCE OF CERTAIN EVENTS, ATTEMPTED TRANSFERS IN VIOLATION OF THE RESTRICTIONS DESCRIBED ABOVE MAY BE VOID *AB INITIO*. ALL UNDERLINED TERMS IN THIS LEGEND HAVE THE MEANINGS DEFINED IN THE CHARTER OF THE CORPORATION, AS THE SAME MAY BE AMENDED FROM TIME TO TIME, A COPY OF WHICH, INCLUDING THE RESTRICTIONS ON TRANSFER AND OWNERSHIP, WILL BE FURNISHED TO EACH HOLDER OF CAPITAL STOCK OF THE CORPORATION ON REQUEST AND WITHOUT CHARGE. REQUESTS FOR SUCH A COPY MAY BE DIRECTED TO THE SECRETARY OF THE CORPORATION AT ITS PRINCIPAL OFFICE.

(b) The Surviving Entity (or its successor in interest) shall not be liable to any holder of a Management Company Interest for any portion of the Merger Consideration delivered to a public official pursuant to any applicable abandoned property, escheat or similar Law.

Section 2.04 CLOSING DELIVERIES. At the Closing, the parties shall make, execute, acknowledge and deliver, or cause to be made, executed, acknowledged and delivered any other documents reasonably requested by the Operating Partnership or reasonably necessary or desirable to assign, transfer, convey, contribute and deliver the Management Company Interests, free and clear of all Liens and to effectuate the transactions contemplated hereby.

Section 2.05 CLOSING COSTS. If the Closing occurs, the REIT and the Operating Partnership shall be solely responsible for all transaction costs and expenses of the REIT, the Operating Partnership and the Rexford Entities in connection with the Formation Transactions and the Offering, which include, but are not limited to, the underwriting discounts and commissions. In the event the Closing does not occur, each party shall be responsible for its allocable portion of such costs and expenses in accordance with the terms of those certain letter agreements identified on Schedule 2.05.

Section 2.06 TERM OF THE AGREEMENT. This Agreement shall terminate automatically if the transactions contemplated herein shall not have been consummated on or prior to December 31, 2013 (such date is hereinafter referred to as the "Outside Date").

Section 2.07 EFFECT OF TERMINATION. In the event of termination of this Agreement for any reason, all obligations on the part of the OP Parties and the Management Company under this Agreement shall terminate, except that the obligations set forth in Article VI shall survive, it being understood and agreed, however, for the avoidance of doubt, that if this Agreement is terminated because one or more of the conditions to the non-breaching party's obligations under this Agreement are not satisfied by the Outside Date as a result of the other party's material breach of a covenant, representation, warranty or other obligation under this Agreement or any other Formation Transaction Documentation, the non-breaching party's right to pursue all legal remedies with respect to such breach will survive such termination unimpaired.

Section 2.08 TAX WITHHOLDING. The Operating Partnership, the Merger Sub and the Management Company, as applicable, shall be entitled to deduct and withhold from the consideration payable pursuant to this Agreement to any holder of a Management Company Interest such amounts required to be deducted and withheld with respect to the making of such payment under the Code or any provision of state, local or foreign tax law. To the extent that amounts are so withheld, such withheld amounts shall be treated for all purposes of this Agreement as having been paid to the holder of the Management Company Interest in respect of which such deduction and withholding was made.

ARTICLE III

REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES OF THE OP PARTIES

Each of the OP Parties hereby represents and warrants to the Management Company as follows:

Section 3.01 ORGANIZATION; AUTHORITY.

(a) Each OP Party has been duly formed or incorporated and is validly existing and in good standing under the Laws of its jurisdiction of incorporation or formation and has, or upon the effectiveness of the Operating Partnership Agreement, will have, all requisite power and authority to enter into this Agreement and the other Formation Transaction Documentation and to carry out the transactions contemplated hereby and thereby, and to own, lease and/or operate its property and to carry on its business as presently conducted and, to the extent required under applicable Laws, is qualified to do business and is in good standing in each jurisdiction in which the nature of its business or the character of its property make such qualification necessary, other than such failures to be so qualified as would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have an OP Material Adverse Effect.

(b) Schedule 3.01(b) sets forth as of the date hereof, (i) each Subsidiary of the Operating Partnership (each an “Operating Partnership Subsidiary”), (ii) the ownership interest therein of the Operating Partnership, and (iii) if not wholly owned by the Operating Partnership, the identity and ownership interest of each of the other owners of such Operating Partnership Subsidiary. Each Operating Partnership Subsidiary has been duly organized or formed and is validly existing and is in good standing under the Laws of its jurisdiction of organization or formation, as applicable, has all requisite power and authority to own, lease and/or operate its property and to carry on its business as presently conducted and, to the extent required under applicable Laws, is qualified to do business and is in good standing in each jurisdiction in which the nature of its business or the character of its property make such qualification necessary, other than such failures to be so qualified as would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have an OP Material Adverse Effect.

Section 3.02 DUE AUTHORIZATION. The execution, delivery and performance of this Agreement and the other Formation Transaction Documentation (including each agreement, document and instrument executed and delivered by or on behalf of each OP Party pursuant to this Agreement or the other Formation Transaction Documentation) by the OP Party has been duly and validly authorized by all necessary actions required of the OP Party. This Agreement, the other Formation Transaction Documentation and each agreement, document and instrument executed and delivered by or on behalf of each OP Party pursuant to this Agreement or the other Formation Transaction Documentation constitutes, or when executed and delivered will constitute, the legal, valid and binding obligation of the OP Party, enforceable against the OP Party in accordance with its terms, subject to applicable bankruptcy, insolvency, moratorium or other similar Laws relating to creditors' rights and general principles of equity.

Section 3.03 CONSENTS AND APPROVALS. Except for the filing of the Certificate of Merger in accordance with Section 1.02 hereof or in connection with the Offering and the consummation of the other Formation Transactions or as shall have been obtained on or prior to the Closing Date, no consent, waiver, approval, authorization, order, license, permit or registration of, qualification, designation, declaration or filing with, any Person or Governmental Authority or under any applicable Laws is required to be obtained by each OP Party in connection with the execution, delivery and performance of this Agreement and the transactions contemplated hereby, except for (a) those consents, waivers, approvals, authorizations, orders, licenses, permits, registrations, qualifications, designations, declarations or filings, the failure of which to obtain or to file would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have an OP Material Adverse Effect, or (b) those consents under the Organizational Documents of the applicable Rexford Entity (including the Management Company), the failure of which to obtain would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have an OP Material Adverse Effect.

Section 3.04 NO VIOLATION. None of the execution, delivery or performance of this Agreement, the other Formation Transaction Documentation, any agreement contemplated hereby between the parties to this Agreement and the transactions contemplated hereby between the parties to this Agreement does or will, with or without the giving of notice, lapse of time, or both, violate, conflict with, result in a breach of, or constitute a default under or give to others any right of termination, acceleration, cancellation or other right under, (a) the Organizational Documents of each OP Party, (b) any agreement, document or instrument to which the OP Party or any of its respective assets are bound or (c) any term or provision of any judgment, order, writ, injunction, or decree binding on the OP Party, except for, in the case of clause (b) or (c), any such breaches or defaults that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have an OP Material Adverse Effect.

Section 3.05 VALIDITY OF OP UNITS AND REIT SHARES. Any OP Units to be issued pursuant to this Agreement will have been duly authorized by the Operating Partnership and, when issued against the consideration therefor, will be validly issued, fully paid and non-assessable, free and clear of all Liens created by the Operating Partnership (other than any Liens created by the Operating Partnership Agreement). Any REIT Shares to be issued pursuant to this Agreement will have been duly authorized by the REIT and, when issued against the consideration therefor, will be validly issued, fully paid and non-assessable, free and clear of all Liens created by the REIT (other than any Liens created by the charter of the REIT).

Section 3.06 LITIGATION. Except for actions, suits or proceedings covered by policies of insurance, there is no action, suit or proceeding pending or, to the knowledge of the Operating Partnership, threatened against the Operating Partnership or any Operating Partnership Subsidiary, other than actions, suits, proceedings arising in the ordinary course of business from the ownership and operation of each OP Party, that individually or in the aggregate, would not reasonably be expected, (a) if adversely determined, to have an OP Material Adverse Effect, or (b) to challenge or impair the ability of the OP Party to execute or deliver, or materially perform its obligations under, this Agreement and the documents executed by it pursuant to this Agreement or to consummate the transactions contemplated hereby or thereby to such an extent as would result in an OP Material Adverse Effect.

Section 3.07 OPERATING PARTNERSHIP AGREEMENT. Attached hereto as Exhibit B hereto is a true and correct copy of the Operating Partnership Agreement, as in effect immediately prior to the Effective Time.

Section 3.08 LIMITED ACTIVITIES. Except for activities in connection with the Offering, the Formation Transactions or in the ordinary course of business, the Operating Partnership and the Operating Partnership Subsidiaries have not engaged in any material business or incurred any material obligations.

Section 3.09 NO BROKER. No OP Party has entered into, and each covenants that it will not enter into, any agreement, arrangement or understanding with any Person or firm which will result in the obligation of the Management Company or any Affiliates thereof to pay any finder's fee, brokerage commission or similar payment in connection with the transaction contemplated by this Agreement (other than underwriting discounts, commissions and other fees and expenses to be paid by the REIT in connection with the Offering and any related financing transactions).

Section 3.10 NO OTHER REPRESENTATIONS OR WARRANTIES. Other than the representations and warranties expressly set forth in this Article III and any other agreement entered into in connection with the Formation Transactions, the OP Parties shall not be deemed to have made any other representation or warranty in connection with this Agreement or the transactions contemplated hereby. All representations, warranties and covenants of the OP Parties contained in this Agreement shall expire at the Closing.

ARTICLE IV

REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES OF THE MANAGEMENT COMPANY

Except as disclosed in the Offering Document or the schedules attached hereto, the Management Company represents and warrants to the OP Parties that as of the Closing Date:

Section 4.01 ORGANIZATION; AUTHORITY.

(a) The Management Company has been duly formed, is validly existing and in good standing under the Laws of its jurisdiction of formation, and has all requisite power and authority to enter into this Agreement, each agreement contemplated hereby and the other Formation Transaction Documentation to which it is a party (including any agreement, document

and instrument executed and delivered by or on behalf of the Management Company pursuant to this Agreement or the other Formation Transaction Documentation) and to carry out the transactions contemplated hereby and thereby, and to carry on its business as presently conducted. The Management Company, to the extent required under applicable Laws, is qualified to do business and is in good standing in each jurisdiction in which the nature of its business make such qualification necessary, other than such failures to be so qualified as would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Management Company Material Adverse Effect.

(b) The Management Company has no direct or indirect ownership interest in any Subsidiary other than Rexford Industrial Realty & Management, Inc., a California corporation (“RIRMI”). RIRMI (i) is wholly-owned by the Management Company, (ii) has been duly organized, is validly existing and is in good standing under the Laws of its jurisdiction of organization, and has all requisite power and authority to carry on its business as presently conducted, and (iii) to the extent required under applicable Laws, is qualified to do business and is in good standing in each jurisdiction in which the nature of its business make such qualification necessary, other than such failures to be so qualified as would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Management Company Material Adverse Effect. Neither the Management Company nor RIRMI owns or leases pursuant to a ground lease any property. The Management Company does not own any equity or ownership interest in any other Person.

(c) The OP Parties have been provided complete and accurate copies of Organizational Documents, as amended through the date hereof, and such Organizational Documents are in full force and effect as of the date hereof and have not been further modified or amended.

Section 4.02 DUE AUTHORIZATION. The execution, delivery and performance by the Management Company of this Agreement and the other Formation Transaction Documentation (including any agreement, document and instrument executed and delivered by or on behalf of the Management Company pursuant to this Agreement or the other Formation Transaction Documentation) to which it is a party have been duly and validly authorized by all necessary actions required of the Management Company. This Agreement, the other Formation Transaction Documentation and each agreement, document and instrument executed and delivered by or on behalf of the Management Company pursuant to this Agreement or the other Formation Transaction Documentation constitutes, or when executed and delivered will constitute, the legal, valid and binding obligation of the Management Company, each enforceable against the Management Company in accordance with its terms, subject to applicable bankruptcy, insolvency, moratorium or other similar Laws relating to creditors’ rights and general principles of equity.

Section 4.03 CAPITALIZATION. Schedule 4.03 sets forth as of the date hereof the ownership of the Management Company. All of the issued and outstanding equity interests of the Management Company are duly authorized, validly issued and fully paid; and are not subject to preemptive rights or appraisal, dissenters’ or other similar rights under the Organizational Documents of or any contract to which the Management Company is a party or otherwise bound, except for such preemptive rights, transfer restrictions, or appraisal, dissenters’ or other similar

rights as would not prevent the Merger. There are no outstanding rights to purchase, subscriptions, warrants, options or any other security convertible into or exchangeable for equity interests in the Management Company. Except as set forth in the Organizational Documents, the Management Company is not a party to any agreement for the sale of its material assets, for the grant to any Person of any preferential right to purchase any such material assets or the acquisition of any material operating business, material assets or capital stock of any other corporation, entity or business, other than the purchase or sale of assets in the ordinary course of business.

Section 4.04 CONSENTS AND APPROVALS. Except as shall have been obtained or satisfied on or prior to the Closing Date, no consent, waiver, approval, authorization, order, license, permit or registration of, qualification, designation, declaration or filing with, any Person or any Governmental Authority or under any applicable Laws is required to be obtained by the Management Company in connection with the execution, delivery and performance of this Agreement, the other Formation Transaction Documentation to which the Management Company is a party and the transactions contemplated hereby and thereby, except for those consents, waivers, approvals, authorizations, orders, licenses, permits, registrations, qualifications, designations, declarations or filings, the failure of which to obtain or to file would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Management Company Material Adverse Effect.

Section 4.05 NO VIOLATION. None of the execution, delivery or performance of this Agreement, any agreement contemplated hereby between the parties to this Agreement and the transactions contemplated hereby between the parties to this Agreement does or will, with or without the giving of notice, lapse of time, or both, violate, conflict with, result in a breach of, or constitute a default under or give to others any right of termination, acceleration, cancellation or other right under, (a) the Organizational Documents of the Management Company or (b) any agreement, document or instrument to which the Management Company is a party or by which the Management Company or any of its assets or properties are bound or (c) any term or provision of any judgment, order, writ, injunction, or decree binding on the Management Company (or its assets or properties), except for, in the case of clause (b) or (c), any such breaches or defaults that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Management Company Material Adverse Effect.

Section 4.06 LICENSES AND PERMITS. All notices, licenses, permits, certificates and authorizations required for the continued operation of the business of the Management Company have been obtained or can be obtained without material cost, are in full force and effect, are in good standing and (to the extent required in connection with the transactions contemplated by the Formation Transaction Documentation) are assignable to the OP Parties, except in each case for items that, if not so obtained, obtainable and/or transferred, would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Management Company Material Adverse Effect. Neither the Management Company nor, to the knowledge of the Management Company, any third party has taken any action that (or failed to take any action the omission of which) would result in the revocation of any such notice, license, permit, certificate or authorization where such revocation or revocations would, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Management Company Material Adverse Effect, nor has any one of them received any written notice of violation from any Governmental Authority or written

notice of the intention of any entity to revoke any such notice, license, permit, certificate or authorization, that in each case has not been cured or otherwise resolved to the satisfaction of such Governmental Authority or other entity and except as would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Management Company Material Adverse Effect.

Section 4.07 COMPLIANCE WITH LAWS. The Management Company has conducted its businesses in compliance with all applicable Laws, except for such failures that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Management Company Material Adverse Effect. Neither the Management Company nor, to the knowledge of the Management Company, any third party are in violation of any Law or has been informed in writing of any continuing violation of any such Laws or that any investigation has been commenced and is continuing or is contemplated respecting any such possible violation, except in each case for violations that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Management Company Material Adverse Effect. There has not been committed by the Management Company or, to the knowledge of the Management Company, any other Person in occupancy of or involved with the operation or use of the Properties any act or omission affording the federal government or any other Governmental Authority the right of forfeiture as against any Property or any part thereof.

Section 4.08 INSURANCE. Schedule 4.08 lists each insurance policy to which the Management Company is a party, an insured or a beneficiary. Each of the insurance policies is in full force and effect in all material respects and all premiums due and payable thereunder have been fully paid when due. To the knowledge of the Management Company, the Management Company has not received from any insurance company any notices of cancellation or intent to cancel any insurance.

Section 4.09 FINANCIAL STATEMENTS. The consolidated financial statements of the Management Company included in the Offering Document have been prepared in all material respects in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles applied on a consistent basis during the periods involved (except as may be indicated in the notes thereto), subject, in the case of unaudited statements, to normal year-end audit adjustments, and fairly present in all material respects the financial condition and results of operations of the Management Company as of the dates indicated therein and for the periods ended as indicated therein.

Section 4.10 TAXES.

(a) The Management Company has timely and properly filed (or caused to be timely and properly filed) all Tax Returns required to be filed by it and RIRMI (after giving effect to any filing extension properly granted by a Governmental Authority having authority to do so), and all such Tax Returns are accurate and complete in all material respects.

(b) The Management Company and RIRMI each have timely paid (or have had paid on their behalf) all Taxes as required to be paid by them.

(c) No income or material non-income Tax returns filed by the Management Company or RIRMI are subject to a pending or ongoing audit. No deficiencies for any income or material non-income Taxes have been proposed, asserted or assessed against the Management Company or RIRMI, and no requests for waivers of the time to assess any such Taxes are pending.

(d) Since its formation, the Management Company has been treated for United States federal income tax purposes as a partnership and not as a corporation or an association taxable as a corporation.

Section 4.11 LITIGATION. Except for actions, suits or proceedings fully covered by policies of insurance, there is no action, suit or proceeding pending or, to the knowledge of the Management Company, threatened against or affecting the Management Company or any officer, director, principal, managing member or Affiliate of the Management Company, other than actions, suits or proceedings arising in the ordinary course of business from the ownership and operation, which, if adversely determined, would not have a Management Company Material Adverse Effect. There is no action, suit, or proceeding pending or, to the knowledge of the Management Company, threatened against or affecting the Management Company or any officer, director, principal, managing member or Affiliate of the Management Company, which challenges or impairs the ability of the Management Company to execute or deliver, or perform its obligations under this Agreement or any Formation Transaction Documentation or any other documents executed by it pursuant to this Agreement or any Formation Transaction Documentation or to consummate the transactions contemplated hereby or thereby. Except for matters covered by insurance, there is no judgment, decree, injunction, rule or order of a Governmental Authority outstanding against the Management Company or any officer, director, principal or managing member of the Management Company in their capacity as such, or which would reasonably be expected to have a Management Company Material Adverse Effect. None of the Management Company or any officer, director, principal, managing member, general partner or Affiliate of any of the foregoing has received any written notice of any pending or threatened proceedings for the rezoning (i.e., as opposed to the current zoning) of any Property or any portion thereof which would impair the current or proposed use thereof in a manner that would result in a Management Company Material Adverse Effect.

Section 4.12 INSOLVENCY. No attachments, execution proceedings, assignments for the benefit of creditors, insolvency, bankruptcy, reorganization or other proceedings are pending or, to the Management Company's knowledge, threatened against the Management Company, nor are any such proceedings contemplated by the Management Company.

Section 4.13 SECURITIES LAW MATTERS. The Management Company acknowledges that: (i) the REIT and Operating Partnership intend the offer and issuance of any REIT Shares or OP Units to any Pre-Formation Participants to be exempt from registration under the Securities Act and applicable state securities laws by virtue of the status of such equity holder as an Accredited Investor acquiring any REIT Shares or OP Units in a transaction exempt from registration pursuant to Rule 506 of Regulation D under the Securities Act, and (ii) in issuing any REIT Shares or OP Units pursuant to the terms of this Agreement, the REIT and Operating Partnership are relying on the representations made by each equity holder electing to receive REIT Shares or OP Units as consideration in the Merger, which representations were set forth in [Appendix C](#) to the Request for Consent – Accredited Investor Representations Letter.

Section 4.14 NO BROKER. The Management Company has not entered into, and it covenants that it will not enter into, any agreement, arrangement or understanding with any Person or firm which will result in the obligation of the REIT or any Affiliate to pay any finder's fee, brokerage commission or similar payment in connection with the transaction contemplated by this Agreement (other than underwriting discounts, commissions and other fees and expenses to be paid by the REIT in connection with the Offering and any related financing transactions).

Section 4.15 OWNERSHIP OF CERTAIN ASSETS. Except as set forth in Schedule 4.15, the Management Company does not own any loan assets or other securities of any issuer except for equity interests in other Rexford Entities.

Section 4.16 EMPLOYEES. Except as would not reasonably be expected to have a Management Company Material Adverse Effect, (i) none of the Management Company or any of its Subsidiaries is delinquent in payments to any of its employees, consultants or independent contractors for any wages, salaries, commissions or bonuses for any service performed, or for amounts required to be reimbursed to such employees, consultants or independent contractors and (ii) each of the Management Company and each of its Subsidiaries has, to the extent applicable: (a) complied in all material respects with all applicable laws related to employment; and (b) withheld and paid to the appropriate Governmental Authority, or is holding for payment not yet due to such Governmental Authority, all amounts required to be withheld from employees.

Section 4.17 NO OTHER REPRESENTATIONS OR WARRANTIES. Other than the representations and warranties expressly set forth in this Article IV and any other agreement entered into by the Management Company in connection with the Formation Transactions, the Management Company shall not be deemed to have made any other representation or warranty in connection with this Agreement or the transactions contemplated hereby.

Section 4.18 SURVIVAL OF REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES. The parties hereto agree and acknowledge that the representations and warranties set forth in this Article IV (other than Section 4.01, Section 4.01(c), Section 4.03, and Section 4.13) shall not survive the Closing.

ARTICLE V

COVENANTS AND OTHER AGREEMENTS

Section 5.01 PRE-CLOSING COVENANTS. During the period from the date hereof to the Closing Date (except as otherwise provided for or contemplated by this Agreement or in connection with the Formation Transactions), the Management Company shall use commercially reasonable efforts to conduct its businesses in the ordinary course of business consistent with past practice, pay its debt obligations as they become due and payable, and use commercially reasonable efforts to preserve intact its current business organizations and preserve its relationships with customers, tenants, suppliers, advertisers and others having business dealings with it, in each case consistent with past practice. In addition, and without limiting the generality of the foregoing, during the period from the date hereof to the Closing Date and except in connection with the Formation Transactions, the Management Company shall not without the

prior written consent of the Operating Partnership, which consent may be withheld by the Operating Partnership in its sole discretion:

(a) (i) other than distributions to the members of the Management Company in connection with such members' payment of any Taxes related to their ownership of the membership interest of the Management Company or as otherwise contemplated by this Agreement, declare, set aside or pay any dividends or distributions in respect of any Management Company Interests, except in the ordinary course of business consistent with past practice and in accordance with the applicable governing document of the Management Company, (ii) issue or authorize the issuance of any other securities in respect of, in lieu of or in substitution for any Management Company Interests or make any other changes to the equity capital structure of the Management Company, or (iii) purchase, redeem or otherwise acquire any Management Company Interests or interests or any other securities thereof;

(b) issue, deliver, sell, transfer, dispose, mortgage, pledge, assign or otherwise encumber, or cause the issuance, delivery, sale, transfer, disposition, mortgage, pledge, assignment or otherwise encumbrance of, any limited liability company, partnership interests or other equity interests of the Management Company or any other assets of the Management Company;

(c) amend its certificate of formation and limited liability company agreement;

(d) adopt a plan of liquidation, dissolution, merger, consolidation, restructuring, recapitalization or reorganization;

(e) materially alter the manner of keeping the Management Company's books, accounts or records or the accounting practices therein reflected;

(f) file an entity classification election pursuant to Treasury Regulation Section 301.7701-3(c) on Internal Revenue Service Form 8832 (Entity Classification Election) to treat the Management Company as an association taxable as a corporation for United States federal income tax purposes; make or change any other Tax elections; settle or compromise any claim, notice, audit report or assessment in respect of Taxes; change any annual Tax accounting period; adopt or change any method of Tax accounting; file any amended Tax Return; enter into any tax allocation agreement, tax sharing agreement, tax indemnity agreement or closing agreement relating to any Tax; surrender of any right to claim a Tax refund; or consent to any extension or waiver of the statute of limitations period applicable to any Tax claim or assessment;

(g) knowingly cause or permit the Management Company to violate, or fail to use commercially reasonable efforts to cure any violation of, any applicable Laws;

(h) take any action or fail to take any action the result of which would have a Management Company Material Adverse Effect; or

(i) authorize, commit or agree to take any of the foregoing actions.

Section 5.02 COMMERCIALY REASONABLE EFFORTS BY THE OPERATING PARTNERSHIP AND THE MANAGEMENT COMPANY. Each of the Operating Partnership and Management Company shall use commercially reasonable efforts and cooperate with each other in (a) promptly determining whether any filings are required to be made or consents, approvals, waivers, permits or authorizations are required to be obtained (under any applicable Law or regulation or from any Governmental Authority or third party) in connection with the transactions contemplated by this Agreement, and (b) promptly making (or causing to be made) any such filings, in furnishing information required in connection therewith and in timely seeking to obtain any such consents, approvals, waivers, permits and authorizations.

Section 5.03 TAX MATTERS.

(a) So long as some portion of the Merger Consideration is in the form of OP Units, the parties hereto intend and agree that, for United States federal income tax purposes, the transactions contemplated by this Agreement shall constitute an “assets-over” partnership merger within the meaning of Treasury Regulations Section 1.708-1(c)(3)(i) pursuant to which the Management Company contributes all of its assets and liabilities to the Operating Partnership in exchange for OP Units in a transaction qualifying under Section 721(a) of the Code and immediately thereafter, the Management Company distributes such OP Units to the holders of Management Company Interests. As a result, (i) in accordance with Treasury Regulations Section 1.708-1(c)(4), any payment of cash or REIT Shares attributable to a holder of Management Company Interests shall be treated as a sale by such holder of its Management Company Interests and a purchase of such interests by the Operating Partnership for the cash and/or REIT Shares so paid under the terms of this Agreement, and (ii) the Management Company shall cause each such holder of Management Company Interests who receives cash and/or REIT Shares to explicitly agree and consent (the “Sale Consent”) to such treatment in their Consent Forms as a condition to electing such consideration. To the extent the Operating Partnership acquires any Management Company Interests as described in clause (i) above, or otherwise previously acquired any such interests, for United States federal income tax purposes the receipt by the Operating Partnership of the portion of property attributable to such interests shall be treated as a distribution by the Management Company in redemption of such interests. Notwithstanding Section 1.05 and any holder’s election as to the form of its Merger Consideration, if any holder of Management Company Interests (other than a non-Accredited Investor), fails to execute a Sale Consent prior to the Closing, such holder’s Merger Consideration shall consist solely of OP Units. Notwithstanding Section 1.07 and Section 2.03(a), any cash paid as the Merger Consideration holder of Management Company Interests shall be paid only after the receipt of a Sale Consent from such holder of Management Company Interests.

(b) Each of the REIT, the Operating Partnership and the Management Company shall cooperate fully, as and to the extent reasonably requested by the other party, in connection with the filing of Tax Returns related to the transactions pursuant to this Agreement and any audit, litigation or administrative, judicial or other inquiry or proceeding with respect to Taxes related to the transactions pursuant to this Agreement. Such cooperation shall include the retention and (upon the other party’s request) the provision of records and information which are reasonably relevant to any such action or other proceeding and making employees available on a mutually convenient basis to provide additional information and explanation of any material provided hereunder.

(c) The Operating Partnership shall prepare or cause to be prepared and file or cause to be filed all income Tax Returns of the Management Company which are due after the Closing Date. All such income Tax Returns shall be prepared in a manner consistent with past practice, except as otherwise required by applicable Law.

(d) The Operating Partnership shall prepare or cause to be prepared all other Tax Returns of the Management Company.

(e) Prior to Closing, the Management Company shall deliver to the REIT a properly executed certificate prepared in accordance with Treasury Regulations section 1.1445-2(b) certifying the non-foreign status of the Management Company and of each holder of the Management Company Interests and any similar affidavits or other forms required under applicable state, local or foreign Tax Laws.

(f) Neither the REIT nor the Operating Partnership makes any representations or warranties to the Management Company or any holder of a Management Company Interest regarding the Tax treatment of the Merger or the other Formation Transactions, or with respect to any other Tax consequences to the Management Company or any holder of a Management Company Interest of this Agreement, the Merger or the other Formation Transactions. The Management Company acknowledges that the Management Company and the holders of Management Company Interests are relying solely on their own Tax advisors in connection with this Agreement, the Merger and the other Formation Transactions and agreements contemplated hereby.

Section 5.04 CONSENT AND WAIVER OF RIGHTS UNDER ORGANIZATIONAL DOCUMENTS. As of the Closing, the Management Company waives and relinquishes all rights and benefits otherwise afforded to the Management Company (a) under its Organizational Documents including, without limitation, any rights of appraisal, rights of first offer or first refusal, buy/sell agreements, put, option, or similar parallel exit or dissenter rights in connection with the Formation Transactions and the Offering, and any right to consent to or approve of the sale or contribution or other transaction undertaken by any equity holder of the Management Company of their Management Company Interests to the REIT or any Affiliate thereof and any and all notice provisions related thereto and (b) for claims against any OP Party for breach by any of their respective present or former officers, directors, managing members, general partners or Affiliates of their fiduciary duties or similar obligations (including duties of disclosure) to any of their respective present or former shareholders, members, partners, equity interest holders or Affiliates or the terms of any applicable Organizational Documents. The Management Company acknowledges that the agreements contained herein and the transactions contemplated hereby and any actions taken in contemplation of the transactions contemplated hereby may conflict with, and may not have been contemplated by, the Organizational Documents of the Management Company or other agreements among one or more holders of Management Company Interests or one or more of the members of the Management Company. With respect to the Management Company and each property in which the Management Company Interests represent a direct or indirect interest, the Management Company expressly gives all consents

(and any consents necessary to authorize the proper parties in interest to give all consents) and waivers it is entitled to give that are necessary or desirable to facilitate the contribution or other Formation Transactions relating to the Management Company or such property. In addition, the Management Company agrees that if the transactions contemplated hereby occur, this Agreement shall be deemed to be an amendment to the Organizational Documents of the Management Company to the extent the terms herein conflict with the terms thereof, including without limitation, terms with respect to allocations, distributions and the like. In the event the transactions contemplated by this Agreement do not occur, nothing in this Agreement shall be deemed to be or construed as an amendment or modification of, or commitment of any kind to amend or modify, the Organizational Documents of the Management Company, which shall remain in full force and effect without modification.

Section 5.05 EXCLUDED ASSETS. Prior to the Closing and after such amounts are reasonably determined, the Management Company shall distribute or cause to be distributed or paid out the Excluded Assets identified on Schedule 5.05. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary herein, (a) such Excluded Assets shall be remitted to Sponsor (or its designee(s)) to the extent of the aggregate balance remaining on two loans made by Sponsor to the Management Company and to RIRMI, in repayment of such loans, and (b) to the extent such Excluded Assets are insufficient to fully repay the balance remaining on such loans (such remaining unpaid balance, the "Repayment Shortfall"), the aggregate Equity Value attributable to the Management Company (and therefore the aggregate Merger Consideration) shall be reduced, and the aggregate Equity Value attributable to Sponsor (and therefore the aggregate merger consideration payable in respect of Sponsor in the Formation Transactions) shall be increased, in each case by an amount equal to the Repayment Shortfall.

Section 5.06 ALTERNATE TRANSACTION. In the event that the Operating Partnership determines that a structure change is necessary, advisable or desirable, the Operating Partnership may elect, in its sole and absolute discretion, to effect an Alternate Transaction (subject to the limitations in the definition thereof), without the need for the OP Parties to seek any further consent or action from the Management Company, and the Management Company shall, and it shall cause its shareholders to, enter into such agreements as shall be necessary to consummate an Alternate Transaction. In the event that an Alternate Transaction is used to effect the transactions contemplated by this Agreement, then the OP Parties may elect to terminate this Agreement without any liability or obligation to any Person.

Section 5.07 OBLIGATIONS OF MERGER SUB. Subject to the terms of this Agreement, the Operating Partnership shall take all reasonable action necessary to cause the Merger Sub (a) to be formed prior to the Effective Time and become a party to this Agreement by executing a counterpart of this Agreement where indicated on the signature page hereof (the date of such execution, the "Joinder Date") and (b) to perform its obligations under this Agreement and to consummate the Merger on the terms and conditions set forth in this Agreement. All representations, warranties, covenants, agreements, rights and obligations of the Merger Sub herein shall become effective as to the Merger Sub as of the Joinder Date.

ARTICLE VI

GENERAL PROVISIONS

Section 6.01 NOTICES. All notices and other communications under this Agreement shall be in writing and shall be deemed given when (a) delivered personally, (b) five (5) Business Days after being mailed by certified mail, return receipt requested and postage prepaid, (c) one (1) Business Day after being sent by a nationally recognized overnight courier or (d) transmitted by facsimile if confirmed within twenty-four (24) hours thereafter by a signed original sent in the manner provided in clause (a), (b) or (c) to the parties at the following addresses (or at such other address for a party as shall be specified by notice from such party):

(b) if to the OP Parties:

Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P.
11620 Wilshire Boulevard, Suite 300
Los Angeles, CA 90025
Facsimile: (310) 966-1690
Attention: Howard Schwimmer and Michael S. Frankel

(c) if to the Management Company:

Rexford Industrial, LLC
11620 Wilshire Boulevard, Suite 300
Los Angeles, CA 90025
Facsimile: (310) 966-1690
Attention: Howard Schwimmer and Michael S. Frankel

Section 6.02 DEFINITIONS. For purposes of this Agreement, the following terms shall have the following meanings.

(a) “Accredited Investor” has the meaning set forth under Regulation D of the Securities Act.

(b) “Affiliate” means, with respect to any Person, a Person that, directly or indirectly, through one or more intermediaries, controls, is controlled by, or is under common control with the specified Person. For the purposes of this definition, “control” (including, with correlative meanings, the terms “controlled by” and “under common control with”) as used with respect to any Person, shall mean the possession, directly or indirectly, of the power to direct or cause the direction of the management or policies of such Person, whether through the ownership of voting securities, by agreement or otherwise.

(c) “Allocated Share” means an amount of Merger Consideration that would be distributed to a Pre-Formation Participant that is the holder of an interest in a Rexford Entity in accordance with the provisions of the existing Organizational Documents of such entity relating to distributions of distributable net proceeds from sales of directly or indirectly owned properties or assets, and assuming the sale of the relevant Target Asset or Target Assets that are directly or indirectly owned by such entity for a value equal to such Target Asset’s or Target Assets’ respective Equity Value(s).

(d) “Alternate Transaction” means any transaction structure, other than that contemplated by this Agreement, pursuant to which the REIT, the Operating Partnership or any of their Subsidiaries acquire all or a portion of the interests in the Management Company or the assets held directly or indirectly by the Management Company in a transaction pursuant to which each holder of Management Company Interests receives the amount of cash, the number of OP Units and/or the number of REIT Shares that were to be received by such holder pursuant to this Agreement (or a portion thereof equal in value to the value of the portion of such assets acquired by the REIT, the Operating Partnership or any of their Subsidiaries pursuant to such Alternate Transaction); provided, that such structure will not (i) result in a breach of the Management Company’s governing documents and (ii) give rise to dissenters’ or appraisal rights by the members of the Management Company, unless such rights have fully waived by all such members in the Consent Forms.

(e) “Business Day” means any day that is not a Saturday, Sunday or legal holiday in the State of California.

(f) “Code” means the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, together with the rules and regulations promulgated or issued thereunder.

(g) “Consent Form” means the form provided to each holder of Pre-Formation Interests to consent to the Formation Transactions and to make such holder’s irrevocable elections with respect to consideration to be received by such holder in the Formation Transactions.

(h) “Elected OP Unit Percentage” means, with respect to the Merger Consideration to be received by any Pre-Formation Participant, the percentage of the Allocated Share that the Pre-Formation Participant has made a Valid Election to receive in the form of OP Units.

(i) “Elected REIT Shares Percentage” means, with respect to the Merger Consideration to be received by any Pre-Formation Participant, the percentage of the Allocated Share that the Pre-Formation Participant has made a Valid Election to receive in the form of REIT Shares.

(j) “Entity Specific Debt” has the meaning set forth in Schedule 6.02(c) hereto.

(k) “Equity Value” has the meaning set forth in Schedule 6.02(c) hereto.

(l) “Excluded Assets” means the assets identified on Schedule 5.05.

(m) “Formation Transaction Documentation” means all of the agreements (including this Agreement) and related documents substantially in the forms accompanying the Request for Consent dated February 22, 2013 and identified in Exhibit G hereto, pursuant to which all of the Rexford Entities and/or the Pre-Formation Interests are to be acquired by the REIT or the Operating Partnership, directly or indirectly, as part of the Formation Transactions.

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- (n) “Formation Transactions” means the transactions contemplated by this Agreement and the other Formation Transaction Documentation.
- (o) “Fund V Subsequent Investment Amount” has the meaning set forth in Schedule 6.02(c) hereto.
- (p) “Governmental Authority” means any government or agency, bureau, board, commission, court, department, official, political subdivision, tribunal or other instrumentality of any government, whether federal, state or local, domestic or foreign.
- (q) “Interim Period” has the meaning set forth in Schedule 6.02(c) hereto.
- (r) “Laws” means laws, statutes, rules, regulations, codes, orders, ordinances, judgments, injunctions, decrees and policies of any Governmental Authority, including, without limitation, zoning, land use or other similar rules or ordinances.
- (s) “Liens” means all pledges, claims, liens, charges, restrictions, controls, easements, rights of way, exceptions, reservations, leases, licenses, grants, covenants and conditions, encumbrances and security interests of any kind or nature whatsoever.
- (t) “Lock-Up Agreement” means that certain Lock-Up Agreement, by and between the underwriters and each investor of the REIT and/or the Operating Partnership.
- (u) “Management Company Material Adverse Effect” means any material adverse change in the assets, business, condition (financial or otherwise), results of operation or prospects of the Management Company, taken as a whole.
- (v) “Offering Closing Date” means the closing date of the Offering.
- (w) “Offering Document” means either (i) in the event the REIT undertakes a public Offering, the REIT’s final prospectus as filed with the SEC; or (ii) in the event the REIT undertakes a private Offering, the REIT’s final offering memorandum (together with any supplements and amendments thereto) used in the Offering.
- (x) “Offering Price” means the initial offering price of a REIT Share in the Offering.
- (y) “OP Material Adverse Effect” means any material adverse change in any of the assets, business, condition (financial or otherwise), results of operation or prospects of the REIT and each Operating Partnership Subsidiary, taken as a whole.
- (z) “Operating Partnership Agreement” means the Amended and Restated Agreement of Limited Partnership of the Operating Partnership, as in effect immediately prior to the Effective Time.

(aa) “Organizational Documents” means the certificate of formation, certificate of incorporation and bylaws, certificate of limited partnership and limited partnership agreement, limited liability company agreement or operating agreement, of the Management Company or each other applicable Person, as applicable.

(bb) “Person” means an individual, corporation, partnership, limited liability company, joint venture, association, trust, unincorporated organization or other entity.

(cc) “Pre-Formation Interests” means the equity interests directly or indirectly held by the Pre-Formation Participants in the Rexford Entities and in the “Rexford Properties” as defined in that certain Confidential Request for Consent and Investment Election dated February 22, 2013.

(dd) “Pre-Formation Participants” means the holders of the equity interests in the relevant RIF Fund Entity and the Management Company, Sponsor and RIF V Manager immediately prior to the Formation Transactions, and shall include any other Person contributing any interest or Property to the REIT, the Operating Partnership or any Subsidiary thereof in the Formation Transactions.

(ee) “Property” means each real property owned directly or indirectly, in whole or in part, by the Rexford Entities.

(ff) “Registration Rights Agreement” means that certain Registration Rights Agreement, by and among the REIT, the Operating Partnership and the parties identified as a signatory on Schedule A thereto.

(gg) “Rexford Entity” means a RIF Fund Entity, the Management Company, Sponsor and RIF V Manager and each of their respective Subsidiaries, as applicable. As used herein, “Rexford Entities” shall refer to each Rexford Entity, collectively.

(hh) “Securities Act” means the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder.

(ii) “Subsidiary” of any Person means any corporation, partnership, limited liability company, joint venture, trust or other legal entity of which such Person owns (either directly or through or together with another Subsidiary of such Person) either (i) a general partner, managing member or other similar interest, or (ii)(A) ten percent (10%) or more of the voting power of the voting capital stock or other equity interests, or (B) ten percent (10%) or more of the outstanding voting capital stock or other voting equity interests of such corporation, partnership, limited liability company, joint venture or other legal entity.

(jj) “Target Asset” has the meaning set forth in Schedule 6.02(e) hereto.

(kk) “Tax” means all federal, state, local and foreign income, gross receipts, license, property, withholding, sales, franchise, employment, payroll, goods and services, stamp, environmental, customs duties, capital stock, social security, transfer, alternative minimum, excise and other taxes, tariffs or governmental charges of any nature whatsoever, including estimated taxes, together with penalties, interest or additions to Tax with respect thereto, whether or not disputed.

(ll) “Tax Matters Agreement” means that certain Tax Matters Agreement by and among the REIT, the Operating Partnership and the other parties identified as signatories therein.

(mm) “Tax Return” means any return, declaration, report, claim for refund, or information return or statement relating to Taxes, including any schedule or attachment thereto, and including any amendment thereof.

(nn) “Underwriting Agreement” means that certain underwriting agreement, by and between the REIT, the Operating Partnership and certain underwriters set forth therein, pursuant to which the REIT will issue and sell shares in the Offering.

(oo) “Valid Election” means, with respect to any Management Company Interest, an irrevocable election to receive all or a portion of its Allocated Share in the form of OP Units and/or REIT Shares as indicated on the properly completed and timely received Consent Form of the holder of the Management Company Interest or a Consent Form as to which any deficiencies have been waived by the Operating Partnership.

Section 6.03 COUNTERPARTS. This Agreement may be executed in counterparts, all of which shall be considered one and the same agreement and shall become effective when one or more counterparts have been signed by each party and delivered to each other party.

Section 6.04 ENTIRE AGREEMENT; THIRD-PARTY BENEFICIARIES. This Agreement, the other Formation Transaction Documentation and the Consent Forms to which the parties hereto are a party, including, without limitation, the exhibits and schedules hereto and thereto, constitute the entire agreement and, except as set forth in Section 2.05, supersede each prior agreement and understanding, whether written or oral, among the parties regarding the subject matter of this Agreement. This Agreement is not intended to confer any rights or remedies on any Person other than the parties hereto.

Section 6.05 GOVERNING LAW. This Agreement shall be governed by, and construed in accordance with, the Laws of the State of California, regardless of any Laws that might otherwise govern under applicable principles of conflicts of laws thereof.

Section 6.06 ASSIGNMENT. This Agreement shall be binding upon, and shall be enforceable by and inure to the benefit of, the parties hereto and their respective heirs, legal representatives, successors and assigns; *provided, however*, that this Agreement may not be assigned (except by operation of law) by any party without the prior written consent of the other parties, and any attempted assignment without such consent shall be null and void and of no force and effect, except that each OP Party may assign its rights and obligations hereunder to an Affiliate.

Section 6.07 JURISDICTION. The parties hereto hereby (a) submit to the exclusive jurisdiction of any state or federal court sitting in the County of Los Angeles, with respect to any dispute arising out of this Agreement or any transaction contemplated hereby to the extent such

courts would have subject matter jurisdiction with respect to such dispute and (b) irrevocably waive, and agree not to assert by way of motion, defense, or otherwise, in any such action, any claim that it is not subject personally to the jurisdiction of the above-named courts, that its property is exempt or immune from attachment or execution, that the action is brought in an inconvenient forum, or that the venue of the action is improper.

Section 6.08 DISPUTE RESOLUTION. The parties intend that this Section 6.08 will be valid, binding, enforceable, exclusive and irrevocable and that it shall survive any termination of this Agreement.

(a) Upon any dispute, controversy or claim arising out of or relating to this Agreement or the enforcement, breach, termination or validity thereof (“Dispute”), the party raising the Dispute will give written notice to the other parties to the Dispute describing the nature of the Dispute following which the parties to such Dispute shall attempt for a period of ten (10) Business Days from receipt by the parties of notice of such Dispute to resolve such Dispute by negotiation between representatives of the parties hereto who have authority to settle such Dispute. All such negotiations shall be confidential and any statements or offers made therein shall be treated as compromise and settlement negotiations for purposes of any applicable rules of evidence and shall not be admissible as evidence in any subsequent proceeding for any purpose. The statute of limitations applicable to the commencement of a lawsuit shall apply to the commencement of an arbitration hereunder, except that no defense based on the running of the statute of limitations will be available based upon the passage of time during any such negotiation. Regardless of the foregoing, a party shall have the right to seek immediate injunctive relief pursuant to Section 6.08(c), below without regard to any such ten (10) Business Day negotiation period.

(b) Any Dispute (including the determination of the scope or applicability of this agreement to arbitrate) that is not resolved pursuant to Section 6.08(a), above shall be submitted to final and binding arbitration in California before one neutral and impartial arbitrator, in accordance with the Laws of the State of California for agreements made in and to be performed in that State. The arbitration shall be administered by JAMS, Inc. (“JAMS”) pursuant to its Comprehensive Arbitration Rules and Procedures, as in effect on the date hereof. Each of the Operating Partnership, on the one hand, and the Management Company, on the other hand, shall appoint one arbitrator within fifteen (15) days of a demand for arbitration. If the Operating Partnership and the Management Company cannot mutually agree upon an arbitrator within such 15-day period, the arbitrator shall be appointed by JAMS in accordance with its Comprehensive Arbitration Rules and Procedures, as in effect on the date hereof. The arbitrator shall designate the place and time of the hearing. The hearing shall be scheduled to begin as soon as practicable and no later than sixty (60) days after the appointment of the arbitrator (unless such period is extended by the arbitrator for good cause shown) and shall be conducted as expeditiously as possible. The award, which shall set forth the arbitrator’s findings of fact and conclusions of law, shall be filed with JAMS and mailed to the parties no later than thirty (30) days after the close of the arbitration hearing. The arbitration award shall be final and binding on the parties and not subject to collateral attack. Judgment upon the arbitration award may be entered in any federal or state court having jurisdiction thereof.

(c) Notwithstanding the parties' agreement to submit all Disputes to final and binding arbitration before JAMS, the parties shall have the right to seek and obtain temporary or preliminary injunctive relief in any court having jurisdiction thereof. Such courts shall have authority to, among other things, grant temporary or provisional injunctive relief in order to protect any party's rights under this Agreement. Without prejudice to such provisional remedies as may be available under the jurisdiction of a court, the arbitral tribunal shall have full authority to grant provisional remedies and to direct the parties to request that any court modify or vacate any temporary or preliminary relief issued by such court, and to award damages for the failure of any party to respect the arbitral tribunal's orders to that effect.

(d) The prevailing party shall be entitled to recover its costs and reasonable attorneys' fees, and the non-prevailing party shall pay all expenses and fees of JAMS, all costs of the stenographic record, all expenses of witnesses or proofs that may have been produced at the direction of the arbitrator, and the fees, costs, and expenses of the arbitrator. The arbitrator shall allocate such costs and designate the prevailing party or parties for these purposes.

Section 6.09 SEVERABILITY. Each provision of this Agreement will be interpreted so as to be effective and valid under applicable Law, but if any provision is held invalid, illegal or unenforceable under applicable Law in any jurisdiction, then such invalidity, illegality or unenforceability will not affect any other provision, and this Agreement will be reformed, construed and enforced in such jurisdiction as if such invalid, illegal or unenforceable provision had never been included herein.

Section 6.10 RULES OF CONSTRUCTION.

(a) The parties hereto agree that they have had the opportunity to be represented by counsel during the negotiation, preparation and execution of this Agreement and, therefore, waive the application of any Law, regulation, holding or rule of construction providing that ambiguities in an agreement or other document will be construed against the party drafting such agreement or document.

(b) The words "hereof," "herein" and "herewith" and words of similar import shall, unless otherwise stated, be construed to refer to this Agreement as a whole and not to any particular provision of this Agreement, and article, section, paragraph, exhibit and schedule references are to the articles, sections, paragraphs, exhibits and schedules of this Agreement unless otherwise specified. Whenever the words "include," "includes" or "including" are used in this Agreement, they shall be deemed to be followed by the words "without limitation." All terms defined in this Agreement shall have the defined meanings contained herein when used in any certificate or other document made or delivered pursuant hereto unless otherwise defined therein. The definitions contained in this Agreement are applicable to the singular as well as the plural forms of such terms and to the masculine as well as to the feminine and neuter genders of such terms. Unless explicitly stated otherwise herein, any agreement, instrument or statute defined or referred to herein or in any agreement or instrument that is referred to herein means such agreement, instrument or statute as from time to time, amended, qualified or supplemented, including (in the case of agreements and instruments) by waiver or consent and (in the case of statutes) by succession of comparable successor statutes and all attachments thereto and instruments incorporated therein. References to a Person are also to its permitted successors and assigns.

Section 6.11 EQUITABLE REMEDIES. The parties agree that irreparable damage would occur to the Operating Partnership in the event that any of the provisions of this Agreement were not performed in accordance with their specific terms or were otherwise breached. It is accordingly agreed that the Operating Partnership shall be entitled to an injunction or injunctions to prevent breaches of this Agreement by the Management Company and to enforce specifically the terms and provisions hereof in any federal or state court located in California, this being in addition to any other remedy to which the Operating Partnership is entitled under this Agreement or otherwise at law or in equity.

Section 6.12 TIME OF THE ESSENCE. Time is of the essence with respect to all obligations under this Agreement.

Section 6.13 DESCRIPTIVE HEADINGS. The descriptive headings herein are inserted for convenience only and are not intended to be part of or to affect the meaning or interpretation of this Agreement.

Section 6.14 NO PERSONAL LIABILITY CONFERRED. This Agreement shall not create or permit any personal liability or obligation on the part of any officer, director, partner, employee or shareholder of the OP Parties or the Management Company.

Section 6.15 WAIVER OF SECTION 1542 PROTECTIONS. As of the Closing Date, each of the parties hereto expressly acknowledges that it has had, or has had and waived, the opportunity to be advised by independent legal counsel and hereby waives and relinquishes all rights and benefits afforded by Section 1542 of the California Civil Code and does so understanding and acknowledging the significance and consequence of such specific waiver of Section 1542 which provides:

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

Section 6.16 AMENDMENTS. This Agreement may be amended by appropriate instrument, without the consent of the Management Company, at any time prior to the Effective Time; *provided*, that no such amendment, modification or supplement shall be made that alters the amount or changes the form of the consideration to be delivered to the Management Company without the prior written consent of the Management Company.

[SIGNATURE PAGES FOLLOW]

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have caused this Agreement to be signed by their respective duly authorized officers or representatives, all as of the date first written above.

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, INC.,
A Maryland corporation

By: /s/ Howard Schwimmer
Name: Howard Schwimmer
Title: Co-Chief Executive Officer

By: /s/ Michael Frankel
Name: Michael S. Frankel
Title: Co-Chief Executive Officer

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, L.P.,
a Maryland limited partnership

By: REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, INC.,
a Maryland Corporation
Its: General Partner

By: /s/ Howard Schwimmer
Name: Howard Schwimmer
Title: Co-Chief Executive Officer

By: /s/ Michael Frankel
Name: Michael S. Frankel
Title: Co-Chief Executive Officer

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL MERGER SUB, LLC,
a California limited liability company

By: /s/ Michael Frankel
Name: Michael S. Frankel
Title: Manager

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REXFORD INDUSTRIAL, LLC,
a California limited liability company

By: /s/ Howard Schwimmer
Name: Howard Schwimmer
Title: Manager

[Signature Page to RI LLC Merger Agreement]

AGREEMENT AND PLAN OF MERGER

by and among

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, INC.,

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, L.P.,

REXFORD FUND V MANAGER MERGER SUB LLC

and

REXFORD FUND V MANAGER LLC

Dated as of July 24, 2013

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AGREEMENT AND PLAN OF MERGER

THIS AGREEMENT AND PLAN OF MERGER is made and entered into as of July 24, 2013 (this "Agreement"), by and among Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc., a Maryland corporation (the "REIT"), Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P., a Maryland limited partnership (the "Operating Partnership") and a subsidiary of the REIT, Rexford Fund V Manager Merger Sub LLC, a Delaware limited liability company to be formed prior to the Effective Time (defined below) and to be indirectly wholly owned by the Operating Partnership (the "Merger Sub" and, together with the Operating Partnership, the "OP Parties" and each, an "OP Party"), and Rexford Fund V Manager LLC, a Delaware limited liability company (the "Management Company"). Certain capitalized terms are defined in Section 6.02 of this Agreement.

RECITALS

WHEREAS, the REIT desires to consolidate the ownership of a portfolio of properties currently owned, directly or indirectly, by certain entities each as described on Exhibit A hereto;

WHEREAS, pursuant to this Agreement, the Management Company will merge with and into the Merger Sub, with the Management Company as the surviving entity (the "Merger") and the equity interests in the Management Company (the "Management Company Interests") will be converted automatically into the right to receive cash, without interest, common units of partnership interests in the Operating Partnership ("OP Units"), and/or shares of common stock of the REIT, par value \$.01 per share ("REIT Shares");

WHEREAS, concurrently with the execution of this Agreement, Rexford Industrial, LLC, a California limited liability company ("RI LLC"), will enter into an agreement and plan of merger pursuant to which RI LLC will merge with and into a direct wholly-owned subsidiary of the Operating Partnership, with RI LLC as the surviving entity, and the equity interests in RI LLC will be converted automatically into the right to receive cash, without interest, OP Units and/or REIT Shares;

WHEREAS, concurrently with the execution of this Agreement, Rexford Sponsor V LLC, a Delaware limited liability company ("Sponsor"), will enter into an agreement and plan of merger pursuant to which Sponsor will merge with and into a direct wholly-owned subsidiary of the Operating Partnership, with Sponsor as the surviving entity, and the equity interests in Sponsor will be converted automatically into the right to receive cash, without interest, OP Units and/or REIT Shares;

WHEREAS, concurrently with the execution of this Agreement, Rexford Industrial Fund V REIT, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company ("RIF V REIT"), will enter into an agreement and plan of merger with the REIT pursuant to which the RIF V REIT will merge with and into the REIT and the equity interests in the RIF V REIT will be converted automatically into the right to receive cash, without interest, or REIT Shares;

WHEREAS, concurrently with the execution of this Agreement, Rexford Industrial Fund V, LP, a Delaware limited partnership ("RIF V Fund"), will enter into an agreement and plan of merger with the Operating Partnership pursuant to which RIF V Fund will merge with and into the Operating Partnership and the partnership interests in RIF V Fund will be (a) converted automatically into the right to receive cash, without interest, REIT Shares and/or OP Units and (b) in the case of the partnership interests in RIF V Fund held by the Management Company or the REIT, cancelled;

WHEREAS, concurrently with the execution of this Agreement, the REIT and the Operating Partnership will enter into separate contribution agreements (the “RIF Fund Contribution Agreements”) with each of Rexford Industrial Fund I, LLC, Rexford Industrial Fund II, LLC, Rexford Industrial Fund III, LLC and Rexford Industrial Fund IV, LLC (each such entity may be referred to herein as a “Contributor,” each such entity, RIF V REIT and RIF V Fund may be referred to herein as a “RIF Fund Entity”), pursuant to which (a) each Contributor will contribute to the Operating Partnership all of such Contributor’s direct and indirect interests in the entities identified as “Contributed Entities” on Exhibit A hereto (the “Contributed Interests”) and the other contributed properties and contributed assets identified in each such RIF Fund Contribution Agreement, and (b) the Operating Partnership shall acquire from each Contributor, all of such Contributor’s right, title and interest in and to such Contributed Interests and the other contributed properties and contributed assets, in exchange for a combination of cash, without interest, REIT Shares and/or OP Units and the assumption by the Operating Partnership of the assumed liabilities identified in each such RIF Fund Contribution Agreement all on the terms and subject to the conditions set forth therein;

WHEREAS, in the event that all members of a Contributor return duly executed and completed Consent Forms approving the Formation Transactions, then, in lieu of the applicable RIF Fund Contribution Agreement, the REIT may elect to cause the applicable Contributor to enter into an agreement and plan of merger with the Operating Partnership pursuant to which such Contributor will merge with and into the Operating Partnership and the membership interests in such Contributor will be converted automatically into the right to receive cash, REIT Shares and/or OP Units;

WHEREAS, the Formation Transactions relate to the initial public offering of the REIT Shares or, depending on prevailing market conditions at the time of the offering, a private offering of the REIT Shares (the “Offering”), following which the REIT will operate as a self-administered and self-managed real estate investment trust within the meaning of Section 856 of the Code;

WHEREAS, substantially concurrently with the completion of the Formation Transactions and the Offering, the REIT will contribute to the Operating Partnership, all of the assets (other than OP Units), rights and obligations acquired by the REIT as a result of the Formation Transactions and the Offering;

WHEREAS, in accordance with Section 18-209 of the Delaware Limited Liability Company Act (the “DLLCA”), the Management Company may be merged with and into the Merger Sub, subject to the requisite approval of the members as provided in Section 18-209 of the DLLCA; and

WHEREAS, all necessary approvals have been obtained by each of the Operating Partnership and the Management Company to consummate the transactions contemplated herein and by the other Formation Transaction Documentation.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the foregoing and the representations, warranties, covenants and other terms contained in this Agreement, the parties hereto, intending to be legally bound hereby, agree as follows:

ARTICLE I

THE MERGER

Section 1.01 THE MERGER. At the Effective Time, and subject to the terms and conditions contained in this Agreement and in accordance with applicable Laws, the Merger Sub shall be merged with and into the Management Company whereby the separate existence of the Merger Sub shall cease, and the Management Company shall continue its existence under Delaware law as the surviving entity (hereinafter sometimes referred to as the "Surviving Entity").

Section 1.02 EFFECTIVE TIME. Subject to and upon the terms and conditions of this Agreement, concurrently with or as soon as practicable after (i) the execution by the REIT and the Operating Partnership of the Underwriting Agreement and (ii) the satisfaction or waiver of the conditions set forth in Article II, the Operating Partnership, Merger Sub and the Management Company shall file articles of merger or similar documents with respect to the Merger (the "Certificate of Merger") as may be required by applicable Laws, with the Secretary of State of the State of Delaware providing that the Merger shall become effective upon filing or at such later date and time set forth in the Certificate of Merger with respect to such Merger (the "Effective Time"), together with any certificates and other filings or recordings related thereto, in such forms as are required by, and executed in accordance with the relevant provisions of applicable Laws.

Section 1.03 EFFECT OF THE MERGER. At the Effective Time, the effect of the Merger shall be as provided in this Agreement, the Certificate of Merger and applicable Laws.

Section 1.04 ORGANIZATIONAL DOCUMENTS. At the Effective Time, (i) the certificate of formation of the Management Company, as in effect immediately prior to the Effective Time, shall be the certificate of formation of the Surviving Entity until thereafter amended as provided therein or in accordance with the DLLCA, and (ii) the limited liability company agreement of the Management Company, as in effect immediately prior to the Effective Time, shall be the limited liability company agreement of the Surviving Entity until thereafter amended as provided therein or in accordance with the DLLCA.

Section 1.05 CONVERSION OF MANAGEMENT COMPANY INTERESTS.

(a) Under and subject to the terms and conditions of the respective Formation Transaction Documentation, each Pre-Formation Participant is irrevocably bound to accept and entitled to receive, as a result of and upon consummation of the Merger or other Formation Transactions, a specified share of the Rexford Entities as a whole in the form of the right to receive cash, REIT Shares and/or OP Units as calculated in this Section 1.05.

(b) At the Effective Time, by virtue of the Merger and without any action on the part of the parties hereto, except as set forth in this Agreement, each Management Company

Interest shall be converted automatically into the right to receive cash, OP Units and/or REIT Shares with a value equal to the portion of the Equity Value of the Management Company represented by such Management Company Interest (collectively, but, for the avoidance of doubt, excluding any consideration payable to such Pre-Formation Participants pursuant to the Formation Transactions in respect of Pre-Formation Interests in any Rexford Entity other than the Management Company, referred to as the “Merger Consideration”) and each holder that receives OP Units in the Merger shall, upon receipt of such OP Units and the delivery of a Consent Form or a counterpart signature page to the Operating Partnership Agreement and such other documents and instruments as may be required in the sole discretion of the REIT to effect such holder’s admission as a limited partner of the Operating Partnership, be admitted as a limited partner of the Operating Partnership in accordance with the Maryland Revised Uniform Limited Partnership Act and the Operating Partnership Agreement. The portion of the Equity Value of the Management Company “represented by” a Management Company Interest shall be calculated using the same methodology used to calculate the allocated Share of a holder of such Management Company Interest.

(c) Subject to Section 1.07, the amount of cash, number of OP Units and/or REIT Shares comprising the Merger Consideration for each Management Company Interest so converted shall be as follows:

(i) Cash. One hundred percent (100%) of the Allocated Share attributable to a Pre-Formation Participant who is not an Accredited Investor shall be paid in cash.

(ii) OP Units. The Elected OP Unit Percentage of the Allocated Share attributable to a Pre-Formation Participant who is an Accredited Investor shall be distributed in in whole OP Units in the form of a number of OP Units equal to the applicable portion of such Allocated Share divided by the Offering Price; and

(iii) REIT Shares. The Elected REIT Shares Percentage of the Allocated Share attributable to a Pre-Formation Participant who is an Accredited Investor shall be distributed in whole REIT Shares in the form of a number of REIT Shares equal to the applicable portion of such Allocated Share divided by the Offering Price; *provided, that*, to the extent such distribution of REIT Shares to such Pre-Formation Participant would result in a violation of the restrictions on ownership and transfer set forth in Section 6.2.1 of the REIT’s charter (the “Ownership Limits”), such Pre-Formation Participant shall receive (x) the maximum number of whole REIT Shares that would not result in such a violation of the Ownership Limits, and (y) that number of whole OP Units equal to the remaining number of REIT Shares not distributed as a result of the application of the foregoing clause (x).

Section 1.06 CANCELLATION AND RETIREMENT OF MANAGEMENT COMPANY INTERESTS. From and after the Effective Time, (i) each Management Company Interest converted into the right to receive the Merger Consideration pursuant to Section 1.05(b) shall no longer be outstanding and shall automatically be cancelled and retired and shall cease to exist, and each holder of such Management Company Interest so converted shall thereafter cease to have any rights as a member of the Management Company except the right to receive the Merger Consideration applicable thereto, (ii) each Management Company Interest issued and

outstanding that is owned by the Operating Partnership or any of its direct or indirect wholly-owned Subsidiaries shall no longer be outstanding and shall automatically be cancelled and retired and shall cease to exist and no consideration shall be delivered hereunder in exchange therefor and (iii) each interest in the Merger Sub will be converted into one issued and outstanding Management Company Interest.

Section 1.07 FRACTIONAL INTERESTS. No fractional OP Units or REIT Shares shall be issued in the Merger or the other Formation Transactions. All fractional OP Units that a holder of Management Company Interests would otherwise be entitled to receive as a result of the Merger and the other Formation Transactions shall be aggregated, and each holder shall receive the number of whole OP Units resulting from such aggregation and, in lieu of any fractional OP Unit resulting from such aggregation, an amount in cash determined by multiplying that fraction of a REIT Share to which such holder would otherwise have been entitled, by the Offering Price. All fractional REIT Shares that a holder of Management Company Interests would otherwise be entitled to receive as a result of the Merger and the other Formation Transactions shall be aggregated, and each holder shall receive the number of whole REIT Shares resulting from such aggregation and, in lieu of any fractional REIT Share resulting from such aggregation, an amount in cash determined by multiplying that fraction of a REIT Share to which such holder would otherwise have been entitled, by the Offering Price. No interest will be paid or will accrue on any cash paid or payable in lieu of any fractional OP Unit or REIT Share.

Section 1.08 FURTHER ACTION. If, at any time after the Effective Time, the Surviving Entity shall determine or be advised that any deeds, bills of sale, assignments (including any intellectual property assignments), assurances or any other actions or things are necessary or desirable to vest, perfect or confirm of record or otherwise in the Surviving Entity the right, title or interest in, to or under any of the rights, properties or assets of the Management Company acquired or to be acquired by the Surviving Entity as a result of, or in connection with, the Merger or otherwise to carry out this Agreement, the Surviving Entity shall be authorized to execute and deliver, in the name and on behalf of the Management Company all such deeds, bills of sale, assignments (including any intellectual property assignments) and assurances and to take and do, in the name and on behalf of any Management Company Interests all such other actions and things as may be necessary or desirable to vest, perfect or confirm any and all right, title and interest in, to and under such rights, properties or assets in the Surviving Entity or otherwise to carry out this Agreement.

Section 1.09 CALCULATION OF MERGER CONSIDERATION. As soon as practicable following the determination of the Offering Price and prior to the filing of the Certificate of Merger, all calculations relating to the Merger Consideration shall be performed in good faith by, or under the direction of, the Operating Partnership, and the parties hereby agree that, absent manifest error, such calculations shall be final and binding upon the holders of Management Company Interests.

ARTICLE II

CLOSING

Section 2.01 CONDITIONS PRECEDENT.

(a) Condition to Each Party's Obligations. The respective obligation of each party to effect the Merger contemplated by this Agreement and to consummate the other transactions contemplated hereby to occur on the Closing Date is subject to the satisfaction or waiver on or prior to the Effective Time of the following conditions:

(i) Registration Statement. If the REIT undertakes a public Offering, the public Offering registration statement must have been declared effective under the Securities Act and will not be the subject of any stop order or proceedings by the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC") seeking a stop order. This condition may not be waived by any party.

(ii) No Injunction. No Governmental Authority of competent jurisdiction shall have enacted, issued, promulgated, enforced or entered any statute, rule, regulation, executive order, decree, judgment, injunction, stay or other order (whether temporary, preliminary or permanent), in any case which is in effect and which prevents or prohibits consummation of any of the transactions contemplated in this Agreement nor shall any of the same brought by a Governmental Authority of competent jurisdiction be pending or threatened that seeks the foregoing.

(iii) Operating Partnership Agreement. The Operating Partnership Agreement, in substantially the form attached hereto as Exhibit B, shall have been executed and delivered by the partners of the Operating Partnership and shall be in full force and effect and, except as contemplated by Section 2.03 or the other Formation Transaction Documents, shall not have been amended or modified.

(b) Conditions to the Obligations of the OP Parties. The obligations of the OP Parties to effect the Merger contemplated by this Agreement and to consummate the other transactions contemplated hereby to occur on the Closing Date are further subject to satisfaction of the following conditions (any of which may be waived by the Operating Partnership in whole or in part):

(i) Representations and Warranties. The representations and warranties of the Management Company contained in this Agreement shall be true and correct in all material respects at the Closing as if made again at that time (except to the extent that any representation or warranty speaks as of an earlier date, in which case it must be true and correct only as of that earlier date).

(ii) Performance by the Management Company. The Management Company shall have performed each of the agreements and covenants required by this Agreement to be performed or complied with by it on or prior to the Closing Date and the Management Company shall not have breached any of its covenants contained herein in any material respect.

(iii) Offering Closing. The closing of the Offering shall occur substantially concurrently with the Closing.

(iv) Consents, Etc. All necessary consents and approvals of Governmental Authorities or third parties (including lenders) for the Management Company to consummate the transactions contemplated hereby shall have been obtained.

(v) No Management Company Material Adverse Effect. There shall have not occurred between the date hereof and the Closing Date a Management Company Material Adverse Effect.

(vi) Formation Transactions. The Formation Transactions shall have been or shall be consummated substantially concurrently in accordance with the timing set forth in the respective Formation Transaction Documentation.

(vii) Lock-Up Agreement. Each of the Pre-Formation Participants owning interests in the Management Company shall have entered into the Lock-Up Agreement substantially in the form attached as Exhibit C.

(viii) Tax Matters Agreement. Any Pre-Formation Participant that will receive OP Units in the Merger and that (1) owns, directly or indirectly, an interest in any Property specified in the Tax Matters Agreement or (2) has been provided an opportunity to guarantee debt as set forth in the Tax Matters Agreement shall have entered into the Tax Matters Agreement substantially in the form attached as Exhibit D, if applicable.

(c) Conditions to the Obligations of the Management Company. The obligation of the Management Company to effect the Merger contemplated by this Agreement and to consummate the other transactions contemplated hereby to occur on the Closing Date are further subject to satisfaction of the following conditions (any of which may be waived by the Management Company in whole or in part):

(i) Representations and Warranties. Except as would not have an OP Material Adverse Effect, the representations and warranties of the OP Parties contained in this Agreement shall be true and correct at the Closing as if made again at that time (except to the extent that any representation or warranty speaks as of an earlier date, in which case it must be true and correct only as of that earlier date).

(ii) Performance by the OP Parties. Except as would not have an OP Material Adverse Effect, the OP Parties shall have performed all agreements and covenants required by this Agreement to be performed or complied with by it on or prior to the Closing Date.

(iii) Registration Rights Agreement. The REIT shall have entered into the Registration Rights Agreement, substantially in the form attached as Exhibit E hereto. This condition may not be waived by any party hereto.

(iv) Tax Matters Agreement. If the Management Company (1) owns, directly or indirectly, an interest in any Property specified in the Tax Matters Agreement

or (2) has any members that have been provided an opportunity to guarantee debt as set forth in the Tax Matters Agreement, the REIT and the Operating Partnership shall have entered into the Tax Matters Agreement substantially in the form attached as Exhibit D, if applicable.

Section 2.02 TIME AND PLACE. Unless this Agreement shall have been terminated pursuant to Section 2.06, and subject to the satisfaction or waiver of the conditions in Section 2.01, the filing of the Certificate of Merger, the Effective Time and the closing of the Merger contemplated by Section 1.01 and the other transactions contemplated by this Agreement shall occur substantially concurrently with the receipt by the REIT of the proceeds from the Offering from the underwriters (the “Closing” or the “Closing Date”) in the order set forth on Exhibit E. The Closing shall take place at the offices of Latham & Watkins LLP, 355 South Grand Avenue, Los Angeles, California 90071 or such other place as determined by the REIT in its sole discretion.

Section 2.03 DELIVERY OF MERGER CONSIDERATION.

(a) Subject to Section 5.03(a), as soon as reasonably practicable after the Effective Time, the Surviving Entity (or its successor in interest) shall deliver to each holder of Management Company Interests, whose Management Company Interests have been converted into the right to receive the Merger Consideration pursuant to Section 1.05(b) hereof, the Merger Consideration payable to such holder in the amounts and form provided in Section 1.05(c) hereof. The issuance of any OP Units and admission of the recipients thereof as limited partners of the Operating Partnership pursuant to Section 1.05(b) shall be evidenced by an entry to the Register (as defined in the Operating Partnership Agreement), and the Operating Partnership shall deliver, or cause to be delivered, an executed copy of the Amendment to each Pre-Formation Participant receiving OP Units hereunder. Any certificate representing REIT Shares issuable as Merger Consideration shall bear the following legend:

THE SECURITIES REPRESENTED HEREBY HAVE NOT BEEN REGISTERED UNDER THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933, AS AMENDED (THE “ACT”), OR THE SECURITIES LAWS OF ANY STATE AND MAY NOT BE SOLD, TRANSFERRED OR OTHERWISE DISPOSED OF IN THE ABSENCE OF SUCH REGISTRATION, UNLESS THE TRANSFEROR DELIVERS TO THE CORPORATION AN OPINION OF COUNSEL SATISFACTORY TO THE CORPORATION, TO THE EFFECT THAT THE PROPOSED SALE, TRANSFER OR OTHER DISPOSITION MAY BE EFFECTED WITHOUT REGISTRATION UNDER THE ACT AND UNDER APPLICABLE STATE SECURITIES OR “BLUE SKY” LAWS.

THE SHARES REPRESENTED BY THIS CERTIFICATE ARE SUBJECT TO RESTRICTIONS ON BENEFICIAL AND CONSTRUCTIVE OWNERSHIP AND TRANSFER FOR THE PURPOSE OF THE CORPORATION’S MAINTENANCE OF ITS STATUS AS A REAL ESTATE INVESTMENT TRUST

UNDER THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE OF 1986, AS AMENDED (THE “CODE”). SUBJECT TO CERTAIN FURTHER RESTRICTIONS AND EXCEPT AS EXPRESSLY PROVIDED IN THE CORPORATION’S CHARTER, (I) NO PERSON MAY BENEFICIALLY OR CONSTRUCTIVELY OWN SHARES OF THE CORPORATION’S COMMON STOCK IN EXCESS OF 9.8% (IN VALUE OR NUMBER OF SHARES) OF THE OUTSTANDING SHARES OF COMMON STOCK OF THE CORPORATION UNLESS SUCH PERSON IS AN EXCEPTED HOLDER (IN WHICH CASE THE EXCEPTED HOLDER LIMIT SHALL BE APPLICABLE); (II) NO PERSON MAY BENEFICIALLY OR CONSTRUCTIVELY OWN SHARES OF CAPITAL STOCK OF THE CORPORATION IN EXCESS OF 9.8% OF THE VALUE OF THE TOTAL OUTSTANDING SHARES OF CAPITAL STOCK OF THE CORPORATION, UNLESS SUCH PERSON IS AN EXCEPTED HOLDER (IN WHICH CASE THE EXCEPTED HOLDER LIMIT SHALL BE APPLICABLE); (III) NO PERSON MAY BENEFICIALLY OR CONSTRUCTIVELY OWN CAPITAL STOCK THAT COULD RESULT IN THE CORPORATION BEING “CLOSELY HELD” UNDER SECTION 856(h) OF THE CODE OR OTHERWISE CAUSE THE CORPORATION TO FAIL TO QUALIFY AS A REIT; AND (IV) NO PERSON MAY TRANSFER SHARES OF CAPITAL STOCK IF SUCH TRANSFER WOULD RESULT IN THE CAPITAL STOCK OF THE CORPORATION BEING OWNED BY FEWER THAN 100 PERSONS. ANY PERSON WHO BENEFICIALLY OR CONSTRUCTIVELY OWNS OR ATTEMPTS TO BENEFICIALLY OR CONSTRUCTIVELY OWN SHARES OF CAPITAL STOCK WHICH CAUSES OR MAY CAUSE A PERSON TO BENEFICIALLY OR CONSTRUCTIVELY OWN SHARES OF CAPITAL STOCK IN EXCESS OR IN VIOLATION OF THE ABOVE LIMITATIONS MUST IMMEDIATELY NOTIFY THE CORPORATION OR, IN THE CASE OF SUCH A PROPOSED OR ATTEMPTED TRANSACTION, GIVE AT LEAST 15 DAYS PRIOR WRITTEN NOTICE. IF ANY OF THE RESTRICTIONS ON TRANSFER OR OWNERSHIP SET FORTH IN (I) THROUGH (III) ABOVE ARE VIOLATED, THE SHARES OF CAPITAL STOCK REPRESENTED HEREBY WILL BE AUTOMATICALLY TRANSFERRED TO A TRUSTEE OF A TRUST FOR THE BENEFIT OF ONE OR MORE CHARITABLE BENEFICIARIES. IN ADDITION, THE CORPORATION MAY TAKE OTHER ACTIONS, INCLUDING REDEEMING SHARES UPON THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS SPECIFIED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

IN ITS SOLE AND ABSOLUTE DISCRETION IF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS DETERMINES THAT OWNERSHIP OR A TRANSFER OR OTHER EVENT MAY VIOLATE THE RESTRICTIONS DESCRIBED ABOVE. FURTHERMORE, UPON THE OCCURRENCE OF CERTAIN EVENTS, ATTEMPTED TRANSFERS IN VIOLATION OF THE RESTRICTIONS DESCRIBED ABOVE MAY BE VOID AB INITIO. ALL UNDERLINED TERMS IN THIS LEGEND HAVE THE MEANINGS DEFINED IN THE CHARTER OF THE CORPORATION, AS THE SAME MAY BE AMENDED FROM TIME TO TIME, A COPY OF WHICH, INCLUDING THE RESTRICTIONS ON TRANSFER AND OWNERSHIP, WILL BE FURNISHED TO EACH HOLDER OF CAPITAL STOCK OF THE CORPORATION ON REQUEST AND WITHOUT CHARGE. REQUESTS FOR SUCH A COPY MAY BE DIRECTED TO THE SECRETARY OF THE CORPORATION AT ITS PRINCIPAL OFFICE.

(b) The Surviving Entity (or its successor in interest) shall not be liable to any holder of a Management Company Interest for any portion of the Merger Consideration delivered to a public official pursuant to any applicable abandoned property, escheat or similar Law.

Section 2.04 CLOSING DELIVERIES. At the Closing, the parties shall make, execute, acknowledge and deliver, or cause to be made, executed, acknowledged and delivered any other documents reasonably requested by the Operating Partnership or reasonably necessary or desirable to assign, transfer, convey, contribute and deliver the Management Company Interests, free and clear of all Liens and to effectuate the transactions contemplated hereby.

Section 2.05 CLOSING COSTS. If the Closing occurs, the REIT and the Operating Partnership shall be solely responsible for all transaction costs and expenses of the REIT, the Operating Partnership and the Rexford Entities in connection with the Formation Transactions and the Offering, which include, but are not limited to, the underwriting discounts and commissions. In the event the Closing does not occur, each party shall be responsible for its allocable portion of such costs and expenses in accordance with the terms of those certain letter agreements identified on Schedule 2.05.

Section 2.06 TERM OF THE AGREEMENT. This Agreement shall terminate automatically if the transactions contemplated herein shall not have been consummated on or prior to December 31, 2013 (such date is hereinafter referred to as the "Outside Date").

Section 2.07 EFFECT OF TERMINATION. In the event of termination of this Agreement for any reason, all obligations on the part of the OP Parties and the Management Company under this Agreement shall terminate, except that the obligations set forth in Article VI shall survive, it being understood and agreed, however, for the avoidance of doubt, that if this Agreement is terminated because one or more of the conditions to the non-breaching party's obligations under this Agreement are not satisfied by the Outside Date as a result of the other party's material breach of a covenant, representation, warranty or other obligation under this

Agreement or any other Formation Transaction Documentation, the non-breaching party's right to pursue all legal remedies with respect to such breach will survive such termination unimpaired.

Section 2.08 TAX WITHHOLDING. The Operating Partnership, the Merger Sub and the Management Company, as applicable, shall be entitled to deduct and withhold from the consideration payable pursuant to this Agreement to any holder of a Management Company Interest such amounts required to be deducted and withheld with respect to the making of such payment under the Code or any provision of state, local or foreign tax law. To the extent that amounts are so withheld, such withheld amounts shall be treated for all purposes of this Agreement as having been paid to the holder of the Management Company Interest in respect of which such deduction and withholding was made.

ARTICLE III

REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES OF THE OP PARTIES

Each of the OP Parties hereby represents and warrants to the Management Company as follows:

Section 3.01 ORGANIZATION; AUTHORITY.

(a) Each OP Party has been duly formed or incorporated and is validly existing and in good standing under the Laws of its jurisdiction of incorporation or formation and has, or upon the effectiveness of the Operating Partnership Agreement, will have, all requisite power and authority to enter into this Agreement and the other Formation Transaction Documentation and to carry out the transactions contemplated hereby and thereby, and to own, lease and/or operate its property and to carry on its business as presently conducted and, to the extent required under applicable Laws, is qualified to do business and is in good standing in each jurisdiction in which the nature of its business or the character of its property make such qualification necessary, other than such failures to be so qualified as would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have an OP Material Adverse Effect.

(b) Schedule 3.01(b) sets forth as of the date hereof, (i) each Subsidiary of the Operating Partnership (each an "Operating Partnership Subsidiary"), (ii) the ownership interest therein of the Operating Partnership, and (iii) if not wholly owned by the Operating Partnership, the identity and ownership interest of each of the other owners of such Operating Partnership Subsidiary. Each Operating Partnership Subsidiary has been duly organized or formed and is validly existing and is in good standing under the Laws of its jurisdiction of organization or formation, as applicable, has all requisite power and authority to own, lease and/or operate its property and to carry on its business as presently conducted and, to the extent required under applicable Laws, is qualified to do business and is in good standing in each jurisdiction in which the nature of its business or the character of its property make such qualification necessary, other than such failures to be so qualified as would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have an OP Material Adverse Effect.

Section 3.02 DUE AUTHORIZATION. The execution, delivery and performance of this Agreement and the other Formation Transaction Documentation (including each agreement, document and instrument executed and delivered by or on behalf of each OP Party pursuant to this Agreement or the other Formation Transaction Documentation) by the OP Party has been duly and validly authorized by all necessary actions required of the OP Party. This Agreement, the other Formation Transaction Documentation and each agreement, document and instrument executed and delivered by or on behalf of each OP Party pursuant to this Agreement or the other Formation Transaction Documentation constitutes, or when executed and delivered will constitute, the legal, valid and binding obligation of the OP Party, enforceable against the OP Party in accordance with its terms, subject to applicable bankruptcy, insolvency, moratorium or other similar Laws relating to creditors' rights and general principles of equity.

Section 3.03 CONSENTS AND APPROVALS. Except for the filing of the Certificate of Merger in accordance with Section 1.02 hereof or in connection with the Offering and the consummation of the other Formation Transactions or as shall have been obtained on or prior to the Closing Date, no consent, waiver, approval, authorization, order, license, permit or registration of, qualification, designation, declaration or filing with, any Person or Governmental Authority or under any applicable Laws is required to be obtained by each OP Party in connection with the execution, delivery and performance of this Agreement and the transactions contemplated hereby, except for (a) those consents, waivers, approvals, authorizations, orders, licenses, permits, registrations, qualifications, designations, declarations or filings, the failure of which to obtain or to file would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have an OP Material Adverse Effect, or (b) those consents under the Organizational Documents of the applicable Rexford Entity (including the Management Company), the failure of which to obtain would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have an OP Material Adverse Effect.

Section 3.04 NO VIOLATION. None of the execution, delivery or performance of this Agreement, the other Formation Transaction Documentation, any agreement contemplated hereby between the parties to this Agreement and the transactions contemplated hereby between the parties to this Agreement does or will, with or without the giving of notice, lapse of time, or both, violate, conflict with, result in a breach of, or constitute a default under or give to others any right of termination, acceleration, cancellation or other right under, (a) the Organizational Documents of each OP Party, (b) any agreement, document or instrument to which the OP Party or any of its respective assets are bound or (c) any term or provision of any judgment, order, writ, injunction, or decree binding on the OP Party, except for, in the case of clause (b) or (c), any such breaches or defaults that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have an OP Material Adverse Effect.

Section 3.05 VALIDITY OF OP UNITS AND REIT SHARES. Any OP Units to be issued pursuant to this Agreement will have been duly authorized by the Operating Partnership and, when issued against the consideration therefor, will be validly issued, fully paid and non-assessable, free and clear of all Liens created by the Operating Partnership (other than any Liens created by the Operating Partnership Agreement). Any REIT Shares to be issued pursuant to this Agreement will have been duly authorized by the REIT and, when issued against the consideration therefor, will be validly issued, fully paid and non-assessable, free and clear of all Liens created by the REIT (other than any Liens created by the charter of the REIT).

Section 3.06 LITIGATION. Except for actions, suits or proceedings covered by policies of insurance, there is no action, suit or proceeding pending or, to the knowledge of the Operating Partnership, threatened against the Operating Partnership or any Operating Partnership Subsidiary, other than actions, suits, proceedings arising in the ordinary course of business from the ownership and operation of each OP Party, that individually or in the aggregate, would not reasonably be expected, (a) if adversely determined, to have an OP Material Adverse Effect, or (b) to challenge or impair the ability of the OP Party to execute or deliver, or materially perform its obligations under, this Agreement and the documents executed by it pursuant to this Agreement or to consummate the transactions contemplated hereby or thereby to such an extent as would result in an OP Material Adverse Effect.

Section 3.07 OPERATING PARTNERSHIP AGREEMENT. Attached hereto as Exhibit B hereto is a true and correct copy of the Operating Partnership Agreement, in effect immediately prior to the Effective Time.

Section 3.08 LIMITED ACTIVITIES. Except for activities in connection with the Offering, the Formation Transactions or in the ordinary course of business, the Operating Partnership and the Operating Partnership Subsidiaries have not engaged in any material business or incurred any material obligations.

Section 3.09 NO BROKER. No OP Party has entered into, and each covenants that it will not enter into, any agreement, arrangement or understanding with any Person or firm which will result in the obligation of the Management Company or any Affiliates thereof to pay any finder's fee, brokerage commission or similar payment in connection with the transaction contemplated by this Agreement (other than underwriting discounts, commissions and other fees and expenses to be paid by the REIT in connection with the Offering and any related financing transactions).

Section 3.10 NO OTHER REPRESENTATIONS OR WARRANTIES. Other than the representations and warranties expressly set forth in this Article III and any other agreement entered into in connection with the Formation Transactions, the OP Parties shall not be deemed to have made any other representation or warranty in connection with this Agreement or the transactions contemplated hereby. All representations, warranties and covenants of the OP Parties contained in this Agreement shall expire at the Closing.

ARTICLE IV

REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES OF THE MANAGEMENT COMPANY

Except as disclosed in the Offering Document or the schedules attached hereto, the Management Company represents and warrants to the OP Parties that as of the Closing Date:

Section 4.01 ORGANIZATION; AUTHORITY.

(a) The Management Company has been duly formed, is validly existing and in good standing under the Laws of its jurisdiction of formation, and has all requisite power and authority to enter into this Agreement, each agreement contemplated hereby and the other Formation Transaction Documentation to which it is a party (including any agreement, document

and instrument executed and delivered by or on behalf of the Management Company pursuant to this Agreement or the other Formation Transaction Documentation) and to carry out the transactions contemplated hereby and thereby, and to carry on its business as presently conducted. The Management Company, to the extent required under applicable Laws, is qualified to do business and is in good standing in each jurisdiction in which the nature of its business make such qualification necessary, other than such failures to be so qualified as would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Management Company Material Adverse Effect.

(b) Schedule 4.01(b) sets forth as of the date hereof with respect to the Management Company (i) each direct or indirect Subsidiary of the Management Company (each a “Management Company Subsidiary” and, collectively the “Management Company Subsidiaries”), (ii) the direct or indirect ownership interest therein of the Management Company, (iii) if not wholly owned by the Management Company, the identity and ownership interest of each of the other owners of such Subsidiary, and (iv) each real property owned directly or indirectly, in whole or in part, by such Subsidiary. Such Management Company Subsidiary has been duly organized and is validly existing and is in good standing under the Laws of its jurisdiction of organization, and has all requisite power and authority to own, lease and/or operate its property and to carry on its business as presently conducted. Such Management Company Subsidiary, to the extent required under applicable Laws, is qualified to do business and is in good standing in each jurisdiction in which the nature of its business or the character of its property make such qualification necessary, other than such failures to be so qualified as would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Management Company Material Adverse Effect. Except as set forth on Schedule 4.01(b), each of the Management Company and the Management Company Subsidiaries does not own any equity or ownership interest in any other Person.

(c) The OP Parties have been provided complete and accurate copies of Organizational Documents, as amended through the date hereof, and such Organizational Documents are in full force and effect as of the date hereof and have not been further modified or amended.

Section 4.02 DUE AUTHORIZATION. The execution, delivery and performance by the Management Company of this Agreement and the other Formation Transaction Documentation (including any agreement, document and instrument executed and delivered by or on behalf of the Management Company pursuant to this Agreement or the other Formation Transaction Documentation) to which it is a party have been duly and validly authorized by all necessary actions required of the Management Company. This Agreement, the other Formation Transaction Documentation and each agreement, document and instrument executed and delivered by or on behalf of the Management Company or any Management Company Subsidiary pursuant to this Agreement or the other Formation Transaction Documentation constitutes, or when executed and delivered will constitute, the legal, valid and binding obligation of the Management Company or such Management Company Subsidiary, each enforceable against the Management Company or such Management Company Subsidiary in accordance with its terms, subject to applicable bankruptcy, insolvency, moratorium or other similar Laws relating to creditors' rights and general principles of equity.

Section 4.03 CAPITALIZATION. Schedule 4.03 sets forth as of the date hereof the ownership of the Management Company. All of the issued and outstanding equity interests of the Management Company and each Management Company Subsidiary are duly authorized, validly issued and fully paid; and are not subject to preemptive rights or appraisal, dissenters' or other similar rights under the Organizational Documents of or any contract to which the Management Company is a party or otherwise bound, except for such preemptive rights, transfer restrictions, or appraisal, dissenters' or other similar rights as would not prevent the Merger. There are no outstanding rights to purchase, subscriptions, warrants, options or any other security convertible into or exchangeable for equity interests in the Management Company or the Management Company Subsidiaries. Except as set forth in the Organizational Documents, the Management Company or its Management Company Subsidiaries is not a party to any agreement for the sale of its material assets, for the grant to any Person of any preferential right to purchase any such material assets or the acquisition of any material operating business, material assets or capital stock of any other corporation, entity or business, other than the purchase or sale of assets in the ordinary course of business.

Section 4.04 CONSENTS AND APPROVALS. Except for the filing of the Certificate of Merger in accordance with Section 1.02 hereof, as shall have been obtained or satisfied on or prior to the Closing Date, no consent, waiver, approval, authorization, order, license, permit or registration of, qualification, designation, declaration or filing with, any Person or any Governmental Authority or under any applicable Laws is required to be obtained by the Management Company or its Management Company Subsidiaries in connection with the execution, delivery and performance of this Agreement, the other Formation Transaction Documentation to which the Management Company or its Management Company Subsidiaries is a party and the transactions contemplated hereby and thereby, except for those consents, waivers, approvals, authorizations, orders, licenses, permits, registrations, qualifications, designations, declarations or filings, the failure of which to obtain or to file would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Management Company Material Adverse Effect.

Section 4.05 NO VIOLATION. None of the execution, delivery or performance of this Agreement, any agreement contemplated hereby between the parties to this Agreement and the transactions contemplated hereby between the parties to this Agreement does or will, with or without the giving of notice, lapse of time, or both, violate, conflict with, result in a breach of, or constitute a default under or give to others any right of termination, acceleration, cancellation or other right under, (a) the Organizational Documents of the Management Company or its Management Company Subsidiaries (b) any agreement, document or instrument to which the Management Company or its Management Company Subsidiaries is a party or by which the Management Company or any of its assets or properties are bound or (c) any term or provision of any judgment, order, writ, injunction, or decree binding on the Management Company (or its assets or properties), or its Management Company Subsidiaries except for, in the case of clause (b) or (c), any such breaches or defaults that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Management Company Material Adverse Effect.

Section 4.06 LICENSES AND PERMITS. All notices, licenses, permits, certificates and authorizations required for the continued operation of the business of the Management Company have been obtained or can be obtained without material cost, are in full force and effect, are in good standing and (to the extent required in connection with the transactions

contemplated by the Formation Transaction Documentation) are assignable to the OP Parties, except in each case for items that, if not so obtained, obtainable and/or transferred, would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Management Company Material Adverse Effect. Neither the Management Company nor its Management Company Subsidiaries, nor, to the knowledge of the Management Company, any third party has taken any action that (or failed to take any action the omission of which) would result in the revocation of any such notice, license, permit, certificate or authorization where such revocation or revocations would, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Management Company Material Adverse Effect, nor has any one of them received any written notice of violation from any Governmental Authority or written notice of the intention of any entity to revoke any such notice, license, permit, certificate or authorization, that in each case has not been cured or otherwise resolved to the satisfaction of such Governmental Authority or other entity and except as would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Management Company Material Adverse Effect.

Section 4.07 COMPLIANCE WITH LAWS. The Management Company and its Management Company Subsidiaries have conducted their respective businesses in compliance with all applicable Laws, except for such failures that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Management Company Material Adverse Effect. Neither the Management Company, nor its Management Company Subsidiaries, nor, to the knowledge of the Management Company, any third party are in violation of any Law or has been informed in writing of any continuing violation of any such Laws or that any investigation has been commenced and is continuing or is contemplated respecting any such possible violation, except in each case for violations that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Management Company Material Adverse Effect. There has not been committed by the Management Company or its Management Company Subsidiaries or, to the knowledge of the Management Company, any other Person in occupancy of or involved with the operation or use of the Properties any act or omission affording the federal government or any other Governmental Authority the right of forfeiture as against any Property or any part thereof.

Section 4.08 INSURANCE. Schedule 4.08 lists each insurance policy to which the Management Company is a party, an insured or a beneficiary. Each of the insurance policies is in full force and effect in all material respects and all premiums due and payable thereunder have been fully paid when due. To the knowledge of the Management Company, the Management Company has not received from any insurance company any notices of cancellation or intent to cancel any insurance.

Section 4.09 FINANCIAL STATEMENTS. The consolidated financial statements of the Management Company included in the Offering Document have been prepared in all material respects in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles applied on a consistent basis during the periods involved (except as may be indicated in the notes thereto), subject, in the case of unaudited statements, to normal year-end audit adjustments, and fairly present in all material respects the financial condition and results of operations of the Management Company as of the dates indicated therein and for the periods ended as indicated therein.

Section 4.10 TAXES.

(a) The Management Company has timely and properly filed (or caused to be timely and properly filed) all Tax Returns required to be filed by it (after giving effect to any filing extension properly granted by a Governmental Authority having authority to do so), and all such Tax Returns are accurate and complete in all material respects.

(b) The Management Company has timely paid (or has had paid on its behalf) all Taxes as required to be paid by it.

(c) No income or material non-income Tax returns filed by the Management Company are subject to a pending or ongoing audit. No deficiencies for any income or material non-income Taxes have been proposed, asserted or assessed against the Management Company, and no requests for waivers of the time to assess any such Taxes are pending.

(d) Since its formation, the Management Company has been treated for United States federal income tax purposes as a partnership and not as a corporation or an association taxable as a corporation.

Section 4.11 LITIGATION. Except for actions, suits or proceedings fully covered by policies of insurance, there is no action, suit or proceeding pending or, to the knowledge of the Management Company, threatened against or affecting the Management Company, any of its Management Company Subsidiaries or any officer, director, principal, managing member or Affiliate of the Management Company, other than actions, suits or proceedings arising in the ordinary course of business from the ownership and operation, which, if adversely determined, would not have a Management Company Material Adverse Effect. There is no action, suit, or proceeding pending or, to the knowledge of the Management Company, threatened against or affecting the Management Company, any of its Management Company Subsidiaries, or any officer, director, principal, managing member or Affiliate of the Management Company, which challenges or impairs the ability of the Management Company or any Management Company Subsidiary to execute or deliver, or perform its obligations under this Agreement or any Formation Transaction Documentation or any other documents executed by it pursuant to this Agreement or any Formation Transaction Documentation or to consummate the transactions contemplated hereby or thereby. Except for matters covered by insurance, there is no judgment, decree, injunction, rule or order of a Governmental Authority outstanding against the Management Company, its Management Company Subsidiaries or any officer, director, principal or managing member of the Management Company in their capacity as such, or which would reasonably be expected to have a Management Company Material Adverse Effect. None of the Management Company, its Management Company Subsidiaries, or any officer, director, principal, managing member, general partner or Affiliate of any of the foregoing has received any written notice of any pending or threatened proceedings for the rezoning (i.e., as opposed to the current zoning) of any Property or any portion thereof which would impair the current or proposed use thereof in a manner that would result in a Management Company Material Adverse Effect.

Section 4.12 INSOLVENCY. No attachments, execution proceedings, assignments for the benefit of creditors, insolvency, bankruptcy, reorganization or other proceedings are pending or, to the Management Company's knowledge, threatened against the Management Company, any Management Company Subsidiary or any property, nor are any such proceedings contemplated by the Management Company.

Section 4.13 SECURITIES LAW MATTERS. The Management Company acknowledges that: (i) the REIT and Operating Partnership intend the offer and issuance of any REIT Shares or OP Units to any Pre-Formation Participants to be exempt from registration under the Securities Act and applicable state securities laws by virtue of the status of such equity holder as an Accredited Investor acquiring any REIT Shares or OP Units in a transaction exempt from registration pursuant to Rule 506 of Regulation D under the Securities Act, and (ii) in issuing any REIT Shares or OP Units pursuant to the terms of this Agreement, the REIT and Operating Partnership are relying on the representations made by each equity holder electing to receive REIT Shares or OP Units as consideration in the Merger, which representations were set forth in Appendix C to the Request for Consent – Accredited Investor Representations Letter.

Section 4.14 NO BROKER. The Management Company has not entered into, and it covenants that it will not enter into, any agreement, arrangement or understanding with any Person or firm which will result in the obligation of the REIT or any Affiliate to pay any finder's fee, brokerage commission or similar payment in connection with the transaction contemplated by this Agreement (other than underwriting discounts, commissions and other fees and expenses to be paid by the REIT in connection with the Offering and any related financing transactions).

Section 4.15 OWNERSHIP OF CERTAIN ASSETS. Except as set forth in Schedule 4.15, the Management Company does not own any loan assets or other securities of any issuer except for equity interests in other Rexford Entities.

Section 4.16 EMPLOYEES. The Management Company does not have, nor has ever had any employees.

Section 4.17 NO OTHER REPRESENTATIONS OR WARRANTIES. Other than the representations and warranties expressly set forth in this Article IV and any other agreement entered into by the Management Company in connection with the Formation Transactions, the Management Company shall not be deemed to have made any other representation or warranty in connection with this Agreement or the transactions contemplated hereby.

Section 4.18 SURVIVAL OF REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES. The parties hereto agree and acknowledge that the representations and warranties set forth in this Article IV (other than Section 4.01, Section 4.01(b), Section 4.03, and Section 4.13) shall not survive the Closing.

ARTICLE V

COVENANTS AND OTHER AGREEMENTS

Section 5.01 PRE-CLOSING COVENANTS. During the period from the date hereof to the Closing Date (except as otherwise provided for or contemplated by this Agreement or in connection with the Formation Transactions), the Management Company shall use commercially reasonable efforts to (and shall cause each of its Management Company Subsidiaries to) conduct its businesses in the ordinary course of business consistent with past practice, pay its debt

obligations as they become due and payable, and use commercially reasonable efforts to preserve intact its current business organizations and preserve its relationships with customers, tenants, suppliers, advertisers and others having business dealings with it, in each case consistent with past practice. In addition, and without limiting the generality of the foregoing, during the period from the date hereof to the Closing Date and except in connection with the Formation Transactions, the Management Company shall not (and shall not permit any of its Management Company Subsidiaries to) without the prior written consent of the Operating Partnership, which consent may be withheld by the Operating Partnership in its sole discretion:

(a) (i) other than distributions to the members of the Management Company in connection with such members' payment of any Taxes related to their ownership of the membership interest of the Management Company or as otherwise contemplated by this Agreement, declare, set aside or pay any dividends or distributions in respect of any Management Company Interests, except in the ordinary course of business consistent with past practice and in accordance with the applicable governing document of the Management Company, (ii) issue or authorize the issuance of any other securities in respect of, in lieu of or in substitution for any Management Company Interests or make any other changes to the equity capital structure of the Management Company, or (iii) purchase, redeem or otherwise acquire any Management Company Interests or interests or any other securities thereof;

(b) issue, deliver, sell, transfer, dispose, mortgage, pledge, assign or otherwise encumber, or cause the issuance, delivery, sale, transfer, disposition, mortgage, pledge, assignment or otherwise encumbrance of, any limited liability company, partnership interests or other equity interests of the Management Company or any other assets of the Management Company;

(c) amend its certificate of formation and limited liability company agreement;

(d) adopt a plan of liquidation, dissolution, merger, consolidation, restructuring, recapitalization or reorganization;

(e) materially alter the manner of keeping the Management Company's books, accounts or records or the accounting practices therein reflected;

(f) file an entity classification election pursuant to Treasury Regulation Section 301.7701-3(c) on Internal Revenue Service Form 8832 (Entity Classification Election) to treat the Management Company as an association taxable as a corporation for United States federal income tax purposes; make or change any other Tax elections; settle or compromise any claim, notice, audit report or assessment in respect of Taxes; change any annual Tax accounting period; adopt or change any method of Tax accounting; file any amended Tax Return; enter into any tax allocation agreement, tax sharing agreement, tax indemnity agreement or closing agreement relating to any Tax; surrender of any right to claim a Tax refund; or consent to any extension or waiver of the statute of limitations period applicable to any Tax claim or assessment;

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- (g) knowingly cause or permit the Management Company to violate, or fail to use commercially reasonable efforts to cure any violation of, any applicable Laws;
 - (h) take any action or fail to take any action the result of which would have a Management Company Material Adverse Effect; or
 - (i) authorize, commit or agree to take any of the foregoing actions.

Section 5.02 **COMMERCIALY REASONABLE EFFORTS BY THE OPERATING PARTNERSHIP AND THE MANAGEMENT COMPANY.** Each of the Operating Partnership and Management Company shall use commercially reasonable efforts and cooperate with each other in (a) promptly determining whether any filings are required to be made or consents, approvals, waivers, permits or authorizations are required to be obtained (under any applicable Law or regulation or from any Governmental Authority or third party) in connection with the transactions contemplated by this Agreement, and (b) promptly making (or causing to be made) any such filings, in furnishing information required in connection therewith and in timely seeking to obtain any such consents, approvals, waivers, permits and authorizations.

Section 5.03 **TAX MATTERS.**

(a) So long as some portion of the Merger Consideration is in the form of OP Units, the parties hereto intend and agree that, for United States federal income tax purposes, the transactions contemplated by this Agreement shall constitute an “assets-over” partnership merger within the meaning of Treasury Regulations Section 1.708-1(c)(3)(i) pursuant to which the Management Company contributes all of its assets and liabilities to the Operating Partnership in exchange for OP Units in a transaction qualifying under Section 721(a) of the Code and immediately thereafter, the Management Company distributes such OP Units to the holders of Management Company Interests. As a result, (i) in accordance with Treasury Regulations Section 1.708-1(c)(4), any payment of cash or REIT Shares attributable to a holder of Management Company Interests shall be treated as a sale by such holder of its Management Company Interests and a purchase of such interests by the Operating Partnership for the cash and/or REIT Shares so paid under the terms of this Agreement, and (ii) the Management Company shall cause each such holder of Management Company Interests who receives cash and/or REIT Shares to explicitly agree and consent (the “Sale Consent”) to such treatment in their Consent Forms as a condition to electing such consideration. To the extent the Operating Partnership acquires any Management Company Interests as described in clause (i) above, or otherwise previously acquired any such interests, for United States federal income tax purposes the receipt by the Operating Partnership of the portion of property attributable to such interests shall be treated as a distribution by the Management Company in redemption of such interests. Notwithstanding Section 1.05 and any holder’s election as to the form of its Merger Consideration, if any holder of Management Company Interests (other than a non-Accredited Investor), fails to execute a Sale Consent prior to the Closing, such holder’s Merger Consideration shall consist solely of OP Units. Notwithstanding Section 1.07 and Section 2.03(a), any cash paid as the Merger Consideration holder of Management Company Interests shall be paid only after the receipt of a Sale Consent from such holder of Management Company Interests.

(b) Each of the REIT, the Operating Partnership and the Management Company shall cooperate fully, as and to the extent reasonably requested by the other party, in connection with the filing of Tax Returns related to the transactions pursuant to this Agreement and any audit, litigation or administrative, judicial or other inquiry or proceeding with respect to Taxes related to the transactions pursuant to this Agreement. Such cooperation shall include the retention and (upon the other party's request) the provision of records and information which are reasonably relevant to any such action or other proceeding and making employees available on a mutually convenient basis to provide additional information and explanation of any material provided hereunder.

(c) The Operating Partnership shall prepare or cause to be prepared and file or cause to be filed all income Tax Returns of the Management Company which are due after the Closing Date. All such income Tax Returns shall be prepared in a manner consistent with past practice, except as otherwise required by applicable Law.

(d) The Operating Partnership shall prepare or cause to be prepared all other Tax Returns of the Management Company.

(e) Prior to Closing, the Management Company shall deliver to the REIT a properly executed certificate prepared in accordance with Treasury Regulations section 1.1445-2(b) certifying the non-foreign status of the Management Company and of each holder of the Management Company Interests and any similar affidavits or other forms required under applicable state, local or foreign Tax Laws.

(f) Neither the REIT nor the Operating Partnership makes any representations or warranties to the Management Company or any holder of a Management Company Interest regarding the Tax treatment of the Merger or the other Formation Transactions, or with respect to any other Tax consequences to the Management Company or any holder of a Management Company Interest of this Agreement, the Merger or the other Formation Transactions. The Management Company acknowledges that the Management Company and the holders of Management Company Interests are relying solely on their own Tax advisors in connection with this Agreement, the Merger and the other Formation Transactions and agreements contemplated hereby.

Section 5.04 CONSENT AND WAIVER OF RIGHTS UNDER ORGANIZATIONAL DOCUMENTS. As of the Closing, the Management Company waives and relinquishes all rights and benefits otherwise afforded to the Management Company (a) under its Organizational Documents including, without limitation, any rights of appraisal, rights of first offer or first refusal, buy/sell agreements, put, option, or similar parallel exit or dissenter rights in connection with the Formation Transactions and the Offering, and any right to consent to or approve of the sale or contribution or other transaction undertaken by any equity holder of the Management Company of their Management Company Interests to the REIT or any Affiliate thereof and any and all notice provisions related thereto and (b) for claims against any OP Party for breach by any of their respective present or former officers, directors, managing members, general partners or Affiliates of their fiduciary duties or similar obligations (including duties of disclosure) to any of their respective present or former shareholders, members, partners, equity interest holders or Affiliates or the terms of any applicable Organizational Documents. The Management Company

acknowledges that the agreements contained herein and the transactions contemplated hereby and any actions taken in contemplation of the transactions contemplated hereby may conflict with, and may not have been contemplated by, the Organizational Documents of the Management Company or other agreements among one or more holders of Management Company Interests or one or more of the members of the Management Company. With respect to the Management Company and each property in which the Management Company Interests represent a direct or indirect interest, the Management Company expressly gives all consents (and any consents necessary to authorize the proper parties in interest to give all consents) and waivers it is entitled to give that are necessary or desirable to facilitate the contribution or other Formation Transactions relating to the Management Company or such property. In addition, the Management Company agrees that if the transactions contemplated hereby occur, this Agreement shall be deemed to be an amendment to the Organizational Documents of the Management Company to the extent the terms herein conflict with the terms thereof, including without limitation, terms with respect to allocations, distributions and the like. In the event the transactions contemplated by this Agreement do not occur, nothing in this Agreement shall be deemed to be or construed as an amendment or modification of, or commitment of any kind to amend or modify, the Organizational Documents of the Management Company, which shall remain in full force and effect without modification.

Section 5.05 EXCLUDED ASSETS. Prior to the Closing and after such amounts are reasonably determined, the Management Company shall distribute or cause to be distributed or paid out the Excluded Assets identified on Schedule 5.05.

Section 5.06 ALTERNATE TRANSACTION. In the event that the Operating Partnership determines that a structure change is necessary, advisable or desirable, the Operating Partnership may elect, in its sole and absolute discretion, to effect an Alternate Transaction (subject to the limitations in the definition thereof), without the need for the OP Parties to seek any further consent or action from the Management Company, and the Management Company shall, and it shall cause its shareholders to, enter into such agreements as shall be necessary to consummate an Alternate Transaction. In the event that an Alternate Transaction is used to effect the transactions contemplated by this Agreement, then the OP Parties may elect to terminate this Agreement without any liability or obligation to any Person.

Section 5.07 OBLIGATIONS OF MERGER SUB. Subject to the terms of this Agreement, the Operating Partnership shall take all reasonable action necessary to cause the Merger Sub (a) to be formed prior to the Effective Time and become a party to this Agreement by executing a counterpart of this Agreement where indicated on the signature page hereof (the date of such execution, the "Joinder Date") and (b) to perform its obligations under this Agreement and to consummate the Merger on the terms and conditions set forth in this Agreement. All representations, warranties, covenants, agreements, rights and obligations of the Merger Sub herein shall become effective as to the Merger Sub as of the Joinder Date.

ARTICLE VI

GENERAL PROVISIONS

Section 6.01 NOTICES . All notices and other communications under this Agreement shall be in writing and shall be deemed given when (a) delivered personally, (b) five (5) Business Days after being mailed by certified mail, return receipt requested and postage prepaid, (c) one (1) Business Day after being sent by a nationally recognized overnight courier or (d) transmitted by facsimile if confirmed within twenty-four (24) hours thereafter by a signed original sent in the manner provided in clause (a), (b) or (c) to the parties at the following addresses (or at such other address for a party as shall be specified by notice from such party):

- (a) if to the REIT or the OP Parties:
Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc.
11620 Wilshire Boulevard, Suite 300
Los Angeles, CA 90025
Facsimile: (310) 966-1690
Attention: Howard Schwimmer and Michael S. Frankel

- (b) if to the Management Company:
c/o Rexford Industrial, LLC
11620 Wilshire Boulevard, Suite 300
Los Angeles, CA 90025
Facsimile: (310) 966-1690
Attention: Howard Schwimmer and Michael S. Frankel

Section 6.02 DEFINITIONS. For purposes of this Agreement, the following terms shall have the following meanings.

(a) “Accredited Investor” has the meaning set forth under Regulation D of the Securities Act.

(b) “Affiliate” means, with respect to any Person, a Person that, directly or indirectly, through one or more intermediaries, controls, is controlled by, or is under common control with the specified Person. For the purposes of this definition, “control” (including, with correlative meanings, the terms “controlled by” and “under common control with”) as used with respect to any Person, shall mean the possession, directly or indirectly, of the power to direct or cause the direction of the management or policies of such Person, whether through the ownership of voting securities, by agreement or otherwise.

(c) “Allocated Share” means an amount of Merger Consideration that would be distributed to a Pre-Formation Participant that is the holder of an interest in a Rexford Entity in accordance with the provisions of the existing Organizational Documents of such entity relating to distributions of distributable net proceeds from sales of directly or indirectly owned properties or assets, and assuming the sale of the relevant Target Asset or Target Assets that are directly or indirectly owned by such entity for a value equal to such Target Asset’s or Target Assets’ respective Equity Value(s).

(d) “Alternate Transaction” means any transaction structure, other than that contemplated by this Agreement, pursuant to which the REIT, the Operating Partnership or any of their Subsidiaries acquire all or a portion of the interests in the Management Company or the assets held directly or indirectly by the Management Company in a transaction pursuant to which each holder of Management Company Interests receives the amount of cash, the number of OP Units and/or the number of REIT Shares that were to be received by such holder pursuant to this Agreement (or a portion thereof equal in value to the value of the portion of such assets acquired by the REIT, the Operating Partnership or any of their Subsidiaries pursuant to such Alternate Transaction); provided, that such structure will not (i) result in a breach of the Management Company’s governing documents and (ii) give rise to dissenters’ or appraisal rights by the members of the Management Company, unless such rights have fully waived by all such members in the Consent Forms.

(e) “Business Day” means any day that is not a Saturday, Sunday or legal holiday in the State of California.

(f) “Code” means the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, together with the rules and regulations promulgated or issued thereunder.

(g) “Consent Form” means the form provided to each holder of Pre-Formation Interests to consent to the Formation Transactions and to make such holder’s irrevocable elections with respect to consideration to be received by such holder in the Formation Transactions.

(h) “Elected OP Unit Percentage” means, with respect to the Merger Consideration to be received by any Pre-Formation Participant, the percentage of the Allocated Share that the Pre-Formation Participant has made a Valid Election to receive in the form of OP Units.

(i) “Elected REIT Shares Percentage” means, with respect to the Merger Consideration to be received by any Pre-Formation Participant, the percentage of the Allocated Share that the Pre-Formation Participant has made a Valid Election to receive in the form of REIT Shares.

(j) “Entity Specific Debt” has the meaning set forth in Schedule 6.02(c) hereto.

(k) “Equity Value” has the meaning set forth in Schedule 6.02(c) hereto.

(l) “Excluded Assets” means the assets identified on Schedule 5.05.

(m) “Formation Transaction Documentation” means all of the agreements (including this Agreement) and related documents substantially in the forms accompanying the Request for Consent dated February 22, 2013 and identified in Exhibit G hereto, pursuant to which all of the Rexford Entities and/or the Pre-Formation Interests are to be acquired by the REIT or the Operating Partnership, directly or indirectly, as part of the Formation Transactions.

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- (n) “Formation Transactions” means the transactions contemplated by this Agreement and the other Formation Transaction Documentation.
- (o) “Fund V Subsequent Investment Amount” has the meaning set forth in Schedule 6.02(c) hereto.
- (p) “Governmental Authority” means any government or agency, bureau, board, commission, court, department, official, political subdivision, tribunal or other instrumentality of any government, whether federal, state or local, domestic or foreign.
- (q) “Interim Period” has the meaning set forth in Schedule 6.02(c) hereto.
- (r) “Laws” means laws, statutes, rules, regulations, codes, orders, ordinances, judgments, injunctions, decrees and policies of any Governmental Authority, including, without limitation, zoning, land use or other similar rules or ordinances.
- (s) “Liens” means all pledges, claims, liens, charges, restrictions, controls, easements, rights of way, exceptions, reservations, leases, licenses, grants, covenants and conditions, encumbrances and security interests of any kind or nature whatsoever.
- (t) “Lock-Up Agreement” means that certain Lock-Up Agreement, by and between the underwriters and each investor of the REIT and/or the Operating Partnership.
- (u) “Management Company Material Adverse Effect” means any material adverse change in the assets, business, condition (financial or otherwise), results of operation or prospects of the Management Company, taken as a whole.
- (v) “Offering Closing Date” means the closing date of the Offering.
- (w) “Offering Document” means either (i) in the event the REIT undertakes a public Offering, the REIT’s final prospectus as filed with the SEC; or (ii) in the event the REIT undertakes a private Offering, the REIT’s final offering memorandum (together with any supplements and amendments thereto) used in the Offering.
- (x) “Offering Price” means the initial offering price of a REIT Share in the Offering.
- (y) “OP Material Adverse Effect” means any material adverse change in any of the assets, business, condition (financial or otherwise), results of operation or prospects of the REIT and each Operating Partnership Subsidiary, taken as a whole.
- (z) “Operating Partnership Agreement” means the Amended and Restated Agreement of Limited Partnership of the Operating Partnership, as in effect immediately prior to the Effective Time.

(aa) "Organizational Documents" means the certificate of formation, certificate of incorporation and bylaws, certificate of limited partnership and limited partnership agreement, limited liability company agreement or operating agreement, of the Management Company or each other applicable Person, as applicable.

(bb) "Person" means an individual, corporation, partnership, limited liability company, joint venture, association, trust, unincorporated organization or other entity.

(cc) "Pre-Formation Interests" means the equity interests directly or indirectly held by the Pre-Formation Participants in the Rexford Entities and in the "Rexford Properties" as defined in that certain Confidential Request for Consent and Investment Election dated February 22, 2013.

(dd) "Pre-Formation Participants" means the holders of the equity interests in the relevant RIF Fund Entity and the Management Company, Sponsor and RI LLC immediately prior to the Formation Transactions, and shall include any other Person contributing any interest or Property to the REIT, the Operating Partnership or any Subsidiary thereof in the Formation Transactions.

(ee) "Property" means each real property owned directly or indirectly, in whole or in part, by the Rexford Entities.

(ff) "Registration Rights Agreement" means that certain Registration Rights Agreement, by and among the REIT, the Operating Partnership and the parties identified as a signatory on Schedule A thereto.

(gg) "Rexford Entity" means a RIF Fund Entity, the Management Company, Sponsor and RI LLC and each of their respective Subsidiaries, as applicable. As used herein, "Rexford Entities" refer to each Rexford Entity, collectively.

(hh) "Securities Act" means the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder.

(ii) "Subsidiary" of any Person means any corporation, partnership, limited liability company, joint venture, trust or other legal entity of which such Person owns (either directly or through or together with another Subsidiary of such Person) either (i) a general partner, managing member or other similar interest, or (ii)(A) ten percent (10%) or more of the voting power of the voting capital stock or other equity interests, or (B) ten percent (10%) or more of the outstanding voting capital stock or other voting equity interests of such corporation, partnership, limited liability company, joint venture or other legal entity.

(jj) "Target Asset" has the meaning set forth in Schedule 6.02(c) hereto.

(kk) "Tax" means all federal, state, local and foreign income, gross receipts, license, property, withholding, sales, franchise, employment, payroll, goods and services, stamp, environmental, customs duties, capital stock, social security, transfer, alternative minimum, excise and other taxes, tariffs or governmental charges of any nature whatsoever, including estimated taxes, together with penalties, interest or additions to Tax with respect thereto, whether or not disputed.

(ll) "Tax Matters Agreement" means that certain Tax Matters Agreement by and among the REIT, the Operating Partnership and the other parties identified as signatories therein.

(mm) "Tax Return" means any return, declaration, report, claim for refund, or information return or statement relating to Taxes, including any schedule or attachment thereto, and including any amendment thereof.

(nn) "Underwriting Agreement" means that certain underwriting agreement, by and between the REIT, the Operating Partnership and certain underwriters set forth therein, pursuant to which the REIT will issue and sell shares in the Offering.

(oo) "Valid Election" means, with respect to any Management Company Interest, an irrevocable election to receive all or a portion of its Allocated Share in the form of OP Units and/or REIT Shares as indicated on the properly completed and timely received Consent Form of the holder of the Management Company Interest or a Consent Form as to which any deficiencies have been waived by the Operating Partnership.

Section 6.03 COUNTERPARTS. This Agreement may be executed in counterparts, all of which shall be considered one and the same agreement and shall become effective when one or more counterparts have been signed by each party and delivered to each other party.

Section 6.04 ENTIRE AGREEMENT; THIRD-PARTY BENEFICIARIES. This Agreement, the other Formation Transaction Documentation and the Consent Forms to which the parties hereto are a party, including, without limitation, the exhibits and schedules hereto and thereto, constitute the entire agreement and, except as set forth in Section 2.05, supersede each prior agreement and understanding, whether written or oral, among the parties regarding the subject matter of this Agreement. This Agreement is not intended to confer any rights or remedies on any Person other than the parties hereto.

Section 6.05 GOVERNING LAW. This Agreement shall be governed by, and construed in accordance with, the Laws of the State of California, regardless of any Laws that might otherwise govern under applicable principles of conflicts of laws thereof.

Section 6.06 ASSIGNMENT. This Agreement shall be binding upon, and shall be enforceable by and inure to the benefit of, the parties hereto and their respective heirs, legal representatives, successors and assigns; provided, however, that this Agreement may not be assigned (except by operation of law) by any party without the prior written consent of the other parties, and any attempted assignment without such consent shall be null and void and of no force and effect, except that each OP Party may assign its rights and obligations hereunder to an Affiliate.

Section 6.07 JURISDICTION. The parties hereto hereby (a) submit to the exclusive jurisdiction of any state or federal court sitting in the County of Los Angeles, with respect to any dispute arising out of this Agreement or any transaction contemplated hereby to the extent such

courts would have subject matter jurisdiction with respect to such dispute and (b) irrevocably waive, and agree not to assert by way of motion, defense, or otherwise, in any such action, any claim that it is not subject personally to the jurisdiction of the above-named courts, that its property is exempt or immune from attachment or execution, that the action is brought in an inconvenient forum, or that the venue of the action is improper.

Section 6.08 DISPUTE RESOLUTION. The parties intend that this Section 6.08 will be valid, binding, enforceable, exclusive and irrevocable and that it shall survive any termination of this Agreement.

(a) Upon any dispute, controversy or claim arising out of or relating to this Agreement or the enforcement, breach, termination or validity thereof (“Dispute”), the party raising the Dispute will give written notice to the other parties to the Dispute describing the nature of the Dispute following which the parties to such Dispute shall attempt for a period of ten (10) Business Days from receipt by the parties of notice of such Dispute to resolve such Dispute by negotiation between representatives of the parties hereto who have authority to settle such Dispute. All such negotiations shall be confidential and any statements or offers made therein shall be treated as compromise and settlement negotiations for purposes of any applicable rules of evidence and shall not be admissible as evidence in any subsequent proceeding for any purpose. The statute of limitations applicable to the commencement of a lawsuit shall apply to the commencement of an arbitration hereunder, except that no defense based on the running of the statute of limitations will be available based upon the passage of time during any such negotiation. Regardless of the foregoing, a party shall have the right to seek immediate injunctive relief pursuant to Section 6.08(c), below without regard to any such ten (10) Business Day negotiation period.

(b) Any Dispute (including the determination of the scope or applicability of this agreement to arbitrate) that is not resolved pursuant to Section 6.08(a), above shall be submitted to final and binding arbitration in California before one neutral and impartial arbitrator, in accordance with the Laws of the State of California for agreements made in and to be performed in that State. The arbitration shall be administered by JAMS, Inc. (“JAMS”) pursuant to its Comprehensive Arbitration Rules and Procedures, as in effect on the date hereof. Each of the Operating Partnership, on the one hand, and the Management Company, on the other hand, shall appoint one arbitrator within fifteen (15) days of a demand for arbitration. If the Operating Partnership and the Management Company cannot mutually agree upon an arbitrator within such 15-day period, the arbitrator shall be appointed by JAMS in accordance with its Comprehensive Arbitration Rules and Procedures, as in effect on the date hereof. The arbitrator shall designate the place and time of the hearing. The hearing shall be scheduled to begin as soon as practicable and no later than sixty (60) days after the appointment of the arbitrator (unless such period is extended by the arbitrator for good cause shown) and shall be conducted as expeditiously as possible. The award, which shall set forth the arbitrator’s findings of fact and conclusions of law, shall be filed with JAMS and mailed to the parties no later than thirty (30) days after the close of the arbitration hearing. The arbitration award shall be final and binding on the parties and not subject to collateral attack. Judgment upon the arbitration award may be entered in any federal or state court having jurisdiction thereof.

(c) Notwithstanding the parties' agreement to submit all Disputes to final and binding arbitration before JAMS, the parties shall have the right to seek and obtain temporary or preliminary injunctive relief in any court having jurisdiction thereof. Such courts shall have authority to, among other things, grant temporary or provisional injunctive relief in order to protect any party's rights under this Agreement. Without prejudice to such provisional remedies as may be available under the jurisdiction of a court, the arbitral tribunal shall have full authority to grant provisional remedies and to direct the parties to request that any court modify or vacate any temporary or preliminary relief issued by such court, and to award damages for the failure of any party to respect the arbitral tribunal's orders to that effect.

(d) The prevailing party shall be entitled to recover its costs and reasonable attorneys' fees, and the non-prevailing party shall pay all expenses and fees of JAMS, all costs of the stenographic record, all expenses of witnesses or proofs that may have been produced at the direction of the arbitrator, and the fees, costs, and expenses of the arbitrator. The arbitrator shall allocate such costs and designate the prevailing party or parties for these purposes.

Section 6.09 SEVERABILITY. Each provision of this Agreement will be interpreted so as to be effective and valid under applicable Law, but if any provision is held invalid, illegal or unenforceable under applicable Law in any jurisdiction, then such invalidity, illegality or unenforceability will not affect any other provision, and this Agreement will be reformed, construed and enforced in such jurisdiction as if such invalid, illegal or unenforceable provision had never been included herein.

Section 6.10 RULES OF CONSTRUCTION.

(a) The parties hereto agree that they have had the opportunity to be represented by counsel during the negotiation, preparation and execution of this Agreement and, therefore, waive the application of any Law, regulation, holding or rule of construction providing that ambiguities in an agreement or other document will be construed against the party drafting such agreement or document.

(b) The words "hereof," "herein" and "herewith" and words of similar import shall, unless otherwise stated, be construed to refer to this Agreement as a whole and not to any particular provision of this Agreement, and article, section, paragraph, exhibit and schedule references are to the articles, sections, paragraphs, exhibits and schedules of this Agreement unless otherwise specified. Whenever the words "include," "includes" or "including" are used in this Agreement, they shall be deemed to be followed by the words "without limitation." All terms defined in this Agreement shall have the defined meanings contained herein when used in any certificate or other document made or delivered pursuant hereto unless otherwise defined therein. The definitions contained in this Agreement are applicable to the singular as well as the plural forms of such terms and to the masculine as well as to the feminine and neuter genders of such terms. Unless explicitly stated otherwise herein, any agreement, instrument or statute defined or referred to herein or in any agreement or instrument that is referred to herein means such agreement, instrument or statute as from time to time, amended, qualified or supplemented, including (in the case of agreements and instruments) by waiver or consent and (in the case of statutes) by succession of comparable successor statutes and all attachments thereto and instruments incorporated therein. References to a Person are also to its permitted successors and assigns.

Section 6.11 EQUITABLE REMEDIES. The parties agree that irreparable damage would occur to the Operating Partnership in the event that any of the provisions of this Agreement were not performed in accordance with their specific terms or were otherwise breached. It is accordingly agreed that the Operating Partnership shall be entitled to an injunction or injunctions to prevent breaches of this Agreement by the Management Company and to enforce specifically the terms and provisions hereof in any federal or state court located in California, this being in addition to any other remedy to which the Operating Partnership is entitled under this Agreement or otherwise at law or in equity.

Section 6.12 TIME OF THE ESSENCE. Time is of the essence with respect to all obligations under this Agreement.

Section 6.13 DESCRIPTIVE HEADINGS. The descriptive headings herein are inserted for convenience only and are not intended to be part of or to affect the meaning or interpretation of this Agreement.

Section 6.14 NO PERSONAL LIABILITY CONFERRED. This Agreement shall not create or permit any personal liability or obligation on the part of any officer, director, partner, employee or shareholder of the OP Parties or the Management Company.

Section 6.15 WAIVER OF SECTION 1542 PROTECTIONS. As of the Closing Date, each of the parties hereto expressly acknowledges that it has had, or has had and waived, the opportunity to be advised by independent legal counsel and hereby waives and relinquishes all rights and benefits afforded by Section 1542 of the California Civil Code and does so understanding and acknowledging the significance and consequence of such specific waiver of Section 1542 which provides:

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

Section 6.16 AMENDMENTS. This Agreement may be amended by appropriate instrument, without the consent of the Management Company, at any time prior to the Effective Time; *provided*, that no such amendment, modification or supplement shall be made that alters the amount or changes the form of the consideration to be delivered to the Management Company without the prior written consent of the Management Company.

[SIGNATURE PAGES FOLLOW]

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have caused this Agreement to be signed by their respective duly authorized officers or representatives, all as of the date first written above.

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, INC.,
a Maryland corporation

By: /s/ Howard Schwimmer
Name: Howard Schwimmer
Title: Co-Chief Executive Officer

By: /s/ Michael Frankel
Name: Michael S. Frankel
Title: Co-Chief Executive Officer

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, L.P.,
a Maryland limited partnership

By: REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, INC.,
a Maryland Corporation
Its: General Partner

By: /s/ Howard Schwimmer
Name: Howard Schwimmer
Title: Co-Chief Executive Officer

By: /s/ Michael Frankel
Name: Michael S. Frankel
Title: Co-Chief Executive Officer

REXFORD FUND V MANAGER MERGER SUB LLC, a Delaware
limited liability company

By: /s/ Michael Frankel
Name: Michael S. Frankel
Title: Manager

[Signature Page to Fund V Manager Merger Agreement]

REXFORD FUND V MANAGER, LLC,
a Delaware limited liability company

By: REXFORD SPONSOR V LLC,
a Delaware limited liability company
Its: Managing Member

By: /s/ Howard Schwimmer
Name: Howard Schwimmer
Title: Management Committee Member

By: /s/ Michael Frankel
Name: Michael S. Frankel
Title: Management Committee Member

[Signature Page to Fund V Manager Merger Agreement]

AGREEMENT AND PLAN OF MERGER

by and among

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, INC.,

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, L.P.,

REXFORD SPONSOR V MERGER SUB LLC

and

REXFORD SPONSOR V LLC

Dated as of July 24, 2013

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AGREEMENT AND PLAN OF MERGER

THIS AGREEMENT AND PLAN OF MERGER is made and entered into as of July 24, 2013 (this "Agreement"), by and among Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc., a Maryland corporation (the "REIT"), Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P., a Maryland limited partnership (the "Operating Partnership") and a subsidiary of the REIT, Rexford Sponsor V Merger Sub LLC, a Delaware limited liability company to be formed prior to the Effective Time (defined below) and to be directly wholly owned by the Operating Partnership (the "Merger Sub" and, together with the Operating Partnership, the "OP Parties" and each, an "OP Party"), and Rexford Sponsor V LLC, a Delaware limited liability company (the "Management Company"). Certain capitalized terms are defined in Section 6.02 of this Agreement.

RECITALS

WHEREAS, the REIT desires to consolidate the ownership of a portfolio of properties currently owned, directly or indirectly, by certain entities each as described on Exhibit A hereto;

WHEREAS, pursuant to this Agreement, the Management Company will merge with and into the Merger Sub, with the Management Company as the surviving entity (the "Merger") and the equity interests in the Management Company (the "Management Company Interests") will be converted automatically into the right to receive cash, without interest, common units of partnership interests in the Operating Partnership ("OP Units"), and/or shares of common stock of the REIT, par value \$.01 per share ("REIT Shares");

WHEREAS, concurrently with the execution of this Agreement, Rexford Industrial, LLC, a California limited liability company ("RI LLC"), will enter into an agreement and plan of merger pursuant to which RI LLC will merge with and into a direct wholly-owned subsidiary of the Operating Partnership, with RI LLC as the surviving entity, and the equity interests in RI LLC will be converted automatically into the right to receive cash, without interest, OP Units and/or REIT Shares;

WHEREAS, concurrently with the execution of this Agreement, Rexford Fund V Manager LLC, a Delaware limited liability company ("RIF V Manager"), will enter into an agreement and plan of merger pursuant to which RIF V Manager will merge with and into an indirect wholly-owned subsidiary of the Operating Partnership, with RIF V Manager as the surviving entity, and the equity interests in RIF V Manager will be converted automatically into the right to receive cash, without interest, OP Units and/or REIT Shares;

WHEREAS, concurrently with the execution of this Agreement, Rexford Industrial Fund V REIT, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company ("RIF V REIT"), will enter into an agreement and plan of merger with the REIT pursuant to which the RIF V REIT will merge with and into the REIT and the equity interests in the RIF V REIT will be converted automatically into the right to receive cash, without interest, or REIT Shares;

WHEREAS, concurrently with the execution of this Agreement, Rexford Industrial Fund V, LP, a Delaware limited partnership (“RIF V Fund”), will enter into an agreement and plan of merger with the Operating Partnership pursuant to which RIF V Fund will merge with and into the Operating Partnership and the partnership interests in RIF V Fund will be (a) converted automatically into the right to receive cash, without interest, REIT Shares and/or OP Units and (b) in the case of the partnership interests in RIF V Fund held by RIF V Manager or the REIT, cancelled;

WHEREAS, concurrently with the execution of this Agreement, the REIT and the Operating Partnership will enter into separate contribution agreements (the “RIF Fund Contribution Agreements”) with each of Rexford Industrial Fund I, LLC, Rexford Industrial Fund II, LLC, Rexford Industrial Fund III, LLC and Rexford Industrial Fund IV, LLC (each such entity may be referred to herein as a “Contributor,” each such entity, RIF V REIT and RIF V Fund may be referred to herein as a “RIF Fund Entity”), pursuant to which (a) each Contributor will contribute to the Operating Partnership all of such Contributor’s direct and indirect interests in the entities identified as “Contributed Entities” on Exhibit A hereto (the “Contributed Interests”) and the other contributed properties and contributed assets identified in each such RIF Fund Contribution Agreement, and (b) the Operating Partnership shall acquire from each Contributor, all of such Contributor’s right, title and interest in and to such Contributed Interests and the other contributed properties and contributed assets, in exchange for a combination of cash, without interest, REIT Shares and/or OP Units and the assumption by the Operating Partnership of the assumed liabilities identified in each such RIF Fund Contribution Agreement all on the terms and subject to the conditions set forth therein;

WHEREAS, in the event that all members of a Contributor return duly executed and completed Consent Forms approving the Formation Transactions, then, in lieu of the applicable RIF Fund Contribution Agreement, the REIT may elect to cause the applicable Contributor to enter into an agreement and plan of merger with the Operating Partnership pursuant to which such Contributor will merge with and into the Operating Partnership and the membership interests in such Contributor will be converted automatically into the right to receive cash, REIT Shares and/or OP Units;

WHEREAS, the Formation Transactions relate to the initial public offering of the REIT Shares or, depending on prevailing market conditions at the time of the offering, a private offering of the REIT Shares (the “Offering”), following which the REIT will operate as a self-administered and self-managed real estate investment trust within the meaning of Section 856 of the Code;

WHEREAS, substantially concurrently with the completion of the Formation Transactions and the Offering, the REIT will contribute to the Operating Partnership, all of the assets (other than OP Units), rights and obligations acquired by the REIT as a result of the Formation Transactions and the Offering;

WHEREAS, in accordance with Section 18-209 of the Delaware Limited Liability Company Act (the “DLLCA”), the Management Company may be merged with and into the Merger Sub, subject to the requisite approval of the members as provided in Section 18-209 of the DLLCA; and

WHEREAS, all necessary approvals have been obtained by each of the Operating Partnership and the Management Company to consummate the transactions contemplated herein and by the other Formation Transaction Documentation.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the foregoing and the representations, warranties, covenants and other terms contained in this Agreement, the parties hereto, intending to be legally bound hereby, agree as follows:

ARTICLE I

THE MERGER

Section 1.01 THE MERGER. At the Effective Time, and subject to the terms and conditions contained in this Agreement and in accordance with applicable Laws, the Merger Sub shall be merged with and into the Management Company whereby the separate existence of the Merger Sub shall cease, and the Management Company shall continue its existence under Delaware law as the surviving entity (hereinafter sometimes referred to as the “Surviving Entity”).

Section 1.02 EFFECTIVE TIME. Subject to and upon the terms and conditions of this Agreement, concurrently with or as soon as practicable after (i) the execution by the REIT and the Operating Partnership of the Underwriting Agreement and (ii) the satisfaction or waiver of the conditions set forth in Article II, the Operating Partnership, Merger Sub and the Management Company shall file articles of merger or similar documents with respect to the Merger (the “Certificate of Merger”) as may be required by applicable Laws, with the Secretary of State of the State of Delaware providing that the Merger shall become effective upon filing or at such later date and time set forth in the Certificate of Merger with respect to such Merger (the “Effective Time”), together with any certificates and other filings or recordings related thereto, in such forms as are required by, and executed in accordance with the relevant provisions of applicable Laws.

Section 1.03 EFFECT OF THE MERGER. At the Effective Time, the effect of the Merger shall be as provided in this Agreement, the Certificate of Merger and applicable Laws.

Section 1.04 ORGANIZATIONAL DOCUMENTS. At the Effective Time, (i) the certificate of formation of the Management Company, as in effect immediately prior to the Effective Time, shall be the certificate of formation of the Surviving Entity until thereafter amended as provided therein or in accordance with the DLLCA, and (ii) the limited liability company agreement of the Management Company, as in effect immediately prior to the Effective Time, shall be the limited liability company agreement of the Surviving Entity until thereafter amended as provided therein or in accordance with the DLLCA.

Section 1.05 CONVERSION OF MANAGEMENT COMPANY INTERESTS.

(a) Under and subject to the terms and conditions of the respective Formation Transaction Documentation, each Pre-Formation Participant is irrevocably bound to accept and entitled to receive, as a result of and upon consummation of the Merger or other Formation Transactions, a specified share of the Rexford Entities as a whole in the form of the right to receive cash, REIT Shares and/or OP Units as calculated in this Section 1.05.

(b) At the Effective Time, by virtue of the Merger and without any action on the part of the parties hereto, except as set forth in this Agreement, each Management Company Interest shall be converted automatically into the right to receive cash, OP Units and/or REIT Shares with an a value equal to the portion of the Equity Value of the Management Company represented by such Management Company Interest (collectively, and including as adjusted pursuant to Section 5.05, but, for the avoidance of doubt, excluding any consideration payable to such Pre-Formation Participants pursuant to the Formation Transactions in respect of Pre-Formation Interests in any Rexford Entity other than the Management Company, referred to as the “Merger Consideration”) and each holder that receives OP Units in the Merger shall, upon receipt of such OP Units and the delivery of a Consent Form or a counterpart signature page to the Operating Partnership Agreement and such other documents and instruments as may be required in the sole discretion of the REIT to effect such holder’s admission as a limited partner of the Operating Partnership, be admitted as a limited partner of the Operating Partnership in accordance with the Maryland Revised Uniform Limited Partnership Act and the Operating Partnership Agreement. The portion of the Equity Value of the Management Company “represented by” a Management Company Interest shall be calculated using the same methodology used to calculate the Allocated Share of a holder of such Management Company Interest.

(c) Subject to Section 1.07, the amount of cash, number of OP Units and/or REIT Shares comprising the Merger Consideration for each Management Company Interest so converted shall be as follows:

(i) Cash. One hundred percent (100%) of the Allocated Share attributable to a Pre-Formation Participant who is not an Accredited Investor shall be paid in cash.

(ii) OP Units. The Elected OP Unit Percentage of the Allocated Share attributable to a Pre-Formation Participant who is an Accredited Investor shall be distributed in in whole OP Units in the form of a number of OP Units equal to the applicable portion of such Allocated Share divided by the Offering Price; and

(iii) REIT Shares. The Elected REIT Shares Percentage of the Allocated Share attributable to a Pre-Formation Participant who is an Accredited Investor shall be distributed in whole REIT Shares in the form of a number of REIT Shares equal to the applicable portion of such Allocated Share divided by the Offering Price; *provided, that* to the extent such distribution of REIT Shares to such Pre-Formation Participant would result in a violation of the restrictions on ownership and transfer set forth in Section 6.2.1 of the REIT’s charter (the “Ownership Limits”), such Pre-Formation Participant shall receive (x) the maximum number of whole REIT Shares that would not result in such a violation of the Ownership Limits, and (y) that number of whole OP Units equal to the remaining number of REIT Shares not distributed as a result of the application of the foregoing clause (x).

Section 1.06 CANCELLATION AND RETIREMENT OF MANAGEMENT COMPANY INTERESTS. From and after the Effective Time, (i) each Management Company Interest converted into the right to receive the Merger Consideration pursuant to Section 1.05(a) shall no longer be outstanding and shall automatically be cancelled and retired and shall cease to exist, and each holder of such Management Company Interest so converted shall thereafter cease to have any rights as a member of the Management Company except the right to receive the Merger Consideration applicable thereto, (ii) each Management Company Interest issued and outstanding that is owned by the Operating Partnership or any of its direct or indirect wholly-owned Subsidiaries shall no longer be outstanding and shall automatically be cancelled and retired and shall cease to exist and no consideration shall be delivered hereunder in exchange therefor and (iii) each interest in the Merger Sub will be converted into one issued and outstanding Management Company Interest.

Section 1.07 FRACTIONAL INTERESTS. No fractional OP Units or REIT Shares shall be issued in the Merger or the other Formation Transactions. All fractional OP Units that a holder of Management Company Interests would otherwise be entitled to receive as a result of the Merger and the other Formation Transactions shall be aggregated, and each holder shall receive the number of whole OP Units resulting from such aggregation and, in lieu of any fractional OP Unit resulting from such aggregation, an amount in cash determined by multiplying that fraction of a REIT Share to which such holder would otherwise have been entitled, by the Offering Price. All fractional REIT Shares that a holder of Management Company Interests would otherwise be entitled to receive as a result of the Merger and the other Formation Transactions shall be aggregated, and each holder shall receive the number of whole REIT Shares resulting from such aggregation and, in lieu of any fractional REIT Share resulting from such aggregation, an amount in cash determined by multiplying that fraction of a REIT Share to which such holder would otherwise have been entitled, by the Offering Price. No interest will be paid or will accrue on any cash paid or payable in lieu of any fractional OP Unit or REIT Share.

Section 1.08 FURTHER ACTION. If, at any time after the Effective Time, the Surviving Entity shall determine or be advised that any deeds, bills of sale, assignments (including any intellectual property assignments), assurances or any other actions or things are necessary or desirable to vest, perfect or confirm of record or otherwise in the Surviving Entity the right, title or interest in, to or under any of the rights, properties or assets of the Management Company acquired or to be acquired by the Surviving Entity as a result of, or in connection with, the Merger or otherwise to carry out this Agreement, the Surviving Entity shall be authorized to execute and deliver, in the name and on behalf of the Management Company all such deeds, bills of sale, assignments (including any intellectual property assignments) and assurances and to take and do, in the name and on behalf of any Management Company Interests all such other actions and things as may be necessary or desirable to vest, perfect or confirm any and all right, title and interest in, to and under such rights, properties or assets in the Surviving Entity or otherwise to carry out this Agreement.

Section 1.09 CALCULATION OF MERGER CONSIDERATION. As soon as practicable following the determination of the Offering Price and prior to the filing of the Certificate of Merger, all calculations relating to the Merger Consideration shall be performed in good faith by, or under the direction of, the Operating Partnership, and the parties hereby agree that, absent manifest error, such calculations shall be final and binding upon the holders of Management Company Interests.

ARTICLE II

CLOSING

Section 2.01 CONDITIONS PRECEDENT.

(a) Condition to Each Party's Obligations. The respective obligation of each party to effect the Merger contemplated by this Agreement and to consummate the other transactions contemplated hereby to occur on the Closing Date is subject to the satisfaction or waiver on or prior to the Effective Time of the following conditions:

(i) Registration Statement. If the REIT undertakes a public Offering, the public Offering registration statement must have been declared effective under the Securities Act and will not be the subject of any stop order or proceedings by the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC") seeking a stop order. This condition may not be waived by any party.

(ii) No Injunction. No Governmental Authority of competent jurisdiction shall have enacted, issued, promulgated, enforced or entered any statute, rule, regulation, executive order, decree, judgment, injunction, stay or other order (whether temporary, preliminary or permanent), in any case which is in effect and which prevents or prohibits consummation of any of the transactions contemplated in this Agreement nor shall any of the same brought by a Governmental Authority of competent jurisdiction be pending or threatened that seeks the foregoing.

(iii) Operating Partnership Agreement. The Operating Partnership Agreement, in substantially the form attached hereto as Exhibit B, shall have been executed and delivered by the partners of the Operating Partnership and shall be in full force and effect and, except as contemplated by Section 2.03 or the other Formation Transaction Documents, shall not have been amended or modified.

(b) Conditions to the Obligations of the OP Parties. The obligations of the OP Parties to effect the Merger contemplated by this Agreement and to consummate the other transactions contemplated hereby to occur on the Closing Date are further subject to satisfaction of the following conditions (any of which may be waived by the Operating Partnership in whole or in part):

(i) Representations and Warranties. The representations and warranties of the Management Company contained in this Agreement shall be true and correct in all material respects at the Closing as if made again at that time (except to the extent that any representation or warranty speaks as of an earlier date, in which case it must be true and correct only as of that earlier date).

(ii) Performance by the Management Company. The Management Company shall have performed each of the agreements and covenants required by this

Agreement to be performed or complied with by it on or prior to the Closing Date and the Management Company shall not have breached any of its covenants contained herein in any material respect.

(iii) Offering Closing. The closing of the Offering shall occur substantially concurrently with the Closing.

(iv) Consents, Etc. All necessary consents and approvals of Governmental Authorities or third parties (including lenders) for the Management Company to consummate the transactions contemplated hereby shall have been obtained.

(v) No Management Company Material Adverse Effect. There shall have not occurred between the date hereof and the Closing Date a Management Company Material Adverse Effect.

(vi) Formation Transactions. The Formation Transactions shall have been or shall be consummated substantially concurrently in accordance with the timing set forth in the respective Formation Transaction Documentation.

(vii) Lock-Up Agreement. Each of the Pre-Formation Participants owning interests in the Management Company shall have entered into the Lock-Up Agreement substantially in the form attached as Exhibit C.

(viii) Tax Matters Agreement. Any Pre-Formation Participant that will receive OP Units in the Merger and that (1) owns, directly or indirectly, an interest in any Property specified in the Tax Matters Agreement or (2) has been provided an opportunity to guarantee debt as set forth in the Tax Matters Agreement shall have entered into the Tax Matters Agreement substantially in the form attached as Exhibit D, if applicable.

(c) Conditions to the Obligations of the Management Company. The obligation of the Management Company to effect the Merger contemplated by this Agreement and to consummate the other transactions contemplated hereby to occur on the Closing Date are further subject to satisfaction of the following conditions (any of which may be waived by the Management Company in whole or in part):

(i) Representations and Warranties. Except as would not have an OP Material Adverse Effect, the representations and warranties of the OP Parties contained in this Agreement shall be true and correct at the Closing as if made again at that time (except to the extent that any representation or warranty speaks as of an earlier date, in which case it must be true and correct only as of that earlier date).

(ii) Performance by the OP Parties. Except as would not have an OP Material Adverse Effect, the OP Parties shall have performed all agreements and covenants required by this Agreement to be performed or complied with by it on or prior to the Closing Date.

(iii) Registration Rights Agreement. The REIT shall have entered into the Registration Rights Agreement, substantially in the form attached as Exhibit E hereto. This condition may not be waived by any party hereto.

(iv) Tax Matters Agreement. If the Management Company (1) owns, directly or indirectly, an interest in any Property specified in the Tax Matters Agreement or (2) has any members that have been provided an opportunity to guarantee debt as set forth in the Tax Matters Agreement, the REIT and the Operating Partnership shall have entered into the Tax Matters Agreement substantially in the form attached as Exhibit D, if applicable.

Section 2.02 TIME AND PLACE. Unless this Agreement shall have been terminated pursuant to Section 2.06, and subject to the satisfaction or waiver of the conditions in Section 2.01, the filing of the Certificate of Merger, the Effective Time and the closing of the Merger contemplated by Section 1.01 and the other transactions contemplated by this Agreement shall occur substantially concurrently with the receipt by the REIT of the proceeds from the Offering from the underwriters (the “Closing” or the “Closing Date”) in the order set forth on Exhibit F. The Closing shall take place at the offices of Latham & Watkins LLP, 355 South Grand Avenue, Los Angeles, California 90071 or such other place as determined by the REIT in its sole discretion.

Section 2.03 DELIVERY OF MERGER CONSIDERATION.

(a) Subject to Section 5.03(a), as soon as reasonably practicable after the Effective Time, the Surviving Entity (or its successor in interest) shall deliver to each holder of Management Company Interests, whose Management Company Interests have been converted into the right to receive the Merger Consideration pursuant to Section 1.05(b) hereof, the Merger Consideration payable to such holder in the amounts and form provided in Section 1.05(e) hereof. The issuance of any OP Units and admission of the recipients thereof as limited partners of the Operating Partnership pursuant to Section 1.05(b), shall be evidenced by an entry to the Register (as defined in the Operating Partnership Agreement), and the Operating Partnership shall deliver, or cause to be delivered, an executed copy of the Amendment to each Pre-Formation Participant receiving OP Units hereunder. Any certificate representing REIT Shares issuable as Merger Consideration shall bear the following legend:

THE SECURITIES REPRESENTED HEREBY HAVE NOT BEEN REGISTERED UNDER THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933, AS AMENDED (THE “ACT”), OR THE SECURITIES LAWS OF ANY STATE AND MAY NOT BE SOLD, TRANSFERRED OR OTHERWISE DISPOSED OF IN THE ABSENCE OF SUCH REGISTRATION, UNLESS THE TRANSFEROR DELIVERS TO THE CORPORATION AN OPINION OF COUNSEL SATISFACTORY TO THE CORPORATION, TO THE EFFECT THAT THE PROPOSED SALE, TRANSFER OR OTHER DISPOSITION MAY BE EFFECTED WITHOUT REGISTRATION UNDER THE ACT AND UNDER APPLICABLE STATE SECURITIES OR “BLUE SKY” LAWS.

THE SHARES REPRESENTED BY THIS CERTIFICATE ARE SUBJECT TO RESTRICTIONS ON BENEFICIAL AND CONSTRUCTIVE OWNERSHIP AND TRANSFER FOR THE PURPOSE OF THE CORPORATION'S MAINTENANCE OF ITS STATUS AS A REAL ESTATE INVESTMENT TRUST UNDER THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE OF 1986, AS AMENDED (THE "CODE"). SUBJECT TO CERTAIN FURTHER RESTRICTIONS AND EXCEPT AS EXPRESSLY PROVIDED IN THE CORPORATION'S CHARTER, (I) NO PERSON MAY BENEFICIALLY OR CONSTRUCTIVELY OWN SHARES OF THE CORPORATION'S COMMON STOCK IN EXCESS OF 9.8% (IN VALUE OR NUMBER OF SHARES) OF THE OUTSTANDING SHARES OF COMMON STOCK OF THE CORPORATION UNLESS SUCH PERSON IS AN EXCEPTED HOLDER (IN WHICH CASE THE EXCEPTED HOLDER LIMIT SHALL BE APPLICABLE); (II) NO PERSON MAY BENEFICIALLY OR CONSTRUCTIVELY OWN SHARES OF CAPITAL STOCK OF THE CORPORATION IN EXCESS OF 9.8% OF THE VALUE OF THE TOTAL OUTSTANDING SHARES OF CAPITAL STOCK OF THE CORPORATION, UNLESS SUCH PERSON IS AN EXCEPTED HOLDER (IN WHICH CASE THE EXCEPTED HOLDER LIMIT SHALL BE APPLICABLE); (III) NO PERSON MAY BENEFICIALLY OR CONSTRUCTIVELY OWN CAPITAL STOCK THAT COULD RESULT IN THE CORPORATION BEING "CLOSELY HELD" UNDER SECTION 856(h) OF THE CODE OR OTHERWISE CAUSE THE CORPORATION TO FAIL TO QUALIFY AS A REIT; AND (IV) NO PERSON MAY TRANSFER SHARES OF CAPITAL STOCK IF SUCH TRANSFER WOULD RESULT IN THE CAPITAL STOCK OF THE CORPORATION BEING OWNED BY FEWER THAN 100 PERSONS. ANY PERSON WHO BENEFICIALLY OR CONSTRUCTIVELY OWNS OR ATTEMPTS TO BENEFICIALLY OR CONSTRUCTIVELY OWN SHARES OF CAPITAL STOCK WHICH CAUSES OR MAY CAUSE A PERSON TO BENEFICIALLY OR CONSTRUCTIVELY OWN SHARES OF CAPITAL STOCK IN EXCESS OR IN VIOLATION OF THE ABOVE LIMITATIONS MUST IMMEDIATELY NOTIFY THE CORPORATION OR, IN THE CASE OF SUCH A PROPOSED OR ATTEMPTED TRANSACTION, GIVE AT LEAST 15 DAYS PRIOR WRITTEN NOTICE. IF ANY OF THE RESTRICTIONS ON TRANSFER OR OWNERSHIP SET FORTH IN (I) THROUGH (III) ABOVE ARE VIOLATED, THE SHARES OF CAPITAL

STOCK REPRESENTED HEREBY WILL BE AUTOMATICALLY TRANSFERRED TO A TRUSTEE OF A TRUST FOR THE BENEFIT OF ONE OR MORE CHARITABLE BENEFICIARIES. IN ADDITION, THE CORPORATION MAY TAKE OTHER ACTIONS, INCLUDING REDEEMING SHARES UPON THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS SPECIFIED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS IN ITS SOLE AND ABSOLUTE DISCRETION IF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS DETERMINES THAT OWNERSHIP OR A TRANSFER OR OTHER EVENT MAY VIOLATE THE RESTRICTIONS DESCRIBED ABOVE. FURTHERMORE, UPON THE OCCURRENCE OF CERTAIN EVENTS, ATTEMPTED TRANSFERS IN VIOLATION OF THE RESTRICTIONS DESCRIBED ABOVE MAY BE VOID *AB INITIO*. ALL UNDERLINED TERMS IN THIS LEGEND HAVE THE MEANINGS DEFINED IN THE CHARTER OF THE CORPORATION, AS THE SAME MAY BE AMENDED FROM TIME TO TIME, A COPY OF WHICH, INCLUDING THE RESTRICTIONS ON TRANSFER AND OWNERSHIP, WILL BE FURNISHED TO EACH HOLDER OF CAPITAL STOCK OF THE CORPORATION ON REQUEST AND WITHOUT CHARGE. REQUESTS FOR SUCH A COPY MAY BE DIRECTED TO THE SECRETARY OF THE CORPORATION AT ITS PRINCIPAL OFFICE.

(b) The Surviving Entity (or its successor in interest) shall not be liable to any holder of a Management Company Interest for any portion of the Merger Consideration delivered to a public official pursuant to any applicable abandoned property, escheat or similar Law.

Section 2.04 CLOSING DELIVERIES. At the Closing, the parties shall make, execute, acknowledge and deliver, or cause to be made, executed, acknowledged and delivered any other documents reasonably requested by the Operating Partnership or reasonably necessary or desirable to assign, transfer, convey, contribute and deliver the Management Company Interests, free and clear of all Liens and to effectuate the transactions contemplated hereby.

Section 2.05 CLOSING COSTS. If the Closing occurs, the REIT and the Operating Partnership shall be solely responsible for all transaction costs and expenses of the REIT, the Operating Partnership and the Rexford Entities in connection with the Formation Transactions and the Offering, which include, but are not limited to, the underwriting discounts and commissions. In the event the Closing does not occur, each party shall be responsible for its allocable portion of such costs and expenses in accordance with the terms of those certain letter agreements identified on Schedule 2.05.

Section 2.06 TERM OF THE AGREEMENT. This Agreement shall terminate automatically if the transactions contemplated herein shall not have been consummated on or prior to December 31, 2013 (such date is hereinafter referred to as the "Outside Date").

Section 2.07 EFFECT OF TERMINATION. In the event of termination of this Agreement for any reason, all obligations on the part of the OP Parties and the Management Company under this Agreement shall terminate, except that the obligations set forth in Article VI shall survive, it being understood and agreed, however, for the avoidance of doubt, that if this Agreement is terminated because one or more of the conditions to the non-breaching party's obligations under this Agreement are not satisfied by the Outside Date as a result of the other party's material breach of a covenant, representation, warranty or other obligation under this Agreement or any other Formation Transaction Documentation, the non-breaching party's right to pursue all legal remedies with respect to such breach will survive such termination unimpaired.

Section 2.08 TAX WITHHOLDING. The Operating Partnership, the Merger Sub and the Management Company, as applicable, shall be entitled to deduct and withhold from the consideration payable pursuant to this Agreement to any holder of a Management Company Interest such amounts required to be deducted and withheld with respect to the making of such payment under the Code or any provision of state, local or foreign tax law. To the extent that amounts are so withheld, such withheld amounts shall be treated for all purposes of this Agreement as having been paid to the holder of the Management Company Interest in respect of which such deduction and withholding was made.

ARTICLE III

REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES OF THE OP PARTIES

Each of the OP Parties hereby represents and warrants to the Management Company as follows:

Section 3.01 ORGANIZATION; AUTHORITY.

(a) Each OP Party has been duly formed or incorporated and is validly existing and in good standing under the Laws of its jurisdiction of incorporation or formation and has, or upon the effectiveness of the Operating Partnership Agreement, will have, all requisite power and authority to enter into this Agreement and the other Formation Transaction Documentation and to carry out the transactions contemplated hereby and thereby, and to own, lease and/or operate its property and to carry on its business as presently conducted and, to the extent required under applicable Laws, is qualified to do business and is in good standing in each jurisdiction in which the nature of its business or the character of its property make such qualification necessary, other than such failures to be so qualified as would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have an OP Material Adverse Effect.

(b) Schedule 3.01(b) sets forth as of the date hereof, (i) each Subsidiary of the Operating Partnership (each an "Operating Partnership Subsidiary"), (ii) the ownership interest therein of the Operating Partnership, and (iii) if not wholly owned by the Operating Partnership, the identity and ownership interest of each of the other owners of such Operating Partnership Subsidiary. Each Operating Partnership Subsidiary has been duly organized or formed and is validly existing and is in good standing under the Laws of its jurisdiction of organization or formation, as applicable, has all requisite power and authority to own, lease and/or operate its

property and to carry on its business as presently conducted and, to the extent required under applicable Laws, is qualified to do business and is in good standing in each jurisdiction in which the nature of its business or the character of its property make such qualification necessary, other than such failures to be so qualified as would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have an OP Material Adverse Effect.

Section 3.02 DUE AUTHORIZATION. The execution, delivery and performance of this Agreement and the other Formation Transaction Documentation (including each agreement, document and instrument executed and delivered by or on behalf of each OP Party pursuant to this Agreement or the other Formation Transaction Documentation) by the OP Party has been duly and validly authorized by all necessary actions required of the OP Party. This Agreement, the other Formation Transaction Documentation and each agreement, document and instrument executed and delivered by or on behalf of each OP Party pursuant to this Agreement or the other Formation Transaction Documentation constitutes, or when executed and delivered will constitute, the legal, valid and binding obligation of the OP Party, enforceable against the OP Party in accordance with its terms, subject to applicable bankruptcy, insolvency, moratorium or other similar Laws relating to creditors' rights and general principles of equity.

Section 3.03 CONSENTS AND APPROVALS. Except for the filing of the Certificate of Merger in accordance with [Section 1.02](#) hereof or in connection with the Offering and the consummation of the other Formation Transactions or as shall have been obtained on or prior to the Closing Date, no consent, waiver, approval, authorization, order, license, permit or registration of, qualification, designation, declaration or filing with, any Person or Governmental Authority or under any applicable Laws is required to be obtained by each OP Party in connection with the execution, delivery and performance of this Agreement and the transactions contemplated hereby, except for (a) those consents, waivers, approvals, authorizations, orders, licenses, permits, registrations, qualifications, designations, declarations or filings, the failure of which to obtain or to file would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have an OP Material Adverse Effect, or (b) those consents under the Organizational Documents of the applicable Rexford Entity (including the Management Company), the failure of which to obtain would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have an OP Material Adverse Effect.

Section 3.04 NO VIOLATION. None of the execution, delivery or performance of this Agreement, the other Formation Transaction Documentation, any agreement contemplated hereby between the parties to this Agreement and the transactions contemplated hereby between the parties to this Agreement does or will, with or without the giving of notice, lapse of time, or both, violate, conflict with, result in a breach of, or constitute a default under or give to others any right of termination, acceleration, cancellation or other right under, (a) the Organizational Documents of each OP Party, (b) any agreement, document or instrument to which the OP Party or any of its respective assets are bound or (c) any term or provision of any judgment, order, writ, injunction, or decree binding on the OP Party, except for, in the case of clause (b) or (c), any such breaches or defaults that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have an OP Material Adverse Effect.

Section 3.05 VALIDITY OF OP UNITS AND REIT SHARES. Any OP Units to be issued pursuant to this Agreement will have been duly authorized by the Operating Partnership and, when issued against the consideration therefor, will be validly issued, fully paid and non-assessable, free and clear of all Liens created by the Operating Partnership (other than any Liens created by the Operating Partnership Agreement). Any REIT Shares to be issued pursuant to this Agreement will have been duly authorized by the REIT and, when issued against the consideration therefor, will be validly issued, fully paid and non-assessable, free and clear of all Liens created by the REIT (other than any Liens created by the charter of the REIT).

Section 3.06 LITIGATION. Except for actions, suits or proceedings covered by policies of insurance, there is no action, suit or proceeding pending or, to the knowledge of the Operating Partnership, threatened against the Operating Partnership or any Operating Partnership Subsidiary, other than actions, suits, proceedings arising in the ordinary course of business from the ownership and operation of each OP Party, that individually or in the aggregate, would not reasonably be expected, (a) if adversely determined, to have an OP Material Adverse Effect, or (b) to challenge or impair the ability of the OP Party to execute or deliver, or materially perform its obligations under, this Agreement and the documents executed by it pursuant to this Agreement or to consummate the transactions contemplated hereby or thereby to such an extent as would result in an OP Material Adverse Effect.

Section 3.07 OPERATING PARTNERSHIP AGREEMENT. Attached hereto as Exhibit B hereto is a true and correct copy of the Operating Partnership Agreement, as in effect immediately prior to the Effective Time.

Section 3.08 LIMITED ACTIVITIES. Except for activities in connection with the Offering, the Formation Transactions or in the ordinary course of business, the Operating Partnership and the Operating Partnership Subsidiaries have not engaged in any material business or incurred any material obligations.

Section 3.09 NO BROKER. No OP Party has entered into, and each covenants that it will not enter into, any agreement, arrangement or understanding with any Person or firm which will result in the obligation of the Management Company or any Affiliates thereof to pay any finder's fee, brokerage commission or similar payment in connection with the transaction contemplated by this Agreement (other than underwriting discounts, commissions and other fees and expenses to be paid by the REIT in connection with the Offering and any related financing transactions).

Section 3.10 NO OTHER REPRESENTATIONS OR WARRANTIES. Other than the representations and warranties expressly set forth in this Article III and any other agreement entered into in connection with the Formation Transactions, the OP Parties shall not be deemed to have made any other representation or warranty in connection with this Agreement or the transactions contemplated hereby. All representations, warranties and covenants of the OP Parties contained in this Agreement shall expire at the Closing.

ARTICLE IV

REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES OF THE MANAGEMENT COMPANY

Except as disclosed in the Offering Document or the schedules attached hereto, the Management Company represents and warrants to the OP Parties that as of the Closing Date:

Section 4.01 ORGANIZATION; AUTHORITY.

(a) The Management Company has been duly formed, is validly existing and in good standing under the Laws of its jurisdiction of formation, and has all requisite power and authority to enter into this Agreement, each agreement contemplated hereby and the other Formation Transaction Documentation to which it is a party (including any agreement, document and instrument executed and delivered by or on behalf of the Management Company pursuant to this Agreement or the other Formation Transaction Documentation) and to carry out the transactions contemplated hereby and thereby, and to carry on its business as presently conducted. The Management Company, to the extent required under applicable Laws, is qualified to do business and is in good standing in each jurisdiction in which the nature of its business make such qualification necessary, other than such failures to be so qualified as would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Management Company Material Adverse Effect.

(b) Schedule 4.01(b) sets forth as of the date hereof with respect to the Management Company (i) each direct or indirect Subsidiary of the Management Company (each a "Management Company Subsidiary" and, collectively the "Management Company Subsidiaries"), (ii) the direct or indirect ownership interest therein of the Management Company, (iii) if not wholly owned by the Management Company, the identity and ownership interest of each of the other owners of such Subsidiary, and (iv) each real property owned directly or indirectly, in whole or in part, by such Subsidiary. Such Management Company Subsidiary has been duly organized and is validly existing and is in good standing under the Laws of its jurisdiction of organization, and has all requisite power and authority to own, lease and/or operate its property and to carry on its business as presently conducted. Such Management Company Subsidiary, to the extent required under applicable Laws, is qualified to do business and is in good standing in each jurisdiction in which the nature of its business or the character of its property make such qualification necessary, other than such failures to be so qualified as would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Management Company Material Adverse Effect. Except as set forth on Schedule 4.01(b), each of the Management Company and the Management Company Subsidiaries does not own any equity or ownership interest in any other Person.

(c) The OP Parties have been provided complete and accurate copies of Organizational Documents, as amended through the date hereof, and such Organizational Documents are in full force and effect as of the date hereof and have not been further modified or amended.

Section 4.02 DUE AUTHORIZATION. The execution, delivery and performance by the Management Company of this Agreement and the other Formation Transaction Documentation (including any agreement, document and instrument executed and delivered by or on behalf of the Management Company pursuant to this Agreement or the other Formation Transaction Documentation) to which it is a party have been duly and validly authorized by all necessary actions required of the Management Company. This Agreement, the other Formation

Transaction Documentation and each agreement, document and instrument executed and delivered by or on behalf of the Management Company pursuant to this Agreement or the other Formation Transaction Documentation constitutes, or when executed and delivered will constitute, the legal, valid and binding obligation of the Management Company, each enforceable against the Management Company in accordance with its terms, subject to applicable bankruptcy, insolvency, moratorium or other similar Laws relating to creditors' rights and general principles of equity.

Section 4.03 CAPITALIZATION. Schedule 4.03 sets forth as of the date hereof the ownership of the Management Company. All of the issued and outstanding equity interests of the Management Company are duly authorized, validly issued and fully paid; and are not subject to preemptive rights or appraisal, dissenters' or other similar rights under the Organizational Documents of or any contract to which the Management Company is a party or otherwise bound, except for such preemptive rights, transfer restrictions, or appraisal, dissenters' or other similar rights as would not prevent the Merger. There are no outstanding rights to purchase, subscriptions, warrants, options or any other security convertible into or exchangeable for equity interests in the Management Company. Except as set forth in the Organizational Documents, the Management Company is not a party to any agreement for the sale of its material assets, for the grant to any Person of any preferential right to purchase any such material assets or the acquisition of any material operating business, material assets or capital stock of any other corporation, entity or business, other than the purchase or sale of assets in the ordinary course of business.

Section 4.04 CONSENTS AND APPROVALS. Except for the filing of the Certificate of Merger in accordance with Section 1.02 hereof, as shall have been obtained or satisfied on or prior to the Closing Date, no consent, waiver, approval, authorization, order, license, permit or registration of, qualification, designation, declaration or filing with, any Person or any Governmental Authority or under any applicable Laws is required to be obtained by the Management Company in connection with the execution, delivery and performance of this Agreement, the other Formation Transaction Documentation to which the Management Company is a party and the transactions contemplated hereby and thereby, except for those consents, waivers, approvals, authorizations, orders, licenses, permits, registrations, qualifications, designations, declarations or filings, the failure of which to obtain or to file would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Management Company Material Adverse Effect.

Section 4.05 NO VIOLATION. None of the execution, delivery or performance of this Agreement, any agreement contemplated hereby between the parties to this Agreement and the transactions contemplated hereby between the parties to this Agreement does or will, with or without the giving of notice, lapse of time, or both, violate, conflict with, result in a breach of, or constitute a default under or give to others any right of termination, acceleration, cancellation or other right under, (a) the Organizational Documents of the Management Company or (b) any agreement, document or instrument to which the Management Company is a party or by which the Management Company or any of its assets or properties are bound or (c) any term or provision of any judgment, order, writ, injunction, or decree binding on the Management Company (or its assets or properties), except for, in the case of clause (b) or (c), any such breaches or defaults that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Management Company Material Adverse Effect.

Section 4.06 LICENSES AND PERMITS. All notices, licenses, permits, certificates and authorizations required for the continued operation of the business of the Management Company have been obtained or can be obtained without material cost, are in full force and effect, are in good standing and (to the extent required in connection with the transactions contemplated by the Formation Transaction Documentation) are assignable to the OP Parties, except in each case for items that, if not so obtained, obtainable and/or transferred, would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Management Company Material Adverse Effect. Neither the Management Company nor, to the knowledge of the Management Company, any third party has taken any action that (or failed to take any action the omission of which) would result in the revocation of any such notice, license, permit, certificate or authorization where such revocation or revocations would, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Management Company Material Adverse Effect, nor has any one of them received any written notice of violation from any Governmental Authority or written notice of the intention of any entity to revoke any such notice, license, permit, certificate or authorization, that in each case has not been cured or otherwise resolved to the satisfaction of such Governmental Authority or other entity and except as would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Management Company Material Adverse Effect.

Section 4.07 COMPLIANCE WITH LAWS. The Management Company has conducted its businesses in compliance with all applicable Laws, except for such failures that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Management Company Material Adverse Effect. Neither the Management Company nor, to the knowledge of the Management Company, any third party are in violation of any Law or has been informed in writing of any continuing violation of any such Laws or that any investigation has been commenced and is continuing or is contemplated respecting any such possible violation, except in each case for violations that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Management Company Material Adverse Effect. There has not been committed by the Management Company or, to the knowledge of the Management Company, any other Person in occupancy of or involved with the operation or use of the Properties any act or omission affording the federal government or any other Governmental Authority the right of forfeiture as against any Property or any part thereof.

Section 4.08 INSURANCE. Schedule 4.08 lists each insurance policy to which the Management Company is a party, an insured or a beneficiary. Each of the insurance policies is in full force and effect in all material respects and all premiums due and payable thereunder have been fully paid when due. To the knowledge of the Management Company, the Management Company has not received from any insurance company any notices of cancellation or intent to cancel any insurance.

Section 4.09 FINANCIAL STATEMENTS. The consolidated financial statements of the Management Company included in the Offering Document have been prepared in all material respects in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles applied on a consistent basis during the periods involved (except as may be indicated in the notes thereto), subject, in the case of unaudited statements, to normal year-end audit adjustments, and fairly present in all material respects the financial condition and results of operations of the Management Company as of the dates indicated therein and for the periods ended as indicated therein.

Section 4.10 TAXES.

(a) The Management Company has timely and properly filed (or caused to be timely and properly filed) all Tax Returns required to be filed by it (after giving effect to any filing extension properly granted by a Governmental Authority having authority to do so), and all such Tax Returns are accurate and complete in all material respects.

(b) The Management Company has timely paid (or has had paid on its behalf) all Taxes as required to be paid by it.

(c) No income or material non-income Tax returns filed by the Management Company are subject to a pending or ongoing audit. No deficiencies for any income or material non-income Taxes have been proposed, asserted or assessed against the Management Company, and no requests for waivers of the time to assess any such Taxes are pending.

(d) Since its formation, the Management Company has been treated for United States federal income tax purposes as a partnership and not as a corporation or an association taxable as a corporation.

Section 4.11 LITIGATION. Except for actions, suits or proceedings fully covered by policies of insurance, there is no action, suit or proceeding pending or, to the knowledge of the Management Company, threatened against or affecting the Management Company or any officer, director, principal, managing member or Affiliate of the Management Company, other than actions, suits or proceedings arising in the ordinary course of business from the ownership and operation, which, if adversely determined, would not have a Management Company Material Adverse Effect. There is no action, suit, or proceeding pending or, to the knowledge of the Management Company, threatened against or affecting the Management Company or any officer, director, principal, managing member or Affiliate of the Management Company, which challenges or impairs the ability of the Management Company to execute or deliver, or perform its obligations under this Agreement or any Formation Transaction Documentation or any other documents executed by it pursuant to this Agreement or any Formation Transaction Documentation or to consummate the transactions contemplated hereby or thereby. Except for matters covered by insurance, there is no judgment, decree, injunction, rule or order of a Governmental Authority outstanding against the Management Company or any officer, director, principal or managing member of the Management Company in their capacity as such, or which would reasonably be expected to have a Management Company Material Adverse Effect. None of the Management Company or any officer, director, principal, managing member, general partner or Affiliate of any of the foregoing has received any written notice of any pending or threatened proceedings for the rezoning (i.e., as opposed to the current zoning) of any Property or any portion thereof which would impair the current or proposed use thereof in a manner that would result in a Management Company Material Adverse Effect.

Section 4.12 INSOLVENCY. No attachments, execution proceedings, assignments for the benefit of creditors, insolvency, bankruptcy, reorganization or other proceedings are pending or, to the Management Company's knowledge, threatened against the Management Company, nor are any such proceedings contemplated by the Management Company.

Section 4.13 SECURITIES LAW MATTERS. The Management Company acknowledges that: (i) the REIT and Operating Partnership intend the offer and issuance of any REIT Shares or OP Units to any Pre-Formation Participants to be exempt from registration under the Securities Act and applicable state securities laws by virtue of the status of such equity holder as an Accredited Investor acquiring any REIT Shares or OP Units in a transaction exempt from registration pursuant to Rule 506 of Regulation D under the Securities Act, and (ii) in issuing any REIT Shares or OP Units pursuant to the terms of this Agreement, the REIT and Operating Partnership are relying on the representations made by each equity holder electing to receive REIT Shares or OP Units as consideration in the Merger, which representations were set forth in Appendix C to the Request for Consent – Accredited Investor Representations Letter.

Section 4.14 NO BROKER. The Management Company has not entered into, and it covenants that it will not enter into, any agreement, arrangement or understanding with any Person or firm which will result in the obligation of the REIT or any Affiliate to pay any finder's fee, brokerage commission or similar payment in connection with the transaction contemplated by this Agreement (other than underwriting discounts, commissions and other fees and expenses to be paid by the REIT in connection with the Offering and any related financing transactions).

Section 4.15 OWNERSHIP OF CERTAIN ASSETS. Except as set forth in Schedule 4.15, the Management Company does not own any loan assets or other securities of any issuer except for equity interests in other Rexford Entities.

Section 4.16 EMPLOYEES. The Management Company does not have, nor has ever had any employees.

Section 4.17 NO OTHER REPRESENTATIONS OR WARRANTIES. Other than the representations and warranties expressly set forth in this Article IV and any other agreement entered into by the Management Company in connection with the Formation Transactions, the Management Company shall not be deemed to have made any other representation or warranty in connection with this Agreement or the transactions contemplated hereby.

Section 4.18 SURVIVAL OF REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES. The parties hereto agree and acknowledge that the representations and warranties set forth in this Article IV (other than Section 4.01, Section 4.02, Section 4.03, and Section 4.13) shall not survive the Closing.

ARTICLE V

COVENANTS AND OTHER AGREEMENTS

Section 5.01 PRE-CLOSING COVENANTS. During the period from the date hereof to the Closing Date (except as otherwise provided for or contemplated by this Agreement or in connection with the Formation Transactions), the Management Company shall use commercially reasonable efforts to conduct its businesses in the ordinary course of business consistent with past practice, pay its debt obligations as they become due and payable, and use commercially

reasonable efforts to preserve intact its current business organizations and preserve its relationships with customers, tenants, suppliers, advertisers and others having business dealings with it, in each case consistent with past practice. In addition, and without limiting the generality of the foregoing, during the period from the date hereof to the Closing Date and except in connection with the Formation Transactions, the Management Company shall not without the prior written consent of the Operating Partnership, which consent may be withheld by the Operating Partnership in its sole discretion:

(a) (i) other than distributions to the members of the Management Company in connection with such members' payment of any Taxes related to their ownership of the membership interest of the Management Company or as otherwise contemplated by this Agreement, declare, set aside or pay any dividends or distributions in respect of any Management Company Interests, except in the ordinary course of business consistent with past practice and in accordance with the applicable governing document of the Management Company, (ii) issue or authorize the issuance of any other securities in respect of, in lieu of or in substitution for any Management Company Interests or make any other changes to the equity capital structure of the Management Company, or (iii) purchase, redeem or otherwise acquire any Management Company Interests or interests or any other securities thereof;

(b) issue, deliver, sell, transfer, dispose, mortgage, pledge, assign or otherwise encumber, or cause the issuance, delivery, sale, transfer, disposition, mortgage, pledge, assignment or otherwise encumbrance of, any limited liability company, partnership interests or other equity interests of the Management Company or any other assets of the Management Company;

(c) amend its certificate of formation and limited liability company agreement;

(d) adopt a plan of liquidation, dissolution, merger, consolidation, restructuring, recapitalization or reorganization;

(e) materially alter the manner of keeping the Management Company's books, accounts or records or the accounting practices therein reflected;

(f) file an entity classification election pursuant to Treasury Regulation Section 301.7701-3(c) on Internal Revenue Service Form 8832 (Entity Classification Election) to treat the Management Company as an association taxable as a corporation for United States federal income tax purposes; make or change any other Tax elections; settle or compromise any claim, notice, audit report or assessment in respect of Taxes; change any annual Tax accounting period; adopt or change any method of Tax accounting; file any amended Tax Return; enter into any tax allocation agreement, tax sharing agreement, tax indemnity agreement or closing agreement relating to any Tax; surrender of any right to claim a Tax refund; or consent to any extension or waiver of the statute of limitations period applicable to any Tax claim or assessment;

(g) knowingly cause or permit the Management Company to violate, or fail to use commercially reasonable efforts to cure any violation of, any applicable Laws;

(h) take any action or fail to take any action the result of which would have a Management Company Material Adverse Effect; or

(i) authorize, commit or agree to take any of the foregoing actions.

Section 5.02 COMMERCIALY REASONABLE EFFORTS BY THE OPERATING PARTNERSHIP AND THE MANAGEMENT COMPANY. Each of the Operating Partnership and Management Company shall use commercially reasonable efforts and cooperate with each other in (a) promptly determining whether any filings are required to be made or consents, approvals, waivers, permits or authorizations are required to be obtained (under any applicable Law or regulation or from any Governmental Authority or third party) in connection with the transactions contemplated by this Agreement, and (b) promptly making (or causing to be made) any such filings, in furnishing information required in connection therewith and in timely seeking to obtain any such consents, approvals, waivers, permits and authorizations.

Section 5.03 TAX MATTERS.

(a) So long as some portion of the Merger Consideration is in the form of OP Units, the parties hereto intend and agree that, for United States federal income tax purposes, the transactions contemplated by this Agreement shall constitute an “assets-over” partnership merger within the meaning of Treasury Regulations Section 1.708-1(c)(3)(i) pursuant to which the Management Company contributes all of its assets and liabilities to the Operating Partnership in exchange for OP Units in a transaction qualifying under Section 721(a) of the Code and immediately thereafter, the Management Company distributes such OP Units to the holders of Management Company Interests. As a result, (i) in accordance with Treasury Regulations Section 1.708-1(c)(4), any payment of cash or REIT Shares attributable to a holder of Management Company Interests shall be treated as a sale by such holder of its Management Company Interests and a purchase of such interests by the Operating Partnership for the cash and/or REIT Shares so paid under the terms of this Agreement, and (ii) the Management Company shall cause each such holder of Management Company Interests who receives cash and/or REIT Shares to explicitly agree and consent (the “Sale Consent”) to such treatment in their Consent Forms as a condition to electing such consideration. To the extent the Operating Partnership acquires any Management Company Interests as described in clause (i) above, or otherwise previously acquired any such interests, for United States federal income tax purposes the receipt by the Operating Partnership of the portion of property attributable to such interests shall be treated as a distribution by the Management Company in redemption of such interests. Notwithstanding Section 1.05 and any holder’s election as to the form of its Merger Consideration, if any holder of Management Company Interests (other than a non-Accredited Investor), fails to execute a Sale Consent prior to the Closing, such holder’s Merger Consideration shall consist solely of OP Units. Notwithstanding Section 1.07 and Section 2.03(a), any cash paid as the Merger Consideration holder of Management Company Interests shall be paid only after the receipt of a Sale Consent from such holder of Management Company Interests.

(b) Each of the REIT, the Operating Partnership and the Management Company shall cooperate fully, as and to the extent reasonably requested by the other party, in connection with the filing of Tax Returns related to the transactions pursuant to this Agreement

and any audit, litigation or administrative, judicial or other inquiry or proceeding with respect to Taxes related to the transactions pursuant to this Agreement. Such cooperation shall include the retention and (upon the other party's request) the provision of records and information which are reasonably relevant to any such action or other proceeding and making employees available on a mutually convenient basis to provide additional information and explanation of any material provided hereunder.

(c) The Operating Partnership shall prepare or cause to be prepared and file or cause to be filed all income Tax Returns of the Management Company which are due after the Closing Date. All such income Tax Returns shall be prepared in a manner consistent with past practice, except as otherwise required by applicable Law.

(d) The Operating Partnership shall prepare or cause to be prepared all other Tax Returns of the Management Company.

(e) Prior to Closing, the Management Company shall deliver to the REIT a properly executed certificate prepared in accordance with Treasury Regulations section 1.1445-2(b) certifying the non-foreign status of the Management Company and of each holder of the Management Company Interests and any similar affidavits or other forms required under applicable state, local or foreign Tax Laws.

(f) Neither the REIT nor the Operating Partnership makes any representations or warranties to the Management Company or any holder of a Management Company Interest regarding the Tax treatment of the Merger or the other Formation Transactions, or with respect to any other Tax consequences to the Management Company or any holder of a Management Company Interest of this Agreement, the Merger or the other Formation Transactions. The Management Company acknowledges that the Management Company and the holders of Management Company Interests are relying solely on their own Tax advisors in connection with this Agreement, the Merger and the other Formation Transactions and agreements contemplated hereby.

Section 5.04 CONSENT AND WAIVER OF RIGHTS UNDER ORGANIZATIONAL DOCUMENTS. As of the Closing, the Management Company waives and relinquishes all rights and benefits otherwise afforded to the Management Company (a) under its Organizational Documents including, without limitation, any rights of appraisal, rights of first offer or first refusal, buy/sell agreements, put, option, or similar parallel exit or dissenter rights in connection with the Formation Transactions and the Offering, and any right to consent to or approve of the sale or contribution or other transaction undertaken by any equity holder of the Management Company of their Management Company Interests to the REIT or any Affiliate thereof and any and all notice provisions related thereto and (b) for claims against any OP Party for breach by any of their respective present or former officers, directors, managing members, general partners or Affiliates of their fiduciary duties or similar obligations (including duties of disclosure) to any of their respective present or former shareholders, members, partners, equity interest holders or Affiliates or the terms of any applicable Organizational Documents. The Management Company acknowledges that the agreements contained herein and the transactions contemplated hereby and any actions taken in contemplation of the transactions contemplated hereby may conflict with, and may not have been contemplated by, the Organizational Documents of the

Management Company or other agreements among one or more holders of Management Company Interests or one or more of the members of the Management Company. With respect to the Management Company and each property in which the Management Company Interests represent a direct or indirect interest, the Management Company expressly gives all consents (and any consents necessary to authorize the proper parties in interest to give all consents) and waivers it is entitled to give that are necessary or desirable to facilitate the contribution or other Formation Transactions relating to the Management Company or such property. In addition, the Management Company agrees that if the transactions contemplated hereby occur, this Agreement shall be deemed to be an amendment to the Organizational Documents of the Management Company to the extent the terms herein conflict with the terms thereof, including without limitation, terms with respect to allocations, distributions and the like. In the event the transactions contemplated by this Agreement do not occur, nothing in this Agreement shall be deemed to be or construed as an amendment or modification of, or commitment of any kind to amend or modify, the Organizational Documents of the Management Company, which shall remain in full force and effect without modification.

Section 5.05 EXCLUDED ASSETS. Prior to the Closing and after such amounts are reasonably determined, the Management Company shall distribute or cause to be distributed or paid out the Excluded Assets identified on Schedule 5.05. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary herein, (a) in addition to such Excluded Assets, the Management Company shall also distribute or cause to be distributed or paid any amounts remitted to the Management Company by RI LLC (the “Repaid Amount”) in repayment of the aggregate balance remaining on two loans made by the Management Company to RI LLC and Rexford Industrial Realty & Management, Inc., a wholly-owned Subsidiary of RI LLC, and (b) to the extent such Repaid Amount is insufficient to fully repay the balance remaining on such loans (such remaining unpaid balance, the “Repayment Shortfall”), the aggregate Equity Value attributable to the Management Company (and therefore the aggregate Merger Consideration) shall be increased, and the aggregate Equity Value attributable to RI LLC (and therefore the aggregate merger consideration payable in respect of RI LLC in the Formation Transactions) shall be reduced, in each case by an amount equal to the Repayment Shortfall.

Section 5.06 ALTERNATE TRANSACTION. In the event that the Operating Partnership determines that a structure change is necessary, advisable or desirable, the Operating Partnership may elect, in its sole and absolute discretion, to effect an Alternate Transaction (subject to the limitations in the definition thereof), without the need for the OP Parties to seek any further consent or action from the Management Company, and the Management Company shall, and it shall cause its shareholders to, enter into such agreements as shall be necessary to consummate an Alternate Transaction. In the event that an Alternate Transaction is used to effect the transactions contemplated by this Agreement, then the OP Parties may elect to terminate this Agreement without any liability or obligation to any Person.

Section 5.07 OBLIGATIONS OF MERGER SUB. Subject to the terms of this Agreement, the Operating Partnership shall take all reasonable action necessary to cause the Merger Sub (a) to be formed prior to the Effective Time and become a party to this Agreement by executing a counterpart of this Agreement where indicated on the signature page hereof (the date of such execution, the “Joinder Date”) and (b) to perform its obligations under this Agreement and to consummate the Merger on the terms and conditions set forth in this Agreement. All representations, warranties, covenants, agreements, rights and obligations of the Merger Sub herein shall become effective as to the Merger Sub as of the Joinder Date.

ARTICLE VI

GENERAL PROVISIONS

Section 6.01 NOTICES. All notices and other communications under this Agreement shall be in writing and shall be deemed given when (a) delivered personally, (b) five (5) Business Days after being mailed by certified mail, return receipt requested and postage prepaid, (c) one (1) Business Day after being sent by a nationally recognized overnight courier or (d) transmitted by facsimile if confirmed within twenty-four (24) hours thereafter by a signed original sent in the manner provided in clause (a), (b) or (c) to the parties at the following addresses (or at such other address for a party as shall be specified by notice from such party):

- (a) if to the REIT or the OP Parties:

Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc.
11620 Wilshire Boulevard, Suite 300
Los Angeles, CA 90025
Facsimile: (310) 966-1690
Attention: Howard Schwimmer and Michael S. Frankel

- (b) if to the Management Company:

c/o Rexford Industrial, LLC
11620 Wilshire Boulevard, Suite 300
Los Angeles, CA 90025
Facsimile: (310) 966-1690
Attention: Howard Schwimmer and Michael S. Frankel

Section 6.02 DEFINITIONS. For purposes of this Agreement, the following terms shall have the following meanings.

- (a) “Accredited Investor” has the meaning set forth under Regulation D of the Securities Act.

(b) “Affiliate” means, with respect to any Person, a Person that, directly or indirectly, through one or more intermediaries, controls, is controlled by, or is under common control with the specified Person. For the purposes of this definition, “control” (including, with correlative meanings, the terms “controlled by” and “under common control with”) as used with respect to any Person, shall mean the possession, directly or indirectly, of the power to direct or cause the direction of the management or policies of such Person, whether through the ownership of voting securities, by agreement or otherwise.

(c) “Allocated Share” means an amount of Merger Consideration that would be distributed to a Pre-Formation Participant that is the holder of an interest in a Rexford Entity in accordance with the provisions of the existing Organizational Documents of such entity relating to distributions of distributable net proceeds from sales of directly or indirectly owned properties or assets, and assuming the sale of the relevant Target Asset or Target Assets that are directly or indirectly owned by such entity for a value equal to such Target Asset’s or Target Assets’ respective Equity Value(s).

(d) “Alternate Transaction” means any transaction structure, other than that contemplated by this Agreement, pursuant to which the REIT, the Operating Partnership or any of their Subsidiaries acquire all or a portion of the interests in the Management Company or the assets held directly or indirectly by the Management Company in a transaction pursuant to which each holder of Management Company Interests receives the amount of cash, the number of OP Units and/or the number of REIT Shares that were to be received by such holder pursuant to this Agreement (or a portion thereof equal in value to the value of the portion of such assets acquired by the REIT, the Operating Partnership or any of their Subsidiaries pursuant to such Alternate Transaction); provided, that such structure will not (i) result in a breach of the Management Company’s governing documents and (ii) give rise to dissenters’ or appraisal rights by the members of the Management Company, unless such rights have fully waived by all such members in the Consent Forms.

(e) “Business Day” means any day that is not a Saturday, Sunday or legal holiday in the State of California.

(f) “Code” means the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, together with the rules and regulations promulgated or issued thereunder.

(g) “Consent Form” means the form provided to each holder of Pre-Formation Interests to consent to the Formation Transactions and to make such holder’s irrevocable elections with respect to consideration to be received by such holder in the Formation Transactions.

(h) “Elected OP Unit Percentage” means, with respect to the Merger Consideration to be received by any Pre-Formation Participant, the percentage of the Allocated Share that the Pre-Formation Participant has made a Valid Election to receive in the form of OP Units.

(i) “Elected REIT Shares Percentage” means, with respect to the Merger Consideration to be received by any Pre-Formation Participant, the percentage of the Allocated Share that the Pre-Formation Participant has made a Valid Election to receive in the form of REIT Shares.

(j) “Entity Specific Debt” has the meaning set forth in Schedule 6.02(c) hereto.

(k) “Equity Value” has the meaning set forth in Schedule 6.02(c) hereto.

(l) “Excluded Assets” means the assets identified on Schedule 5.05.

(m) “Formation Transaction Documentation” means all of the agreements (including this Agreement) and related documents substantially in the forms accompanying the Request for Consent dated February 22, 2013 and identified in Exhibit G hereto, pursuant to which all of the Rexford Entities and/or the Pre-Formation Interests are to be acquired by the REIT or the Operating Partnership, directly or indirectly, as part of the Formation Transactions.

(n) “Formation Transactions” means the transactions contemplated by this Agreement and the other Formation Transaction Documentation.

(o) “Fund V Subsequent Investment Amount” has the meaning set forth in Schedule 6.02(c) hereto.

(p) “Governmental Authority” means any government or agency, bureau, board, commission, court, department, official, political subdivision, tribunal or other instrumentality of any government, whether federal, state or local, domestic or foreign.

(q) “Interim Period” has the meaning set forth in Schedule 6.02(c) hereto.

(r) “Laws” means laws, statutes, rules, regulations, codes, orders, ordinances, judgments, injunctions, decrees and policies of any Governmental Authority, including, without limitation, zoning, land use or other similar rules or ordinances.

(s) “Liens” means all pledges, claims, liens, charges, restrictions, controls, easements, rights of way, exceptions, reservations, leases, licenses, grants, covenants and conditions, encumbrances and security interests of any kind or nature whatsoever.

(t) “Lock-Up Agreement” means that certain Lock-Up Agreement, by and between the underwriters and each investor of the REIT and/or the Operating Partnership.

(u) “Management Company Material Adverse Effect” means any material adverse change in the assets, business, condition (financial or otherwise), results of operation or prospects of the Management Company, taken as a whole.

(v) “Offering Closing Date” means the closing date of the Offering.

(w) “Offering Document” means either (i) in the event the REIT undertakes a public Offering, the REIT’s final prospectus as filed with the SEC; or (ii) in the event the REIT undertakes a private Offering, the REIT’s final offering memorandum (together with any supplements and amendments thereto) used in the Offering.

(x) “Offering Price” means the initial offering price of a REIT Share in the Offering.

(y) “OP Material Adverse Effect” means any material adverse change in any of the assets, business, condition (financial or otherwise), results of operation or prospects of the REIT and each Operating Partnership Subsidiary, taken as a whole.

(z) “Operating Partnership Agreement” means the Amended and Restated Agreement of Limited Partnership of the Operating Partnership, as in effect immediately prior to the Effective Time.

(aa) “Organizational Documents” means the certificate of formation, certificate of incorporation and bylaws, certificate of limited partnership and limited partnership agreement, limited liability company agreement or operating agreement, of the Management Company or each other applicable Person, as applicable.

(bb) “Person” means an individual, corporation, partnership, limited liability company, joint venture, association, trust, unincorporated organization or other entity.

(cc) “Pre-Formation Interests” means the equity interests directly or indirectly held by the Pre-Formation Participants in the Rexford Entities and in the “Rexford Properties” as defined in that certain Confidential Request for Consent and Investment Election dated February 22, 2013.

(dd) “Pre-Formation Participants” means the holders of the equity interests in the relevant RIF Fund Entity and the Management Company, RIF V Manager and RI LLC immediately prior to the Formation Transactions, and shall include any other Person contributing any interest or Property to the REIT, the Operating Partnership or any Subsidiary thereof in the Formation Transactions.

(ee) “Property” means each real property owned directly or indirectly, in whole or in part, by the Rexford Entities.

(ff) “Registration Rights Agreement” means that certain Registration Rights Agreement, by and among the REIT, the Operating Partnership and the parties identified as a signatory on Schedule A thereto.

(gg) “Rexford Entity” means a RIF Fund Entity, the Management Company, RIF V Manager and RI LLC and each of their respective Subsidiaries, as applicable. As used herein, “Rexford Entities” refer to each Rexford Entity, collectively.

(hh) “Securities Act” means the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder.

(ii) “Subsidiary” of any Person means any corporation, partnership, limited liability company, joint venture, trust or other legal entity of which such Person owns (either directly or through or together with another Subsidiary of such Person) either (i) a general partner, managing member or other similar interest, or (ii)(A) ten percent (10%) or more of the voting power of the voting capital stock or other equity interests, or (B) ten percent (10%) or more of the outstanding voting capital stock or other voting equity interests of such corporation, partnership, limited liability company, joint venture or other legal entity.

(jj) “Target Asset” has the meaning set forth in Schedule 6.02(c) hereto.

(kk) “Tax” means all federal, state, local and foreign income, gross receipts, license, property, withholding, sales, franchise, employment, payroll, goods and services, stamp, environmental, customs duties, capital stock, social security, transfer, alternative minimum, excise and other taxes, tariffs or governmental charges of any nature whatsoever, including estimated taxes, together with penalties, interest or additions to Tax with respect thereto, whether or not disputed.

(ll) “Tax Matters Agreement” means that certain Tax Matters Agreement by and among the REIT, the Operating Partnership and the other parties identified as signatories therein.

(mm) “Tax Return” means any return, declaration, report, claim for refund, or information return or statement relating to Taxes, including any schedule or attachment thereto, and including any amendment thereof.

(nn) “Underwriting Agreement” means that certain underwriting agreement, by and between the REIT, the Operating Partnership and certain underwriters set forth therein, pursuant to which the REIT will issue and sell shares in the Offering.

(oo) “Valid Election” means, with respect to any Management Company Interest, an irrevocable election to receive all or a portion of its Allocated Share in the form of OP Units and/or REIT Shares as indicated on the properly completed and timely received Consent Form of the holder of the Management Company Interest or a Consent Form as to which any deficiencies have been waived by the Operating Partnership.

Section 6.03 COUNTERPARTS. This Agreement may be executed in counterparts, all of which shall be considered one and the same agreement and shall become effective when one or more counterparts have been signed by each party and delivered to each other party.

Section 6.04 ENTIRE AGREEMENT; THIRD-PARTY BENEFICIARIES. This Agreement, the other Formation Transaction Documentation and the Consent Forms to which the parties hereto are a party, including, without limitation, the exhibits and schedules hereto and thereto, constitute the entire agreement and, except as set forth in Section 2.05, supersede each prior agreement and understanding, whether written or oral, among the parties regarding the subject matter of this Agreement. This Agreement is not intended to confer any rights or remedies on any Person other than the parties hereto.

Section 6.05 GOVERNING LAW. This Agreement shall be governed by, and construed in accordance with, the Laws of the State of California, regardless of any Laws that might otherwise govern under applicable principles of conflicts of laws thereof.

Section 6.06 ASSIGNMENT. This Agreement shall be binding upon, and shall be enforceable by and inure to the benefit of, the parties hereto and their respective heirs, legal representatives, successors and assigns; *provided, however*, that this Agreement may not be assigned (except by operation of law) by any party without the prior written consent of the other parties, and any attempted assignment without such consent shall be null and void and of no force and effect, except that each OP Party may assign its rights and obligations hereunder to an Affiliate.

Section 6.07 JURISDICTION. The parties hereto hereby (a) submit to the exclusive jurisdiction of any state or federal court sitting in the County of Los Angeles, with respect to any dispute arising out of this Agreement or any transaction contemplated hereby to the extent such courts would have subject matter jurisdiction with respect to such dispute and (b) irrevocably waive, and agree not to assert by way of motion, defense, or otherwise, in any such action, any claim that it is not subject personally to the jurisdiction of the above-named courts, that its property is exempt or immune from attachment or execution, that the action is brought in an inconvenient forum, or that the venue of the action is improper.

Section 6.08 DISPUTE RESOLUTION . The parties intend that this Section 6.08 will be valid, binding, enforceable, exclusive and irrevocable and that it shall survive any termination of this Agreement.

(a) Upon any dispute, controversy or claim arising out of or relating to this Agreement or the enforcement, breach, termination or validity thereof (“Dispute”), the party raising the Dispute will give written notice to the other parties to the Dispute describing the nature of the Dispute following which the parties to such Dispute shall attempt for a period of ten (10) Business Days from receipt by the parties of notice of such Dispute to resolve such Dispute by negotiation between representatives of the parties hereto who have authority to settle such Dispute. All such negotiations shall be confidential and any statements or offers made therein shall be treated as compromise and settlement negotiations for purposes of any applicable rules of evidence and shall not be admissible as evidence in any subsequent proceeding for any purpose. The statute of limitations applicable to the commencement of a lawsuit shall apply to the commencement of an arbitration hereunder, except that no defense based on the running of the statute of limitations will be available based upon the passage of time during any such negotiation. Regardless of the foregoing, a party shall have the right to seek immediate injunctive relief pursuant to Section 6.08(c) below without regard to any such ten (10) Business Day negotiation period.

(b) Any Dispute (including the determination of the scope or applicability of this agreement to arbitrate) that is not resolved pursuant to Section 6.08(a) above shall be submitted to final and binding arbitration in California before one neutral and impartial arbitrator, in accordance with the Laws of the State of California for agreements made in and to be performed in that State. The arbitration shall be administered by JAMS, Inc. (“JAMS”) pursuant to its Comprehensive Arbitration Rules and Procedures, as in effect on the date hereof. Each of the Operating Partnership, on the one hand, and the Management Company, on the other hand, shall appoint one arbitrator within fifteen (15) days of a demand for arbitration. If the Operating Partnership and the Management Company cannot mutually agree upon an arbitrator within such 15-day period, the arbitrator shall be appointed by JAMS in accordance with its Comprehensive Arbitration Rules and Procedures, as in effect on the date hereof. The arbitrator shall designate the place and time of the hearing. The hearing shall be scheduled to begin as soon as practicable and no later than sixty (60) days after the appointment of the arbitrator (unless such period is extended by the arbitrator for good cause shown) and shall be conducted as expeditiously as possible. The award, which shall set forth the arbitrator’s findings of fact and

conclusions of law, shall be filed with JAMS and mailed to the parties no later than thirty (30) days after the close of the arbitration hearing. The arbitration award shall be final and binding on the parties and not subject to collateral attack. Judgment upon the arbitration award may be entered in any federal or state court having jurisdiction thereof.

(c) Notwithstanding the parties' agreement to submit all Disputes to final and binding arbitration before JAMS, the parties shall have the right to seek and obtain temporary or preliminary injunctive relief in any court having jurisdiction thereof. Such courts shall have authority to, among other things, grant temporary or provisional injunctive relief in order to protect any party's rights under this Agreement. Without prejudice to such provisional remedies as may be available under the jurisdiction of a court, the arbitral tribunal shall have full authority to grant provisional remedies and to direct the parties to request that any court modify or vacate any temporary or preliminary relief issued by such court, and to award damages for the failure of any party to respect the arbitral tribunal's orders to that effect.

(d) The prevailing party shall be entitled to recover its costs and reasonable attorneys' fees, and the non-prevailing party shall pay all expenses and fees of JAMS, all costs of the stenographic record, all expenses of witnesses or proofs that may have been produced at the direction of the arbitrator, and the fees, costs, and expenses of the arbitrator. The arbitrator shall allocate such costs and designate the prevailing party or parties for these purposes.

Section 6.09 SEVERABILITY. Each provision of this Agreement will be interpreted so as to be effective and valid under applicable Law, but if any provision is held invalid, illegal or unenforceable under applicable Law in any jurisdiction, then such invalidity, illegality or unenforceability will not affect any other provision, and this Agreement will be reformed, construed and enforced in such jurisdiction as if such invalid, illegal or unenforceable provision had never been included herein.

Section 6.10 RULES OF CONSTRUCTION.

(a) The parties hereto agree that they have had the opportunity to be represented by counsel during the negotiation, preparation and execution of this Agreement and, therefore, waive the application of any Law, regulation, holding or rule of construction providing that ambiguities in an agreement or other document will be construed against the party drafting such agreement or document.

(b) The words "hereof," "herein" and "herewith" and words of similar import shall, unless otherwise stated, be construed to refer to this Agreement as a whole and not to any particular provision of this Agreement, and article, section, paragraph, exhibit and schedule references are to the articles, sections, paragraphs, exhibits and schedules of this Agreement unless otherwise specified. Whenever the words "include," "includes" or "including" are used in this Agreement, they shall be deemed to be followed by the words "without limitation." All terms defined in this Agreement shall have the defined meanings contained herein when used in any certificate or other document made or delivered pursuant hereto unless otherwise defined therein. The definitions contained in this Agreement are applicable to the singular as well as the plural forms of such terms and to the masculine as well as to the feminine and neuter genders of such terms. Unless explicitly stated otherwise herein, any agreement, instrument or statute

defined or referred to herein or in any agreement or instrument that is referred to herein means such agreement, instrument or statute as from time to time, amended, qualified or supplemented, including (in the case of agreements and instruments) by waiver or consent and (in the case of statutes) by succession of comparable successor statutes and all attachments thereto and instruments incorporated therein. References to a Person are also to its permitted successors and assigns.

Section 6.11 EQUITABLE REMEDIES. The parties agree that irreparable damage would occur to the Operating Partnership in the event that any of the provisions of this Agreement were not performed in accordance with their specific terms or were otherwise breached. It is accordingly agreed that the Operating Partnership shall be entitled to an injunction or injunctions to prevent breaches of this Agreement by the Management Company and to enforce specifically the terms and provisions hereof in any federal or state court located in California, this being in addition to any other remedy to which the Operating Partnership is entitled under this Agreement or otherwise at law or in equity.

Section 6.12 TIME OF THE ESSENCE. Time is of the essence with respect to all obligations under this Agreement.

Section 6.13 DESCRIPTIVE HEADINGS. The descriptive headings herein are inserted for convenience only and are not intended to be part of or to affect the meaning or interpretation of this Agreement.

Section 6.14 NO PERSONAL LIABILITY CONFERRED. This Agreement shall not create or permit any personal liability or obligation on the part of any officer, director, partner, employee or shareholder of the OP Parties or the Management Company.

Section 6.15 WAIVER OF SECTION 1542 PROTECTIONS. As of the Closing Date, each of the parties hereto expressly acknowledges that it has had, or has had and waived, the opportunity to be advised by independent legal counsel and hereby waives and relinquishes all rights and benefits afforded by Section 1542 of the California Civil Code and does so understanding and acknowledging the significance and consequence of such specific waiver of Section 1542 which provides:

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

Section 6.16 AMENDMENTS. This Agreement may be amended by appropriate instrument, without the consent of the Management Company, at any time prior to the Effective Time; provided, that no such amendment, modification or supplement shall be made that alters the amount or changes the form of the consideration to be delivered to the Management Company without the prior written consent of the Management Company.

[SIGNATURE PAGES FOLLOW]

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have caused this Agreement to be signed by their respective duly authorized officers or representatives, all as of the date first written above.

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, INC.,
a Maryland corporation

By: /s/ Howard Schwimmer
Name: Howard Schwimmer
Title: Co-Chief Executive Officer

By: /s/ Michael Frankel
Name: Michael S. Frankel
Title: Co-Chief Executive Officer

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, L.P.,
a Maryland limited partnership

By: REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, INC.,
a Maryland Corporation
Its: General Partner

By: /s/ Howard Schwimmer
Name: Howard Schwimmer
Title: Co-Chief Executive Officer

By: /s/ Michael Frankel
Name: Michael S. Frankel
Title: Co-Chief Executive Officer

REXFORD SPONSOR V MERGER SUB
LLC, a Delaware limited liability company

By: /s/ Michael Frankel
Name: Michael S. Frankel
Title: Manager

[Signature Page to Sponsor Merger Agreement]

REXFORD SPONSOR V LLC,
a Delaware limited liability company

By: /s/ Howard Schwimmer
Name: Howard Schwimmer
Title: Management Committee Member

By: /s/ Michael Frankel
Name: Michael S. Frankel
Title: Management Committee Member

[Signature Page to Sponsor Merger Agreement]

REPRESENTATION, WARRANTY AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT

This REPRESENTATION, WARRANTY AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT (this "Agreement") is made and entered into as of July 24, 2013, and is effective as of the Closing Date (as defined below), by and among Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc., a Maryland corporation (the "REIT"), Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P., a Maryland limited partnership and subsidiary of the REIT (the "Operating Partnership," and collectively with the REIT, the "Consolidated Entities"), and Richard Ziman, Howard Schwimmer and Michael S. Frankel, (collectively, the "Principals").

RECITALS

WHEREAS, the REIT desires to consolidate the ownership of a portfolio of properties currently owned, directly or indirectly, by certain entities each as described on Schedule I hereto;

WHEREAS, at the closing of the Formation Transactions, the Principals will have the right to receive shares of common stock of the REIT, \$.01 par value per share ("REIT Shares") and common units of partnership interest in the Operating Partnership ("OP Units") pursuant to the agreements listed on Schedule II hereto;

WHEREAS, in order to induce the Consolidated Entities to enter into the Formation Transaction Documentation, the Principals have agreed to provide certain representations, warranties and indemnities as set forth herein; and

WHEREAS, the Principals have agreed to deposit ten percent (10%) of the REIT Shares, and ten percent (10%) of the OP Units to be received directly or indirectly by them pursuant to the Formation Transaction Documentation (collectively, the "Indemnity Holdback Amount") into an "Indemnity Holdback Escrow" pursuant to the "Escrow Agreement" in the form attached as Exhibit A hereto, with the "Escrow Agent" (as defined therein) in order to provide an exclusive remedy for any breaches of the representations and warranties made in Article I of this Agreement. Each OP Unit and REIT Share deposited into the Indemnity Holdback Escrow shall be valued at the initial public offering price of a REIT Share in the initial public offering (the "IPO Price") for all purposes under this Agreement.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the foregoing and the representations, warranties, covenants and other terms contained in this Agreement, the parties hereto, intending to be legally bound hereby, agree as follows:

ARTICLE I. REPRESENTATION AND WARRANTIES

Except as disclosed in the Prospectus or in the schedules referenced in this Article I and attached hereto, the Principals represent and warrant to the Consolidated Entities that, with respect to each of the Rexford Entities and its Subsidiaries and their respective Properties, as of the Closing Date:

Section 1.01 ORGANIZATION; AUTHORITY.

(a) Each of the Rexford Entities has been duly organized and is validly existing and in good standing under the Laws of its jurisdiction of organization and has all

requisite power and authority to enter into each agreement or document included in or contemplated by the Formation Transaction Documentation (including any agreement, document and instrument executed and delivered by or on its behalf pursuant to any Formation Transaction Documentation) and to carry out the transactions contemplated thereby, and to carry on its business as presently conducted. Each Rexford Entity, to the extent required under applicable Laws, is qualified to do business and is in good standing in each jurisdiction in which the nature of its business make such qualification necessary, other than such failures to be so qualified as would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect.

(b) **Schedule 1.01** sets forth as of the date hereof with respect to each Rexford Entity (i) each Subsidiary of such Rexford Entity, (ii) the ownership interest of each Rexford Entity in each Subsidiary, (iii) if not wholly owned by a Rexford Entity, the identity and ownership interest of each of the other owners of such Subsidiary, and (iv) each Property owned by each Rexford Entity or its Subsidiaries. Each Subsidiary of the Rexford Entities has been duly organized and is validly existing and is in good standing under the Laws of its jurisdiction of organization, and has all requisite power and authority to own, lease and/or operate its Properties and to carry on its business as presently conducted. Each Subsidiary of the Rexford Entities, to the extent required under applicable Laws, is qualified to do business and is in good standing in each jurisdiction in which the nature of its business or the character of its Properties make such qualification necessary, other than such failures to be so qualified as would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect. Except as set forth on **Schedule 1.01(b)**, none of the Rexford Entities or its Subsidiaries own any material equity or ownership interest in any other Person.

(c) The Consolidated Entities have been provided complete and accurate copies of the Organizational Documents of each Rexford Entity, as amended through the date hereof, and such Organizational Documents are in full force and effect as of the date hereof and have not been further modified or amended.

Section 1.02 DUE AUTHORIZATION. The execution, delivery and performance by each Rexford Entity of each agreement or document included in or contemplated by the Formation Transaction Documentation (including any agreement, document and instrument executed and delivered by or on behalf of each Rexford Entity pursuant to any Formation Transaction Documentation) to which it is a party have been duly and validly authorized by all necessary actions required of such Rexford Entity. Each agreement, document and instrument contemplated by the Formation Transaction Documentation and executed and delivered by or on behalf of each Rexford Entity constitutes, or when executed and delivered will constitute, the legal, valid and binding obligation of such Rexford Entity, each enforceable against such Rexford Entity in accordance with its terms, subject to applicable bankruptcy, insolvency, moratorium or other similar Laws relating to creditors' rights and general principles of equity.

Section 1.03 CAPITALIZATION. All of the issued and outstanding equity interests of each Rexford Entity and its Subsidiaries (x) have been duly and validly issued and (y) are not subject to preemptive rights or appraisal, dissenters' or other similar rights under the organizational documents of or any contract to which such Rexford Entity is a party or otherwise bound, except, in each case, as would not prevent the transactions contemplated by this Agreement and the other Formation Transaction Documentation or as would not have a Material Adverse Effect.

Section 1.04 CONSENTS AND APPROVALS. Except as shall have been obtained or satisfied on or prior to the Closing Date, no consent, waiver, approval, authorization, order, license, permit or registration of, qualification, designation, declaration or filing with, any Person or any Governmental Authority or under any applicable Laws is required to be obtained by any Rexford Entity or any of their respective Subsidiaries in connection with the execution, delivery and performance of any of the agreements or documents included in or contemplated by the Formation Transaction Documentation to which any such Rexford Entity is a party and the transactions contemplated hereby and thereby, except for (i) those consents, waivers, approvals, authorizations, orders, licenses, permits, registrations, qualifications, designations, declarations or filings, the failure of which to obtain or to file would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect on the ability of such Rexford Entity to execute, deliver or perform any of such agreements or documents or transactions, or (ii) those consents of the Pre-Formation Participants under the organizational documents of the applicable Rexford Entity, the failure of which to obtain would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to cause a Material Adverse Effect on the ability of such Rexford Entity to execute, deliver or perform of any of such agreements or documents or transactions.

Section 1.05 NO VIOLATION. None of the execution, delivery or performance by any Rexford Entity of any agreement or document included in or contemplated by the Formation Transaction Documentation to which it is a party and the transactions contemplated thereby does or will, with or without the giving of notice, lapse of time, or both, violate, conflict with, result in a breach of, or constitute a default under or give to others any right of termination, acceleration, cancellation or other right under, (a) the organizational documents of such Rexford Entity or any of its Subsidiaries, (b) any agreement, document or instrument to which such Rexford Entity or any of its Subsidiaries or any of their respective assets or properties are bound by or (c) any term or provision of any judgment, order, writ, injunction, or decree binding on such Rexford Entity or any of its Subsidiaries (or its assets or properties), except for, in each case, any such breaches or defaults that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect.

Section 1.06 LICENSES AND PERMITS. All notices, licenses, permits, certificates and authorizations required for the continued use, occupancy, management, leasing and operation of the Properties of such Rexford Entity have been obtained or can be obtained without material cost, are in full force and effect, are in good standing and (to the extent required in connection with the transactions contemplated by the Formation Transaction Documentation) are assignable to the Operating Partnership, except in each case for items that, if not so obtained, obtainable and/or transferred, would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect. No Rexford Entity, any of its Subsidiaries or, to the Principals' Knowledge, any third party has taken any action that (or failed to take any action the omission of which) would result in the revocation of any such notice, license, permit, certificate or authorization where such revocation or revocations would, individually or in the aggregate,

reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect, nor has any one of them received any written notice of violation from any Governmental Authority or written notice of the intention of any entity to revoke any such notice, license, permit, certificate or authorization, that in each case has not been cured or otherwise resolved to the satisfaction of such Governmental Authority or other entity except as would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect.

Section 1.07 COMPLIANCE WITH LAWS. Each Rexford Entity and its Subsidiaries have conducted their respective businesses and maintained each Property in compliance with all applicable Laws, except for such failures that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect. None of the Rexford Entities or its Subsidiaries nor, to the Principals' Knowledge, any third party has been informed in writing of any continuing violation of any such Laws or that any investigation has been commenced and is continuing or is contemplated respecting any such possible violation, except in each case for violations that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect.

Section 1.08 PROPERTIES.

(a) Except as set forth in Schedule 1.08(a), or for matters that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect, each applicable Rexford Entity or one of its Subsidiaries is the insured under a valid and existing policy of title insurance as the owner of, and the applicable Rexford Entity or its Subsidiary is the owner of, good, marketable and insurable fee simple title (or, in the case of certain Properties, the tenancy-in-common estate) to such Rexford Entity's Property in each case free and clear of all Liens except for Permitted Liens.

(b) Except for matters that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect, (1) no Rexford Entity, nor any of their respective Subsidiaries, nor, to the Principals' Knowledge, any other party to any material agreement affecting any Property (other than a Lease (as such term is hereinafter defined) for space within such Property), is in breach or default of any such agreement, (2) to the Principal's Knowledge, no event has occurred or has been threatened in writing, which with or without the passage of time or the giving of notice, or both, would, individually or together with all such other events, constitute a default under any such agreement, or would, individually or together with all such other events, reasonably be expected to cause the acceleration of any material obligation of any party thereto or the creation of a Lien upon any asset of any Rexford Entity or any of their respective Subsidiaries, except for Permitted Liens, and (3) all agreements affecting any Property required for the continued use, occupancy, management, leasing and operation of such Property (exclusive of space Leases) are valid and binding and in full force and effect, subject to applicable bankruptcy, insolvency, moratorium or other similar Laws relating to creditors' rights and general principles of equity.

(c) Except for matters that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect or that are otherwise disclosed on Schedule 1.08(c), (1) to the Principals' Knowledge, no Rexford Entity, nor any of its Subsidiaries, nor to the Principals' Knowledge any other party to any Lease, is in breach or

default of any such Lease, (2) to the Principals' Knowledge, no event has occurred or has been threatened in writing, which with or without the passage of time or the giving of notice, or both, would, individually or together with all such other events, constitute a default under any Lease, or would, permit termination, modification or acceleration under such Lease and (3) to the Principals' Knowledge, each of the Leases (and all amendments thereto or modifications thereof) to which any Rexford Entity or its Subsidiary is a party or by which any Rexford Entity or its Subsidiaries or any Property is bound or subject (collectively, the "Leases") is valid and binding and in full force and effect, subject to applicable bankruptcy, insolvency, moratorium or other similar Laws relating to creditors' rights and general principles of equity.

Section 1.09 INSURANCE. Each Rexford Entity or its Subsidiaries has in place the public liability, casualty and other insurance coverage with respect to each Property owned, leased and/or managed by it as the Principals reasonably deem necessary and in all cases including such coverage as is required under the terms of any continuing loan or Lease. Except as would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect, each of the insurance policies with respect to each Rexford Entity's or its Subsidiary's Property is in full force and effect in all material respects and all premiums due and payable thereunder have been fully paid when due. To the Principals' Knowledge, no Rexford Entity nor any of their respective Subsidiaries has received from any insurance company any notices of cancellation or intent to cancel any insurance.

Section 1.10 ENVIRONMENTAL MATTERS. Except for matters that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect, to the Principals' Knowledge, (A) each Rexford Entity and its Subsidiaries and each Property owned by such Rexford Entity or Subsidiary are in compliance with all Environmental Laws, (B) no Rexford Entity nor any of their respective Subsidiaries have received any written notice from any Governmental Authority or third party alleging that such Rexford Entity, any of its Subsidiaries or any Property is not in compliance with applicable Environmental Laws, and (C) there has not been a release of a hazardous substance on any of the Properties that would require investigation or remediation under applicable Environmental Laws. The representations and warranties contained in this Section 1.10 constitute the sole and exclusive representations and warranties made by the Principals concerning environmental matters.

Section 1.11 EMINENT DOMAIN. There is no existing, or to the Principals' Knowledge, proposed or threatened condemnation, eminent domain or similar proceeding, or private purchase in lieu of such a proceeding which would affect any of the Properties, except for such proceedings that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect.

Section 1.12 EXISTING LOANS. Schedule 1.12 lists, as of the date hereof, all secured loans presently encumbering the Properties or any direct or indirect interest in the applicable Rexford Entity and any unsecured loans relating thereto to be assumed by the REIT or any Subsidiary of the REIT at the Closing Date (the "Existing Loans"). Except for matters that would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect, no monetary default (beyond applicable notice and cure periods) by any party exists under any of the Existing Loans and the documents entered into in connection therewith (collectively, the "Existing Loan Documents") and no non-monetary default (beyond applicable notice and cure periods) by any party exists under any of such Existing Loan Documents.

Section 1.13 TAXES. Except as would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect:

- (a) Each Rexford Entity and each of its Subsidiaries has timely and properly filed all Tax Returns required to be filed by it (after giving effect to any filing extension properly granted by a Governmental Authority having authority to do so), and all such Tax Returns are accurate and complete in all material respects.
- (b) Each Rexford Entity and each of its Subsidiaries have paid (or have had paid on their behalf) all Taxes as required to be paid by them.
- (c) No income or material non-income Tax Returns filed by any Rexford Entity or any of its Subsidiaries are the subject of a pending or ongoing audit.
- (d) No deficiencies for any income or material non-income Taxes have been proposed, asserted or assessed against any Rexford Entity or any of its Subsidiaries, and no requests for waivers of the time to assess any such Taxes are pending.
- (e) Since its formation, for U.S. federal income tax purposes, each of the Rexford Entities other than Rexford Industrial Fund V REIT, LLC ("RIF V REIT") has been treated as a partnership or as a disregarded entity, and not as a corporation or an association taxable as a corporation.
- (f) For all taxable years commencing with its taxable year ended December 31, 2010 through December 31, 2012, RIF V REIT has been subject to taxation as a "real estate investment trust" within the meaning of Section 856 of the Code and has satisfied all requirements to qualify as a real estate investment trust for such years. From January 1, 2013 to the date hereof, RIF V REIT has operated in a manner consistent with the requirements for qualification and taxation as a real estate investment trust, and RIF V REIT intends to continue to operate in such a manner as to qualify as a REIT for its taxable year that will end with the closing of the Formation Transactions.
- (g) Since its inception neither RIF V REIT nor any of its Subsidiaries has incurred any liability for Taxes under Sections 857(b)(1), 857(b)(6)(A), 860(c) or 4981 of the Code which have not been previously paid.
- (h) As of the closing of the Formation Transactions, RIF V REIT has no earnings and profits accumulated in any non-REIT year (within the meaning of Section 857(a)(2)(B) of the Code).
- (i) Neither RIF V REIT nor any of its Subsidiaries holds any asset the disposition of which would be subject to (or to rules similar to) Section 1374 of the Code.

Section 1.14 LITIGATION. Except for actions, suits or proceedings fully covered by policies of insurance, there is no action, suit or proceeding pending or, to the Principals' Knowledge, threatened against or affecting the Rexford Entities or any of its Subsidiaries or any of the Properties, or any officer, director, principal, managing member, general partner or Affiliate of any of the foregoing, other than actions, suits or proceedings arising in the ordinary course of business from the ownership and operation which, if adversely determined, would not have a Material Adverse Effect.

Section 1.15 EMPLOYEES. Except as set forth on Schedule 1.15, no Rexford Entity nor any of their respective Subsidiaries has or has ever had any employees. Except as would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect, (i) no Rexford Entity nor any of their respective Subsidiaries is delinquent in payments to any of its employees, consultants or independent contractors for any wages, salaries, commissions or bonuses for any service performed, or for amounts required to be reimbursed to such employees, consultants or independent contractors and (ii) each Rexford Entity has, to the extent applicable: (a) complied in all material respects with all applicable laws related to employment; and (b) withheld and paid to the appropriate Governmental Authority, or is holding for payment not yet due to such Governmental Authority, all amounts required to be withheld from employees.

Section 1.16 NO OTHER REPRESENTATIONS OR WARRANTIES. Other than the representations and warranties expressly set forth in this Article I and any other instrument executed by the Principals in connection with the Formation Transactions, the Principals shall not be deemed to have made any other representation or warranty in connection with this Agreement or the transactions contemplated hereby.

ARTICLE II. NATURE OF REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES

Section 2.01 SURVIVAL OF REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES. All representations and warranties contained in this Agreement shall survive after the effective time of the mergers, contributions and other Formation Transactions contemplated in the Formation Transaction Documentation until the first anniversary of the Closing Date (the "Expiration Date"). If written notice of a claim in accordance with Section 4.02 has been given prior to the Expiration Date, then the relevant representation or warranty shall survive, but only with respect to such specific claim, until such claim has been finally resolved. Any claim for indemnification not so asserted in writing by the Expiration Date may not thereafter be asserted and shall forever be waived.

ARTICLE III. INDEMNITY HOLDBACK ESCROW

Section 3.01 ESTABLISHMENT. On the Closing Date, the REIT shall deposit each Principal's Individual Percentage of the Indemnity Holdback Amount, set forth on Schedule III into the Indemnity Holdback Escrow in the form of REIT Shares and OP Units, with each such security to be valued at the IPO Price. A separate "Participant Account" within the Indemnity Holdback Escrow will be established and maintained for each Principal. The list of Participant Accounts, the associated Principal and the amounts and types of consideration being deposited into each is attached as Schedule I to the Escrow Agreement. For income tax purposes, the parties hereto agree that the Principals shall be treated as the owners of their respective Participant Account and shall report the applicable amounts of their Individual Percentage of the Indemnity Holdback Amount and the earnings thereon consistently with the foregoing.

ARTICLE IV.
Indemnification

Section 4.01 INDEMNIFICATION OF CONSOLIDATED ENTITIES. The Consolidated Entities and their current and future Subsidiaries (each of which is an “Indemnified Party”), shall be indemnified and held harmless by the Principals, under the terms and conditions of this Agreement, solely and exclusively out of the Indemnity Holdback Escrow, from and against any and all Losses imposed upon or incurred by the Indemnified Parties as a result of any breach of a representation or warranty contained in Article I of this Agreement (but in all events subject to the limitations in this Agreement, including the survival limitations set forth in Section 2.01 hereof) (collectively, the “Indemnified Losses”); *provided*, the Indemnified Parties shall only be entitled to indemnification for breaches of representations and warranties made pursuant to Article I of this Agreement to the extent that the Indemnified Losses with respect to such breaches exceed, in the aggregate, one percent (1.0%) of the value (determined at the IPO price per share) of the aggregate number of REIT Shares and OP Units actually issued to the Principals pursuant to Formation Transaction Documentation (the “Deductible”). No Indemnified Party may make a claim hereunder without the prior written consent of the REIT. For the avoidance of doubt, the Principals shall only be liable for Indemnified Losses (after giving effect to and only for amounts in excess of the Deductible) up to the Indemnity Holdback Amount. Any payment made from the Indemnity Holdback Escrow in respect of an Escrow Claim (as defined below) will be allocated among all Participant Accounts pro rata in accordance with the Individual Percentages.

Section 4.02 CLAIMS.

(a) At the time when either of the Consolidated Entities learns of any potential claim under this Agreement (an “Escrow Claim”) against the Principals, it will promptly give written notice (a “Claim Notice”) to the Principals and the Escrow Agent; *provided* that, without limiting Section 2.01, the failure to so notify the Principals or the Escrow Agent shall not prevent recovery under this Agreement, except to the extent that the Principals shall have been materially prejudiced by such failure. Each Claim Notice shall describe in reasonable detail the facts known to the Principals giving rise to such Escrow Claim. The Indemnified Party shall deliver to the Principals, promptly after the Indemnified Party’s receipt thereof, copies of all notices and documents (including court papers) received by such Indemnified Party relating to a Third Party Claim (as defined below); *provided* that, without limiting Section 2.01, failure to do so shall not prevent recovery under this Agreement, except to the extent that the Principals shall have been materially prejudiced by such failure.

(b) The Principals shall be entitled, at their own expense, to elect in accordance with Section 4.06 below, to assume and control the defense of any Escrow Claim based on claims asserted by third parties (“Third Party Claims”), through counsel chosen by the Principals and reasonably acceptable to the REIT, if they give written notice of their intention to do so to the Consolidated Entities within thirty (30) days of the receipt of the applicable Claim Notice; *provided, however*, that the Indemnified Parties may at all times participate in such

defense at their own expense. Without limiting the foregoing, in the event that the Principals exercise the right to undertake any such defense against a Third Party Claim, the Indemnified Party shall cooperate with the Principals in such defense and make available to the Principals, at the Principals' expense, all witnesses, pertinent records, materials and information in the Indemnified Party's possession or under such Indemnified Party's control relating thereto as is reasonably required by the Principals. No compromise or settlement of such Third Party Claim may be effected by either the Indemnified Party, on the one hand, or the Principals, on the other hand, without the other party's consent (which shall not be unreasonably withheld or delayed) unless (i) there is no finding or admission of any violation of Law and no effect on any other claims that may be made against such other party, (ii) each Indemnified Party that is party to such Third Party Claim is released from all liability with respect to such Third Party Claim, and (iii) there is no equitable order, judgment or term that in any manner affects, restrains or interferes with the business of the Indemnified Party that is party to such Third Party Claim or any of its Affiliates. Notwithstanding the foregoing, if the compromise or settlement of such Third Party Claim could reasonably be expected to adversely affect the status of the REIT as a real investment trust within the meaning of Section 856 of the Code, then the REIT shall make such decision to compromise or settle the Third Party Claim without the need to obtain the Principals' consent.

Section 4.03 DELIVERY AND RELEASE OF INDEMNITY ESCROW WITH RESPECT TO CLAIMS. Upon resolution of any Escrow Claim or portion of an Escrow Claim as evidenced by a written instruction of the REIT, in which an officer of the REIT certifies that the instruction has been approved by either (x) the Principals in accordance with Section 4.06 or (y) a final award of an arbitral tribunal in accordance with this Agreement, the Escrow Agent shall release the amount and type of Indemnity Holdback Amount specified therein, and shall charge such amount to the Escrow Fund (as defined in the Escrow Agreement). Upon any disbursement from the Indemnity Holdback Escrow pursuant to this Agreement, the Consolidated Entities will purchase (at a price per REIT Share or OP Unit, as applicable, equal to the IPO Price) such number of the securities as will permit the Escrow Agent to distribute cash in lieu of any fractional REIT Shares or OP Units.

Section 4.04 DELIVERY RELEASE OF INDEMNITY ESCROW AFTER EXPIRATION DATE. Within ten (10) days after the Expiration Date, and at the end of each calendar quarter thereafter while any Indemnity Holdback Amount remains in the Indemnity Holdback Escrow, the Consolidated Entities shall deliver to the Escrow Agent a notice which shall (i) set forth a list of outstanding Escrow Claims, together with a good faith estimate of the maximum value (expressed in dollars) of each such Escrow Claim and the aggregate amount of such values that would be allocated against the Escrow Fund in accordance with Section 4.02(a) if the actual amount of Indemnified Losses in respect of such Escrow Claim were equal to such good faith estimate of the maximum value thereof and (ii) instruct the Escrow Agent to release to the Principals any consideration in the Escrow Fund in excess of the aggregate value allocated to the Escrow Fund in accordance with the immediately preceding clause (i).

Section 4.05 EXCLUSIVE REMEDY. The sole and exclusive remedy for Indemnified Parties with respect to any and all claims relating to a breach of this Agreement and the other Formation Transaction Documentation shall be recovery from the Indemnity Holdback Escrow in accordance with the terms of this Agreement and the Escrow Agreement. The Principals shall not be liable or obligated to make payments under this Agreement or any other Formation Transaction Documentation in excess of the Indemnity Holdback Amount.

Section 4.06 AUTHORIZATION. For purposes of this Article IV, a decision, act, consent, election or instruction of the Principals shall be deemed to be authorized if approved in writing by the Principals, and the Escrow Agent and Consolidated Entities may rely upon such decision, act, consent or instruction as provided in this Section 4.06 as being the decision, act, consent or instruction of the Principals. The Escrow Agent and the Consolidated Entities, including their respective directors, officers, employees, agents and representatives, are hereby relieved from any liability to any Person for any acts done by them in accordance with such decision, act, consent or instruction. The Principals may from time to time by written notice to the Consolidated Entities appoint a representative or representatives to exercise such powers with respect to one or more claims as may be delegated by the Principals.

Section 4.07 CHARACTERIZATION OF PAYMENTS. Any indemnity payments made from the Indemnity Holdback Escrow pursuant to this Article IV shall constitute an adjustment of the consideration received by the Principals for Tax purposes and shall be treated as such by all parties on their Tax Returns to the extent permitted by Law.

ARTICLE V. GENERAL PROVISIONS

Section 5.01 NOTICES. All notices and other communications under this Agreement shall be in writing and shall be deemed given when (i) delivered personally, (ii) five (5) Business Days after being mailed by certified mail, return receipt requested and postage prepaid, (iii) one (1) Business Day after being sent by a nationally recognized overnight courier or (iv) transmitted by facsimile if confirmed within twenty four (24) hours thereafter by a signed original sent in the manner provided in clause (i), (ii) or (iii) to the parties at the following addresses (or at such other address for a party as shall be specified by notice from such party):

If to the REIT or the Operating Partnership, to:

Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc.
11620 Wilshire Boulevard, Suite 300
Los Angeles, CA 90025
Facsimile: (310) 966-1690
Attention: Howard Schwimmer and Michael S. Frankel

If to the Principals, to:

Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc.
11620 Wilshire Boulevard, Suite 300
Los Angeles, CA 90025
Facsimile: (310) 966-1690
Attention: Howard Schwimmer and Michael S. Frankel

Section 5.02 DEFINITIONS. For purposes of this Agreement, the following terms shall have the following meanings.

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- (a) “Affiliate” means, with respect to any Person, a Person that, directly or indirectly, through one or more intermediaries, controls, is controlled by, or is under common control with the specified Person. For the purposes of this definition, “control” (including, with correlative meanings, the terms “controlled by” and “under common control with”) as used with respect to any Person, shall mean the possession, directly or indirectly, of the power to direct or cause the direction of the management or policies of such Person, whether through the ownership of voting securities, by agreement or otherwise.
- (b) “Business Day” means any day that is not a Saturday, Sunday or legal holiday in the State of California.
- (c) “Closing Date” means the closing date of the initial public offering.
- (d) “Code” means the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, together with the rules and regulations promulgated or issued thereunder.
- (e) “Environmental Laws” means all federal, state and local Laws governing pollution or the protection of human health or the environment.
- (f) “Formation Transaction Documentation” means all of the agreements (including this Agreement) and related documents and agreements pursuant to which all of the Rexford Entities and/or the equity interests in the Rexford Entities held by the Pre-Formation Participants are to be acquired by the REIT or the Operating Partnership, directly or indirectly, as part of the Formation Transactions, as set forth on Schedule II hereto.
- (g) “Formation Transactions” means the transactions contemplated by this Agreement and the other Formation Transaction Documentation.
- (h) “GAAP” means generally accepted accounting principles, as in effect in the United States of America as of the date of determination.
- (i) “Governmental Authority” means any government or agency, bureau, board, commission, court, department, official, political subdivision, tribunal or other instrumentality of any government, whether federal, state or local, domestic or foreign.
- (j) “Individual Percentage” means the percentages set forth next to each Principal’s name on Schedule III.
- (k) “Laws” means laws, statutes, rules, regulations, codes, orders, ordinances, judgments, injunctions, decrees and policies of any Governmental Authority, including, without limitation, zoning, land use or other similar rules or ordinances.
- (l) “Liens” means laws, statutes, rules, regulations, codes, orders, ordinances, judgments, injunctions, decrees and policies of any Governmental Authority, including, without limitation, zoning, land use or other similar rules or ordinances.

(m) “Losses” means losses, damages, Taxes, liabilities and expenses, including without limitation, amounts paid in settlement and reasonable attorneys’ fees, but does not include (i) punitive damages (except to the extent constituting third-party punitive claims), (ii) consequential damages, (iii) any diminution in value of the Consolidated Entities and/or (iv) any of the foregoing to the extent based on a multiple of cash flows, earnings or other similar metrics.

“Material Adverse Effect” means any material adverse change in the assets, business, condition (financial or otherwise), results of operation or prospects of the Rexford Entities and their Subsidiaries and Properties, taken as a whole.

(n) “Organizational Documents” means the certificate of formation, certificate of incorporation and bylaws, certificate of limited partnership and limited partnership agreement, limited liability company agreement or operating agreement, of the applicable Rexford Entity.

(o) “Permitted Liens” means (i) Liens, or deposits made to secure the release of such Liens, securing Taxes, the payment of which is not delinquent or the payment of which (including, without limitation, the amount or validity thereof) is being contested in good faith by appropriate proceedings for which adequate reserves have been made in accordance with GAAP; (ii) zoning, entitlement, building and other land use Laws imposed by Governmental Authorities having jurisdiction over the Contributed Properties; (iii) covenants, conditions, restrictions, easements for public utilities, encroachments, rights of access or other non-monetary matters that do not materially impair the use of the Contributed Properties for the purposes for which they are currently being used or proposed to be used in connection with the relevant Person’s business; (iv) Liens securing financing or credit arrangements existing as of the Closing Date; (v) Liens arising under Leases in effect as of the Closing Date; (vi) any exceptions contained in any title policy (including any policy issued to a secured lender) relating to the Contributed Properties as of the Closing Date; and (vii) mechanics’, carriers’, workers’, repairers’ and similar Liens arising or incurred in the ordinary course of business that are not yet due and payable or the payment of which (including, without limitation, the amount or validity thereof) is being contested in good faith by appropriate proceedings for which adequate reserves have been made in accordance with GAAP, and which are not, in the aggregate, material to the business, operations and financial condition of the Contributed Properties so encumbered.

(p) “Person” means an individual, corporation, partnership, limited liability company, joint venture, association, trust, unincorporated organization or other entity.

(q) “Pre-Formation Participants” means the holders of the equity interests in the relevant Rexford Entities immediately prior to the Formation Transactions.

(r) “Principals’ Knowledge” means the actual current knowledge of Richard Ziman, Howard Schwimmer and Michael Frankel without duty of investigation or inquiry.

(s) “Properties” means the property owned or leased pursuant to a ground lease by any Rexford Entity or any of their respective Subsidiaries, including any associated real and personal property.

(t) “Prospectus” means the REIT’s final prospectus as filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission.

(u) “Rexford Entity” means the entities listed on Schedule I. As used herein, “Rexford Entities” refers to each Rexford Entity, collectively.

(v) “Subsidiary” of any Person means any corporation, partnership, limited liability company, joint venture, trust or other legal entity of which such Person owns (either directly or through or together with another Subsidiary of such Person) either (i) a general partner, managing member or other similar interest, or (ii)(A) ten percent (10%) or more of the voting power of the voting capital stock or other equity interests, or (B) ten percent (10%) or more of the outstanding voting capital stock or other voting equity interests of such corporation, partnership, limited liability company, joint venture or other legal entity. As used herein, “Subsidiary” or “Subsidiaries” refers to the Subsidiaries of the Rexford Entities, or an applicable Rexford Entity, as applicable.

(w) “Tax” means all federal, state, local and foreign income, gross receipts, license, property, withholding, sales, franchise, employment, payroll, goods and services, stamp, environmental, customs duties, capital stock, social security, transfer, alternative minimum, excise and other taxes, tariffs or governmental charges of any nature whatsoever, including estimated taxes, together with penalties, interest or additions to Tax with respect thereto, whether or not disputed.

(x) Tax Return” means any return, declaration, report, claim for refund, or information return or statement relating to Taxes, including any schedule or attachment thereto, and including any amendment thereof.

Section 5.03 COUNTERPARTS. This Agreement may be executed in counterparts, all of which shall be considered one and the same agreement and shall become effective when one or more counterparts have been signed by each party and delivered to each other party.

Section 5.04 ENTIRE AGREEMENT; THIRD-PARTY BENEFICIARIES. This Agreement and the Escrow Agreement, including, without limitation, the exhibits hereto and thereto, constitute the entire agreement and supersede each prior agreement and understanding, whether written or oral, among the parties regarding the subject matter of this Agreement. This Agreement is not intended to confer any rights or remedies on any Person other than the parties hereto.

Section 5.05 GOVERNING LAW. This Agreement shall be governed by, and construed in accordance with, the Laws of the State of California, regardless of any Laws that might otherwise govern under applicable principles of conflicts of laws thereof.

Section 5.06 ASSIGNMENT. This Agreement shall be binding upon, and shall be enforceable by and inure to the benefit of, the parties hereto and their respective heirs, legal representatives, successors and assigns; provided, however, that this Agreement may not be assigned (except by operation of law) by any party without the prior written consent of the other parties, and any attempted assignment without such consent shall be null and void and of no force and effect, except that the Operating Partnership may assign its rights and obligations hereunder to an Affiliate.

Section 5.07 JURISDICTION. Without limiting Section 5.08, the parties hereto hereby (a) submit to the exclusive jurisdiction of any state or federal court sitting in the County of Los Angeles, with respect to any dispute arising out of this Agreement or any transaction contemplated hereby to the extent such courts would have subject matter jurisdiction with respect to such dispute and (b) irrevocably waive, and agree not to assert by way of motion, defense, or otherwise, in any such action, any claim that it is not subject personally to the jurisdiction of the above-named courts, that its property is exempt or immune from attachment or execution, that the action is brought in an inconvenient forum, or that the venue of the action is improper.

Section 5.08 DISPUTE RESOLUTION. The parties intend that this Section 5.08 will be valid, binding, enforceable, exclusive and irrevocable and that it shall survive any termination of this Agreement.

(a) Upon any dispute, controversy or claim arising out of or relating to this Agreement or the enforcement, breach, termination or validity thereof (“Dispute”), the party raising the Dispute will give written notice to the other parties to the Dispute describing the nature of the Dispute following which the parties to such Dispute shall attempt for a period of ten (10) Business Days from receipt by the parties of notice of such Dispute to resolve such Dispute by negotiation between representatives of the parties hereto who have authority to settle such Dispute. All such negotiations shall be confidential and any statements or offers made therein shall be treated as compromise and settlement negotiations for purposes of any applicable rules of evidence and shall not be admissible as evidence in any subsequent proceeding for any purpose. The statute of limitations applicable to the commencement of a lawsuit shall apply to the commencement of an arbitration hereunder, except that no defense based on the running of the statute of limitations will be available based upon the passage of time during any such negotiation. Regardless of the foregoing, a party shall have the right to seek immediate injunctive relief pursuant to clause (c) below without regard to any such ten (10) Business Day negotiation period.

(b) Any Dispute (including the determination of the scope or applicability of this agreement to arbitrate) that is not resolved pursuant to clause (a) above shall be submitted to final and binding arbitration in California before one neutral and impartial arbitrator, in accordance with the Laws of the State of California for agreements made in and to be performed in that State. The arbitration shall be administered by JAMS, Inc. (“JAMS”) pursuant to its Comprehensive Arbitration Rules and Procedures, as in effect on the date hereof. Each of the Consolidated Entities, on the one hand, and the Principals, on the other hand, shall appoint one arbitrator within fifteen (15) days of a demand for arbitration. If the Consolidated Entities and the Principals cannot mutually agree upon an arbitrator within such 15-day period, the arbitrator shall be appointed by JAMS in accordance with its Comprehensive Arbitration Rules and Procedures, as in effect on the date hereof. The arbitrator shall designate the place and

time of the hearing. The hearing shall be scheduled to begin as soon as practicable and no later than sixty (60) days after the appointment of the arbitrator (unless such period is extended by the arbitrator for good cause shown) and shall be conducted as expeditiously as possible. The award, which shall set forth the arbitrator's findings of fact and conclusions of law, shall be filed with JAMS and mailed to the parties no later than thirty (30) days after the close of the arbitration hearing. The arbitration award shall be final and binding on the parties and not subject to collateral attack. Judgment upon the arbitration award may be entered in any federal or state court having jurisdiction thereof.

(c) Notwithstanding the parties' agreement to submit all Disputes to final and binding arbitration before JAMS, the parties shall have the right to seek and obtain temporary or preliminary injunctive relief in any court having jurisdiction thereof. Such courts shall have authority to, among other things, grant temporary or provisional injunctive relief in order to protect any party's rights under this Agreement. Without prejudice to such provisional remedies as may be available under the jurisdiction of a court, the arbitral tribunal shall have full authority to grant provisional remedies and to direct the parties to request that any court modify or vacate any temporary or preliminary relief issued by such court, and to award damages for the failure of any party to respect the arbitral tribunal's orders to that effect.

(d) The prevailing party shall be entitled to recover its costs and reasonable attorneys' fees, and the non-prevailing party shall pay all expenses and fees of JAMS, all costs of the stenographic record, all expenses of witnesses or proofs that may have been produced at the direction of the arbitrator, and the fees, costs, and expenses of the arbitrator. The arbitrator shall allocate such costs and designate the prevailing party or parties for these purposes.

Section 5.09 SEVERABILITY. Each provision of this Agreement will be interpreted so as to be effective and valid under applicable Law, but if any provision is held invalid, illegal or unenforceable under applicable Law in any jurisdiction, then such invalidity, illegality or unenforceability will not affect any other provision, and this Agreement will be reformed, construed and enforced in such jurisdiction as if such invalid, illegal or unenforceable provision had never been included herein.

Section 5.10 RULES OF CONSTRUCTION.

(a) The parties hereto agree that they have had the opportunity to be represented by counsel during the negotiation, preparation and execution of this Agreement and, therefore, waive the application of any Law, regulation, holding or rule of construction providing that ambiguities in an agreement or other document will be construed against the party drafting such agreement or document.

(b) The words "hereof," "herein" and "herewith" and words of similar import shall, unless otherwise stated, be construed to refer to this Agreement as a whole and not to any particular provision of this Agreement, and article, section, paragraph, exhibit and schedule references are to the articles, sections, paragraphs, exhibits and schedules of this Agreement unless otherwise specified. Whenever the words "include," "includes" or "including" are used in this Agreement, they shall be deemed to be followed by the words

“without limitation.” All terms defined in this Agreement shall have the defined meanings contained herein when used in any certificate or other document made or delivered pursuant hereto unless otherwise defined therein. The definitions contained in this Agreement are applicable to the singular as well as the plural forms of such terms and to the masculine as well as to the feminine and neuter genders of such terms. Unless explicitly stated otherwise herein, any agreement, instrument or statute defined or referred to herein or in any agreement or instrument that is referred to herein means such agreement, instrument or statute as from time to time, amended, qualified or supplemented, including (in the case of agreements and instruments) by waiver or consent and (in the case of statutes) by succession of comparable successor statutes and all attachments thereto and instruments incorporated therein. References to a Person are also to its permitted successors and assigns.

Section 5.11 EQUITABLE REMEDIES. The parties agree that irreparable damage would occur to the Consolidated Entities in the event that any of the provisions of this Agreement were not performed in accordance with their specific terms or were otherwise breached. It is accordingly agreed that either or both of the Consolidated Entities shall be entitled to an injunction or injunctions to prevent breaches of this Agreement by the Principals and to enforce specifically the terms and provisions hereof in any federal or state court located in California, this being in addition to any other remedy to which the Consolidated Entities is entitled under this Agreement or otherwise at law or in equity.

Section 5.12 TIME OF THE ESSENCE. Time is of the essence with respect to all obligations under this Agreement.

Section 5.13 DESCRIPTIVE HEADINGS. The descriptive headings herein are inserted for convenience only and are not intended to be part of or to affect the meaning or interpretation of this Agreement.

Section 5.14 NO PERSONAL LIABILITY CONFERRED. This Agreement shall not create or permit any personal liability or obligation on the part of any officer, director, partner, employee, shareholder or unitholder of the REIT or the Operating Partnership.

Section 5.15 WAIVER OF SECTION 1542 PROTECTIONS. As of the Closing Date, each of the parties hereto expressly acknowledges that it has had, or has had and waived, the opportunity to be advised by independent legal counsel and hereby waives and relinquishes all rights and benefits afforded by Section 1542 of the California Civil Code and does so understanding and acknowledging the significance and consequence of such specific waiver of Section 1542 which provides:

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

The Principals acknowledge and agree that the foregoing waiver and release does not apply to any Escrow Claims in favor of the Consolidated Entities.

[SIGNATURE PAGE FOLLOWS]

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have caused this Agreement to be signed by their respective duly authorized officers, all as of the date first written above.

CONSOLIDATED ENTITIES

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, INC.,
a Maryland corporation

By: /s/ Howard Schwimmer
Name: Howard Schwimmer
Title: Co-Chief Executive Officer

By: /s/ Michael Frankel
Name: Michael Frankel
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[Signature page to Representation Warranty and Indemnity Agreement]

PRINCIPALS

/s/ Richard Ziman

RICHARD ZIMAN

/s/ Howard Schwimmer

HOWARD SCHWIMMER

/s/ Michael Frankel

MICHAEL FRANKEL

[Signature page to Representation Warranty and Indemnity Agreement]

INDEMNITY ESCROW AGREEMENT

This INDEMNITY ESCROW AGREEMENT (this "Agreement"), dated as of July 24, 2013, is made by and among Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc., a Maryland corporation (the "REIT"), Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P., a Maryland limited partnership (the "Operating Partnership") and collectively with the REIT, the "Consolidated Entities"), the REIT, acting in the capacity of escrow agent (the "Escrow Agent"), and Richard Ziman, Howard Schwimmer and Michael S. Frankel (collectively, the "Principals"). Capitalized terms used and not otherwise defined herein shall have the respective meanings ascribed to such terms in the Indemnity Agreement (as defined below).

WHEREAS, the REIT, the Operating Partnership and the Principals are parties to that certain Representation, Warranty and Indemnity Agreement, dated as of July 24, 2013 and effective as of even date herewith (the "Indemnity Agreement");

WHEREAS, the Indemnity Agreement contains, among other things, representations and warranties of the Principals and indemnities with respect thereto, and contemplate the deposit of the Indemnity Holdback Amount into an Indemnity Holdback Escrow;

WHEREAS, the indemnification procedures governing the indemnification obligations of each Principal are set forth in the Indemnity Agreement; and

WHEREAS, the parties wish to establish the Indemnity Holdback Escrow pursuant to this Agreement, and the Escrow Agent has agreed to hold and to release the Indemnity Holdback Amount (as increased by any interest and other earnings thereon and as reduced by any disbursements hereunder, the "Escrow Fund") pursuant to the terms of this Agreement.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual promises and covenants herein contained, the parties hereto agree as follows:

1. **ESCROW FUND.** In accordance with the Indemnity Agreement, the REIT has deposited the Indemnity Holdback Amount (consisting of REIT Shares and OP Units) into the Escrow Fund as of the date hereof. OP Units and REIT Shares constituting any portion of the Indemnity Holdback Amount and any other securities received by the Escrow Agent in respect thereof are referred to herein as "Escrow Securities." A separate "Participant Account" within the Indemnity Holdback Escrow will be established and maintained for each Principal, consisting of (i) the Escrow Securities of that Principal deposited with respect to that Principal minus (ii) any distributions charged to that Participant Account. The list of Participant Accounts, the associated Principal and the amounts and types of consideration being deposited into each as of the establishment of the Indemnity Holdback Escrow is attached as Annex A hereto.

2. **EARNINGS.** Notwithstanding anything herein to the contrary, all earnings, dividends, distributions interest and gains earned or realized ("Earnings") in respect of the Escrow Securities, whether in cash, additional OP Units or REIT Shares (including but not limited to REIT Shares received with respect to a dividend reinvestment plan) or other property received by the Escrow Agent shall not be part of the Escrow Fund, shall be property of the Principals and shall be distributed currently to the Principals; *provided*, that stock dividends made to effect stock splits or similar events in respect of any Escrow Securities shall be retained

by the Escrow Agent as part of the Escrow Fund and credited proportionately to the Participant Accounts to which the Escrow Securities are credited. In the event any Escrow Securities are reclassified or otherwise changed into or exchanged for other securities, property or cash pursuant to any merger, consolidation, sale of assets and liquidation or other transaction, the securities, cash or other property received by the Escrow Agent in respect of the Escrow Securities shall be retained by it as part of the Escrow Fund and credited proportionately to the Participant Accounts to which the Escrow Securities are credited. The provisions of this Section 3 shall apply to successive distributions. Such stock dividends so made or any securities, property or cash so reclassified or exchanged in respect of an OP Unit or a REIT Share shall be valued in the aggregate at the IPO Price, and any such successive stock dividends, reclassifications or exchanges shall be similarly valued.

3. VOTING. Each Principal shall have the right to vote all Escrow Securities credited to such Principal's Participant Account. The Escrow Agent will forward to each Principal all notices of shareholders' meetings, proxy statements, reports to shareholders and notices of matters requiring the vote of limited partners under the amended and restated agreement of limited partnership of the Operating Partnership received by the Escrow Agent in respect of (x) Escrow Securities in the Participation Account or (y) that Principal, and will either (i) vote the Escrow Securities credited to such Principal's Participation Account only in accordance with written instructions received from such Principal, or (ii) forward to such Principal a signed proxy (with power of substitution) enabling the Principal to vote such Escrow Securities.

4. DISBURSEMENTS OF ESCROW FUND. From time to time, the Escrow Agent shall disburse all or part of the Escrow Fund in accordance with any written instruction from the REIT or the Operating Partnership (which shall include the amounts of each form of consideration to be disbursed, the person(s) to whom the disbursement is to be made, and the amount to be deducted from each Participant Account), *provided* that an officer of the REIT or the Operating Partnership certifies that such disbursement instructions (i) have been approved in accordance with Section 4.03 of the Indemnity Agreement, or (ii) represent a distribution to the Principals in accordance with Section 4.04 of the Indemnity Agreement. To the extent a disbursement is made in REIT Shares or OP Units, such disbursement shall be determined at a price per REIT Share or OP Unit equal to the IPO Price. To the extent that any disbursement is made pursuant to this Agreement in the form of REIT Shares or OP Units, the Consolidated Entities will purchase (at the IPO Price) such number of the securities as will permit the Escrow Agent to distribute cash in lieu of any fractional REIT Shares or OP Units. Prior to disbursing all or part of the Escrow Fund, the Escrow Agent will (i) notify the Principals in writing of the amount of the proposed disbursement and the portion thereof which is to be comprised of REIT Shares or OP Units and (ii) provide the Principals with the opportunity for at least ten (10) Business Days to (A) deposit an amount of cash, REIT Shares and/or OP Units into the Indemnity Holdback Escrow in exchange for an amount of REIT Shares and/or OP Units from the Indemnity Holdback Escrow of equal aggregate value and (B) direct the Escrow Agent to pay the proposed disbursement with an amount of cash, REIT Shares and/or OP Units equal in value to the originally proposed disbursement, but in such proportions as the Principal shall designate. For purposes of the preceding sentence, the value of all REIT Shares and/or OP Units shall be determined at a price per REIT Share or OP Unit equal to the IPO Price. In the event that the Principals directs the Escrow Agent to pay any proposed disbursement with proportions of cash,

REIT Shares or OP Units that differ from those certified by the REIT or the Operating Partnership (and to the extent necessary, the Principals have deposited the necessary amounts of cash, REIT Shares and/or OP Units into the Indemnity Holdback Escrow to make such disbursement), the Escrow Agent shall pay such disbursement in accordance with the proportions of cash, REIT Shares and/or OP Units directed by the Principals rather than in accordance with such proportions certified by the REIT or the Operating Partnership.

5. TERMINATION OF ESCROW FUND. Upon distribution of the entire amount of the Escrow Fund, the Indemnity Holdback Escrow shall terminate, and the Escrow Agent shall give the Consolidated Entities notice to such effect.

6. LIABILITY AND COMPENSATION OF ESCROW AGENT.

(a) The duties and obligations of the Escrow Agent hereunder shall be determined solely by the express provisions of this Agreement, and no implied duties or obligations shall be read into this Agreement against the Escrow Agent. The Escrow Agent shall, in determining its duties hereunder, be under no obligation to refer to any other documents between or among the parties related in any way to this Agreement (except to the extent that this Agreement specifically refers to or incorporates by reference provisions of any other document, including the Indemnity Agreement). The Operating Partnership shall indemnify and hold the Escrow Agent harmless from and against any and all liability and expense which may arise out of any action taken or omitted by the Escrow Agent, except such liability and expense as may result from the gross negligence or willful misconduct of the Escrow Agent. The reasonable costs and expenses of the Escrow Agent to enforce its indemnification rights under this Section 7(a) shall also be paid by the Operating Partnership. The Escrow Agent's indemnification rights under this Section 7 shall survive the termination of this Agreement and removal or resignation of the Escrow Agent.

(b) The Escrow Agent shall not be liable to any person by reason of any error of judgment or for any act done or step taken or omitted by it, or for any mistake of fact or law or anything which it may do or refrain from doing in connection herewith, unless caused by or arising out of its own gross negligence or willful misconduct.

(c) The Escrow Agent shall be entitled to rely on, and shall be protected in acting in reliance upon, any instructions or directions furnished to it in writing signed by the REIT or the Operating Partnership (so long as the instructions include a certificate signed by an officer that the instruction or direction has been given in compliance with any approval procedures required under the Indemnity Agreement) and shall be entitled to treat as genuine, and as the document it purports to be, any letter, paper or other document furnished to it by the REIT or the Operating Partnership, and believed by the Escrow Agent to be genuine and to have been signed and presented by the proper party or parties. In performing its obligations hereunder, the Escrow Agent may consult with its counsel and shall be entitled to rely on, and shall be protected in acting in reliance upon, the advice or opinion of such counsel.

(d) The Escrow Agent shall not be entitled to compensation for the services to be rendered by the Escrow Agent hereunder nor shall the Escrow Agent be reimbursed for any costs or expenses incurred by it in connection with the performance of such services.

(e) The Escrow Agent may resign at any time by giving sixty (60) days written notice to the Consolidated Entities; provided that such resignation shall not be effective unless and until a successor Escrow Agent has been appointed and accepts such position pursuant to the terms of this Section 7; and provided further that any such successor agent shall be entitled to customary fees and reimbursement of expenses for providing its services hereunder. In such event, the Consolidated Entities (with the approval of a majority of the Principals) shall appoint a successor Escrow Agent or, if the Consolidated Entities do not do so within sixty (60) days after such notice, the Escrow Agent shall be entitled to (i) appoint its own successor, provided that such successor is reasonably acceptable to the Consolidated Entities or (ii) at the expense of the Consolidated Entities, petition any court of competent jurisdiction for the appointment of a successor Escrow Agent. Such appointment, whether by the Consolidated Entities or the Escrow Agent shall be effective on the effective date of the aforesaid resignation (the "Indemnity Transfer Date"). On the Indemnity Transfer Date, all right title and interest to the Escrow Fund, including interest thereon, shall be transferred to the successor Escrow Agent and this Agreement shall be assigned by the Escrow Agent to such successor Escrow Agent, and thereafter, the resigning Escrow Agent shall be released from any further obligations hereunder. The Escrow Agent shall continue to serve until its successor is appointed, accepts this Agreement and receives the transferred Escrow Fund.

7. TAXES; FRACTIONAL INTERESTS. The parties agree to treat all Earnings credited to a Participant Account as having been received for tax purposes by the Principals to whose Participant Account the Earnings are credited and to file all tax returns on a basis consistent with such treatment. In the event the Escrow Agent becomes liable for the payment of taxes, including withholding taxes, relating to Earnings, the Escrow Agent may deduct such taxes from each applicable Participant Account, and the Principal involved shall be required to reimburse such amount. To the extent any withholding taxes are so withheld, such withheld amounts shall be treated for all purposes of this Agreement as having been distributed to the Principals in accordance with this Agreement.

8. REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES. Each of the REIT, the Operating Partnership and the Escrow Agent represents and warrants to the other parties hereto that it is duly organized, validly existing and in good standing under the laws of its jurisdiction of organization; that it has the power and authority to execute and deliver this Agreement and to perform its obligations hereunder; that the execution, delivery and performance of this Agreement has been duly authorized and approved by all necessary action; that this Agreement constitutes its legal, valid and binding obligation, enforceable against it in accordance with its terms, subject to applicable bankruptcy, insolvency, moratorium or other similar laws relating to creditors' rights and general principles of equity; and that the execution, delivery and performance of this Agreement will not result in a breach of or loss of rights under or constitute a default under or a violation of any trust (constructive or other), agreement, judgment, decree, order or other instrument to which it is a party or it or its properties or assets may be bound.

9. BENEFIT; SUCCESSOR AND ASSIGNS. This Agreement shall be binding upon and inure to the benefit of the parties hereto and their respective successors and permitted assigns but shall not be assignable by any party hereto without the written consent of all of the other parties hereto; *provided*, however, that the Escrow Agent may assign its rights hereunder to a successor Escrow Agent appointed hereunder in accordance with Section 7. Except for the persons specified in the preceding sentence, this Agreement is not intended to confer on any person not a party hereto any rights or remedies hereunder.

10. NOTICES. All notices and other communications hereunder shall be in writing and shall be deemed given when actually received and shall be given by a nationally recognized overnight courier delivery service, certified first class mail or by facsimile (with a confirmatory copy sent by overnight courier) to the parties at the following addresses (or at such other address for a party as shall be specified by like notice):

If to the Escrow Agent:

Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc.
11620 Wilshire Boulevard, Suite 300
Los Angeles, CA 90025
Facsimile: (310) 966-1690
Attention: Howard Schwimmer and Michael S. Frankel

If to the REIT or the Operating Partnership, to it at:

Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc.
11620 Wilshire Boulevard, Suite 300
Los Angeles, CA 90025
Facsimile: (310) 966-1690
Attention: Howard Schwimmer and Michael S. Frankel

Any party may designate such other address in writing to all the other parties hereto.

11. GOVERNING LAW. This Agreement shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the State of California without reference to conflict of laws principles.

12. COUNTERPARTS. This Agreement may be executed in two or more counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original, but all of which together shall constitute one and the same instrument.

13. HEADINGS. The section headings contained in this Agreement are for reference purposes only and shall not affect in any way the meaning or interpretation of this Agreement.

14. SEVERABILITY. Wherever possible, each provision hereof shall be interpreted in such manner as to be effective and valid under applicable law, but in case any one or more of the provisions contained herein shall, for any reason, be held to be invalid, illegal or unenforceable in any respect, such provision shall be ineffective in the jurisdiction involved to the extent, but only to the extent, of such invalidity, illegality or unenforceability without invalidating the remainder of such invalid, illegal or unenforceable provision or provisions or any other provisions hereof, unless such a construction would be unreasonable.

15. ENTIRE AGREEMENT; MODIFICATION AND WAIVER. This Agreement and the Indemnity Agreement embody the entire agreement and understanding among the parties

hereto with respect to the subject matter hereof and supersede any and all prior agreements and understandings relating to the subject matter hereof. Notwithstanding the preceding sentence, the parties hereto acknowledge that the Escrow Agent is not a party to nor is it bound by the Indemnity Agreement. No amendment, modification or waiver of this Agreement shall be binding or effective for any purpose unless (i) it is made in a writing signed by the Escrow Agent, the REIT and the Operating Partnership, and (ii) an officer of the Consolidated Entities certifies in writing that the amendment has been approved by a majority of the Principals. No course of dealing between the parties to this Agreement shall be deemed to affect or to modify, amend or discharge any provision or term of this Agreement. No delay by any party to or any beneficiary of this Agreement in the exercise of any of its rights or remedies shall operate as a waiver thereof, and no single or partial exercise by any party to or any beneficiary of this Agreement of any such right or remedy shall preclude any other or further exercise thereof. A waiver of any right or remedy on any one occasion shall not be construed as a bar to or waiver of any such right or remedy on any other occasion.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have duly executed this Agreement as of the date first above written.

CONSOLIDATED ENTITIES

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, INC.,
a Maryland corporation

By: /s/ Howard Schwimmer
Name: Howard Schwimmer
Title: Co-Chief Executive Officer

By: /s/ Michael Frankel
Name: Michael S. Frankel
Title: Co-Chief Executive Officer

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, L.P.
a Maryland limited partnership

By: REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, INC.
a Maryland corporation
its General Partner

By: /s/ Howard Schwimmer
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Name: Michael S. Frankel
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ESCROW AGENT

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Title: Co-Chief Executive Officer

By: /s/ Michael Frankel
Name: Michael S. Frankel
Title: Co-Chief Executive Officer

AMENDED AND RESTATED
AGREEMENT OF LIMITED PARTNERSHIP
OF
REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, L.P.

a Maryland limited partnership

THE SECURITIES EVIDENCED HEREBY HAVE NOT BEEN REGISTERED UNDER THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933, AS AMENDED (THE "*SECURITIES ACT*"), OR THE SECURITIES LAWS OF ANY STATE AND MAY NOT BE SOLD, TRANSFERRED OR OTHERWISE DISPOSED OF IN THE ABSENCE OF SUCH REGISTRATION, UNLESS IN THE OPINION OF COUNSEL SATISFACTORY TO THE PARTNERSHIP THE PROPOSED SALE, TRANSFER OR OTHER DISPOSITION MAY BE EFFECTED WITHOUT REGISTRATION UNDER THE SECURITIES ACT AND UNDER APPLICABLE STATE SECURITIES OR "BLUE SKY" LAWS.

dated as of July 24, 2013

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**AMENDED AND RESTATED
AGREEMENT OF LIMITED PARTNERSHIP
OF REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, L.P.**

THIS AMENDED AND RESTATED AGREEMENT OF LIMITED PARTNERSHIP OF REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, L.P., dated as of July 24, 2013, is made and entered into by and among REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, INC., a Maryland corporation, as the General Partner and the Persons from time to time party hereto, as limited partners.

WHEREAS, a Certificate of Limited Partnership of the Partnership was filed with the State Department of Assessments and Taxation of Maryland on January 18, 2013 (the "*Formation Date*"), and the initial general partner and limited partners of the Partnership entered into an original agreement of limited partnership of the Partnership effective as of the Formation Date (the "*Original Partnership Agreement*"); and

WHEREAS, the Partners (as hereinafter defined) now desire to amend and restate the Original Partnership Agreement and admit the Persons signatory hereto as limited partners of the Partnership by entering into this Agreement (as hereinafter defined);

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual covenants and agreements contained herein and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the parties hereto hereby agree as follows:

**ARTICLE 1
DEFINED TERMS**

The following definitions shall be for all purposes, unless otherwise clearly indicated to the contrary, applied to the terms used in this Agreement:

"*Act*" means the Maryland Revised Uniform Limited Partnership Act, Title 10 of the Corporations and Associations Article of the Annotated Code of Maryland, as it may be amended from time to time, and any successor to such statute.

"*Actions*" has the meaning set forth in Section 7.7 hereof.

"*Additional Funds*" has the meaning set forth in Section 4.3.A hereof.

"*Additional Limited Partner*" means a Person who is admitted to the Partnership as a limited partner pursuant to the Act and Section 4.2 and Section 12.2 hereof and who is shown as such on the books and records of the Partnership.

"*Adjusted Capital Account*" means, with respect to any Partner, the balance in such Partner's Capital Account as of the end of the relevant Partnership Year or other applicable period, after giving effect to the following adjustments:

(i) increase such Capital Account by any amounts that such Partner is obligated to restore pursuant to this Agreement upon liquidation of such Partner's Partnership Interest or that such Person is deemed to be obligated to restore pursuant to Regulations Section 1.704-1(b)(2)(ii)(c) or the penultimate sentence of each of Regulations Sections 1.704-2(g)(1) and 1.704-2(i)(5); and

(ii) decrease such Capital Account by the items described in Regulations Section 1.704-1(b)(2)(ii)(d)(4), (5) and (6).

The foregoing definition of "Adjusted Capital Account" is intended to comply with the provisions of Regulations Section 1.704-1(b)(2)(ii)(d) and shall be interpreted consistently therewith.

"*Adjusted Capital Account Deficit*" means, with respect to any Partner, the deficit balance, if any, in such Partner's Adjusted Capital Account as of the end of the relevant Partnership Year or other applicable period.

"*Adjustment Event*" has the meaning set forth in Section 16.3 hereof.

"*Adjustment Factor*" means 1.0; provided, however, that in the event that:

(i) the General Partner (a) declares or pays a dividend on its outstanding REIT Shares wholly or partly in REIT Shares or makes a distribution to all holders of its outstanding REIT Shares wholly or partly in REIT Shares, (b) splits or subdivides its outstanding REIT Shares or (c) effects a reverse stock split or otherwise combines its outstanding REIT Shares into a smaller number of REIT Shares, the Adjustment Factor shall be adjusted by multiplying the Adjustment Factor previously in effect by a fraction, (i) the numerator of which shall be the number of REIT Shares issued and outstanding on the record date for such dividend, distribution, split, subdivision, reverse split or combination (assuming for such purposes that such dividend, distribution, split, subdivision, reverse split or combination has occurred as of such time) and (ii) the denominator of which shall be the actual number of REIT Shares (determined without the above assumption) issued and outstanding on the record date for such dividend, distribution, split, subdivision, reverse split or combination;

(ii) the General Partner distributes any rights, options or warrants to all holders of its REIT Shares to subscribe for or to purchase or to otherwise acquire REIT Shares, or other securities or rights convertible into, exchangeable for or exercisable for REIT Shares (other than REIT Shares issuable pursuant to a Qualified DRIP/COPP), at a price per share less than the Value of a REIT Share on the record date for such distribution (each a "*Distributed Right*"), then, as of the distribution date of such Distributed Rights or, if later, the time such Distributed Rights become exercisable, the Adjustment Factor shall be adjusted by multiplying the Adjustment Factor previously in effect by a fraction (a) the numerator of which shall be the number of REIT Shares issued and outstanding on the record date (or, if later, the date such Distributed Rights become exercisable) plus the maximum number of REIT Shares purchasable under such Distributed Rights and (b) the denominator of which shall be the number of REIT Shares issued and outstanding on the record date (or, if later, the date such Distributed Rights become exercisable) plus a fraction (1) the numerator of which is the maximum number of REIT Shares purchasable under such Distributed Rights times the minimum purchase

price per REIT Share under such Distributed Rights and (2) the denominator of which is the Value of a REIT Share as of the record date (or, if later, the date such Distributed Rights become exercisable); provided, however, that, if any such Distributed Rights expire or become no longer exercisable, then the Adjustment Factor shall be adjusted, effective retroactive to the date of distribution of the Distributed Rights (or, if applicable, the later time that the Distributed Rights became exercisable), to reflect a reduced maximum number of REIT Shares or any change in the minimum purchase price for the purposes of the above fraction; and

(iii) the General Partner shall, by dividend or otherwise, distribute to all holders of its REIT Shares evidences of its indebtedness or assets (including securities, but excluding any dividend or distribution referred to in subsection (i) or (ii) above), which evidences of indebtedness or assets relate to assets not received by the General Partner pursuant to a pro rata distribution by the Partnership, then the Adjustment Factor shall be adjusted to equal the amount determined by multiplying the Adjustment Factor in effect immediately prior to the close of business as of the applicable record date by a fraction (a) the numerator of which shall be such Value of a REIT Share as of the record date and (b) the denominator of which shall be the Value of a REIT Share as of the record date less the then fair market value (as determined by the General Partner, whose determination shall be conclusive) of the portion of the evidences of indebtedness or assets so distributed applicable to one REIT Share.

Notwithstanding the foregoing, no adjustments to the Adjustment Factor will be made for any class or series of Partnership Interests to the extent that the Partnership makes or effects any correlative distribution or payment to all of the Partners holding Partnership Interests of such class or series, or effects any correlative split or reverse split in respect of the Partnership Interests of such class or series. Any adjustments to the Adjustment Factor shall become effective immediately after such event, retroactive to the record date, if any, for such event. For illustrative purposes, examples of adjustments to the Adjustment Factor are set forth on Exhibit A attached hereto.

“*Affiliate*” means, with respect to any Person, any Person directly or indirectly controlling or controlled by or under common control with such Person. For the purposes of this definition, “control” when used with respect to any Person means the possession, directly or indirectly, of the power to direct or cause the direction of the management and policies of such Person, whether through the ownership of voting securities, by contract or otherwise, and the terms “controlling” and “controlled” have meanings correlative to the foregoing.

“*Agreement*” means this Amended and Restated Limited Partnership Agreement of Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P., as now or hereafter amended, restated, modified, supplemented or replaced.

“*Applicable Percentage*” has the meaning set forth in Section 15.1.B hereof.

“*Appraisal*” means, with respect to any assets, the written opinion of an independent third party experienced in the valuation of similar assets, selected by the General Partner. Such opinion may be in the form of an opinion by such independent third party that the value for such property or asset as set by the General Partner is fair, from a financial point of view, to the Partnership.

“*Assignee*” means a Person to whom a Partnership Interest has been Transferred in a manner permitted under this Agreement, but who has not become a Substituted Limited Partner, and who has the rights set forth in Section 11.5 hereof.

“*Available Cash*” means, with respect to any period for which such calculation is being made,

(i) the sum, without duplication, of:

(1) the Partnership’s Net Income or Net Loss (as the case may be) for such period,

(2) Depreciation and all other noncash charges to the extent deducted in determining Net Income or Net Loss for such period,

(3) the amount of any reduction in reserves of the Partnership referred to in clause (ii)(6) below (including, without limitation, reductions resulting because the General Partner determines such amounts are no longer necessary),

(4) the excess, if any, of the net cash proceeds from the sale, exchange, disposition, financing or refinancing of Partnership property for such period over the gain (or loss, as the case may be) recognized from such sale, exchange, disposition, financing or refinancing during such period (excluding Terminating Capital Transactions), and

(5) all other cash received (including amounts previously accrued as Net Income and amounts of deferred income) or any net amounts borrowed by the Partnership for such period that was not included in determining Net Income or Net Loss for such period;

(ii) less the sum, without duplication, of:

(1) all principal debt payments made during such period by the Partnership,

(2) capital expenditures made by the Partnership during such period,

(3) investments in any entity (including loans made thereto) to the extent that such investments are not otherwise described in clause (ii)(1) or clause (ii)(2) above,

(4) all other expenditures and payments not deducted in determining Net Income or Net Loss for such period (including amounts paid in respect of expenses previously accrued),

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- (5) any amount included in determining Net Income or Net Loss for such period that was not received by the Partnership during such period,
 - (6) the amount of any increase in reserves (including, without limitation, working capital reserves) established during such period that the General Partner determines are necessary or appropriate in its sole and absolute discretion,
 - (7) any amount distributed or paid in redemption of any Limited Partner Interest or Partnership Units, including, without limitation, any Cash Amount paid, and
 - (8) the amount of any working capital accounts and other cash or similar balances that the General Partner determines to be necessary or appropriate in its sole and absolute discretion.

Notwithstanding the foregoing, Available Cash shall not include (a) any cash received or reductions in reserves, or take into account any disbursements made, or reserves established, after dissolution and the commencement of the liquidation and winding up of the Partnership or (b) any Capital Contributions, whenever received or any payments, expenditures or investments made with such Capital Contributions.

“*Business Day*” means any day except a Saturday, Sunday or other day on which commercial banks in Los Angeles, California are authorized by law to close.

“*Capital Account*” means, with respect to any Partner, the capital account maintained by the General Partner for such Partner on the Partnership’s books and records in accordance with the following provisions:

- (i) To each Partner’s Capital Account, there shall be added such Partner’s Capital Contributions, such Partner’s distributive share of Net Income and any items in the nature of income or gain that are specially allocated pursuant to Section 6.3 or 6.4 hereof, and the amount of any Partnership liabilities assumed by such Partner or that are secured by any property distributed to such Partner.
- (ii) From each Partner’s Capital Account, there shall be subtracted the amount of cash and the Gross Asset Value of any Partnership property distributed to such Partner pursuant to any provision of this Agreement, such Partner’s distributive share of Net Losses and any items in the nature of expenses or losses that are specially allocated pursuant to Section 6.3 or 6.4 hereof, and the amount of any liabilities of such Partner assumed by the Partnership or that are secured by any property contributed by such Partner to the Partnership (except to the extent already reflected in the amount of such Partner’s Capital Contribution).
- (iii) In the event any interest in the Partnership is Transferred in accordance with the terms of this Agreement (which Transfer does not result in the termination of the Partnership for U.S. federal income tax purposes), the transferee shall succeed to the Capital Account of the transferor to the extent that it relates to the Transferred interest.

(iv) In determining the amount of any liability for purposes of subsections (i) and (ii) hereof, there shall be taken into account Code Section 752(c) and any other applicable provisions of the Code and Regulations.

(v) The provisions of this Agreement relating to the maintenance of Capital Accounts are intended to comply with Regulations promulgated under Section 704 of the Code, and shall be interpreted and applied in a manner consistent with such Regulations. If the General Partner shall determine that it is necessary or appropriate to modify the manner in which the Capital Accounts are maintained in order to comply with such Regulations, the General Partner may make such modification, provided that such modification is not likely to have any material effect on the amounts distributable to any Partner pursuant to Article 13 hereof upon the dissolution of the Partnership. The General Partner may, in its sole discretion, (a) make any adjustments that are necessary or appropriate to maintain equality between the Capital Accounts of the Partners and the amount of Partnership capital reflected on the Partnership's balance sheet, as computed for book purposes, in accordance with Regulations Section 1.704-1(b)(2)(iv)(q) and (b) make any modifications that are necessary or appropriate in the event that unanticipated events might otherwise cause this Agreement not to comply with Regulations Section 1.704-1(b) or Section 1.704-2.

“*Capital Account Limitation*” has the meaning set forth in Section 16.9.B hereof.

“*Capital Contribution*” means, with respect to any Partner, the amount of money and the initial Gross Asset Value of any Contributed Property that such Partner contributes or is deemed to contribute pursuant to Article 4 hereof.

“*Capital Share*” means a share of any class or series of stock of the General Partner now or hereafter authorized other than a REIT Share.

“*Cash Amount*” means an amount of cash equal to the product of (i) the Value of a REIT Share and (ii) the REIT Shares Amount determined as of the applicable Valuation Date.

“*Certificate*” means the Certificate of Limited Partnership of the Partnership filed with the SDAT, as amended from time to time in accordance with the terms hereof and the Act.

“*Charity*” means an entity described in Section 501(c)(3) of the Code or any trust all the beneficiaries of which are such entities.

“*Charter*” means the charter of the General Partner, within the meaning of Section 1-101(e) of the Maryland General Corporation Law.

“*Closing Price*” has the meaning set forth in the definition of “Value.”

“*Code*” means the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended and in effect from time to time or any successor statute thereto, as interpreted by the applicable Regulations thereunder. Any reference herein to a specific section or sections of the Code shall be deemed to include a reference to any corresponding provision of future law.

“*Common Unit Economic Balance*” means (i) the Capital Account balance of the General Partner, plus the amount of the General Partner’s share of any Partner Minimum Gain or Partnership Minimum Gain, in either case to the extent attributable to the General Partner’s ownership of Partnership Common Units and computed on a hypothetical basis after taking into account all allocations through the date on which any allocation is made under Section 6.2.D hereof, divided by (ii) the number of the General Partner’s Partnership Common Units.

“*Consent*” means the consent to, approval of, or vote in favor of a proposed action by a Partner given in accordance with Article 14 hereof. The terms “*Consented*” and “*Consenting*” have correlative meanings.

“*Consent of the General Partner*” means the Consent of the sole General Partner, which Consent, except as otherwise specifically required by this Agreement, may be obtained prior to or after the taking of any action for which it is required by this Agreement and may be given or withheld by the General Partner in its sole and absolute discretion.

“*Consent of the Limited Partners*” means the Consent of a Majority in Interest of the Limited Partners, which Consent shall be obtained prior to the taking of any action for which it is required by this Agreement and, except as otherwise provided in this Agreement, may be given or withheld by each Limited Partner in its sole and absolute discretion.

“*Consent of the Partners*” means the Consent of the General Partner and the Consent of a Majority in Interest of the Partners, which Consent shall be obtained prior to the taking of any action for which it is required by this Agreement and, except as otherwise provided in this Agreement, may be given or withheld by the General Partner or the Limited Partners in their sole and absolute discretion; *provided, however*, that, if any such action affects only certain classes or series of Partnership Interests, “Consent of the Partners” means the Consent of the General Partner and the Consent of a Majority in Interest of the Partners of the affected classes or series of Partnership Interests.

“*Constituent Person*” has the meaning set forth in Section 16.9.F hereof.

“*Contributed Property*” means each Property or other asset, in such form as may be permitted by the Act, but excluding cash, contributed or deemed contributed to the Partnership (or deemed contributed by the Partnership to a “new” partnership pursuant to Code Section 708).

“*Controlled Entity*” means, as to any Partner, (a) any corporation more than fifty percent (50%) of the outstanding voting stock of which is owned by such Partner or such Partner’s Family Members or Affiliates, (b) any trust, whether or not revocable, of which such Partner or such Partner’s Family Members or Affiliates are the sole beneficiaries, (c) any partnership of which such Partner or its Affiliates are the managing partners and in which such Partner, such Partner’s Family Members or Affiliates hold partnership interests representing at least twenty-five percent (25%) of such partnership’s capital and profits and (d) any limited liability company of which such Partner or its Affiliates are the managers and in which such Partner, such Partner’s Family Members or Affiliates hold membership interests representing at least twenty-five percent (25%) of such limited liability company’s capital and profits.

“*Conversion Date*” has the meaning set forth in Section 16.9.B hereof.

“*Conversion Notice*” has the meaning set forth in Section 16.9.B hereof.

“*Conversion Right*” has the meaning set forth in Section 16.9.A hereof.

“*Cut-Off Date*” means the fifth (5th) Business Day after the General Partner’s receipt of a Notice of Redemption.

“*Debt*” means, as to any Person, as of any date of determination: (i) all indebtedness of such Person for borrowed money or for the deferred purchase price of property or services; (ii) all amounts owed by such Person to banks or other Persons in respect of reimbursement obligations under letters of credit, surety bonds and other similar instruments guaranteeing payment or other performance of obligations by such Person; (iii) all indebtedness for borrowed money or for the deferred purchase price of property or services secured by any lien on any property owned by such Person, to the extent attributable to such Person’s interest in such property, even though such Person has not assumed or become liable for the payment thereof; and (iv) lease obligations of such Person that, in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles, should be capitalized.

“*Depreciation*” means, for each Partnership Year or other applicable period, an amount equal to the federal income tax depreciation, amortization or other cost recovery deduction allowable with respect to an asset for such year or other period, except that if the Gross Asset Value of an asset differs from its adjusted basis for federal income tax purposes at the beginning of such year or other period, Depreciation shall be an amount that bears the same ratio to such beginning Gross Asset Value as the federal income tax depreciation, amortization or other cost recovery deduction for such year or other period bears to such beginning adjusted tax basis; *provided, however*, that if the federal income tax depreciation, amortization or other cost recovery deduction for such year or other period is zero, Depreciation shall be determined with reference to such beginning Gross Asset Value using any reasonable method selected by the General Partner.

“*Disregarded Entity*” means, with respect to any Person, (i) any “qualified REIT subsidiary” (within the meaning of Code Section 856(i)(2)) of such Person, (ii) any entity treated as a disregarded entity for Federal income tax purposes with respect to such Person, or (iii) any grantor trust if the sole owner of the assets of such trust for Federal income tax purposes is such Person.

“*Distributed Right*” has the meaning set forth in the definition of “*Adjustment Factor*.”

“*Economic Capital Account Balance*” means, with respect to a Holder of LTIP Units, its Capital Account balance, plus the amount of its share of any Partner Minimum Gain or Partnership Minimum Gain, in either case to the extent attributable to its ownership of LTIP Units.

“*ERISA*” means the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974, as amended.

“*Equity Plan*” means any stock or equity purchase plan, restricted stock or equity plan or other similar equity compensation plan now or hereafter adopted by the Partnership or the General Partner, including the Plan.

“*Exchange Act*” means the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, and any successor statute thereto, and the rules and regulations of the SEC promulgated thereunder.

“*Family Members*” means, as to a Person that is an individual, such Person’s spouse, ancestors, descendants (whether by blood or by adoption or step-descendants by marriage), brothers and sisters, nieces and nephews and *inter vivos* or testamentary trusts (whether revocable or irrevocable) of which only such Person and his or her spouse, ancestors, descendants (whether by blood or by adoption or step-descendants by marriage), brothers and sisters and nieces and nephews are beneficiaries.

“*Final Adjustment*” has the meaning set forth in Section 10.3.B(2) hereof.

“*Forced Conversion*” has the meaning set forth in Section 16.9.C hereof.

“*Forced Conversion Notice*” has the meaning set forth in Section 16.9.C hereof.

“*Fourteen-Month Period*” means (a) as to an Original Limited Partner or any Assignee of an Original Limited Partner that is a Qualifying Party, a fourteen-month period ending on the day before the first fourteen-month anniversary of the date of this Agreement and (b) as to any other Qualifying Party, a fourteen-month period ending on the day before the first fourteen-month anniversary of such Qualifying Party’s first becoming a Holder of Partnership Common Units; *provided, however*, that the General Partner may, in its sole and absolute discretion, by written agreement with a Qualifying Party, shorten or lengthen the first Fourteen-Month Period to a period of shorter or longer than fourteen (14) months with respect to a Qualifying Party other than an Original Limited Partner or an Assignee of an Original Limited Partner.

“*Funding Debt*” means any Debt incurred by or on behalf of the General Partner for the purpose of providing funds to the Partnership.

“*General Partner*” means Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc. and its successors and assigns as a general partner of the Partnership, in each case, that is admitted from time to time to the Partnership as a general partner, and has not ceased to be a general partner, pursuant to the Act and this Agreement, in such Person’s capacity as a general partner of the Partnership.

“*General Partner Interest*” means the entire Partnership Interest held by a General Partner hereof, which Partnership Interest may be expressed as a number of Partnership Common Units, Partnership Preferred Units or any other Partnership Units.

“*Gross Asset Value*” means, with respect to any asset, the asset’s adjusted basis for federal income tax purposes, except as follows:

(a) The initial Gross Asset Value of any asset contributed by a Partner to the Partnership shall be the gross fair market value of such asset on the date of contribution, as determined by the General Partner and agreed to by the contributing Person.

(b) The Gross Asset Values of all Partnership assets immediately prior to the occurrence of any event described in clauses (i) through (v) below shall be adjusted to equal their respective gross fair market values, as determined by the General Partner using such reasonable method of valuation as it may adopt, as of the following times:

(i) the acquisition of an additional interest in the Partnership (other than in connection with the execution of this Agreement but including, without limitation, acquisitions pursuant to Section 4.2 hereof or contributions or deemed contributions by the General Partner pursuant to Section 4.2 hereof) by a new or existing Partner in exchange for more than a *de minimis* Capital Contribution;

(ii) the distribution by the Partnership to a Partner of more than a *de minimis* amount of Partnership property as consideration for an interest in the Partnership;

(iii) the liquidation of the Partnership within the meaning of Regulations Section 1.704-1(b)(2)(ii)(g);

(iv) the grant of an interest in the Partnership (other than a *de minimis* interest) as consideration for the provision of services to or for the benefit of the Partnership by an existing Partner acting in a partner capacity, or by a new Partner acting in a partner capacity or in anticipation of becoming a Partner of the Partnership (including the grant of an LTIP Unit; and

(v) at such other times as the General Partner shall reasonably determine necessary or advisable in order to comply with Regulations Sections 1.704-1(b) and 1.704-2.

(c) The Gross Asset Value of any Partnership asset distributed to a Partner shall be the gross fair market value of such asset on the date of distribution, as determined by the distributee and the General Partner; *provided, however*, that if the distributee is the General Partner or if the distributee and the General Partner cannot agree on such a determination, such gross fair market value shall be determined by Appraisal.

(d) The Gross Asset Values of Partnership assets shall be increased (or decreased) to reflect any adjustments to the adjusted basis of such assets pursuant to Code Section 734(b) or Code Section 743(b), but only to the extent that such adjustments are taken into account in determining Capital Accounts pursuant to Regulations Section 1.704-1(b)(2)(iv)(m); *provided, however*, that Gross Asset Values shall not be adjusted pursuant to this subsection (d) to the extent that the General Partner reasonably determines that an adjustment pursuant to subsection (b) above is necessary or appropriate in connection with a transaction that would otherwise result in an adjustment pursuant to this subsection (d).

(e) If the Gross Asset Value of a Partnership asset has been determined or adjusted pursuant to subsection (a), subsection (b) or subsection (d) above, such Gross Asset Value shall thereafter be adjusted by the Depreciation taken into account with respect to such asset for purposes of computing Net Income and Net Losses.

(f) If any unvested LTIP Units are forfeited, as described in Section 16.2.B, upon such forfeiture, the Gross Asset Value of the Partnership's assets shall be reduced by the amount of any reduction of such Partner's Capital Account attributable to the forfeiture of such LTIP Units.

"*Hart-Scott-Rodino Act*" means the Hart-Scott-Rodino Antitrust Improvements Act of 1976, as amended.

"*Holder*" means either (a) a Partner or (b) an Assignee owning a Partnership Interest.

"*Incapacity*" or "*Incapacitated*" means: (i) as to any Partner who is an individual, death, total physical disability or entry by a court of competent jurisdiction adjudicating such Partner incompetent to manage his or her person or his or her estate; (ii) as to any Partner that is a corporation or limited liability company, the filing of a certificate of dissolution, or its equivalent, for the corporation or the revocation of its charter; (iii) as to any Partner that is a partnership, the dissolution and commencement of winding up of the partnership; (iv) as to any Partner that is an estate, the distribution by the fiduciary of the estate's entire interest in the Partnership; (v) as to any trustee of a trust that is a Partner, the termination of the trust (but not the substitution of a new trustee); or (vi) as to any Partner, the bankruptcy of such Partner. For purposes of this definition, bankruptcy of a Partner shall be deemed to have occurred when (a) the Partner commences a voluntary proceeding seeking liquidation, reorganization or other relief of or against such Partner under any bankruptcy, insolvency or other similar law now or hereafter in effect, (b) the Partner is adjudged as bankrupt or insolvent, or a final and non-appealable order for relief under any bankruptcy, insolvency or similar law now or hereafter in effect has been entered against the Partner, (c) the Partner executes and delivers a general assignment for the benefit of the Partner's creditors, (d) the Partner files an answer or other pleading admitting or failing to contest the material allegations of a petition filed against the Partner in any proceeding of the nature described in clause (b) above, (e) the Partner seeks, consents to or acquiesces in the appointment of a trustee, receiver or Liquidator for the Partner or for all or any substantial part of the Partner's properties, (f) any proceeding seeking liquidation, reorganization or other relief under any bankruptcy, insolvency or other similar law now or hereafter in effect has not been dismissed within one hundred twenty (120) days after the commencement thereof, (g) the appointment without the Partner's consent or acquiescence of a trustee, receiver or liquidator has not been vacated or stayed within ninety (90) days of such appointment, or (h) an appointment referred to in clause (g) above is not vacated within ninety (90) days after the expiration of any such stay.

"*Indemnitee*" means (i) any Person made, or threatened to be made, a party to a proceeding by reason of its status as (a) the General Partner or (b) a director of the General Partner or an officer of the Partnership or the General Partner and (ii) such other Persons (including Affiliates or employees of the General Partner or the Partnership) as the General Partner may designate from time to time (whether before or after the event giving rise to potential liability), in its sole and absolute discretion.

"*IRS*" means the United States Internal Revenue Service.

“*Limited Partner*” means any Person that is admitted from time to time to the Partnership as a limited partner, and has not ceased to be a limited partner pursuant to the Act and this Agreement, of the Partnership, including any Substituted Limited Partner or Additional Limited Partner, in such Person’s capacity as a limited partner of the Partnership.

“*Limited Partner Interest*” means a Partnership Interest of a Limited Partner in the Partnership representing a fractional part of the Partnership Interests of all Limited Partners and includes any and all benefits to which the holder of such a Partnership Interest may be entitled as provided in this Agreement, together with all obligations of such Person to comply with the terms and provisions of this Agreement. A Limited Partner Interest may be expressed as a number of Partnership Common Units, Partnership Preferred Units or other Partnership Units.

“*Liquidating Event*” has the meaning set forth in Section 13.1 hereof.

“*Liquidating Gains*” means any net gain realized in connection with the actual or hypothetical sale of all or substantially all of the assets of the Partnership (including upon the occurrence of any Liquidating Event or Terminating Capital Transaction), including but not limited to net gain realized in connection with an adjustment to the Gross Asset Value of Partnership assets under the definition of Gross Asset Value in Section 1 of this Agreement.

“*Liquidator*” has the meaning set forth in Section 13.2.A hereof.

“*LTIP Unit Distribution Payment Date*” has the meaning set forth in Section 16.4.C hereof.

“*LTIP Units*” means the Partnership Units designated as such having the rights, powers, privileges, restrictions, qualifications and limitations set forth herein and in the Plan. LTIP Units can be issued in one or more classes, or one or more series of any such classes bearing such relationship to one another as to allocations, distributions, and other rights as the General Partner shall determine in its sole and absolute discretion subject to Maryland law and this Agreement.

“*Majority in Interest of the Limited Partners*” means Limited Partners (other than any Limited Partner fifty percent (50%) or more of whose equity is owned, directly or indirectly, by the General Partner) holding in the aggregate Percentage Interests that are greater than fifty percent (50%) of the aggregate Percentage Interests of all such Limited Partners entitled to Consent to or withhold Consent from a proposed action.

“*Majority in Interest of the Partners*” means Partners holding in the aggregate Percentage Interests that are greater than fifty percent (50%) of the aggregate Percentage Interests of all Partners entitled to Consent to or withhold Consent from a proposed action.

“*Market Price*” has the meaning set forth in the definition of “*Value*.”

“*Maryland Courts*” has the meaning set forth in Section 15.9.B hereof.

“*Net Income*” or “*Net Loss*” means, for each Partnership Year or other applicable period, an amount equal to the Partnership’s taxable income or loss for such year or other applicable period, determined in accordance with Code Section 703(a) (for this purpose, all items of income, gain, loss or deduction required to be stated separately pursuant to Code Section 703(a)(1) shall be included in taxable income or loss), with the following adjustments:

(a) Any income of the Partnership that is exempt from federal income tax and not otherwise taken into account in computing Net Income (or Net Loss) pursuant to this definition of “Net Income” or “Net Loss” shall be added to (or subtracted from, as the case may be) such taxable income (or loss);

(b) Any expenditure of the Partnership described in Code Section 705(a)(2)(B) or treated as a Code Section 705(a)(2)(B) expenditure pursuant to Regulations Section 1.704-1(b)(2)(iv)(i), and not otherwise taken into account in computing Net Income (or Net Loss) pursuant to this definition of “Net Income” or “Net Loss,” shall be subtracted from (or added to, as the case may be) such taxable income (or loss);

(c) In the event the Gross Asset Value of any Partnership asset is adjusted pursuant to subsection (b) or subsection (c) of the definition of “Gross Asset Value,” the amount of such adjustment shall be taken into account as gain or loss from the disposition of such asset for purposes of computing Net Income or Net Loss;

(d) Gain or loss resulting from any disposition of property with respect to which gain or loss is recognized for federal income tax purposes shall be computed by reference to the Gross Asset Value of the property disposed of, notwithstanding that the adjusted tax basis of such property differs from its Gross Asset Value;

(e) In lieu of the depreciation, amortization and other cost recovery deductions that would otherwise be taken into account in computing such taxable income or loss, there shall be taken into account Depreciation for such Partnership Year or other applicable period;

(f) To the extent that an adjustment to the adjusted tax basis of any Partnership asset pursuant to Code Section 734(b) or Code Section 743(b) is required pursuant to Regulations Section 1.704-1(b)(2)(iv)(m)(4) to be taken into account in determining Capital Accounts as a result of a distribution other than in liquidation of a Partner’s interest in the Partnership, the amount of such adjustment shall be treated as an item of gain (if the adjustment increases the basis of the asset) or loss (if the adjustment decreases the basis of the asset) from the disposition of the asset and shall be taken into account for purposes of computing Net Income or Net Loss; and

(g) Notwithstanding any other provision of this definition of “Net Income” or “Net Loss,” any item that is specially allocated pursuant to Article 6 hereof shall not be taken into account in computing Net Income or Net Loss. The amounts of the items of Partnership income, gain, loss or deduction available to be specially allocated pursuant to Section 6.3 or 6.4 hereof shall be determined by applying rules analogous to those set forth in this definition of “Net Income” or “Net Loss.”

“*New Securities*” means (i) any rights, options, warrants or convertible or exchangeable securities having the right to subscribe for or purchase REIT Shares or Preferred Shares, excluding grants under the Stock Option Plans, or (ii) any Debt issued by the General Partner that provides any of the rights described in clause (i).

“*Nonrecourse Deductions*” has the meaning set forth in Regulations Section 1.704-2(b)(1), and the amount of Nonrecourse Deductions for a Partnership Year shall be determined in accordance with the rules of Regulations Section 1.704-2(c).

“*Nonrecourse Liability*” has the meaning set forth in Regulations Sections 1.704-2(b)(3) and 1.752-1(a)(2).

“*Notice of Redemption*” means the Notice of Redemption substantially in the form of Exhibit B attached to this Agreement.

“*Optionee*” means a Person to whom a stock option is granted under any Stock Option Plan.

“*Original Limited Partner*” means any Person that is a Limited Partner as of the close of business on the date of the closing of the issuance of REIT Shares pursuant to the initial offering of REIT Shares, and does not include any Assignee or other transferee, including, without limitation, any Substituted Limited Partner succeeding to all or any part of the Partnership Interest of any such Person.

“*Ownership Limit*” means the restriction or restrictions on the ownership and transfer of stock of the General Partner imposed under the Charter.

“*Partner*” means the General Partner or a Limited Partner, and “*Partners*” means the General Partner and the Limited Partners.

“*Partner Minimum Gain*” means an amount, with respect to each Partner Nonrecourse Debt, equal to the Partnership Minimum Gain that would result if such Partner Nonrecourse Debt were treated as a Nonrecourse Liability, determined in accordance with Regulations Section 1.704-2(i)(3).

“*Partner Nonrecourse Debt*” has the meaning set forth in Regulations Section 1.704-2(b)(4).

“*Partner Nonrecourse Deductions*” has the meaning set forth in Regulations Section 1.704-2(i)(1), and the amount of Partner Nonrecourse Deductions with respect to a Partner Nonrecourse Debt for a Partnership Year shall be determined in accordance with the rules of Regulations Section 1.704-2(i)(2).

“*Partnership*” means the limited partnership formed and continued under the Act and pursuant to this Agreement, and any successor thereto.

“*Partnership Common Unit*” means a fractional, undivided share of the Partnership Interests of all Partners issued pursuant to Sections 4.1 and 4.2 hereof, but does not include any Partnership Preferred Unit, LTIP Unit or any other Partnership Unit specified in a Partnership Unit Designation as being other than a Partnership Common Unit.

“*Partnership Employee*” means an employee or other service provider of the Partnership or of a Subsidiary of the Partnership, if any, acting in such capacity.

“*Partnership Equivalent Units*” has the meaning set forth in Section 4.7A hereof.

“*Partnership Interest*” means an ownership interest in the Partnership held by either a Limited Partner or a General Partner and includes any and all benefits to which the holder of such a Partnership Interest may be entitled as provided in this Agreement, together with all obligations of such Person to comply with the terms and provisions of this Agreement. There may be one or more classes or series of Partnership Interests. A Partnership Interest may be expressed as a number of Partnership Common Units, Partnership Preferred Units or other Partnership Units; however, notwithstanding that the General Partner, and any Limited Partner may have different rights and privileges as specified in this Agreement (including differences in rights and privileges with respect to their Partnership Interests), the Partnership Interest held by the General Partner or any other Partner and designated as being of a particular class or series shall not be deemed to be a separate class or series of Partnership Interest from a Partnership Interest having the same designation as to class and series that is held by any other Partner solely because such Partnership Interest is held by the General Partner or any other Partner having different rights and privileges as specified under this Agreement. A Partnership Interest may be expressed as a number of Partnership Common Units, Partnership Preferred Units or other Partnership Units.

“*Partnership Minimum Gain*” has the meaning set forth in Regulations Section 1.704-2(b)(2), and the amount of Partnership Minimum Gain, as well as any net increase or decrease in Partnership Minimum Gain, for a Partnership Year shall be determined in accordance with the rules of Regulations Section 1.704-2(d).

“*Partnership Preferred Unit*” means a fractional, undivided share of the Partnership Interests of a particular class or series that the General Partner has authorized pursuant to Section 4.2 hereof that has distribution rights, or rights upon liquidation, winding up and dissolution, that are superior or prior to the Partnership Common Units.

“*Partnership Record Date*” means the record date established by the General Partner for the purpose of determining the Partners entitled to notice of or to vote at any meeting of Partners or to consent to any matter, or to receive any distribution or the allotment of any other rights, or in order to make a determination of Partners for any other proper purpose, which, in the case of a distribution of Available Cash pursuant to Section 5.1 hereof, shall generally be the same as the record date established by the General Partner for a distribution to its stockholders of some or all of its portion of such distribution.

“*Partnership Unit*” means a Partnership Common Unit, a Partnership Preferred Unit, a LTIP Unit or any other unit of the fractional, undivided share of the Partnership Interests that the General Partner has authorized pursuant to Section 4.2 hereof.

“*Partnership Unit Designation*” shall have the meaning set forth in Section 4.2.A hereof.

“*Partnership Year*” means the fiscal year of the Partnership, which shall be the calendar year.

“*Percentage Interest*” means, with respect to each Partner, the fraction, expressed as a percentage, the numerator of which is the aggregate number of Partnership Units of all classes and series held by such Partner and the denominator of which is the total number of Partnership Units of all classes and series held by all Partners; *provided, however*, that, to the extent applicable in context, the term “Percentage Interest” means, with respect to a Partner, the fraction, expressed as a percentage, the numerator of which is the aggregate number of Partnership Units of a specified class or series (or specified group of classes and/or series) held by such Partner and the denominator of which is the total number of Partnership Units of such specified class or series (or specified group of classes and/or series) held by all Partners.

“*Permitted Transfer*” has the meaning set forth in Section 11.3.A hereof.

“*Person*” means an individual or a corporation, partnership, trust, unincorporated organization, association, limited liability company or other entity.

“*Plan*” means the Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc. 2013 Incentive Award Plan.

“*Pledge*” has the meaning set forth in Section 11.3.A hereof.

“*Preferred Share*” means a share of stock of the General Partner of any class or series now or hereafter authorized or reclassified that has dividend rights, or rights upon liquidation, winding up and dissolution, that are superior or prior to the REIT Shares.

“*Properties*” means any assets and property of the Partnership such as, but not limited to, interests in real property and personal property, including, without limitation, fee interests, interests in ground leases, easements and rights of way, interests in limited liability companies, joint ventures or partnerships, interests in mortgages, and Debt instruments as the Partnership may hold from time to time and “*Property*” means any one such asset or property.

“*Proposed Section 83 Safe Harbor Regulation*” has the meaning set forth in Section 16.11 hereof.

“*Qualified DRIP/COPP*” means a dividend reinvestment plan or a cash option purchase plan of the General Partner that permits participants to acquire REIT Shares using the proceeds of dividends paid by the General Partner or cash of the participant, respectively; *provided, however*, that if such shares are offered at a discount, such discount must (i) be designed to pass along to the stockholders of the General Partner the savings enjoyed by the General Partner in connection with the avoidance of stock issuance costs, and (ii) not exceed 5% of the value of a REIT Share as computed under the terms of such plan.

“*Qualified Transferee*” means an “accredited investor” as defined in Rule 501 promulgated under the Securities Act.

“*Qualifying Party*” means (a) a Limited Partner, (b) an Assignee or (c) a Person, including a lending institution as the pledgee of a Pledge, who is the transferee of a Limited Partner Interest in a Permitted Transfer; *provided, however*, that a Qualifying Party shall not include the General Partner.

“Redemption” has the meaning set forth in Section 15.1.A hereof.

“Regulations” means the income tax regulations under the Code, whether such regulations are in proposed, temporary or final form, as such regulations may be amended from time to time (including corresponding provisions of succeeding regulations).

“Regulatory Allocations” has the meaning set forth in Section 6.4.A(viii) hereof.

“REIT” means a real estate investment trust qualifying under Code Section 856.

“REIT Partner” means (a) the General Partner or any Affiliate of the General Partner to the extent such person has in place an election to qualify as a REIT and, (b) any Disregarded Entity with respect to any such Person.

“REIT Payment” has the meaning set forth in Section 15.12 hereof.

“REIT Requirements” has the meaning set forth in Section 5.1 hereof.

“REIT Share” means a share of common stock of the General Partner, \$0.01 par value per share, but shall not include any class or series of the General Partner’s common stock classified after the date of this Agreement.

“REIT Shares Amount” means a number of REIT Shares equal to the product of (a) the number of Tendered Units and (b) the Adjustment Factor; *provided, however*, that, in the event that the General Partner issues to all holders of REIT Shares as of a certain record date rights, options, warrants or exchangeable securities entitling the General Partner’s stockholders to subscribe for or purchase REIT Shares, or any other securities or property (collectively, the “Rights”), with the record date for such Rights issuance falling within the period starting on the date of the Notice of Redemption and ending on the day immediately preceding the Specified Redemption Date, which Rights will not be distributed before the relevant Specified Redemption Date, then the REIT Shares Amount shall also include such Rights that a holder of that number of REIT Shares would be entitled to receive, expressed, where relevant hereunder, in a number of REIT Shares determined by the General Partner.

“Related Party” means, with respect to any Person, any other Person to whom ownership of shares of the General Partner’s stock by the first such Person would be attributed under Code Section 544 (as modified by Code Section 856(h)(1)(B)) or Code Section 318(a) (as modified by Code Section 856(d)(5)).

“Rights” has the meaning set forth in the definition of “REIT Shares Amount.”

“Safe Harbors” has the meaning set forth in Section 11.3.C hereof.

“SDAT” means the State Department of Assessments and Taxation of Maryland.

“SEC” means the Securities and Exchange Commission.

“Section 83 Safe Harbor” has the meaning set forth in Section 16.11 hereof.

“*Securities Act*” means the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, and any successor statute thereto, and the rules and regulations of the SEC promulgated thereunder.

“*Special Redemption*” has the meaning set forth in Section 15.1.A hereof.

“*Specified Redemption Date*” means the first Business Day of the month that is least 60 calendar days after the receipt by the General Partner of a Notice of Redemption; *provided, however*, that no Specified Redemption Date shall occur during the first Fourteen-Month Period (except pursuant to a Special Redemption).

“*Stock Option Plans*” means any stock option plan now or hereafter adopted by the Partnership or the General Partner.

“*Subsidiary*” means, with respect to any Person, any corporation or other entity of which a majority of (i) the voting power of the voting equity securities or (ii) the outstanding equity interests is owned, directly or indirectly, by such Person; *provided, however*, that, with respect to the Partnership, “Subsidiary” means solely a partnership or limited liability company (taxed, for federal income tax purposes, as a partnership or as a Disregarded Entity and not as an association or publicly traded partnership taxable as a corporation) of which the Partnership is a member or any “taxable REIT subsidiary” of the General Partner in which the Partnership owns shares of stock, unless the ownership of shares of stock of a corporation or other entity (other than a “taxable REIT subsidiary”) will not jeopardize the General Partner’s status as a REIT or any General Partner Affiliate’s status as a “qualified REIT subsidiary” (within the meaning of Code Section 856(i)(2)), in which event the term “Subsidiary” shall include such corporation or other entity.

“*Substituted Limited Partner*” means a Person who is admitted as a Limited Partner to the Partnership pursuant to the Act and (i) Section 11.4 hereof or (ii) pursuant to any Partnership Unit Designation.

“*Surviving Partnership*” has the meaning set forth in Section 11.2.B(ii) hereof.

“*Tax Items*” has the meaning set forth in Section 6.5.A hereof.

“*Tendered Units*” has the meaning set forth in Section 15.1.A hereof.

“*Tendering Party*” has the meaning set forth in Section 15.1.A hereof.

“*Terminating Capital Transaction*” means any sale or other disposition of all or substantially all of the assets of the Partnership or a related series of transactions that, taken together, result in the sale or other disposition of all or substantially all of the assets of the Partnership, in any case, not in the ordinary course of the Partnership’s business.

“*Termination Transaction*” has the meaning set forth in Section 11.2.B hereof.

“*Transfer*” means any sale, assignment, bequest, conveyance, devise, gift (outright or in trust), Pledge, encumbrance, hypothecation, mortgage, exchange, transfer or other disposition or act of alienation, whether voluntary, involuntary or by operation of law; *provided, however*, that

when the term is used in Article 11 hereof, except as otherwise expressly provided, “Transfer” does not include (a) any Redemption of Partnership Common Units by the Partnership, or acquisition of Tendered Units by the General Partner, pursuant to Section 15.1, (b) any conversion of LTIP Units into Common Units pursuant to Section 16.9 hereof or (c) any redemption of Partnership Units pursuant to any Partnership Unit Designation. The terms “Transferred” and “Transferring” have correlative meanings.

“*Valuation Date*” means the date of receipt by the General Partner of a Notice of Redemption pursuant to Section 15.1 herein, or such other date as specified herein, or, if such date is not a Business Day, the immediately preceding Business Day.

“*Value*” means, on any Valuation Date with respect to a REIT Share, the average of the daily Market Prices for ten (10) consecutive trading days immediately preceding the Valuation Date (except that the Market Price for the trading day immediately preceding the date of exercise of a stock option under any Stock Option Plans shall be substituted for such average of daily market prices for purposes of Section 4.4 hereof). The term “*Market Price*” on any date means, with respect to any class or series of outstanding REIT Shares, the Closing Price for such REIT Shares on such date. The “*Closing Price*” on any date means the last sale price for such REIT Shares, regular way, or, in case no such sale takes place on such day, the average of the closing bid and asked prices, regular way, for such REIT Shares, in either case as reported on the principal consolidated transaction reporting system with respect to securities listed on the principal national securities exchange on which such REIT Shares are listed or admitted to trading or, if such REIT Shares are not listed or admitted to trading on any national securities exchange, the last quoted price, or, if not so quoted, the average of the high bid and low asked prices in the over-the-counter market, as reported by the National Association of Securities Dealers, Inc. Automated Quotation System or, if such system is no longer in use, the principal other automated quotation system that may then be in use or, if such REIT Shares are not quoted by any such organization, the average of the closing bid and asked prices as furnished by a professional market maker making a market in such REIT Shares selected by the Board of Directors of the General Partner or, in the event that no trading price is available for such REIT Shares, the fair market value of the REIT Shares, as determined by the Board of Directors of the General Partner.

In the event that the REIT Shares Amount includes Rights that a holder of REIT Shares would be entitled to receive, then the Value of such Rights shall be determined by the General Partner on the basis of such quotations and other information as it considers appropriate.

“*Vested LTIP Units*” has the meaning set forth in Section 16.2.A hereof.

“*Vesting Agreement*” has the meaning set forth in Section 16.2.A hereof.

ARTICLE 2 ORGANIZATIONAL MATTERS

Section 2.1 *Formation*. The Partnership is a limited partnership heretofore formed and continued pursuant to the provisions of the Act and upon the terms and subject to the conditions set forth in this Agreement. Except as expressly provided herein to the contrary, the rights and obligations of the Partners and the administration and termination of the Partnership shall be governed by the Act. The Partnership Interest of each Partner shall be personal property for all purposes.

Section 2.2 *Name*. The name of the Partnership is “Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P.” The Partnership’s business may be conducted under any other name or names deemed advisable by the General Partner, including the name of the General Partner or any Affiliate thereof. The words “Limited Partnership,” “L.P.,” “Ltd.” or similar words or letters shall be included in the Partnership’s name where necessary for the purposes of complying with the laws of any jurisdiction that so requires. The General Partner in its sole and absolute discretion may change the name of the Partnership at any time and from time to time and shall notify the Partners of such change in the next regular communication to the Partners.

Section 2.3 *Principal Office and Resident Agent; Principal Executive Office*. The address of the principal office of the Partnership in the State of Maryland is located at c/o The Corporation Trust Incorporated, 351 West Camden Street, Baltimore, Maryland 21201, or such other place within the State of Maryland as the General Partner may from time to time designate, and the resident agent of the Partnership in the State of Maryland is The Corporation Trust Incorporated, 351 West Camden Street, Baltimore, Maryland 21201, or such other resident of the State of Maryland as the General Partner may from time to time designate. The principal office of the Partnership is located at 11620 Wilshire Boulevard, Suite 300, Los Angeles, CA 90025, or such other place as the General Partner may from time to time designate by notice to the Limited Partners. The Partnership may maintain offices at such other place or places within or outside the State of Maryland as the General Partner may from time to time designate.

Section 2.4 *Power of Attorney*.

A. Each Limited Partner and Assignee hereby irrevocably constitutes and appoints the General Partner, any Liquidator, and authorized officers and attorneys-in-fact of each, and each of those acting singly, in each case with full power of substitution, as its true and lawful agent and attorney-in-fact, with full power and authority in its name, place and stead to:

- (1) execute, swear to, seal, acknowledge, deliver, file and record in the appropriate public offices: (a) all certificates, documents and other instruments (including, without limitation, this Agreement and the Certificate and all amendments, supplements or restatements thereof) that the General Partner or the Liquidator deems appropriate or necessary to form, qualify or continue the existence or qualification of the Partnership as a limited partnership (or a partnership in which the limited partners have limited liability to the extent provided by applicable law) in the State of Maryland and in all other jurisdictions in which the Partnership may conduct business or own property; (b) all instruments that the General Partner or any Liquidator deems appropriate or necessary to reflect any amendment, change, modification or restatement of this Agreement in accordance with its terms; (c) all conveyances and other instruments or documents that the General Partner or the Liquidator deems appropriate or

necessary to reflect the dissolution and liquidation of the Partnership pursuant to the terms of this Agreement, including, without limitation, a certificate of cancellation; (d) all conveyances and other instruments or documents that the General Partner or the Liquidator deems appropriate or necessary to reflect the distribution or exchange of assets of the Partnership pursuant to the terms of this Agreement; (e) all instruments relating to the admission, acceptance, withdrawal, removal or substitution of any Partner pursuant to the terms of this Agreement or the Capital Contribution of any Partner; and (f) all certificates, documents and other instruments relating to the determination of the rights, preferences and privileges relating to Partnership Interests; and

- (2) execute, swear to, acknowledge and file all ballots, consents, approvals, waivers, certificates and other instruments appropriate or necessary, in the sole and absolute discretion of the General Partner or any Liquidator, to make, evidence, give, confirm or ratify any vote, consent, approval, agreement or other action that is made or given by the Partners hereunder or is consistent with the terms of this Agreement.

Nothing contained herein shall be construed as authorizing the General Partner or any Liquidator to amend this Agreement except in accordance with Section 14.2 hereof or as may be otherwise expressly provided for in this Agreement.

- B. The foregoing power of attorney is hereby declared to be irrevocable and a special power coupled with an interest, in recognition of the fact that each of the Limited Partners and Assignees will be relying upon the power of the General Partner or the Liquidator to act as contemplated by this Agreement in any filing or other action by it on behalf of the Partnership, and it shall survive and not be affected by the subsequent Incapacity of any Limited Partner or Assignee and the Transfer of all or any portion of such Person's Partnership Interest and shall extend to such Person's heirs, successors, assigns and personal representatives. Each such Limited Partner and Assignee hereby agrees to be bound by any representation made by the General Partner or the Liquidator, acting in good faith pursuant to such power of attorney; and each such Limited Partner and Assignee hereby waives any and all defenses that may be available to contest, negate or disaffirm the action of the General Partner or the Liquidator, taken in good faith under such power of attorney. Each Limited Partner and Assignee shall execute and deliver to the General Partner or the Liquidator, within fifteen (15) days after receipt of the General Partner's or the Liquidator's request therefor, such further designation, powers of attorney and other instruments as the General Partner or the Liquidator (as the case may be) deems necessary to effectuate this Agreement and the purposes of the Partnership. Notwithstanding anything else set forth in this Section 2.4.B, no Limited Partner shall incur any personal liability for any action of the General Partner or the Liquidator taken under such power of attorney.

Section 2.5 *Term*. The term of the Partnership commenced on January 18, 2013, the date that the original Certificate was accepted for record by the SDAT in accordance with the Act, and shall continue indefinitely unless the Partnership is dissolved sooner pursuant to the provisions of Article 13 hereof or as otherwise provided by law.

Section 2.6 *Partnership Interests Are Securities*. All Partnership Interests shall be securities within the meaning of, and governed by, (i) Article 8 of the Maryland Uniform Commercial Code and (ii) Article 8 of the Uniform Commercial Code of any other applicable jurisdiction.

ARTICLE 3 PURPOSE

Section 3.1 *Purpose and Business*. The purpose and nature of the Partnership is to conduct any business, enterprise or activity permitted by or under the Act, including, without limitation, (i) to conduct the business of ownership, construction, reconstruction, development, redevelopment, alteration, improvement, maintenance, operation, sale, leasing, transfer, encumbrance, conveyance and exchange of the Properties, (ii) to acquire and invest in any securities and/or loans relating to the Properties, (iii) to enter into any partnership, joint venture, business trust arrangement, limited liability company or other similar arrangement to engage in any business permitted by or under the Act, or to own interests in any entity engaged in any business permitted by or under the Act, (iv) to conduct the business of providing property and asset management and brokerage services, whether directly or through one or more partnerships, joint ventures, Subsidiaries, business trusts, limited liability companies or similar arrangements, and (v) to do anything necessary or incidental to the foregoing.

Section 3.2 *Powers*. The Partnership shall be empowered to do any and all acts and things necessary, appropriate, proper, advisable, incidental to or convenient for the furtherance and accomplishment of the purposes and business described herein and for the protection and benefit of the Partnership including, without limitation, full power and authority, directly or through its ownership interest in other entities, to enter into, perform and carry out contracts of any kind, to borrow and lend money and to issue evidence of indebtedness, whether or not secured by mortgage, deed of trust, pledge or other lien, to acquire, own, manage, improve and develop real property and lease, sell, transfer and dispose of real property.

Section 3.3 *Partnership Only for Purposes Specified*. The Partnership shall be a limited partnership formed pursuant to the Act, and this Agreement shall not be deemed to create a company, venture or partnership between or among the Partners or any other Persons with respect to any activities whatsoever other than the activities within the purposes of the Partnership as specified in Section 3.1 hereof; however, to the extent applicable, the Partnership is a “partnership at will” (and is not a partnership formed for a definite term or particular undertaking) within the meaning of the Act. Except as otherwise provided in this Agreement, no Partner shall have any authority to act for, bind, commit or assume any obligation or responsibility on behalf of the Partnership, its properties or any other Partner. No Partner, in its capacity as a Partner under this Agreement, shall be responsible or liable for any indebtedness or obligation of another Partner, nor shall the Partnership be responsible or liable for any indebtedness or obligation of any Partner, incurred either before or after the execution and delivery of this Agreement by such Partner, except as to those responsibilities, liabilities, indebtedness or obligations incurred pursuant to and as limited by the terms of this Agreement and the Act.

Section 3.4 *Representations and Warranties by the Partners.*

- A. Each Partner that is an individual (including, without limitation, each Additional Limited Partner or Substituted Limited Partner as a condition to becoming an Additional Limited Partner or a Substituted Limited Partner) represents and warrants to, and covenants with, each other Partner that (i) the consummation of the transactions contemplated by this Agreement to be performed by such Partner will not result in a breach or violation of, or a default under, any material agreement by which such Partner or any of such Partner's property is bound, or any statute, regulation, order or other law to which such Partner is subject, (ii) if five percent (5%) or more (by value) of the Partnership's interests are or will be owned by such Partner within the meaning of Code Section 7704(d)(3), such Partner does not, and for so long as it is a Partner will not, own, directly or indirectly, (a) stock of any corporation that is a tenant of (I) the General Partner or any Disregarded Entity with respect to the General Partner, (II) the Partnership or (III) any partnership, venture or limited liability company of which the General Partner, any Disregarded Entity with respect to the General Partner, or the Partnership is a direct or indirect member or (b) an interest in the assets or net profits of any non-corporate tenant of (I) the General Partner or any Disregarded Entity with respect to the General Partner, (II) the Partnership or (III) any partnership, venture, or limited liability company of which the General Partner, any Disregarded Entity with respect to the General Partner, or the Partnership is a direct or indirect member, (iii) such Partner has the legal capacity to enter into this Agreement and perform such Partner's obligations hereunder, and (iv) this Agreement is binding upon, and enforceable against, such Partner in accordance with its terms. Notwithstanding the foregoing, a Partner that is an individual shall not be subject to the ownership restrictions set forth in clause (ii) of the immediately preceding sentence to the extent such Partner obtains the written Consent of the General Partner prior to violating any such restrictions. Each Partner that is an individual shall also represent and warrant to the Partnership that such Partner is neither a "foreign person" within the meaning of Code Section 1445(f) nor a foreign partner within the meaning of Code Section 1446(e).
- B. Each Partner that is not an individual (including, without limitation, each Additional Limited Partner or Substituted Limited Partner as a condition to becoming an Additional Limited Partner or a Substituted Limited Partner) represents and warrants to, and covenants with, each other Partner that (i) all transactions contemplated by this Agreement to be performed by it have been duly authorized by all necessary action, including, without limitation, that of its general partner(s), committee(s), trustee(s), beneficiaries, directors and/or stockholder(s) (as the case may be) as required, (ii) the consummation of such transactions shall not result in a breach or violation of, or a default under, its partnership or operating agreement, trust agreement, charter or bylaws (as the case may be) any material agreement by which such Partner or any of such

Partner's properties or any of its partners, members, beneficiaries, trustees or stockholders (as the case may be) is or are bound, or any statute, regulation, order or other law to which such Partner or any of its partners, members, trustees, beneficiaries or stockholders (as the case may be) is or are subject, (iii) if five percent (5%) or more (by value) of the Partnership's interests are or will be owned by such Partner within the meaning of Code Section 7704(d)(3), such Partner does not, and for so long as it is a Partner will not, own, directly or indirectly, (a) stock of any corporation that is a tenant of (I) the General Partner or any Disregarded Entity with respect to the General Partner, (II) the Partnership or (III) any partnership, venture or limited liability company of which the General Partner, any General Partner, any Disregarded Entity with respect to the General Partner, or the Partnership is a direct or indirect member or (b) an interest in the assets or net profits of any non-corporate tenant of (I) the General Partner, or any Disregarded Entity with respect to the General Partner, (II) the Partnership or (III) any partnership, venture or limited liability company for which the General Partner, any General Partner, any Disregarded Entity with respect to the General Partner, or the Partnership is a direct or indirect member, and (iv) this Agreement is binding upon, and enforceable against, such Partner in accordance with its terms. Notwithstanding the foregoing, a Partner that is not an individual shall not be subject to the ownership restrictions set forth in clause (iii) of the immediately preceding sentence to the extent such Partner obtains the written Consent of the General Partner prior to violating any such restrictions. Each Partner that is not an individual shall also represent and warrant to the Partnership that such Partner is neither a "foreign person" within the meaning of Code Section 1445(f) nor a foreign partner within the meaning of Code Section 1446(e).

- C. Each Partner (including, without limitation, each Additional Limited Partner or Substituted Limited Partner as a condition to becoming an Additional Limited Partner or Substituted Limited Partner) represents, warrants and agrees that (i) it has acquired and continues to hold its interest in the Partnership for its own account for investment purposes only and not for the purpose of, or with a view toward, the resale or distribution of all or any part thereof in violation of applicable laws, and not with a view toward selling or otherwise distributing such interest or any part thereof at any particular time or under any predetermined circumstances in violation of applicable laws and (ii) it is a sophisticated investor, able and accustomed to handling sophisticated financial matters for itself, particularly real estate investments, and that it has a sufficiently high net worth that it does not anticipate a need for the funds that it has invested in the Partnership in what it understands to be a highly speculative and illiquid investment.
- D. The representations and warranties contained in Sections 3.4.A, 3.4.B and 3.4.C hereof shall survive the execution and delivery of this Agreement by each Partner (and, in the case of an Additional Limited Partner or a Substituted Limited Partner, the admission of such Additional Limited Partner or Substituted Limited Partner as a Limited Partner in the Partnership) and the dissolution, liquidation and termination of the Partnership.

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- E. Each Partner (including, without limitation, each Additional Limited Partner or Substituted Limited Partner as a condition to becoming an Additional Limited Partner or Substituted Limited Partner) hereby acknowledges that no representations as to potential profit, cash flows, funds from operations or yield, if any, in respect of the Partnership or the General Partner have been made by any Partner or any employee or representative or Affiliate of any Partner, and that projections and any other information, including, without limitation, financial and descriptive information and documentation, that may have been in any manner submitted to such Partner shall not constitute any representation or warranty of any kind or nature, express or implied.
- F. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the General Partner may, in its sole and absolute discretion, permit the modification of any of the representations and warranties contained in Sections 3.4.A, 3.4.B and 3.4.C above as applicable to any Partner (including, without limitation any Additional Limited Partner or Substituted Limited Partner or any transferee of either), provided that such representations and warranties, as modified, shall be set forth in either (i) a Partnership Unit Designation applicable to the Partnership Units held by such Partner or (ii) a separate writing addressed to the Partnership and the General Partner.

ARTICLE 4 CAPITAL CONTRIBUTIONS

Section 4.1 *Capital Contributions of the Partners*. The Partners have heretofore made Capital Contributions to the Partnership. Except as provided by law or in Section 4.2, 4.3, or 10.4 hereof, the Partners shall have no obligation or, except with the prior Consent of the General Partner, right to make any additional Capital Contributions or loans to the Partnership. The General Partner shall cause to be maintained in the principal business office of the Partnership, or such other place as may be determined by the General Partner, the books and records of the Partnership, which shall include, among other things, a register containing the name, address, and number, class and series of Partnership Units of each Partner, and such other information as the General Partner may deem necessary or desirable (the “*Register*”). The Register shall not be part of this Agreement. The General Partner shall from time to time update the Register as necessary to accurately reflect the information therein, including as a result of any sales, exchanges or other Transfers, or any redemptions, issuances or similar events involving Partnership Units. Any reference in this Agreement to the Register shall be deemed a reference to the Register as in effect from time to time. Subject to the terms of this Agreement, the General Partner may take any action authorized hereunder in respect of the Register without any need to obtain the consent or approval of any other Partner. No action of any Limited Partner shall be required to amend or update the Register. Except as required by law, no Limited Partner shall be entitled to receive a copy of the information set forth in the Register relating to any Partner other than itself.

Section 4.2 *Issuances of Additional Partnership Interests*. Subject to the rights of any Holder of any Partnership Interest set forth in a Partnership Unit Designation:

- A. *General*. The General Partner is hereby authorized to cause the Partnership to issue additional Partnership Interests, in the form of Partnership Units, for any Partnership purpose, at any time or from time to time, to the Partners (including the General Partner) or to other Persons, and to admit such Persons as Additional Limited Partners, for such consideration and on such terms and conditions as shall be established by the General Partner in its sole and absolute discretion, all without the approval of any Limited Partner or any other Person. Without limiting the foregoing, the General Partner is expressly authorized to cause the Partnership to issue Partnership Units (i) upon the conversion, redemption or exchange of any Debt, Partnership Units, or other securities issued by the Partnership, (ii) for less than fair market value, (iii) for no consideration, (iv) in connection with any merger of any other Person into the Partnership or (v) upon the contribution of property or assets to the Partnership. Any additional Partnership Interests may be issued in one or more classes, or one or more series of any of such classes, with such designations, preferences, conversion or other rights, voting powers or rights, restrictions, limitations as to distributions, qualifications or terms or conditions of redemption (including, without limitation, terms that may be senior or otherwise entitled to preference over existing Partnership Units) as shall be determined by the General Partner, in its sole and absolute discretion without the approval of any Limited Partner or any other Person, and set forth in a written document thereafter attached to and made an exhibit to this Agreement, which exhibit shall be an amendment to this Agreement and shall be incorporated herein by this reference (each, a "*Partnership Unit Designation*"), without the approval of any Limited Partner or any other Person. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, the General Partner shall have authority to specify: (a) the allocations of items of Partnership income, gain, loss, deduction and credit to each such class or series of Partnership Interests; (b) the right of each such class or series of Partnership Interests to share (on a *pari passu*, junior or preferred basis) in Partnership distributions; (c) the rights of each such class or series of Partnership Interests upon dissolution and liquidation of the Partnership; (d) the voting rights, if any, of each such class or series of Partnership Interests; and (e) the conversion, redemption or exchange rights applicable to each such class or series of Partnership Interests. Except as expressly set forth in any Partnership Unit Designation or as may otherwise be required under the Act, a Partnership Interest of any class or series other than a Partnership Common Unit shall not entitle the holder thereof to vote on, or consent to, any matter. Upon the issuance of any additional Partnership Interest, the General Partner shall update the Register and the books and records of the Partnership as appropriate to reflect such issuance.
- B. *Issuances of LTIP Units*. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, from time to time, the General Partner is hereby authorized to issue LTIP Units to Persons providing services to or for the benefit of the Partnership for such consideration or for no consideration as the General Partner may determine to be appropriate and on such terms and conditions as shall be established by the General Partner, and admit such Persons as Limited Partners. Except to the extent a Capital Contribution is made with respect to an LTIP Unit, each LTIP Unit is intended to qualify as a profits interests in the Partnership within the meaning of

the Code, the Regulations, and any published guidance by the IRS with respect thereto. Except as may be provided from time to time by the General Partner with respect to one or more series of LTIP Units, LTIP Units shall have the terms set forth in Article 16.

- C. *Issuances to the General Partner.* No additional Partnership Units shall be issued to the General Partner unless (i) the additional Partnership Units are issued to all Partners holding Partnership Common Units in proportion to their respective Percentage Interests in Partnership Common Units, (ii) (a) the additional Partnership Units are (x) Partnership Common Units issued in connection with an issuance of REIT Shares, or (y) Partnership Equivalent Units (other than Partnership Common Units) issued in connection with an issuance of Preferred Shares, New Securities or other interests in the General Partner (other than REIT Shares), and (b) the General Partner contributes to the Partnership the cash proceeds or other consideration received in connection with the issuance of such REIT Shares, Preferred Shares, New Securities or other interests in the General Partner, (iii) the additional Partnership Units are issued upon the conversion, redemption or exchange of Debt, Partnership Units or other securities issued by the Partnership or (iv) the additional Partnership Units are issued pursuant to Section 4.3.B, Section 4.3.E, Section 4.4 or Section 4.5.
- D. *No Preemptive Rights.* Except as expressly provided in this Agreement or in any Partnership Unit Designation, no Person, including, without limitation, any Partner or Assignee, shall have any preemptive, preferential, participation or similar right or rights to subscribe for or acquire any Partnership Interest.

Section 4.3 *Additional Funds and Capital Contributions.*

- A. *General.* The General Partner may, at any time and from time to time, determine that the Partnership requires additional funds (“*Additional Funds*”) for the acquisition or development of additional Properties, for the redemption of Partnership Units or for such other purposes as the General Partner may determine, in its sole and absolute discretion. Additional Funds may be obtained by the Partnership, at the election of the General Partner, in any manner provided in, and in accordance with, the terms of this Section 4.3 without the approval of any Limited Partner or any other Person.
- B. *Additional Capital Contributions.* The General Partner, on behalf of the Partnership, may obtain any Additional Funds by accepting Capital Contributions from any Partners or other Persons. In connection with any such Capital Contribution (of cash or property), the General Partner is hereby authorized to cause the Partnership from time to time to issue additional Partnership Units (as set forth in Section 4.2 above) in consideration therefor and the Percentage Interests of the General Partner and the Limited Partners shall be adjusted to reflect the issuance of such additional Partnership Units.

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- C. *Loans by Third Parties.* The General Partner, on behalf of the Partnership, may obtain any Additional Funds by causing the Partnership to incur Debt to any Person (other than the General Partner (but, for this purpose, disregarding any Debt that may be deemed incurred to the General Partner by virtue of clause (iii) of the definition of Debt)) upon such terms as the General Partner determines appropriate, including making such Debt convertible, redeemable or exchangeable for Partnership Units or REIT Shares; *provided, however*, that the Partnership shall not incur any such Debt if any Partner would be personally liable for the repayment of such Debt (unless such Partner otherwise agrees).
- D. *General Partner Loans.* The General Partner, on behalf of the Partnership, may obtain any Additional Funds by causing the Partnership to incur Debt to the General Partner if (i) such Debt is, to the extent permitted by law, on substantially the same terms and conditions (including interest rate, repayment schedule, and conversion, redemption, repurchase and exchange rights) as Funding Debt incurred by the General Partner, the net proceeds of which are loaned to the Partnership to provide such Additional Funds, or (ii) such Debt is on terms and conditions no less favorable to the Partnership than would be available to the Partnership from any third party; *provided, however*, that the Partnership shall not incur any such Debt if any Partner would be personally liable for the repayment of such Debt (unless such Partner otherwise agrees).
- E. *Issuance of Securities by the General Partner.* The General Partner shall not issue any additional REIT Shares, Capital Shares or New Securities unless the General Partner contributes the cash proceeds or other consideration received from the issuance of such additional REIT Shares, Capital Shares or New Securities (as the case may be) and from the exercise of the rights contained in any such additional Capital Shares or New Securities to the Partnership in exchange for (x) in the case of an issuance of REIT Shares, Partnership Common Units, or (y) in the case of an issuance of Capital Shares or New Securities, Partnership Equivalent Units; *provided, however*, that notwithstanding the foregoing, the General Partner may issue REIT Shares, Capital Shares or New Securities (a) pursuant to Section 4.4 or Section 15.1.B hereof, (b) pursuant to a dividend or distribution (including any stock split) of REIT Shares, Capital Shares or New Securities to holders of REIT Shares, Capital Shares or New Securities (as the case may be), (c) upon a conversion, redemption or exchange of Capital Shares, (d) upon a conversion, redemption, exchange or exercise of New Securities, or (e) in connection with an acquisition of Partnership Units or a property or other asset to be owned, directly or indirectly, by the General Partner. In the event of any issuance of additional REIT Shares, Capital Shares or New Securities by the General Partner, and the contribution to the Partnership, by the General Partner, of the cash proceeds or other consideration received from such issuance (or property acquired with such proceeds), if any, if the cash proceeds actually received by the General Partner are less than the gross proceeds of such issuance as a result of any underwriter's discount or other expenses paid or incurred in connection with such issuance, then the General Partner shall be deemed to have made a Capital Contribution to the Partnership in the amount

equal to the sum of the cash proceeds of such issuance plus the amount of such underwriter's discount and other expenses paid by the General Partner (which discount and expense shall be treated as an expense for the benefit of the Partnership for purposes of Section 7.4). In the event that the General Partner issues any additional REIT Shares, Capital Shares or New Securities and contributes the cash proceeds or other consideration received from the issuance thereof to the Partnership, the Partnership is expressly authorized to issue a number of Partnership Common Units or Partnership Equivalent Units to the General Partner equal to the number of REIT Shares, Capital Shares or New Securities so issued, divided by the Adjustment Factor then in effect, in accordance with this Section 4.3.E without any further act, approval or vote of any Partner or any other Persons.

Section 4.4 *Stock Incentive Plans*. Nothing in this Agreement shall be construed or applied to preclude or restrain the General Partner from adopting, modifying or terminating stock incentive plans for the benefit of employees, directors or other business associates of the General Partner, the Partnership or any of their Affiliates or from issuing REIT Shares, Capital Shares or New Securities pursuant to any such plans. The General Partner may implement such plans and any actions taken under such plans (such as the grant or exercise of options to acquire REIT Shares, or the issuance of restricted REIT Shares), whether taken with respect to or by an employee or other service provider of the General Partner, the Partnership or its Subsidiaries, in a manner determined by the General Partner, which may be set forth in plan implementation guidelines that the General Partner may establish or amend from time to time. The Partners acknowledge and agree that, in the event that any such plan is adopted, modified or terminated by the General Partner, amendments to this Agreement may become necessary or advisable and that any approval or Consent to any such amendments requested by the General Partner shall be deemed granted by the Limited Partners. The Partnership is expressly authorized to issue Partnership Units (i) in accordance with the terms of any such stock incentive plans, or (ii) in an amount equal to the number of REIT Shares, Capital Shares or New Securities issued pursuant to any such stock incentive plans, without any further act, approval or vote of any Partner or any other Persons.

Section 4.5 *Dividend Reinvestment Plan, Cash Option Purchase Plan, Stock Incentive Plan or Other Plan*. Except as may otherwise be provided in this Article 4, all amounts received or deemed received by the General Partner in respect of any dividend reinvestment plan, cash option purchase plan, stock incentive or other stock or subscription plan or agreement, either (a) shall be utilized by the General Partner to effect open market purchases of REIT Shares, or (b) if the General Partner elects instead to issue new REIT Shares with respect to such amounts, shall be contributed by the General Partner to the Partnership in exchange for additional Partnership Common Units. Upon such contribution, the Partnership will issue to the General Partner a number of Partnership Common Units equal to the quotient of (i) the new REIT Shares so issued, divided by (ii) the Adjustment Factor then in effect.

Section 4.6 *No Interest; No Return*. No Partner shall be entitled to interest on its Capital Contribution or on such Partner's Capital Account. Except as provided herein or by law, no Partner shall have any right to demand or receive the return of its Capital Contribution from the Partnership.

Section 4.7 *Conversion or Redemption of Capital Shares.*

- A. *Conversion of Capital Shares.* If, at any time, any of the Capital Shares are converted into REIT Shares, in whole or in part, then a number of Partnership Units with preferences, conversion and other rights, restrictions (other than restrictions on transfer), rights and limitations as to dividends and other distributions and qualifications that are substantially the same as the preferences, conversion and other rights, restrictions (other than restrictions on transfer), rights and limitations as to distributions and qualifications as those of such Capital Shares (“*Partnership Equivalent Units*”) (for the avoidance of doubt, Partnership Equivalent Units need not have voting rights, redemption rights or restrictions on transfer that are substantially similar to the corresponding Capital Shares) equal to the number of Capital Shares so converted shall automatically be converted into a number of Partnership Common Units equal to the quotient of (i) the number of REIT Shares issued upon such conversion divided by (ii) the Adjustment Factor then in effect, and the Percentage Interests of the General Partner and the Limited Partners shall be adjusted to reflect such conversion.
- B. *Redemption or Repurchase of Capital Shares or REIT Shares.* Except as otherwise provided in Section 7.4.C., if, at any time, any Capital Shares are redeemed or otherwise repurchased (whether by exercise of a put or call, automatically or by means of another arrangement) by the General Partner, the Partnership shall, immediately prior to such redemption or repurchase of Capital Shares, redeem an equal number of Partnership Equivalent Units held by the General Partner upon the same terms and for the same price per Partnership Equivalent Unit as such Capital Shares are redeemed or repurchased. If, at any time, any REIT Shares are redeemed or otherwise repurchased by the General Partner, the Partnership shall, immediately prior to such redemption or repurchase of REIT Shares, redeem or repurchase a number of Partnership Common Units held by the General Partner equal to the quotient of (i) the REIT Shares so redeemed or repurchased, divided by (ii) the Adjustment Factor then in effect, such redemption or repurchase to be upon the same terms and for the same price per Partnership Common Unit (after giving effect to application of the Adjustment Factor) as such REIT Shares are redeemed or repurchased.

Section 4.8 *Other Contribution Provisions.* In the event that any Partner is admitted to the Partnership and is given a Capital Account in exchange for services rendered to the Partnership, such transaction shall be treated by the Partnership and the affected Partner as if the Partnership had compensated such partner in cash and such Partner had contributed the cash that the Partner would have received to the capital of the Partnership. In addition, with the Consent of the General Partner, one or more Partners may enter into contribution agreements with the Partnership which have the effect of providing a guarantee of certain obligations of the Partnership (and/or a wholly-owned Subsidiary of the Partnership).

ARTICLE 5
DISTRIBUTIONS

Section 5.1 *Requirement and Characterization of Distributions*. Subject to the rights of any Holder of any Partnership Interest set forth in a Partnership Unit Designation, the General Partner may cause the Partnership to distribute such amounts, at such times, as the General Partner may, in its sole and absolute discretion, determine, to the Holders as of any Partnership Record Date: (i) first, with respect to any Partnership Units that are entitled to any preference in distribution, in accordance with the rights of Holders of such class(es) of Partnership Units (and, within each such class, among the Holders of each such class, pro rata in proportion to their respective Percentage Interests of such class on such Partnership Record Date); and (ii) second, with respect to any Partnership Units that are not entitled to any preference in distribution, in accordance with the rights of Holders of such class(es) of Partnership Units, as applicable (and, within each such class, among the Holders of each such class, pro rata in proportion to their respective Percentage Interests of such class on such Partnership Record Date). Distributions payable with respect to any Partnership Units, other than any Partnership Units issued to the General Partner in connection with the issuance of REIT Shares by the General Partner, that were not outstanding during the entire quarterly period in respect of which any distribution is made shall be prorated based on the portion of the period that such Partnership Units were outstanding. The General Partner shall make such reasonable efforts, as determined by it in its sole and absolute discretion and consistent with the General Partner's qualification as a REIT, to cause the Partnership to distribute sufficient amounts to enable the General Partner, for so long as the General Partner has determined to qualify as a REIT, to pay stockholder dividends that will (a) satisfy the requirements for qualifying as a REIT under the Code and Regulations (the "*REIT Requirements*") and (b) except to the extent otherwise determined by the General Partner, eliminate any U.S. federal income or excise tax liability of the General Partner. Notwithstanding anything in the forgoing to the contrary, a Holder of LTIP Units will only be entitled to distributions with respect to an LTIP Unit as set forth in Article 16 hereof and in making distributions pursuant to this Section 5.1, the General Partner of the Partnership shall take into account the provisions of Section 16.4 hereof.

Section 5.2 *Distributions in Kind*. Except as expressly provided herein, no right is given to any Holder to demand and receive property other than cash as provided in this Agreement. The General Partner may determine, in its sole and absolute discretion, to make a distribution in kind of Partnership assets to the Holders, and such assets shall be distributed in such a fashion as to ensure that the fair market value is distributed and allocated in accordance with Articles 5, 6 and 13 hereof; *provided, however*, that the General Partner shall not make a distribution in kind to any Holder unless the Holder has been given 90 days prior written notice of such distribution.

Section 5.3 *Amounts Withheld*. All amounts withheld pursuant to the Code or any provisions of any state, local or non-United States tax law and Section 10.4 hereof with respect to any allocation, payment or distribution to any Holder shall be treated as amounts paid or distributed to such Holder pursuant to Section 5.1 hereof for all purposes under this Agreement.

Section 5.4 *Distributions upon Liquidation*. Notwithstanding the other provisions of this Article 5, net proceeds from a Terminating Capital Transaction, and any other amounts distributed after the occurrence of a Liquidating Event, shall be distributed to the Holders in accordance with Section 13.2 hereof.

Section 5.5 *Distributions to Reflect Additional Partnership Units*. In the event that the Partnership issues additional Partnership Units pursuant to the provisions of Article 4 hereof, subject to the rights of any Holder of any Partnership Interest set forth in a Partnership Unit Designation, the General Partner is hereby authorized to make such revisions to this Article 5 and to Articles 6, 11 and 12 hereof as it determines are necessary or desirable to reflect the issuance of such additional Partnership Units, including, without limitation, making preferential distributions to Holders of certain classes of Partnership Units.

Section 5.6 *Restricted Distributions*. Notwithstanding any provision to the contrary contained in this Agreement, neither the Partnership nor the General Partner, on behalf of the Partnership, shall make a distribution to any Holder if such distribution would violate the Act or other applicable law.

ARTICLE 6 ALLOCATIONS

Section 6.1 *Timing and Amount of Allocations of Net Income and Net Loss*. Net Income and Net Loss of the Partnership shall be determined and allocated with respect to each Partnership Year as of the end of each such year, provided that the General Partner may in its discretion allocate Net Income and Net Loss for a shorter period as of the end of such period (and, for purposes of this Article 6, references to the term "Partnership Year" may include such shorter periods). Except as otherwise provided in this Article 6, and subject to Section 11.6.C hereof, an allocation to a Holder of a share of Net Income or Net Loss shall be treated as an allocation of the same share of each item of income, gain, loss or deduction that is taken into account in computing Net Income or Net Loss.

Section 6.2 *General Allocations*. Except as otherwise provided in this Article 6 and Section 11.6.C hereof, Net Income and Net Loss for any Partnership Year shall be allocated to each of the Holders as follows:

A. Net Income.

(i) First, 100% to the General Partner in an amount equal to the remainder, if any, of the cumulative Net Losses allocated to the General Partner pursuant to clause (iii) in Section 6.2.B for all prior Partnership Years minus the cumulative Net Income allocated to the General Partner pursuant to this clause (i) for all prior Partnership Years;

(ii) Second, 100% to each Holder in an amount equal to the remainder, if any, of the cumulative Net Losses allocated to each such Holder pursuant to clause (ii) in Section 6.2.B for all prior Partnership Years minus the cumulative Net Income allocated to such Holder pursuant to this clause (ii) for all prior Partnership Years; and

(iii) Third, 100% to the Holders of Partnership Common Units in accordance with their respective Percentage Interests in the Partnership Common Units.

To the extent the allocations of Net Income set forth above in any paragraph of this Section 6.2.A are not sufficient to entirely satisfy the allocation set forth in such paragraph, such allocation shall be made in proportion to the total amount that would have been allocated pursuant to such paragraph without regard to such shortfall.

B. Net Losses.

(i) First, 100% to the Holders of Partnership Common Units in accordance with their respective Percentage Interests in the Partnership Common Units (to the extent consistent with this clause (i)) until the Adjusted Capital Account (ignoring for this purpose any amounts a Holder is obligated to contribute to the capital of the Partnership or is deemed obligated to restore pursuant to Regulations Section 1.704-1(b)(2)(ii)(c)(2)) of all such Holders is zero;

(ii) Second, 100% to the Holders (other than the General Partner) to the extent of, and in proportion to, the positive balance (if any) in their Adjusted Capital Accounts; and

(iii) Third, 100% to the General Partner.

C. Allocations to Reflect Issuance of Additional Partnership Interests. In the event that the Partnership issues additional Partnership Interests to the General Partner or any Additional Limited Partner pursuant to Section 4.2 or 4.3, the General Partner shall make such revisions to this Section 6.2 or to Section 12.2.C or 13.2.A as it determines are necessary to reflect the terms of the issuance of such additional Partnership Interests, including making preferential allocations to certain classes of Partnership Interests, subject to the terms of any Partnership Unit Designation with respect to Partnership Interests then outstanding.

D. Special Allocations with Respect to LTIP Units. In the event that Liquidating Gains are allocated under this Section 6.2.D, Net Income allocable under Section 6.2.A and any Net Losses allocable under Section 6.2.B shall be recomputed without regard to the Liquidating Gains so allocated. After giving effect to the special allocations set forth in Section 6.4.A hereof, and notwithstanding the provisions of Sections 6.2.A and 6.2.B above, any Liquidating Gains shall first be allocated to the Holders of LTIP Units until the Economic Capital Account Balances of such Holders, to the extent attributable to their ownership of LTIP Units, are equal to (i) the Common Unit Economic Balance, multiplied by (ii) the number of their LTIP Units. Any such allocations shall be made among the Holders of LTIP Units in proportion to the amounts required to be allocated to each under this Section 6.2.D. The parties agree that the intent of this Section 6.2.D is to make the Capital Account balances of the Holders of LTIP Units with respect to their LTIP Units economically equivalent to the Capital Account balance of the General Partner with respect to its Partnership Common Units.

Section 6.3 *Additional Allocation Provisions*. Notwithstanding the foregoing provisions of this Article 6:

- A. *Special Allocations Upon Liquidation*. In the event that the Partnership disposes of all or substantially all of its assets in a transaction that will lead to a liquidation of the Partnership pursuant to Article 13 hereof, then: (i) any Liquidating Gains shall first be allocated to each Holder of LTIP Units in accordance with the Holder's Percentage Interest until the Economic Capital Account Balance of such Holder, to the extent attributable to the Holder's ownership of LTIP Units, is equal to (a) the Common Unit Economic Balance, multiplied by (b) the number of such Holder's LTIP Units; and (ii) any Net Income or Net Loss realized in connection with such transaction and thereafter (recomputed without regard to the Liquidating Gains allocated pursuant to clause (i) above) shall be specially allocated for such Partnership Year (and to the extent permitted by Section 761(c) of the Code, for the immediately preceding Partnership Year) among the Holders as required so as to cause liquidating distributions pursuant to Section 13.2.A(4) hereof to be made in the same amounts and proportions as would have resulted had such distributions instead been made pursuant to Article 5 hereof. In addition, if there is an adjustment to the Gross Asset Value of the assets of the Partnership pursuant to paragraph (b) of the definition of Gross Asset Value, allocations of Net Income or Net Loss arising from such adjustment shall be allocated in the same manner as described in the prior sentence.
- B. *Offsetting Allocations*. Notwithstanding the provisions of Sections 6.1, 6.2.A and 6.2.B, but subject to Sections 6.3 and 6.4, in the event Net Income or items thereof are being allocated to a Partner to offset prior Net Loss or items thereof which have been allocated to such Partner (including any allocations of Net Income or items thereof pursuant to Section 6.3.A), the General Partner shall attempt to allocate such offsetting Net Income or items thereof which are of the same or similar character (including without limitation Section 704(b) book items versus tax items) to the original allocations with respect to such Partner.
- C. *CODI Allocations*. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained herein, if any indebtedness of the Partnership encumbering the Properties contributed to the Partnership in connection with the General Partner's initial offering is settled or paid off at a discount, any resulting COD Income of the Partnership shall be specially allocated proportionately (as determined by the General Partner) to those Holders that were partners in entities that contributed, or were deemed to contribute, the applicable Property to the Partnership in connection with such initial offering to the extent the number of Partnership Units received by such Holders in exchange for their interests in such entities was determined, in part, by taking into account the anticipated discounted settlement or pay-off of such indebtedness. For purposes of the foregoing, "COD Income" shall mean income recognized by the Partnership pursuant to Code Section 61(a)(12).

Section 6.4 *Regulatory Allocation Provisions*. Notwithstanding the foregoing provisions of this Article 6:

A. Regulatory Allocations.

(i) *Minimum Gain Chargeback*. Except as otherwise provided in Regulations Section 1.704-2(f), notwithstanding the provisions of Section 6.2 hereof, or any other provision of this Article 6, if there is a net decrease in Partnership Minimum Gain during any Partnership Year, each Holder shall be specially allocated items of Partnership income and gain for such year (and, if necessary, subsequent years) in an amount equal to such Holder's share of the net decrease in Partnership Minimum Gain, as determined under Regulations Section 1.704-2(g). Allocations pursuant to the previous sentence shall be made in proportion to the respective amounts required to be allocated to each Holder pursuant thereto. The items to be allocated shall be determined in accordance with Regulations Sections 1.704-2(f)(6) and 1.704-2(j)(2). This Section 6.4.A(i) is intended to qualify as a "minimum gain chargeback" within the meaning of Regulations Section 1.704-2(f) and shall be interpreted consistently therewith.

(ii) *Partner Minimum Gain Chargeback*. Except as otherwise provided in Regulations Section 1.704-2(i)(4) or in Section 6.4.A(i) hereof, if there is a net decrease in Partner Minimum Gain attributable to a Partner Nonrecourse Debt during any Partnership Year, each Holder who has a share of the Partner Minimum Gain attributable to such Partner Nonrecourse Debt, determined in accordance with Regulations Section 1.704-2(i)(5), shall be specially allocated items of Partnership income and gain for such year (and, if necessary, subsequent years) in an amount equal to such Holder's share of the net decrease in Partner Minimum Gain attributable to such Partner Nonrecourse Debt, determined in accordance with Regulations Section 1.704-2(i)(4). Allocations pursuant to the previous sentence shall be made in proportion to the respective amounts required to be allocated to each Holder pursuant thereto. The items to be so allocated shall be determined in accordance with Regulations Sections 1.704-2(i)(4) and 1.704-2(j)(2). This Section 6.4.A(ii) is intended to qualify as a "chargeback of partner nonrecourse debt minimum gain" within the meaning of Regulations Section 1.704-2(i) and shall be interpreted consistently therewith.

(iii) *Nonrecourse Deductions and Partner Nonrecourse Deductions*. Any Nonrecourse Deductions for any Partnership Year shall be specially allocated to the Holders in accordance with their respective Percentage Interests. Any Partner Nonrecourse Deductions for any Partnership Year shall be specially allocated to the Holder(s) who bears the economic risk of loss with respect to the Partner Nonrecourse Debt to which such Partner Nonrecourse Deductions are attributable, in accordance with Regulations Section 1.704-2(i).

(iv) *Qualified Income Offset*. If any Holder unexpectedly receives an adjustment, allocation or distribution described in Regulations Section 1.704-1(b)(2)(ii)(d) (4), (5) or (6), items of Partnership income and gain shall be specially allocated, in accordance with Regulations Section 1.704-1(b)(2)(ii)(d), to such Holder in an amount and manner sufficient to eliminate, to the extent required by such Regulations, the Adjusted Capital Account Deficit of such Holder as quickly as possible, provided that an allocation pursuant to this Section 6.4.A(iv) shall be made if and only to the extent that such Holder would have an Adjusted Capital Account Deficit after all other allocations

provided in this Article 6 have been tentatively made as if this Section 6.4.A(iv) were not in the Agreement. It is intended that this Section 6.4.A(iv) qualify and be construed as a “qualified income offset” within the meaning of Regulations Section 1.704-1(b)(2)(ii)(d) and shall be interpreted consistently therewith.

(v) *Gross Income Allocation.* In the event that any Holder has a deficit Capital Account at the end of any Partnership Year that is in excess of the sum of (1) the amount (if any) that such Holder is obligated to restore to the Partnership upon complete liquidation of such Holder’s Partnership Interest (including, the Holder’s interest in outstanding Partnership Preferred Units and other Partnership Units) and (2) the amount that such Holder is deemed to be obligated to restore pursuant to Regulations Section 1.704-1(b)(2)(ii)(c) or the penultimate sentences of Regulations Sections 1.704-2(g)(1) and 1.704-2(i)(5), each such Holder shall be specially allocated items of Partnership income and gain in the amount of such excess to eliminate such deficit as quickly as possible, provided that an allocation pursuant to this Section 6.4.A(v) shall be made if and only to the extent that such Holder would have a deficit Capital Account in excess of such sum after all other allocations provided in this Article 6 have been tentatively made as if this Section 6.4.A(v) and Section 6.4.A(iv) hereof were not in the Agreement.

(vi) *Limitation on Allocation of Net Loss.* To the extent that any allocation of Net Loss would cause or increase an Adjusted Capital Account Deficit as to any Holder, such allocation of Net Loss shall be reallocated (x) first, among the other Holders of Partnership Common Units in accordance with their respective Percentage Interests with respect to Partnership Common Units and (y) thereafter, among the Holders of other classes of Partnership Units as determined by the General Partner, subject to the limitations of this Section 6.4.A(vi).

(vii) *Section 754 Adjustment.* To the extent that an adjustment to the adjusted tax basis of any Partnership asset pursuant to Code Section 734(b) or Code Section 743(b) is required, pursuant to Regulations Section 1.704-1(b)(2)(iv)(m)(2) or Regulations Section 1.704-1(b)(2)(iv)(m)(4), to be taken into account in determining Capital Accounts as the result of a distribution to a Holder in complete liquidation of its interest in the Partnership, the amount of such adjustment to the Capital Accounts shall be treated as an item of gain (if the adjustment increases the basis of the asset) or loss (if the adjustment decreases such basis), and such gain or loss shall be specially allocated to the Holders in accordance with their respective Percentage Interests in the event that Regulations Section 1.704-1(b)(2)(iv)(m)(2) applies, or to the Holder(s) to whom such distribution was made in the event that Regulations Section 1.704-1(b)(2)(iv)(m)(4) applies.

(viii) *Curative Allocations.* The allocations set forth in Sections 6.4.A(i), (ii), (iii), (iv), (v), (vi) and (vii) hereof (the “*Regulatory Allocations*”) are intended to comply with certain regulatory requirements, including the requirements of Regulations Sections 1.704-1(b) and 1.704-2. Notwithstanding the provisions of Sections 6.1 and 6.2 hereof, the Regulatory Allocations shall be taken into account in allocating other items of income, gain, loss and deduction among the Holders so that to the extent possible without

violating the requirements giving rise to the Regulatory Allocations, the net amount of such allocations of other items and the Regulatory Allocations to each Holder shall be equal to the net amount that would have been allocated to each such Holder if the Regulatory Allocations had not occurred.

(ix) *Forfeiture Allocations*. Upon a forfeiture of any Unvested LTIP Units by any Partner, gross items of income, gain, loss or deduction shall be allocated to such Partner if and to the extent required by final Regulations promulgated after the Effective Date to ensure that allocations made with respect to all unvested Partnership Interests are recognized under Code Section 704(b).

(x) *LTIP Units*. For purposes of the allocations set forth in this Section 6.4.A, each issued and outstanding LTIP Unit will be treated as one outstanding Partnership Common Unit.

B. *Allocation of Excess Nonrecourse Liabilities*. For purposes of determining a Holder's proportional share of the "excess nonrecourse liabilities" of the Partnership within the meaning of Regulations Section 1.752-3(a)(3), each Holder's respective interest in Partnership profits shall be equal to such Holder's Percentage Interest with respect to Partnership Common Units, except as otherwise determined by the General Partner.

Section 6.5 *Tax Allocations*.

A. *In General*. Except as otherwise provided in this Section 6.5, for income tax purposes under the Code and the Regulations, each Partnership item of income, gain, loss and deduction (collectively, "*Tax Items*") shall be allocated among the Holders in the same manner as its correlative item of "book" income, gain, loss or deduction is allocated pursuant to Sections 6.2 and 6.3 hereof.

B. *Section 704(c) Allocations*. Notwithstanding Section 6.5.A hereof, Tax Items with respect to Property that is contributed to the Partnership with an initial Gross Asset Value that varies from its basis in the hands of the contributing Partner immediately preceding the date of contribution shall be allocated among the Holders for income tax purposes pursuant to Regulations promulgated under Code Section 704(c) so as to take into account such variation. With respect to Partnership Property that is contributed to the Partnership in connection with the General Partner's initial offering, such variation between basis and initial Gross Asset Value shall be taken into account under the "traditional method" as described in Regulations Section 1.704-3(b). With respect to other Properties, the Partnership shall account for such variation under any method approved under Code Section 704(c) and the applicable Regulations as chosen by the General Partner. In the event that the Gross Asset Value of any Partnership asset is adjusted pursuant to subsection (b) of the definition of "Gross Asset Value" (provided in Article 1 hereof), subsequent allocations of Tax Items with respect to such asset shall take account of the variation, if any, between the adjusted basis of such asset and its Gross Asset Value in the same manner as under Code

Section 704(c) and the applicable Regulations and using the method chosen by the General Partner; provided, however, that the “traditional method” as described in Regulations Section 1.704-3(b) shall be used with respect to Partnership Property that is contributed to the Partnership in connection with the General Partner’s initial offering. Allocations pursuant to this Section 6.5.B are solely for purposes of Federal, state and local income taxes and shall not affect, or in any way be taken into account in computing, any Partner’s Capital Account or share of Net Income, Net Loss, or any other items or distributions pursuant to any provision of this Agreement.

**ARTICLE 7
MANAGEMENT AND OPERATIONS OF BUSINESS**

Section 7.1 *Management.*

- A. Except as otherwise expressly provided in this Agreement, including any Partnership Unit Designation, all management powers over the business and affairs of the Partnership are and shall be exclusively vested in the General Partner, and no Limited Partner shall have any right to participate in or exercise control or management power over the business and affairs of the Partnership. No General Partner may be removed by the Partners, with or without cause, except with the Consent of the General Partner. In addition to the powers now or hereafter granted a general partner of a limited partnership under applicable law or that are granted to the General Partner under any other provision of this Agreement, the General Partner, subject to the other provisions hereof including, without limitation, Section 3.2 and Section 7.3, and the rights of any Holder of any Partnership Interest set forth in a Partnership Unit Designation, shall have full and exclusive power and authority, without the consent or approval of any Limited Partner, to do or authorize all things deemed necessary or desirable by it to conduct the business and affairs of the Partnership, to exercise or direct the exercise of all of the powers of the Partnership and a general partner under the Act and this Agreement and to effectuate the purposes of the Partnership including, without limitation:
- (1) the making of any expenditures, the lending or borrowing of money or selling of assets (including, without limitation, making prepayments on loans and borrowing money to permit the Partnership to make distributions to the Holders in such amounts as will permit the General Partner to prevent the imposition of any federal income tax on the General Partner (including, for this purpose, any excise tax pursuant to Code Section 4981), to make distributions to its stockholders and payments to any taxing authority sufficient to permit the General Partner to maintain REIT status or otherwise to satisfy the REIT Requirements), the assumption or guarantee of, or other contracting for, indebtedness and other liabilities, the issuance of evidences of indebtedness (including the securing of same by deed to secure debt, mortgage, deed of trust or other lien or encumbrance on the Partnership’s assets) and the incurring of any obligations to conduct the activities of the Partnership;

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- (2) the making of tax, regulatory and other filings, or rendering of periodic or other reports to governmental or other agencies having jurisdiction over the business or assets of the Partnership;
 - (3) the taking of any and all acts to ensure that the Partnership will not be classified as a “publicly traded partnership” under Code Section 7704;
 - (4) subject to Section 11.2 hereof, the acquisition, sale, transfer, exchange or other disposition of any, all or substantially all of the assets (including the goodwill) of the Partnership (including, but not limited to, the exercise or grant of any conversion, option, privilege or subscription right or any other right available in connection with any assets at any time held by the Partnership) or the merger, consolidation, reorganization or other combination of the Partnership with or into another entity;
 - (5) the mortgage, pledge, encumbrance or hypothecation of any assets of the Partnership, the assignment of any assets of the Partnership in trust for creditors or on the promise of the assignee to pay the debts of the Partnership, the use of the assets of the Partnership (including, without limitation, cash on hand) for any purpose consistent with the terms of this Agreement and on any terms that the General Partner sees fit, including, without limitation, the financing of the operations and activities of the General Partner, the Partnership or any of the Partnership’s Subsidiaries, the lending of funds to other Persons (including, without limitation, the General Partner and/or the Partnership’s Subsidiaries) and the repayment of obligations of the Partnership, its Subsidiaries and any other Person in which the Partnership has an equity investment, and the making of capital contributions to and equity investments in the Partnership’s Subsidiaries;
 - (6) the management, operation, leasing, landscaping, repair, alteration, demolition, replacement or improvement of any Property;
 - (7) the negotiation, execution and performance of any contracts, including leases (including ground leases), easements, management agreements, rights of way and other property-related agreements, conveyances or other instruments to conduct the Partnership’s operations or implement the General Partner’s powers under this Agreement, including contracting with contractors, developers, consultants, governmental authorities, accountants, legal counsel, other professional advisors and other agents and the payment of their expenses and compensation, as applicable, out of the Partnership’s assets;
 - (8) the distribution of Partnership cash or other Partnership assets in accordance with this Agreement, the holding, management, investment and reinvestment of cash and other assets of the Partnership, and the collection and receipt of revenues, rents and income of the Partnership;

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- (9) the selection and dismissal of employees of the Partnership (if any) (including, without limitation, employees having titles or offices such as “president,” “vice president,” “secretary” and “treasurer”), and agents, outside attorneys, accountants, consultants and contractors of the Partnership and the determination of their compensation and other terms of employment or hiring;
 - (10) the maintenance of such insurance (including, without limitation, directors and officers insurance) for the benefit of the Partnership and the Partners (including, without limitation, the General Partner);
 - (11) the formation of, or acquisition of an interest in, and the contribution of property to, any further limited or general partnerships, limited liability companies, joint ventures or other relationships that it deems desirable (including, without limitation, the acquisition of interests in, and the contributions of property to, any Subsidiary and any other Person in which the General Partner has an equity investment from time to time);
 - (12) the control of any matters affecting the rights and obligations of the Partnership, including the settlement, compromise, submission to arbitration or any other form of dispute resolution, or abandonment, of any claim, cause of action, liability, debt or damages, due or owing to or from the Partnership, the commencement or defense of suits, legal proceedings, administrative proceedings, arbitrations or other forms of dispute resolution, and the representation of the Partnership in all suits or legal proceedings, administrative proceedings, arbitrations or other forms of dispute resolution, the incurring of legal expense, and the indemnification of any Person against liabilities and contingencies to the extent permitted by law;
 - (13) the undertaking of any action in connection with the Partnership’s direct or indirect investment in any Subsidiary or any other Person (including, without limitation, the contribution or loan of funds by the Partnership to such Persons);
 - (14) the determination of the fair market value of any Partnership property distributed in kind using such reasonable method of valuation as the General Partner may adopt; *provided, however*, that such methods are otherwise consistent with the requirements of this Agreement;
 - (15) the enforcement of any rights against any Partner pursuant to representations, warranties, covenants and indemnities relating to such Partner’s contribution of property or assets to the Partnership;

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- (16) the exercise, directly or indirectly, through any attorney-in-fact acting under a general or limited power of attorney, of any right, including the right to vote, appurtenant to any asset or investment held by the Partnership;
 - (17) the exercise of any of the powers of the General Partner enumerated in this Agreement on behalf of or in connection with any Subsidiary of the Partnership or any other Person in which the Partnership has a direct or indirect interest, or jointly with any such Subsidiary or other Person;
 - (18) the exercise of any of the powers of the General Partner enumerated in this Agreement on behalf of any Person in which the Partnership does not have an interest, pursuant to contractual or other arrangements with such Person;
 - (19) the making, execution and delivery of any and all deeds, leases, notes, deeds to secure debt, mortgages, deeds of trust, security agreements, conveyances, contracts, guarantees, warranties, indemnities, waivers, releases, confessions of judgment or any other legal instruments or agreements in writing;
 - (20) the issuance of additional Partnership Units in connection with Capital Contributions by Additional Limited Partners and additional Capital Contributions by Partners pursuant to Article 4 hereof;
 - (21) an election to dissolve the Partnership pursuant to Section 13.1.B hereof;
 - (22) the distribution of cash to acquire Partnership Common Units held by a Limited Partner in connection with a Redemption under Section 15.1 hereof;
 - (23) an election to acquire Tendered Units in exchange for REIT Shares;
 - (24) the maintenance of the Register from time to time to reflect accurately at all times the Capital Contributions and Percentage Interests of the Partners as the same are adjusted from time to time to reflect redemptions, Capital Contributions, the issuance of Partnership Units, the admission of any Additional Limited Partner or any Substituted Limited Partner or otherwise, which shall not be deemed an amendment to this Agreement, as long as the matter or event being reflected in the Register otherwise is authorized by this Agreement; and
 - (25) the registration of any class of securities of the Partnership under the Securities Act or the Exchange Act, and the listing of any debt securities of the Partnership on any exchange.
- B. Each of the Limited Partners agrees that, except as provided in Section 7.3 hereof and subject to the rights of any Holder of any Partnership Interest set forth in a Partnership Unit Designation, the General Partner is authorized to execute and

deliver any affidavit, agreement, certificate, consent, instrument, notice, power of attorney, waiver or other writing or document in the name and on behalf of the Partnership and to otherwise exercise any power of the General Partner under this Agreement and the Act on behalf of the Partnership without any further act, approval or vote of the Partners or any other Persons, notwithstanding any other provision of the Act or any applicable law, rule or regulation and, in the absence of any specific corporate action on the part of the General Partner to the contrary, the taking of any action or the execution of any such document or writing by an officer of the General Partner, in the name and on behalf of the General Partner, in its capacity as the general partner of the Partnership, shall conclusively evidence (1) the approval thereof by the General Partner, in its capacity as the general partner of the Partnership, (2) the General Partner's determination that such action, document or writing is necessary, advisable, appropriate, desirable or prudent to conduct the business and affairs of the Partnership, exercise the powers of the Partnership under this Agreement and the Act or effectuate the purposes of the Partnership, or any other determination by the General Partner required by this Agreement in connection with the taking of such action or execution of such document or writing, and (3) the authority of such officer with respect thereto.

- C. At all times from and after the date hereof, the General Partner may cause the Partnership to obtain and maintain (i) casualty, liability and other insurance on the Properties and (ii) liability insurance for the Indemnitees hereunder.
- D. At all times from and after the date hereof, the General Partner may cause the Partnership to establish and maintain working capital and other reserves in such amounts as the General Partner, in its sole and absolute discretion, determines from time to time.
- E. The determination as to any of the following matters, made by or at the direction of the General Partner consistent with this Agreement and the Act, shall be final and conclusive and shall be binding upon the Partnership and every Limited Partner: the amount of assets at any time available for distribution or the redemption of Partnership Common Units; the amount and timing of any distribution; any determination to redeem Tendered Units; the amount, purpose, time of creation, increase or decrease, alteration or cancellation of any reserves or charges and the propriety thereof (whether or not any obligation or liability for which such reserves or charges shall have been created shall have been paid or discharged); the amount of any Partner's Capital Account, Adjusted Capital Account or Adjusted Capital Account Deficit; the amount of Net Income, Net Loss or Depreciation for any period; any special allocations of Net Income or Net Loss pursuant to Sections 6.2.C, 6.2.D, 6.3, 6.4, 6.5 or 16.5; the Gross Asset Value of any Partnership asset; the Value of any REIT Share; the timing and amount of any adjustment to the Adjustment Factor; any adjustment to the number of outstanding LTIP Units pursuant to Section 16.3; the timing, number and redemption or repurchase price of the redemption or repurchase of any Partnership Units pursuant to Section 4.7.B; any interpretation of the terms, preferences, conversion or other rights, voting powers or rights, restrictions,

limitations as to dividends or distributions, qualifications or terms or conditions of redemption of any class or series of Partnership Interest; the fair value, or any sale, bid or asked price to be applied in determining the fair value, of any asset owned or held by the Partnership or of any Partnership Interest; the number of authorized or outstanding Units of any class or series; any matter relating to the acquisition, holding and disposition of any assets by the Partnership; or any other matter relating to the business and affairs of the Partnership or required or permitted by applicable law, this Agreement or otherwise to be determined by the General Partner.

Section 7.2 *Certificate of Limited Partnership*. The General Partner may file amendments to and restatements of the Certificate and do all the things to maintain the Partnership as a limited partnership (or a partnership in which the limited partners have limited liability) under the laws of the State of Maryland and each other state, the District of Columbia or any other jurisdiction, in which the Partnership may elect to do business or own property. Subject to the terms of Section 8.5.A hereof, the General Partner shall not be required, before or after filing, to deliver or mail a copy of the Certificate or any amendment thereto to any Limited Partner. The General Partner shall use all reasonable efforts to cause to be filed such other certificates or documents for the formation, continuation, qualification and operation of a limited partnership (or a partnership in which the limited partners have limited liability to the extent provided by applicable law) in the State of Maryland and any other state, or the District of Columbia or other jurisdiction, in which the Partnership may elect to do business or own property.

Section 7.3 *Restrictions on General Partner's Authority*.

- A. The General Partner may not take any action in contravention of an express prohibition or limitation of this Agreement without the Consent of the Limited Partners, and may not, without limitation:
- (1) take any action that would make it impossible to carry on the ordinary business of the Partnership, except as otherwise provided in this Agreement;
 - (2) perform any act that would subject a Limited Partner to liability as a general partner in any jurisdiction or any other liability except as provided herein or under the Act; or
 - (3) enter into any contract, mortgage, loan or other agreement that expressly prohibits or restricts (a) the General Partner or the Partnership from performing its specific obligations under Section 15.1 hereof in full or (b) a Limited Partner from exercising its rights under Section 15.1 hereof to effect a Redemption in full, except, in either case, (x) with the Consent of each Limited Partner affected by the prohibition or restriction or (y) in connection with or as a result of a Termination Transaction that, in accordance with Section 11.2.B(i) and/or (ii), does not require the Consent of the Limited Partners.

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- B. Except as provided in Section 7.3.C hereof, the General Partner shall not, without the prior Consent of the Partners, amend, modify or terminate this Agreement.
- C. Notwithstanding Section 7.3.B and 14.2 hereof but subject to the rights of any Holder of any Partnership Interest set forth in a Partnership Unit Designation, the General Partner shall have the power, without the Consent of the Partners or the consent or approval of any Limited Partner or any other Person, to amend this Agreement as may be required to facilitate or implement any of the following purposes:
- (1) to add to the obligations of the General Partner or surrender any right or power granted to the General Partner or any Affiliate of the General Partner for the benefit of the Limited Partners;
 - (2) to reflect the admission, substitution or withdrawal of Partners, the Transfer of any Partnership Interest, the termination of the Partnership in accordance with this Agreement, or the adjustment of outstanding LTIP Units as contemplated by Section 16.3, and to update the Register in connection with such admission, substitution, withdrawal, Transfer or adjustment;
 - (3) to reflect a change that is of an inconsequential nature or does not adversely affect the Limited Partners in any material respect, or to cure any ambiguity, correct or supplement any provision in this Agreement not inconsistent with law or with other provisions, or make other changes with respect to matters arising under this Agreement that will not be inconsistent with law or with the provisions of this Agreement;
 - (4) to set forth or amend the designations, preferences, conversion and other rights, voting powers, restrictions, limitations as to distributions, qualifications and terms and conditions of redemption of the Holders of any additional Partnership Interests issued pursuant to Article 4 (including any changes contemplated by Section 5.5 above);
 - (5) to satisfy any requirements, conditions or guidelines contained in any order, directive, opinion, ruling or regulation of a Federal or state agency or contained in Federal or state law;
 - (6) (a) to reflect such changes as are reasonably necessary for the General Partner to maintain its status as a REIT or to satisfy the REIT Requirements, or (b) to reflect the Transfer of all or any part of a Partnership Interest among the General Partner and any Disregarded Entity with respect to the General Partner;
 - (7) to modify either or both of the manner in which items of Net Income or Net Loss are allocated pursuant to Article VI or the manner in which Capital Accounts are adjusted, computed, or maintained (but in each case only to the extent otherwise provided in this Agreement and as may be permitted under applicable law);

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- (8) to reflect the issuance of additional Partnership Interests in accordance with Section 4.2;
 - (9) as contemplated by the last sentence of Section 4.4;
 - (10) to reflect any other modification to this Agreement as is reasonably necessary for the business or operations of the Partnership or the General Partner and which does not violate Section 7.3.D; and
 - (11) to effect or facilitate a Termination Transaction that, in accordance with Section 11.2.B(i) and/or (ii), does not require the Consent of the Limited Partners and, if the Partnership is the Surviving Partnership in any Termination Transaction, to modify Section 15.1 or any related definitions to provide that the holders of interests in such Surviving Partnership have rights that are consistent with Section 11.2B(ii).
- D. Notwithstanding Sections 7.3.B, 7.3.C (other than as set forth below in this Section 7.3.D) and 14.2 hereof, this Agreement shall not be amended, and no action may be taken by the General Partner, without the Consent of each Partner adversely affected thereby, if such amendment or action would (i) convert a Limited Partner Interest in the Partnership into a General Partner Interest (except as a result of the General Partner acquiring such Partnership Interest), (ii) adversely modify in any material respect the limited liability of a Limited Partner, (iii) alter the rights of any Partner to receive the distributions to which such Partner is entitled pursuant to Article 5 or Section 13.2.A(4) hereof, or alter the allocations specified in Article 6 hereof (except, in any case, as permitted pursuant to Sections 4.2, 5.5, 7.3.C (including clause (11) thereof) and Article 6 hereof), (iv) alter or modify the Redemption rights, Cash Amount or REIT Shares Amount as set forth in Section 15.1 hereof, or amend or modify any related definitions (except, in any case, as permitted pursuant to clause (11) of Section 7.3.C hereof), (v) alter or modify Section 11.2 hereof (except as permitted pursuant to clause (11) of Section 7.3.C hereof), (vi) subject to Section 7.8.I, remove the powers and restrictions related to REIT Requirements or permitting the General Partner to avoid paying tax under Code Sections 857 or 4981 contained in Sections 7.1 and 7.3, or (vii) amend this Section 7.3.D (except as permitted pursuant to clause (11) of Section 7.3.C hereof). Further, no amendment may alter the restrictions on the General Partner's authority set forth elsewhere in this Section 7.3 without the Consent specified therein. Any such amendment or action consented to by any Partner shall be effective as to that Partner, notwithstanding the absence of such consent by any other Partner.

Section 7.4 *Reimbursement of the General Partner.*

- A. The General Partner shall not be compensated for its services as General Partner of the Partnership except as provided in this Agreement (including the provisions of Articles 5 and 6 hereof regarding distributions, payments and allocations to which the General Partner may be entitled in its capacity as the General Partner).
- B. Subject to Sections 7.4.D and 15.12 hereof, the Partnership shall be responsible for and shall pay all expenses relating to the Partnership's and the General Partner's organization and the ownership of each of their assets and operations. The General Partner is hereby authorized to pay compensation for accounting, administrative, legal, technical, management and other services rendered to the Partnership. The Partnership shall be liable for, and shall reimburse the General Partner, on a monthly basis, or such other basis as the General Partner may determine in its sole and absolute discretion, for all sums expended in connection with the Partnership's business, including, without limitation, (i) expenses relating to the ownership of interests in and management and operation of, or for the benefit of, the Partnership, (ii) compensation of officers and employees, including, without limitation, payments under future compensation plans, of the General Partner, or the Partnership that may provide for stock units, or phantom stock, pursuant to which employees of the General Partner, or the Partnership will receive payments based upon dividends on or the value of REIT Shares, (iii) director fees and expenses of the General Partner or its Affiliates, (iv) any expenses (other than the purchase price) incurred by the General Partner in connection with the redemption or other repurchase of its Capital Shares, (v) all costs and expenses of the General Partner in connection with the preparation of reports and other distributions to its stockholders and any regulatory or governmental authorities or agencies and, as applicable, all costs and expenses of the General Partner as a reporting company (including, without limitation, costs of filings with the SEC), (vi) all costs and expenses of the General Partner in connection with its operation as a REIT, and (vii) all costs and expenses of the General Partner in connection with the offering, sale, syndication, private placement or public offering of stock, bonds, securities or other interests and financing or refinancing of any type related to the Partnership or its assets or activities; *provided, however*, that the amount of any reimbursement shall be reduced by any interest earned by the General Partner with respect to bank accounts or other instruments or accounts held by it on behalf of the Partnership as permitted pursuant to Section 7.5 hereof. The Partners acknowledge that all such expenses of the General Partner are deemed to be for the benefit of the Partnership. Such reimbursements shall be in addition to any reimbursement of the General Partner as a result of indemnification pursuant to Section 7.7 hereof.
- C. If the General Partner shall elect to purchase from its stockholders Capital Shares for the purpose of delivering such Capital Shares to satisfy an obligation under any dividend reinvestment program adopted by the General Partner, any employee stock purchase plan adopted by the General Partner or any similar obligation or arrangement undertaken by the General Partner in the future, in lieu

of the treatment specified in Section 4.7.B., the purchase price paid by the General Partner for such Capital Shares shall be considered expenses of the Partnership and shall be advanced to the General Partner or reimbursed to the General Partner, subject to the condition that: (1) if such REIT Shares subsequently are sold by the General Partner, the General Partner shall pay or cause to be paid to the Partnership any proceeds received by the General Partner for such REIT Shares (which sales proceeds shall include the amount of dividends reinvested under any dividend reinvestment or similar program; provided, that a transfer of REIT Shares for Partnership Units pursuant to Section 15.1 would not be considered a sale for such purposes); and (2) if such REIT Shares are not retransferred by the General Partner within 30 days after the purchase thereof, or the General Partner otherwise determines not to retransfer such REIT Shares, the General Partner shall cause the Partnership to redeem a number of Partnership Units determined in accordance with Section 4.7.B, as adjusted, (x) pursuant to Section 7.5 (in the event the General Partner acquires material assets, other than on behalf of the Partnership) and (y) for stock dividends and distributions, stock splits and subdivisions, reverse stock splits and combinations, distributions of rights, warrants or options, and distributions of evidences of indebtedness or assets relating to assets not received by the General Partner pursuant to a pro rata distribution by the Partnership (in which case such advancement or reimbursement of expenses shall be treated as having been made as a distribution in redemption of such number of Partnership Units held by the General Partner).

- D. To the extent practicable, Partnership expenses shall be billed directly to and paid by the Partnership and, subject to Section 15.12 hereof, if and to the extent any reimbursements to the General Partner or any of its Affiliates by the Partnership pursuant to this Section 7.4 constitute gross income to such Person (as opposed to the repayment of advances made by such Person on behalf of the Partnership), such amounts shall be treated as “guaranteed payments” within the meaning of Code Section 707(c) and shall not be treated as distributions for purposes of computing the Partners’ Capital Accounts.

Section 7.5 *Outside Activities of the General Partner.* The General Partner shall not directly or indirectly enter into or conduct any business, other than in connection with, (a) the ownership, acquisition and disposition of Partnership Interests, (b) the management of the business and affairs of the Partnership, (c) the operation of the General Partner as a reporting company with a class (or classes) of securities registered under the Exchange Act, (d) its operations as a REIT, (e) the offering, sale, syndication, private placement or public offering of stock, bonds, securities or other interests, (f) financing or refinancing of any type related to the Partnership or its assets or activities, and (g) such activities as are incidental thereto; *provided, however,* that, except as otherwise provided herein, any funds raised by the General Partner pursuant to the preceding clauses (e) and (f) shall be made available to the Partnership, whether as Capital Contributions, loans or otherwise, as appropriate, and, *provided, further* that the General Partner may, in its sole and absolute discretion, from time to time hold or acquire assets in its own name or otherwise other than through the Partnership so long as the General Partner takes commercially reasonable measures to ensure that the economic benefits and burdens of such Property are otherwise vested in the Partnership, through assignment, mortgage loan or

otherwise or, if it is not commercially reasonable to vest such economic interests in the Partnership, the Partners shall negotiate in good faith to amend this Agreement, including, without limitation, the definition of "Adjustment Factor," to reflect such activities and the direct ownership of assets by the General Partner. Nothing contained herein shall be deemed to prohibit the General Partner from executing guarantees of Partnership debt. The General Partner and all Disregarded Entities with respect to the General Partner, taken as a group, shall not own any assets or take title to assets (other than temporarily in connection with an acquisition prior to contributing such assets to the Partnership) other than (i) interests in Disregarded Entities with respect to the General Partner, (ii) Partnership Interests as the General Partner, (iii) a minority interest in any Subsidiary of the Partnership that the General Partner holds to maintain such Subsidiary's status as a partnership for Federal income tax purposes or otherwise, and (iv) such cash and cash equivalents, bank accounts or similar instruments or accounts as such group deems reasonably necessary, taking into account Section 7.1.D hereof and the requirements necessary for the General Partner to qualify as a REIT and for the General Partner to carry out its responsibilities contemplated under this Agreement and the Charter. Any Partnership Interests acquired by the General Partner, whether pursuant to the exercise by a Limited Partner of its right to Redemption, or otherwise, shall be automatically converted into a General Partner Interest comprised of an identical number of Partnership Units with the same terms as the class or series so acquired. Any Affiliates of the General Partner may acquire Limited Partner Interests and shall, except as expressly provided in this Agreement, be entitled to exercise all rights of a Limited Partner relating to such Limited Partner Interests.

Section 7.6 Transactions with Affiliates.

- A. The Partnership may lend or contribute funds to, and borrow funds from, Persons in which the Partnership has an equity investment, and such Persons may borrow funds from, and lend or contribute funds to, the Partnership, on terms and conditions established in the sole and absolute discretion of the General Partner. The foregoing authority shall not create any right or benefit in favor of any Person.
- B. Except as provided in Section 7.5 hereof, the Partnership may transfer assets to joint ventures, limited liability companies, partnerships, corporations, business trusts or other business entities in which it is or thereby becomes a participant upon such terms and subject to such conditions consistent with this Agreement and applicable law.
- C. The General Partner and its Affiliates may sell, transfer or convey any property to, or purchase any property from, the Partnership, directly or indirectly, on terms and conditions established by the General Partner in its sole and absolute discretion.
- D. The General Partner, in its sole and absolute discretion and without the approval of the Partners or any of them or any other Persons, may propose and adopt (on behalf of the Partnership) employee benefit plans (including without limitation plans that contemplate the issuance of LTIP Units) funded by the Partnership for the benefit of employees of the General Partner, the Partnership, Subsidiaries of the Partnership or any Affiliate of any of them in respect of services performed, directly or indirectly, for the benefit of the General Partner, the Partnership or any of the Partnership's Subsidiaries.

Section 7.7 *Indemnification.*

- A. To the fullest extent permitted by applicable law, the Partnership shall indemnify each Indemnitee from and against any and all losses, claims, damages, liabilities, joint or several, expenses (including, without limitation, attorneys' fees and other legal fees and expenses), judgments, fines, settlements and other amounts arising from any and all claims, demands, actions, suits or proceedings, civil, criminal, administrative or investigative, that relate to the operations of the Partnership ("*Actions*") as set forth in this Agreement in which such Indemnitee may be involved, or is threatened to be involved, as a party or otherwise; *provided, however*, that the Partnership shall not indemnify an Indemnitee (i) if the act or omission of the Indemnitee was material to the matter giving rise to the Action and either was committed in bad faith or was the result of active and deliberate dishonesty; (ii) in the case of any criminal proceeding, if the Indemnitee had reasonable cause to believe that the act or omission was unlawful; or (iii) for any transaction for which such Indemnitee actually received an improper personal benefit in violation or breach of any provision of this Agreement; and *provided, further*, that no payments pursuant to this Agreement shall be made by the Partnership to indemnify or advance funds to any Indemnitee (x) with respect to any Action initiated or brought voluntarily by such Indemnitee (and not by way of defense) unless (I) approved or authorized by the General Partner or (II) incurred to establish or enforce such Indemnitee's right to indemnification under this Agreement, and (y) in connection with one or more Actions or claims brought by the Partnership or involving such Indemnitee if such Indemnitee is found liable to the Partnership on any portion of any claim in any such Action.
- B. Without limitation, the foregoing indemnity shall extend to any liability of any Indemnitee, pursuant to a loan guaranty or otherwise, for any indebtedness of the Partnership or any Subsidiary of the Partnership (including, without limitation, any indebtedness which the Partnership or any Subsidiary of the Partnership has assumed or taken subject to), and the General Partner is hereby authorized and empowered, on behalf of the Partnership, to enter into one or more indemnity agreements consistent with the provisions of this Section 7.7 in favor of any Indemnitee having or potentially having liability for any such indebtedness. It is the intention of this Section 7.7.A that the Partnership indemnify each Indemnitee to the fullest extent permitted by law and this Agreement. The termination of any proceeding by judgment, order or settlement does not create a presumption that the Indemnitee did not meet the requisite standard of conduct set forth in this Section 7.7.A. The termination of any proceeding by conviction of an Indemnitee or upon a plea of *nolo contendere* or its equivalent by an Indemnitee, or an entry of an order of probation against an Indemnitee prior to judgment, does not create a presumption that such Indemnitee acted in a manner contrary to that specified in this Section 7.7.A with respect to the subject matter of such proceeding. Any indemnification pursuant to this Section 7.7 shall be made only out of the assets of the Partnership, and neither the General Partner nor any other Holder shall have any obligation to contribute to the capital of the Partnership or otherwise provide funds to enable the Partnership to fund its obligations under this Section 7.7.

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- C. To the fullest extent permitted by law, expenses incurred by an Indemnitee who is a party to a proceeding or otherwise subject to or the focus of or is involved in any Action shall be paid or reimbursed by the Partnership as incurred by the Indemnitee in advance of the final disposition of the Action upon receipt by the Partnership of (i) a written affirmation by the Indemnitee of the Indemnitee's good faith belief that the standard of conduct necessary for indemnification by the Partnership as authorized in Section 7.7.A has been met, and (ii) a written undertaking by or on behalf of the Indemnitee to repay the amount if it shall ultimately be determined that the standard of conduct has not been met.
- D. The indemnification provided by this Section 7.7 shall be in addition to any other rights to which an Indemnitee or any other Person may be entitled under any agreement, pursuant to any vote of the Partners, as a matter of law or otherwise, and shall continue as to an Indemnitee who has ceased to serve in such capacity and shall inure to the benefit of the heirs, successors, assigns and administrators of the Indemnitee unless otherwise provided in a written agreement with such Indemnitee or in the writing pursuant to which such Indemnitee is indemnified.
- E. The Partnership may, but shall not be obligated to, purchase and maintain insurance, on behalf of any of the Indemnitees and such other Persons as the General Partner shall determine, against any liability that may be asserted against or expenses that may be incurred by such Person in connection with the Partnership's activities, regardless of whether the Partnership would have the power to indemnify such Person against such liability under the provisions of this Agreement.
- F. Any liabilities which an Indemnitee incurs as a result of acting on behalf of the Partnership or the General Partner (whether as a fiduciary or otherwise) in connection with the operation, administration or maintenance of an employee benefit plan or any related trust or funding mechanism (whether such liabilities are in the form of excise taxes assessed by the IRS, penalties assessed by the U.S. Department of Labor, restitutions to such a plan or trust or other funding mechanism or to a participant or beneficiary of such plan, trust or other funding mechanism, or otherwise) shall be treated as liabilities or judgments or fines under this Section 7.7, unless such liabilities arise as a result of (i) an act or omission of such Indemnitee that was material to the matter giving rise to the Action and either was committed in bad faith or was the result of active and deliberate dishonesty; (ii) in the case of any criminal proceeding, an act or omission that such Indemnitee had reasonable cause to believe was unlawful, or (iii) any transaction in which such Indemnitee actually received an improper personal benefit in violation or breach of any provision of this Agreement.

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- G. In no event may an Indemnitee subject any of the Holders to personal liability by reason of the indemnification provisions set forth in this Agreement.
 - H. An Indemnitee shall not be denied indemnification in whole or in part under this Section 7.7 because the Indemnitee had an interest in the transaction with respect to which the indemnification applies if the transaction was otherwise permitted by the terms of this Agreement.
 - I. The provisions of this Section 7.7 are for the benefit of the Indemnitees, their heirs, successors, assigns and administrators and shall not be deemed to create any rights for the benefit of any other Persons. Any amendment, modification or repeal of this Section 7.7 or any provision hereof shall be prospective only and shall not in any way affect the limitations on the Partnership's liability to any Indemnitee under this Section 7.7 as in effect immediately prior to such amendment, modification or repeal with respect to claims arising from or relating to matters occurring, in whole or in part, prior to such amendment, modification or repeal, regardless of when such claims may arise or be asserted.
 - J. Any obligation or liability whatsoever of the General Partner which may arise at any time under this Agreement or any other instrument, transaction, or undertaking contemplated hereby shall be satisfied, if at all, out of the assets of the General Partner or the Partnership only. No such obligation or liability shall be personally binding upon, nor shall resort for the enforcement thereof be had to, any of the General Partner's directors, stockholders, officers, employees, or agents, regardless of whether such obligation or liability is in the nature of contract, tort or otherwise.
 - K. It is the intent of the parties that any amounts paid by the Partnership to the General Partner pursuant to this Section 7.7 shall be treated as "guaranteed payments" within the meaning of Code Section 707(c) and shall not be treated as distributions for purposes of computing the Partners' Capital Accounts.

Section 7.8 *Liability of the General Partner.*

- A. To the maximum extent permitted under the Act, the only duties that the General Partner owes to the Partnership, any Partner or any other Person (including any creditor of any Partner or assignee of any Partnership Interest), fiduciary or otherwise, are to perform its contractual obligations as expressly set forth in this Agreement consistently with the obligation of good faith and fair dealing, and to act with the fiduciary duties of care and loyalty which have been, in accordance with the Act, modified as set forth in this Section 7.8. The General Partner, in its capacity as such, shall have no other duty, fiduciary or otherwise, to the Partnership, any Partner or any other Person (including any creditor of any Partner or any assignee of Partnership Interest). The provisions of this Agreement other than this Section 7.8 shall create contractual obligations of the General Partner only, and no such provision shall be interpreted to expand or modify the fiduciary duties of the General Partner under the Act.

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- B. The Limited Partners agree that (i) the General Partner is acting for the benefit of the Partnership, the Limited Partners and the General Partner's stockholders collectively and (ii) in the event of a conflict between the interests of the Partnership or any Partner, on the one hand, and the separate interests of the General Partner or its stockholders, on the other hand, the General Partner may give priority to the separate interests of the General Partner or the stockholders of the General Partner (including, without limitation, with respect to tax consequences to Limited Partners, Assignees or the General Partner's stockholders), and, in the event of such a conflict, and any action or failure to act on the part of the General Partner that gives priority to the separate interests of the General Partner or its stockholders that does not result in a violation of the contract rights of the Limited Partners under this Agreement does not violate the duty of loyalty or any other duty owed by the General Partner to the Partnership and/or the Partners or violate the obligation of good faith and fair dealing.
- C. Subject to its obligations and duties as General Partner set forth in this Agreement and applicable law, the General Partner may exercise any of the powers granted to it by this Agreement and perform any of the duties imposed upon it hereunder either directly or by or through its employees or agents. The General Partner shall not be responsible to the Partnership or any Partner for any misconduct or negligence on the part of any such employee or agent appointed by it in good faith.
- D. Any obligation or liability whatsoever of the General Partner which may arise at any time under this Agreement or any other instrument, transaction, or undertaking contemplated hereby shall be satisfied, if at all, out of the assets of the General Partner or the Partnership only. No such obligation or liability shall be personally binding upon, nor shall resort for the enforcement thereof be had to, any of the General Partner's directors, stockholders, officers, employees, or agents, regardless of whether such obligation or liability is in the nature of contract, tort or otherwise. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary set forth in this Agreement, none of the directors or officers of the General Partner shall be directly liable or accountable in damages or otherwise to the Partnership, any Partners, or any Assignees for losses sustained, liabilities incurred or benefits not derived as a result of errors in judgment or mistakes of fact or law or of any act or omission or by reason of their service as such. This Agreement is executed by the officers of the General Partner solely as officers of the same and not in their own individual capacities.
- E. Notwithstanding anything herein to the contrary, except for liability for fraud, willful misconduct or gross negligence on the part of the General Partner, or pursuant to any express indemnities given to the Partnership by the General Partner pursuant to any other written instrument, the General Partner shall not have any personal liability whatsoever, to the Partnership or to the other Partners, for any action or omission taken in its capacity as the General Partner or for the debts or liabilities of the Partnership or the Partnership's obligations hereunder, except pursuant to Section 15.1. Without limitation of the foregoing, and except for liability for fraud, willful misconduct or gross negligence, or pursuant to

Section 15.1 or any such express indemnity, no property or assets of the General Partner, other than its interest in the Partnership, shall be subject to levy, execution or other enforcement procedures for the satisfaction of any judgment (or other judicial process) in favor of any other Partner(s) and arising out of, or in connection with, this Agreement.

- F. In exercising its authority under this Agreement, the General Partner may, but shall be under no obligation to, take into account the tax consequences to any Partner of any action taken (or not taken) by it, and any action or failure to act on the part of the General Partner that does not take into account any such tax consequences that does not result in a violation of the contract rights of the Limited Partners under this Agreement does not violate the duty of loyalty or any other duty owed by the General Partner to the Partnership and/or the Partners or violate the obligation of good faith and fair dealing. The General Partner and the Partnership shall not have any liability to any Partner under any circumstances as a result of any income tax liability incurred by such Partner as a result of an action (or inaction) by the General Partner pursuant to its authority under this Agreement.
- G. Whenever in this Agreement the General Partner is permitted or required to make a decision in its “sole and absolute discretion,” “sole discretion” or “discretion” or under a grant of similar authority or latitude, the General Partner shall be entitled to consider only such interests and factors as it desires, including its own interests, and shall have no duty or obligation to give any consideration to any interest or factors affecting the Partnership or the Partners or any of them, and any such decision or determination made by the General Partner that does not consider such interests or factors affecting the Partnership or the Partners, or any of them, that does not result in a violation of the contract rights of the Limited Partners under this Agreement does not violate the duty of loyalty or any other duty owed by the General Partner to the Partnership and/or the Partners. If any question should arise with respect to the operation of the Partnership, which is not otherwise specifically provided for in this Agreement or the Act, or with respect to the interpretation of this Agreement, the General Partner is hereby authorized to make a final determination with respect to any such question and to interpret this Agreement in such a manner as it shall deem, in its sole discretion, to be fair and equitable, and its determination and interpretations so made shall be final and binding on all parties. The General Partner’s “sole and absolute discretion,” “sole discretion” and “discretion” under this Agreement shall be exercised consistently with the duty of care and the obligation of good faith and fair dealing under the Act (as modified by the Agreement).
- H. The General Partner may rely and shall be protected in acting or refraining from acting upon any resolution, certificate, statement, instrument, opinion, report, notice, request, consent, order, bond, debenture or other paper or document believed by it in good faith to be genuine and to have been signed or presented by the proper party or parties. In performing its duties under this Agreement and the Act, the General Partner shall be entitled to rely on the provisions of this Agreement and on any information, opinion, report or statement, including any

financial statement or other financial data or the records or books of account of the Partnership or any subsidiary of the Partnership, prepared or presented by any officer, employee or agent of the General Partner, any agent of the Partnership or any such subsidiary, or by any lawyer, certified public accountant, appraiser or other person engaged by the General Partner, the Partnership or any such subsidiary as to any matter within such person's professional or expert competence, and any act taken or omitted to be taken in reliance upon any such information, opinion, report or statement as to matters that the General Partner reasonably believes to be within such Person's professional or expert competence shall be conclusively presumed to have been done or omitted in good faith and in accordance with such information, opinion, report or statement.

- I. Notwithstanding any other provision of this Agreement or the Act, any action of the General Partner on behalf of the Partnership or any decision of the General Partner to refrain from acting on behalf of the Partnership, undertaken in the good faith belief that such action or omission is necessary or advisable in order (i) to protect the ability of the General Partner to continue to qualify as a REIT, (ii) for the General Partner otherwise to satisfy the REIT Requirements, (iii) for the General Partner to avoid incurring any taxes under Code Section 857 or Code Section 4981, or (iv) for any General Partner Affiliate to continue to qualify as a "qualified REIT subsidiary" (within the meaning of Code Section 856(i)(2)) or "taxable REIT subsidiary" (within the meaning of Code Section 856(l)), is expressly authorized under this Agreement and is deemed approved by all of the Limited Partners and does not violate the duty of loyalty or any other duty or obligation, fiduciary or otherwise, of the General Partner to the Partnership or any other Partner.
- J. Any amendment, modification or repeal of this Section 7.8 or any provision hereof shall be prospective only and shall not in any way affect the limitations on the General Partner's and its officers' and directors' liability to the Partnership and the Limited Partners under this Section 7.8 as in effect immediately prior to such amendment, modification or repeal with respect to claims arising from or relating to matters occurring, in whole or in part, prior to such amendment, modification or repeal, regardless of when such claims may arise or be asserted.

Section 7.9 *Title to Partnership Assets*. Title to Partnership assets, whether real, personal or mixed and whether tangible or intangible, shall be deemed to be owned by the Partnership as an entity, and no Partner, individually or collectively with other Partners or Persons, shall have any ownership interest in such Partnership assets or any portion thereof. Title to any or all of the Partnership assets may be held in the name of the Partnership, the General Partner or one or more nominees, as the General Partner may determine, including Affiliates of the General Partner. The General Partner hereby declares and warrants that any Partnership assets for which legal title is held in the name of the General Partner or any nominee or Affiliate of the General Partner shall be held by the General Partner or such nominee or Affiliate for the use and benefit of the Partnership in accordance with the provisions of this Agreement. All Partnership assets shall be recorded as the property of the Partnership in its books and records, irrespective of the name in which legal title to such Partnership assets is held.

Section 7.10 *Reliance by Third Parties*. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this Agreement, any Person dealing with the Partnership shall be entitled to assume that the General Partner has full power and authority, without the consent or approval of any other Partner, or Person, to encumber, sell or otherwise use in any manner any and all assets of the Partnership and to enter into any contracts on behalf of the Partnership, and take any and all actions on behalf of the Partnership, and such Person shall be entitled to deal with the General Partner as if it were the Partnership's sole party in interest, both legally and beneficially. Each Limited Partner hereby waives any and all defenses or other remedies that may be available against such Person to contest, negate or disaffirm any action of the General Partner in connection with any such dealing. In no event shall any Person dealing with the General Partner or its representatives be obligated to ascertain that the terms of this Agreement have been complied with or to inquire into the necessity or expediency of any act or action of the General Partner or its representatives. Each and every certificate, document or other instrument executed on behalf of the Partnership by the General Partner or its representatives shall be conclusive evidence in favor of any and every Person relying thereon or claiming thereunder that (i) at the time of the execution and delivery of such certificate, document or instrument, this Agreement was in full force and effect, (ii) the Person executing and delivering such certificate, document or instrument was duly authorized and empowered to do so for and on behalf of the Partnership and (iii) such certificate, document or instrument was duly executed and delivered in accordance with the terms and provisions of this Agreement and is binding upon the Partnership.

ARTICLE 8 RIGHTS AND OBLIGATIONS OF LIMITED PARTNERS

Section 8.1 *Limitation of Liability*. No Limited Partner shall have any liability under this Agreement except for intentional harm or gross negligence on the part of such Limited Partner or as expressly provided in this Agreement (including, without limitation, Section 10.4 hereof) or under the Act.

Section 8.2 *Management of Business*. Subject to the rights and powers of the General Partner hereunder, no Limited Partner or Assignee (other than the General Partner, any of its Affiliates or any officer, director, member, employee, partner, agent or trustee of the General Partner, the Partnership or any of their Affiliates, in their capacity as such) shall take part in the operations, management or control (within the meaning of the Act) of the Partnership's business, transact any business in the Partnership's name or have the power to sign documents for or otherwise bind the Partnership. The transaction of any such business by the General Partner, any of its Affiliates or any officer, director, member, employee, partner, agent, representative, or trustee of the General Partner, the Partnership or any of their Affiliates, in their capacity as such, shall not affect, impair or eliminate the limitations on the liability of the Limited Partners or Assignees under this Agreement.

Section 8.3 *Outside Activities of Limited Partners*. Subject to any agreements entered into pursuant to Section 7.6 hereof and any other agreements entered into by a Limited Partner or any of its Affiliates with the General Partner, the Partnership or a Subsidiary (including, without limitation, any employment agreement), any Limited Partner and any Assignee, officer, director, employee, agent, trustee, Affiliate, member or stockholder of any Limited Partner shall be entitled to and may have business interests and engage in business activities in addition to those

relating to the Partnership, including business interests and activities that are in direct or indirect competition with the Partnership or that are enhanced by the activities of the Partnership. Neither the Partnership nor any Partner shall have any rights by virtue of this Agreement in any business ventures of any Limited Partner or Assignee. Subject to such agreements, none of the Limited Partners nor any other Person shall have any rights by virtue of this Agreement or the partnership relationship established hereby in any business ventures of any other Person (other than the General Partner), and such Person shall have no obligation pursuant to this Agreement, subject to Section 7.6 hereof and any other agreements entered into by a Limited Partner or its Affiliates with the General Partner, the Partnership or a Subsidiary, to offer any interest in any such business ventures to the Partnership, any Limited Partner, or any such other Person, even if such opportunity is of a character that, if presented to the Partnership, any Limited Partner or such other Person, could be taken by such Person. In deciding whether to take any actions in such capacity, the Limited Partners and their respective Affiliates shall be under no obligation to consider the separate interests of the Partnership or its subsidiaries and to the maximum extent permitted by applicable law shall have no fiduciary duties or similar obligations to the Partnership or any other Partners, or to any subsidiary of the Partnership, and shall not be liable for monetary damages for losses sustained, liabilities incurred or benefits not derived by the other Partners in connection with such acts except for liability for fraud, willful misconduct or gross negligence.

Section 8.4 *Return of Capital*. Except pursuant to the rights of Redemption set forth in Section 15.1 hereof or in any Partnership Unit Designation, no Limited Partner shall be entitled to the withdrawal or return of its Capital Contribution, except to the extent of distributions made pursuant to this Agreement or upon dissolution of the Partnership as provided herein. Except to the extent provided in Article 5 and Article 6 hereof or otherwise expressly provided in this Agreement or in any Partnership Unit Designation, no Limited Partner or Assignee shall have priority over any other Limited Partner or Assignee either as to the return of Capital Contributions or as to profits, losses or distributions.

Section 8.5 *Rights of Limited Partners Relating to the Partnership*.

- A. In addition to other rights provided by this Agreement or by the Act, and except as limited by Section 8.5.C hereof, the General Partner shall deliver to each Limited Partner a copy of any information mailed or electronically delivered to all of the common stockholders of the General Partner as soon as practicable after such mailing.
- B. The Partnership shall notify any Limited Partner that is a Qualifying Party, on request, of the then current Adjustment Factor and any change made to the Adjustment Factor shall be set forth in the quarterly report required by Section 9.3.B hereof immediately following the date such change becomes effective.
- C. Notwithstanding any other provision of this Section 8.5, the General Partner may keep confidential from the Limited Partners (or any of them), for such period of time as the General Partner determines in its sole and absolute discretion to be reasonable, any information that (i) the General Partner believes to be in the

nature of trade secrets or other information the disclosure of which the General Partner in good faith believes is not in the best interests of the Partnership or the General Partner or (ii) the Partnership or the General Partner is required by law or by agreement to keep confidential.

- D. Upon written request by any Limited Partner, the General Partner shall cause the ownership of Partnership Units by such Limited Partner to be evidenced by a certificate for units in such form as the General Partner may determine with respect to any class of Partnership Units issued from time to time under this Agreement. Any officer of the General Partner may direct a new certificate or certificates to be issued in place of any certificate or certificates theretofore issued by the Partnership alleged to have been lost, destroyed, stolen or mutilated, upon the making of an affidavit of that fact by the person claiming the certificate to be lost, destroyed, stolen or mutilated. Unless otherwise determined by an officer of the General Partner, the owner of such lost, destroyed, stolen or mutilated certificate or certificates, or his or her legal representative, shall be required, as a condition precedent to the issuance of a new certificate or certificates, to give the Partnership a bond in such sums as the General Partner may direct as indemnity against any claim that may be made against the Partnership.

Section 8.6 Partnership Right to Call Partnership Common Units.

Notwithstanding any other provision of this Agreement, on and after the date on which the aggregate Percentage Interests of the Partnership Common Units held by Limited Partners are less than one percent (1%), the Partnership shall have the right, but not the obligation, from time to time and at any time to redeem any and all outstanding Partnership Common Units by treating any Holder thereof as a Tendering Party who has delivered a Notice of Redemption pursuant to Section 15.1 hereof for the amount of Partnership Common Units to be specified by the General Partner, by notice to such Holder that the Partnership has elected to exercise its rights under this Section 8.6. Such notice given by the General Partner to a Holder pursuant to this Section 8.6 shall be treated as if it were a Notice of Redemption delivered to the General Partner by such Holder. For purposes of this Section 8.6, (a) the General Partner may treat any Holder (whether or not otherwise a Qualifying Party) as a Qualifying Party that is a Tendering Party and (b) the provisions of Sections 15.1.F(2) and 15.1.F(3) hereof shall not apply, but the remainder of Section 15.1 hereof shall apply, mutatis mutandis.

Section 8.7 Rights as Objecting Partner.

No Limited Partner and no Holder of a Partnership Interest shall be entitled to exercise any of the rights of an objecting stockholder provided for under Title 3, Subtitle 2 of the Maryland General Corporation Law or any successor statute in connection with a merger of the Partnership.

ARTICLE 9
BOOKS, RECORDS, ACCOUNTING AND REPORTS

Section 9.1 *Records and Accounting.*

- A. The General Partner shall keep or cause to be kept at the principal place of business of the Partnership those records and documents, if any, required to be maintained by the Act and any other books and records deemed by the General Partner to be appropriate with respect to the Partnership's business, including, without limitation, all books and records necessary to provide to the Limited Partners any information, lists and copies of documents required to be provided pursuant to Section 8.5.A, Section 9.3 or Article 13 hereof. Any records maintained by or on behalf of the Partnership in the regular course of its business may be kept on any information storage device, provided that the records so maintained are convertible into clearly legible written form within a reasonable period of time.
- B. The books of the Partnership shall be maintained, for financial and tax reporting purposes, on an accrual basis in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles, or on such other basis as the General Partner determines to be necessary or appropriate. To the extent permitted by sound accounting practices and principles, the Partnership and the General Partner may operate with integrated or consolidated accounting records, operations and principles.

Section 9.2 *Partnership Year.* For purposes of this Agreement, "Partnership Year" means the fiscal year of the Partnership, which shall be the same as the tax year of the Partnership. The tax year shall be the calendar year unless otherwise required by the Code.

Section 9.3 *Reports.*

- A. As soon as practicable, but in no event later than one hundred five (105) days after the close of each Partnership Year, the General Partner shall cause to be mailed to each Limited Partner of record as of the close of the Partnership Year, financial statements of the Partnership, or of the General Partner if such statements are prepared solely on a consolidated basis with the General Partner, for such Partnership Year, presented in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles, such statements to be audited by a nationally recognized firm of independent public accountants selected by the General Partner.
- B. As soon as practicable, but in no event later than sixty (60) days after the close of each calendar quarter (except the last calendar quarter of each year), the General Partner shall cause to be mailed to each Limited Partner of record as of the last day of the calendar quarter, a report containing unaudited financial statements of the Partnership for such calendar quarter, or of the General Partner if such statements are prepared solely on a consolidated basis with the General Partner, and such other information as may be required by applicable law or regulation or as the General Partner determines to be appropriate.

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- C. The General Partner shall have satisfied its obligations under Section 9.3.A and Section 9.3.B by posting or making available the reports required by this Section 9.3 on the website maintained from time to time by the Partnership or the General Partner, provided that such reports are able to be printed or downloaded from such website.

**ARTICLE 10
TAX MATTERS**

Section 10.1 *Preparation of Tax Returns*. The General Partner shall arrange for the preparation and timely filing of all returns with respect to Partnership income, gains, deductions, losses and other items required of the Partnership for Federal and state income tax purposes and shall use all reasonable efforts to furnish, within ninety (90) days of the close of each taxable year, the tax information reasonably required by Limited Partners for Federal and state income tax and any other tax reporting purposes. The Limited Partners shall promptly provide the General Partner with such information relating to the Contributed Properties as is readily available to the Limited Partners, including tax basis and other relevant information, as may be reasonably requested by the General Partner from time to time.

Section 10.2 *Tax Elections*. Except as otherwise provided herein, the General Partner shall, in its sole and absolute discretion, determine whether to make any available election pursuant to the Code, including, but not limited to, the election under Code Section 754. The General Partner shall have the right to seek to revoke any such election (including, without limitation, any election under Code Section 754) upon the General Partner's determination in its sole and absolute discretion that such revocation is in the best interests of the Partners.

Section 10.3 *Tax Matters Partner*.

- A. The General Partner shall be the "tax matters partner" of the Partnership for federal income tax purposes. The tax matters partner shall receive no compensation for its services. All third-party costs and expenses incurred by the tax matters partner in performing its duties as such (including legal and accounting fees and expenses) shall be borne by the Partnership in addition to any reimbursement pursuant to Section 7.4 hereof. Nothing herein shall be construed to restrict the Partnership from engaging an accounting firm to assist the tax matters partner in discharging its duties hereunder.
- B. The tax matters partner is authorized, but not required:
- (1) to enter into any settlement with the IRS with respect to any administrative or judicial proceedings for the adjustment of Partnership items required to be taken into account by a Partner for income tax purposes (such administrative proceedings being referred to as a "tax audit" and such judicial proceedings being referred to as "judicial review"), and in the settlement agreement the tax matters partner may expressly state that such agreement shall bind all Partners, except that such settlement agreement shall not bind any Partner (i) who (within the time prescribed pursuant to

the Code and Regulations) files a statement with the IRS providing that the tax matters partner shall not have the authority to enter into a settlement agreement on behalf of such Partner (as the case may be) or (ii) who is a “notice partner” (as defined in Code Section 6231) or a member of a “notice group” (as defined in Code Section 6223(b)(2));

- (2) in the event that a notice of a final administrative adjustment at the Partnership level of any item required to be taken into account by a Partner for tax purposes (a “*Final Adjustment*”) is mailed to the tax matters partner, to seek judicial review of such Final Adjustment, including the filing of a petition for readjustment with the United States Tax Court or the United States Claims Court, or the filing of a complaint for refund with the District Court of the United States for the district in which the Partnership’s principal place of business is located;
- (3) to intervene in any action brought by any other Partner for judicial review of a final adjustment;
- (4) to file a request for an administrative adjustment with the IRS at any time and, if any part of such request is not allowed by the IRS, to file an appropriate pleading (petition or complaint) for judicial review with respect to such request;
- (5) to enter into an agreement with the IRS to extend the period for assessing any tax that is attributable to any item required to be taken into account by a Partner for tax purposes, or an item affected by such item; and
- (6) to take any other action on behalf of the Partners or any of them in connection with any tax audit or judicial review proceeding to the extent permitted by applicable law or regulations.

The taking of any action and the incurring of any expense by the tax matters partner in connection with any such proceeding, except to the extent required by law, is a matter in the sole and absolute discretion of the tax matters partner and the provisions relating to indemnification of the General Partner set forth in Section 7.7 hereof shall be fully applicable to the tax matters partner in its capacity as such.

Section 10.4 *Withholding*. Each Limited Partner hereby authorizes the Partnership to withhold from or pay on behalf of or with respect to such Limited Partner any amount of Federal, state, local or foreign taxes that the General Partner determines the Partnership is required to withhold or pay with respect to any amount distributable or allocable to such Limited Partner pursuant to this Agreement, including, without limitation, any taxes required to be withheld or paid by the Partnership pursuant to Code Section 1441, Code Section 1442, Code Section 1445 or Code Section 1446. Any amount withheld with respect to a Limited Partner pursuant to this Section 10.4 shall be treated as paid or distributed, as applicable, to such Limited Partner for all purposes under this Agreement. Any amount paid on behalf of or with respect to a Limited Partner, in excess of any such withheld amount, shall constitute a loan by the Partnership to such

Limited Partner, which loan shall be repaid by such Limited Partner within thirty (30) days after the affected Limited Partner receives written notice from the General Partner that such payment must be made, provided that the Limited Partner shall not be required to repay such deemed loan if either (i) the Partnership withholds such payment from a distribution that would otherwise be made to the Limited Partner or (ii) the General Partner determines, in its sole and absolute discretion, that such payment may be satisfied out of the Available Cash of the Partnership that would, but for such payment, be distributed to the Limited Partner. Any amounts payable by a Limited Partner hereunder shall bear interest at the base rate on corporate loans at large United States money center commercial banks, as published from time to time in the Wall Street Journal (but not higher than the maximum lawful rate) from the date such amount is due (i.e., thirty (30) days after the Limited Partner receives written notice of such amount) until such amount is paid in full.

Section 10.5 *Organizational Expenses*. The General Partner may cause the Partnership to elect to deduct expenses, if any, incurred by it in organizing the Partnership ratably over a 180-month period as provided in Section 709 of the Code.

ARTICLE 11 PARTNER TRANSFERS AND WITHDRAWALS

Section 11.1 *Transfer*.

- A. No part of the interest of a Partner shall be subject to the claims of any creditor, to any spouse for alimony or support, or to legal process, and may not be voluntarily or involuntarily alienated or encumbered except as may be specifically provided for in this Agreement.
- B. No Partnership Interest shall be Transferred, in whole or in part, except in accordance with the terms and conditions set forth in this Article 11. Any Transfer or purported Transfer of a Partnership Interest not made in accordance with this Article 11 shall be null and void *ab initio*.
- C. No Transfer of any Partnership Interest may be made to a lender to the Partnership or any Person who is related (within the meaning of Section 1.752-4(b) of the Regulations) to any lender to the Partnership whose loan constitutes a Nonrecourse Liability, without the Consent of the General Partner; *provided, however*, that, as a condition to such Consent, the lender may be required to enter into an arrangement with the Partnership and the General Partner to redeem or exchange for the REIT Shares Amount any Partnership Units in which a security interest is held by such lender simultaneously with the time at which such lender would be deemed to be a partner in the Partnership for purposes of allocating liabilities to such lender under Section 752 of the Code (provided that, for purpose of calculating the REIT Shares Amount in this Section 11.1.C, “*Tendered Units*” shall mean all such Partnership Units in which a security interest is held by such lender).

Section 11.2 *Transfer of General Partner's Partnership Interest.*

- A. Except as provided in Section 11.2.B or Section 11.2.C, and subject to the rights of any Holder of any Partnership Interest set forth in a Partnership Unit Designation, the General Partner may not Transfer all or any portion of its Partnership Interest (whether by sale, disposition, statutory merger or consolidation, liquidation or otherwise) without the Consent of the Limited Partners. It is a condition to any Transfer of a Partnership Interest of a General Partner otherwise permitted hereunder (including any Transfer permitted pursuant to Section 11.2.B or Section 11.2.C) that: (i) coincident with such Transfer, the transferee is admitted as a General Partner pursuant to Section 12.1 hereof; (ii) the transferee assumes, by operation of law or express agreement, all of the obligations of the transferor General Partner under this Agreement with respect to such Transferred Partnership Interest; and (iii) the transferee has executed such instruments as may be necessary to effectuate such admission and to confirm the agreement of such transferee to be bound by all the terms and provisions of this Agreement with respect to the Partnership Interest so acquired and the admission of such transferee as a General Partner.
- B. *Certain Transactions of the General Partner.* Subject to the rights of any Holder of any Partnership Interest set forth in a Partnership Unit Designation, the General Partner may, without the Consent of the Limited Partners, Transfer all of its Partnership Interest in connection with (a) a merger, consolidation or other combination of its or the Partnership's assets with another entity, (b) a sale of all or substantially all of its or the Partnership's assets not in the ordinary course of the Partnership's business or (c) a reclassification, recapitalization or change of any outstanding shares of the General Partner's stock or other outstanding equity interests (each, a "*Termination Transaction*") if:
- (1) in connection with such Termination Transaction, all of the Limited Partners will receive, or will have the right to elect to receive, for each Partnership Common Unit an amount of cash, securities or other property equal to the product of the Adjustment Factor and the greatest amount of cash, securities or other property paid to a holder of one REIT Share in consideration of one REIT Share pursuant to the terms of such Termination Transaction; provided, that if, in connection with such Termination Transaction, a purchase, tender or exchange offer shall have been made to and accepted by the holders of the outstanding REIT Shares, each holder of Partnership Common Units shall receive, or shall have the right to elect to receive, the greatest amount of cash, securities or other property which such holder of Partnership Common Units would have received had it exercised its right to Redemption pursuant to Article 15 hereof and received REIT Shares in exchange for its Partnership Common Units immediately prior to the expiration of such purchase, tender or exchange offer and had thereupon accepted such purchase, tender or exchange offer and then such Termination Transaction shall have been consummated; or

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- (2) all of the following conditions are met: (w) substantially all of the assets directly or indirectly owned by the surviving entity are owned directly or indirectly by the Partnership or another limited partnership or limited liability company which is the survivor of a merger, consolidation or combination of assets with the Partnership (in each case, the “*Surviving Partnership*”); (x) Limited Partners that held Partnership Common Units immediately prior to the consummation of such Termination Transaction own a percentage interest of the Surviving Partnership based on the relative fair market value of the net assets of the Partnership and the other net assets of the Surviving Partnership immediately prior to the consummation of such transaction; (y) the rights, preferences and privileges in the Surviving Partnership of such Limited Partners are at least as favorable as those in effect with respect to the Partnership Common Units immediately prior to the consummation of such transaction and as those applicable to any other limited partners or non-managing members of the Surviving Partnership; and (z) the rights of such Limited Partners include at least one of the following: (a) the right to redeem their interests in the Surviving Partnership for the consideration available to such persons pursuant to Section 11.2.B(i) or (b) the right to redeem their interests in the Surviving Partnership for cash on terms substantially equivalent to those in effect with respect to their Partnership Common Units immediately prior to the consummation of such transaction, or, if the ultimate controlling person of the Surviving Partnership has publicly traded common equity securities, such common equity securities, with an exchange ratio based on the determination of relative fair market value of such securities and the REIT Shares.
- C. Notwithstanding the other provisions of this Article 11 (other than Section 11.6.D hereof), the General Partner may Transfer all of its Partnership Interests at any time to any Person that is, at the time of such Transfer an Affiliate of the General Partner, including any “qualified REIT subsidiary” (within the meaning of Code Section 856(i)(2)), without the Consent of any Limited Partners. The provisions of Section 11.2.B, 11.3, 11.4.A and 11.5 hereof shall not apply to any Transfer permitted by this Section 11.2.C.
- D. Except in connection with Transfers permitted in this Article 11 and as otherwise provided in Section 12.1 in connection with the Transfer of the General Partner’s entire Partnership Interest, the General Partner may not voluntarily withdraw as a general partner of the Partnership without the Consent of the Limited Partners.

Section 11.3 *Limited Partners’ Rights to Transfer.*

- A. *General.* Prior to the end of the first Fourteen-Month Period and except as provided in Section 11.1.C hereof, no Limited Partner shall Transfer all or any portion of its Partnership Interest to any transferee without the Consent of the General Partner; *provided, however,* that any Limited Partner may, at any time, without the consent or approval of the General Partner, (i) Transfer all or part of

its Partnership Interest to any Family Member (including a Transfer by a Family Member that is an inter vivos or testamentary trust (whether revocable or irrevocable) to a Family Member that is a beneficiary of such trust), any Charity, any Controlled Entity or any Affiliate, or (ii) pledge (a “*Pledge*”) all or any portion of its Partnership Interest to a lending institution as collateral or security for a bona fide loan or other extension of credit, and Transfer such pledged Partnership Interest to such lending institution in connection with the exercise of remedies under such loan or extension of credit (any Transfer or Pledge permitted by this proviso is hereinafter referred to as a “*Permitted Transfer*”). After such first Fourteen-Month Period, each Limited Partner, and each transferee of Partnership Units or Assignee pursuant to a Permitted Transfer, shall have the right to Transfer all or any portion of its Partnership Interest to any Person, without the Consent of the General Partner but subject to the provisions of Section 11.4 hereof and to satisfaction of each of the following conditions:

- (1) *General Partner Right of First Refusal.* The transferor Limited Partner (or the Partner’s estate in the event of the Partner’s death) shall give written notice of the proposed Transfer to the General Partner, which notice shall state (i) the identity and address of the proposed transferee and (ii) the amount and type of consideration proposed to be received for the Transferred Partnership Units. The General Partner shall have ten (10) Business Days upon which to give the transferor Limited Partner notice of its election to acquire the Partnership Units on the terms set forth in such notice. If it so elects, it shall purchase the Partnership Units on such terms within ten (10) Business Days after giving notice of such election; *provided, however*, that in the event that the proposed terms involve a purchase for cash, the General Partner may at its election deliver in lieu of all or any portion of such cash a note from the General Partner payable to the transferor Limited Partner at a date as soon as reasonably practicable, but in no event later than one hundred eighty (180) days after such purchase, and bearing interest at an annual rate equal to the total dividends declared with respect to one (1) REIT Share for the four (4) preceding fiscal quarters of the General Partner, divided by the Value as of the closing of such purchase; and *provided, further*, that such closing may be deferred to the extent necessary to effect compliance with the Hart-Scott-Rodino Act, if applicable, and any other applicable requirements of law. If it does not so elect, the transferor Limited Partner may Transfer such Partnership Units to a third party, on terms no more favorable to the transferee than the proposed terms, subject to the other conditions of this Section 11.3.
- (2) *Qualified Transferee.* Any Transfer of a Partnership Interest shall be made only to a single Qualified Transferee; *provided, however*, that, for such purposes, all Qualified Transferees that are Affiliates, or that comprise investment accounts or funds managed by a single Qualified Transferee and its Affiliates, shall be considered together to be a single Qualified Transferee; and *provided, further*, that each Transfer meeting the minimum Transfer restriction of Section 11.3.A(4) hereof may be to a separate Qualified Transferee.

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- (3) *Opinion of Counsel.* The transferor Limited Partner shall deliver or cause to be delivered to the General Partner an opinion of counsel reasonably satisfactory to it to the effect that the proposed Transfer may be effected without registration under the Securities Act and will not otherwise violate the registration provisions of the Securities Act and the regulations promulgated thereunder or violate any state securities laws or regulations applicable to the Partnership or the Partnership Interests Transferred; *provided, however,* that the General Partner may, in its sole discretion, waive this condition upon the request of the transferor Limited Partner. If, in the opinion of such counsel, such Transfer would require the filing of a registration statement under the Securities Act or would otherwise violate any Federal or state securities laws or regulations applicable to the Partnership or the Partnership Units, the General Partner may prohibit any Transfer otherwise permitted under this Section 11.3 by a Limited Partner of Partnership Interests.
- (4) *Minimum Transfer Restriction.* Any Transferring Partner must Transfer not less than the lesser of (i) five hundred (500) Partnership Units or (ii) all of the remaining Partnership Units owned by such Transferring Partner, without, in each case, the Consent of the General Partner; *provided, however,* that, for purposes of determining compliance with the foregoing restriction, all Partnership Units owned by Affiliates of a Limited Partner shall be considered to be owned by such Limited Partner.
- (5) *Exception for Permitted Transfers.* The conditions of Sections 11.3.A(1) through 11.3.A(4) hereof shall not apply in the case of a Permitted Transfer.

It is a condition to any Transfer otherwise permitted hereunder (whether or not such Transfer is effected during or after the first Fourteen-Month Period) that the transferee assumes by operation of law or express agreement all of the obligations of the transferor Limited Partner under this Agreement with respect to such Transferred Partnership Interest, and no such Transfer (other than pursuant to a statutory merger or consolidation wherein all obligations and liabilities of the transferor Partner are assumed by a successor corporation by operation of law) shall relieve the transferor Partner of its obligations under this Agreement without the Consent of the General Partner. Notwithstanding the foregoing, any transferee of any Transferred Partnership Interest shall be subject to any restrictions on ownership and transfer of stock of the General Partner contained in the Charter that may limit or restrict such transferee's ability to exercise its Redemption rights, including, without limitation, the Ownership Limit. Any transferee, whether or not admitted as a Substituted Limited Partner, shall take subject to the obligations of the transferor hereunder. Unless admitted as a Substituted Limited Partner, no transferee, whether by a voluntary Transfer, by operation of law or otherwise, shall have any rights hereunder, other than the rights of an Assignee as provided in Section 11.5 hereof.

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- B. *Incapacity.* If a Limited Partner is subject to Incapacity, the executor, administrator, trustee, committee, guardian, conservator or receiver of such Limited Partner's estate shall have all the rights of a Limited Partner, but not more rights than those enjoyed by other Limited Partners, for the purpose of settling or managing the estate, and such power as the Incapacitated Limited Partner possessed to Transfer all or any part of its interest in the Partnership. The Incapacity of a Limited Partner, in and of itself, shall not dissolve or terminate the Partnership.
- C. *Adverse Tax Consequences.* Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this Agreement, the General Partner shall have the authority (but shall not be required) to take any steps it determines are necessary or appropriate in its sole and absolute discretion to prevent the Partnership from being taxable as a corporation for Federal income tax purposes. In furtherance of the foregoing, except with the Consent of the General Partner, no Transfer by a Limited Partner of its Partnership Interests (including any Redemption, any conversion of LTIP Units into Partnership Common Units, any other acquisition of Partnership Units by the General Partner or any acquisition of Partnership Units by the Partnership) may be made to or by any Person if such Transfer could (i) result in the Partnership being treated as an association taxable as a corporation; (ii) result in a termination of the Partnership under Code Section 708; (iii) be treated as effectuated through an "established securities market" or a "secondary market (or the substantial equivalent thereof)" within the meaning of Code Section 7704 and the Regulations promulgated thereunder, (iv) result in the Partnership being unable to qualify for one or more of the "safe harbors" set forth in Regulations Section 1.7704-1 (or such other guidance subsequently published by the IRS setting forth safe harbors under which interests will not be treated as "readily tradable on a secondary market (or the substantial equivalent thereof)" within the meaning of Section 7704 of the Code) (the "*Safe Harbors*") or (v) based on the advice of counsel to the Partnership or the General Partner, adversely affect the ability of the General Partner to continue to qualify as a REIT or subject the General Partner to any additional taxes under Code Section 857 or Code Section 4981.

Section 11.4 *Admission of Substituted Limited Partners.*

- A. No Limited Partner shall have the right to substitute a transferee (including any transferees pursuant to Transfers permitted by Section 11.3 hereof) as a Limited Partner in its place. A transferee of a Limited Partner Interest may be admitted as a Substituted Limited Partner only with the Consent of the General Partner. The failure or refusal by the General Partner to permit a transferee of any such interests to become a Substituted Limited Partner shall not give rise to any cause of action against the Partnership or the General Partner. Subject to the foregoing, an Assignee shall not be admitted as a Substituted Limited Partner until and unless it furnishes to the General Partner (i) evidence of acceptance, in form and

substance satisfactory to the General Partner, of all the terms, conditions and applicable obligations of this Agreement, (ii) a counterpart signature page to this Agreement executed by such Assignee and (iii) such other documents and instruments as the General Partner may require in its sole discretion to effect such Assignee's admission as a Substituted Limited Partner.

- B. Concurrently with, and as evidence of, the admission of a Substituted Limited Partner, the General Partner shall update the Register and the books and records of the Partnership to reflect the name, address and number and class and/or series of Partnership Units of such Substituted Limited Partner and to eliminate or adjust, if necessary, the name, address and number of Partnership Units of the predecessor of such Substituted Limited Partner.
- C. A transferee who has been admitted as a Substituted Limited Partner in accordance with this Article 11 shall have all the rights and powers and be subject to all the restrictions and liabilities of a Limited Partner under this Agreement.

Section 11.5 *Assignees*. If the General Partner does not Consent to the admission of any permitted transferee under Section 11.3 hereof as a Substituted Limited Partner, as described in Section 11.4 hereof, or in the event that any Partnership Interest is deemed to have been Transferred notwithstanding the restrictions set forth in this Article 11, such transferee shall be considered an Assignee for purposes of this Agreement. An Assignee shall be entitled to all the rights of an assignee of a limited partnership interest under the Act, including the right to receive distributions from the Partnership and the share of Net Income, Net Losses and other items of income, gain, loss, deduction and credit of the Partnership attributable to the Partnership Interest assigned to such transferee and the rights to Transfer the Partnership Interest provided in this Article 11, but shall not be deemed to be a holder of a Partnership Interest for any other purpose under this Agreement (other than as expressly provided in Section 15.1 hereof with respect to a Qualifying Party that becomes a Tendering Party), and shall not be entitled to effect a Consent or vote with respect to such Partnership Interest on any matter presented to the Partners for approval (such right to Consent or vote, to the extent provided in this Agreement or under the Act, fully remaining with the transferor Limited Partner). In the event that any such transferee desires to make a further Transfer of any such Partnership Interest, such transferee shall be subject to all the provisions of this Article 11 to the same extent and in the same manner as any Limited Partner desiring to make a Transfer of a Limited Partner Interest.

Section 11.6 *General Provisions*. A. No Limited Partner may withdraw from the Partnership other than as a result of: (i) a permitted Transfer of all of such Limited Partner's Partnership Interest in accordance with this Article 11 with respect to which the transferee becomes a Substituted Limited Partner; (ii) pursuant to a redemption (or acquisition by the General Partner) of all of its Partnership Interest pursuant to a Redemption under Section 15.1 hereof and/or pursuant to any Partnership Unit Designation or (iii) the acquisition by the General Partner of all of such Limited Partner's Partnership Interest, whether or not pursuant to Section 15.1.B hereof.

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- B. Any Limited Partner who shall Transfer all of its Partnership Units in a Transfer (i) permitted pursuant to this Article 11 where such transferee was admitted as a Substituted Limited Partner, (ii) pursuant to the exercise of its rights to effect a redemption of all of its Partnership Units pursuant to a Redemption under Section 15.1 hereof and/or pursuant to any Partnership Unit Designation or (iii) to the General Partner, whether or not pursuant to Section 15.1.B hereof, shall cease to be a Limited Partner.
- C. If any Partnership Unit is Transferred in compliance with the provisions of this Article 11, or is redeemed by the Partnership, or acquired by the General Partner pursuant to Section 15.1 hereof, on any day other than the first day of a Partnership Year, then Net Income, Net Losses, each item thereof and all other items of income, gain, loss, deduction and credit attributable to such Partnership Unit for such Partnership Year shall be allocated to the transferor Partner or the Tendering Party (as the case may be) and, in the case of a Transfer other than a Redemption, to the transferee Partner, by taking into account their varying interests during the Partnership Year in accordance with Code Section 706(d), using the “interim closing of the books” method or another permissible method selected by the General Partner in its sole and absolute discretion. Solely for purposes of making such allocations, unless the General Partner decides in its sole and absolute discretion to use another method permitted under the Code, each of such items for the calendar month in which a Transfer occurs shall be allocated to the transferee Partner and none of such items for the calendar month in which a Transfer or a Redemption occurs shall be allocated to the transferor Partner, or the Tendering Party (as the case may be) if such Transfer occurs on or before the fifteenth (15th) day of the month, otherwise such items shall be allocated to the transferor. All distributions of Available Cash attributable to such Partnership Unit with respect to which the Partnership Record Date is before the date of such Transfer, assignment or Redemption shall be made to the transferor Partner or the Tendering Party (as the case may be) and, in the case of a Transfer other than a Redemption, all distributions of Available Cash thereafter attributable to such Partnership Unit shall be made to the transferee Partner.
- D. In addition to any other restrictions on Transfer herein contained, in no event may any Transfer of a Partnership Interest by any Partner (including any Redemption, any conversion of LTIP Units into Partnership Common Units, any acquisition of Partnership Units by the General Partner or any other acquisition of Partnership Units by the Partnership) be made: (i) to any person or entity who lacks the legal right, power or capacity to own a Partnership Interest; (ii) in violation of applicable law; (iii) except with the Consent of the General Partner, of any component portion of a Partnership Interest, such as the Capital Account, or rights to distributions, separate and apart from all other components of a Partnership Interest; (iv) in the event that such Transfer could cause either the General Partner or any General Partner Affiliate to cease to comply with the REIT Requirements or to cease to qualify as a “qualified REIT subsidiary” (within the meaning of Code Section 856(i)(2)); (v) except with the Consent of the General Partner, if such Transfer could, based on the advice of counsel to the Partnership or the

General Partner, cause a termination of the Partnership for Federal or state income tax purposes (except as a result of the Redemption (or acquisition by the General Partner) of all Partnership Common Units held by all Limited Partners); (vi) if such Transfer could, based on the advice of legal counsel to the Partnership or the General Partner, cause the Partnership to cease to be classified as a partnership for federal income tax purposes (except as a result of the Redemption (or acquisition by the General Partner) of all Partnership Common Units held by all Limited Partners); (vii) if such Transfer would cause the Partnership to become, with respect to any employee benefit plan subject to Title I of ERISA, a “party-in-interest” (as defined in ERISA Section 3(14)) or a “disqualified person” (as defined in Code Section 4975(c)); (viii) if such Transfer could, based on the advice of legal counsel to the Partnership or the General Partner, cause any portion of the assets of the Partnership to constitute assets of any employee benefit plan pursuant to Department of Labor Regulations Section 2510.3-101; (ix) if such Transfer requires the registration of such Partnership Interest pursuant to any applicable Federal or state securities laws; (x) except with the Consent of the General Partner, if such Transfer could (1) be treated as effectuated through an “established securities market” or a “secondary market” (or the substantial equivalent thereof) within the meaning of Section 7704 of the Code and the Regulations promulgated thereunder, (2) cause the Partnership to become a “publicly traded partnership,” as such term is defined in Sections 469(k)(2) or 7704(b) of the Code, or (3) cause the Partnership to fail to qualify for at least one of the Safe Harbors; (xi) if such Transfer causes the Partnership (as opposed to the General Partner) to become a reporting company under the Exchange Act; or (xii) if such Transfer subjects the Partnership to regulation under the Investment Company Act of 1940, the Investment Advisors Act of 1940 or ERISA, each as amended. The General Partner shall, in its sole discretion, be permitted to take all action necessary to prevent the Partnership from being classified as a “publicly traded partnership” under Code Section 7704.

- E. Transfers pursuant to this Article 11 may only be made on the first day of a fiscal quarter of the Partnership, unless the General Partner otherwise Consents.

ARTICLE 12 ADMISSION OF PARTNERS

Section 12.1 *Admission of Successor General Partner.* A successor to all of the General Partner’s General Partner Interest pursuant to a Transfer permitted by Section 11.2 hereof who is proposed to be admitted as a successor General Partner shall be admitted to the Partnership as the General Partner, effective immediately upon such Transfer. Upon any such Transfer and the admission of any such transferee as a successor General Partner in accordance with this Section 12.1, the transferor General Partner shall be relieved of its obligations under this Agreement and shall cease to be a general partner of the Partnership without any separate Consent of the Limited Partners or the consent or approval of any other Partners. Any such successor General Partner shall carry on the business and affairs of the Partnership without dissolution. In each case, the admission shall be subject to the successor General Partner executing and delivering to the Partnership an acceptance of all of the terms and conditions of

this Agreement and such other documents or instruments as may be required to effect the admission of such Person as a General Partner. Upon any such Transfer, the transferee shall become the successor General Partner for all purposes herein, and shall be vested with the powers and rights of the transferor General Partner, and shall be liable for all obligations and responsible for all duties of the General Partner. Concurrently with, and as evidence of, the admission of a successor General Partner, the General Partner shall update the Register and the books and records of the Partnership to reflect the name, address and number and classes and/or series of Partnership Units of such successor General Partner. In the event that the General Partner withdraws from the Partnership, or transfers its entire Partnership Interest, in violation of this Agreement, or otherwise dissolves or terminates or ceases to be the general partner of the Partnership, a Majority in Interest of the Partners may elect to continue the Partnership by selecting a successor general partner in accordance with Section 13.1.A hereof.

Section 12.2 *Admission of Additional Limited Partners.*

- A. After the admission to the Partnership of the Original Limited Partners, a Person (other than an existing Partner) who makes a Capital Contribution to the Partnership in exchange for Partnership Units and in accordance with this Agreement or is issued LTIP Units in exchange for no consideration in accordance with Section 4.2.B hereof shall be admitted to the Partnership as an Additional Limited Partner only upon furnishing to the General Partner (i) evidence of acceptance, in form and substance satisfactory to the General Partner, of all of the terms and conditions of this Agreement, including, without limitation, the power of attorney granted in Section 2.4 hereof, (ii) a counterpart signature page to this Agreement executed by such Person and (iii) such other documents or instruments as the General Partner may require in its sole and absolute discretion in order to effect such Person's admission as an Additional Limited Partner. Concurrently with, and as evidence of, the admission of an Additional Limited Partner, the General Partner shall update the Register and the books and records of the Partnership to reflect the name, address and number and classes and/or series of Partnership Units of such Additional Limited Partner.
- B. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this Section 12.2, no Person shall be admitted as an Additional Limited Partner without the Consent of the General Partner. The admission of any Person as an Additional Limited Partner shall become effective on the date upon which the name of such Person is recorded on the books and records of the Partnership, following the Consent of the General Partner to such admission and the satisfaction of all the conditions set forth in Section 12.2.A.
- C. If any Additional Limited Partner is admitted to the Partnership on any day other than the first day of a Partnership Year, then Net Income, Net Losses, each item thereof and all other items of income, gain, loss, deduction and credit allocable among Holders for such Partnership Year shall be allocated among such Additional Limited Partner and all other Holders by taking into account their

varying interests during the Partnership Year in accordance with Code Section 706(d), using the “interim closing of the books” method or another permissible method selected by the General Partner. Solely for purposes of making such allocations, each of such items for the calendar month in which an admission of any Additional Limited Partner occurs shall be allocated among all the Holders including such Additional Limited Partner, in accordance with the principles described in Section 11.6.C hereof. All distributions of Available Cash with respect to which the Partnership Record Date is before the date of such admission shall be made solely to Partners and Assignees other than the Additional Limited Partner, and all distributions of Available Cash thereafter shall be made to all the Partners and Assignees including such Additional Limited Partner.

- D. Any Additional Limited Partner admitted to the Partnership that is an Affiliate of the General Partner shall be deemed to be a “General Partner Affiliate” hereunder and shall be reflected as such on the Register and the books and records of the Partnership.

Section 12.3 *Amendment of Agreement and Certificate of Limited Partnership.* For the admission to the Partnership of any Partner, the General Partner shall take all steps necessary and appropriate under the Act to update the Register, amend the records of the Partnership and, if necessary, to prepare as soon as practical an amendment of this Agreement and, if required by law, shall prepare and file an amendment to the Certificate and may for this purpose exercise the power of attorney granted pursuant to Section 2.4 hereof.

Section 12.4 *Limit on Number of Partners.* Unless otherwise permitted by the General Partner in its sole and absolute discretion, no Person shall be admitted to the Partnership as an Additional Limited Partner if the effect of such admission would be to cause the Partnership to have a number of Partners that would cause the Partnership to become a reporting company under the Exchange Act.

Section 12.5 *Admission.* A Person shall be admitted to the Partnership as a limited partner of the Partnership or a general partner of the Partnership only upon strict compliance, and not upon substantial compliance, with the requirements set forth in this Agreement for admission to the Partnership as a Limited Partner or a General Partner.

ARTICLE 13 DISSOLUTION, LIQUIDATION AND TERMINATION

Section 13.1 *Dissolution.* The Partnership shall not be dissolved by the admission of Substituted Limited Partners or Additional Limited Partners or by the admission of a successor General Partner in accordance with the terms of this Agreement. Upon the withdrawal of the General Partner, any successor General Partner shall continue the business and affairs of the Partnership without dissolution. However, the Partnership shall dissolve, and its affairs shall be wound up, upon the first to occur of any of the following (each a “*Liquidating Event*”):

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- A. an event of withdrawal, as defined in Section 10-402(2) – (9) of the Act (including, without limitation, bankruptcy), or the withdrawal in violation of this Agreement, of the last remaining General Partner unless, within ninety (90) days after the withdrawal, a Majority in Interest of the Partners remaining agree in writing, in their sole and absolute discretion, to continue the Partnership and to the appointment, effective as of the date of such withdrawal, of a successor General Partner;
 - B. an election to dissolve the Partnership made by the General Partner in its sole and absolute discretion, with or without the Consent of the Partners;
 - C. entry of a decree of judicial dissolution of the Partnership pursuant to the provisions of the Act; or
 - D. the Redemption or other acquisition by the Partnership or the General Partner of all Partnership Units other than Partnership Units held by the General Partner.

Section 13.2 *Winding Up*.

- A. Upon the occurrence of a Liquidating Event, the Partnership shall continue solely for the purposes of winding up its affairs in an orderly manner, liquidating its assets and satisfying the claims of its creditors and the Holders. After the occurrence of a Liquidating Event, no Holder shall take any action that is inconsistent with, or not necessary to or appropriate for, the winding up of the Partnership's business and affairs. The General Partner (or, in the event that there is no remaining General Partner or the General Partner has dissolved, become bankrupt within the meaning of the Act or ceased to operate, any Person elected by a Majority in Interest of the Partners (the General Partner or such other Person being referred to herein as the "*Liquidator*")) shall be responsible for overseeing the winding up and dissolution of the Partnership and shall take full account of the Partnership's liabilities and property, and the Partnership property shall be liquidated as promptly as is consistent with obtaining the fair value thereof, and the proceeds therefrom (which may, to the extent determined by the General Partner, include shares of stock in the General Partner) shall be applied and distributed in the following order:
 - (1) First, to the satisfaction of all of the Partnership's debts and liabilities to creditors other than the Holders (whether by payment or the making of reasonable provision for payment thereof);
 - (2) Second, to the satisfaction of all of the Partnership's debts and liabilities to the General Partner (whether by payment or the making of reasonable provision for payment thereof), including, but not limited to, amounts due as reimbursements under Section 7.4 hereof;
 - (3) Third, to the satisfaction of all of the Partnership's debts and liabilities to the other Holders (whether by payment or the making of reasonable provision for payment thereof); and

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- (4) Fourth, to the Partners in accordance with their positive Capital Account balances, determined after taking into account all Capital Account adjustments for all prior periods and the Partnership taxable year during which the liquidation occurs (other than those made as a result of the liquidating distribution set forth in this Section 13.2.A(4)).

The General Partner shall not receive any additional compensation for any services performed pursuant to this Article 13 other than reimbursement of its expenses as set forth in Section 7.4.

- B. Notwithstanding the provisions of Section 13.2.A hereof that require liquidation of the assets of the Partnership, but subject to the order of priorities set forth therein, if prior to or upon dissolution of the Partnership, the Liquidator determines that an immediate sale of part or all of the Partnership's assets would be impractical or would cause undue loss to the Holders, the Liquidator may, in its sole and absolute discretion, defer for a reasonable time the liquidation of any assets except those necessary to satisfy liabilities of the Partnership (including to those Holders as creditors) and/or distribute to the Holders, in lieu of cash, as tenants in common and in accordance with the provisions of Section 13.2.A hereof, undivided interests in such Partnership assets as the Liquidator deems not suitable for liquidation. Any such distributions in kind shall be made only if, in the good faith judgment of the Liquidator, such distributions in kind are in the best interest of the Holders, and shall be subject to such conditions relating to the disposition and management of such properties as the Liquidator deems reasonable and equitable and to any agreements governing the operation of such properties at such time. The Liquidator shall determine the fair market value of any property distributed in kind using such reasonable method of valuation as it may adopt.
- C. If any Holder has a deficit balance in its Capital Account (after giving effect to all contributions, distributions and allocations for all taxable years, including the year during which such liquidation occurs), except as otherwise agreed to by such Holder, such Holder shall have no obligation to make any contribution to the capital of the Partnership with respect to such deficit, and such deficit shall not be considered a debt owed to the Partnership or to any other Person for any purpose whatsoever.
- D. In the sole and absolute discretion of the General Partner or the Liquidator, a pro rata portion of the distributions that would otherwise be made to the Holders pursuant to this Article 13 may be:
- (1) distributed to a trust established for the benefit of the General Partner and the Holders for the purpose of liquidating Partnership assets, collecting amounts owed to the Partnership, and paying any contingent or unforeseen liabilities or obligations of the Partnership or of the General Partner arising out of or in connection with the Partnership and/or Partnership activities. The assets of any such trust shall be distributed to the Holders, from time to time, in the discretion of the General Partner, in the same proportions and amounts as would otherwise have been distributed to the Holders pursuant to this Agreement; or

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- (2) withheld or escrowed to provide a reasonable reserve for Partnership liabilities (contingent or otherwise) and to reflect the unrealized portion of any installment obligations owed to the Partnership, provided that such withheld or escrowed amounts shall be distributed to the Holders in the manner and order of priority set forth in Section 13.2.A hereof as soon as practicable.

- E. The provisions of Section 7.8 hereof shall apply to any Liquidator appointed pursuant to this Article 13 as though the Liquidator were the General Partner of the Partnership.

Section 13.3 *Deemed Contribution and Distribution*. Notwithstanding any other provision of this Article 13, in the event that the Partnership is liquidated within the meaning of Regulations Section 1.704-1(b)(2)(ii)(g), but no Liquidating Event has occurred, the Partnership's Property shall not be liquidated, the Partnership's liabilities shall not be paid or discharged and the Partnership's affairs shall not be wound up. Instead, for federal income tax purposes the Partnership shall be deemed to have contributed all of its assets and liabilities to a new partnership in exchange for an interest in the new partnership; and immediately thereafter, distributed Partnership Units to the Partners in the new partnership in accordance with their respective Capital Accounts in liquidation of the Partnership, and the new partnership is deemed to continue the business of the Partnership. Nothing in this Section 13.3 shall be deemed to have constituted a Transfer to an Assignee as a Substituted Limited Partner without compliance with the provisions of Section 11.4 or Section 13.3 hereof.

Section 13.4 *Rights of Holders*. Except as otherwise provided in this Agreement and subject to the rights of any Holder of any Partnership Interest set forth in a Partnership Unit Designation, (a) each Holder shall look solely to the assets of the Partnership for the return of its Capital Contribution, (b) no Holder shall have the right or power to demand or receive property other than cash from the Partnership and (c) no Holder shall have priority over any other Holder as to the return of its Capital Contributions, distributions or allocations.

Section 13.5 *Notice of Dissolution*. In the event that a Liquidating Event occurs or an event occurs that would, but for an election or objection by one or more Partners pursuant to Section 13.1 hereof, result in a dissolution of the Partnership, the General Partner or Liquidator shall, within thirty (30) days thereafter, provide written notice thereof to each Holder and, in the General Partner's or Liquidator's sole and absolute discretion or as required by the Act, to all other parties with whom the Partnership regularly conducts business (as determined in the sole and absolute discretion of the General Partner or Liquidator), and the General Partner or Liquidator may, or, if required by the Act, shall, publish notice thereof in a newspaper of general circulation in each place in which the Partnership regularly conducts business (as determined in the sole and absolute discretion of the General Partner or Liquidator).

Section 13.6 *Cancellation of Certificate of Limited Partnership*. Upon the completion of the liquidation of the Partnership cash and property as provided in Section 13.2 hereof, the Partnership shall be terminated, a certificate of cancellation shall be filed with the SDAT, all qualifications of the Partnership as a foreign limited partnership or association in jurisdictions other than the State of Maryland shall be cancelled, and such other actions as may be necessary to terminate the Partnership shall be taken.

Section 13.7 *Reasonable Time for Winding-Up*. A reasonable time shall be allowed for the orderly winding-up of the business and affairs of the Partnership and the liquidation of its assets pursuant to Section 13.2 hereof, in order to minimize any losses otherwise attendant upon such winding-up, and the provisions of this Agreement shall remain in effect between and among the Partners during the period of liquidation; provided, however, reasonable efforts shall be made to complete such winding-up within twenty-four (24) months after the adoption of a plan of liquidation of the General Partner, as provided in Section 562(b)(2)(B) of the Code, if necessary, in the sole and absolute discretion of the General Partner.

ARTICLE 14 PROCEDURES FOR ACTIONS AND CONSENTS OF PARTNERS; AMENDMENTS; MEETINGS

Section 14.1 *Procedures for Actions and Consents of Partners*. The actions requiring Consent of any Partner or Partners pursuant to this Agreement, including Section 7.3 hereof, or otherwise pursuant to applicable law, are subject to the procedures set forth in this Article 14.

Section 14.2 *Amendments*. Amendments to this Agreement may be proposed by the General Partner or by Limited Partners holding twenty-five percent (25%) or more of the Partnership Interests held by Limited Partners and, except as set forth in Section 7.3.B and Section 7.3.C and subject to Section 7.3.D, Section 16.10 and the rights of any Holder of any Partnership Interest set forth in a Partnership Unit Designation, shall be approved by the Consent of the Partners. Following such proposal, the General Partner shall submit to the Partners entitled to vote thereon any proposed amendment that, pursuant to the terms of this Agreement, requires the consent, approval or vote of such Partners. The General Partner shall seek the consent, approval or vote of the Partners entitled to vote thereon on any such proposed amendment in accordance with Section 14.3 hereof. Upon obtaining any such Consent, or any other Consent required by this Agreement, and without further action or execution by any other Person, including any Limited Partner, (i) any amendment to this Agreement may be implemented and reflected in a writing executed solely by the General Partner, and (ii) the Limited Partners shall be deemed a party to and bound by such amendment of this Agreement. For the avoidance of doubt, notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this Agreement, this Agreement may not be amended without the Consent of the General Partner.

Section 14.3 *Actions and Consents of the Partners*.

- A. Meetings of the Partners may be called only by the General Partner to transact any business that the General Partner determines. The call shall state the nature of the business to be transacted. Notice of any such meeting shall be given to all Partners entitled to act at the meeting not less than seven (7) days nor more than sixty (60) days prior to the date of such meeting. Partners may vote in person or by proxy at such meeting. Unless approval by a different number or proportion of

the Partners is required by this Agreement, the affirmative vote of Partners holding a majority of the Percentage Interests held by the Partners entitled to act on any proposal shall be sufficient to approve such proposal at a meeting of the Partners. Whenever the vote, consent or approval of Partners is permitted or required under this Agreement, such vote, consent or approval may be given at a meeting of Partners or may be given at a meeting of Partners or in accordance with the procedure prescribed in Section 14.3.B hereof.

- B. Any action requiring the Consent of any Partner or group of Partners pursuant to this Agreement or that is required or permitted to be taken at a meeting of the Partners may be taken without a meeting if a consent in writing or by electronic transmission setting forth the action so taken or consented to is given by Partners whose affirmative vote would be sufficient to approve such action or provide such Consent at a meeting of the Partners. Such consent may be in one instrument or in several instruments, and shall have the same force and effect as the affirmative vote of such Partners at a meeting of the Partners. Such consent shall be filed with the General Partner. An action so taken shall be deemed to have been taken at a meeting held on the effective date so certified. For purposes of obtaining a Consent in writing or by electronic transmission, the General Partner may require a response within a reasonable specified time, but not less than fifteen (15) days, and failure to respond in such time period shall constitute a Consent that is consistent with the General Partner's recommendation with respect to the proposal; *provided, however*, that an action shall become effective at such time as requisite Consents are received even if prior to such specified time.
- C. Each Partner entitled to act at a meeting of the Partners may authorize any Person or Persons to act for it by proxy on all matters in which a Partner is entitled to participate, including waiving notice of any meeting, or voting or participating at a meeting. Each proxy must be signed by the Partner or its attorney-in-fact. No proxy shall be valid after the expiration of eleven (11) months from the date thereof unless otherwise provided in the proxy (or there is receipt of a proxy authorizing a later date). Every proxy shall be revocable at the pleasure of the Partner executing it, such revocation to be effective upon the Partnership's receipt of written notice of such revocation from the Partner executing such proxy, unless such proxy states that it is irrevocable and is coupled with an interest.
- D. The General Partner may set, in advance, a record date for the purpose of determining the Partners (i) entitled to Consent to any action, (ii) entitled to receive notice of or vote at any meeting of the Partners or (iii) in order to make a determination of Partners for any other proper purpose. Such date, in any case, shall not be prior to the close of business on the day the record date is fixed and shall be not more than ninety (90) days and, in the case of a meeting of the Partners, not less than five (5) days, before the date on which the meeting is to be held or Consent is to be given. If no record date is fixed, the record date for the determination of Partners entitled to notice of or to vote at a meeting of the Partners shall be at the close of business on the day on which the notice of the meeting is sent, and the record date for any other determination of Partners shall

be the effective date of such Partner action, distribution or other event. When a determination of the Partners entitled to vote at any meeting of the Partners has been made as provided in this section, such determination shall apply to any adjournment thereof.

- E. Each meeting of Partners shall be conducted by the General Partner or such other Person as the General Partner may appoint pursuant to such rules for the conduct of the meeting as the General Partner or such other Person deems appropriate in its sole and absolute discretion. Without limitation, meetings of Partners may be conducted in the same manner as meetings of the General Partner's stockholders and may be held at the same time as, and as part of, the meetings of the General Partner's stockholders.

ARTICLE 15 GENERAL PROVISIONS

Section 15.1 *Redemption Rights of Qualifying Parties.*

- A. After the applicable Fourteen-Month Period, a Qualifying Party shall have the right (subject to the terms and conditions set forth herein) to require the Partnership to redeem all or a portion of the Partnership Common Units held by such Tendering Party (Partnership Common Units that have in fact been tendered for redemption being hereafter referred to as "*Tendered Units*") in exchange (a "*Redemption*") for the Cash Amount payable on the Specified Redemption Date. The Partnership may, in the General Partner's sole and absolute discretion, redeem Tendered Units at the request of the Holder thereof prior to the end of the applicable Fourteen-Month Period (subject to the terms and conditions set forth herein) (a "*Special Redemption*"); *provided, however*, that the General Partner first receives an opinion of counsel reasonably satisfactory to it to the effect that the proposed Special Redemption will not cause the Partnership or the General Partner to violate any Federal or state securities laws or regulations applicable to the Special Redemption, the issuance and sale of the Tendered Units to the Tendering Party or the issuance and sale of REIT Shares to the Tendering Party pursuant to Section 15.1.B of this Agreement. Any Redemption shall be exercised pursuant to a Notice of Redemption delivered to the General Partner by the Qualifying Party when exercising the Redemption right (the "*Tendering Party*"). The Partnership's obligation to effect a Redemption, however, shall not arise or be binding against the Partnership until the earlier of (i) the date the General Partner notifies the Tendering Party that the General Partner declines to acquire some or all of the Tendered Units under Section 15.1.B hereof following receipt of a Notice of Redemption and (ii) the Business Day following the Cut-Off Date. In the event of a Redemption, the Cash Amount shall be delivered as a certified or bank check payable to the Tendering Party or, in the General Partner's sole and absolute discretion, in immediately available funds, in each case, on or before the Specified Redemption Date; *provided, however*, that the General Partner may elect to cause the Specified Redemption Date to be delayed for up to an additional 60 Business Days to the extent required for the General Partner to cause additional REIT Shares to be issued to provide financing to be used to make such payment of the Cash Amount.

B. Notwithstanding the provisions of Section 15.1.A hereof, on or before the close of business on the Cut-Off Date, the General Partner may, in the General Partner's sole and absolute discretion but subject to the Ownership Limit, elect to acquire some or all (such percentage being referred to as the "*Applicable Percentage*") of the Tendered Units from the Tendering Party in exchange for REIT Shares. If the General Partner elects to acquire some or all of the Tendered Units pursuant to this Section 15.1.B, the General Partner shall give written notice thereof to the Tendering Party on or before the close of business on the Cut-Off Date. If the General Partner elects to acquire any of the Tendered Units for REIT Shares, the General Partner shall issue and deliver such REIT Shares to the Tendering Party pursuant to the terms of this Section 15.1.B, in which case (1) the General Partner shall assume directly the obligation with respect thereto and shall satisfy the Tendering Party's exercise of its Redemption right with respect to such Tendered Units and (2) such transaction shall be treated, for federal income tax purposes, as a transfer by the Tendering Party of such Tendered Units to the General Partner in exchange for the REIT Shares Amount. If the General Partner so elects, on the Specified Redemption Date, the Tendering Party shall sell such number of the Tendered Units to the General Partner in exchange for a number of REIT Shares equal to the product of the REIT Shares Amount and the Applicable Percentage; *provided, however*, that the General Partner may elect to cause the Specified Redemption Date to be delayed for up to an additional 60 Business Days to the extent required for the General Partner to cause additional REIT Shares to be issued. The Tendering Party shall submit (i) such information, certification or affidavit as the General Partner may reasonably require in connection with the application of the Ownership Limit to any such acquisition and (ii) such written representations, investment letters, legal opinions or other instruments necessary, in the General Partner's view, to effect compliance with the Securities Act. In the event of a purchase of the Tendered Units by the General Partner pursuant to this Section 15.1.B, the Tendering Party shall no longer have the right to cause the Partnership to effect a Redemption of such Tendered Units and, upon notice to the Tendering Party by the General Partner given on or before the close of business on the Cut-Off Date that the General Partner has elected to acquire some or all of the Tendered Units pursuant to this Section 15.1.B, the obligation of the Partnership to effect a Redemption of the Tendered Units as to which the General Partner's notice relates shall not accrue or arise. A number of REIT Shares equal to the product of the Applicable Percentage and the REIT Shares Amount, if applicable, shall be delivered by the General Partner as duly authorized, validly issued, fully paid and non-assessable REIT Shares and, if applicable, Rights, free of any pledge, lien, encumbrance or restriction, other than the Ownership Limit, the Securities Act and relevant state securities or "blue sky" laws. Neither any Tendering Party whose Tendered Units are acquired by the General Partner pursuant to this Section 15.1.B, any Partner, any Assignee nor any other interested Person shall have any right to require or cause the General Partner to register, qualify or list any REIT Shares owned or held by such Person, whether or not

such REIT Shares are issued pursuant to this Section 15.1.B, with the SEC, with any state securities commissioner, department or agency, under the Securities Act or the Exchange Act or with any stock exchange; *provided, however*, that this limitation shall not be in derogation of any registration or similar rights granted pursuant to any other written agreement between the General Partner and any such Person. Notwithstanding any delay in such delivery, the Tendering Party shall be deemed the owner of such REIT Shares and Rights for all purposes, including, without limitation, rights to vote or consent, receive dividends, and exercise rights, as of the Specified Redemption Date. REIT Shares issued upon an acquisition of the Tendered Units by the General Partner pursuant to this Section 15.1.B may contain such legends regarding restrictions under the Securities Act and applicable state securities laws as the General Partner determines to be necessary or advisable in order to ensure compliance with such laws.

- C. Notwithstanding the provisions of Section 15.1.A and 15.1.B hereof, the Tendering Parties shall have no rights under this Agreement that would otherwise be prohibited by the Charter and shall have no rights to require the Partnership to redeem Common Units if the acquisition of such Common Units by the General Partner pursuant to Section 15.1.B hereof would cause any Person to violate the Ownership Limit. To the extent that any attempted Redemption or acquisition of the Tendered Units by the General Partner pursuant to Section 15.1.B hereof would be in violation of this Section 15.1.C, it shall be null and void *ab initio*, and the Tendering Party shall not acquire any rights or economic interests in REIT Shares otherwise issuable by the General Partner under Section 15.1.B hereof or cash otherwise payable under Section 15.1.A hereof.
- D. If the General Partner does not elect to acquire the Tendered Units pursuant to Section 15.1.B hereof:
- (1) The Partnership may elect to raise funds for the payment of the Cash Amount either (a) by requiring that the General Partner contribute to the Partnership funds from the proceeds of a registered public offering by the General Partner of REIT Shares sufficient to purchase the Tendered Units or (b) from any other sources (including, but not limited to, the sale of any Property and the incurrence of additional Debt) available to the Partnership. The General Partner shall make a Capital Contribution of any such amounts to the Partnership for an additional General Partner Interest. Any such contribution shall entitle the General Partner to an equitable Percentage Interest adjustment.
 - (2) If the Cash Amount is not paid on or before the Specified Redemption Date, interest shall accrue with respect to the Cash Amount from the day after the Specified Redemption Date to and including the date on which the Cash Amount is paid at a rate equal to the base rate on corporate loans at large United States money center commercial banks, as published from time to time in the Wall Street Journal (but not higher than the maximum lawful rate).

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- E. Notwithstanding the provisions of Section 15.1.B hereof, the General Partner shall not, under any circumstances, elect to acquire any Tendered Units in exchange for REIT Shares if such exchange would be prohibited under the Charter.
- F. Notwithstanding anything herein to the contrary (but subject to Section 15.1.C hereof), with respect to any Redemption (or any tender of Partnership Common Units for Redemption if the Tendered Units are acquired by the General Partner pursuant to Section 15.1.B hereof) pursuant to this Section 15.1:
- (1) All Partnership Common Units acquired by the General Partner pursuant to Section 15.1.B hereof shall automatically, and without further action required, be converted into and deemed to be a General Partner Interest comprised of the same number of Partnership Common Units.
 - (2) Subject to the Ownership Limit, no Tendering Party may effect a Redemption for less than one thousand (1,000) Partnership Common Units or, if such Tendering Party holds (as a Limited Partner or, economically, as an Assignee) less than one thousand (1,000) Partnership Common Units, all of the Partnership Common Units held by such Tendering Party, without, in each case, the Consent of the General Partner.
 - (3) If (i) a Tendering Party surrenders its Tendered Units during the period after the Partnership Record Date with respect to a distribution and before the record date established by the General Partner for a distribution to its stockholders of some or all of its portion of such Partnership distribution, and (ii) the General Partner elects to acquire any of such Tendered Units in exchange for REIT Shares pursuant to Section 15.1.B, such Tendering Party shall pay to the General Partner on the Specified Redemption Date an amount in cash equal to the portion of the Partnership distribution in respect of the Tendered Units exchanged for REIT Shares, insofar as such distribution relates to the same period for which such Tendering Party would receive a distribution in respect of such REIT Shares.
 - (4) The consummation of such Redemption (or an acquisition of Tendered Units by the General Partner pursuant to Section 15.1.B hereof, as the case may be) shall be subject to the expiration or termination of the applicable waiting period, if any, under the Hart-Scott-Rodino Act.
 - (5) The Tendering Party shall continue to own (subject, in the case of an Assignee, to the provisions of Section 11.5 hereof) all Partnership Common Units subject to any Redemption, and be treated as a Limited Partner or an Assignee, as applicable, with respect to such Partnership Common Units for all purposes of this Agreement, until such Partnership

Common Units are either paid for by the Partnership pursuant to Section 15.1.A hereof or transferred to the General Partner and paid for, by the issuance of the REIT Shares, pursuant to Section 15.1.B hereof on the Specified Redemption Date. Until a Specified Redemption Date and an acquisition of the Tendered Units by the General Partner pursuant to Section 15.1.B hereof, the Tendering Party shall have no rights as a stockholder of the General Partner with respect to the REIT Shares issuable in connection with such acquisition.

- G. In connection with an exercise of Redemption rights pursuant to this Section 15.1, except as otherwise Consented to by the General Partner, the Tendering Party shall submit the following to the General Partner, in addition to the Notice of Redemption:
- (1) A written affidavit, dated the same date as the Notice of Redemption, (a) disclosing the actual and constructive ownership, as determined for purposes of Code Sections 856(a)(6) and 856(h), of REIT Shares by (i) such Tendering Party and (ii) to the best of their knowledge any Related Party and (b) representing that, after giving effect to the Redemption or an acquisition of the Tendered Units by the General Partner pursuant to Section 15.1.B hereof, neither the Tendering Party nor to the best of their knowledge any Related Party will own REIT Shares in violation of the Ownership Limit;
 - (2) A written representation that neither the Tendering Party nor to the best of their knowledge any Related Party has any intention to acquire any additional REIT Shares prior to the closing of the Redemption or an acquisition of the Tendered Units by the General Partner pursuant to Section 15.1.B hereof on the Specified Redemption Date;
 - (3) An undertaking to certify, at and as a condition of the closing of (i) the Redemption or (ii) the acquisition of Tendered Units by the General Partner pursuant to Section 15.1.B hereof on the Specified Redemption Date, that either (a) the actual and constructive ownership of REIT Shares by the Tendering Party and to the best of its knowledge any Related Party remain unchanged from that disclosed in the affidavit required by Section 15.1.G(1) or (b) after giving effect to the Redemption or the acquisition of Tendered Units by the General Partner pursuant to Section 15.1.B hereof, neither the Tendering Party nor, to the best of its knowledge, any other Person shall own REIT Shares in violation of the Ownership Limit; and
 - (4) In connection with any Special Redemption, the General Partner shall have the right to receive an opinion of counsel reasonably satisfactory to it to the effect that the proposed Special Redemption will not cause the Partnership or the General Partner to violate any Federal or state securities laws or regulations applicable to the Special Redemption, the issuance and sale of the Tendered Units to the Tendering Party or the issuance and sale of REIT Shares to the Tendering Party pursuant to Section 15.1.B of this Agreement.

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- H. LTIP Unit Exception and Redemption of Partnership Common Units Issued Upon Conversion of LTIP Units. Holders of LTIP Units shall not be entitled to the right of Redemption provided for in Section 15.1 of this Agreement, unless and until such LTIP Units have been converted into Partnership Common Units (or any other class or series of Partnership Common Units entitled to such right of Redemption) in accordance with their terms.

Section 15.2 *Addresses and Notice*. Any notice, demand, request or report required or permitted to be given or made to a Partner or Assignee under this Agreement shall be in writing and shall be deemed given or made when delivered in person or when sent by first class United States mail or by other means of written or electronic communication (including by telecopy, facsimile, electronic mail or commercial courier service) to the Partner, or Assignee at the address set forth in the Register or such other address of which the Partner shall notify the General Partner in accordance with this Section 15.2.

Section 15.3 *Titles and Captions*. All article or section titles or captions in this Agreement are for convenience only. They shall not be deemed part of this Agreement and in no way define, limit, extend or describe the scope or intent of any provisions hereof. Except as specifically provided otherwise, references to "Articles" or "Sections" are to Articles and Sections of this Agreement.

Section 15.4 *Pronouns and Plurals*. Whenever the context may require, any pronouns used in this Agreement shall include the corresponding masculine, feminine or neuter forms, and the singular form of nouns, pronouns and verbs shall include the plural and vice versa.

Section 15.5 *Further Action*. The parties shall execute and deliver all documents, provide all information and take or refrain from taking action as may be necessary or appropriate to achieve the purposes of this Agreement.

Section 15.6 *Binding Effect*. This Agreement shall be binding upon and inure to the benefit of the parties hereto and their heirs, executors, administrators, successors, legal representatives and permitted assigns.

Section 15.7 *Waiver*.

- A. No failure by any party to insist upon the strict performance of any covenant, duty, agreement or condition of this Agreement or to exercise any right or remedy consequent upon a breach thereof shall constitute waiver of any such breach or any other covenant, duty, agreement or condition.
- B. The restrictions, conditions and other limitations on the rights and benefits of the Limited Partners contained in this Agreement, and the duties, covenants and other requirements of performance or notice by the Limited Partners, are for the benefit of the Partnership and, except for an obligation to pay money to the Partnership, may be waived or relinquished by the General Partner, in its sole and absolute discretion, on behalf of the Partnership in

one or more instances from time to time and at any time; *provided, however*, that any such waiver or relinquishment may not be made if it would have the effect of (i) creating liability for any other Limited Partner, (ii) causing the Partnership to cease to qualify as a limited partnership, (iii) reducing the amount of cash otherwise distributable to the Limited Partners (other than any such reduction that affects all of the Limited Partners holding the same class or series of Partnership Units on a uniform or pro rata basis, if approved by a Majority in Interest of the Partners holding such class or series of Partnership Units), (iv) resulting in the classification of the Partnership as an association or publicly traded partnership taxable as a corporation or (v) violating the Securities Act, the Exchange Act or any state “blue sky” or other securities laws; and *provided, further*, that any waiver relating to compliance with the Ownership Limit or other restrictions in the Charter shall be made and shall be effective only as provided in the Charter.

Section 15.8 *Counterparts*. This Agreement may be executed in counterparts, all of which together shall constitute one agreement binding on all the parties hereto, notwithstanding that all such parties are not signatories to the original or the same counterpart. Each party shall become bound by this Agreement immediately upon affixing its signature hereto.

Section 15.9 *Applicable Law; Consent to Jurisdiction; Waiver of Jury Trial*.

- A. This Agreement shall be construed and enforced in accordance with and governed by the laws of the State of Maryland, without regard to the principles of conflicts of law. In the event of a conflict between any provision of this Agreement and any non-mandatory provision of the Act, the provisions of this Agreement shall control and take precedence.
- B. Each Partner hereby (i) submits to the non-exclusive jurisdiction of any state or federal court sitting in the State of Maryland (collectively, the “*Maryland Courts*”), with respect to any dispute arising out of this Agreement or any transaction contemplated hereby to the extent such courts would have subject matter jurisdiction with respect to such dispute, (ii) irrevocably waives, and agrees not to assert by way of motion, defense, or otherwise, in any such action, any claim that it is not subject personally to the jurisdiction of any of the Maryland Courts, that its property is exempt or immune from attachment or execution, that the action is brought in an inconvenient forum, or that the venue of the action is improper, (iii) agrees that notice or the service of process in any action, suit or proceeding arising out of or relating to this Agreement or the transactions contemplated hereby shall be properly served or delivered if delivered to such Partner at such Partner’s last known address as set forth in the Partnership’s books and records, and (iv) irrevocably waives any and all right to trial by jury in any legal proceeding arising out of or related to this Agreement or the transactions contemplated hereby.

Section 15.10 *Entire Agreement*. This Agreement contains all of the understandings and agreements between and among the Partners with respect to the subject matter of this Agreement and the rights, interests and obligations of the Partners with respect to the Partnership. Notwithstanding the immediately preceding sentence, the Partners hereby acknowledge and agree that the General Partner, without the approval of any Limited Partner, may enter into side letters or similar written agreements with Limited Partners that are not Affiliates of the General Partner, executed contemporaneously with the admission of such Limited Partner to the

Partnership, affecting the terms hereof, as negotiated with such Limited Partner and which the General Partner in its sole discretion deems necessary, desirable or appropriate. The parties hereto agree that any terms, conditions or provisions contained in such side letters or similar written agreements with a Limited Partner shall govern with respect to such Limited Partner notwithstanding the provisions of this Agreement.

Section 15.11 *Invalidity of Provisions*. If any provision of this Agreement is or becomes invalid, illegal or unenforceable in any respect, the validity, legality and enforceability of the remaining provisions contained herein shall not be affected thereby.

Section 15.12 *Limitation to Preserve REIT Status*. Notwithstanding anything else in this Agreement, to the extent that the amount to be paid, credited, distributed or reimbursed by the Partnership to any REIT Partner or its officers, directors, employees or agents, whether as a reimbursement, fee, expense or indemnity (a “*REIT Payment*”), would constitute gross income to the REIT Partner for purposes of Code Section 856(c)(2) or Code Section 856(c)(3), then, notwithstanding any other provision of this Agreement, the amount of such REIT Payments, as selected by the General Partner in its discretion from among items of potential distribution, reimbursement, fees, expenses and indemnities, shall be reduced for any Partnership Year so that the REIT Payments, as so reduced, for or with respect to such REIT Partner shall not exceed the lesser of:

(i) an amount equal to the excess, if any, of (a) four percent (4%) of the REIT Partner’s total gross income (but excluding the amount of any REIT Payments and any amounts excluded from gross income pursuant to Section 856(c) of the Code) for the Partnership Year that is described in subsections (A) through (I) of Code Section 856(c)(2) over (b) the amount of gross income (within the meaning of Code Section 856(c)(2)) derived by the REIT Partner from sources other than those described in subsections (A) through (I) of Code Section 856(c)(2) (but not including the amount of any REIT Payments or any amounts excluded from gross income pursuant to Section 856(c) of the Code); or

(ii) an amount equal to the excess, if any, of (a) twenty-four percent (24%) of the REIT Partner’s total gross income (but excluding the amount of any REIT Payments and any amounts excluded from gross income pursuant to Section 856(c) of the Code) for the Partnership Year that is described in subsections (A) through (I) of Code Section 856(c)(3) over (b) the amount of gross income (within the meaning of Code Section 856(c)(3)) derived by the REIT Partner from sources other than those described in subsections (A) through (I) of Code Section 856(c)(3) (but not including the amount of any REIT Payments or any amounts excluded from gross income pursuant to Section 856(c) of the Code);

provided, however, that REIT Payments in excess of the amounts set forth in clauses (i) and (ii) above may be made if the General Partner, as a condition precedent, obtains an opinion of tax counsel that the receipt of such excess amounts should not adversely affect the REIT Partner’s ability to qualify as a REIT. To the extent that REIT Payments may not be made in a Partnership Year as a consequence of the limitations set forth in this Section 15.12, such REIT Payments shall carry over and shall be treated as arising in the following Partnership Year if such carry

over does not adversely affect the REIT Partner's ability to qualify as a REIT, provided, however, that any such REIT Payment shall not be carried over more than three Partnership Years, and any such remaining payments shall no longer be due and payable. The purpose of the limitations contained in this Section 15.12 is to prevent any REIT Partner from failing to qualify as a REIT under the Code by reason of such REIT Partner's share of items, including distributions, reimbursements, fees, expenses or indemnities, receivable directly or indirectly from the Partnership, and this Section 15.12 shall be interpreted and applied to effectuate such purpose.

Section 15.13 *No Partition*. No Partner nor any successor-in-interest to a Partner shall have the right while this Agreement remains in effect to have any property of the Partnership partitioned, or to file a complaint or institute any proceeding at law or in equity to have such property of the Partnership partitioned, and each Partner, on behalf of itself and its successors and assigns hereby waives any such right. It is the intention of the Partners that the rights of the parties hereto and their successors-in-interest to Partnership property, as among themselves, shall be governed by the terms of this Agreement, and that the rights of the Partners and their respective successors-in-interest shall be subject to the limitations and restrictions as set forth in this Agreement.

Section 15.14 *No Third-Party Rights Created Hereby*. The provisions of this Agreement are solely for the purpose of defining the interests of the Holders, inter se; and no other person, firm or entity (i.e., a party who is not a signatory hereto or a permitted successor to such signatory hereto) shall have any right, power, title or interest by way of subrogation or otherwise, in and to the rights, powers, title and provisions of this Agreement. No creditor or other third party having dealings with the Partnership (other than as expressly provided herein with respect to Indemnitees) shall have the right to enforce the right or obligation of any Partner to make Capital Contributions or loans to the Partnership or to pursue any other right or remedy hereunder or at law or in equity. None of the rights or obligations of the Partners herein set forth to make Capital Contributions or loans to the Partnership shall be deemed an asset of the Partnership for any purpose by any creditor or other third party, nor may any such rights or obligations be sold, transferred or assigned by the Partnership or pledged or encumbered by the Partnership to secure any debt or other obligation of the Partnership or any of the Partners.

Section 15.15 *No Rights as Stockholders*. Nothing contained in this Agreement shall be construed as conferring upon the Holders of Partnership Units any rights whatsoever as stockholders of the General Partner, including without limitation any right to receive dividends or other distributions made to stockholders of the General Partner or to vote or to consent or receive notice as stockholders in respect of any meeting of stockholders for the election of directors of the General Partner or any other matter.

ARTICLE 16
LTIP UNITS

Section 16.1 *Designation*. A class of Partnership Units in the Partnership designated as the “LTIP Units” is hereby established. The number of LTIP Units that may be issued is not limited by this Agreement.

Section 16.2 *Vesting*.

- A. *Vesting, Generally*. LTIP Units may, in the sole discretion of the General Partner, be issued subject to vesting, forfeiture and additional restrictions on Transfer pursuant to the terms of an award, vesting or other similar agreement (a “*Vesting Agreement*”). The terms of any Vesting Agreement may be modified by the General Partner from time to time in its sole discretion, subject to any restrictions on amendment imposed by the relevant Vesting Agreement or by the Plan or any other Equity Plan or Stock Option Plan, if applicable. LTIP Units that were fully vested when issued or that have vested and are no longer subject to forfeiture under the terms of a Vesting Agreement are referred to as “Vested LTIP Units”; all other LTIP Units shall be treated as “Unvested LTIP Units.”
- B. *Forfeiture*. Unless otherwise specified in the Vesting Agreement, the Plan or in any applicable Equity Plan or Stock Option Plan or other compensatory arrangement or incentive program pursuant to which LTIP Units are issued, upon the occurrence of any event specified in such Vesting Agreement, Plan, Equity Plan, Stock Option Plan, arrangement or program as resulting in either the right of the Partnership or the General Partner to repurchase LTIP Units at a specified purchase price or some other forfeiture of any LTIP Units, then if the Partnership or the General Partner exercises such right to repurchase or upon the occurrence of the event causing forfeiture in accordance with the applicable Vesting Agreement, Plan, Equity Plan, Equity Plan, Stock Option Plan, arrangement or program, then the relevant LTIP Units shall immediately, and without any further action, be treated as cancelled and no longer outstanding for any purpose. Unless otherwise specified in the applicable Vesting Agreement, Plan, Stock Option Plan, arrangement or program, no consideration or other payment shall be due with respect to any LTIP Units that have been forfeited, other than any distributions declared with respect to a Partnership Record Date and with respect to such units prior to the effective date of the forfeiture. Except as otherwise provided in this Agreement (including without limitation Section 6.4.A(ix)) or any agreement relating to the grant of LTIP Units, including any Vesting Agreement, in connection with any repurchase or forfeiture of such units, the balance of the portion of the Capital Account of the Holder of LTIP Units that is attributable to all of his or her LTIP Units shall be reduced by the amount, if any, by which it exceeds the target balance contemplated by Section 6.2.D, calculated with respect to such Holder’s remaining LTIP Units, if any.

Section 16.3 *Adjustments*. The Partnership shall maintain at all times a one-to-one correspondence between LTIP Units and Partnership Common Units for conversion, distribution and other purposes, including without limitation complying with the following procedures; provided, that the foregoing is not intended to alter the special allocations pursuant to Section 6.2.D, differences between distributions to be made with respect to LTIP Units and Partnership

Common Units pursuant to Section 13.2 and Section 16.4.B hereof in the event that the Capital Accounts attributable to the LTIP Units are less than those attributable to Partnership Common Units due to insufficient special allocation pursuant to Section 6.2.D or related provisions. If an Adjustment Event occurs, then the General Partner shall take any action reasonably necessary, including any amendment to this Agreement or update the Register adjusting the number of outstanding LTIP Units or subdividing or combining outstanding LTIP Units, to maintain a one-for-one conversion and economic equivalence ratio between Partnership Common Units and LTIP Units. The following shall be "Adjustment Events": (i) the Partnership makes a distribution on all outstanding Partnership Common Units in Partnership Units, (ii) the Partnership subdivides the outstanding Partnership Common Units into a greater number of units or combines the outstanding Partnership Common Units into a smaller number of units, or (iii) the Partnership issues any Partnership Units in exchange for its outstanding Partnership Common Units by way of a reclassification or recapitalization of its Partnership Common Units. If more than one Adjustment Event occurs, any adjustment to the LTIP Units need be made only once using a single formula that takes into account each and every Adjustment Event as if all Adjustment Events occurred simultaneously. For the avoidance of doubt, the following shall not be Adjustment Events: (x) the issuance of Partnership Units in a financing, reorganization, acquisition or other similar business transaction, (y) the issuance of Partnership Units pursuant to any employee benefit or compensation plan or distribution reinvestment plan, or (z) the issuance of any Partnership Units to the General Partner in respect of a Capital Contribution to the Partnership of proceeds from the sale of securities by the General Partner. If the Partnership takes an action affecting the Partnership Common Units other than actions specifically described above as "Adjustment Events" and in the opinion of the General Partner such action would require an action to maintain the one-to-one correspondence described above, the General Partner shall have the right to take such action, to the extent permitted by law, the Plan and by any applicable Equity Plan or Stock Option Plan or other compensatory arrangement or incentive program pursuant to which LTIP Units are issued, in such manner and at such time as the General Partner, in its sole discretion, may determine to be reasonably appropriate under the circumstances. If an amendment is made to this Agreement adjusting the number of outstanding LTIP Units as herein provided, the Partnership shall promptly file in the books and records of the Partnership an officer's certificate setting forth a brief statement of the facts requiring such adjustment, which certificate shall be conclusive evidence of the correctness of such adjustment absent manifest error. Promptly after filing of such certificate, the Partnership shall mail a notice to each Holder of LTIP Units setting forth the adjustment to his or her LTIP Units and the effective date of such adjustment.

Section 16.4 *Distributions.*

- A. *Operating Distributions.* Except as otherwise provided in this Agreement, the Plan, or any other applicable Equity Plan or Stock Option Plan, any applicable Vesting Agreement or by the General Partner with respect to any particular class or series of LTIP Units, Holders of LTIP Units shall be entitled to receive, if, when and as authorized by the General Partner out of funds or other property legally available for the payment of distributions, regular, special, extraordinary or other distributions (other than distributions upon the occurrence of a Liquidating Event or proceeds from a Terminating Capital Transaction) which may be made from time to time, in an amount per unit equal to the amount of any such distributions that would have been payable to such holders if the LTIP Units had been Partnership Common Units (if applicable, assuming such LTIP Units were held for the entire period to which such distributions relate).

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- B. *Liquidating Distributions.* Holders of LTIP Units shall also be entitled to receive, if, when and as authorized by the General Partner out of funds or other property legally available for the payment of distributions, distributions upon the occurrence of a Liquidating Event or representing proceeds from a Terminating Capital Transaction in an amount per LTIP Unit equal to the amount of any such distributions payable on one Partnership Common Unit, whether made prior to, on or after the LTIP Unit Distribution Payment Date, provided that the amount of such distributions shall not exceed the positive balances of the Capital Accounts of the holders of such LTIP Units to the extent attributable to the ownership of such LTIP Units.
- C. *Distributions Generally.* Distributions on the LTIP Units, if authorized, shall be payable on such dates and in such manner as may be authorized by the General Partner (any such date, a “LTIP Unit Distribution Payment Date”); provided that the LTIP Unit Distribution Payment Date shall be the same as the corresponding date relating to the corresponding distribution on the Partnership Common Units. The record date for determining which Holders of LTIP Units are entitled to receive a distributions shall be the Partnership Record Date.

Section 16.5 *Allocations.* Holders of LTIP Units shall be allocated Net Income and Net Loss in amounts per LTIP Unit equal to the amounts allocated per Partnership Common Unit. The allocations provided by the preceding sentence shall be subject to Sections 6.2.A and 6.2.B and in addition to any special allocations required by Section 6.2.D. The General Partner is authorized in its discretion to delay or accelerate the participation of the LTIP Units in allocations of Net Income and Net Loss under this Section 16.5, or to adjust the allocations made under this Section 16.5, so that the ratio of (i) the total amount of Net Income or Net Loss allocated with respect to each LTIP Unit in the taxable year in which that LTIP Unit’s LTIP Unit Distribution Payment Date falls (excluding special allocations under Section 6.2.D), to (ii) the total amount distributed to that LTIP Unit with respect to such period, is more nearly equal to the ratio of (i) the Net Income and Net Loss allocated with respect to the General Partner’s Partnership Common Units in such taxable year to (ii) the amounts distributed to the General Partner with respect to such Partnership Common Units and such taxable year.

Section 16.6 *Transfers.* Subject to the terms of any Vesting Agreement, a Holder of LTIP Units shall be entitled to transfer his or her LTIP Units to the same extent, and subject to the same restrictions as Holders of Partnership Common Units are entitled to transfer their Partnership Common Units pursuant to Article 11.

Section 16.7 *Redemption.* The Redemption Right provided to Qualifying Parties under Section 15.1 shall not apply with respect to LTIP Units unless and until they are converted to Partnership Common Units as provided in Section 16.9 below.

Section 16.8 *Legend.* Any certificate evidencing an LTIP Unit shall bear an appropriate legend indicating that additional terms, conditions and restrictions on transfer, including without limitation any Vesting Agreement, apply to the LTIP Unit.

Section 16.9 *Conversion to Partnership Common Units.*

- A. A Qualifying Party holding LTIP Units shall have the right (the “Conversion Right”), at his or her option, at any time to convert all or a portion of his or her Vested LTIP Units into Partnership Common Units; provided, however, that a Qualifying Party may not exercise the Conversion Right for less than one thousand (1,000) Vested LTIP Units or, if such Qualifying Party holds less than one thousand (1,000) Vested LTIP Units, all of the Vested LTIP Units held by such Qualifying Party. Qualifying Parties shall not have the right to convert Unvested LTIP Units into Partnership Common Units until they become Vested LTIP Units; provided, however, that when a Qualifying Party is notified of the expected occurrence of an event that will cause his or her Unvested LTIP Units to become Vested LTIP Units, such Qualifying Party may give the Partnership a Conversion Notice conditioned upon and effective as of the time of vesting and such Conversion Notice, unless subsequently revoked by the Qualifying Party, shall be accepted by the Partnership subject to such condition. In all cases, the conversion of any LTIP Units into Partnership Common Units shall be subject to the conditions and procedures set forth in this Section 16.9.
- B. A Qualifying Party may convert his or her Vested LTIP Units into an equal number of fully paid and non-assessable Partnership Common Units, giving effect to all adjustments (if any) made pursuant to Section 16.3. Notwithstanding the foregoing, in no event may a Qualifying Party convert a number of Vested LTIP Units that exceeds (x) the Economic Capital Account Balance of such Limited Partner, to the extent attributable to his or her ownership of LTIP Units, divided by (y) the Common Unit Economic Balance, in each case as determined as of the effective date of conversion (the “*Capital Account Limitation*”). In order to exercise his or her Conversion Right, a Qualifying Party shall deliver a notice (a “*Conversion Notice*”) in the form attached as Exhibit C to the Partnership (with a copy to the General Partner) not less than 3 nor more than 10 days prior to a date (the “*Conversion Date*”) specified in such Conversion Notice; provided, however, that if the General Partner has not given to the Qualifying Party notice of a proposed or upcoming Transaction (as defined below) at least thirty (30) days prior to the effective date of such Transaction, then the Qualifying Party shall have the right to deliver a Conversion Notice until the earlier of (x) the tenth (10th) day after such notice from the General Partner of a Transaction or (y) the third Business Day immediately preceding the effective date of such Transaction. A Conversion Notice shall be provided in the manner provided in Section 15.2. Each Qualifying Party seeking to convert Vested LTIP Units covenants and agrees with the Partnership that all Vested LTIP Units to be converted pursuant to this Section 16.9 shall be free and clear of all liens. Notwithstanding anything herein to the contrary, if the Fourteen-Month Period with respect to the Partnership Common Units into which the Vested LTIP Units are convertible has elapsed, a Qualifying Party may deliver a Notice of Redemption pursuant to Section 15.1.A relating to such Partnership Common Units in advance of the Conversion Date; provided, however, that the redemption of such Partnership Common Units by the Partnership shall in no event take place until on or after the Conversion Date. For clarity, it is noted that the objective of this paragraph is to put a Qualifying Party in a position where, if he or she so wishes, the Partnership Common Units into which his or her Vested LTIP Units will be converted can be redeemed by the Partnership pursuant to

Section 15.1.A simultaneously with such conversion, with the further consequence that, if the General Partner elects to assume the Partnership's redemption obligation with respect to such Partnership Common Units under Section 15.1.B by delivering to such Qualifying Party REIT Shares rather than cash, then such Qualifying Party can have such REIT Shares issued to him or her simultaneously with the conversion of his or her Vested LTIP Units into Partnership Common Units. The General Partner shall cooperate with a Qualifying Party to coordinate the timing of the different events described in the foregoing sentence.

- C. The Partnership, at any time at the election of the General Partner, may cause any number of Vested LTIP Units to be converted (a "*Forced Conversion*") into an equal number of Partnership Common Units, giving effect to all adjustments (if any) made pursuant to Section 16.3; provided, however, that the Partnership may not cause a Forced Conversion of any LTIP Units that would not at the time be eligible for conversion at the option of such Qualifying Party pursuant to Section 16.9.B. In order to exercise its right of Forced Conversion, the Partnership shall deliver a notice (a "*Forced Conversion Notice*") in the form attached hereto as Exhibit D to the applicable Holder of LTIP Units not less than 10 nor more than 60 days prior to the Conversion Date specified in such Forced Conversion Notice. A Forced Conversion Notice shall be provided in the manner provided in Section 15.2.
- D. A conversion of Vested LTIP Units for which the Holder thereof has given a Conversion Notice or the Partnership has given a Forced Conversion Notice shall occur automatically after the close of business on the applicable Conversion Date without any action on the part of such Holder of LTIP Units, other than the surrender of any certificate or certificates evidencing such Vested LTIP Units, as of which time such Holder of LTIP Units shall be credited on the books and records of the Partnership as of the opening of business on the next day with the number of Partnership Common Units into which such LTIP Units were converted. After the conversion of LTIP Units as aforesaid, the Partnership shall deliver to such Holder of LTIP Units, upon his or her written request, a certificate of the General Partner certifying the number of Partnership Common Units and remaining LTIP Units, if any, held by such person immediately after such conversion. The Assignee of any Limited Partner pursuant to Article 11 hereof may exercise the rights of such Limited Partner pursuant to this Section 16.9 and such Limited Partner shall be bound by the exercise of such rights by the Assignee.
- E. For purposes of making future allocations under Section 6.2.D and applying the Capital Account Limitation, the portion of the Economic Capital Account Balance of the applicable Holder of LTIP Units that is treated as attributable to his or her LTIP Units shall be reduced, as of the date of conversion, by the product of the number of LTIP Units converted and the Common Unit Economic Balance.
- F. If the Partnership or the General Partner shall be a party to any transaction (including without limitation a merger, consolidation, unit exchange, self-tender offer for all or substantially all Partnership Common Units or other business combination or reorganization, or sale of all or substantially all of the Partnership's assets, but excluding any transaction which constitutes an Adjustment Event) in each case as a result of which

Partnership Common Units shall be exchanged for or converted into the right, or the Holders shall otherwise be entitled, to receive cash, securities or other property or any combination thereof (each of the foregoing being referred to herein as a “*Transaction*”), then the General Partner shall, immediately prior to the Transaction, exercise its right to cause a Forced Conversion with respect to the maximum number of LTIP Units then eligible for conversion, taking into account any allocations that occur in connection with the Transaction or that would occur in connection with the Transaction if the assets of the Partnership were sold at the Transaction price or, if applicable, at a value determined by the General Partner in good faith using the value attributed to the Partnership Common Units in the context of the Transaction (in which case the Conversion Date shall be the effective date of the Transaction). In anticipation of such Forced Conversion and the consummation of the Transaction, the Partnership shall use commercially reasonable efforts to cause each Holder of LTIP Units to be afforded the right to receive in connection with such Transaction in consideration for the Partnership Common Units into which his or her LTIP Units will be converted the same kind and amount of cash, securities and other property (or any combination thereof) receivable upon the consummation of such Transaction by a Holder of the same number of Partnership Common Units, assuming such Holder is not a Person with which the Partnership consolidated or into which the Partnership merged or which merged into the Partnership or to which such sale or transfer was made, as the case may be (a “*Constituent Person*”), or an affiliate of a Constituent Person. In the event that Holders of Partnership Common Units have the opportunity to elect the form or type of consideration to be received upon consummation of the Transaction, prior to such Transaction the General Partner shall give prompt written notice to each Holder of LTIP Units of such opportunity, and shall use commercially reasonable efforts to afford the Holder of LTIP Units the right to elect, by written notice to the General Partner, the form or type of consideration to be received upon conversion of each LTIP Unit held by such Holder into Partnership Common Units in connection with such Transaction. If a Holder of LTIP Units fails to make such an election, such Holder (and any of its transferees) shall receive upon conversion of each LTIP Unit held by him or her (or by any of his or her transferees) the same kind and amount of consideration that a Holder of Partnership Common Units would receive if such Holder of Partnership Common Units failed to make such an election. Subject to the rights of the Partnership and the General Partner under any Vesting Agreement and the relevant terms of the Plan or any other applicable Equity Plan, the Partnership shall use commercially reasonable effort to cause the terms of any Transaction to be consistent with the provisions of this Section 16.9.F and to enter into an agreement with the successor or purchasing entity, as the case may be, for the benefit of any Holder of LTIP Units whose LTIP Units will not be converted into Partnership Common Units in connection with the Transaction that will (i) contain provisions enabling the Qualifying Parties that remain outstanding after such Transaction to convert their LTIP Units into securities as comparable as reasonably possible under the circumstances to the Partnership Common Units and (ii) preserve as far as reasonably possible under the circumstances the distribution, special allocation, conversion, and other rights set forth in the Agreement for the benefit of the Holder of LTIP Units.

Section 16.10 *Voting*. LTIP Limited Partners shall have the same voting rights as Limited Partners holding Partnership Common Units, with the LTIP Units voting together as a single class with the Partnership Common Units and having one vote per LTIP Unit and Holders of LTIP Units shall not be entitled to approve, vote on or consent to any other matter. The foregoing voting provision will not apply if, at or prior to the time when the action with respect to which such vote would otherwise be required will be effected, all outstanding LTIP Units shall have been converted or provision is made for such conversion to occur as of or prior to such time into Partnership Common Units.

Section 16.11 *Section 83 Safe Harbor*. Each Partner authorizes the General Partner to elect to apply the safe harbor (the "*Section 83 Safe Harbor*") set forth in proposed Regulations Section 1.83-3(l) and proposed IRS Revenue Procedure published in Notice 2005-43 (together, the "*Proposed Section 83 Safe Harbor Regulation*") (under which the fair market value of a Partnership Interest that is Transferred in connection with the performance of services is treated as being equal to the liquidation value of the interest) if such Proposed Section 83 Safe Harbor Regulation or similar Regulations are promulgated as a final or temporary Regulations. If the General Partner determines that the Partnership should make such election, the General Partner is hereby authorized to amend this Agreement without the consent of any other Partner to provide that (i) the Partnership is authorized and directed to elect the Section 83 Safe Harbor, (ii) the Partnership and each of its Partners (including any Person to whom a Partnership Interest, including an LTIP Unit, is Transferred in connection with the performance of services) will comply with all requirements of the Section 83 Safe Harbor with respect to all Partnership Interests Transferred in connection with the performance of services while such election remains in effect and (iii) the Partnership and each of its Partners will take all actions necessary, including providing the Partnership with any required information, to permit the Partnership to comply with the requirements set forth or referred to in the applicable Regulations for such election to be effective until such time (if any) as the General Partner determines, in its sole discretion, that the Partnership should terminate such election. The General Partner is further authorized to amend this Agreement to modify Article 6 to the extent the General Partner determines in its discretion that such modification is necessary or desirable as a result of the issuance of any applicable law, Regulations, notice or ruling relating to the tax treatment of the transfer of a Partnership Interests in connection with the performance of services. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this Agreement, each Partner expressly confirms that it will be legally bound by any such amendment.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Agreement has been executed as of the date first written above.

GENERAL PARTNER:

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, INC.,
a Maryland corporation,

By: /s/ Howard Schwimmer

Name: Howard Schwimmer

Its: Co-Chief Executive Officer

By: /s/ Michael Frankel

Name: Michael S. Frankel

Its: Co-Chief Executive Officer

**LIMITED PARTNERS LISTED ON
SCHEDULE I HERETO:**

By: REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, INC.,
a Maryland corporation,
as attorney-in-fact acting on behalf of the
Limited Partners named on Schedule I hereto

By: /s/ Howard Schwimmer

Name: Howard Schwimmer

Its: Co-Chief Executive Officer

By: /s/ Michael Frankel

Name: Michael S. Frankel

Its: Co-Chief Executive Officer

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EXHIBIT A

EXAMPLES REGARDING ADJUSTMENT FACTOR

For purposes of the following examples, it is assumed that (a) the Adjustment Factor in effect on July 24, 2013 is 1.0 and (b) on July 24, 2013 (the “Partnership Record Date” for purposes of these examples), prior to the events described in the examples, there are 100 REIT Shares issued and outstanding.

Example 1

On the Partnership Record Date, the General Partner declares a dividend on its outstanding REIT Shares in REIT Shares. The amount of the dividend is one REIT Share paid in respect of each REIT Share owned. Pursuant to Paragraph (i) of the definition of “Adjustment Factor,” the Adjustment Factor shall be adjusted on the Partnership Record Date, effective immediately after the stock dividend is declared, as follows:

$$1.0 * 200/100 = 2.0$$

Accordingly, the Adjustment Factor after the stock dividend is declared is 2.0.

Example 2

On the Partnership Record Date, the General Partner distributes options to purchase REIT Shares to all holders of its REIT Shares. The amount of the distribution is one option to acquire one REIT Share in respect of each REIT Share owned. The strike price is \$4.00 a share. The Value of a REIT Share on the Partnership Record Date is \$5.00 per share. Pursuant to Paragraph (ii) of the definition of “Adjustment Factor,” the Adjustment Factor shall be adjusted on the Partnership Record Date, effective immediately after the options are distributed, as follows:

$$1.0 * (100 + 100)/(100 + [100 * \$4.00/\$5.00]) = 1.1111$$

Accordingly, the Adjustment Factor after the options are distributed is 1.1111. If the options expire or become no longer exercisable, then the retroactive adjustment specified in Paragraph (ii) of the definition of “Adjustment Factor” shall apply.

Example 3

On the Partnership Record Date, the General Partner distributes assets to all holders of its REIT Shares. The amount of the distribution is one asset with a fair market value (as determined by the General Partner) of \$1.00 in respect of each REIT Share owned. It is also assumed that the assets do not relate to assets received by the General Partner pursuant to a pro rata distribution by the Partnership. The Value of a REIT Share on the Partnership Record Date is \$5.00 a share. Pursuant to Paragraph (iii) of the definition of “Adjustment Factor,” the Adjustment Factor shall be adjusted on the Partnership Record Date, effective immediately after the assets are distributed, as follows:

$$1.0 * \$5.00/(\$5.00 - \$1.00) = 1.25$$

Accordingly, the Adjustment Factor after the assets are distributed is 1.25.

EXHIBIT B

NOTICE OF REDEMPTION

To: Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc.
11620 Wilshire Boulevard, Suite 300
Los Angeles, CA 90025

The undersigned Limited Partner or Assignee hereby irrevocably tenders for Redemption Partnership Common Units in Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P. in accordance with the terms of the Amended and Restated Agreement of Limited Partnership of Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P., dated as of as amended (the "*Agreement*"), and the Redemption rights referred to therein. The undersigned Limited Partner or Assignee:

- (a) undertakes (i) to surrender such Partnership Common Units and any certificate therefor at the closing of the Redemption and (ii) to furnish to the General Partner, prior to the Specified Redemption Date, the documentation, instruments and information required under Section 15.1.A and Section 15.1.G of the Agreement;
- (b) directs that the certified check representing the Cash Amount, or the REIT Shares Amount, as applicable, deliverable upon the closing of such Redemption be delivered to the address specified below;
- (c) represents, warrants, certifies and agrees that:
 - (i) the undersigned Limited Partner or Assignee is a Qualifying Party,
 - (ii) the undersigned Limited Partner or Assignee has, and at the closing of the Redemption will have, good, marketable and unencumbered title to such Partnership Common Units, free and clear of the rights or interests of any other person or entity,
 - (iii) the undersigned Limited Partner or Assignee has, and at the closing of the Redemption will have, the full right, power and authority to tender and surrender such Partnership Common Units as provided herein, and
 - (iv) the undersigned Limited Partner or Assignee has obtained the consent or approval of all persons and entities, if any, having the right to consent to or approve such tender and surrender; and
- (d) acknowledges that he will continue to own such Partnership Common Units until and unless either (1) such Partnership Common Units are acquired by the General Partner pursuant to Section 15.1.B of the Agreement or (2) such redemption transaction closes.

All capitalized terms used herein and not otherwise defined shall have the same meaning ascribed to them respectively in the Agreement.

Dated: _____

Name of Limited Partner or Assignee:

(Signature of Limited Partner or Assignee)

(Street Address)

(City) (State) (Zip Code)

Signature Medallion Guaranteed by:

Issue Check Payable to:

Please insert social security
or identifying number:

EXHIBIT C

**NOTICE OF ELECTION BY PARTNER TO CONVERT
LTIP UNITS INTO PARTNERSHIP COMMON UNITS**

The undersigned holder of LTIP Units hereby irrevocably (i) elects to convert the number of LTIP Units in Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P. (the "Partnership") set forth below into Partnership Common Units in accordance with the terms of the Amended and Restated Agreement of Limited Partnership of the Partnership, as amended; and (ii) directs that any cash in lieu of Partnership Common Units that may be deliverable upon such conversion to be deliverable upon such conversion be delivered to the address specified below. The undersigned hereby represents, warrants, and certifies that the undersigned (a) has title to such LTIP Units, free and clear of the rights or interests of any other person or entity other than the Partnership; (b) has the full right, power, and authority to cause the conversion of such LTIP Units as provided herein; and (c) has obtained the consent or approval of all persons or entities, if any, having the right to consent or approve such conversion.

Name of LTIP Unit Holder:

Please Print Name as Registered with Partnership

Number of LTIP Units to be Converted:

Date of this Notice:

(Signature of LTIP Unit Holder)

(Street Address)

(City) (State) (Zip Code)

Signature Medallion Guaranteed by:

Issue Check Payable to:

Please insert social security
or identifying number:

EXHIBIT D

**NOTICE OF ELECTION BY PARTNERSHIP TO FORCE CONVERSION
OF LTIP UNITS INTO PARTNERSHIP COMMON UNITS**

Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P. (the "Partnership") hereby irrevocably (i) elects to cause the number of LTIP Units held by the LTIP Unit Holder set forth below to be converted into Partnership Common Units in accordance with the terms of Amended and Restated Agreement of Limited Partnership of the Partnership, as amended.

Name of LTIP Unit Holder:

Please Print Name as Registered with Partnership

Number of LTIP Units to be Converted:

Date of this Notice:

REGISTRATION RIGHTS AGREEMENT

THIS REGISTRATION RIGHTS AGREEMENT is entered into as of July 24, 2013 by and among Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc., a Maryland corporation (the “Company”), and the holders listed on Schedule I hereto (each an “Initial Holder” and, collectively, the “Initial Holders”).

RECITALS

WHEREAS, in connection with the initial public offering (the “IPO”) of shares of the Company’s common stock, par value \$0.01 per share (the “Common Stock”), the Company and Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P., a Maryland limited partnership (the “Operating Partnership”), have concurrently engaged in certain formation transactions (the “Formation Transactions”), pursuant to which the Initial Holders set forth on Schedule I under the heading “Formation Transaction Participants” have concurrently received, in respect of their respective interests in the entities participating in the Formation Transactions, (i) common units of limited partnership interest in the Operating Partnership (“Common OP Units”) and/or (ii) shares of Common Stock;

WHEREAS, in connection with the Formation Transactions, the Company has concurrently entered into a separate private placement (the “Concurrent Private Placement”), pursuant to which the Initial Holders set forth on Schedule I under the heading “Concurrent Private Placement Participants” have concurrently received, in respect of their respective interests in the Rexford Funds, shares of Common Stock;

WHEREAS, upon the terms and subject to the conditions contained in the Operating Partnership Agreement (as defined below), Common OP Units will be redeemable for cash or, at the Company’s option, exchangeable for shares of Common Stock;

WHEREAS, the Company has agreed to grant the Initial Holders and their permitted assignees and transferees the registration rights set forth in Article II hereof.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the premises and the mutual agreements herein contained, and for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the parties hereto agree as follows:

**ARTICLE I
DEFINITIONS**

Section 1.1. Definitions. In addition to the definitions set forth above, the following terms, as used herein, have the following meanings:

“Affiliate” of any Person means any other Person directly or indirectly controlling or controlled by or under common control with such Person. For the purposes of this definition, “control” when used with respect to any Person, means the possession, directly or indirectly, of the power to direct or cause the direction of the management and policies of such Person, whether through the ownership of voting securities, by contract or otherwise; and the terms “controlling” and “controlled” have meanings correlative to the foregoing.

“Agreement” means this Registration Rights Agreement, as it may be amended, supplemented or restated from time to time.

“Business Day” means any day except a Saturday, Sunday or other day on which commercial banks in Los Angeles, California are authorized by law to close.

“Charter” means the Articles of Amendment and Restatement of the Company as filed with the State Department of Assessments and Taxation of Maryland on July 11, 2013, as the same may be amended, modified or restated from time to time.

“Commission” means the Securities and Exchange Commission.

“Common Stock” has the meaning set forth in the Recitals.

“Common OP Units” has the meaning set forth in the Recitals.

“Company” has the meaning set forth in the Introduction.

“Concurrent Private Placement” has the meaning set forth in the Recitals.

“Effectiveness Period” has the meaning set forth in Section 2.1(b).

“Exchange Act” means the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, and the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder.

“Exchangeable Common OP Units” means Common OP Units which may be redeemable for cash or, at the Company’s option, exchangeable for shares of Common Stock pursuant to the Operating Partnership Agreement (without regard to any limitations on the exercise of such exchange right as a result of the Ownership Limit Provisions).

“Formation Transactions” has the meaning set forth in the Recitals.

“Holder” means (i) any Initial Holder who is the record or beneficial owner of any Registrable Security or (ii) any assignee or transferee of such Initial Holder (including assignments or transfers of Registrable Securities to such assignees or transferees as a result of the foreclosure on any loans secured by such Registrable Securities) (x) to the extent permitted under the Operating Partnership Agreement or the Charter, as applicable, and (y) provided such assignee or transferee agrees in writing to be bound by all the provisions hereof.

“Indemnified Party” has the meaning set forth in Section 2.6.

“Indemnifying Party” has the meaning set forth in Section 2.6.

“Initial Holders” has the meaning set forth in the Introduction.

“Initial Period” means a period commencing on the date hereof and ending 365 days following the effective date of the first Resale Shelf Registration Statement (except that, if the shares of Common Stock issuable upon exchange of Exchangeable Common OP Units received in the Formation Transactions are not included in that Resale Shelf Registration Statement as a result of Section 2.1(b), the 365 days shall not begin until the later of the effective date of (i) the first Resale Shelf Registration Statement and (ii) the first Issuer Shelf Registration Statement).

“IPO” has the meaning set forth in the Recitals.

“Issuer Shelf Registration Statement” has the meaning set forth in Section 2.1(b).

“Market Value” means, with respect to the Common Stock, the average of the daily market price for the ten (10) consecutive trading days immediately preceding the date of a written request for registration pursuant to Section 2.1(c). The market price for each such trading day shall be the last sale price for the Common Stock, regular way, or, in case no such sale takes place on such day, the average of the closing bid and asked prices, regular way, for the Common Stock, in either case as reported on the principal national securities exchange or automated inter-dealer quotation system on which the Common Stock is listed or admitted to trading or, if the Common Stock is not listed or admitted to trading on any national securities exchange or automated inter-dealer quotation system, the last quoted price, or, if not so quoted, the average of the high bid and low asked prices in the over-the-counter market, as reported by the National Association of Securities Dealers, Inc. Automated Quotation System or, if such system is no longer in use, the principal other automated quotation system that may then be in use or, if the Common Stock is not quoted by any such organization, the average of the closing bid and asked prices as furnished by a professional market maker making a market in the Common Stock selected by the Board of Directors of the Company or, in the event that no trading price is available for the Common Stock, the fair market value of the Common Stock, as determined in good faith by the Board of Directors of the Company.

“Notice and Questionnaire” means a written notice, substantially in the form attached as Exhibit A, delivered by a Holder to the Company (i) notifying the Company of such Holder’s desire to include Registrable Securities held by it in a Resale Shelf Registration Statement, (ii) containing all information about such Holder required to be included in such registration statement in accordance with applicable law, including Item 507 of Regulation S-K promulgated under the Securities Act, as amended from time to time, or any similar successor rule thereto, and (iii) pursuant to which such Holder agrees to be bound by the terms and conditions hereof.

“Operating Partnership” has the meaning set forth in the Recitals.

“Operating Partnership Agreement” means the Amended and Restated Agreement of Limited Partnership of the Operating Partnership, dated as of July 24, 2013, as the same may be amended, modified or restated from time to time.

“Ownership Limit Provisions” mean the various provisions of the Company’s Charter set forth in Article VI thereof restricting the ownership of Common Stock by Persons to specified percentages of the outstanding Common Stock.

“Person” means an individual or a corporation, partnership, limited liability company, association, trust, or any other entity or organization, including a government or political subdivision or an agency or instrumentality thereof.

“Primary Shares” shall have the meaning set forth in Section 2.1(b).

“Registrable Securities” means with respect to any Holder, shares of Common Stock owned, either of record or beneficially, by such Holder that were (a) received by such Holder or an Initial Holder in the Formation Transactions or the Concurrent Private Placement, (b) issued or issuable upon exchange of Exchangeable Common OP Units received by such Holder or an Initial Holder in the Formation Transactions, and, (c) in the case of (a) and (b), any additional shares of Common Stock issued as a dividend or distribution on, in exchange for, or otherwise in respect of, such shares (including as a result of combinations, recapitalizations, mergers, consolidations, reorganizations or otherwise).

As to any particular Registrable Securities, they shall cease to be Registrable Securities at the earliest time as one of the following shall have occurred: (i) a registration statement (including a Resale Shelf Registration Statement) covering such shares has been declared effective by the Commission and all such shares have been disposed of pursuant to such effective registration statement or unless such shares (other than Restricted Shares) were issued pursuant to an effective registration statement (including an Issuer Shelf Registration Statement), (ii) such shares have been publicly sold under Rule 144, (iii) all such shares may be sold in one transaction pursuant to Rule 144 or (iv) such shares have been otherwise transferred in a transaction that constitutes a sale thereof under the Securities Act, the Company has delivered to the Holder’s transferee a new certificate or other evidence of ownership for such shares not bearing the Securities Act restricted stock legend and such shares subsequently may be resold or otherwise transferred by such transferee without registration under the Securities Act.

“Resale Shelf Registration” shall have the meaning set forth in Section 2.1(a).

“Resale Shelf Registration Statement” shall have the meaning set forth in Section 2.1(a).

“Restricted Shares” means shares of Common Stock issued under an Issuer Shelf Registration Statement which if sold by the holder thereof would constitute “restricted securities” as defined under Rule 144 when acquired by a transferee.

“Rexford Funds” means Rexford Industrial Fund I, LLC, Rexford Industrial Fund II, LLC, Rexford Industrial Fund III, LLC, Rexford Industrial Fund IV, LLC, Rexford Industrial Fund V REIT, LLC and Rexford Industrial Fund V, LP, collectively.

“Rule 144” means Rule 144 promulgated under the Securities Act, as amended from time to time, or any similar successor rule thereto that may be promulgated by the Commission.

“Rule 415” means Rule 415 promulgated under the Securities Act, as amended from time to time, or any similar successor rule thereto that may be promulgated by the Commission.

“Securities Act” means the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (together with the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder).

“Selling Holder” means a Holder who is selling Registrable Securities pursuant to a registration statement under the Securities Act pursuant to the terms hereof.

“Shelf Registration Statement” means a Resale Shelf Registration Statement and/or an Issuer Shelf Registration Statement.

“Suspension Notice” means any written notice delivered by the Company pursuant to Section 2.10 with respect to the suspension of rights under a Resale Shelf Registration Statement or any prospectus contained therein.

“Underwriter” means a securities dealer who purchases any Registrable Securities as principal and not as part of such dealer’s market-making activities.

ARTICLE II REGISTRATION RIGHTS

Section 2.1. Shelf Registration.

(a) Subject to Section 2.10, the Company shall prepare and file not later than fourteen (14) months after the consummation date of the IPO, a “shelf” registration statement with respect to the resale of the Registrable Securities (“Resale Shelf Registration”) by the Holders thereof on an appropriate form for an offering to be made on a delayed or continuous basis pursuant to Rule 415 (the “Resale Shelf Registration Statement”) and permitting registration of such Registrable Securities for resale by such Holders in accordance with the methods of distribution elected by the Holders and set forth in the Resale Shelf Registration Statement. The Company shall use its reasonable efforts to cause the Resale Shelf Registration Statement to be declared effective by the Commission as promptly as reasonably practicable after the filing thereof, and, subject to Sections 2.1(c) and 2.10, to keep such Resale Shelf Registration Statement continuously effective for a period ending when all shares of Common Stock covered by the Resale Shelf Registration Statement are no longer Registrable Securities.

At the time the Resale Shelf Registration Statement is declared effective, each Holder that has delivered a duly completed and executed Notice and Questionnaire to the Company on or prior to the date ten (10) Business Days prior to such time of effectiveness shall be named as a selling securityholder in the Resale Shelf Registration Statement and the related prospectus in such a manner as to permit such Holder to deliver such prospectus to purchasers of Registrable Securities in accordance with applicable law. If required by applicable law, subject to the terms and conditions hereof, after effectiveness of the Resale Shelf Registration Statement, the Company shall file a supplement to such prospectus or amendment to the Resale Shelf Registration Statement not less than once a quarter as necessary to name as selling securityholders therein any Holders that provide to the Company a duly completed and executed Notice and Questionnaire and shall use reasonable efforts to cause any post-effective amendment to such Resale Shelf Registration Statement filed for such purpose to be declared effective by the Commission as promptly as reasonably practicable after the filing thereof.

(b) The Company may, at its option, satisfy its obligation to prepare and file a Resale Shelf Registration Statement pursuant to Section 2.1(a), with respect to shares of Common Stock issuable upon exchange of Exchangeable Common OP Units by preparing and filing with the Commission not later than fourteen (14) months after the consummation date of the IPO a registration statement on an appropriate form for an offering to be made on a delayed or continuous basis pursuant to Rule 415 (an “Issuer Shelf Registration Statement”) providing for (i) the issuance by the Company, from time to time, to the Holders of such Exchangeable Common OP Units, of shares of Common Stock registered under the Securities Act (the “Primary Shares”) and (ii) to the extent such Primary Shares constitute Restricted Shares, the registered resale thereof by their Holders from time to time in accordance with the methods of distribution elected by the Holders and set forth therein (but not an underwritten offering). The Company shall use its reasonable efforts to cause the Issuer Shelf Registration Statement to be declared effective by the Commission as promptly as reasonably practicable after filing thereof and, subject to Sections 2.1(c) and 2.10, to keep the Issuer Shelf Registration Statement continuously effective for a period (the “Effectiveness Period”) expiring on the date all of the shares of Common Stock covered by such Issuer Shelf Registration Statement have been issued by the Company pursuant thereto or are no longer Registrable Securities. If the Company shall exercise its rights under this Section 2.1(b), Holders (other than Holders of Restricted Shares) shall have no right to have shares of Common Stock issued or issuable upon exchange of Exchangeable Common OP Units included in a Resale Shelf Registration Statement pursuant to Section 2.1(a).

(c) Subsequent Filing. The Company shall prepare and file such additional registration statements as necessary every three (3) years and use its reasonable efforts to cause such registration statements to be declared effective by the Commission so that a Shelf Registration Statement remains continuously effective, subject to Section 2.10, with respect to resales of Registrable Securities as and for the periods required under Section 2.1(a) or (b), as applicable (such subsequent registration statements to constitute a Resale Shelf Registration Statement or an Issuer Shelf Registration Statement, as the case may be, hereunder).

(d) Selling Holders Become Party to Agreement. Each Holder acknowledges that by participating in its registration rights pursuant to this Agreement, such Holder will be deemed a party to this Agreement and will be bound by its terms, notwithstanding such Holder’s failure to deliver a Notice and Questionnaire; provided, that any Holder that has not delivered a duly completed and executed Notice and Questionnaire shall not be entitled to be named as a Selling Holder in, or have the Registrable Securities held by it covered by, a Shelf Registration Statement.

Section 2.2. Registration Procedures; Filings; Information. Subject to Section 2.10 hereof, in connection with any Resale Shelf Registration Statement under Section 2.1(a), the Company will use its reasonable efforts to effect the registration of the Registrable Securities covered thereby in accordance with the intended method of disposition thereof as quickly as practicable, and, in connection with any Issuer Shelf Registration Statement under Section

2.1(b), the Company will use its reasonable efforts to effect the registration of the Primary Shares (including for resale, to the extent provided in clause (ii) of Section 2.1(b)) as quickly as reasonably practicable. In connection with any Shelf Registration Statement:

(a) The Company will no later than two (2) Business Days prior to filing a Resale Shelf Registration Statement (or an Issuer Shelf Registration Statement providing for resales pursuant to clause (ii) of Section 2.1(b)) or prospectus or any amendment or supplement thereto, furnish to each Selling Holder and each Underwriter, if any, of the Registrable Securities covered by such registration statement copies of such registration statement as proposed to be filed, and thereafter furnish to such Selling Holder and Underwriter, if any, such number of conformed copies of such registration statement, each amendment and supplement thereto (in each case including all exhibits thereto and documents incorporated by reference therein), the prospectus included in such registration statement (including each preliminary prospectus) and such other documents as such Selling Holder or Underwriter may reasonably request in order to facilitate the disposition of the Registrable Securities owned by such Selling Holder.

(b) After the filing of a Resale Shelf Registration Statement (or an Issuer Shelf Registration Statement providing for resales pursuant to clause (ii) of Section 2.1(b)), the Company will promptly notify each Selling Holder of Registrable Securities covered by such registration statement of any stop order issued or threatened by the Commission and take all reasonable actions required to prevent the entry of such stop order or to remove it if entered.

(c) The Company will use its reasonable efforts to (i) register or qualify the Registrable Securities under such other securities or “blue sky” laws of such jurisdictions in the United States (where an exemption does not apply) as any Selling Holder or managing Underwriter(s), if any, reasonably (in light of such Selling Holder’s intended plan of distribution) requests and (ii) cause such Registrable Securities to be registered with or approved by such other governmental agencies or authorities as may be necessary by virtue of the business and operations of the Company and do any and all other acts and things that may be reasonably necessary or advisable to enable such Selling Holder to consummate the disposition of the Registrable Securities owned by such Selling Holder; provided that the Company will not be required to (A) qualify generally to do business in any jurisdiction where it would not otherwise be required to qualify but for this paragraph (c), (B) subject itself to general taxation in any such jurisdiction or (C) consent to general service of process in any such jurisdiction. The Company will promptly notify each Selling Holder of the receipt by the Company of any notification with respect to the suspension of the qualification of any Registrable Securities for sale under the securities or “blue sky” laws of any jurisdiction or the initiation of any proceeding for such purpose.

(d) The Company will immediately notify each Selling Holder of such Registrable Securities, at any time when a prospectus relating thereto is required to be delivered under the Securities Act, of (i) the Company’s receipt of any notification of the suspension of the qualification of any Registrable Securities covered by a Resale Shelf Registration Statement (or an Issuer Shelf Registration Statement providing for resales pursuant to clause (ii) of Section 2.1(b)) for sale in any jurisdiction; or (ii) the occurrence of an

event requiring the preparation of a supplement or amendment to such prospectus so that, as thereafter delivered to the purchasers of such Registrable Securities, such prospectus will not contain an untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state any material fact required to be stated therein or necessary to make the statements therein, in light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading and promptly make available to each Selling Holder any such supplement or amendment.

(e) The Company will otherwise use its reasonable efforts to comply with all applicable rules and regulations of the Commission, and make available to its securityholders, as soon as reasonably practicable, an earnings statement covering a period of twelve (12) months, beginning within three (3) months after the effective date of the registration statement, which earnings statement shall satisfy the provisions of Section 11(a) of the Securities Act and Rule 158 of the Commission promulgated thereunder (or any successor rule or regulation hereafter adopted by the Commission).

(f) In the case of an underwritten offering pursuant to a Resale Shelf Registration Statement (or an Issuer Shelf Registration Statement providing for resales pursuant to clause (ii) of Section 2.1(b)), the Company will enter into and perform its obligations under customary agreements (including an underwriting agreement, if any, in customary form) and take such other actions as are reasonably required in order to expedite or facilitate the disposition of the Registrable Securities (including, to the extent reasonably requested by the lead or managing Underwriters, sending appropriate officers of the Company to attend “road shows” scheduled in reasonable number and at reasonable times in connection with any such underwritten offering, and obtaining customary comfort letters and legal opinions) subject to such underwritten offering.

(g) In the case of an underwritten offering pursuant to a Resale Shelf Registration Statement, the Company will make available for inspection by any Selling Holder of Registrable Securities subject to such underwritten offering, any Underwriter participating in any disposition of such Registrable Securities and any attorney, accountant or other professional retained by any such Selling Holder or Underwriter, all financial and other records, pertinent corporate documents and properties of the Company as shall be reasonably necessary to enable them to exercise their due diligence responsibility, and cause the Company’s officers, directors and employees to supply all information reasonably requested by any inspectors in connection with such registration statement, subject to entry by each such Person of a customary confidentiality agreement in a form reasonably acceptable to the Company.

(h) The Company will use its reasonable efforts to cause all Registrable Securities covered by such Resale Shelf Registration Statement or Primary Shares covered by such Issuer Shelf Registration Statement to be listed on each securities exchange on which similar securities issued by the Company are then listed.

(i) In addition to the Notice and Questionnaire, the Company may require each Selling Holder of Registrable Securities to promptly furnish in writing to the Company such information regarding such Selling Holder, the Registrable Securities held by it and the intended method of distribution of the Registrable Securities as the Company may from

time to time reasonably request and such other information as may be legally required in connection with such registration. No Holder may include Registrable Securities in any registration statement pursuant to this Agreement unless and until such Holder has furnished to the Company such information. Each Holder further agrees to furnish as soon as reasonably practicable to the Company all information required to be disclosed in order to make information previously furnished to the Company by such Holder not materially misleading.

(j) Each Selling Holder agrees that, upon receipt of any notice from the Company of the happening of any event of the kind described in Section 2.2(b) or 2.2(d) or upon receipt of a Suspension Notice, such Selling Holder will forthwith discontinue disposition of Registrable Securities pursuant to the registration statement covering such Registrable Securities until such Selling Holder's receipt of written notice from the Company that such disposition may be made and, in the case of clause (ii) of Section 2.2(d) or, if applicable, Section 2.10, copies of any supplemented or amended prospectus contemplated by clause (ii) of Section 2.2(d) or, if applicable, prepared under Section 2.10, and, if so directed by the Company, such Selling Holder will deliver to the Company all copies, other than permanent file copies then in such Selling Holder's possession, of the most recent prospectus covering such Registrable Securities at the time of receipt of such notice. Each Selling Holder of Registrable Securities agrees that it will immediately notify the Company at any time when a prospectus relating to the registration of such Registrable Securities is required to be delivered under the Securities Act of the happening of an event as a result of which information previously furnished by such Selling Holder to the Company in writing for inclusion in such prospectus contains an untrue statement of a material fact or omits to state any material fact required to be stated therein or necessary to make the statements therein not misleading in light of the circumstances in which they were made.

Section 2.3. Registration Expenses. In connection with any registration statement required to be filed hereunder, the Company shall pay the following registration expenses incurred in connection with the registration hereunder, regardless of whether such registration statement is declared effective by the Commission: (i) all registration and filing fees, (ii) fees and expenses of compliance with securities or "blue sky" laws (including reasonable fees and disbursements of counsel in connection with blue sky qualifications of the Registrable Securities), (iii) printing expenses, (iv) internal expenses (including, without limitation, all salaries and expenses of its officers and employees performing legal or accounting duties), (v) the fees and expenses incurred in connection with the listing of the Registrable Securities, (vi) reasonable fees and disbursements of counsel for the Company and customary fees and expenses for independent certified public accountants retained by the Company, including in connection with the preparation of comfort letters, and any transfer agent and registrar fees, and (vii) the reasonable fees and expenses of any special experts retained by the Company in connection with such registration. The Company shall have no obligation to pay any fees, discounts or commissions attributable to the sale of Registrable Securities, or any out-of-pocket expenses of the Holders (or the agents who manage their accounts) or any transfer taxes relating to the registration or sale of the Registrable Securities.

Section 2.4. Indemnification by the Company. The Company agrees to indemnify and hold harmless each Selling Holder of Registrable Securities, its officers, directors, agents, partners, members, employees, managers, advisors, sub-advisors, attorneys, representatives and Affiliates, and each Person, if any, who controls such Selling Holder within the meaning of Section 15 of the Securities Act or Section 20 of the Exchange Act from and against, as incurred, any and all losses, claims, damages and liabilities (or actions in respect thereof) that arise out of or are based upon any untrue statement or alleged untrue statement of a material fact contained in any registration statement, preliminary prospectus, prospectus, or free writing prospectus relating to the Registrable Securities (in each case, as amended or supplemented if the Company shall have furnished any amendments or supplements thereto), or that arise out of or are based upon any omission or alleged omission to state therein a material fact required to be stated therein or necessary to make the statements therein, in light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading, except insofar as such losses, claims, damages or liabilities arise out of or are based upon any such untrue statement or omission or alleged untrue statement or omission included in reliance upon and in conformity with information furnished in writing to the Company by such Selling Holder or on such Selling Holder's behalf expressly for inclusion therein.

Section 2.5. Indemnification by Holders of Registrable Securities. Each Selling Holder agrees, severally but not jointly or jointly and severally, to indemnify and hold harmless the Company, its officers, directors, agents, employees, attorneys, representatives and Affiliates, and each Person, if any, who controls the Company within the meaning of either Section 15 of the Securities Act or Section 20 of the Exchange Act to the same extent as the foregoing indemnity from the Company to such Selling Holder in Section 2.4, but only with respect to information relating to such Selling Holder included in reliance upon and in conformity with information furnished in writing by such Selling Holder or on such Selling Holder's behalf expressly for use in any registration statement, preliminary prospectus, prospectus or free writing prospectus relating to the Registrable Securities, or any amendment or supplement thereto. In case any action or proceeding shall be brought against the Company or its officers, directors or agents or any such controlling person, in respect of which indemnity may be sought against such Selling Holder, such Selling Holder shall have the rights and duties given to the Company, and the Company or its officers, directors or agents or such controlling person shall have the rights and duties given to such Selling Holder, by Section 2.6; provided, however, that the total obligations of such Selling Holder under this Agreement (including, but not limited to, obligations arising under Section 2.7 herein) will be limited to an amount equal to the net proceeds actually received by such Selling Holder (after deducting any discounts and commissions) from the disposition of Registrable Securities pursuant to such registration statement.

Section 2.6. Conduct of Indemnification Proceedings. In case any proceeding (including any governmental investigation) shall be instituted involving any person in respect of which indemnity may be sought pursuant to Section 2.4 or 2.5, such person (an "Indemnified Party") shall promptly notify the person against whom such indemnity may be sought (an "Indemnifying Party") in writing and the Indemnifying Party shall assume the defense thereof, including the employment of counsel reasonably satisfactory to such Indemnified Party, and shall assume the payment of all fees and expenses; provided, however, that the failure of any Indemnified Party to give such notice will not relieve such Indemnifying Party of any obligations under Section 2.4 or 2.5, except to the extent such Indemnifying Party is materially prejudiced by such failure. In any such proceeding, any Indemnified Party shall have the right to retain its own counsel, but the fees and expenses of such counsel shall be at the expense of such Indemnified Party unless (i) the Indemnifying Party and the Indemnified Party shall have mutually agreed to

the retention of such counsel or (ii) representation of the Indemnified Party by the counsel retained by the Indemnifying Party would be inappropriate due to actual or potential differing interests between the Indemnified Party and the Indemnifying Party. It is understood that the Indemnifying Party shall not, in connection with any proceeding or related proceedings in the same jurisdiction, be liable for the reasonable fees and expenses of more than one separate firm of attorneys (in addition to any local counsel) at any time for all such Indemnified Parties, and that all such fees and expenses shall be reimbursed as they are incurred. In the case of any such separate firm for the Indemnified Parties, such firm shall be designated in writing by (i) in the case of Persons indemnified pursuant to Section 2.4 hereof, the Selling Holders which owned a majority of the Registrable Securities sold under the applicable registration statement and (ii) in the case of Persons indemnified pursuant to Section 2.5, the Company. The Indemnifying Party shall not be liable for any settlement of any proceeding effected without its written consent, which consent shall not be unreasonably withheld, but if settled with such consent, or if there be a final judgment for the plaintiff, the Indemnifying Party shall indemnify and hold harmless such Indemnified Parties from and against any loss or liability (to the extent stated above) by reason of such settlement or judgment. No Indemnifying Party shall, without the prior written consent of the Indemnified Party, which consent shall not be unreasonably withheld, effect any settlement of any pending or threatened proceeding in respect of which any Indemnified Party is or could have been a party and indemnity could have been sought hereunder by such Indemnified Party, unless such settlement includes an unconditional release of such Indemnified Party from all liability arising out of such proceeding without any admission of liability by such Indemnified Party.

Section 2.7. Contribution. If the indemnification provided for in Section 2.4 or 2.5 hereof is held by a court of competent jurisdiction to be unavailable to an Indemnified Party or insufficient in respect of any losses, claims, damages or liabilities that otherwise would have been covered by Section 2.4 or 2.5 hereof, then each such Indemnifying Party, in lieu of indemnifying such Indemnified Party, shall contribute to the amount paid or payable by such Indemnified Party as a result of such losses, claims, damages or liabilities in such proportion as is appropriate to reflect the relative fault of the Company, on the one hand, and of each Selling Holder, on the other hand, in connection with such statements or omissions which resulted in such losses, claims, damages or liabilities, as well as any other relevant equitable considerations. The relative fault of the Company on the one hand and of each Selling Holder on the other shall be determined by reference to, among other things, whether the untrue or alleged untrue statement of a material fact or the omission or alleged omission to state a material fact relates to information supplied by such party.

The Company and the Selling Holders agree that it would not be just and equitable if contribution pursuant to this Section 2.7 were determined by pro rata allocation or by any other method of allocation which does not take account of the equitable considerations referred to in the immediately preceding paragraph. The amount paid or payable by an Indemnified Party as a result of the losses, claims, damages or liabilities referred to in the immediately preceding paragraph shall be deemed to include, subject to the limitations set forth above, any legal or other expenses reasonably incurred by such Indemnified Party in connection with investigating or defending any such action or claim. Notwithstanding the provisions of this Section 2.7, no Selling Holder shall be required to contribute any amount which in the aggregate exceeds the amount by which the net proceeds actually received by such Selling Holder from the

sale of its securities to the public exceeds the amount of any damages which such Selling Holder has otherwise been required to pay by reason of such untrue or alleged untrue statement or omission or alleged omission. No person guilty of fraudulent misrepresentation (within the meaning of Section 11(f) of the Securities Act) shall be entitled to contribution from any person who was not guilty of such fraudulent misrepresentation. The Selling Holder's obligations to contribute pursuant to this Section 2.7, if any, are several in proportion to the proceeds of the offering actually received by such Selling Holder bears to the total proceeds of the offering received by all the Selling Holders and not joint.

Section 2.8. Rule 144. The Company covenants that it will (a) make and keep public information regarding the Company available as those terms are defined in Rule 144, (b) file in a timely manner any reports and documents required to be filed by it under the Securities Act and the Exchange Act, (c) furnish to any Holder forthwith upon request (i) a written statement by the Company as to its compliance with the reporting requirements of Rule 144 (at any time more than ninety (90) days after the effective date of the registration statement for the Company's initial public offering), the Securities Act and the Exchange Act (at any time after it has become subject to such reporting requirements), and (ii) a copy of the most recent annual or quarterly report of the Company and such other reports and documents so filed by the Company, and (d) take such further action as any Holder may reasonably request, all to the extent required from time to time to enable Holders to sell Registrable Securities without registration under the Securities Act within the limitation of the exemptions provided by Rule 144.

Section 2.9. Participation in Underwritten Offerings. No Person may participate in any underwritten offerings hereunder unless such Person (a) agrees to sell such Person's securities on the basis provided in any underwriting arrangements approved by the Persons entitled hereunder to approve such arrangements and (b) completes and executes all questionnaires, powers of attorney, indemnities, underwriting agreements and other documents reasonably required under the terms of such underwriting arrangements and these registration rights provided for in this Article II.

Section 2.10. Suspension of Use of Registration Statement.

(a) If the Board of Directors of the Company determines in its good faith judgment that the filing of a Resale Shelf Registration Statement under Section 2.1(a) or the use of any related prospectus would be materially detrimental to the Company because such action would require the disclosure of material information that the Company has a bona fide business purpose for preserving as confidential or the disclosure of which would materially impede the Company's ability to consummate a significant transaction, and that the Company is not otherwise required by applicable securities laws or regulations to disclose, upon written notice of such determination by the Company to the Holders which shall be signed by the Chief Executive Officer, President or any Executive Vice President of the Company certifying thereto, the rights of the Holders to offer, sell or distribute any Registrable Securities pursuant to a Resale Shelf Registration or to require the Company to take action with respect to the registration or sale of any Registrable Securities pursuant to a Resale Shelf Registration Statement shall be suspended until the earliest of (i) the date upon which the Company notifies the Holders in writing that suspension of such rights for the grounds set forth in this Section 2.10(a) is no longer necessary and they may resume use of the applicable

prospectus, (ii) the date upon which copies of the applicable supplemented or amended prospectus is distributed to the Holders, and (iii) (x) up to thirty (30) consecutive days after the notice to the Holders if that notice is given during the Initial Period or (y) ninety (90) consecutive days after the notice to the Holders if that notice is given after the Initial Period; provided, that the Company shall not be entitled to exercise any such right more than two (2) times in any twelve (12) month period or less than thirty (30) days from the termination of the prior such suspension period; and provided further, that such exercise shall not prevent the Holders from being entitled to at least three hundred twenty (320) days of effective registration with respect to such registration statement during each Initial Period and thereafter two hundred ten (210) days of effective registration with respect to such registration statement in any 365-day period. The Company agrees to give the notice under (i) above as promptly as practicable following the date that such suspension of rights is no longer necessary.

(b) If all reports required to be filed by the Company pursuant to the Exchange Act have not been filed by the required date without regard to any extension, or if the consummation of any business combination by the Company has occurred or is probable for purposes of Rule 3-05 or Article 11 of Regulation S-X promulgated under the Securities Act or any similar successor rule, upon written notice thereof by the Company to the Holders, the rights of the Holders to offer, sell or distribute any Registrable Securities pursuant to a Resale Shelf Registration Statement or to require the Company to take action with respect to the registration or sale of any Registrable Securities pursuant to a Resale Shelf Registration Statement shall be suspended until the date on which the Company has filed such reports or obtained and filed the financial information required by Rule 3-05 or Article 11 of Regulation S-X to be included or incorporated by reference, as applicable, in a Resale Shelf Registration Statement, and the Company shall use commercially reasonable efforts to file the required reports or obtain and file the financial information required to be included or incorporated by reference, as applicable, as promptly as commercially practicable, and shall notify the Holders as promptly as practicable when such suspension is no longer required.

Section 2.11. Additional Shares. The Company, at its option, may register under a Shelf Registration Statement and any filings with any state securities commissions filed pursuant to this Agreement, any number of unissued shares of Common Stock or any shares of Common Stock owned by any other stockholder or stockholders of the Company.

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Section 3.1. Remedies. In addition to being entitled to exercise all rights provided herein and granted by law, including recovery of damages, the Holders shall be entitled to specific performance of the rights under this Agreement. The Company agrees that monetary damages would not be adequate compensation for any loss incurred by reason of a breach by it of the provisions of this Agreement and hereby agrees to waive the defense in any action for specific performance that a remedy at law would be adequate.

Section 3.2. Amendments and Waivers. The provisions of this Agreement, including the provisions of this sentence, may not be amended, modified or supplemented, and waivers or consents to departures from the provisions hereof may not be given, in each case without the

written consent of the Company and the Holders against whom enforcement is sought. No failure or delay by any party to insist upon the strict performance of any covenant, duty, agreement or condition of this Agreement or to exercise any right or remedy consequent upon any breach thereof shall constitute waiver of any such breach or any other covenant, duty, agreement or condition.

Section 3.3. Notices. All notices and other communications in connection with this Agreement shall be made in writing by hand delivery, registered first-class mail, telecopier, or air courier guaranteeing overnight delivery:

(1) if to any Holder, initially to the address indicated in such Holder's Notice and Questionnaire or, if no Notice and Questionnaire has been delivered, c/o Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc., 11620 Wilshire Boulevard, Suite 300, Los Angeles, California 90025, Attention: Howard Schwimmer and Michael Frankel, or to such other address and to such other Persons as any Holder may hereafter specify in writing; and

(2) if to the Company, initially at 11620 Wilshire Boulevard, Suite 300, Los Angeles, California 90025, Attention: Howard Schwimmer and Michael Frankel, or to such other address as the Company may hereafter specify in writing.

All such notices and communications shall be deemed to have been duly given: at the time delivered by hand, if personally delivered; when received if deposited in the mail, postage prepaid, if mailed; when receipt acknowledged, if telecopied; and on the next Business Day, if timely delivered to an air courier guaranteeing overnight delivery.

Section 3.4. Successors and Assigns; Assignment of Registration Rights. This Agreement shall inure to the benefit of and be binding upon the successors, assigns and transferees of each of the parties. Any Holder may assign its rights under this Agreement without the consent of the Company in connection with a transfer of such Holder's Registrable Securities; provided, that the Holder notifies the Company of such proposed transfer and assignment and the transferee or assignee of such rights assumes in writing the obligations of such Holder under this Agreement.

Section 3.5. Counterparts. This Agreement may be executed in any number of counterparts and by the parties hereto in separate counterparts, each of which when so executed shall be deemed to be an original and all of which taken together shall constitute one and the same agreement. Each party shall become bound by this Agreement immediately upon affixing its signature hereto.

Section 3.6. Governing Law. This Agreement shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the internal laws of the State of California.

Section 3.7. Severability. In the event that any one or more of the provisions contained herein, or the application thereof in any circumstance, is held invalid, illegal or unenforceable, the validity, legality and enforceability of any such provision in every other respect and of the remaining provisions contained herein shall not be affected or impaired thereby.

Section 3.8. Entire Agreement. This Agreement is intended by the parties as a final expression of their agreement and intended to be a complete and exclusive statement of the agreement and understanding of the parties hereto in respect of the subject matter contained herein. There are no restrictions, promises, warranties or undertakings, other than those set forth or referred to herein with respect to the registration rights granted by the Company with respect to the Registrable Securities. This Agreement supersedes all prior agreements and understandings between the parties with respect to such subject matter.

Section 3.9. Headings. The headings in this Agreement are for convenience of reference only and shall not limit or otherwise affect the meaning hereof.

Section 3.10. Termination. The obligations of the parties hereunder shall terminate with respect to a Holder when it no longer holds Registrable Securities and with respect to the Company upon the end of the Effectiveness Period with respect to any Issuer Shelf Registration Statement and with respect to a Resale Shelf Registration Statement when there are no longer Registrable Securities with respect to such Resale Shelf Registration Statement, except, in each case, for any obligations under Sections 2.1(c), 2.3, 2.4, 2.5, 2.6, 2.7 and Article III.

Section 3.11. Waiver of Jury Trial. The parties hereto (including any Initial Holder and any subsequent Holder) irrevocably waive any right to trial by jury.

[SIGNATURE PAGE FOLLOWS]

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned have executed this Agreement as of the date first written above.

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, INC.,
a Maryland corporation

By: /s/ Howard Schwimmer
Name: Howard Schwimmer
Title: Co-Chief Executive Officer

By: /s/ Michael Frankel
Name: Michael S. Frankel
Title: Co-Chief Executive Officer

HOLDERS LISTED ON SCHEDULE I HERETO

By: REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, INC.
a Maryland corporation as
Attorney-in-Fact acting on behalf of each of the Holders
named on Schedule I hereto

By: /s/ Howard Schwimmer
Name: Howard Schwimmer
Title: Co-Chief Executive Officer

By: /s/ Michael Frankel
Name: Michael S. Frankel
Title: Co-Chief Executive Officer

Schedule I

Initial Holders

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Exhibit A

Form of Notice and Questionnaire

The undersigned beneficial holder of shares of common stock, par value \$.01 per share ("Common Stock"), of Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc. (the "Company") and/or units of limited partnership interests ("OP Units" and, together with the Common Stock, the "Registrable Securities") of Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P. (the "Operating Partnership"), understands that the Company has filed or intends to file with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC") one or more registration statements (collectively, the "Resale Shelf Registration Statement") for the registration and resale under Rule 415 of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the "Securities Act"), of the Registrable Securities in accordance with the terms of the Registration Rights Agreement (the "Registration Rights Agreement"), dated July 24, 2013, among the Company and the holders listed on Schedule I thereto. A copy of the Registration Rights Agreement is available from the Company upon request at the address set forth below. All capitalized terms not otherwise defined herein shall have the meanings ascribed thereto in the Registration Rights Agreement.

Each beneficial owner of Registrable Securities is entitled to the benefits of the Registration Rights Agreement. In order to sell or otherwise dispose of any Registrable Securities pursuant to the Resale Shelf Registration Statement, a beneficial owner of Registrable Securities generally will be required to be named as a selling security holder in the related prospectus, deliver a prospectus to purchasers of Registrable Securities and be bound by those provisions of the Registration Rights Agreement applicable to such beneficial owner (including certain indemnification provisions as described below). **To be included in the Resale Shelf Registration Statement, this Notice and Questionnaire must be completed, executed and delivered to the Company at the address set forth herein on or prior to the tenth business day before the effectiveness of the Resale Shelf Registration Statement.** We will give notice of the filing and effectiveness of the initial Resale Shelf Registration Statement by issuing a press release and by mailing a notice to the holders at their addresses set forth in the register of the registrar.

Beneficial owners that do not complete this Notice and Questionnaire and deliver it to the Company as provided below will not be named as selling security holders in the prospectus and therefore will not be permitted to sell any Registrable Securities pursuant to the Resale Shelf Registration Statement. Beneficial owners are encouraged to complete and deliver this Notice and Questionnaire prior to the effectiveness of the initial Resale Shelf Registration Statement so that such beneficial owners may be named as selling security holders in the related prospectus at the time of effectiveness. Upon receipt of a completed Notice and Questionnaire from a beneficial owner following the effectiveness of the initial Resale Shelf Registration Statement, in accordance with the Registration Rights Agreement, the Company will file such amendments to the initial Resale Shelf Registration Statement or additional shelf registration statements or supplements to the related prospectus as are necessary to permit such holder to deliver such prospectus to purchasers of Registrable Securities.

Certain legal consequences arise from being named as selling security holders in the Resale Shelf Registration Statement and the related prospectus. Accordingly, holders and beneficial owners of Registrable Securities are advised to consult their own securities law counsel regarding the consequences of being named or not being named as a selling security holder in the Resale Shelf Registration Statement and the related prospectus.

NOTICE

The undersigned beneficial owner (the "Selling Security Holder") of Registrable Securities hereby elects to include in the prospectus forming a part of the Resale Shelf Registration Statement the Registrable Securities beneficially owned by it and listed below in Item 3 (unless otherwise specified under Item 3). The undersigned, by signing and returning this Notice and Questionnaire, understands that it will be bound by the terms and conditions of this Notice and Questionnaire and the Registration Rights Agreement.

Pursuant to the Registration Rights Agreement, the undersigned has agreed to indemnify and hold harmless the Company and its directors, officers and each person, if any, who controls the Company within the meaning of either Section 15 of the Securities Act or Section 20 of the Exchange Act, from and against certain losses arising in connection with statements concerning the undersigned made in the Resale Shelf Registration Statement or the related prospectus in reliance upon the information provided in this Notice and Questionnaire.

The undersigned hereby provides the following information to the Company and represents and warrants to the Company that such information is accurate and complete:

QUESTIONNAIRE

1. (a) Full Legal Name of Selling Security Holder:

(b) Full Legal Name of registered holder (if not the same as (a) above) through which Registrable Securities listed in Item (3) below are held:

(c) Full Legal Name of DTC Participant (if applicable and if not the same as (b) above) through which Registrable Securities listed in Item (3) below are held:

(d) List below the individual or individuals who exercise voting and/or dispositive powers with respect to the Registrable Securities listed in Item (3) below:

2. Address for Notices to Selling Security Holder:

Telephone: _____
Fax: _____
E-mail address: _____
Contact Person: _____

3. Beneficial Ownership of Registrable Securities:

Type of Registrable Securities beneficially owned, and number of shares of Common Stock and/or Common OP Units, as the case may be, beneficially owned:

4. Beneficial Ownership of Securities of the Company Owned by the Selling Security Holder:

Except as set forth below in this Item (4), the undersigned is not the beneficial or registered owner of any securities of the Company, other than the Registrable Securities listed above in Item (3).

Type and amount of other securities beneficially owned by the Selling Security Holder:

5. Relationship with the Company

Except as set forth below, neither the undersigned nor any of its affiliates, officers, directors or principal equity holders (5% or more) has held any position or office or has had any other material relationship with the Company (or its predecessors or affiliates) during the past three years.

State any exceptions here:

6. Plan of Distribution

Except as set forth below, the undersigned (including its donees or pledgees) intends to distribute the Registrable Securities listed above in Item (3) pursuant to the Resale Shelf Registration Statement only as follows and will not be offering any of such Registrable Securities pursuant to an agreement, arrangement or understanding entered into with a broker or dealer prior to the effective date of the Resale Shelf Registration Statement. Such Registrable Securities may be sold from time to time directly by the undersigned

or, alternatively, through underwriters or broker-dealers or agents. If the Registrable Securities are sold through underwriters or broker-dealers, the Selling Security Holder will be responsible for underwriting discounts or commissions or agent's commissions. Such Registrable Securities may be sold in one or more transactions at fixed prices, at prevailing market prices at the time of sale, at varying prices determined at the time of sale, or at negotiated prices. Such sales may be effected in transactions (which may involve crosses or block transactions)

(i) on any national securities exchange or quotation service on which the Registrable Securities may be listed or quoted at the time of sale;

(ii) in the over-the-counter market;

(iii) in transactions otherwise than on such exchanges or services or in the over-the-counter market; or

(iv) through the writing of options.

In connection with sales of the Registrable Securities or otherwise, the undersigned may enter into hedging transactions with broker-dealers, which may in turn engage in short sales of the Registrable Securities and deliver Registrable Securities to close out such short positions, or loan or pledge Registrable Securities to broker-dealers that in turn may sell such securities.

State any exceptions here:

Note: In no event may such method(s) of distribution take the form of an underwritten offering of the Registrable Securities without the prior written agreement of the Company.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

The undersigned acknowledges that it understands its obligation to comply with the provisions of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, and the rules thereunder relating to stock manipulation, particularly Regulation M thereunder (or any successor rules or regulations), in connection with any offering of Registrable Securities pursuant to the Registration Rights Agreement. The undersigned agrees that neither it nor any person acting on its behalf will engage in any transaction in violation of such provisions.

The Selling Security Holder hereby acknowledges its obligations under the Registration Rights Agreement to indemnify and hold harmless certain persons set forth therein. Pursuant to the Registration Rights Agreement, the Company has agreed under certain circumstances to indemnify the Selling Security Holders against certain liabilities.

In accordance with the undersigned's obligation under the Registration Rights Agreement to provide such information as may be required by law for inclusion in the Resale Shelf Registration Statement, the undersigned agrees to promptly notify the Company of any inaccuracies or changes in the information provided herein that may occur subsequent to the date hereof at any time while the Resale Shelf Registration Statement remains effective. All notices hereunder and pursuant to the Registration Rights Agreement shall be made in writing at the address set forth below.

In the event that the undersigned transfers all or any portion of the Registrable Securities listed in Item 3 above after the date on which such information is provided to the Company, the undersigned agrees to notify the transferee(s) at the time of transfer of its rights and obligations under this Notice and Questionnaire and the Registration Rights Agreement.

By signing this Notice and Questionnaire, the undersigned consents to the disclosure of the information contained herein in its answers to Items (1) through (6) above and the inclusion of such information in the Resale Shelf Registration Statement and the related prospectus. The undersigned understands that such information will be relied upon by the Company in connection with the preparation or amendment of the Resale Shelf Registration Statement and the related prospectus.

Once this Notice and Questionnaire is executed by the Selling Security Holder and received by the Company, the terms of this Notice and Questionnaire and the representations and warranties contained herein shall be binding on, shall inure to the benefit of and shall be enforceable by the respective successors, heirs, personal representatives and assigns of the Company and the Selling Security Holder with respect to the Registrable Securities beneficially owned by such Selling Security Holder and listed in Item 3 above.

This Notice and Questionnaire shall be governed by, and construed in accordance with, the laws of the State of California.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned, by authority duly given, has caused this Notice and Questionnaire to be executed and delivered either in person or by its duly authorized agent.

Beneficial Owner

By _____
Name:
Title:

Dated:

Please return the completed and executed Notice and Questionnaire to:

Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc.
11620 Wilshire Boulevard, Suite 300
Los Angeles, CA 90025
Tel: (310) 966-1680
Fax: (310) 966-1690
Attention: Howard Schwimmer and Michael Frankel

**REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, INC.
AND REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, L.P.
2013 INCENTIVE AWARD PLAN**

ARTICLE 1.

PURPOSE

The purpose of the Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc. and Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P. 2013 Incentive Award Plan (the "Plan") is to promote the success and enhance the value of Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc., a Maryland corporation (the "Company"), Rexford Industrial Realty and Management, Inc., a California corporation (the "Services Company"), and Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P. (the "Partnership") by linking the individual interests of Employees, Consultants, members of the Board and Services Company Directors to those of the Company's stockholders and by providing such individuals with an incentive for outstanding performance to generate superior returns to the Company's stockholders. The Plan is further intended to provide flexibility to the Company, the Services Company, the Partnership and their subsidiaries in their ability to motivate, attract, and retain the services of those individuals upon whose judgment, interest, and special effort the successful conduct of the Company's, the Services Company's and the Partnership's operation is largely dependent.

ARTICLE 2.

DEFINITIONS AND CONSTRUCTION

Wherever the following terms are used in the Plan they shall have the meanings specified below, unless the context clearly indicates otherwise. The singular pronoun shall include the plural where the context so indicates.

2.1 "Administrator" shall mean the entity that conducts the general administration of the Plan as provided in Article 12 hereof. With reference to the duties of the Committee under the Plan which have been delegated to one or more persons pursuant to Section 12.6 hereof, or which the Board has assumed, the term "Administrator" shall refer to such person(s) unless the Committee or the Board has revoked such delegation or the Board has terminated the assumption of such duties.

2.2 "Affiliate" shall mean the Partnership, the Services Company, any Parent or any Subsidiary.

2.3 "Applicable Accounting Standards" shall mean Generally Accepted Accounting Principles in the United States, International Financial Reporting Standards or such other accounting principles or standards as may apply to the Company's financial statements under United States federal securities laws from time to time.

2.4 "Applicable Law" shall mean any applicable law, including without limitation, (a) provisions of the Code, the Securities Act, the Exchange Act and any rules or regulations thereunder; (b) corporate, securities, tax or other laws, statutes, rules, requirements or regulations, whether federal, state, local or foreign; and (c) rules of any securities exchange or automated quotation system on which the Shares are listed, quoted or traded.

2.5 "Award" shall mean an Option, a Restricted Stock award, a Performance Award, a Dividend Equivalent award, a Stock Payment award, a Restricted Stock Unit award, a Performance Share award, an Other Incentive Award, an LTIP Unit award or a Stock Appreciation Right, which may be awarded or granted under the Plan.

2.6 "Award Agreement" shall mean any written notice, agreement, contract or other instrument or document evidencing an Award, including through electronic medium, which shall contain such terms and conditions with respect to an Award as the Administrator shall determine, consistent with the Plan.

2.7 "Board" shall mean the Board of Directors of the Company.

2.8 "Change in Control" shall mean the occurrence of any of the following events:

(a) A transaction or series of transactions (other than an offering of Shares to the general public through a registration statement filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission) whereby any "person" or related "group" of "persons" (as such terms are used in Sections 13(d) and 14(d)(2) of the Exchange Act) (other than the Company, the Services Company, the Partnership or any Subsidiary, an employee benefit plan maintained by any of the foregoing entities or a "person" that, prior to such transaction, directly or indirectly controls, is controlled by, or is under common control with, the Company) directly or indirectly acquires beneficial ownership (within the meaning of Rule 13d-3 under the Exchange Act) of securities of the Company possessing more than thirty percent (30%) of the total combined voting power of the Company's securities outstanding immediately after such acquisition; or

(b) During any period of two (2) consecutive years, individuals who, at the beginning of such period, constitute the Board together with any new director(s) (other than a director designated by a person who shall have entered into an agreement with the Company to effect a transaction described in Section 2.8(a) or Section 2.8(c) hereof) whose election by the Board or nomination for election by the Company's stockholders was approved by a vote of at least two-thirds (2/3) of the directors then still in office who either were directors at the beginning of the two (2)-year period or whose election or nomination for election was previously so approved, cease for any reason to constitute a majority thereof; or

(c) The consummation by the Company (whether directly involving the Company or indirectly involving the Company through one or more intermediaries) of (x) a merger, consolidation, reorganization, or business combination, (y) a sale or other disposition of all or substantially all of the Company's assets in any single transaction or series of related transactions or (z) the acquisition of assets or stock of another entity, in each case, other than a transaction:

(i) Which results in the Company's voting securities outstanding immediately before the transaction continuing to represent (either by remaining outstanding or by being converted into voting securities of the Company or the person that, as a result of the transaction, controls, directly or indirectly, the Company or owns, directly or indirectly, all or

substantially all of the Company's assets or otherwise succeeds to the business of the Company (the Company or such person, the "Successor Entity") directly or indirectly, at least a majority of the combined voting power of the Successor Entity's outstanding voting securities immediately after the transaction, and

(ii) After which no person or group beneficially owns voting securities representing thirty percent (30%) or more of the combined voting power of the Successor Entity; provided, however, that no person or group shall be treated for purposes of this Section 2.8(c)(ii) as beneficially owning thirty percent (30%) or more of the combined voting power of the Successor Entity solely as a result of the voting power held in the Company prior to the consummation of the transaction; or

(d) Approval by the Company's stockholders of a liquidation or dissolution of the Company.

Notwithstanding the foregoing, if a Change in Control constitutes a payment event with respect to any Award (or any portion of an Award) that provides for the deferral of compensation that is subject to Section 409A of the Code, to the extent required to avoid the imposition of additional taxes under Section 409A of the Code, the transaction or event described in subsection (a), (b), (c) or (d) with respect to such Award (or portion thereof) shall only constitute a Change in Control for purposes of the payment timing of such Award if such transaction also constitutes a "change in control event" (within the meaning of Code Section 409A). Consistent with the terms of this Section 2.8, the Administrator shall have full and final authority to determine conclusively whether a Change in Control of the Company has occurred pursuant to the above definition, the date of the occurrence of such Change in Control and any incidental matters relating thereto.

2.9 "Code" shall mean the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended from time to time, together with the regulations and official guidance promulgated thereunder, whether issued prior or subsequent to the grant of any Award.

2.10 "Committee" shall mean the Compensation Committee of the Board, or another committee or subcommittee of the Board described in Article 12 hereof.

2.11 "Common Stock" shall mean the common stock of the Company, par value \$0.01 per share.

2.12 "Company" shall mean Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc., a Maryland corporation.

2.13 "Consultant" shall mean any consultant or advisor of the Company, the Services Company, the Partnership or any Subsidiary who qualifies as a consultant or advisor under the applicable rules of Form S-8 Registration Statement.

2.14 "Covered Employee" shall mean any Employee who is, or could become, a "covered employee" within the meaning of Section 162(m) of the Code.

2.15 "Director" shall mean a member of the Board, as constituted from time to time.

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- 2.16 “Dividend Equivalent” shall mean a right to receive the equivalent value (in cash or Shares) of dividends paid on Shares, awarded under Section 9.2 hereof.
- 2.17 “DRO” shall mean a “domestic relations order” as defined by the Code or Title I of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974, as amended from time to time, or the rules thereunder.
- 2.18 “Effective Date” shall mean the date the Plan is adopted by the Board, subject to approval of the Plan by the Company’s stockholders.
- 2.19 “Eligible Individual” shall mean any person who is an Employee, a Consultant or a Non-Employee Director, as determined by the Administrator.
- 2.20 “Employee” shall mean any officer or other employee (within the meaning of Section 3401(c) of the Code) of the Company, the Services Company, the Partnership or any Subsidiary.
- 2.21 “Equity Restructuring” shall mean a nonreciprocal transaction between the Company and its stockholders, such as a stock dividend, stock split, spin-off, rights offering or recapitalization through a large, nonrecurring cash dividend, that affects the number or kind of Shares (or other securities of the Company) or the share price of Common Stock (or other securities) and causes a change in the per share value of the Common Stock underlying outstanding stock-based Awards.
- 2.22 “Exchange Act” shall mean the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended from time to time.
- 2.23 “Expiration Date” shall have the meaning provided in Section 13.1 hereof.
- 2.24 “Fair Market Value” shall mean, as of any given date, the value of a Share determined as follows:
- (a) If the Common Stock is (i) listed on any established securities exchange (such as the New York Stock Exchange, the NASDAQ Capital Market, the NASDAQ Global Market and the NASDAQ Global Select Market), (ii) listed on any national market system or (iii) listed, quoted or traded on any automated quotation system, its Fair Market Value shall be the closing sales price for a Share as quoted on such exchange or system for such date or, if there is no closing sales price for a Share on the date in question, the closing sales price for a Share on the last preceding date for which such quotation exists, as reported in *The Wall Street Journal* or such other source as the Administrator deems reliable;
- (b) If the Common Stock is not listed on an established securities exchange, national market system or automated quotation system, but the Common Stock is regularly quoted by a recognized securities dealer, its Fair Market Value shall be the mean of the high bid and low asked prices for such date or, if there are no high bid and low asked prices for a Share on such date, the high bid and low asked prices for a Share on the last preceding date for which such information exists, as reported in *The Wall Street Journal* or such other source as the Administrator deems reliable; or

(c) If the Common Stock is neither listed on an established securities exchange, national market system or automated quotation system nor regularly quoted by a recognized securities dealer, its Fair Market Value shall be established by the Administrator in good faith.

2.25 “Greater Than 10% Stockholder” shall mean an individual then-owning (within the meaning of Section 424(d) of the Code) more than ten percent (10%) of the total combined voting power of all classes of stock of the Company or any “parent corporation” or “subsidiary corporation” (as defined in Sections 424(e) and 424(f) of the Code, respectively).

2.26 “Incentive Stock Option” shall mean an Option that is intended to qualify as an incentive stock option and conforms to the applicable provisions of Section 422 of the Code.

2.27 “Individual Award Limit” shall mean the cash and share limits applicable to Awards granted under the Plan, as set forth in Section 3.3 hereof.

2.28 “LTIIP Unit” shall mean, to the extent authorized by the Partnership Agreement, a unit of the Partnership that is granted pursuant to Section 9.7 hereof and is intended to constitute a “profits interest” within the meaning of the Code.

2.29 “Non-Employee Director” shall mean a Director of the Company or a Services Company Director, in either case, who is not an Employee.

2.30 “Non-Qualified Stock Option” shall mean an Option that is not an Incentive Stock Option or which is designated as an Incentive Stock Option but does not meet the applicable requirements of Section 422 of the Code.

2.31 “Option” shall mean a right to purchase Shares at a specified exercise price, granted under Article 6 hereof. An Option shall be either a Non-Qualified Stock Option or an Incentive Stock Option; provided, however, that Options granted to Non-Employee Directors and Consultants shall only be Non-Qualified Stock Options.

2.32 “Other Incentive Award” shall mean an Award denominated in, linked to or derived from Shares or value metrics related to Shares, granted pursuant to Section 9.6 hereof.

2.33 “Parent” shall mean any entity (other than the Company), whether domestic or foreign, in an unbroken chain of entities ending with the Company if each of the entities other than the Company beneficially owns, at the time of the determination, securities or interests representing more than fifty percent (50%) of the total combined voting power of all classes of securities or interests in one of the other entities in such chain.

2.34 “Participant” shall mean an Eligible Individual who has been granted an Award pursuant to the Plan.

2.35 “Partnership” shall mean Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P.

2.36 “Partnership Agreement” shall mean the Amended and Restated Agreement of Limited Partnership of Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P., as the same may be amended, modified or restated from time to time.

2.37 “Performance Award” shall mean an Award that is granted under Section 9.1 hereof.

2.38 “Performance-Based Compensation” shall mean any compensation that is intended to qualify as “performance-based compensation” as described in Section 162(m)(4)(C) of the Code.

2.39 “Performance Criteria” shall mean the criteria (and adjustments) that the Committee selects for an Award for purposes of establishing the Performance Goal or Performance Goals for a Performance Period, determined as follows:

(a) The Performance Criteria that shall be used to establish Performance Goals are limited to the following: (i) net earnings (either before or after one or more of the following: (A) interest, (B) taxes, (C) depreciation, (D) amortization, and (E) non-cash equity-based compensation expense); (ii) gross or net sales or revenue; (iii) net income (either before or after taxes); (iv) adjusted net income; (v) operating earnings or profit; (vi) cash flow (including, but not limited to, operating cash flow and free cash flow); (vii) return on assets; (viii) return on capital; (ix) return on stockholders’ equity; (x) total stockholder return; (xi) return on sales; (xii) gross or net profit or operating margin; (xiii) costs; (xiv) funds from operations; (xv) expenses; (xvi) working capital; (xvii) earnings per share; (xviii) adjusted earnings per share; (xix) price per Share; (xx) leasing activity; (xxi) implementation or completion of critical projects; (xxii) market share; (xxiii) economic value; (xxiv) debt levels or reduction; (xxv) sales-related goals; (xxvi) comparisons with other stock market indices; (xxvii) operating efficiency; (xxviii) financing and other capital raising transactions; (xxix) recruiting and maintaining personnel; (xxx) year-end cash; (xxxi) acquisition activity; (xxxii) investment sourcing activity; (xxxiii) customer service; and (xxxiv) marketing initiatives, any of which may be measured either in absolute terms for the Company or any operating unit of the Company or as compared to any incremental increase or decrease or as compared to results of a peer group or to market performance indicators or indices.

(b) The Administrator may, in its sole discretion, provide that one or more objectively determinable adjustments shall be made to one or more of the Performance Goals. Such adjustments may include, but are not limited to, one or more of the following: (i) items related to a change in accounting principle; (ii) items relating to financing activities; (iii) expenses for restructuring or productivity initiatives; (iv) other non-operating items; (v) items related to acquisitions; (vi) items attributable to the business operations of any entity acquired by the Company during the Performance Period; (vii) items related to the sale or disposition of a business or segment of a business; (viii) items related to discontinued operations that do not qualify as a segment of a business under Applicable Accounting Standards; (ix) items attributable to any stock dividend, stock split, combination or exchange of stock occurring during the Performance Period; (x) any other items of significant income or expense which are determined to be appropriate adjustments; (xi) items relating to unusual or extraordinary corporate transactions, events or developments, (xii) items related to amortization of acquired

intangible assets; (xiii) items that are outside the scope of the Company's core, on-going business activities; (xiv) items related to acquired in-process research and development; (xv) items relating to changes in tax laws; (xvi) items relating to major licensing or partnership arrangements; (xvii) items relating to asset impairment charges; (xviii) items relating to gains or losses for litigation, arbitration and contractual settlements; or (xix) items relating to any other unusual or nonrecurring events or changes in Applicable Law, accounting principles or business conditions. For all Awards intended to qualify as Performance-Based Compensation, such determinations shall be made within the time prescribed by, and otherwise in compliance with, Section 162(m) of the Code.

2.40 "Performance Goals" shall mean, for a Performance Period, one or more goals established in writing by the Administrator for the Performance Period based upon one or more Performance Criteria. Depending on the Performance Criteria used to establish such Performance Goals, the Performance Goals may be expressed in terms of overall performance of the Company, the Services Company, the Partnership, any Subsidiary, any division or business unit thereof or an individual. The achievement of each Performance Goal shall be determined in accordance with Applicable Accounting Standards.

2.41 "Performance Period" shall mean one or more periods of time, which may be of varying and overlapping durations, as the Administrator may select, over which the attainment of one or more Performance Goals will be measured for the purpose of determining a Participant's right to, and the payment of, a Performance Award.

2.42 "Performance Share" shall mean a contractual right awarded under Section 9.5 hereof to receive a number of Shares or the cash value of such number of Shares based on the attainment of specified Performance Goals or other criteria determined by the Administrator.

2.43 "Permitted Transferee" shall mean, with respect to a Participant, any "family member" of the Participant, as defined under the General Instructions to Form S-8 Registration Statement under the Securities Act or any successor Form thereto, or any other transferee specifically approved by the Administrator, after taking into account Applicable Law.

2.44 "Plan" shall mean this Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc. and Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P. 2013 Incentive Award Plan, as it may be amended from time to time.

2.45 "Program" shall mean any program adopted by the Administrator pursuant to the Plan containing the terms and conditions intended to govern a specified type of Award granted under the Plan and pursuant to which such type of Award may be granted under the Plan.

2.46 "Public Trading Date" shall mean the first date upon which the Common Stock is listed (or approved for listing) upon notice of issuance on any securities exchange or designated (or approved for designation) upon notice of issuance as a national market security on an interdealer quotation system.

2.47 "REIT" shall mean a real estate investment trust within the meaning of Sections 856 through 860 of the Code.

2.48 “Restricted Stock” shall mean an award of Shares made under Article 8 hereof that is subject to certain restrictions and may be subject to risk of forfeiture.

2.49 “Restricted Stock Unit” shall mean a contractual right awarded under Section 9.4 hereof to receive in the future a Share or the cash value of a Share.

2.50 “Securities Act” shall mean the Securities Act of 1933, as amended.

2.51 “Services Company” shall mean Rexford Industrial Realty and Management, Inc., a California corporation.

2.52 “Services Company Director” shall mean a member of the Board of Directors of the Services Company.

2.53 “Share Limit” shall have the meaning provided in Section 3.1(a) hereof.

2.54 “Shares” shall mean shares of Common Stock.

2.55 “Stock Appreciation Right” shall mean a stock appreciation right granted under Article 10 hereof.

2.56 “Stock Payment” shall mean a payment in the form of Shares awarded under Section 9.3 hereof.

2.57 “Subsidiary” shall mean (a) a corporation, association or other business entity of which fifty percent (50%) or more of the total combined voting power of all classes of capital stock is owned, directly or indirectly, by the Company, the Partnership, the Services Company and/or by one or more Subsidiaries, (b) any partnership or limited liability company of which fifty percent (50%) or more of the equity interests are owned, directly or indirectly, by the Company, the Partnership, the Services Company and/or by one or more Subsidiaries, and (c) any other entity not described in clauses (a) or (b) above of which fifty percent (50%) or more of the ownership and the power (whether voting interests or otherwise), pursuant to a written contract or agreement, to direct the policies and management or the financial and the other affairs thereof, are owned or controlled by the Company, the Partnership, the Services Company and/or by one or more Subsidiaries.

2.58 “Substitute Award” shall mean an Award granted under the Plan in connection with a corporate transaction, such as a merger, combination, consolidation or acquisition of property or stock, in any case, upon the assumption of, or in substitution for, an outstanding equity award previously granted by a company or other entity that is a party to such transaction; provided, however, that in no event shall the term “Substitute Award” be construed to refer to an award made in connection with the cancellation and repricing of an Option or Stock Appreciation Right.

2.59 “Successor Entity” shall have the meaning provided in Section 2.8(c)(i) hereof.

2.60 “Termination of Service” shall mean:

(a) As to a Consultant, the time when the engagement of a Participant as a Consultant to the Company and its Affiliates is terminated for any reason, with or without cause, including, without limitation, by resignation, discharge, death or retirement, but excluding terminations where the Consultant simultaneously commences or remains in employment and/or service as an Employee and/or Director with the Company or any Affiliate.

(b) As to a Non-Employee Director, the time when a Participant who is a Non-Employee Director ceases to be a Director for any reason, including, without limitation, a termination by resignation, failure to be elected, death or retirement, but excluding terminations where the Participant simultaneously commences or remains in employment and/or service as an Employee and/or Consultant with the Company or any Affiliate.

(c) As to an Employee, the time when the employee-employer relationship between a Participant and the Company and its Affiliates is terminated for any reason, including, without limitation, a termination by resignation, discharge, death, disability or retirement, but excluding terminations where the Participant simultaneously commences or remains in service as a Consultant and/or Director with the Company or any Affiliate.

The Administrator, in its sole discretion, shall determine the effect of all matters and questions relating to any Termination of Service, including, without limitation, whether a Termination of Service has occurred, whether any Termination of Service resulted from a discharge for cause and whether any particular leave of absence constitutes a Termination of Service; provided, however, that, with respect to Incentive Stock Options, unless the Administrator otherwise provides in the terms of any Program, Award Agreement or otherwise, or as otherwise required by Applicable Law, a leave of absence, change in status from an employee to an independent contractor or other change in the employee-employer relationship shall constitute a Termination of Service only if, and to the extent that, such leave of absence, change in status or other change interrupts employment for the purposes of Section 422(a)(2) of the Code. For purposes of the Plan, a Participant’s employee-employer relationship or consultancy relationship shall be deemed to be terminated in the event that the Affiliate employing or contracting with such Participant ceases to remain an Affiliate following any merger, sale of stock or other corporate transaction or event (including, without limitation, a spin-off).

ARTICLE 3.

SHARES SUBJECT TO THE PLAN

3.1 Number of Shares.

(a) Subject to Section 3.1(b) and Section 13.2 hereof, the aggregate number of Shares which may be issued or transferred pursuant to Awards under the Plan is two million two hundred seventy-two thousand six hundred eighty-nine (2,272,689) Shares (the “Share Limit”). In order that the applicable regulations under the Code relating to Incentive Stock Options be satisfied, the maximum number of Shares that may be issued under the Plan upon the exercise of Incentive Stock Options shall be two million two hundred seventy-two thousand six hundred eighty-nine (2,272,689) Shares. Subject to Section 13.2 hereof, each LTIP Unit issued pursuant to an Award shall count as one Share for purposes of calculating the aggregate number of Shares available for issuance under the Plan as set forth in this Section 3.1(a) and for purposes of calculating the Individual Award Limit set forth in Section 3.3 hereof.

(b) If any Shares subject to an Award are forfeited or expire or such Award is settled for cash (in whole or in part), the Shares subject to such Award shall, to the extent of such forfeiture, expiration or cash settlement, again be available for future grants of Awards under the Plan and shall be added back to the Share Limit in the same number of Shares as were debited from the Share Limit in respect of the grant of such Award (as may be adjusted in accordance with Section 13.2 hereof). Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained herein, the following Shares shall not be added back to the Share Limit and will not be available for future grants of Awards: (i) Shares tendered by a Participant or withheld by the Company in payment of the exercise price of an Option; (ii) Shares tendered by the Participant or withheld by the Company to satisfy any tax withholding obligation with respect to an Award; (iii) Shares subject to a Stock Appreciation Right that are not issued in connection with the stock settlement of the Stock Appreciation Right on exercise thereof; and (iv) Shares purchased on the open market with the cash proceeds from the exercise of Options. Any Shares repurchased by the Company under Section 8.4 hereof at the same price paid by the Participant so that such Shares are returned to the Company will again be available for Awards. The payment of Dividend Equivalents in cash in conjunction with any outstanding Awards shall not be counted against the Shares available for issuance under the Plan. Notwithstanding the provisions of this Section 3.1(b), no Shares may again be optioned, granted or awarded if such action would cause an Incentive Stock Option to fail to qualify as an incentive stock option under Section 422 of the Code.

(c) Substitute Awards shall not reduce the Shares authorized for grant under the Plan. Additionally, in the event that a company acquired by the Company or any Affiliate, or with which the Company or any Affiliate combines, has shares available under a pre-existing plan approved by its stockholders and not adopted in contemplation of such acquisition or combination, the shares available for grant pursuant to the terms of such pre-existing plan (as adjusted, to the extent appropriate, using the exchange ratio or other adjustment or valuation ratio or formula used in such acquisition or combination to determine the consideration payable to the holders of common stock of the entities party to such acquisition or combination) may be used for Awards under the Plan and shall not reduce the Shares authorized for grant under the Plan; provided, however, that Awards using such available shares shall not be made after the date awards or grants could have been made under the terms of the pre-existing plan, absent the acquisition or combination, and shall only be made to individuals who were not employed by or providing services to the Company or its Affiliates immediately prior to such acquisition or combination.

3.2 Stock Distributed. Any Shares distributed pursuant to an Award may consist, in whole or in part, of authorized and unissued Common Stock or, if authorized by the Board, Common Stock purchased on the open market.

3.3 Limitation on Number of Shares Subject to Awards. Notwithstanding any provision in the Plan to the contrary, and subject to Section 13.2 hereof, (a) the maximum aggregate number of Shares with respect to one or more Awards that may be granted to any one person during any calendar year shall be one million five hundred thousand (1,500,000) Shares

and the maximum aggregate amount of cash that may be paid in cash during any calendar year with respect to one or more Awards payable in cash shall be two million dollars (\$2,000,000) (together, the “Individual Award Limits”), provided, however, that the foregoing limitations shall not apply until the earliest of the following events to occur after the Public Trading Date: (a) the first material modification of the Plan (including any increase in the Share Limit in accordance with Section 3.1 hereof); (b) the issuance of all of the Shares reserved for issuance under the Plan; (c) the expiration of the Plan; (d) the first meeting of stockholders at which members of the Board are to be elected that occurs after the close of the third calendar year following the calendar year in which occurred the first registration of an equity security of the Company under Section 12 of the Exchange Act; or (e) such other date required by Section 162(m) of the Code and the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder.

ARTICLE 4.
GRANTING OF AWARDS

4.1 Participation. The Administrator may, from time to time, select from among all Eligible Individuals, those to whom one or more Awards shall be granted and shall determine the nature and amount of each Award, which shall not be inconsistent with the requirements of the Plan. No Eligible Individual shall have any right to be granted an Award pursuant to the Plan.

4.2 Award Agreement. Each Award shall be evidenced by an Award Agreement stating the terms and conditions applicable to such Award, consistent with the requirements of the Plan and any applicable Program.

4.3 Limitations Applicable to Section 16 Persons. Notwithstanding anything contained herein to the contrary, with respect to any Award granted or awarded to any individual who is then subject to Section 16 of the Exchange Act, the Plan, any applicable Program and the applicable Award Agreement shall be subject to any additional limitations set forth in any applicable exemptive rule under Section 16 of the Exchange Act (including Rule 16b-3 of the Exchange Act and any amendments thereto) that are requirements for the application of such exemptive rule, and such additional limitations shall be deemed to be incorporated by reference into such Award to the extent permitted by Applicable Law.

4.4 At-Will Service. Nothing in the Plan or in any Program or Award Agreement hereunder shall confer upon any Participant any right to continue as an Employee, Director or Consultant of the Company or any Affiliate, or shall interfere with or restrict in any way the rights of the Company or any Affiliate, which rights are hereby expressly reserved, to discharge any Participant at any time for any reason whatsoever, with or without cause, and with or without notice, or to terminate or change all other terms and conditions of any Participant’s employment or engagement, except to the extent expressly provided otherwise in a written agreement between the Participant and the Company or any Affiliate.

4.5 Foreign Participants. Notwithstanding any provision of the Plan to the contrary, in order to comply with the laws in other countries in which the Company and its Affiliates operate or have Employees, Non-Employee Directors or Consultants, or in order to comply with the requirements of any foreign securities exchange, the Administrator, in its sole discretion,

shall have the power and authority to: (a) determine which Affiliates shall be covered by the Plan; (b) determine which Eligible Individuals outside the United States are eligible to participate in the Plan; (c) modify the terms and conditions of any Award granted to Eligible Individuals outside the United States to comply with applicable foreign laws or listing requirements of any such foreign securities exchange; (d) establish subplans and modify exercise procedures and other terms and procedures, to the extent such actions may be necessary or advisable; provided, however, that no such subplans and/or modifications shall increase the Share Limit or Individual Award Limits contained in Sections 3.1 and 3.3 hereof, respectively; and (e) take any action, before or after an Award is made, that it deems advisable to obtain approval or comply with any necessary local governmental regulatory exemptions or approvals or listing requirements of any such foreign securities exchange. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the Administrator may not take any actions hereunder, and no Awards shall be granted, that would violate Applicable Law.

4.6 Stand-Alone and Tandem Awards. Awards granted pursuant to the Plan may, in the sole discretion of the Administrator, be granted either alone, in addition to, or in tandem with, any other Award granted pursuant to the Plan. Awards granted in addition to or in tandem with other Awards may be granted either at the same time as or at a different time from the grant of such other Awards.

ARTICLE 5.
PROVISIONS APPLICABLE TO AWARDS INTENDED TO QUALIFY AS
PERFORMANCE-BASED COMPENSATION

5.1 Purpose. The Committee, in its sole discretion, may determine whether any Award is intended to qualify as Performance-Based Compensation. If the Committee, in its sole discretion, decides to grant an Award to an Eligible Individual that is intended to qualify as Performance-Based Compensation, then the provisions of this Article 5 shall control over any contrary provision contained in the Plan. The Administrator may in its sole discretion grant Awards to Eligible Individuals that are based on Performance Criteria or Performance Goals but that do not satisfy the requirements of this Article 5 and that are not intended to qualify as Performance-Based Compensation. Unless otherwise specified by the Committee at the time of grant, the Performance Criteria with respect to an Award intended to be Performance-Based Compensation payable to a Covered Employee shall be determined on the basis of Applicable Accounting Standards.

5.2 Applicability. The grant of an Award to an Eligible Individual for a particular Performance Period shall not require the grant of an Award to such Eligible Individual in any subsequent Performance Period and the grant of an Award to any one Eligible Individual shall not require the grant of an Award to any other Eligible Individual in such period or in any other period.

5.3 Procedures with Respect to Performance-Based Awards. To the extent necessary to comply with the requirements of Section 162(m)(4)(C) of the Code, with respect to any Award which is intended to qualify as Performance-Based Compensation, no later than ninety (90) days following the commencement of any Performance Period or any designated

fiscal period or period of service (or such earlier time as may be required under Section 162(m) of the Code), the Committee shall, in writing, (a) designate one or more Eligible Individuals; (b) select the Performance Criteria applicable to the Performance Period; (c) establish the Performance Goals, and amounts of such Awards, as applicable, which may be earned for such Performance Period based on the Performance Criteria; and (d) specify the relationship between Performance Criteria and the Performance Goals and the amounts of such Awards, as applicable, to be earned by each Covered Employee for such Performance Period. Following the completion of each Performance Period, the Committee shall certify in writing whether and the extent to which the applicable Performance Goals have been achieved for such Performance Period. In determining the amount earned under such Awards, unless otherwise provided in an Award Agreement, the Committee shall have the right to reduce or eliminate (but not to increase) the amount payable at a given level of performance to take into account additional factors that the Committee may deem relevant, including the assessment of individual or corporate performance for the Performance Period.

5.4 Payment of Performance-Based Awards. Unless otherwise provided in the applicable Program or Award Agreement (and only to the extent otherwise permitted by Section 162(m)(4)(C) of the Code), the holder of an Award that is intended to qualify as Performance-Based Compensation must be employed by the Company or an Affiliate throughout the applicable Performance Period. Unless otherwise provided in the applicable Performance Goals, Program or Award Agreement, a Participant shall be eligible to receive payment pursuant to such Awards for a Performance Period only if and to the extent the Performance Goals for such Performance Period are achieved.

5.5 Additional Limitations. Notwithstanding any other provision of the Plan and except as otherwise determined by the Administrator, any Award which is granted to an Eligible Individual and is intended to qualify as Performance-Based Compensation shall be subject to any additional limitations imposed by Section 162(m) of the Code that are requirements for qualification as Performance-Based Compensation, and the Plan, the Program and the Award Agreement shall be deemed amended to the extent necessary to conform to such requirements.

ARTICLE 6. GRANTING OF OPTIONS

6.1 Granting of Options to Eligible Individuals. The Administrator is authorized to grant Options to Eligible Individuals from time to time, in its sole discretion, on such terms and conditions as it may determine which shall not be inconsistent with the Plan.

6.2 Qualification of Incentive Stock Options. No Incentive Stock Option shall be granted to any person who is not an Employee of the Company or any “parent corporation” or “subsidiary corporation” of the Company (as defined in Sections 424(e) and 424(f) of the Code, respectively). No person who qualifies as a Greater Than 10% Stockholder may be granted an Incentive Stock Option unless such Incentive Stock Option conforms to the applicable provisions of Section 422 of the Code. Any Incentive Stock Option granted under the Plan may be modified by the Administrator, with the consent of the Participant, to disqualify such Option from treatment as an “incentive stock option” under Section 422 of the Code. To the extent that

the aggregate fair market value of stock with respect to which “incentive stock options” (within the meaning of Section 422 of the Code, but without regard to Section 422(d) of the Code) are exercisable for the first time by a Participant during any calendar year under the Plan and all other plans of the Company or any “parent corporation” or “subsidiary corporation” of the Company (as defined in Section 424(e) and 424(f) of the Code, respectively) exceeds one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000), the Options shall be treated as Non-Qualified Stock Options to the extent required by Section 422 of the Code. The rule set forth in the preceding sentence shall be applied by taking Options and other “incentive stock options” into account in the order in which they were granted and the Fair Market Value of stock shall be determined as of the time the respective options were granted. In addition, to the extent that any Options otherwise fail to qualify as Incentive Stock Options, such Options shall be treated as Nonqualified Stock Options.

6.3 Option Exercise Price. The exercise price per Share subject to each Option shall be set by the Administrator, but shall not be less than one hundred percent (100%) of the Fair Market Value of a Share on the date the Option is granted (or, as to Incentive Stock Options, on the date the Option is modified, extended or renewed for purposes of Section 424(h) of the Code). In addition, in the case of Incentive Stock Options granted to a Greater Than 10% Stockholder, such price shall not be less than one hundred ten percent (110%) of the Fair Market Value of a Share on the date the Option is granted (or the date the Option is modified, extended or renewed for purposes of Section 424(h) of the Code).

6.4 Option Term. The term of each Option shall be set by the Administrator in its sole discretion; provided, however, that the term shall not be more than ten (10) years from the date the Option is granted, or five (5) years from the date an Incentive Stock Option is granted to a Greater Than 10% Stockholder. The Administrator shall determine the time period, including the time period following a Termination of Service, during which the Participant has the right to exercise the vested Options, which time period may not extend beyond the stated term of the Option. Except as limited by the requirements of Section 409A or Section 422 of the Code, the Administrator may extend the term of any outstanding Option, and may extend the time period during which vested Options may be exercised, in connection with any Termination of Service of the Participant, and may amend any other term or condition of such Option relating to such a Termination of Service.

6.5 Option Vesting.

(a) The terms and conditions pursuant to which an Option vests in the Participant and becomes exercisable shall be determined by the Administrator and set forth in the applicable Award Agreement. Such vesting may be based on service with the Company or any Affiliate, any of the Performance Criteria, or any other criteria selected by the Administrator. At any time after the grant of an Option, the Administrator may, in its sole discretion and subject to whatever terms and conditions it selects, accelerate the vesting of the Option.

(b) No portion of an Option which is unexercisable at a Participant’s Termination of Service shall thereafter become exercisable, except as may be otherwise provided by the Administrator either in an applicable Program, the applicable Award Agreement or by action of the Administrator following the grant of the Option.

6.6 Substitute Awards. Notwithstanding the foregoing provisions of this Article 6 to the contrary, in the case of an Option that is a Substitute Award, the price per Share of the Shares subject to such Option may be less than the Fair Market Value per share on the date of grant, provided, however, that the exercise price of any Substitute Award shall be determined in accordance with the applicable requirements of Sections 424 and 409A of the Code.

6.7 Substitution of Stock Appreciation Rights. The Administrator may, in its sole discretion, substitute an Award of Stock Appreciation Rights for an outstanding Option at any time prior to or upon exercise of such Option; provided, however, that such Stock Appreciation Rights shall be exercisable with respect to the same number of Shares for which such substituted Option would have been exercisable, and shall also have the same exercise price and remaining term as the substituted Option.

ARTICLE 7. EXERCISE OF OPTIONS

7.1 Partial Exercise. An exercisable Option may be exercised in whole or in part. However, an Option shall not be exercisable with respect to fractional shares and the Administrator may require that, by the terms of the Option, a partial exercise must be with respect to a minimum number of Shares.

7.2 Manner of Exercise. All or a portion of an exercisable Option shall be deemed exercised upon delivery of all of the following to the Secretary of the Company, or such other person or entity designated by the Administrator, or his, her or its office, as applicable:

(a) A written or electronic notice complying with the applicable rules established by the Administrator stating that the Option, or a portion thereof, is exercised. The notice shall be signed by the Participant or other person then entitled to exercise the Option or such portion of the Option;

(b) Such representations and documents as the Administrator, in its sole discretion, deems necessary or advisable to effect compliance with Applicable Law. The Administrator may, in its sole discretion, also take such additional actions as it deems appropriate to effect such compliance including, without limitation, placing legends on share certificates and issuing stop-transfer notices to agents and registrars;

(c) In the event that the Option shall be exercised pursuant to Section 11.3 hereof by any person or persons other than the Participant, appropriate proof of the right of such person or persons to exercise the Option, as determined in the sole discretion of the Administrator; and

(d) Full payment of the exercise price and applicable withholding taxes to the stock administrator of the Company for the Shares with respect to which the Option, or portion thereof, is exercised, in a manner permitted by the Administrator in accordance with Sections 11.1 and 11.2 hereof.

7.3 Notification Regarding Disposition. The Participant shall give the Company prompt written or electronic notice of any disposition of Shares acquired by exercise of an Incentive Stock Option which occurs within (a) two (2) years after the date of granting (including the date the Option is modified, extended or renewed for purposes of Section 424(h) of the Code) of such Option to such Participant, or (b) one (1) year after the date of transfer of such Shares to such Participant.

ARTICLE 8. RESTRICTED STOCK

8.1 Award of Restricted Stock.

(a) The Administrator is authorized to grant Restricted Stock to Eligible Individuals, and shall determine the terms and conditions, including the restrictions applicable to each award of Restricted Stock, which terms and conditions shall not be inconsistent with the Plan, and may impose such conditions on the issuance of such Restricted Stock as it deems appropriate.

(b) The Administrator shall establish the purchase price, if any, and form of payment for Restricted Stock; provided, however, that if a purchase price is charged, such purchase price shall be no less than the par value of the Shares to be purchased, unless otherwise permitted by Applicable Law. In all cases, legal consideration shall be required for each issuance of Restricted Stock to the extent required by Applicable Law.

8.2 Rights as Stockholders. Subject to Section 8.4 hereof, upon issuance of Restricted Stock, the Participant shall have, unless otherwise provided by the Administrator, all the rights of a stockholder with respect to said shares, subject to the restrictions in an applicable Program or in the applicable Award Agreement, including the right to receive all dividends and other distributions paid or made with respect to the shares; provided, however, that, in the sole discretion of the Administrator, any extraordinary distributions with respect to the shares shall be subject to the restrictions set forth in Section 8.3 hereof.

8.3 Restrictions. All shares of Restricted Stock (including any shares received by Participants thereof with respect to shares of Restricted Stock as a result of stock dividends, stock splits or any other form of recapitalization) shall, in the terms of an applicable Program or the applicable Award Agreement, be subject to such restrictions and vesting requirements as the Administrator shall provide. Such restrictions may include, without limitation, restrictions concerning voting rights and transferability and such restrictions may lapse separately or in combination at such times and pursuant to such circumstances or based on such criteria as selected by the Administrator, including, without limitation, criteria based on the Participant's continued employment, directorship or consultancy with the Company, the Performance Criteria, Company or Affiliate performance, individual performance or other criteria selected by the Administrator. By action taken after the Restricted Stock is issued, the Administrator may, on such terms and conditions as it may determine to be appropriate, accelerate the vesting of such Restricted Stock by removing any or all of the restrictions imposed by the terms of any Program or by the applicable Award Agreement. Restricted Stock may not be sold or encumbered until all restrictions are terminated or expire.

8.4 Repurchase or Forfeiture of Restricted Stock. If no purchase price was paid by the Participant for the Restricted Stock, upon a Termination of Service, the Participant's rights in unvested Restricted Stock then subject to restrictions shall lapse, and such Restricted Stock shall be surrendered to the Company and cancelled without consideration. If a purchase price was paid by the Participant for the Restricted Stock, upon a Termination of Service the Company shall have the right to repurchase from the Participant the unvested Restricted Stock then-subject to restrictions at a cash price per share equal to the price paid by the Participant for such Restricted Stock or such other amount as may be specified in an applicable Program or the applicable Award Agreement. The Administrator in its sole discretion may provide that, upon certain events, including without limitation a Change in Control, the Participant's death, retirement or disability, any other specified Termination of Service or any other event, the Participant's rights in unvested Restricted Stock shall not terminate, such Restricted Stock shall vest and cease to be forfeitable and, if applicable, the Company shall cease to have a right of repurchase.

8.5 Certificates for Restricted Stock. Restricted Stock granted pursuant to the Plan may be evidenced in such manner as the Administrator shall determine. Certificates or book entries evidencing shares of Restricted Stock must include an appropriate legend referring to the terms, conditions, and restrictions applicable to such Restricted Stock, and the Company may, in its sole discretion, retain physical possession of any stock certificate until such time as all applicable restrictions lapse.

ARTICLE 9.

PERFORMANCE AWARDS; DIVIDEND EQUIVALENTS; STOCK PAYMENTS; RESTRICTED STOCK UNITS; PERFORMANCE SHARES; OTHER INCENTIVE AWARDS; LTIP UNITS

9.1 Performance Awards.

(a) The Administrator is authorized to grant Performance Awards to any Eligible Individual and to determine whether such Performance Awards shall be Performance-Based Compensation. The value of Performance Awards may be linked to any one or more of the Performance Criteria or other specific criteria determined by the Administrator, in each case on a specified date or dates or over any period or periods determined by the Administrator.

(b) Without limiting Section 9.1(a) hereof, the Administrator may grant Performance Awards to any Eligible Individual in the form of a cash bonus payable upon the attainment of objective Performance Goals, or such other criteria, whether or not objective, which are established by the Administrator, in each case on a specified date or dates or over any period or periods determined by the Administrator. Any such bonuses paid to a Participant which are intended to be Performance-Based Compensation shall be based upon objectively determinable bonus formulas established in accordance with the provisions of Article 5 hereof.

9.2 Dividend Equivalents.

(a) Subject to Section 9.2(b) hereof, Dividend Equivalents may be granted by the Administrator, either alone or in tandem with another Award, based on dividends declared on the Common Stock, to be credited as of dividend payment dates during the period between the date the Dividend Equivalents are granted to a Participant and the date such Dividend Equivalents terminate or expire, as determined by the Administrator. Such Dividend Equivalents shall be converted to cash or additional Shares by such formula and at such time and subject to such limitations as may be determined by the Administrator. In addition, Dividend Equivalents with respect to Shares covered by a Performance Award shall only be paid out to the Participant at the same time or times and to the same extent that the vesting conditions, if any, are subsequently satisfied and the Performance Award vests with respect to such Shares.

(b) Notwithstanding the foregoing, no Dividend Equivalents shall be payable with respect to Options or Stock Appreciation Rights.

9.3 Stock Payments. The Administrator is authorized to make one or more Stock Payments to any Eligible Individual. The number or value of Shares of any Stock Payment shall be determined by the Administrator and may be based upon one or more Performance Criteria or any other specific criteria, including service to the Company or any Affiliate, determined by the Administrator. Stock Payments may, but are not required to be made in lieu of base salary, bonus, fees or other cash compensation otherwise payable to such Eligible Individual.

9.4 Restricted Stock Units. The Administrator is authorized to grant Restricted Stock Units to any Eligible Individual. The number and terms and conditions of Restricted Stock Units shall be determined by the Administrator. The Administrator shall specify the date or dates on which the Restricted Stock Units shall become fully vested and nonforfeitable, and may specify such conditions to vesting as it deems appropriate, including conditions based on one or more Performance Criteria or other specific criteria, including service to the Company or any Affiliate, in each case, on a specified date or dates or over any period or periods, as determined by the Administrator. The Administrator shall specify, or permit the Participant to elect, the conditions and dates upon which the Shares underlying the Restricted Stock Units shall be issued, which dates shall not be earlier than the date as of which the Restricted Stock Units vest and become nonforfeitable and which conditions and dates shall be consistent with the applicable provisions of Section 409A of the Code or an exemption therefrom. On the distribution dates, the Company shall issue to the Participant one unrestricted, fully transferable Share (or the Fair Market Value of one such Share in cash) for each vested and nonforfeitable Restricted Stock Unit.

9.5 Performance Share Awards. Any Eligible Individual selected by the Administrator may be granted one or more Performance Share awards which shall be denominated in a number of Shares and the vesting of which may be linked to any one or more of the Performance Criteria, other specific performance criteria (in each case on a specified date or dates or over any period or periods determined by the Administrator) and/or time-vesting or other criteria, as determined by the Administrator.

9.6 Other Incentive Awards. The Administrator is authorized to grant Other Incentive Awards to any Eligible Individual, which Awards may cover Shares or the right to purchase Shares or have a value derived from the value of, or an exercise or conversion privilege at a price related to, or that are otherwise payable in or based on, Shares, shareholder value or shareholder return, in each case, on a specified date or dates or over any period or periods determined by the Administrator. Other Incentive Awards may be linked to any one or more of the Performance Criteria or other specific performance criteria determined appropriate by the Administrator.

9.7 LTIP Units. The Administrator is authorized to grant LTIP Units in such amount and subject to such terms and conditions as may be determined by the Administrator; provided, however that LTIP Units may only be issued to a Participant for the performance of services to or for the benefit of the Partnership (a) in the Participant's capacity as a partner of the Partnership, (b) in anticipation of the Participant becoming a partner of the Partnership, or (c) as otherwise determined by the Administrator, provided that the LTIP Units are intended to constitute "profits interests" within the meaning of the Code, including, to the extent applicable, Revenue Procedure 93-27, 1993-2 C.B. 343 and Revenue Procedure 2001-43, 2001-2 C.B. 191. The Administrator shall specify the conditions and dates upon which the LTIP Units shall vest and become nonforfeitable. LTIP Units shall be subject to the terms and conditions of the Partnership Agreement and such other restrictions, including restrictions on transferability, as the Administrator may impose. These restrictions may lapse separately or in combination at such times, pursuant to such circumstances, in such installments, or otherwise, as the Administrator determines at the time of the grant of the Award or thereafter.

9.8 Other Terms and Conditions. All applicable terms and conditions of each Award described in this Article 9, including without limitation, as applicable, the term, vesting conditions and exercise/purchase price applicable to the Award, shall be set by the Administrator in its sole discretion, provided, however that the value of the consideration paid by a Participant for an Award shall not be less than the par value of a Share, unless otherwise permitted by Applicable Law.

9.9 Exercise upon Termination of Service. Awards described in this Article 9 are exercisable or distributable, as applicable, only while the Participant is an Employee, Director or Consultant, as applicable. The Administrator, however, in its sole discretion may provide that such Award may be exercised or distributed subsequent to a Termination of Service as provided under an applicable Program, Award Agreement, payment deferral election and/or in certain events, including without limitation, a Change in Control, the Participant's death, retirement or disability or any other specified Termination of Service.

ARTICLE 10.
STOCK APPRECIATION RIGHTS

10.1 Grant of Stock Appreciation Rights.

(a) The Administrator is authorized to grant Stock Appreciation Rights to Eligible Individuals from time to time, in its sole discretion, on such terms and conditions as it may determine consistent with the Plan.

(b) A Stock Appreciation Right shall entitle the Participant (or other person entitled to exercise the Stock Appreciation Right pursuant to the Plan) to exercise all or a specified portion of the Stock Appreciation Right (to the extent then-exercisable pursuant to its terms) and to receive from the Company an amount determined by multiplying the difference obtained by subtracting the exercise price per Share of the Stock Appreciation Right from the Fair Market Value on the date of exercise of the Stock Appreciation Right by the number of Shares with respect to which the Stock Appreciation Right shall have been exercised, subject to any limitations the Administrator may impose. Except as described in Section 10.1(c) hereof, the exercise price per Share subject to each Stock Appreciation Right shall be set by the Administrator, but shall not be less than one hundred percent (100%) of the Fair Market Value on the date the Stock Appreciation Right is granted.

(c) Notwithstanding the foregoing provisions of Section 10.1(b) hereof to the contrary, in the case of a Stock Appreciation Right that is a Substitute Award, the price per share of the shares subject to such Stock Appreciation Right may be less than 100% of the Fair Market Value per share on the date of grant; provided, however, that the exercise price of any Substitute Award shall be determined in accordance with the applicable requirements of Sections 424 and 409A of the Code.

10.2 Stock Appreciation Right Vesting.

(a) The Administrator shall determine the period during which the Participant shall vest in a Stock Appreciation Right and have the right to exercise such Stock Appreciation Rights (subject to Section 10.4 hereof) in whole or in part. Such vesting may be based on service with the Company or any Affiliate, any of the Performance Criteria or any other criteria selected by the Administrator. At any time after grant of a Stock Appreciation Right, the Administrator may, in its sole discretion and subject to whatever terms and conditions it selects, accelerate the period during which the Stock Appreciation Right vests.

(b) No portion of a Stock Appreciation Right which is unexercisable at Termination of Service shall thereafter become exercisable, except as may be otherwise provided by the Administrator either in an applicable Program or Award Agreement or by action of the Administrator following the grant of the Stock Appreciation Right.

10.3 Manner of Exercise. All or a portion of an exercisable Stock Appreciation Right shall be deemed exercised upon delivery of all of the following to the stock administrator of the Company, or such other person or entity designated by the Administrator, or his, her or its office, as applicable:

(a) A written or electronic notice complying with the applicable rules established by the Administrator stating that the Stock Appreciation Right, or a portion thereof, is exercised. The notice shall be signed by the Participant or other person then-entitled to exercise the Stock Appreciation Right or such portion of the Stock Appreciation Right;

(b) Such representations and documents as the Administrator, in its sole discretion, deems necessary or advisable to effect compliance with all applicable provisions of the Securities Act and any other federal, state or foreign securities laws or regulations. The Administrator may, in its sole discretion, also take whatever additional actions it deems appropriate to effect such compliance;

(c) In the event that the Stock Appreciation Right shall be exercised pursuant to this Section 10.3 by any person or persons other than the Participant, appropriate proof of the right of such person or persons to exercise the Stock Appreciation Right; and

(d) Full payment of the applicable withholding taxes for the Shares with respect to which the Stock Appreciation Rights, or portion thereof, are exercised, in a manner permitted by the Administrator in accordance with Sections 11.1 and 11.2 hereof.

10.4 Stock Appreciation Right Term. The term of each Stock Appreciation Right shall be set by the Administrator in its sole discretion; provided, however, that the term shall not be more than ten (10) years from the date the Stock Appreciation Right is granted. The Administrator shall determine the time period, including the time period following a Termination of Service, during which the Participant has the right to exercise the vested Stock Appreciation Rights, which time period may not extend beyond the expiration date of the Stock Appreciation Right term. Except as limited by the requirements of Section 409A of the Code, the Administrator may extend the term of any outstanding Stock Appreciation Right, and may extend the time period during which vested Stock Appreciation Rights may be exercised, in connection with any Termination of Service of the Participant, and may amend any other term or condition of such Stock Appreciation Right relating to such a Termination of Service.

ARTICLE 11.

ADDITIONAL TERMS OF AWARDS

11.1 Payment. The Administrator shall determine the methods by which payments by any Participant with respect to any Awards granted under the Plan shall be made, including, without limitation: (a) cash or check, (b) Shares (including, in the case of payment of the exercise price of an Award, Shares issuable pursuant to the exercise of the Award) held for such period of time as may be required by the Administrator in order to avoid adverse accounting consequences, in each case, having a Fair Market Value on the date of delivery equal to the aggregate payments required, (c) delivery of a written or electronic notice that the Participant has placed a market sell order with a broker with respect to Shares then-issuable upon exercise or vesting of an Award, and that the broker has been directed to pay a sufficient portion of the net proceeds of the sale to the Company in satisfaction of the aggregate payments required; provided, however, that payment of such proceeds is then made to the Company upon settlement of such sale, or (d) other form of legal consideration acceptable to the Administrator. The Administrator shall also determine the methods by which Shares shall be delivered or deemed to be delivered to Participants. Notwithstanding any other provision of the Plan to the contrary, no Participant who is a Director or an “executive officer” of the Company within the meaning of Section 13(k) of the Exchange Act shall be permitted to make payment with respect to any Awards granted under the Plan, or continue any extension of credit with respect to such payment with a loan from the Company or a loan arranged by the Company in violation of Section 13(k) of the Exchange Act.

11.2 Tax Withholding. The Company and its Affiliates shall have the authority and the right to deduct or withhold, or require a Participant to remit to the Company or an Affiliate, an amount sufficient to satisfy federal, state, local and foreign taxes (including the Participant's social security, Medicare and any other employment tax obligation) required by law to be withheld with respect to any taxable event concerning a Participant arising in connection with any Award. The Administrator may in its sole discretion and in satisfaction of the foregoing requirement allow a Participant to satisfy such obligations by any payment means described in Section 11.1 hereof, including without limitation, by allowing such Participant to elect to have the Company or an Affiliate withhold Shares otherwise issuable under an Award (or allow the surrender of Shares). The number of Shares which may be so withheld or surrendered shall be limited to the number of Shares which have a Fair Market Value on the date of withholding or repurchase no greater than the aggregate amount of such liabilities based on the minimum statutory withholding rates for federal, state, local and foreign income tax and payroll tax purposes that are applicable to such supplemental taxable income. The Administrator shall determine the fair market value of the Shares, consistent with applicable provisions of the Code, for tax withholding obligations due in connection with a broker-assisted cashless Option or Stock Appreciation Right exercise involving the sale of Shares to pay the Option or Stock Appreciation Right exercise price or any tax withholding obligation.

11.3 Transferability of Awards.

(a) Except as otherwise provided in Section 11.3(b) or (c) hereof:

(i) No Award under the Plan may be sold, pledged, assigned or transferred in any manner other than by will or the laws of descent and distribution or, subject to the consent of the Administrator, pursuant to a DRO, unless and until such Award has been exercised, or the Shares underlying such Award have been issued, and all restrictions applicable to such Shares have lapsed;

(ii) No Award or interest or right therein shall be subject to the debts, contracts or engagements of the Participant or his successors in interest or shall be subject to disposition by transfer, alienation, anticipation, pledge, hypothecation, encumbrance, assignment or any other means whether such disposition be voluntary or involuntary or by operation of law by judgment, levy, attachment, garnishment or any other legal or equitable proceedings (including bankruptcy) unless and until such Award has been exercised, or the Shares underlying such Award have been issued, and all restrictions applicable to such Shares have lapsed, and any attempted disposition of an Award prior to the satisfaction of these conditions shall be null and void and of no effect, except to the extent that such disposition is permitted by clause (i) of this provision; and

(iii) During the lifetime of the Participant, only the Participant may exercise an Award (or any portion thereof) granted to him under the Plan, unless it has been disposed of pursuant to a DRO; after the death of the Participant, any exercisable portion of an Award may, prior to the time when such portion becomes unexercisable under the Plan or the applicable Program or Award Agreement, be exercised by his personal representative or by any person empowered to do so under the deceased Participant's will or under the then-applicable laws of descent and distribution.

(b) Notwithstanding Section 11.3(a) hereof, the Administrator, in its sole discretion, may determine to permit a Participant or a Permitted Transferee of such Participant to transfer an Award other than an Incentive Stock Option (unless such Incentive Stock Option is to become a Non-Qualified Stock Option) to any one or more Permitted Transferees of such Participant, subject to the following terms and conditions: (i) an Award transferred to a Permitted Transferee shall not be assignable or transferable by the Permitted Transferee (other than to another Permitted Transferee of the applicable Participant) other than by will or the laws of descent and distribution; (ii) an Award transferred to a Permitted Transferee shall continue to be subject to all the terms and conditions of the Award as applicable to the original Participant (other than the ability to further transfer the Award); and (iii) the Participant (or transferring Permitted Transferee) and the Permitted Transferee shall execute any and all documents requested by the Administrator, including without limitation, documents to (A) confirm the status of the transferee as a Permitted Transferee, (B) satisfy any requirements for an exemption for the transfer under applicable federal, state and foreign securities laws and (C) evidence the transfer. In addition, and further notwithstanding Section 11.3(a) hereof, the Administrator, in its sole discretion, may determine to permit a Participant to transfer Incentive Stock Options to a trust that constitutes a Permitted Transferee if, under Section 671 of the Code and applicable state law, the Participant is considered the sole beneficial owner of the Incentive Stock Option while it is held in the trust.

(c) Notwithstanding Section 11.3(a) hereof, a Participant may, in the manner determined by the Administrator, designate a beneficiary to exercise the rights of the Participant and to receive any distribution with respect to any Award upon the Participant's death. A beneficiary, legal guardian, legal representative, or other person claiming any rights pursuant to the Plan is subject to all terms and conditions of the Plan and any Program or Award Agreement applicable to the Participant, except to the extent the Plan, the Program and the Award Agreement otherwise provide, and to any additional restrictions deemed necessary or appropriate by the Administrator. If the Participant is married or a domestic partner in a domestic partnership qualified under Applicable Law and resides in a "community property" state, a designation of a person other than the Participant's spouse or domestic partner, as applicable, as his or her beneficiary with respect to more than fifty percent (50%) of the Participant's interest in the Award shall not be effective without the prior written or electronic consent of the Participant's spouse or domestic partner. If no beneficiary has been designated or survives the Participant, payment shall be made to the person entitled thereto pursuant to the Participant's will or the laws of descent and distribution. Subject to the foregoing, a beneficiary designation may be changed or revoked by a Participant at any time provided the change or revocation is delivered to the Administrator prior to the Participant's death.

11.4 Conditions to Issuance of Shares.

(a) Notwithstanding anything herein to the contrary, neither the Company nor its Affiliates shall be required to issue or deliver any certificates or make any book entries evidencing Shares pursuant to the exercise of any Award, unless and until the Administrator has

determined, with advice of counsel, that the issuance of such Shares is in compliance with Applicable Law, and the Shares are covered by an effective registration statement or applicable exemption from registration. In addition to the terms and conditions provided herein, the Administrator may require that a Participant make such reasonable covenants, agreements, and representations as the Administrator, in its discretion, deems advisable in order to comply with any such laws, regulations, or requirements.

(b) All Share certificates delivered pursuant to the Plan and all Shares issued pursuant to book entry procedures are subject to any stop-transfer orders and other restrictions as the Administrator deems necessary or advisable to comply with Applicable Law. The Administrator may place legends on any Share certificate or book entry to reference restrictions applicable to the Shares.

(c) The Administrator shall have the right to require any Participant to comply with any timing or other restrictions with respect to the settlement, distribution or exercise of any Award, including a window-period limitation, as may be imposed in the sole discretion of the Administrator.

(d) No fractional Shares shall be issued and the Administrator shall determine, in its sole discretion, whether cash shall be given in lieu of fractional Shares or whether such fractional Shares shall be eliminated by rounding down.

(e) Notwithstanding any other provision of the Plan, unless otherwise determined by the Administrator or required by Applicable Law, the Company and/or its Affiliates may, in lieu of delivering to any Participant certificates evidencing Shares issued in connection with any Award, record the issuance of Shares in the books of the Company (or, as applicable, its transfer agent or stock plan administrator).

11.5 Forfeiture and Claw-Back Provisions.

(a) Pursuant to its general authority to determine the terms and conditions applicable to Awards under the Plan, the Administrator shall have the right to provide, in the terms of Awards made under the Plan, or to require a Participant to agree by separate written or electronic instrument, that: (i) any proceeds, gains or other economic benefit actually or constructively received by the Participant upon any receipt or exercise of the Award, or upon the receipt or resale of any Shares underlying the Award, must be paid to the Company, and (ii) the Award shall terminate and any unexercised portion of the Award (whether or not vested) shall be forfeited, if (x) a Termination of Service occurs prior to a specified date, or within a specified time period following receipt or exercise of the Award, (y) the Participant at any time, or during a specified time period, engages in any activity in competition with the Company, or which is inimical, contrary or harmful to the interests of the Company, as further defined by the Administrator or (z) the Participant incurs a Termination of Service for cause; and

(b) All Awards (including any proceeds, gains or other economic benefit actually or constructively received by the Participant upon any receipt or exercise of any Award or upon the receipt or resale of any Shares underlying the Award) shall be subject to the applicable provisions of any claw-back policy implemented by the Company, whether implemented prior to or after the grant of such Award, including without limitation, any claw-back policy adopted to comply with the requirements of Applicable Law.

11.6 Prohibition on Repricing. Subject to Section 13.2 hereof, the Administrator shall not, without the approval of the stockholders of the Company, (a) authorize the amendment of any outstanding Option or Stock Appreciation Right to reduce its price per share, or (b) cancel any Option or Stock Appreciation Right in exchange for cash or another Award when the Option or Stock Appreciation Right price per share exceeds the Fair Market Value of the underlying Shares. Subject to Section 13.2 hereof, the Administrator shall have the authority, without the approval of the stockholders of the Company, to amend any outstanding award to increase the price per share or to cancel and replace an Award with the grant of an Award having a price per share that is greater than or equal to the price per share of the original Award.

11.7 Cash Settlement. Without limiting the generality of any other provision of the Plan, the Administrator may provide, in an Award Agreement or subsequent to the grant of an Award, in its discretion, that any Award may be settled in cash, Shares or a combination thereof.

11.8 Leave of Absence. Unless the Administrator provides otherwise, vesting of Awards granted hereunder shall be suspended during any unpaid leave of absence. A Participant shall not cease to be considered an Employee, Non-Employee Director or Consultant, as applicable, in the case of any (a) leave of absence approved by the Company, (b) transfer between locations of the Company or between the Company and any of its Affiliates or any successor thereof, or (c) change in status (Employee to Director, Employee to Consultant, etc.), provided that such change does not affect the specific terms applying to the Participant's Award.

11.9 Terms May Vary Between Awards. The terms and conditions of each Award shall be determined by the Administrator in its sole discretion and the Administrator shall have complete flexibility to provide for varied terms and conditions as between any Awards, whether of the same or different Award type and/or whether granted to the same or different Participants (in all cases, subject to the terms and conditions of the Plan).

ARTICLE 12.

ADMINISTRATION

12.1 Administrator. Unless the Board has otherwise theretofore delegated the administration of the Plan to a Committee as set forth herein, prior to the Public Trading Date, the Board shall administer the Plan. Effective as of the Public Trading Date, the Committee (or another committee or a subcommittee of the Board assuming the functions of the Committee under the Plan) shall administer the Plan (except as otherwise permitted herein) and, unless otherwise determined by the Board, shall consist solely of two or more Non-Employee Directors appointed by and holding office at the pleasure of the Board, each of whom is intended to qualify as a "non-employee director" as defined by Rule 16b-3 of the Exchange Act, an "outside director" for purposes of Section 162(m) of the Code and an "independent director" under the rules of any securities exchange or automated quotation system on which the Shares are listed, quoted or traded, in each case, to the extent required under such provision; provided, however, that any action taken by the Committee shall be valid and effective, whether or not members of the

Committee at the time of such action are later determined not to have satisfied the requirements for membership set forth in this Section 12.1 or otherwise provided in the Company's charter or Bylaws or any charter of the Committee. Except as may otherwise be provided in any charter of the Committee, appointment of Committee members shall be effective upon acceptance of appointment, Committee members may resign at any time by delivering written or electronic notice to the Board, and vacancies in the Committee may only be filled by the Board. Notwithstanding the foregoing, (a) the full Board, acting by a majority of its members in office, shall conduct the general administration of the Plan with respect to Awards granted to Non-Employee Directors and (b) the Board or Committee may delegate its authority hereunder to the extent permitted by Section 12.6 hereof.

12.2 Duties and Powers of Administrator. It shall be the duty of the Administrator to conduct the general administration of the Plan in accordance with its provisions. The Administrator shall have the power to interpret the Plan and all Programs and Award Agreements, and to adopt such rules for the administration, interpretation and application of the Plan and any Program as are not inconsistent with the Plan, to interpret, amend or revoke any such rules and to amend any Program or Award Agreement provided that the rights or obligations of the holder of the Award that is the subject of any such Program or Award Agreement are not affected adversely by such amendment, unless the consent of the Participant is obtained or such amendment is otherwise permitted under Section 13.13 hereof. Any such grant or award under the Plan need not be the same with respect to each Participant. Any such interpretations and rules with respect to Incentive Stock Options shall be consistent with the provisions of Section 422 of the Code. In its sole discretion, the Board may at any time and from time to time exercise any and all rights and duties of the Committee under the Plan except with respect to matters which under Rule 16b-3 under the Exchange Act, Section 162(m) of the Code, or the rules of any securities exchange or automated quotation system on which the Shares are listed, quoted or traded are required to be determined in the sole discretion of the Committee.

12.3 Action by the Committee. Unless otherwise established by the Board, in the Company's charter or Bylaws or in any charter of the Committee or as required by Applicable Law or, a majority of the Committee shall constitute a quorum and the acts of a majority of the members present at any meeting at which a quorum is present, and acts approved in writing by all members of the Committee in lieu of a meeting, shall be deemed the acts of the Committee. To the greatest extent permitted by Applicable Law, each member of the Committee is entitled to, in good faith, rely or act upon any report or other information furnished to that member by any officer or other employee of the Company or any Affiliate, the Company's independent certified public accountants, or any executive compensation consultant or other professional retained by the Company to assist in the administration of the Plan.

12.4 Authority of Administrator. Subject to any specific designation in the Plan and Applicable Law, the Administrator has the exclusive power, authority and sole discretion to:

- (a) Designate Eligible Individuals to receive Awards;
- (b) Determine the type or types of Awards to be granted to each Eligible Individual;

(c) Determine the number of Awards to be granted and the number of Shares to which an Award will relate;

(d) Determine the terms and conditions of any Award granted pursuant to the Plan, including, but not limited to, the exercise price, grant price, or purchase price, any performance criteria, any reload provision, any restrictions or limitations on the Award, any schedule for vesting, lapse of forfeiture restrictions or restrictions on the exercisability of an Award, and accelerations or waivers thereof, and any provisions related to non-competition and recapture of gain on an Award, based in each case on such considerations as the Administrator in its sole discretion determines;

(e) Determine whether, to what extent, and under what circumstances an Award may be settled in, or the exercise price of an Award may be paid in cash, Shares, other Awards, or other property, or an Award may be canceled, forfeited, or surrendered;

(f) Prescribe the form of each Award Agreement, which need not be identical for each Participant;

(g) Determine as between the Company, the Services Company, the Partnership and any Subsidiary which entity will make payments with respect to an Award, consistent with applicable securities laws and other Applicable Law;

(h) Decide all other matters that must be determined in connection with an Award;

(i) Establish, adopt, or revise any rules and regulations as it may deem necessary or advisable to administer the Plan;

(j) Interpret the terms of, and any matter arising pursuant to, the Plan, any Program or any Award Agreement; and

(k) Make all other decisions and determinations that may be required pursuant to the Plan or as the Administrator deems necessary or advisable to administer the Plan.

12.5 Decisions Binding. The Administrator's interpretation of the Plan, any Awards granted pursuant to the Plan, any Program, any Award Agreement and all decisions and determinations by the Administrator with respect to the Plan are final, binding, and conclusive on all parties.

12.6 Delegation of Authority. To the extent permitted by Applicable Law, the Board or Committee may from time to time delegate to a committee of one or more members of the Board or one or more officers of the Company the authority to grant or amend Awards or to take other administrative actions pursuant to this Article 12; provided, however, that in no event shall an officer of the Company be delegated the authority to grant Awards to, or amend Awards held by, the following individuals: (a) individuals who are subject to Section 16 of the Exchange Act, (b) Covered Employees with respect to Awards intended to constitute Performance-Based Compensation, or (c) officers of the Company (or Directors) to whom authority to grant or

amend Awards has been delegated hereunder; provided, further, that any delegation of administrative authority shall only be permitted to the extent it is permissible under Section 162(m) of the Code and other Applicable Law. Any delegation hereunder shall be subject to the restrictions and limits that the Board or Committee specifies at the time of such delegation, and the Board may at any time rescind the authority so delegated or appoint a new delegatee. At all times, the delegatee appointed under this Section 12.6 shall serve in such capacity at the pleasure of the Board and the Committee.

ARTICLE 13.

MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS

13.1 Amendment, Suspension or Termination of the Plan. Except as otherwise provided in this Section 13.1, the Plan may be wholly or partially amended or otherwise modified, suspended or terminated at any time or from time to time by the Board. However, without approval of the Company's stockholders given within twelve (12) months before or after the action by the Administrator, no action of the Administrator may, except as provided in Section 13.2 hereof, (i) increase the Share Limit, (ii) reduce the price per share of any outstanding Option or Stock Appreciation Right granted under the Plan, or (iii) cancel any Option or Stock Appreciation Right in exchange for cash or another Award in violation of Section 11.6 hereof. Except as provided in Section 13.13 hereof, no amendment, suspension or termination of the Plan shall, without the consent of the Participant, impair any rights or obligations under any Award theretofore granted or awarded, unless the Award itself otherwise expressly so provides. Notwithstanding anything herein to the contrary, no ISO shall be granted under the Plan after the tenth (10th) anniversary of the Effective Date.

13.2 Changes in Common Stock or Assets of the Company, Acquisition or Liquidation of the Company and Other Corporate Events.

(a) In the event of any stock dividend, stock split, combination or exchange of shares, merger, consolidation or other distribution (other than normal cash dividends) of Company assets to stockholders, or any other change affecting the shares of the Company's stock or the share price of the Company's stock other than an Equity Restructuring, the Board may make equitable adjustments, if any, to reflect such change with respect to (i) the aggregate number and kind of shares that may be issued under the Plan (including, but not limited to, adjustments of the Share Limit and Individual Award Limits); (ii) the number and kind of Shares (or other securities or property) subject to outstanding Awards; (iii) the terms and conditions of any outstanding Awards (including, without limitation, any applicable performance targets or criteria with respect thereto); and/or (iv) the grant or exercise price per share for any outstanding Awards under the Plan. Any adjustment affecting an Award intended as Performance-Based Compensation shall be made consistent with the requirements of Section 162(m) of the Code unless otherwise determined by the Administrator.

(b) In the event of any transaction or event described in Section 13.2(a) hereof or any unusual or nonrecurring transactions or events affecting the Company, any Affiliate, or the financial statements of the Company or any Affiliate, or of changes in Applicable Law or accounting principles, the Board, in its sole discretion, and on such terms and conditions as it

deems appropriate, either by the terms of the Award or by action taken prior to the occurrence of such transaction or event, is hereby authorized to take any one or more of the following actions whenever the Board determines that such action is appropriate in order to prevent dilution or enlargement of the benefits or potential benefits intended to be made available under the Plan or with respect to any Award under the Plan, to facilitate such transactions or events or to give effect to such changes in laws, regulations or principles:

(i) To provide for either (A) termination of any such Award in exchange for an amount of cash and/or other property, if any, equal to the amount that would have been attained upon the exercise of such Award or realization of the Participant's rights (and, for the avoidance of doubt, if as of the date of the occurrence of the transaction or event described in this Section 13.2, the Board determines in good faith that no amount would have been attained upon the exercise of such Award or realization of the Participant's rights, then such Award may be terminated by the Company without payment) or (B) the replacement of such Award with other rights or property selected by the Board in its sole discretion having an aggregate value not exceeding the amount that could have been attained upon the exercise of such Award or realization of the Participant's rights had such Award been currently exercisable or payable or fully vested;

(ii) To provide that such Award be assumed by the successor or survivor corporation, or a parent or subsidiary thereof, or shall be substituted for by similar options, rights or awards covering the stock of the successor or survivor corporation, or a parent or subsidiary thereof, with appropriate adjustments as to the number and kind of shares and prices;

(iii) To make adjustments in the number and type of securities subject to outstanding Awards and Awards which may be granted in the future and/or in the terms, conditions and criteria included in such Awards (including the grant or exercise price, as applicable);

(iv) To provide that such Award shall be exercisable or payable or fully vested with respect to all securities covered thereby, notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the Plan or an applicable Program or Award Agreement; and

(v) To provide that the Award cannot vest, be exercised or become payable after such event.

(c) In connection with the occurrence of any Equity Restructuring, and notwithstanding anything to the contrary in Sections 13.2(a) and 13.2(b) hereof:

(i) The number and type of securities subject to each outstanding Award and the exercise price or grant price thereof, if applicable, shall be equitably adjusted; and/or

(ii) The Board shall make such equitable adjustments, if any, as the Board in its discretion may deem appropriate to reflect such Equity Restructuring with respect to the aggregate number and kind of shares that may be issued under the Plan (including, but not limited to, adjustments to the Share Limit and the Individual Award Limits).

The adjustments provided under this Section 13.2(c) shall be nondiscretionary and shall be final and binding on the affected Participant and the Company.

(d) Except as may otherwise be provided in any applicable Award Agreement or other written agreement entered into between the Company (or an Affiliate) and a Participant, if a Change in Control occurs and a Participant's outstanding Awards are not continued, converted, assumed, or replaced by the surviving or successor entity in such Change in Control, then immediately prior to the Change in Control such outstanding Awards, to the extent not continued, converted, assumed, or replaced, shall become fully vested and, as applicable, exercisable and shall be deemed exercised immediately prior to the consummation of such transaction, and all forfeiture, repurchase and other restrictions on such Awards shall lapse immediately prior to such transaction. If an Award vests and, as applicable, is exercised in lieu of continuation, conversion, assumption or replacement in connection with a Change in Control, the Administrator shall notify the Participant of such vesting and any applicable deemed exercise, and the Award shall terminate upon the Change in Control. Upon, or in anticipation of, a Change in Control, the Administrator may cause any and all Awards outstanding hereunder to terminate at a specific time in the future, including but not limited to the date of such Change in Control, and shall give each Participant the right to exercise such Awards during a period of time as the Administrator, in its sole and absolute discretion, shall determine. For the avoidance of doubt, if the value of an Award that is terminated in connection with this Section 13.2(d) is zero or negative at the time of such Change in Control, such Award shall be terminated upon the Change in Control without payment of consideration therefor.

(e) The Administrator may, in its sole discretion, include such further provisions and limitations in any Award, agreement or certificate, as it may deem equitable and in the best interests of the Company that are not inconsistent with the provisions of the Plan.

(f) With respect to Awards which are granted to Covered Employees and are intended to qualify as Performance-Based Compensation, no adjustment or action described in this Section 13.2 or in any other provision of the Plan shall be authorized to the extent that such adjustment or action would cause such Award to fail to so qualify as Performance-Based Compensation, unless the Administrator determines that the Award should not so qualify. No adjustment or action described in this Section 13.2 or in any other provision of the Plan shall be authorized to the extent that such adjustment or action would cause the Plan to violate Section 422(b)(1) of the Code. Furthermore, no such adjustment or action shall be authorized with respect to any Award to the extent such adjustment or action would result in short-swing profits liability under Section 16 of the Exchange Act or violate the exemptive conditions of Rule 16b-3 of the Exchange Act unless the Administrator determines that the Award is not to comply with such exemptive conditions.

(g) The existence of the Plan, any Program, any Award Agreement and/or any Award granted hereunder shall not affect or restrict in any way the right or power of the Company, the stockholders of the Company or any Affiliate to make or authorize any adjustment, recapitalization, reorganization or other change in the Company's or such Affiliate's capital structure or its business, any merger or consolidation of the Company or any Affiliate, any issue of stock or of options, warrants or rights to purchase stock or of bonds, debentures, preferred or prior preference stocks whose rights are superior to or affect the Common Stock, the

securities of any Affiliate or the rights thereof or which are convertible into or exchangeable for Common Stock or securities of any Affiliate, or the dissolution or liquidation of the Company or any Affiliate, or any sale or transfer of all or any part of its assets or business, or any other corporate act or proceeding, whether of a similar character or otherwise.

(h) No action shall be taken under this Section 13.2 which shall cause an Award to fail to comply with Section 409A of the Code or an exemption therefrom, in either case, to the extent applicable to such Award, unless the Administrator determines any such adjustments to be appropriate.

(i) In the event of any pending stock dividend, stock split, combination or exchange of shares, merger, consolidation or other distribution (other than normal cash dividends) of Company assets to stockholders, or any other change affecting the Shares or the share price of the Common Stock including any Equity Restructuring, for reasons of administrative convenience, the Company in its sole discretion may refuse to permit the exercise of any Award during a period of thirty (30) days prior to the consummation of any such transaction.

13.3 Approval of Plan by Stockholders. The Plan shall be submitted for the approval of the Company's stockholders within twelve (12) months after the date of the Board's initial adoption of the Plan. Awards may be granted or awarded prior to such stockholder approval, provided, however, that such Awards shall not be exercisable, shall not vest and the restrictions thereon shall not lapse and no Shares shall be issued pursuant thereto prior to the time when the Plan is approved by the Company's stockholders, and provided, further, that if such approval has not been obtained at the end of such twelve (12)-month period, all such Awards previously granted or awarded under the Plan shall thereupon be canceled and become null and void.

13.4 No Stockholders Rights. Except as otherwise provided herein or in an applicable Program or Award Agreement, a Participant shall have none of the rights of a stockholder with respect to Shares covered by any Award until the Participant becomes the record owner of such Shares.

13.5 Paperless Administration. In the event that the Company establishes, for itself or using the services of a third party, an automated system for the documentation, granting or exercise of Awards, such as a system using an internet website or interactive voice response, then the paperless documentation, granting or exercise of Awards by a Participant may be permitted through the use of such an automated system.

13.6 Section 83(b) Election. No Participant may make an election under Section 83(b) of the Code with respect to any Award under the Plan without the consent of the Administrator, which the Administrator may grant (prospectively or retroactively) or withhold in its sole discretion. If, with the consent of the Administrator, a Participant makes an election under Section 83(b) of the Code to be taxed with respect to the Restricted Stock as of the date of transfer of the Restricted Stock rather than as of the date or dates upon which the Participant would otherwise be taxable under Section 83(a) of the Code, the Participant shall be required to deliver a copy of such election to the Company promptly after filing such election with the Internal Revenue Service.

13.7 Grant of Awards to Certain Employees or Consultants. The Company, the Services Company, the Partnership or any Subsidiary may provide through the establishment of a formal written policy (which shall be deemed a part of this Plan) or otherwise for the method by which Shares or other securities of the Company or the Partnership may be issued and by which such Shares or other securities and/or payment therefor may be exchanged or contributed among such entities, or may be returned upon any forfeiture of Shares or other securities by the Participant.

13.8 REIT Status. The Plan shall be interpreted and construed in a manner consistent with the Company's status as a REIT. No Award shall be granted or awarded, and with respect to any Award granted under the Plan, such Award shall not vest, be exercisable or be settled:

(a) to the extent that the grant, vesting, exercise or settlement of such Award could cause the Participant or any other person to be in violation of the Common Stock Ownership Limit or the Aggregate Stock Ownership Limit (each as defined in the Company's charter, as amended from time to time) or any other provision of Section 6.2.1 of the Company's charter; or

(b) if, in the discretion of the Administrator, the grant, vesting, exercise or settlement of such award could impair the Company's status as a REIT.

13.9 Effect of Plan upon Other Compensation Plans. The adoption of the Plan shall not affect any other compensation or incentive plans in effect for the Company or any Affiliate. Nothing in the Plan shall be construed to limit the right of the Company or any Affiliate: (a) to establish any other forms of incentives or compensation for Employees, Directors or Consultants of the Company or any Affiliate or (b) to grant or assume options or other rights or awards otherwise than under the Plan in connection with any proper corporate purpose including without limitation, the grant or assumption of options in connection with the acquisition by purchase, lease, merger, consolidation or otherwise, of the business, stock or assets of any corporation, partnership, limited liability company, firm or association.

13.10 Compliance with Laws. The Plan, the granting and vesting of Awards under the Plan, the issuance and delivery of Shares and LTIP Units and the payment of money under the Plan or under Awards granted or awarded hereunder are subject to compliance with all Applicable Law and to such approvals by any listing, regulatory or governmental authority as may, in the opinion of counsel for the Company, be necessary or advisable in connection therewith. Any securities delivered under the Plan shall be subject to such restrictions, and the person acquiring such securities shall, if requested by the Company, provide such assurances and representations to the Company as the Company may deem necessary or desirable to assure compliance with all Applicable Law. To the extent permitted by Applicable Law, the Plan and Awards granted or awarded hereunder shall be deemed amended to the extent necessary to conform to such Applicable Law.

13.11 Titles and Headings, References to Sections of the Code or Exchange Act. The titles and headings of the sections in the Plan are for convenience of reference only and, in the event of any conflict, the text of the Plan, rather than such titles or headings, shall control. References to sections of the Code or the Exchange Act shall include any amendment or successor thereto.

13.12 Governing Law. The Plan and any Programs or Award Agreements hereunder shall be administered, interpreted and enforced under the internal laws of the State of Maryland without regard to conflicts of laws thereof.

13.13 Section 409A. To the extent that the Administrator determines that any Award granted under the Plan is subject to Section 409A of the Code, the Plan, any applicable Program and the Award Agreement covering such Award shall be interpreted in accordance with Section 409A of the Code. Notwithstanding any provision of the Plan to the contrary, in the event that, following the Effective Date, the Administrator determines that any Award may be subject to Section 409A of the Code, the Administrator may adopt such amendments to the Plan, any applicable Program and the Award Agreement or adopt other policies and procedures (including amendments, policies and procedures with retroactive effect), or take any other actions, that the Administrator determines are necessary or appropriate to avoid the imposition of taxes on the Award under Section 409A of the Code, either through compliance with the requirements of Section 409A of the Code or with an available exemption therefrom.

13.14 No Rights to Awards. No Eligible Individual or other person shall have any claim to be granted any Award pursuant to the Plan, and neither the Company nor the Administrator is obligated to treat Eligible Individuals, Participants or any other persons uniformly.

13.15 Unfunded Status of Awards. The Plan is intended to be an “unfunded” plan for incentive compensation. With respect to any payments not yet made to a Participant pursuant to an Award, nothing contained in the Plan or any Program or Award Agreement shall give the Participant any rights that are greater than those of a general creditor of the Company or any Affiliate.

13.16 Indemnification. To the extent allowable pursuant to Applicable Law and the Company’s charter and Bylaws, each member of the Board and any officer or other employee to whom authority to administer any component of the Plan is delegated shall be indemnified and held harmless by the Company from any loss, cost, liability, or expense that may be imposed upon or reasonably incurred by such member in connection with or resulting from any claim, action, suit, or proceeding to which he or she may be a party or in which he or she may be involved by reason of any action or failure to act pursuant to the Plan and against and from any and all amounts paid by him or her in satisfaction of judgment in such action, suit, or proceeding against him or her; provided, however, that he or she gives the Company an opportunity, at its own expense, to handle and defend the same before he or she undertakes to handle and defend it on his or her own behalf. The foregoing right of indemnification shall not be exclusive of any other rights of indemnification to which such persons may be entitled pursuant to the Company’s Certificate of Incorporation or Bylaws, as a matter of law, or otherwise, or any power that the Company may have to indemnify them or hold them harmless.

13.17 Relationship to other Benefits. No payment pursuant to the Plan shall be taken into account in determining any benefits under any pension, retirement, savings, profit sharing, group insurance, welfare or other benefit plan of the Company or any Affiliate except to the extent otherwise expressly provided in writing in such other plan or an agreement thereunder.

13.18 Expenses. The expenses of administering the Plan shall be borne by the Company and its Affiliates.

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I hereby certify that the foregoing Plan was duly adopted by the Board of Directors of Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc. on July 9, 2013.

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I hereby certify that the foregoing Plan was approved by the stockholders of Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc. on July 9, 2013.

[SIGNATURE PAGE FOLLOWS]

Executed on this 24th day of July, 2013.

/s/ Michael Frankel
Michael S. Frankel, Corporate Secretary

[Signature Page to 2013 Incentive Award Plan]

TAX MATTERS AGREEMENT

This TAX MATTERS AGREEMENT (this “Agreement”) is entered into as of July 24, 2013, by and among Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc., a Maryland corporation (the “REIT”), Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P., a Maryland limited partnership (the “Operating Partnership”), each Protected Partner identified as a signatory on Schedule I, as amended from time to time, and each Guaranty Partner identified as a signatory on Schedule II, as amended from time to time.

RECITALS

WHEREAS, the REIT desires to consolidate the ownership of a portfolio of properties currently owned, directly or indirectly, by certain entities, as set forth in the Formation Transaction Documentation.

WHEREAS, the Formation Transactions relate to the proposed offering of the common stock of the REIT, par value \$.01 per share, following which the REIT will operate as a self-administered and self-managed real estate investment trust within the meaning of Section 856 of the Code (as defined below); and

WHEREAS, as a condition to engaging in the Formation Transactions, and as an inducement to do so, the parties hereto are entering into this Agreement;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the promises and mutual agreements contained herein and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the parties hereto agree as follows:

ARTICLE I

DEFINED TERMS

For purposes of this Agreement the following terms shall apply:

Section 1.1 “50% Termination” has the meaning set forth in Section 1.17.

Section 1.2 “Affiliate” means, with respect to any Person, any Person directly or indirectly controlling or controlled by or under common control with such Person. For the purposes of this definition, “control” when used with respect to any Person means the possession, directly or indirectly, of the power to direct or cause the direction of the management and policies of such Person, whether through the ownership of voting securities, by contract or otherwise, and the terms “controlling” and “controlled” have meanings correlative to the foregoing.

Section 1.3 “Agreement” has the meaning set forth in the preamble.

Section 1.4 “Approval of the Partners’ Representatives” means the written approval of at least two (2) of the Partners’ Representatives with respect to any matter or transaction (for the avoidance of doubt, no vote in favor of any transaction by any of the Partners’ Representatives or any of their Affiliates in their capacity as owner shares of the REIT or OP Units, shall constitute such approval).

Section 1.5 “Approved Liability” means:

(a) A liability of the Operating Partnership (or of an entity whose separate existence from the Operating Partnership is disregarded for Federal income tax purposes) with respect to which all of the following requirements are satisfied:

(i) the liability is secured by real property or other assets (the “Collateral”) owned directly or indirectly by the Operating Partnership (or by an entity whose separate existence from the Operating Partnership is disregarded for Federal income tax purposes);

(ii) on the date on which the Operating Partnership designated such liability as an Approved Liability, the outstanding principal amount (and any accrued and unpaid interest) of the liability and any other Approved Liabilities secured by such Collateral at such time was no more than 70% of the fair market value (as reasonably determined in good faith by the Operating Partnership) of the Collateral at such time, *provided* that if interest on such liability is not required to be paid at least annually or if the documents evidencing such liability permit the borrower to borrow additional amounts that are secured by the Collateral, the outstanding principal amount of such liability shall include the maximum amount that could be so added to the principal amount of such liability without a default;

(iii) the liability constitutes “qualified nonrecourse financing” as defined in Section 465(b)(6) of the Code with respect to the Protected Partners (disregarding the guaranties by the Guaranty Partners);

(iv) no other person has executed any guarantees with respect to such liability other than: (A) guarantees by the Guaranty Partners; (B) guarantees by Affiliates of the Operating Partnership, *provided* that each applicable Guaranty Partner indemnifies each such Affiliate against any liability of such Affiliate (to the extent such liability does not exceed such Guaranty Partner’s Required Liability Amount) arising solely from the existence or performance of such guaranty; and (C) recourse carve out guaranties (*i.e.*, bad-boy guaranties); and

(v) the Collateral does not provide security for another liability (other than another Approved Liability) that ranks senior to, or *pari passu* with, the liability described in clause (i) above.

For purposes of determining whether clause (ii) has been satisfied in situations where one or more potential Approved Liabilities are secured by more than one item of Collateral, the Operating Partnership shall allocate such liabilities among such items of Collateral in proportion to their relative fair market values (as reasonably determined in good faith by the Operating Partnership);

(b) A liability of the Operating Partnership that:

(i) is not secured by any of the assets of the Operating Partnership and is a general, recourse obligation of the Operating Partnership; and

(ii) is not provided by a lender that has an interest in the Operating Partnership or is related to the Operating Partnership within the meaning of Section 465(b)(3)(C) or the Code; or

(c) Any other indebtedness approved by the Partners' Representative (or his successor or designee) in his sole and absolute discretion.

Section 1.6 "Closing Date" has the meaning assigned to it in the applicable Formation Transaction Documentation.

Section 1.7 "Code" means the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended.

Section 1.8 "Collateral" has the meaning set forth in the definition of "Approved Liability."

Section 1.9 "Debt Gross Up Amount" has the meaning set forth in definition of "Make Whole Amount."

Section 1.10 "Debt Notification Event" means, with respect to an Approved Liability, any transaction in which such liability shall be refinanced, otherwise repaid (excluding for this purpose, scheduled payments of principal occurring prior to the maturity date of such liability), or guaranteed by any of the REIT, the Operating Partnership, or one or more of their Affiliates, or guaranteed by one or more partners of the Operating Partnership.

Section 1.11 "Exchange" has the meaning set forth in Section 2.1(b).

Section 1.12 "Formation Transaction Documentation" means all of the agreements, substantially in the forms accompanying the Confidential Request for Consent dated February 22, 2013, pursuant to which the REIT or the Operating Partnership will acquire a portfolio of properties currently owned, directly or indirectly, by the entities set forth in such agreements.

Section 1.13 "Formation Transactions" means the acquisition of a portfolio of properties pursuant to the Formation Transaction Documentation.

Section 1.14 "Fundamental Transaction" means a merger, consolidation or other combination of the Operating Partnership with or into any other entity, a transfer of all or substantially all of the assets of the Operating Partnership, any reclassification, recapitalization or change of the outstanding equity interests of the Operating Partnership, or a conversion of the Operating Partnership into another form of entity.

Section 1.15 "Gross Up Amount" has the meaning set forth in definition of "Make Whole Amount."

Section 1.16 “Guaranteed Liability” means any Approved Liability that is guaranteed, in whole or in part, by one or more Guaranty Partners in accordance with this Agreement.

Section 1.17 “Guaranty Indemnification Period” means the period commencing on the Closing Date and ending on the twelfth (12th) anniversary of the Closing Date; *provided, however*; that such period shall end with respect to any Guaranty Partner to the extent that such Partner owns less than fifty percent (50%) of the OP Units originally received by the Protected Partner or Guaranty Partner in the Formation Transactions, disregarding the sale, exchange or other disposition of any such OP Units sold, exchanged or otherwise disposed of by the Protected Partner or Guaranty Partner in a Permitted Disposition (such an event, a “50% Termination”).

Section 1.18 “Guaranty Partner” means: (i) each signatory on Schedule II attached hereto, as amended from time to time; (ii) any person who holds OP Units and who acquired such OP Units from another Guaranty Partner in a transaction in which such person’s adjusted basis in such OP Units, as determined for Federal income tax purposes, is determined, in whole or in part, by reference to the adjusted basis of the other Guaranty Partner in such OP Units; and (iii) with respect to a Guaranty Partner that is Pass Through Entity, and solely for purposes of computing the amount to be paid under Section 2.4 with respect to such Guaranty Partner, any person who (y) holds an interest in such Guaranty Partner, either directly or through one or more Pass Through Entities, and (z) is required to include all or a portion of the income of such Guaranty Partner in its own gross income.

Section 1.19 “Guaranty Opportunity” has the meaning set forth in Section 2.4(b).

Section 1.20 “Make Whole Amount” means:

(a) with respect to any Protected Partner that recognizes gain under Section 704(c) of the Code as a result of an Property Indemnification Period Transfer, *the sum of* (i) *the product of* (x) the income and gain recognized by such Protected Partner under Section 704(c) of the Code in respect of such Property Indemnification Period Transfer (taking into account any adjustments under Section 743 of the Code to which such Protected Partner is entitled) *multiplied by* (y) the Make Whole Tax Rate, *plus* (ii) an amount equal to the combined Federal, applicable state and local income taxes (calculated using the Make Whole Tax Rate) imposed on such Protected Partner as a result of the receipt by such Protected Partner of a payment under Section 2.2 (the “Gross Up Amount”); *provided, however*; that the Gross Up Amount shall be computed without regard to any losses, credit, or other tax attributes that such Protected Partner might have that would reduce its actual tax liability; and

(b) with respect to any Guaranty Partner that recognizes gain as a result of a breach by the Operating Partnership of the provisions of Section 2.4 hereof, *the sum of* (i) *the product of* (x) the income and gain recognized by such Guaranty Partner by reason of such breach, *multiplied by* (y) the Make Whole Tax Rate, *plus* (ii) an amount equal to the combined Federal, applicable state and local income taxes (calculated using the Make Whole Tax Rate) imposed on such Guaranty Partner as a result of the receipt by such Guaranty Partner of a payment under Section 2.4 (the “Debt Gross Up Amount”); *provided, however*; that the Debt Gross Up Amount shall be computed without regard to any losses, credit, or other tax attributes that such Guaranty Partner might have that would reduce its actual tax liability.

For purposes of calculating the amount of Section 704(c) gain that is allocated to a Protected Partner, (i) subject to clause (ii) below, any “reverse Section 704(c) gain” allocated to such Protected Partner pursuant to Treasury Regulations § 1.704-3(a)(6) shall not be taken into account, and (ii) if, as a result of adjustments to the Gross Asset Value (as defined in the OP Agreement) of the Protected Properties pursuant to clause (b) of the definition of Gross Asset Value as set forth in the OP Agreement, all or a portion of the gain recognized by the Operating Partnership that would have been Section 704(c) gain without regard to such adjustments becomes or is treated as “reverse Section 704(c) gain” or Section 704(b) gain under Section 704 of the Code, then such gain shall continue to be treated as Section 704(c) gain; *provided* that the total amount of 704(c) gain and income taken into account for purpose of calculating the Make Whole Amount shall not exceed the initial Section 704(c) gain amount as of the Closing Date (whether or not equal to the estimated amount set forth on Exhibit B).

Section 1.21 “Make Whole Tax Rate” means, with respect to a Protected Partner who is entitled to receive a payment under Section 2.2 and with respect to a Guaranty Partner who is entitled to receive payment under Section 2.4, the highest combined statutory Federal, state and local tax rate in respect of the income or gain that gave rise to such payment, taking into account the character of the income and gain in the hands of such Protected Partner or Guaranty Partner, as applicable (reduced, in the case of Federal taxes, by the deduction allowed for income taxes paid to a state or locality), for the taxable year in which the event that gave rise to such payment under Section 2.2 or Section 2.4 occurred. Notwithstanding the foregoing, if a Protected Partner or Guaranty Partner demonstrates to the reasonable satisfaction of the Operating Partnership that such Protected Partner or Guaranty Partner, as applicable, is not entitled to a Federal income tax deduction for all or a portion of the income taxes paid to a state or locality, the Make Whole Tax Rate applicable to such Protected Partner or Guaranty Partner shall be reduced only by the deduction, if any, the Protected Partner or Guaranty Partner is entitled to take for such taxes.

Section 1.22 “OP Agreement” means the Agreement of Limited Partnership of Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P., as amended from time to time.

Section 1.23 “OP Units” means common units of partnership interest in the Operating Partnership.

Section 1.24 “Operating Partnership” has the meaning set forth in the preamble.

Section 1.25 “Partners’ Representatives” means Richard Ziman, Howard Schwimmer, Michael Frankel and, in each case, his executors, administrators or permitted assigns.

Section 1.26 “Pass Through Entity” means a partnership, grantor trust, or S corporation for Federal income tax purposes.

Section 1.27 "Permitted Disposition" means a sale, exchange or other disposition of OP Units (i) by a Protected Partner or Guaranty Partner: (a) to such Protected Partner's or Guaranty Partner's children, spouse or issue; (b) to a trust for such Protected Partner or Guaranty Partner or such Protected Partner's or Guaranty Partner's children, spouse or issue; (c) in the case of a trust which is a Protected Partner or Guaranty Partner, to its beneficiaries, or any of them, whether current or remainder beneficiaries; (d) to a revocable *inter vivos* trust of which such Protected Partner or Guaranty Partner is a trustee; (e) in the case of any partnership or limited liability company which is a Protected Partner or Guaranty Partner, to its partners or members; and/or (f) in the case of any corporation which is a Protected Partner or Guaranty Partner, to its shareholders, and (ii) by a party described in clauses (a), (b), (c) or (d) to a partnership, limited liability company or corporation of which the only partners, members or shareholders, as applicable, are parties described in clauses (a), (b), (c) or (d); *provided*, that for purposes of the definition of Property Indemnification Period and Guaranty Indemnification Period, such Protected Partner or Guaranty Partner, as applicable, shall be treated as continuing to own any OP Units which were subject to a Permitted Disposition unless and until there has been a sale, exchange or other disposition of such OP Units by a permitted transferee which is not another Permitted Disposition.

Section 1.28 "Person" means an individual or a corporation, partnership, trust, unincorporated organization, association, limited liability company or other entity.

Section 1.29 "Property Indemnification Period" means the period commencing on the Closing Date and ending on the seventh (7th) anniversary of the Closing Date; *provided, however*; that such period shall end with respect to any Protected Partner upon a 50% Termination with respect to such Protected Partner.

Section 1.30 "Property Indemnification Period Transfer" has the meaning set forth in Section 2.1(a).

Section 1.31 "Protected Partner" means: (i) each signatory on Schedule I attached hereto, as amended from time to time; (ii) any person who holds OP Units and who acquired such OP Units from another Protected Partner in a transaction in which such person's adjusted basis in such OP Units, as determined for Federal income tax purposes, is determined, in whole or in part, by reference to the adjusted basis of the other Protected Partner in such OP Units; and (iii) with respect to a Protected Partner that is Pass Through Entity, and solely for purposes of computing the amount to be paid under Section 2.2 with respect to such Protected Partner, any person who (y) holds an interest in such Protected Partner, either directly or through one or more Pass Through Entities, and (z) is required to include all or a portion of the income of such Protected Partner in its own gross income.

Section 1.32 "Protected Property" means each property identified on Exhibit A hereto and each property acquired in Exchange for a Protected Property as set forth in Section 2.1(b).

Section 1.33 "Required Liability Amount" means, with respect to each Guaranty Partner, 110% of such Guaranty Partner's "negative tax capital account" as of the Closing Date, a current estimate of which is set forth on Exhibit C hereto for each such Guaranty Partner.

Section 1.34 “REIT” has the meaning set forth in the preamble.

Section 1.36 “Section 2.4 Notice” has the meaning set forth in Section 2.4(c).

Section 1.37 “Transfer” means any direct or indirect sale, exchange, transfer or other disposition, whether voluntary or involuntary.

Section 1.38 “Treasury Regulations” means the income tax regulations under the Code, whether such regulations are in proposed, temporary or final form, as such regulations may be amended from time to time (including corresponding provisions of succeeding regulations).

ARTICLE II

TAX MATTERS

Section 2.1 Taxable Transfers.

(a) Unless the Operating Partnership receives the Approval of the Partners’ Representatives with respect to a Property Indemnification Period Transfer, during the Property Indemnification Period, the Operating Partnership shall indemnify the Protected Partners as set forth in Section 2.2 if the Operating Partnership or any entity in which the Operating Partnership holds a direct or indirect interest shall cause or permit (i) any Transfer of all or any portion of a Protected Property (including any interest therein or in the entity owning, directly or indirectly, the Protected Property) in a transaction that would result in the recognition of taxable income or gain by any Protected Partner under Section 704(c) of the Code, or (ii) any Fundamental Transaction that would result in the recognition of taxable income or gain to any Protected Partner (such a Fundamental Transaction and such a Transfer, collectively a “Property Indemnification Period Transfer”).

(b) Section 2.1(a) shall not apply to any Property Indemnification Period Transfer of a Protected Property (including any interest therein or in the entity owning, directly or indirectly, the Protected Property): (i) in a transaction in which no gain is required to be recognized by a Protected Partner (an “Exchange”), including a transaction qualifying under Section 1031 or Section 721 (or any successor statutes) of the Code; *provided, however*, that any property acquired by the Operating Partnership in the Exchange shall remain subject to the provisions of this Article II in place of the exchanged Protected Property for the remainder of the Property Indemnification Period; (ii) as a result of the condemnation or other taking of any Protected Property by a governmental entity in an eminent domain proceeding or otherwise, provided that the Operating Partnership shall use commercially reasonable efforts to structure such disposition as either a tax-free like-kind exchange under Section 1031 or a tax-free reinvestment of proceeds under Section 1033, provided that in no event shall the Operating Partnership be obligated to acquire or invest in any property that it otherwise would not have acquired or invested in.

(c) For any taxable Transfer of all or any portion of any property of the Operating Partnership which is not a Property Indemnification Period Transfer, the Operating Partnership shall use commercially reasonable efforts to cooperate with the Limited Partners to minimize any taxes payable by the Limited Partners in connection with any such Transfers.

Section 2.2 Indemnification for Taxable Transfers.

(a) In the event of a Property Indemnification Period Transfer described in Section 2.1(a), each Protected Partner shall, within 30 days after the closing of such Property Indemnification Period Transfer, receive from the Operating Partnership an amount of cash equal to the estimated Make Whole Amount applicable to such Property Indemnification Period Transfer. If it is later determined that the true Make Whole Amount applicable to a Protected Partner exceeds the estimated Make Whole Amount applicable to such Protected Partner, then the Operating Partnership shall pay such excess to such Protected Partner within 90 days after the closing of the Property Indemnification Period Transfer, and if such estimated Make Whole Amount exceeds the true Make Whole Amount, then such Protected Partner shall promptly refund such excess to the Operating Partnership, but only to the extent such excess was actually received by such Protected Partner.

(b) Notwithstanding any provision of this Agreement to the contrary, the sole and exclusive rights and remedies of any Protected Partner under Section 2.1(a) shall be a claim against the Operating Partnership for the Make Whole Amount as set forth in this Section 2.2, and no Protected Partner shall be entitled to pursue a claim for specific performance of the covenants set forth in Section 2.1(a) or bring a claim against any person that acquires a Protected Property from the Operating Partnership in violation of Section 2.1(a).

(c) For the avoidance of doubt, a vote in favor of a Property Indemnification Period Transfer by a Protected Partner in its capacity as an owner of OP Units or shares of the REIT shall not constitute a waiver of such Protected Partner's right to indemnification pursuant to this Section 2.2 as a result of such Property Indemnification Period Transfer.

Section 2.3 Section 704(c) Gains. A good faith estimate of the initial amount of Section 704(c) gain allocable to each Protected Partner as of the Closing Date of the Formation Transactions is set forth on Exhibit B hereto. The parties acknowledge that the initial amount of such Section 704(c) gain may be adjusted over time as required by Section 704(c) of the Code and the Regulations promulgated thereunder.

Section 2.4 Approved Liability Maintenance and Allocation.

(a) During the Guaranty Indemnification Period, the Operating Partnership shall: (i) maintain on a continuous basis an amount of Approved Liabilities at least equal to the Required Liability Amount; and (ii) provide the Partners' Representatives, promptly upon request, with a description of the nature and amount of any Approved Liabilities that are available to be guaranteed by the Guaranty Partners pursuant to Section 2.4(b) of this Agreement. For the avoidance of doubt, and notwithstanding any other provision of this Agreement, the Operating Partnership shall not be required to maintain any amount of Approved Liabilities in excess of the aggregate Required Liability Amount of all Guaranty Partners.

(b) (i) During the Guaranty Indemnification Period, the Operating Partnership shall provide each Guaranty Partner with the opportunity to execute a guaranty, substantially in the form attached hereto as Exhibit D or otherwise in a form and manner that receives the Approval of the Partners' Representatives, of one or more Approved Liabilities in an amount up to such Guaranty Partner's Required Liability Amount (each such opportunity and each opportunity required by Section 2.4(e), a "Guaranty Opportunity"), and (ii) after the Guaranty Indemnification Period, and for so long as a Guaranty Partner has not had a 50% Termination, the Operating Partnership shall use commercially reasonable efforts to make Guaranty Opportunities available to each Guaranty Partner, provided that in the case of this clause (ii), the Operating Partnership shall not be required to incur any indebtedness that it would not otherwise have incurred, as determined by the Operating Partnership in its reasonable discretion; *provided, however*, that in the case of clauses (i) and (ii) the aggregate amount of all guarantees required to be made available by the Operating Partnership for execution by all Guaranty Partners need not exceed the aggregate Required Liability Amount of all Guaranty Partners. The Operating Partnership shall have the discretion to identify the Approved Liability or Approved Liabilities that shall be made available for guaranty by each Guaranty Partner. Each Guaranty Partner and its indirect owners may allocate the Guaranty Opportunity afforded to such Guaranty Partner in any manner they choose. The Operating Partnership agrees to file its tax returns allocating any debt subject to a Guaranty to the applicable Guaranty Partners. Each Guaranty Partner shall bear the costs incurred by it in connection with the execution of any guaranty to which it is a party. To the extent a Guaranty Partner executes a guaranty, the Operating Partnership shall deliver a copy of such guaranty to the lender under the Guaranteed Liability promptly after receiving such copy from the relevant Guaranty Partner.

(c) During the Guaranty Indemnification Period, the Operating Partnership shall not allow a Debt Notification Event to occur unless the Operating Partnership provides at least thirty (30) days' written notice (a "Section 2.4 Notice") to each Guaranty Partner that may be affected thereby. The Section 2.4 Notice shall describe the Debt Notification Event and designate one or more Approved Liabilities that may be guaranteed by the Guaranty Partners pursuant to Section 2.4(b) of this Agreement in an amount equal to the amount of the refinanced or repaid Approved Liability that was guaranteed by such Guaranty Partner immediately prior to the date of the Debt Notification Event. The Section 2.4 Notice shall be deemed to have been provided when delivered in person or when sent by first class United States mail or by other means of written or electronic communication (including by telecopy, facsimile, electronic mail or commercial courier service) to the Guaranty Partner at the address set forth in the Register (as defined in the OP Agreement). Any Guaranty Partner that desires to execute a guaranty following the receipt of a Section 2.4 Notice shall provide the Operating Partnership with notice thereof within ten (10) days after the date of the Section 2.4 Notice.

(d) Provided the Operating Partnership satisfies its obligations under Section 2.4(a), (b) and (c) of this Agreement, the Operating Partnership shall have no liability to a Guaranty Partner under Section 2.4(e) for breach of Section 2.4, whether or not such Guaranty Partner timely accepts its Guaranty Opportunity. Furthermore, the Operating Partnership makes no representation or warranty to any Guaranty Partner concerning the treatment or effect of any guaranty under Federal, state, local, or foreign tax law, and bears no responsibility for any tax liability of any Guaranty Partner or Affiliate thereof that is attributable to a reallocation, by a taxing authority, of debt subject to a guaranty (other than a reallocation that results from any act or omission taken by the Operating Partnership or one of its Affiliates in violation of this Section 2.4 or an act or omission that is indemnifiable under Section 2.4(e) of this Agreement).

(e) If the Operating Partnership shall fail to comply with any provision of this Section 2.4, the Operating Partnership shall pay, within thirty (30) days of such failure, a Make Whole Payment to each Guaranty Partner who recognizes income or gain as a result of such failure equal to the estimated Make Whole Amount applicable to such failure. If it is determined that the true Make Whole Amount applicable to a Guaranty Partner exceeds the estimated Make Whole Amount applicable to such Guaranty Partner, then the Operating Partnership shall pay such excess to such Guaranty Partner within thirty (30) days after the date of such determination, and if such estimated Make Whole Amount exceeds the true Make Whole Amount, then such Guaranty Partner shall pay such excess to the Operating Partnership within thirty (30) days after the date of such determination, but only to the extent such excess was actually received by such Guaranty Partner.

(f) Notwithstanding any provision of this Agreement to the contrary, the sole and exclusive rights and remedies of any Guaranty Partner for a breach or violation of the covenants set forth in Section 2.4 shall be a claim a claim against the Operating Partnership for the Make Whole Amount as set forth in Section 2.4(e), and no Guaranty Partner shall be entitled to pursue a claim for specific performance of the covenants set forth in Section 2.4.

Section 2.5 Dispute Resolution. Any controversy, dispute, or claim of any nature arising out of, in connection with, or in relation to the interpretation, performance, enforcement or breach of this Agreement (and any closing document executed in connection herewith) shall be governed by the dispute resolution provisions set forth in Section 6.08 of the Contribution Agreement, dated as of July 24, 2013, by and among the Operating Partnership, the REIT and the applicable entity in which the Protected Partner or Guaranty Partner, as applicable, held an equity interest immediately prior to the Formation Transactions.

ARTICLE III

GENERAL PROVISIONS

Section 3.1 Notices. All notices, demands, declarations, consents, directions, approvals, instructions, requests and other communications required or permitted by the terms of this Agreement shall be given in the same manner as in the OP Agreement.

Section 3.2 Titles and Captions. All Article or Section titles or captions in this Agreement are for convenience only. They shall not be deemed part of this Agreement and in no way define, limit, extend or describe the scope or intent of any provisions hereof. Except as specifically provided otherwise, references to “Articles” and “Sections” are to Articles and Sections of this Agreement.

Section 3.3 Pronouns and Plurals. Whenever the context may require, any pronoun used in this Agreement shall include the corresponding masculine, feminine or neuter forms, and the singular form of nouns, pronouns and verbs shall include the plural and vice versa.

Section 3.4 Further Action. The parties shall execute and deliver all documents, provide all information and take or refrain from taking action as may be necessary or appropriate to achieve the purposes of this Agreement.

Section 3.5 Binding Effect. This Agreement shall be binding upon and inure to the benefit of the parties hereto and their heirs, executors, administrators, successors, legal representatives and permitted assigns.

Section 3.6 Creditors. Other than as expressly set forth herein, none of the provisions of this Agreement shall be for the benefit of, or shall be enforceable by, any creditor of the Operating Partnership.

Section 3.7 Waiver. No failure by any party to insist upon the strict performance of any covenant, duty, agreement or condition of this Agreement or to exercise any right or remedy consequent upon a breach thereof shall constitute waiver of any such breach or any covenant, duty, agreement or condition.

Section 3.8 Counterparts. This Agreement may be executed in counterparts, all of which together shall constitute one agreement binding on all of the parties hereto, notwithstanding that all such parties are not signatories to the original or the same counterpart. Each party shall become bound by this Agreement immediately upon affixing its signature hereto.

Section 3.9 Applicable Law. This Agreement shall be construed and enforced in accordance with and governed by the laws of the State of California, without regard to the principles of conflicts of law.

Section 3.10 Invalidity of Provisions. If any provision of this Agreement is or becomes invalid, illegal or unenforceable in any respect, the validity, legality or enforceability of other remaining provisions contained herein shall not be affected thereby.

Section 3.11 Entire Agreement. This Agreement contains the entire understanding and agreement among the Partners with respect to the subject matter hereof and amends, restates and supersedes the OP Agreement and any other prior written or oral understandings or agreements among them with respect thereto.

Section 3.12 No Rights as Stockholders. Nothing contained in this Agreement shall be construed as conferring upon the holders of the OP Units any rights whatsoever as stockholders of the REIT, including, without limitation, any right to receive dividends or other distributions made to stockholders of the REIT or to vote or to consent or to receive notice as stockholders in respect of any meeting of stockholders for the election of directors of the REIT or any other matter.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have executed this Agreement as of the date first above written.

REIT:

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, INC.,
a Maryland corporation

By: /s/ Howard Schwimmer

Name: Howard Schwimmer

Title: Co-Chief Executive Officer

By: /s/ Michael S. Frankel

Name: Michael S. Frankel

Title: Co-Chief Executive Officer

OPERATING PARTNERSHIP:

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, L.P.,
a Maryland limited partnership

By: REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, INC.
a Maryland corporation, Its General Partner

By: /s/ Howard Schwimmer

Name: Howard Schwimmer

Title: Co-Chief Executive Officer

By: /s/ Michael S. Frankel

Name: Michael S. Frankel

Title: Co-Chief Executive Officer

SIGNATURE PAGE TO TAX MATTERS AGREEMENT

**PROTECTED PARTNERS LISTED ON
SCHEDULE I HERETO:**

By: Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc.,
a Maryland corporation
as attorney-in-fact acting on behalf of the
Protected Partners named on Schedule I
hereto

By: /s/ Howard Schwimmer
Name: Howard Schwimmer
Title: Co-Chief Executive Officer

By: /s/ Michael S. Frankel
Name: Michael S. Frankel
Title: Co-Chief Executive Officer

**GUARANTY PARTNERS LISTED ON
SCHEDULE II HERETO:**

By: Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc.,
a Maryland corporation
as attorney-in-fact acting on behalf of the Guaranty Partners
named on Schedule II hereto

By: /s/ Howard Schwimmer
Name: Howard Schwimmer
Title: Co-Chief Executive Officer

By: /s/ Michael S. Frankel
Name: Michael S. Frankel
Title: Co-Chief Executive Officer

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EXHIBIT A
PROTECTED PROPERTIES

RIF I - Don Julian
RIF I - Walnut
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RIF I - Oxnard
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RIF II - Bledsoe
RIF II - Easy Street
RIF II - La Jolla
RIF II - Orangethorpe
RIF II - Pioneer
RIF III - Irwindale
RIF III - Santa Fe Springs
RIF IV - Cornerstone

EXHIBIT B
ESTIMATED ALLOCATIONS OF SECTION 704(c) GAIN

<u>Protected Property</u>	<u>Protected Partner</u>	<u>§ 704(c) Gain</u>
RIF I - Don Julian	Protected Partner 203	22,590
	Protected Partner 204	112,937
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RIF I - Lewis

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Protected Partner 494	22,712
Protected Partner 495	27,254
Protected Partner 496	18,170
Protected Partner 497	9,085
Protected Partner 498	9,085
Protected Partner 499	846,508
Protected Partner 500	45,425
Protected Partner 501	90,849
Protected Partner 502	3,777
Protected Partner 503	18,881
Protected Partner 504	4,128
Protected Partner 505	3,776
Protected Partner 506	3,776
Protected Partner 507	3,776
Protected Partner 508	18,881
Protected Partner 509	5,665
Protected Partner 510	3,776
Protected Partner 511	9,441
Protected Partner 512	13,217
Protected Partner 513	18,882
Protected Partner 514	5,664
Protected Partner 515	18,882
Protected Partner 516	9,441

RIF I - Oxnard

Protected Partner 517	18,881
Protected Partner 518	269,926
Protected Partner 519	5,665
Protected Partner 520	2,013
Protected Partner 521	5,665
Protected Partner 522	11,329
Protected Partner 523	2,152
Protected Partner 524	2,266
Protected Partner 525	9,441
Protected Partner 526	3,776
Protected Partner 527	3,777
Protected Partner 528	345
Protected Partner 529	2,152
Protected Partner 530	1,763
Protected Partner 531	346
Protected Partner 532	5,664
Protected Partner 533	1,888
Protected Partner 534	143,703
Protected Partner 535	3,776
Protected Partner 536	344
Protected Partner 537	1,712
Protected Partner 538	3,776
Protected Partner 539	18,882
Protected Partner 540	3,776
Protected Partner 541	1,889
Protected Partner 542	7,552
Protected Partner 543	3,777
Protected Partner 544	9,440
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Protected Partner 546	2,152
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Protected Partner 548	9,441
Protected Partner 549	8,497
Protected Partner 550	1,712
Protected Partner 551	3,776
Protected Partner 552	2,266
Protected Partner 553	9,441
Protected Partner 554	11,328
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Protected Partner 556	3,776
Protected Partner 557	3,776
Protected Partner 558	351,862
Protected Partner 559	18,881
Protected Partner 560	37,763
Protected Partner 561	6,786

RIF I - Valley

Protected Partner 562	33,928
Protected Partner 563	7,418
Protected Partner 564	6,786
Protected Partner 565	6,785
Protected Partner 566	6,786
Protected Partner 567	33,928
Protected Partner 568	10,179
Protected Partner 569	6,786
Protected Partner 570	16,964
Protected Partner 571	23,750
Protected Partner 572	33,929
Protected Partner 573	10,179
Protected Partner 574	33,929
Protected Partner 575	16,964
Protected Partner 576	33,928
Protected Partner 577	485,035
Protected Partner 578	10,179
Protected Partner 579	3,617
Protected Partner 580	10,179
Protected Partner 581	20,356
Protected Partner 582	3,868
Protected Partner 583	4,072
Protected Partner 584	16,964
Protected Partner 585	6,786
Protected Partner 586	6,786
Protected Partner 587	620
Protected Partner 588	3,866
Protected Partner 589	3,169
Protected Partner 590	621
Protected Partner 591	10,179
Protected Partner 592	3,393
Protected Partner 593	258,222
Protected Partner 594	6,785
Protected Partner 595	619
Protected Partner 596	3,076
Protected Partner 597	6,786
Protected Partner 598	33,929
Protected Partner 599	6,786
Protected Partner 600	3,394
Protected Partner 601	13,571
Protected Partner 602	6,786
Protected Partner 603	16,963
Protected Partner 604	33,929
Protected Partner 605	3,867
Protected Partner 606	13,572

Protected Partner 607	16,965
Protected Partner 608	15,268
Protected Partner 609	3,077
Protected Partner 610	6,785
Protected Partner 611	4,072
Protected Partner 612	16,964
Protected Partner 613	20,356
Protected Partner 614	13,571
Protected Partner 615	6,786
Protected Partner 616	6,786
Protected Partner 617	632,263
Protected Partner 618	33,928
Protected Partner 619	67,857

EXHIBIT B
ESTIMATED ALLOCATIONS OF SECTION 704(c) GAIN

<u>Protected Property</u>	<u>Protected Partner</u>	<u>§ 704(c) Gain</u>
RIF II - Bledsoe	Protected Partner 620	47,877
	Protected Partner 621	23,694
	Protected Partner 622	24,556
	Protected Partner 623	4,655
	Protected Partner 624	23,738
	Protected Partner 625	24,550
	Protected Partner 626	6,202
	Protected Partner 627	4,746
	Protected Partner 628	23,700
	Protected Partner 629	4,661
	Protected Partner 630	23,701
	Protected Partner 631	4,732
	Protected Partner 632	9,886
	Protected Partner 633	4,564
	Protected Partner 634	6,113
	Protected Partner 635	33,711
	Protected Partner 636	24,147
	Protected Partner 637	14,643
	Protected Partner 638	7,198
	Protected Partner 639	14,645
	Protected Partner 640	2,069
	Protected Partner 641	2,549
	Protected Partner 642	4,746
	Protected Partner 643	4,647
	Protected Partner 644	2,584
	Protected Partner 645	7,439
	Protected Partner 646	2,367
	Protected Partner 647	12,052
	Protected Partner 648	4,736
	Protected Partner 649	2,555
	Protected Partner 650	4,740
	Protected Partner 651	3,282
	Protected Partner 652	4,732
	Protected Partner 653	139,399
	Protected Partner 654	4,561
	Protected Partner 655	9,741
	Protected Partner 656	24,550
	Protected Partner 657	2,587
	Protected Partner 658	4,653
	Protected Partner 659	11,626
	Protected Partner 660	11,851
	Protected Partner 661	9,739

RIF II - Easy Street

Protected Partner 662	12,044
Protected Partner 663	12,069
Protected Partner 664	4,736
Protected Partner 665	50,480
Protected Partner 666	14,412
Protected Partner 667	2,367
Protected Partner 668	12,048
Protected Partner 669	4,750
Protected Partner 670	24,141
Protected Partner 671	4,559
Protected Partner 672	4,736
Protected Partner 673	4,570
Protected Partner 674	9,888
Protected Partner 675	347,886
Protected Partner 676	4,740
Protected Partner 677	12,065
Protected Partner 678	24,564
Protected Partner 679	24,552
Protected Partner 680	9,917
Protected Partner 681	257,446
Protected Partner 682	140,781
Protected Partner 683	69,671
Protected Partner 684	72,206
Protected Partner 685	13,688
Protected Partner 686	69,801
Protected Partner 687	72,189
Protected Partner 688	18,237
Protected Partner 689	13,955
Protected Partner 690	69,688
Protected Partner 691	13,705
Protected Partner 692	69,694
Protected Partner 693	13,915
Protected Partner 694	29,069
Protected Partner 695	13,422
Protected Partner 696	17,976
Protected Partner 697	99,126
Protected Partner 698	71,004
Protected Partner 699	43,058
Protected Partner 700	21,166
Protected Partner 701	43,063
Protected Partner 702	763,097
Protected Partner 703	7,495
Protected Partner 704	13,955
Protected Partner 705	13,665
Protected Partner 706	7,597
Protected Partner 707	21,875

Protected Partner 708	6,960
Protected Partner 709	35,438
Protected Partner 710	13,926
Protected Partner 711	7,512
Protected Partner 712	13,938
Protected Partner 713	9,650
Protected Partner 714	13,915
Protected Partner 715	409,899
Protected Partner 716	13,410
Protected Partner 717	28,644
Protected Partner 718	72,189
Protected Partner 719	7,608
Protected Partner 720	13,682
Protected Partner 721	34,185
Protected Partner 722	34,848
Protected Partner 723	28,638
Protected Partner 724	35,416
Protected Partner 725	35,489
Protected Partner 726	13,926
Protected Partner 727	148,434
Protected Partner 728	42,377
Protected Partner 729	6,960
Protected Partner 730	35,427
Protected Partner 731	13,966
Protected Partner 732	70,987
Protected Partner 733	13,405
Protected Partner 734	13,926
Protected Partner 735	13,439
Protected Partner 736	29,075
Protected Partner 737	1,022,943
Protected Partner 738	13,938
Protected Partner 739	35,478
Protected Partner 740	72,229
Protected Partner 741	72,195
Protected Partner 742	29,160
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RIF II - La Jolla

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RIF II - Orangethorpe

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Protected Partner 808	26,661
Protected Partner 809	13,194
Protected Partner 810	13,674
Protected Partner 811	2,592
Protected Partner 812	13,219
Protected Partner 813	13,671
Protected Partner 814	3,454
Protected Partner 815	2,643
Protected Partner 816	13,197
Protected Partner 817	2,595
Protected Partner 818	13,198
Protected Partner 819	2,635
Protected Partner 820	5,505
Protected Partner 821	2,542
Protected Partner 822	3,404
Protected Partner 823	18,772
Protected Partner 824	13,447
Protected Partner 825	8,154
Protected Partner 826	4,008
Protected Partner 827	8,155
Protected Partner 828	144,514
Protected Partner 829	1,419
Protected Partner 830	2,643
Protected Partner 831	2,588
Protected Partner 832	1,439
Protected Partner 833	4,143
Protected Partner 834	1,318
Protected Partner 835	6,711
Protected Partner 836	2,637
Protected Partner 837	1,423
Protected Partner 838	2,640
Protected Partner 839	1,828
Protected Partner 840	2,635
Protected Partner 841	77,626
Protected Partner 842	2,540
Protected Partner 843	5,424

Protected Partner 844	13,671
Protected Partner 845	1,441
Protected Partner 846	2,591
Protected Partner 847	6,474
Protected Partner 848	6,600
Protected Partner 849	5,423
Protected Partner 850	6,707
Protected Partner 851	6,721
Protected Partner 852	2,637
Protected Partner 853	28,110
Protected Partner 854	8,025
Protected Partner 855	1,318
Protected Partner 856	6,709
Protected Partner 857	2,645
Protected Partner 858	13,443
Protected Partner 859	2,539
Protected Partner 860	2,637
Protected Partner 861	2,545
Protected Partner 862	5,506
Protected Partner 863	193,724
Protected Partner 864	2,640
Protected Partner 865	6,719
Protected Partner 866	13,679
Protected Partner 867	13,672
Protected Partner 868	5,522
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RIF II - Pioneer

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EXHIBIT B
ESTIMATED ALLOCATIONS OF SECTION 704(c) GAIN

<u>Protected Property</u>	<u>Protected Partner</u>	<u>§ 704(c) Gain</u>
RIF III - Irwindale	Protected Partner 934	17,588
	Protected Partner 935	17,588
	Protected Partner 936	8,794
	Protected Partner 937	35,177
	Protected Partner 938	17,588
	Protected Partner 939	4,397
	Protected Partner 940	17,588
	Protected Partner 941	7,035
	Protected Partner 942	35,177
	Protected Partner 943	15,478
	Protected Partner 944	5,277
	Protected Partner 945	3,518
	Protected Partner 946	6,156
	Protected Partner 947	17,588
	Protected Partner 948	7,035
	Protected Partner 949	4,397
	Protected Partner 950	3,518
	Protected Partner 951	4,397
	Protected Partner 952	1,759
	Protected Partner 953	7,035
	Protected Partner 954	8,794
	Protected Partner 955	3,518
	Protected Partner 956	3,518
	Protected Partner 957	8,794
	Protected Partner 958	3,518
	Protected Partner 959	3,518
	Protected Partner 960	17,588
	Protected Partner 961	3,518
	Protected Partner 962	8,794
	Protected Partner 963	8,794
	Protected Partner 964	7,035
	Protected Partner 965	3,518
	Protected Partner 966	8,794
	Protected Partner 967	8,794
	Protected Partner 968	8,794
	Protected Partner 969	17,588
	Protected Partner 970	14,071
	Protected Partner 971	3,518
	Protected Partner 972	7,035
	Protected Partner 973	5,277
	Protected Partner 974	7,035
	Protected Partner 975	8,794
	Protected Partner 976	769,999

Protected Partner 977	8,794
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Protected Partner 980	1,055
Protected Partner 981	7,035
Protected Partner 982	7,035
Protected Partner 983	8,794
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Protected Partner 986	10,553
Protected Partner 987	3,518
Protected Partner 988	8,794
Protected Partner 989	3,518
Protected Partner 990	5,628
Protected Partner 991	8,794
Protected Partner 992	8,794
Protected Partner 993	17,588
Protected Partner 994	3,518
Protected Partner 995	1,759
Protected Partner 996	7,035
Protected Partner 997	3,518
Protected Partner 998	410,000
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Protected Partner 1003	8,794
Protected Partner 1004	3,518
Protected Partner 1005	3,518
Protected Partner 1006	8,794
Protected Partner 1007	1,055
Protected Partner 1008	8,794
Protected Partner 1009	3,518
Protected Partner 1010	10,553
Protected Partner 1011	8,794
Protected Partner 1012	3,518
Protected Partner 1013	2,638
Protected Partner 1014	3,518
Protected Partner 1015	22,865
Protected Partner 1016	5,863
Protected Partner 1017	17,588
Protected Partner 1018	8,794
Protected Partner 1019	10,553
Protected Partner 1020	5,716
Protected Partner 1021	8,794
Protected Partner 1022	5,277

Protected Partner 1023	35,177
Protected Partner 1024	5,716
Protected Partner 1025	7,035
Protected Partner 1026	1,055
Protected Partner 1027	1,759
Protected Partner 1028	24,624
Protected Partner 1029	43,971
Protected Partner 1030	3,518
Protected Partner 1031	4,397
Protected Partner 1032	3,518
Protected Partner 1033	7,035
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**RIF III - Santa Fe
Springs**

Built-in loss property

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EXHIBIT B
ESTIMATED ALLOCATIONS OF SECTION 704(c) GAIN

Property	Protected Partner	§ 704(c) Gain
RIF IV - Cornerstone	Protected Partner 1156	
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EXHIBIT C
REQUIRED LIABILITY AMOUNT

<u>GUARANTY PARTNER</u>	<u>REQUIRED LIABILITY AMOUNT</u>
Guaranty Partner 1	\$ —
Guaranty Partner 2	\$ 39,110
Guaranty Partner 3	\$ —
Guaranty Partner 4	\$ —
Guaranty Partner 5	\$ —
Guaranty Partner 6	\$ —
Guaranty Partner 7	\$ —
Guaranty Partner 8	\$ 39,108
Guaranty Partner 9	\$ —
Guaranty Partner 10	\$ —
Guaranty Partner 11	\$ —
Guaranty Partner 12	\$ —
Guaranty Partner 13	\$ —
Guaranty Partner 14	\$ —
Guaranty Partner 15	\$ 17,066
Guaranty Partner 16	\$ —
Guaranty Partner 17	\$ —
Guaranty Partner 18	\$ —
Guaranty Partner 19	\$ —
Guaranty Partner 20	\$6,534,722
Guaranty Partner 21	\$ 58,662
Guaranty Partner 22	\$ —
Guaranty Partner 23	\$ —
Guaranty Partner 24	\$ —
Guaranty Partner 25	\$ 27,881
Guaranty Partner 26	\$ —
Guaranty Partner 27	\$ 117,314
Guaranty Partner 28	\$ 22,646
Guaranty Partner 29	\$ 30,474
Guaranty Partner 30	\$ 39,113
Guaranty Partner 31	\$ —
Guaranty Partner 32	\$ —
Guaranty Partner 33	\$ 3,169
Guaranty Partner 34	\$ —
Guaranty Partner 35	\$ 686
Guaranty Partner 36	\$ —
Guaranty Partner 37	\$3,466,580
Guaranty Partner 38	\$ —
Guaranty Partner 39	\$ —

Guaranty Partner 40	\$ 3,146
Guaranty Partner 41	\$ —
Guaranty Partner 42	\$ 61,089
Guaranty Partner 43	\$ 19,560
Guaranty Partner 44	\$ 78,209
Guaranty Partner 45	\$ —
Guaranty Partner 46	\$ 30,217
Guaranty Partner 47	\$ 195,541
Guaranty Partner 48	\$ —
Guaranty Partner 49	\$ —
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Guaranty Partner 51	\$ —
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Guaranty Partner 62	\$ —
Guaranty Partner 63	\$ —
Guaranty Partner 64	\$ —
Guaranty Partner 65	\$ —
Guaranty Partner 66	\$ —
Guaranty Partner 67	\$ 39,109
Guaranty Partner 70	\$6,743,465
Guaranty Partner 68	\$ 195,532
Guaranty Partner 69	\$ 391,064

EXHIBIT D
FORM OF GUARANTY

[See Attached]

GUARANTY AGREEMENT

THIS GUARANTY (this “Guaranty”) is made as of [—], 2013, by and among the guarantors identified on Exhibit A attached hereto (collectively, the “Guarantors”), and Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P., a Maryland limited partnership (the “Operating Partnership”) in favor of [—] (the “Lender”).

RECITALS

Pursuant to that certain [—] dated [—], by and among [—] (the “Borrower”) and Lender (the “Loan Agreement”), the Lender made a loan to the Borrower in the original maximum principal amount of \$[—] (the “Loan”), which Loan is secured by, among other collateral, [—] (the “Deed of Trust”), which grants to Lender a security interest in certain real property located in [—] and further described in the Deed of Trust and related personal property (the foregoing, collectively, the “Property”) and together with any other property securing the Loan, if any, the “Collateral”). The documents which evidence the Loan or the Collateral, including, without limitation, the Deed of Trust, are collectively referred to as the “Loan Documents.”

In order to assure the Borrower’s payment of its obligations under the Loan and the performance of the Borrower’s obligations under the Loan and the Deed of Trust, the Guarantors are willing to guarantee a portion of the amounts due under the Loan on the terms set forth below.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the foregoing recitals and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the Guarantors hereby agree as follows:

1. Guaranty.

(a) If (i) an event of a default which permits the Lender to accelerate the repayment of the obligations of the Borrower to the Lender secured by the Deed of Trust (collectively, the “Obligations”) has occurred (such default and repayment obligation referred to hereinafter as a “Default”), and (ii) the Lender has accelerated the Loan as a result of such Default, then each Guarantor, severally and not jointly, absolutely and unconditionally guarantees and promises to pay directly to the Lender on behalf of the Borrower in lawful money of the United States of America an amount equal to such Guarantor’s Guaranty Percentage (as defined below) of the Shortfall Amount (as defined below); *provided that* no demand shall be made under this Guaranty for payment by any Guarantor as a result of a Default (x) until such time as the Lender shall have fully and completely exercised (and not waived) all rights, powers, and remedies it has with respect to foreclosure on the Property and pursued all of its available rights and remedies against other assets of the Borrower which secure the Loan, if any, and any recoveries from such actions have been applied to reduce the amount of the Obligations or (y) following the date any such Default is cured. For purposes of this Guaranty, the following definitions shall apply. The “Shortfall Amount” shall equal the positive excess of (i) the lesser of: (A) the aggregate of the “Maximum Liability” (as listed opposite the Guarantors’ names on Exhibit A attached hereto) of all Guarantors whose obligations under this Guaranty are then

outstanding; and (B) the aggregate outstanding amount of the Obligations immediately prior to the Default (the "Aggregate Maximum Liability"), over (ii) the sum of all cash and other amounts received or otherwise recovered by the Lender together with the fair market value of the Property obtained by the Lender (without regard to whether such amounts and value are applied to principal, interest, late fees, penalties and costs of collection), if any, after the Default from or on behalf of the Borrower in proceedings against the Borrower or the Property under the Loan Documents. Each Guarantor's "Guaranty Percentage" shall equal the quotient of (i) such Guarantor's Maximum Liability (as listed opposite the Guarantors' names on Exhibit A attached hereto) over (ii) the Aggregate Maximum Liability. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the foregoing, the maximum amount of each Guarantor's liability hereunder shall in no event be greater than the "Maximum Liability" listed opposite the Guarantor's name on Exhibit A attached hereto, and under no circumstances shall a Guarantor be obligated to pay an aggregate amount under this Guaranty in excess of such Guarantor's Maximum Liability. The obligations of each Guarantor hereunder are separate and distinct from the obligations of any other Guarantor hereunder and are not joint and several.

(b) Notwithstanding any provision to the contrary in this Guaranty, no Guarantor shall have any obligation to make any payment pursuant to this Guaranty to the extent that the Default occurs as a result of, or in connection with "material uninsured damage" to the Property caused by an earthquake or act of terrorism. For purposes of this Guaranty, the term "material uninsured damage" shall refer to damage to the Property that is not compensated for by insurance and which is in an amount greater than twenty percent (20%) of the original principal amount of the Loan.

2. Term of Guaranty. This Guaranty, as well as all of the rights, duties, requirements and obligations created hereunder, shall expire and be of no further force or effect with respect to each Guarantor as of the earlier of (a) the date on which the Obligations under the Loan are satisfied in full, or (b) the Termination Date with respect to such Guarantor. The "Termination Date" with respect to a Guarantor shall be the effective date set forth in a written notice from such Guarantor to the Borrower and the Lender, stating that such Guarantor is terminating its obligations under this Guaranty, provided that (i) such date shall not be earlier than the earlier of (x) three (3) months after the date such Guarantor has disposed of all of its equity interest in the Operating Partnership or (y) six (6) months after such Guarantor has given written notice to the Operating Partnership that he wishes to be released from his obligations under this Guaranty, and (ii) the fair market value of the Collateral exceeds the outstanding balance of the Obligations, including accrued and unpaid interest, as of the Termination Date. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the obligations of a Guarantor hereunder shall continue after the Termination Date with respect to such Guarantor to the extent of any claims that are attributable fully and solely to an event or action that occurred on or before the Termination Date with respect to such Guarantor.

3. Remedies. If a Guarantor fails to promptly perform his obligations under this Guaranty, the Lender may from time to time bring an action at law or in equity, or both, to compel such Guarantor to perform his obligations hereunder, and to collect in any such action compensation for all loss, cost, damage, injury and expense sustained or incurred by the Lender as a consequence of the failure of such Guarantor to perform his obligations together with interest thereon at the rate of interest applicable to the principal balance of the Loan.

4. Rights of the Lender. Without in any manner limiting the generality of the foregoing, the Borrower, the Lender, or any subsequent holder of the Loan or beneficiary of the Deed of Trust may, from time to time, without notice to or consent of the Guarantors, agree to any amendment, waiver, modification or alteration of the Loan or the Deed of Trust relating to the Borrower and its rights and obligations thereunder (including, without limitation, renewal, waiver or variation of the maturity of the indebtedness pursuant to the Loan, increase or reduction of the rate of interest payable under the Loan, release, substitution or addition of any guarantor or endorser and acceptance of any security for the Loan). The Loan may be extended one or more times without notice to or consent from the Guarantors, and the Guarantors shall remain at all times bound to its obligations under this Guaranty, notwithstanding such extensions.

5. Guarantors' General Waivers. Until the Obligations are paid in full, each Guarantor waives: (a) any defense now existing or hereafter arising based upon any legal disability or other defense of the Borrower, such Guarantor or any other guarantor or other Person (as defined below), or by reason of the cessation or limitation of the liability of the Borrower, such Guarantor or any other guarantor or other Person from any cause other than full payment and performance of all obligations due under the Loan Documents; (b) any defense based upon any lack of authority of the officers, directors, partners or agents acting or purporting to act on behalf of the Borrower or any other Person, or any defect in the formation of the Borrower or any other Person; (c) the unenforceability or invalidity of any security or guarantee or the lack of perfection or continuing perfection, or failure of priority of any security for the obligations guaranteed hereunder; (d) subject to Section 1(a), any and all rights and defenses arising out of an election of remedies by the Lender, even though that election of remedies, such as a nonjudicial foreclosure with respect to security for a guaranteed obligation, has destroyed such Guarantor's rights of subrogation and reimbursement against the principal by the operation of Section 580d of the California Code of Civil Procedure or otherwise (or any other comparable laws of any other State applicable to this Guaranty or the security for the Loan); (e) any defense based upon the Lender's failure to disclose to such Guarantor any information concerning Borrower's or any other Person's financial condition or any other circumstances bearing on the Borrower's or any other Person's ability to pay and perform all obligations due under the Loan or any of the other Loan Documents; (f) any failure by the Lender to give notice to the Borrower, such Guarantor or any other Person of the sale or other disposition of security held for the Loan, and any defect in notice given by the Lender in connection with any such sale or disposition of security held for the Loan; (g) any failure of the Lender to comply with applicable laws in connection with the sale or disposition of security held for the Loan, including, without limitation, any failure by the Lender to conduct a commercially reasonable sale or other disposition of such security; (h) any defense based upon any statute or rule of law which provides that the obligation of a surety must be neither larger in amount nor in any other respects more burdensome than that of a principal, or that reduces a surety's or guarantor's obligations in proportion to the principal's obligation; (i) any use of cash collateral under Section 363 of the Federal Bankruptcy Code; (j) any defense based upon the Lender's election, in any proceeding instituted under the Federal Bankruptcy Code, of the application of Section 1111(b)(2) of the Federal Bankruptcy Code or any successor statute; (k) any defense based upon any borrowing or any grant of a security interest under Section 364 of the Federal Bankruptcy Code; and (l) any defense based upon the application by the Borrower of the proceeds of the Loan for purposes other than the purposes represented by the Borrower to the Lender or intended or understood by

the Lender or such Guarantor. Each Guarantor agrees that the payment and performance of all obligations due under the Loan or any of the other Loan Documents or any part thereof or other act which tolls any statute of limitations applicable to the Loan or the other Loan Documents shall similarly operate to toll the statute of limitations applicable to such Guarantor's liability hereunder. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing or any other provision hereof, and subject to the proviso in Section 1(a), each Guarantor further waives any and all rights and defenses that such Guarantor may have because the Borrower's debt is secured by real property; this means, among other things, that if the Lender forecloses on any real property collateral, including the Property, pledged by the Borrower, then the Lender may collect from such Guarantor in accordance with the terms of this Guaranty even if the Lender, by foreclosing on the real property collateral, has destroyed any right such Guarantor may have to collect from the Borrower. Subject to Section 1(a), the foregoing sentence is an unconditional and irrevocable waiver of any rights and defenses such Guarantor may have because the Borrower's debt is secured by real property. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing or any other provision hereof, until the Obligations are paid in full (and subject to the provisos set forth in Paragraph 6), and subject to the proviso in Section 1(a), each Guarantor expressly waives to the extent permitted by law any and all rights and defenses, including without limitation any rights of subrogation, reimbursement, indemnification and contribution, which might otherwise be available to such Guarantor under California Civil Code Sections 2787 to 2844, inclusive, 2846 to 2855, inclusive, 2899 and 3433 and under California Code of Civil Procedure Sections 580a, 580b, 580d and 726 (or any of such sections), or any other jurisdiction to the extent the same are applicable to this Guaranty or the agreements, covenants or obligations of such Guarantor hereunder (or any other comparable laws of any other State applicable to this Guaranty or the security for the Loan).

6. Waiver of Rights of Subrogation. Subject to Section 1(a), this is a guarantee of payment and not of collection, and the obligations of the Guarantors hereunder shall be in addition to and shall not limit or in any way affect the obligations of the Guarantors under any other existing or future guaranties unless said other guaranties are expressly modified or revoked in writing. Each Guarantor expressly waives any and all rights of subrogation, reimbursement, indemnity, exoneration, contribution or any other claim which such Guarantor may now or hereafter have against the Borrower or any other Person directly or contingently liable for the payment or performance of the Loan or Deed of Trust (including, without limitation, any property collateralizing the Obligations), arising solely from the existence or performance of this Guaranty. Each Guarantor further agrees that it will not enter into any agreement providing, directly or indirectly, for contribution, reimbursement or repayment by the Borrower or any other Person on account of any payment by such Guarantor and further agrees that any such agreement, whether existing or hereafter entered into, would be void. In furtherance, and not in limitation, of the preceding waiver, each Guarantor and the Operating Partnership by their acceptance hereof agree that (i) any payment to the Lender or any Indemnified Party by such Guarantor pursuant to this Guaranty shall be treated as a contribution by such Guarantor to the capital of the Operating Partnership, followed by a contribution by the Operating Partnership to the capital of Borrower, or, if the Operating Partnership owns Borrower through one or more entities, as a contribution by the Operating Partnership to the capital of Borrower through successive contributions through each such entity, and any such payment shall not cause such Guarantor to be a creditor of the Operating Partnership, the Borrower or any partner or affiliate thereof, and (ii) such Guarantor shall not be entitled to, and shall not receive, the return of any such capital contribution or receive any consideration in exchange therefor (including, but not limited to, any distribution from the Operating Partnership with respect to such contribution or interests or units in the Operating Partnership).

7. Indemnification of Other Parties. If, for any reason, (A) the Operating Partnership or any of its partners or affiliates, other than Borrower (each, an “Indemnified Party”), is required to make (i) any payment to the Lender or (ii) any contribution to the Operating Partnership or the Borrower with respect to the portion of the Loan for which a payment pursuant to this Guaranty is required, or (B) the Lender’s ability to make a claim against any Guarantor is reduced solely as a result of the Lender’s concurrent status as an Indemnified Party (collectively, an “Indemnified Party Outlay”), each Guarantor shall absolutely and unconditionally reimburse the Indemnified Party for, or pay to the Lender (as applicable), the lesser of (i) such Guarantor’s Guaranty Percentage of the full amount of such Indemnified Party Outlay or (ii) the maximum amount such Guarantor would have been obligated to pay the Lender under Paragraph 1 hereof had such payment not been made by the Indemnified Party or had such reduction not occurred and provided the conditions set forth in Paragraph 1 hereof triggering such obligations by such Guarantor shall have occurred. Each Guarantor shall reimburse the Indemnified Party, or make a payment to the Lender, as and to the extent required by this Paragraph 7 within 60 days after receiving written notice of an Indemnified Party Outlay from the Indemnified Party. It is intended that each Indemnified Party be a third party beneficiary of the obligations of the Guarantors under this Paragraph 7, and that each Indemnified Party shall have the right to enforce the obligations of the Guarantors hereunder, except as expressly provided in this Guaranty. Any payments to an Indemnified Party or the Lender hereunder shall for all purposes hereunder be treated by each Guarantor and the Operating Partnership as capital contributions by each Guarantor to the Operating Partnership, followed by capital contributions by the Operating Partnership to the Borrower, or, if the Operating Partnership owns Borrower through one or more entities, as a contribution by the Operating Partnership to the capital of Borrower through successive contributions through each such entity, in accordance with the provisions of Paragraph 6 above.

8. Unsecured Obligations. This Guaranty is not secured and shall not be deemed to be secured by any security instrument unless such security instrument expressly recites that it secures this Guaranty. Notwithstanding the foregoing, in no event shall the Deed of Trust secure this Guaranty.

9. Understanding With Respect to Waivers. Each Guarantor warrants and agrees that each of the waivers set forth in this Guaranty are made with such Guarantor’s full knowledge of their significance and consequences, and that under the circumstances the waivers are reasonable and not contrary to public policy or law. If any of said waivers shall hereafter be determined by a court of competent jurisdiction to be contrary to any applicable law or against public policy, such waivers shall be effective only to the maximum extent permitted by law.

10. Rules of Construction. The term “Borrower” as used herein shall include the Borrower and any other Person at any time assuming or otherwise becoming primarily liable for all or any part of the obligations of the Borrower under the Loan or any of the other Loan Documents. The term “Person” as used herein shall include any individual, corporation, partnership, limited liability company, trust or other legal entity of any kind whatsoever. When the context and construction so require, all words used in the singular herein shall be deemed to have been used in the plural and vice versa. All headings appearing in this Guaranty are for convenience only and shall be disregarded in construing this Guaranty.

11. Governing Law. THIS GUARANTY SHALL BE GOVERNED BY, AND CONSTRUED IN ACCORDANCE WITH, THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA, EXCEPT TO THE EXTENT PREEMPTED BY FEDERAL LAWS. EACH GUARANTOR AND ALL PERSONS AND ENTITIES IN ANY MANNER OBLIGATED TO THE LENDER UNDER THIS GUARANTY CONSENT TO THE JURISDICTION OF ANY FEDERAL OR STATE COURT WITHIN THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA AND ALSO CONSENT TO SERVICE OF PROCESS BY ANY MEANS AUTHORIZED BY CALIFORNIA OR FEDERAL LAW (OR THE LAW OF ANY OTHER STATE APPLICABLE TO THIS GUARANTY OR THE SECURITY FOR THE LOAN).

12. Disclosure. The Operating Partnership shall furnish a copy of this Guaranty to the Lender immediately after its execution by the Guarantors.

13. No Assignment. None of the parties shall be entitled to assign their rights or obligations under this Guaranty to any other Person without the written consent of the other parties.

14. Entire Agreement. The Guarantors, the Operating Partnership and, by the Lender's acceptance of the delivery of a copy of this Guaranty pursuant to Paragraph 12, the Lender agree that this Guaranty contains the entire understanding and agreement between them with respect to the subject matter hereof and cannot be amended, modified or superseded, except by an agreement in writing signed by all of such parties in accordance with Paragraph 16.

15. Notices. Any notice given pursuant to this Guaranty shall be in writing and shall be deemed given when delivered personally to the other party, or sent by registered or certified mail, postage prepaid, to the addresses listed below or to such other address with respect to which notice is subsequently provided in the manner set forth above.

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16. Amendments. This Guaranty shall not be modified, amended or (except as expressly provided herein) terminated in a manner which is materially adverse to the Lender, the Borrower or any Indemnified Party without the written consent of such party.

17. Miscellaneous. The provisions of this Guaranty shall bind and benefit, the heirs, executors, administrators, legal representatives, successors and assigns of each Guarantor, the Borrower, the Lender and the Indemnified Parties. If any provision of this Guaranty shall be determined by a court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid, illegal or unenforceable, that portion shall be deemed severed from this Guaranty and the remaining parts shall remain in full force as though the invalid, illegal or unenforceable portion had never been part of this Guaranty.

18. Counterparts. This Guaranty may be executed in counterparts (including by scan or facsimile) with the same effect as if all parties hereto had signed the same document. All such counterparts shall be deemed an original, shall be construed together and shall constitute one and the same instrument.

19. Condition of the Borrower. The Guarantors are not relying in any manner upon any representation or statement of the Lender or any other Person. Each Guarantor hereby represents and warrants that it is not relying upon or expecting the Lender to furnish to it any information now or hereafter in the Lender's possession concerning the same or any other matter. By executing this Guaranty, each Guarantor knowingly accepts the full range of risks encompassed within a contract of this type, which risks it acknowledges. The Guarantors shall have no right to require the Lender to obtain or disclose any information with respect to the Obligations, the financial condition or character of the Property, the Borrower's ability to pay or perform the Obligations, the existence or non-existence of any guaranties of all or any part of the Obligations, any action or non-action on the part of the Lender, the Borrower or any other Person, or any other matter, fact or occurrence whatsoever.

20. Ambiguity. Each Guarantor hereby waives any provision of law (including without limitation California Civil Code section 1654) (or any other comparable laws of any other State applicable to this Guaranty or the security for the Loan) to the effect that an ambiguity in a contract or agreement should be interpreted against the party that drafted the contract or agreement or was responsible for the drafting of the contract or agreement.

[Signature page follows]

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Guarantors have duly authorized and executed this Guaranty as of the date first above written.

GUARANTORS:

BORROWER:

[—], a [—]

By: **Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P.**, a
Maryland limited partnership, its [—]

By: **Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc.**, a Maryland corporation,
its general partner

By: _____
Name:
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OPERATING PARTNERSHIP

Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P., a Maryland limited partnership

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By: _____
Name:
Title:

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Exhibit A

<u>Guarantors</u>	<u>Maximum Liability</u>	<u>Current Guaranty Percentage</u>
Aggregate Maximum Liability		100%

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RECITALS

Pursuant to that certain Loan Agreement dated April 16, 2013, by and among RIF V – Glendale Commerce Center, LLC, a California limited liability company, RIF V – GGC Alcorn, LLC, a California limited liability company, and RIF V – 3360 San Fernando, LLC, a California limited liability company (collectively and individually the "Borrower") and Lender (the "Loan Agreement"), the Lender made a loan to the Borrower in the original maximum principal amount of \$42,750,000 (the "Loan"), which Loan is secured by, among other collateral, that certain Deed of Trust, Assignment, Security Agreement and Fixture Filing dated April 16, 2013 made by RIF V – Glendale Commerce Center, LLC and RIF V – 3360 San Fernando, LLC, together as grantor, to Lender, and that certain Deed of Trust, Assignment, Security Agreement and Fixture Filing dated April 16, 2013 made by RIF V – GGC Alcorn, LLC, to Lender (together the "Deed of Trust"), which grants to Lender a security interest in certain real property (or the leasehold interest therein) located in the City of Los Angeles, State of California, commonly known as 3332, 3334, 3368, 3370, 3378, 3380, 3410, 3429, 3340 and 3360 San Fernando Road and 3550 Tyburn Street and further described in the Deed of Trust and related personal property (the foregoing, collectively, the "Property" and together with any other property securing the Loan, if any, the "Collateral"). The documents which evidence the Loan or the Collateral, including, without limitation, the Deed of Trust, are collectively referred to as the "Loan Documents."

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4. Rights of the Lender. Without in any manner limiting the generality of the foregoing, the Borrower, the Lender, or any subsequent holder of the Loan or beneficiary of the Deed of Trust may, from time to time, without notice to or consent of the Guarantors, agree to any amendment, waiver, modification or alteration of the Loan or the Deed of Trust relating to the Borrower and its rights and obligations thereunder (including, without limitation, renewal, waiver or variation of the maturity of the indebtedness pursuant to the Loan, increase or reduction of the rate of interest payable under the Loan, release, substitution or addition of any guarantor or endorser and acceptance of any security for the Loan). The Loan may be extended one or more times without notice to or consent from the Guarantors, and the Guarantors shall remain at all times bound to its obligations under this Guaranty, notwithstanding such extensions.

5. Guarantors' General Waivers. Until the Obligations are paid in full, each Guarantor waives: (a) any defense now existing or hereafter arising based upon any legal disability or other defense of the Borrower, such Guarantor or any other guarantor or other Person (as defined below), or by reason of the cessation or limitation of the liability of the Borrower, such Guarantor or any other guarantor or other Person from any cause other than full payment and performance of all obligations due under the Loan Documents; (b) any defense based upon any lack of authority of the officers, directors, partners or agents acting or purporting to act on behalf of the Borrower or any other Person, or any defect in the formation of the Borrower or any other Person; (c) the unenforceability or invalidity of any security or guarantee or the lack of perfection or continuing perfection, or failure of priority of any security for the obligations guaranteed hereunder; (d) subject to Section 1(a), any and all rights and defenses arising out of an election of remedies by the Lender, even though that election of remedies, such as a nonjudicial foreclosure with respect to security for a guaranteed obligation, has destroyed such Guarantor's rights of subrogation and reimbursement against the principal by the operation of Section 580d of the California Code of Civil Procedure or otherwise (or any other comparable laws of any other State applicable to this Guaranty or the security for the Loan); (e) any defense based upon the Lender's failure to disclose to such Guarantor any information concerning Borrower's or any other Person's financial condition or any other circumstances bearing on the Borrower's or any other Person's ability to pay and perform all obligations due under the Loan or any of the other Loan Documents; (f) any failure by the Lender to give notice to the Borrower, such Guarantor or any other Person of the sale or other disposition of security held for the Loan, and any defect in notice given by the Lender in connection with any such sale or disposition of security held for the Loan; (g) any failure of the Lender to comply with applicable laws in connection with the sale or disposition of security held for the Loan, including, without limitation, any failure by the Lender to conduct a commercially reasonable sale or other

disposition of such security; (h) any defense based upon any statute or rule of law which provides that the obligation of a surety must be neither larger in amount nor in any other respects more burdensome than that of a principal, or that reduces a surety's or guarantor's obligations in proportion to the principal's obligation; (i) any use of cash collateral under Section 363 of the Federal Bankruptcy Code; (j) any defense based upon the Lender's election, in any proceeding instituted under the Federal Bankruptcy Code, of the application of Section 1111(b)(2) of the Federal Bankruptcy Code or any successor statute; (k) any defense based upon any borrowing or any grant of a security interest under Section 364 of the Federal Bankruptcy Code; and (l) any defense based upon the application by the Borrower of the proceeds of the Loan for purposes other than the purposes represented by the Borrower to the Lender or intended or understood by the Lender or such Guarantor. Each Guarantor agrees that the payment and performance of all obligations due under the Loan or any of the other Loan Documents or any part thereof or other act which tolls any statute of limitations applicable to the Loan or the other Loan Documents shall similarly operate to toll the statute of limitations applicable to such Guarantor's liability hereunder. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing or any other provision hereof, and subject to the proviso in Section 1(a), each Guarantor further waives any and all rights and defenses that such Guarantor may have because the Borrower's debt is secured by real property; this means, among other things, that if the Lender forecloses on any real property collateral, including the Property, pledged by the Borrower, then the Lender may collect from such Guarantor in accordance with the terms of this Guaranty even if the Lender, by foreclosing on the real property collateral, has destroyed any right such Guarantor may have to collect from the Borrower. Subject to Section 1(a), the foregoing sentence is an unconditional and irrevocable waiver of any rights and defenses such Guarantor may have because the Borrower's debt is secured by real property. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing or any other provision hereof, until the Obligations are paid in full (and subject to the provisos set forth in Paragraph 6), and subject to the proviso in Section 1(a), each Guarantor expressly waives to the extent permitted by law any and all rights and defenses, including without limitation any rights of subrogation, reimbursement, indemnification and contribution, which might otherwise be available to such Guarantor under California Civil Code Sections 2787 to 2844, inclusive, 2846 to 2855, inclusive, 2899 and 3433 and under California Code of Civil Procedure Sections 580a, 580b, 580d and 726 (or any of such sections), or any other jurisdiction to the extent the same are applicable to this Guaranty or the agreements, covenants or obligations of such Guarantor hereunder (or any other comparable laws of any other State applicable to this Guaranty or the security for the Loan).

6. Waiver of Rights of Subrogation. Subject to Section 1(a), this is a guarantee of payment and not of collection, and the obligations of the Guarantors hereunder shall be in addition to and shall not limit or in any way affect the obligations of the Guarantors under any other existing or future guaranties unless said other guaranties are expressly modified or revoked in writing. Each Guarantor expressly waives any and all rights of subrogation, reimbursement, indemnity, exoneration, contribution or any other claim which such Guarantor may now or hereafter have against the Borrower or any other Person directly or contingently liable for the payment or performance of the Loan or Deed of Trust (including, without limitation, any property collateralizing the Obligations), arising solely from the existence or performance of this Guaranty. Each Guarantor further agrees that it will not enter into any agreement providing, directly or indirectly, for contribution, reimbursement or repayment by the Borrower or any other Person on account of any payment by such Guarantor and further agrees that any such

agreement, whether existing or hereafter entered into, would be void. In furtherance, and not in limitation, of the preceding waiver, each Guarantor and the Operating Partnership by their acceptance hereof agree that (i) any payment to the Lender or any Indemnified Party by such Guarantor pursuant to this Guaranty shall be treated as a contribution by such Guarantor to the capital of the Operating Partnership, followed by a contribution by the Operating Partnership to the capital of Borrower, or, if the Operating Partnership owns Borrower through one or more entities, as a contribution by the Operating Partnership to the capital of Borrower through successive contributions through each such entity, and any such payment shall not cause such Guarantor to be a creditor of the Operating Partnership, the Borrower or any partner or affiliate thereof, and (ii) such Guarantor shall not be entitled to, and shall not receive, the return of any such capital contribution or receive any consideration in exchange therefor (including, but not limited to, any distribution from the Operating Partnership with respect to such contribution or interests or units in the Operating Partnership).

7. Indemnification of Other Parties. If, for any reason, (A) the Operating Partnership or any of its partners or affiliates, other than Borrower (each, an “Indemnified Party”), is required to make (i) any payment to the Lender or (ii) any contribution to the Operating Partnership or the Borrower with respect to the portion of the Loan for which a payment pursuant to this Guaranty is required, or (B) the Lender’s ability to make a claim against any Guarantor is reduced solely as a result of the Lender’s concurrent status as an Indemnified Party (collectively, an “Indemnified Party Outlay”), each Guarantor shall absolutely and unconditionally reimburse the Indemnified Party for, or pay to the Lender (as applicable), the lesser of (i) such Guarantor’s Guaranty Percentage of the full amount of such Indemnified Party Outlay or (ii) the maximum amount such Guarantor would have been obligated to pay the Lender under Paragraph 1 hereof had such payment not been made by the Indemnified Party or had such reduction not occurred and provided the conditions set forth in Paragraph 1 hereof triggering such obligations by such Guarantor shall have occurred. Each Guarantor shall reimburse the Indemnified Party, or make a payment to the Lender, as and to the extent required by this Paragraph 7 within 60 days after receiving written notice of an Indemnified Party Outlay from the Indemnified Party. It is intended that each Indemnified Party be a third party beneficiary of the obligations of the Guarantors under this Paragraph 7, and that each Indemnified Party shall have the right to enforce the obligations of the Guarantors hereunder, except as expressly provided in this Guaranty. Any payments to an Indemnified Party or the Lender hereunder shall for all purposes hereunder be treated by each Guarantor and the Operating Partnership as capital contributions by each Guarantor to the Operating Partnership, followed by capital contributions by the Operating Partnership to the Borrower, or, if the Operating Partnership owns Borrower through one or more entities, as a contribution by the Operating Partnership to the capital of Borrower through successive contributions through each such entity, in accordance with the provisions of Paragraph 6 above.

8. Unsecured Obligations. This Guaranty is not secured and shall not be deemed to be secured by any security instrument unless such security instrument expressly recites that it secures this Guaranty. Notwithstanding the foregoing, in no event shall the Deed of Trust secure this Guaranty.

9. Understanding With Respect to Waivers. Each Guarantor warrants and agrees that each of the waivers set forth in this Guaranty are made with such Guarantor's full knowledge of their significance and consequences, and that under the circumstances the waivers are reasonable and not contrary to public policy or law. If any of said waivers shall hereafter be determined by a court of competent jurisdiction to be contrary to any applicable law or against public policy, such waivers shall be effective only to the maximum extent permitted by law.

10. Rules of Construction. The term "Borrower" as used herein shall include the Borrower and any other Person at any time assuming or otherwise becoming primarily liable for all or any part of the obligations of the Borrower under the Loan or any of the other Loan Documents. The term "Person" as used herein shall include any individual, corporation, partnership, limited liability company, trust or other legal entity of any kind whatsoever. When the context and construction so require, all words used in the singular herein shall be deemed to have been used in the plural and vice versa. All headings appearing in this Guaranty are for convenience only and shall be disregarded in construing this Guaranty.

11. Governing Law. THIS GUARANTY SHALL BE GOVERNED BY, AND CONSTRUED IN ACCORDANCE WITH, THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA, EXCEPT TO THE EXTENT PREEMPTED BY FEDERAL LAWS. EACH GUARANTOR AND ALL PERSONS AND ENTITIES IN ANY MANNER OBLIGATED TO THE LENDER UNDER THIS GUARANTY CONSENT TO THE JURISDICTION OF ANY FEDERAL OR STATE COURT WITHIN THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA AND ALSO CONSENT TO SERVICE OF PROCESS BY ANY MEANS AUTHORIZED BY CALIFORNIA OR FEDERAL LAW (OR THE LAW OF ANY OTHER STATE APPLICABLE TO THIS GUARANTY OR THE SECURITY FOR THE LOAN).

12. Disclosure. The Operating Partnership shall furnish a copy of this Guaranty to the Lender immediately after its execution by the Guarantors.

13. No Assignment. None of the parties shall be entitled to assign their rights or obligations under this Guaranty to any other Person without the written consent of the other parties.

14. Entire Agreement. The Guarantors, the Operating Partnership and, by the Lender's acceptance of the delivery of a copy of this Guaranty pursuant to Paragraph 12, the Lender agree that this Guaranty contains the entire understanding and agreement between them with respect to the subject matter hereof and cannot be amended, modified or superseded, except by an agreement in writing signed by all of such parties in accordance with Paragraph 16.

15. Notices. Any notice given pursuant to this Guaranty shall be in writing and shall be deemed given when delivered personally to the other party, or sent by registered or certified mail, postage prepaid, to the addresses listed below or to such other address with respect to which notice is subsequently provided in the manner set forth above.

if to the Operating Partnership, to:

Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P.
11620 Wilshire Boulevard, Suite 300
Los Angeles, CA 90025
Facsimile: (310) 966-1690
Attention: Howard Schwimmer and Michael S. Frankel

if to a Guarantor, to:

Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc.
11620 Wilshire Boulevard, Suite 300
Los Angeles, CA 90025
Facsimile: (310) 966-1690
Attention: Howard Schwimmer and Michael S. Frankel

16. Amendments. This Guaranty shall not be modified, amended or (except as expressly provided herein) terminated in a manner which is materially adverse to the Lender, the Borrower or any Indemnified Party without the written consent of such party.

17. Miscellaneous. The provisions of this Guaranty shall bind and benefit, the heirs, executors, administrators, legal representatives, successors and assigns of each Guarantor, the Borrower, the Lender and the Indemnified Parties. If any provision of this Guaranty shall be determined by a court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid, illegal or unenforceable, that portion shall be deemed severed from this Guaranty and the remaining parts shall remain in full force as though the invalid, illegal or unenforceable portion had never been part of this Guaranty.

18. Counterparts. This Guaranty may be executed in counterparts (including by scan or facsimile) with the same effect as if all parties hereto had signed the same document. All such counterparts shall be deemed an original, shall be construed together and shall constitute one and the same instrument.

19. Condition of the Borrower. The Guarantors are not relying in any manner upon any representation or statement of the Lender or any other Person. Each Guarantor hereby represents and warrants that it is not relying upon or expecting the Lender to furnish to it any information now or hereafter in the Lender's possession concerning the same or any other matter. By executing this Guaranty, each Guarantor knowingly accepts the full range of risks encompassed within a contract of this type, which risks it acknowledges. The Guarantors shall have no right to require the Lender to obtain or disclose any information with respect to the Obligations, the financial condition or character of the Property, the Borrower's ability to pay or perform the Obligations, the existence or non-existence of any guaranties of all or any part of the Obligations, any action or non-action on the part of the Lender, the Borrower or any other Person, or any other matter, fact or occurrence whatsoever.

20. Ambiguity. Each Guarantor hereby waives any provision of law (including without limitation California Civil Code section 1654) (or any other comparable laws of any other State applicable to this Guaranty or the security for the Loan) to the effect that an ambiguity in a contract or agreement should be interpreted against the party that drafted the contract or agreement or was responsible for the drafting of the contract or agreement.

[Signature page follows]

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Guarantors have duly authorized and executed this Guaranty as of the date first above written.

GUARANTORS:

Guarantors listed in Exhibit A hereto

By: **Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P.**, a Maryland limited partnership, as Attorney-in-Fact acting on behalf of each of the Guarantors named in Exhibit A hereto

By: **Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc.**, a Maryland corporation, its general partner

By: /s/ Howard Schwimmer

Name: Howard Schwimmer

Title: Co-Chief Executive Officer

By: /s/ Michael Frankel

Name: Michael S. Frankel

Title: Co-Chief Executive Officer

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BORROWER:

RIF V – Glendale Commerce Center, LLC,
a California limited liability company

RIF V – GGC Alcorn, LLC,
a California limited liability company

RIF V – 3360 San Fernando, LLC,
a California limited liability company

By: **Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P.**, a Maryland limited partnership, its sole member and manager

By: **Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc.**, a Maryland corporation, its general partner

By: /s/ Howard Schwimmer
Name: Howard Schwimmer
Title: Co-Chief Executive Officer

By: /s/ Michael Frankel
Name: Michael S. Frankel
Title: Co-Chief Executive Officer

OPERATING PARTNERSHIP

Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P., a Maryland limited partnership

By: **Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc.**, a Maryland corporation, its general partner

By: /s/ Howard Schwimmer
Name: Howard Schwimmer
Title: Co-Chief Executive Officer

By: /s/ Michael Frankel
Name: Michael S. Frankel
Title: Co-Chief Executive Officer

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Exhibit A

Guarantors	Maximum Liability	Current Guaranty Percentage
Guarantor 1	\$ 39,110	0.214%
Guarantor 2	\$ 39,108	0.214%
Guarantor 3	\$ 17,066	0.094%
Guarantor 4	\$ 6,534,722	35.823%
Guarantor 5	\$ 58,662	0.322%
Guarantor 6	\$ 27,881	0.153%
Guarantor 7	\$ 117,314	0.643%
Guarantor 8	\$ 22,646	0.124%
Guarantor 9	\$ 30,474	0.167%
Guarantor 10	\$ 39,113	0.214%
Guarantor 11	\$ 3,169	0.017%
Guarantor 12	\$ 686	0.004%
Guarantor 13	\$ 3,466,580	19.004%
Guarantor 14	\$ 3,146	0.017%
Guarantor 15	\$ 61,089	0.335%
Guarantor 16	\$ 19,560	0.107%
Guarantor 17	\$ 78,209	0.429%
Guarantor 18	\$ 30,217	0.166%
Guarantor 19	\$ 195,541	1.072%
Guarantor 20	\$ 87,991	0.482%
Guarantor 21	\$ 39,109	0.214%
Guarantor 22	\$ 6,743,465	36.968%
Guarantor 23	\$ 195,532	1.072%
Guarantor 24	\$ 391,064	2.144%
Aggregate Maximum Liability	\$18,241,454	100%

EMPLOYMENT AGREEMENT

THIS EMPLOYMENT AGREEMENT (this “*Agreement*”), dated as of July 24, 2013, is entered into by and between Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc., a Maryland corporation (the “*REIT*”), Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P., a Maryland limited partnership (the “*Operating Partnership*”) and Michael S. Frankel (the “*Executive*”).

WHEREAS, the REIT and the Operating Partnership (collectively, the “*Company*”) desire to employ the Executive and to enter into an agreement embodying the terms of such employment; and

WHEREAS, the Executive desires to accept employment with the Company, subject to the terms and conditions of this Agreement.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY AGREED AS FOLLOWS:

1. Employment Period. Subject to the provisions for earlier termination hereinafter provided, the Executive’s employment hereunder shall be for a term (the “*Employment Period*”) commencing on the closing of the initial public offering of shares of the REIT’s common stock (the “*Effective Date*”) and ending on the fourth anniversary of the Effective Date (the “*Initial Termination Date*”). If not previously terminated, the Employment Period shall automatically be extended for one (1) additional year on the Initial Termination Date and on each subsequent anniversary of the Initial Termination Date (each such extension, a “*Renewal Term*”), unless either party elects not to so extend the Employment Period by notifying the other party, in writing, of such election (a “*Non-Renewal*”) at least sixty (60) days prior to the last day of the then-current Employment Period. The Executive’s employment hereunder is terminable at will by the Company or by the Executive at any time (for any reason or for no reason), subject to the provisions of Section 4 hereof.

2. Terms of Employment.

(a) Position and Duties.

(i) Role and Responsibilities. During the Employment Period, the Executive shall serve as co-Chief Executive Officer of the REIT and the Operating Partnership, and shall perform such employment duties as are usual and customary for such positions. The Executive shall report directly to the Board of Directors of the REIT (the “*Board*”). In addition, during the Employment Period, the Company shall cause the Executive to be nominated to stand for election to the Board at any meeting of stockholders of the REIT during which any such election is held and the Executive’s term as director will expire if he is not reelected; provided, however, that the Company shall not be obligated to cause such nomination if any of the events constituting Cause (as defined below) have occurred and not been cured. Provided that the Executive is so nominated and is elected to the Board, the Executive hereby agrees to serve as a member of the Board. At the Company’s request, the Executive shall serve the Company and/or its subsidiaries and affiliates in other capacities in addition to the foregoing, consistent

with the Executive's position as co-Chief Executive Officer of the Company. In the event that the Executive, during the Employment Period, serves in any one or more of such additional capacities, the Executive's compensation shall not be increased beyond that specified in Section 2(b) hereof. In addition, in the event the Executive's service in one or more of such additional capacities is terminated, the Executive's compensation, as specified in Section 2(b) hereof, shall not be diminished or reduced in any manner as a result of such termination provided that the Executive otherwise remains employed under the terms of this Agreement.

(ii) Exclusivity. During the Employment Period, and excluding any periods of vacation and sick leave to which the Executive may be entitled, the Executive agrees to devote his full business time and attention to the business and affairs of the Company. Notwithstanding the foregoing, during the Employment Period, it shall not be a violation of this Agreement for the Executive to: (A) serve on boards, committees or similar bodies of charitable or nonprofit organizations, (B) fulfill limited teaching, speaking and writing engagements, and (C) manage his personal investments, in each case, so long as such activities do not individually or in the aggregate materially interfere or conflict with the performance of the Executive's duties and responsibilities under this Agreement.

(iii) Principal Location. During the Employment Period, the Executive shall perform the services required by this Agreement at the Company's principal offices located in Los Angeles, California (the "**Principal Location**"), except for travel to other locations as may be necessary to fulfill the Executive's duties and responsibilities hereunder.

(b) Compensation, Benefits, Etc.

(i) Base Salary. During the Employment Period, the Executive shall receive a base salary (the "**Base Salary**") of \$495,000 per annum. The Base Salary shall be reviewed annually by the Compensation Committee of the Board (the "**Compensation Committee**") and may be increased from time to time by the Compensation Committee in its sole discretion. The Base Salary shall be paid in accordance with the Company's normal payroll practices for executive salaries generally, but no less often than monthly. The Base Salary may be increased in the Compensation Committee's discretion, but not reduced, and the term "Base Salary" as utilized in this Agreement shall refer to the Base Salary as so increased.

(ii) Annual Cash Bonus. In addition to the Base Salary, the Executive shall be eligible to earn, for each fiscal year of the Company ending during the Employment Period, a discretionary cash performance bonus (an "**Annual Bonus**") under the Company's bonus plan or program applicable to senior executives. The Executive's target Annual Bonus shall be set at one hundred percent (100%) of the Base Salary in effect for the relevant year (the "**Target Bonus**"). The actual amount of any Annual Bonus shall be determined by reference to the attainment of Company performance metrics and/or individual performance objectives, in each case, as determined by the Compensation Committee. Payment of any Annual Bonus(es), to the extent any Annual Bonus(es) become payable, will be contingent upon the Executive's continued employment through the applicable payment date, which shall occur on the date on which annual bonuses are paid generally to the Company's senior executives.

(iii) Equity Compensation.

(A) Subject to the adoption by the Board and approval by the REIT's stockholders of the Company's 2013 Incentive Award Plan (the "**Plan**"), on or as soon as practicable following the date of the closing of the REIT's initial public offering (the "**Offering Date**"), the Company shall issue to the Executive an award of Restricted Stock (as defined in the Plan) with respect to the number of shares of the REIT's common stock equal to the quotient obtained by dividing (x) \$4,000,000 by (y) the initial public offering price of a share of the REIT's common stock (the "**Restricted Stock Award**"). Subject to the Executive's continued service with the Company through the applicable vesting date, 25% of the Restricted Stock Award shall vest and become nonforfeitable on each of the first, second, third and fourth anniversaries of the Offering Date. The terms and conditions of the Restricted Stock Award shall be set forth in a separate award agreement in a form prescribed by the Company (the "**Restricted Stock Award Agreement**"), to be entered into by the Company and the Executive, which shall evidence the grant of the Restricted Stock Award.

(B) In addition, in calendar year 2014 and each calendar year of the Company during the Employment Period after 2014, the Executive shall be eligible to receive an annual equity award pursuant to the Plan or an applicable successor incentive award plan, to be determined, in all events, by the Committee in its sole discretion.

(iv) Benefits. During the Employment Period, the Executive (and the Executive's spouse and/or eligible dependents to the extent provided in the applicable plans and programs) shall be eligible to participate in and be covered under the health and welfare benefit plans and programs maintained by the Company for the benefit of its senior executive officers from time to time, pursuant to the terms of such plans and programs including any medical, life, hospitalization, dental, disability, accidental death and dismemberment and travel accident insurance plans and programs. During the Employment Period, the Company shall provide the Executive and the Executive's eligible dependents, at the Company's sole expense, with coverage under its group health plans; provided, however, that the Company shall determine, in its sole discretion, whether such coverage shall be paid for by the Company (in excess of subsidies provided generally to plan participants) if such payments by the Company would result in penalties assessed against the Company or the Executive under applicable law (including without limitation, pursuant to Section 2716 of the Public Health Service Act) and/or the imposition of taxes on benefits payable under such group health plan(s). In addition, during the Employment Period, Executive shall be eligible to participate in any retirement, savings and other employee benefit plans and programs maintained from time to time by the Company for the benefit of its senior executive officers. Nothing contained in this Section 2(b)(iv) shall create or be deemed to create any obligation on the part of the Company to adopt or maintain any health, welfare, retirement or other benefit plan or program at any time or to create any limitation on the Company's ability to modify or terminate any such plan or program.

(vi) Expenses. During the Employment Period, the Executive shall be entitled to receive prompt reimbursement for all reasonable business expenses incurred by the Executive in accordance with the policies, practices and procedures of the Company provided to senior executives of the Company.

(vii) Fringe Benefits. During the Employment Period, the Executive shall be eligible to receive such fringe benefits and perquisites as are provided by the Company to its senior executives from time to time, in accordance with the policies, practices and procedures of the Company, and shall receive such additional fringe benefits and perquisites as the Company may, in its discretion, from time-to-time provide.

(viii) Vacation. During the Employment Period, the Executive shall be entitled to paid vacation in accordance with the plans, policies, programs and practices of the Company applicable to its senior executives, but in no event shall the Executive accrue less than four (4) weeks of vacation per calendar year (pro-rated for any partial year of service); provided, however, that the Executive shall not accrue any vacation time in excess of four (4) weeks (twenty (20) days) (the "**Accrual Limit**"), and shall cease accruing vacation time if the Executive's accrued vacation reaches the Accrual Limit until such time as the Executive's accrued vacation time drops below the Accrual Limit.

3. Termination of Employment.

(a) Death or Disability. The Executive's employment shall terminate automatically upon the Executive's death during the Employment Period. Either the Company or the Executive may terminate the Executive's employment in the event of the Executive's Disability during the Employment Period. For purposes of this Agreement, "**Disability**" shall mean that the Executive has become entitled to receive benefits under an applicable Company long-term disability plan or, if no such plan covers the Executive, Disability shall mean the absence of the Executive from the Executive's duties with the Company on a full-time basis for ninety (90) consecutive days or for a total of one hundred eighty (180) days in any twelve (12)-month period, in either case as a result of incapacity due to mental or physical illness which is determined to be total and permanent by a physician selected by the Company or its insurers and reasonably acceptable to the Executive or the Executive's legal representative.

(b) Termination by the Company. The Company may terminate the Executive's employment during the Employment Period for Cause or without Cause. For purposes of this Agreement, "**Cause**" shall mean the occurrence of any one or more of the following events unless, to the extent capable of correction, the Executive fully corrects the circumstances constituting Cause within fifteen (15) days after receipt of the Notice of Termination (as defined below):

(i) the Executive's gross misconduct in connection with the performance of his duties with the Company (other than any such failure resulting from the Executive's incapacity due to physical or mental illness or any such actual or anticipated failure after his issuance of a Notice of Termination for Good Reason), after a written demand for performance is delivered to the Executive by the Board, which demand specifically identifies the manner in which the Board believes that the Executive has not performed his duties;

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- (ii) the Executive's commission of an act of fraud or material dishonesty resulting in reputational, economic or financial injury to the Company;
 - (iii) the Executive's commission of, including any entry by the Executive of a guilty or no contest plea to, a felony or other crime involving moral turpitude;
 - (iv) a material breach by the Executive of his fiduciary duty to the Company which results in reputational, economic or other injury to the Company; or
 - (v) the Executive's material breach of the Executive's obligations under a written agreement between the Company and the Executive, including without limitation, such a breach of this Agreement.

(c) Termination by the Executive. The Executive's employment may be terminated by the Executive for any reason, including with Good Reason or by the Executive without Good Reason. For purposes of this Agreement, "**Good Reason**" shall mean the occurrence of any one or more of the following events without the Executive's prior written consent, unless the Company fully corrects the circumstances constituting Good Reason (provided such circumstances are capable of correction) as provided below:

- (i) a material diminution in Executive's position (including status, offices, titles and reporting requirements), authority, duties or responsibilities as contemplated by Section 2(a) hereof, excluding for this purpose any isolated, insubstantial or inadvertent actions not taken in bad faith and which are remedied by the Company promptly after receipt of notice thereof given by the Executive;
- (ii) the Company's material reduction of the Executive's Base Salary, as the same may be increased from time to time;
- (iii) a material change in the geographic location of the Principal Location which shall, in any event, include only a relocation of the Principal Location by more than twenty-five (25) miles from its existing location;
- (iv) the Company's material breach of this Agreement.

Notwithstanding the foregoing, the Executive will not be deemed to have resigned for Good Reason unless (1) the Executive provides the Company with written notice setting forth in reasonable detail the facts and circumstances claimed by the Executive to constitute Good Reason within sixty (60) days after the date of the occurrence of any event that the Executive knows or should reasonably have known to constitute Good Reason, (2) the Company fails to cure such acts or omissions within thirty (30) days following its receipt of such notice, and (3) the effective date of the Executive's termination for Good Reason occurs no later than sixty (60) days after the expiration of the Company's cure period.

(d) Notice of Termination. Any termination by the Company for Cause, or by the Executive for Good Reason, shall be communicated by a Notice of Termination to the other parties hereto given in accordance with Section 12(b) hereof. For purposes of this Agreement, a “**Notice of Termination**” means a written notice which (i) indicates the specific termination provision in this Agreement relied upon, (ii) sets forth in reasonable detail the facts and circumstances claimed to provide a basis for termination of the Executive’s employment under the provision so indicated and (iii) if the Date of Termination (as defined below) is other than the date of receipt of such notice, specifies the termination date (which date shall be not more than thirty (30) days after the giving of such notice). The failure by the Executive or the Company to set forth in the Notice of Termination any fact or circumstance which contributes to a showing of Good Reason or Cause shall not waive any right of the Executive or the Company, respectively, hereunder or preclude the Executive or the Company, respectively, from asserting such fact or circumstance in enforcing the Executive’s or the Company’s rights hereunder.

(e) Termination of Offices and Directorships; Return of Property. Upon termination of the Executive’s employment for any reason, unless otherwise specified in a written agreement between the Executive and the Company, the Executive shall be deemed to have resigned from all offices, directorships, and other employment positions if any, then held with the Company, and shall take all actions reasonably requested by the Company to effectuate the foregoing. In addition, upon the termination of the Executive’s employment for any reason, the Executive agrees to return to the Company all documents of the Company and its affiliates (and all copies thereof) and all other Company or Company affiliate property that the Executive has in his possession, custody or control. Such property includes, without limitation: (i) any materials of any kind that the Executive knows contain or embody any proprietary or confidential information of the Company or an affiliate of the Company (and all reproductions thereof), (ii) computers (including, but not limited to, laptop computers, desktop computers and similar devices) and other portable electronic devices (including, but not limited to, tablet computers), cellular phones/smartphones, credit cards, phone cards, entry cards, identification badges and keys, and (iii) any correspondence, drawings, manuals, letters, notes, notebooks, reports, programs, plans, proposals, financial documents, or any other documents concerning the customers, business plans, marketing strategies, products and/or processes of the Company or any of its affiliates and any information received from the Company or any of its affiliates regarding third parties.

4. Obligations of the Company upon Termination. Upon a termination of the Executive’s employment for any reason, the Executive shall be paid, in a single lump-sum payment on the date of the Executive’s termination of employment, the aggregate amount of the Executive’s earned but unpaid Base Salary and accrued but unpaid vacation pay through the date of such termination (the “**Accrued Obligations**”).

(a) Without Cause, For Good Reason or Company Non-Renewal. If the Executive’s employment with the Company is terminated (x) by the Company without Cause (other than by reason of the Executive’s Disability), (y) by the Executive for Good Reason or (z) by reason of a Non-Renewal of the Employment Period by the Company and the Executive is willing and able, at the time of such Non-Renewal, to continue performing services on the terms and conditions set forth herein during the Renewal Term (in any case, a “**Qualifying Termination**”), then following the Executive’s Separation from Service (as defined below) (such date, the “**Date of Termination**”), in each case, subject to and conditioned upon compliance with Section 4(d) hereof, in addition to the Accrued Obligations:

(i) *Cash Severance.*

(A) The Executive shall be paid, in a single lump-sum payment on the sixtieth (60th) day after the Date of Termination, an amount equal to three (3) times the sum of (x) the Base Salary in effect on the Date of Termination, plus (y) the average Annual Bonus earned by the Executive for the three (3) Company fiscal years ending during the Employment Period and immediately preceding the Company fiscal year in which such termination occurs (regardless of whether such amount was paid out on a current basis or deferred), plus (z) the average Equity Award Value (as defined below) of any Annual Grant (as defined below) made to the Executive by the Company during the prior three (3) fiscal years during the Employment Period. For the avoidance of doubt, for purposes of this Section 4(a)(i)(A), “Annual Bonus” shall include any portion of the Executive’s Annual Bonus received in the form of equity rather than cash.

(B) For purposes of Section 4(a)(i)(A)(y) hereof, in the event that the Date of Termination occurs prior to the end of the completion of three (3) Company fiscal years during the Employment Period, then the amount in Section 4(a)(i)(A)(y) hereof shall be determined by using the Executive’s Target Bonus for any such fiscal years not yet elapsed, together with Annual Bonus(es) actually earned by the Executive for fiscal years elapsed during the Employment Period (if any), annualized for any such partial fiscal year.

(C) For purposes of Section 4(a)(i)(A)(z) hereof, in the event that the Date of Termination occurs prior to the end of the completion of the first three (3) full fiscal years of the Company during the Employment Period, then the amount in Section 4(a)(i)(A)(z) hereof shall be determined based on the average Equity Award Value of Annual Grants made to the Executive during the Employment Period prior to the Date of Termination (if any).

(D) For purposes of this Agreement, “**Equity Award Value**” shall mean (x) with respect to Stock Options and Stock Appreciation Rights (each as defined in the Plan), the grant date fair value, as computed in accordance with FASB Accounting Standards Codification Topic 718, *Compensation — Stock Compensation* (or any successor accounting standard), and (y) with respect to Awards (as defined in the Plan) other than Stock Options and Stock Appreciation Rights (and excluding cash Awards under the Plan), the product of (1) the number of shares or units subject to such Award, times (2) the “fair market value” of a share of the REIT’s common stock on the date of grant as determined under the Plan. For purposes of this Agreement, “**Annual Grant**” shall mean the grant of an equity-based Award that constitutes a component of a given year’s annual compensation package and shall not include any isolated, one-off or non-recurring grant outside of the Executive’s annual compensation package, such as (but not limited to) the Restricted Stock Award granted pursuant to Section 2(b)(iii) hereof, an initial hiring Award, a retention Award, an Award that relates to multi-year or other long-term performance, an outperformance Award or other similar award, in any event, as determined by the Company in its sole discretion.

(ii) *Prior Year Bonus; Pro Rata Bonus.* The Executive shall be paid, in a single lump-sum payment on the sixtieth (60th) day after the Date of Termination, (A) any Annual Bonus relating to the year immediately preceding the year in which the Date of Termination occurs that remains unpaid on the Date of Termination (if any), and (B) a pro rata portion of the Executive's Target Bonus for the partial fiscal year in which the Date of Termination occurs (prorated based on the number of days in the fiscal year in which the Date of Termination occurs through the Date of Termination).

(iii) *Equity Award Acceleration.* All outstanding equity awards held by the Executive on the Date of Termination shall immediately become fully vested and, to the extent applicable, exercisable. For the avoidance of doubt, all such equity awards shall remain outstanding and eligible to vest following the Date of Termination and shall actually vest and become exercisable (if applicable) and non-forfeitable upon the effectiveness of the Release.

(iv) *COBRA.* During the period commencing on the Date of Termination and ending on the eighteen (18)-month anniversary of the Date of Termination (the "*COBRA Period*"), subject to the Executive's valid election to continue healthcare coverage under Section 4980B of the Internal Revenue Code and the regulations thereunder (together, the "*Code*"), the Company shall continue to provide the Executive and the Executive's eligible dependants with coverage under its group health plans at the same levels and the same cost to the Executive as would have applied if the Executive's employment had not been terminated based on the Executive's elections in effect on the Date of Termination, provided, however, that (A) if any plan pursuant to which such benefits are provided is not, or ceases prior to the expiration of the period of continuation coverage to be, exempt from the application of Section 409A (as defined below) under Treasury Regulation Section 1.409A-1(a)(5), or (B) the Company is otherwise unable to continue to cover the Executive under its group health plans without incurring penalties (including without limitation, pursuant to Section 2716 of the Public Health Service Act), then, in either case, an amount equal to each remaining Company subsidy shall thereafter be paid to the Executive in substantially equal monthly installments over the continuation coverage period (or the remaining portion thereof).

Notwithstanding the foregoing, it shall be a condition to the Executive's (or the Executive's estate's or beneficiaries', if applicable) right to receive the amounts provided for in Sections 4(a)(i), 4(a)(ii), 4(a)(iii) and 4(a)(iv) hereof that the Executive (or the Executive's estate or beneficiaries, if applicable) execute and deliver to the Company an effective release of claims in substantially the form attached hereto as Exhibit A (the "*Release*") within twenty-one (21) days (or, to the extent required by law, forty-five (45) days) following the Date of Termination and that Executive (or the Executive's estate or beneficiaries, if applicable) not revoke such Release during any applicable revocation period.

(b) Death or Disability. Subject to Section 4(d) hereof, if the Executive incurs a Separation from Service by reason of the Executive's death or Disability during the Employment Period, in addition to the Accrued Obligations, all outstanding equity awards held by the Executive on the Date of Termination shall immediately become fully vested and, as applicable, exercisable.

(c) For Cause, Without Good Reason or Other Terminations. If the Company terminates the Executive's employment for Cause, the Executive terminates the Executive's employment without Good Reason, or the Executive's employment terminates for any other reason not enumerated in Sections 4(a) or 4(b) hereof, in any case, during the Employment Period, the Company shall pay to the Executive the Accrued Obligations in cash within thirty (30) days after the Date of Termination (or by such earlier date as may be required by applicable law), and the Executive shall have no further rights hereunder.

(d) Six-Month Delay. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this Agreement, no compensation or benefits, including without limitation any severance payments or benefits payable under Section 4 hereof, shall be paid to the Executive during the six (6)-month period following the Executive's "separation from service" from the Company (within the meaning of Section 409A, a "**Separation from Service**") if the Company determines that paying such amounts at the time or times indicated in this Agreement would be a prohibited distribution under Section 409A(a)(2)(B)(i) of the Code. If the payment of any such amounts is delayed as a result of the previous sentence, then on the first day of the seventh month following the date of Separation from Service (or such earlier date upon which such amount can be paid under Section 409A without resulting in a prohibited distribution, including as a result of the Executive's death), the Company shall pay the Executive a lump-sum amount equal to the cumulative amount that would have otherwise been payable to the Executive during such period.

(e) Exclusive Benefits. Except as expressly provided in this Section 4 and subject to Section 6 hereof, the Executive shall not be entitled to any additional payments or benefits upon or in connection with the Executive's termination of employment.

5. Change in Control. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in this Agreement, in the event of a Change in Control (as defined in the Plan), all outstanding Company equity awards held by the Executive as of such date shall immediately become fully vested and, as applicable, exercisable.

6. Non-Exclusivity of Rights. Amounts which are vested benefits or which the Executive is otherwise entitled to receive under any plan, policy, practice or program of or any contract or agreement with the Company at or subsequent to the Date of Termination shall be payable in accordance with such plan, policy, practice or program or contract or agreement except as explicitly modified by this Agreement.

7. Excess Parachute Payments, Limitation on Payments.

(a) Best Pay Cap. Notwithstanding any other provision of this Agreement, in the event that any payment or benefit received or to be received by the Executive (including any payment or benefit received in connection with a termination of the Executive's employment, whether pursuant to the terms of this Agreement or any other plan, arrangement or agreement) (all such payments and benefits, including the payments and benefits under Section 4 hereof, being hereinafter referred to as the "**Total Payments**") would be subject (in whole or part), to the excise tax imposed under Section 4999 of the Code (the "**Excise Tax**"), then, after taking into account any reduction in the Total Payments provided by reason of Section 280G of the Code in such other plan, arrangement or agreement, the cash severance payments under this Agreement shall first be reduced, and the noncash severance payments hereunder shall thereafter be reduced,

to the extent necessary so that no portion of the Total Payments is subject to the Excise Tax but only if (i) the net amount of such Total Payments, as so reduced (and after subtracting the net amount of federal, state and local income taxes on such reduced Total Payments and after taking into account the phase out of itemized deductions and personal exemptions attributable to such reduced Total Payments) is greater than or equal to (ii) the net amount of such Total Payments without such reduction (but after subtracting the net amount of federal, state and local income taxes on such Total Payments and the amount of Excise Tax to which the Executive would be subject in respect of such unreduced Total Payments and after taking into account the phase out of itemized deductions and personal exemptions attributable to such unreduced Total Payments).

(b) Certain Exclusions. For purposes of determining whether and the extent to which the Total Payments will be subject to the Excise Tax, (i) no portion of the Total Payments the receipt or enjoyment of which the Executive shall have waived at such time and in such manner as not to constitute a “payment” within the meaning of Section 280G(b) of the Code shall be taken into account; (ii) no portion of the Total Payments shall be taken into account which, in the written opinion of an independent, nationally recognized accounting firm (the “*Independent Advisors*”) selected by the Company, does not constitute a “parachute payment” within the meaning of Section 280G(b)(2) of the Code (including by reason of Section 280G(b)(4)(A) of the Code) and, in calculating the Excise Tax, no portion of such Total Payments shall be taken into account which, in the opinion of Independent Advisors, constitutes reasonable compensation for services actually rendered, within the meaning of Section 280G(b)(4)(B) of the Code, in excess of the “base amount” (as defined in Section 280G(b)(3) of the Code) allocable to such reasonable compensation; and (iii) the value of any non cash benefit or any deferred payment or benefit included in the Total Payments shall be determined by the Independent Advisors in accordance with the principles of Sections 280G(d)(3) and (4) of the Code.

8. Confidential Information and Non-Solicitation

(a) The Executive shall hold in a fiduciary capacity for the benefit of the Company all secret or confidential information, knowledge or data relating to the Company and its subsidiaries and affiliates, which shall have been obtained by the Executive in connection with the Executive’s employment by the Company and which shall not be or become public knowledge (other than by acts by the Executive or representatives of the Executive in violation of this Agreement). After termination of the Executive’s employment with the Company, the Executive shall not, without the prior written consent of the Company or as may otherwise be required by law or legal process, communicate or divulge any such information, knowledge or data, to anyone other than the Company and those designated by it; provided, however, that if the Executive receives actual notice that the Executive is or may be required by law or legal process to communicate or divulge any such information, knowledge or data, the Executive shall promptly so notify the Company.

(b) While employed by the Company and, for a period of twelve (12) months after the Date of Termination, the Executive shall not directly or indirectly solicit, induce, or encourage any employee or consultant of any member of the Company and its subsidiaries and affiliates to terminate their employment or other relationship with the Company and its subsidiaries and affiliates or to cease to render services to any member of the Company and its subsidiaries and affiliates and the Executive shall not initiate discussion with any such person for

any such purpose or authorize or knowingly cooperate with the taking of any such actions by any other individual or entity. During his employment with the Company and thereafter, the Executive shall not use any trade secret of the Company or its subsidiaries or affiliates to solicit, induce, or encourage any customer, client, vendor, or other party doing business with any member of the Company and its subsidiaries and affiliates to terminate its relationship therewith or transfer its business from any member of the Company and its subsidiaries and affiliates and the Executive shall not initiate discussion with any such person for any such purpose or authorize or knowingly cooperate with the taking of any such actions by any other individual or entity.

(c) In recognition of the facts that irreparable injury will result to the Company in the event of a breach by the Executive of his obligations under Sections 8(a) and (b) hereof, that monetary damages for such breach would not be readily calculable, and that the Company would not have an adequate remedy at law therefor, the Executive acknowledges, consents and agrees that in the event of such breach, or the threat thereof, the Company shall be entitled, in addition to any other legal remedies and damages available, to specific performance thereof and to temporary and permanent injunctive relief (without the necessity of posting a bond) to restrain the violation or threatened violation of such obligations by the Executive.

9. Representations. The Executive hereby represents and warrants to the Company that (a) the Executive is entering into this Agreement voluntarily and that the performance of the Executive's obligations hereunder will not violate any agreement between the Executive and any other person, firm, organization or other entity, and (b) the Executive is not bound by the terms of any agreement with any previous employer or other party to refrain from competing, directly or indirectly, with the business of such previous employer or other party that would be violated by the Executive's entering into this Agreement and/or providing services to the Company pursuant to the terms of this Agreement.

10. Successors.

(a) This Agreement is personal to the Executive and, without the prior written consent of the Company, shall not be assignable by the Executive otherwise than by will or the laws of descent and distribution. This Agreement shall inure to the benefit of and be enforceable by the Executive's legal representatives.

(b) This Agreement shall inure to the benefit of and be binding upon the Company and its successors and assigns.

(c) The Company will require any successor (whether direct or indirect, by purchase, merger, consolidation or otherwise) to all or substantially all of the business and/or assets of the Company to assume and agree to perform this Agreement in the same manner and to the same extent that the Company would be required to perform it if no such succession had taken place. As used in this Agreement, "Company" shall mean the Company as hereinbefore defined and any successor to its business and/or assets as aforesaid which assumes and agrees to perform this Agreement by operation of law, or otherwise.

11. Payment of Financial Obligations. The payment or provision to the Executive by the Company of any remuneration, benefits or other financial obligations pursuant to this Agreement shall be allocated among the Operating Partnership, the REIT and any

subsidiary or affiliate thereof in such manner as such entities determine in order to reflect the services provided by the Executive to such entities; provided, however, that the Operating Partnership and the REIT shall be jointly and severally liable for such obligations.

12. Miscellaneous.

(a) Governing Law. This Agreement shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the State of California, without reference to principles of conflict of laws. The captions of this Agreement are not part of the provisions hereof and shall have no force or effect.

(b) Notices. All notices and other communications hereunder shall be in writing and shall be given by hand delivery to the other party or by registered or certified mail, return receipt requested, postage prepaid, addressed as follows:

If to the Executive: at the Executive's most recent address on the records of the Company.

If to the REIT or the Operating Partnership:

Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc.
11620 Wilshire Blvd.
Los Angeles, CA 90025
Attn: General Counsel

with a copy to:

Latham & Watkins LLP
355 South Grand Ave.
Los Angeles, CA 90071-1560
Attn: Brad Helms

or to such other address as either party shall have furnished to the other in writing in accordance herewith. Notice and communications shall be effective when actually received by the addressee.

(c) Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002. Notwithstanding anything herein to the contrary, if the Company determines, in its good faith judgment, that any transfer or deemed transfer of funds hereunder is likely to be construed as a personal loan prohibited by Section 13(k) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, and the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder (the "*Exchange Act*"), then such transfer or deemed transfer shall not be made to the extent necessary or appropriate so as not to violate the Exchange Act and the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder.

(d) Section 409A of the Code.

(i) To the extent applicable, this Agreement shall be interpreted in accordance with Section 409A of the Code and Department of Treasury regulations and other interpretive guidance issued thereunder (together, "**Section 409A**"). Notwithstanding any provision of this Agreement to the contrary, if the Company determines that any compensation or benefits payable under this Agreement may be subject to Section 409A, the Company shall work in good faith with the Executive to adopt such amendments to this Agreement or adopt other policies and procedures (including amendments, policies and procedures with retroactive effect), or take any other actions, that the Company determines are necessary or appropriate to avoid the imposition of taxes under Section 409A, including without limitation, actions intended to (i) exempt the compensation and benefits payable under this Agreement from Section 409A, and/or (ii) comply with the requirements of Section 409A; provided, however, that this Section 12(d) shall not create an obligation on the part of the Company to adopt any such amendment, policy or procedure or take any such other action, nor shall the Company have any liability for failing to do so.

(ii) Any right to a series of installment payments pursuant to this Agreement is to be treated as a right to a series of separate payments. To the extent permitted under Section 409A, any separate payment or benefit under this Agreement or otherwise shall not be deemed "nonqualified deferred compensation" subject to Section 409A and Section 4(d) hereof to the extent provided in the exceptions in Treasury Regulation Section 1.409A-1(b)(4), Section 1.409A-1(b)(9) or any other applicable exception or provision of Section 409A.

(iii) To the extent that any payments or reimbursements provided to the Executive under this Agreement are deemed to constitute compensation to the Executive to which Treasury Regulation Section 1.409A-3(i)(1)(iv) would apply, such amounts shall be paid or reimbursed reasonably promptly, but not later than December 31 of the year following the year in which the expense was incurred. The amount of any such payments eligible for reimbursement in one year shall not affect the payments or expenses that are eligible for payment or reimbursement in any other taxable year, and the Executive's right to such payments or reimbursement of any such expenses shall not be subject to liquidation or exchange for any other benefit.

(e) Severability. The invalidity or unenforceability of any provision of this Agreement shall not affect the validity or enforceability of any other provision of this Agreement.

(f) Withholding. The Company may withhold from any amounts payable under this Agreement such federal, state, local or foreign taxes as shall be required to be withheld pursuant to any applicable law or regulation.

(g) No Waiver. The Executive's or the Company's failure to insist upon strict compliance with any provision of this Agreement or the failure to assert any right the Executive or the Company may have hereunder, including, without limitation, the right of the Executive to terminate employment for Good Reason pursuant to Section 3(c) hereof, shall not be deemed to be a waiver of such provision or right or any other provision or right of this Agreement.

(h) Entire Agreement. As of the Effective Date, this Agreement, together with the Restricted Stock Award Agreement, constitutes the final, complete and exclusive agreement between the Executive and the Company with respect to the subject matter hereof and replaces and supersedes any and all other agreements, offers or promises, whether oral or

written, by any member of the Company and its subsidiaries, affiliates or predecessors (a “*Predecessor Employer*”), or representative thereof, whose business or assets any member of the Company and its subsidiaries and affiliates succeeded to in connection with the initial public offering of the common stock of the REIT or the transactions related thereto. The Executive agrees that any such agreement, offer or promise between the Executive and a Predecessor Employer (or any representative thereof) is hereby terminated and will be of no further force or effect, and the Executive acknowledges and agrees that upon his execution of this Agreement, he will have no right or interest in or with respect to any such agreement, offer or promise. In the event that the Effective Date does not occur, this Agreement (including, without limitation, the immediately preceding sentence) shall have no force or effect.

(i) Amendment. No amendment or other modification of this Agreement shall be effective unless made in writing and signed by the parties hereto.

(j) Counterparts. This Agreement and any agreement referenced herein may be executed simultaneously in two or more counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original but which together shall constitute one and the same instrument.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Executive has hereunto set the Executive's hand and, pursuant to the authorization from the Board, each of the REIT and the Operating Partnership has caused these presents to be executed in its name on its behalf, all as of the day and year first above written.

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, INC.,
a Maryland corporation

By: /s/ Howard Schwimmer
Name: Howard Schwimmer
Title: Co-Chief Executive Officer

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, L.P., a
Maryland limited partnership

By: REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY,
INC.
Its: General Partner

By: /s/ Howard Schwimmer
Name: Howard Schwimmer
Title: Co-Chief Executive Officer

“EXECUTIVE”

/s/ Michael Frankel
Michael S. Frankel

EXHIBIT A

GENERAL RELEASE

For valuable consideration, the receipt and adequacy of which are hereby acknowledged, the undersigned does hereby release and forever discharge the "**Releasees**" hereunder, consisting of Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc., a Maryland corporation, Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P., a Maryland limited partnership, and each of their partners, subsidiaries, associates, affiliates, successors, heirs, assigns, agents, directors, officers, employees, representatives, lawyers, insurers, and all persons acting by, through, under or in concert with them, or any of them, of and from any and all manner of action or actions, cause or causes of action, in law or in equity, suits, debts, liens, contracts, agreements, promises, liability, claims, demands, damages, losses, costs, attorneys' fees or expenses, of any nature whatsoever, known or unknown, fixed or contingent (hereinafter called "**Claims**"), which the undersigned now has or may hereafter have against the Releasees, or any of them, by reason of any matter, cause, or thing whatsoever from the beginning of time to the date hereof. The Claims released herein include, without limiting the generality of the foregoing, any Claims in any way arising out of, based upon, or related to the employment or termination of employment of the undersigned by the Releasees, or any of them; any alleged breach of any express or implied contract of employment; any alleged torts or other alleged legal restrictions on Releasees' right to terminate the employment of the undersigned; and any alleged violation of any federal, state or local statute or ordinance including, without limitation, Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, the Age Discrimination In Employment Act, the Americans With Disabilities Act, and the California Fair Employment and Housing Act. Notwithstanding the foregoing, this general release (the "**Release**") shall not operate to release any rights or claims of the undersigned (i) to payments or benefits under either Section 4(a) or 4(b) of that certain Employment Agreement, dated as of [], 2013, between Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc., Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P. and the undersigned (the "**Employment Agreement**"), whichever is applicable to the payments and benefits provided in exchange for this Release, (ii) to payments or benefits under any equity award agreement between the undersigned and the Company, (iii) with respect to Section 2(b)(vi) of the Employment Agreement, (iv) to accrued or vested benefits the undersigned may have, if any, as of the date hereof under any applicable plan, policy, practice, program, contract or agreement with the Company, (v) to any Claims, including claims for indemnification and/or advancement of expenses arising under any indemnification agreement between the undersigned and the Company or under the bylaws, certificate of incorporation of other similar governing document of the Company or (vi) to any Claims which cannot be waived by an employee under applicable law.

THE UNDERSIGNED ACKNOWLEDGES THAT THE EXECUTIVE HAS BEEN ADVISED BY LEGAL COUNSEL AND IS FAMILIAR WITH THE PROVISIONS OF CALIFORNIA CIVIL CODE SECTION 1542, WHICH PROVIDES AS FOLLOWS:

"A GENERAL RELEASE DOES NOT EXTEND TO CLAIMS WHICH THE CREDITOR DOES NOT KNOW OR SUSPECT TO EXIST IN HIS OR HER FAVOR AT THE TIME OF EXECUTING THE RELEASE, WHICH IF KNOWN BY HIM OR HER MUST HAVE MATERIALLY AFFECTED HIS OR HER SETTLEMENT WITH THE DEBTOR."

THE UNDERSIGNED, BEING AWARE OF SAID CODE SECTION, HEREBY EXPRESSLY WAIVES ANY RIGHTS THE EXECUTIVE MAY HAVE THEREUNDER, AS WELL AS UNDER ANY OTHER STATUTES OR COMMON LAW PRINCIPLES OF SIMILAR EFFECT.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE OLDER WORKERS BENEFIT PROTECTION ACT OF 1990, THE UNDERSIGNED IS HEREBY ADVISED AS FOLLOWS:

- (A) THE EXECUTIVE HAS THE RIGHT TO CONSULT WITH AN ATTORNEY BEFORE SIGNING THIS RELEASE;
- (B) THE EXECUTIVE HAS TWENTY-ONE (21) DAYS TO CONSIDER THIS RELEASE BEFORE SIGNING IT; AND
- (C) THE EXECUTIVE HAS SEVEN (7) DAYS AFTER SIGNING THIS RELEASE TO REVOKE THIS RELEASE, AND THIS RELEASE WILL BECOME EFFECTIVE UPON THE EXPIRATION OF THAT REVOCATION PERIOD.

The undersigned represents and warrants that there has been no assignment or other transfer of any interest in any Claim which the Executive may have against Releasees, or any of them, and the undersigned agrees to indemnify and hold Releasees, and each of them, harmless from any liability, Claims, demands, damages, costs, expenses and attorneys' fees incurred by Releasees, or any of them, as the result of any such assignment or transfer or any rights or Claims under any such assignment or transfer. It is the intention of the parties that this indemnity does not require payment as a condition precedent to recovery by the Releasees against the undersigned under this indemnity.

The undersigned agrees that if the Executive hereafter commences any suit arising out of, based upon, or relating to any of the Claims released hereunder or in any manner asserts against Releasees, or any of them, any of the Claims released hereunder, then the undersigned agrees to pay to Releasees, and each of them, in addition to any other damages caused to Releasees thereby, all attorneys' fees incurred by Releasees in defending or otherwise responding to said suit or Claim.

The undersigned further understands and agrees that neither the payment of any sum of money nor the execution of this Release shall constitute or be construed as an admission of any liability whatsoever by the Releasees, or any of them, who have consistently taken the position that they have no liability whatsoever to the undersigned.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has executed this Release this day of , .

EMPLOYMENT AGREEMENT

THIS EMPLOYMENT AGREEMENT (this “*Agreement*”), dated as of July 24, 2013, is entered into by and between Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc., a Maryland corporation (the “*REIT*”), Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P., a Maryland limited partnership (the “*Operating Partnership*”) and Howard Schwimmer (the “*Executive*”).

WHEREAS, the REIT and the Operating Partnership (collectively, the “*Company*”) desire to employ the Executive and to enter into an agreement embodying the terms of such employment; and

WHEREAS, the Executive desires to accept employment with the Company, subject to the terms and conditions of this Agreement.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY AGREED AS FOLLOWS:

1. Employment Period. Subject to the provisions for earlier termination hereinafter provided, the Executive’s employment hereunder shall be for a term (the “*Employment Period*”) commencing on the closing of the initial public offering of shares of the REIT’s common stock (the “*Effective Date*”) and ending on the fourth anniversary of the Effective Date (the “*Initial Termination Date*”). If not previously terminated, the Employment Period shall automatically be extended for one (1) additional year on the Initial Termination Date and on each subsequent anniversary of the Initial Termination Date (each such extension, a “*Renewal Term*”), unless either party elects not to so extend the Employment Period by notifying the other party, in writing, of such election (a “*Non-Renewal*”) at least sixty (60) days prior to the last day of the then-current Employment Period. The Executive’s employment hereunder is terminable at will by the Company or by the Executive at any time (for any reason or for no reason), subject to the provisions of Section 4 hereof.

2. Terms of Employment.

(a) Position and Duties.

(i) Role and Responsibilities. During the Employment Period, the Executive shall serve as co-Chief Executive Officer of the REIT and the Operating Partnership, and shall perform such employment duties as are usual and customary for such positions. The Executive shall report directly to the Board of Directors of the REIT (the “*Board*”). In addition, during the Employment Period, the Company shall cause the Executive to be nominated to stand for election to the Board at any meeting of stockholders of the REIT during which any such election is held and the Executive’s term as director will expire if he is not reelected; provided, however, that the Company shall not be obligated to cause such nomination if any of the events constituting Cause (as defined below) have occurred and not been cured. Provided that the Executive is so nominated and is elected to the Board, the Executive hereby agrees to serve as a member of the Board. At the Company’s request, the Executive shall serve the Company and/or its subsidiaries and affiliates in other capacities in addition to the foregoing, consistent with the Executive’s position as co-Chief Executive Officer of the Company. In the

event that the Executive, during the Employment Period, serves in any one or more of such additional capacities, the Executive's compensation shall not be increased beyond that specified in Section 2(b) hereof. In addition, in the event the Executive's service in one or more of such additional capacities is terminated, the Executive's compensation, as specified in Section 2(b) hereof, shall not be diminished or reduced in any manner as a result of such termination provided that the Executive otherwise remains employed under the terms of this Agreement.

(ii) Exclusivity. During the Employment Period, and excluding any periods of vacation and sick leave to which the Executive may be entitled, the Executive agrees to devote his full business time and attention to the business and affairs of the Company. Notwithstanding the foregoing, during the Employment Period, it shall not be a violation of this Agreement for the Executive to: (A) serve on boards, committees or similar bodies of charitable or nonprofit organizations, (B) fulfill limited teaching, speaking and writing engagements, and (C) manage his personal investments, in each case, so long as such activities do not individually or in the aggregate materially interfere or conflict with the performance of the Executive's duties and responsibilities under this Agreement.

(iii) Principal Location. During the Employment Period, the Executive shall perform the services required by this Agreement at the Company's principal offices located in Los Angeles, California (the "**Principal Location**"), except for travel to other locations as may be necessary to fulfill the Executive's duties and responsibilities hereunder.

(b) Compensation, Benefits, Etc.

(i) Base Salary. During the Employment Period, the Executive shall receive a base salary (the "**Base Salary**") of \$495,000 per annum. The Base Salary shall be reviewed annually by the Compensation Committee of the Board (the "**Compensation Committee**") and may be increased from time to time by the Compensation Committee in its sole discretion. The Base Salary shall be paid in accordance with the Company's normal payroll practices for executive salaries generally, but no less often than monthly. The Base Salary may be increased in the Compensation Committee's discretion, but not reduced, and the term "Base Salary" as utilized in this Agreement shall refer to the Base Salary as so increased.

(ii) Annual Cash Bonus. In addition to the Base Salary, the Executive shall be eligible to earn, for each fiscal year of the Company ending during the Employment Period, a discretionary cash performance bonus (an "**Annual Bonus**") under the Company's bonus plan or program applicable to senior executives. The Executive's target Annual Bonus shall be set at one hundred percent (100%) of the Base Salary in effect for the relevant year (the "**Target Bonus**"). The actual amount of any Annual Bonus shall be determined by reference to the attainment of Company performance metrics and/or individual performance objectives, in each case, as determined by the Compensation Committee. Payment of any Annual Bonus(es), to the extent any Annual Bonus(es) become payable, will be contingent upon the Executive's continued employment through the applicable payment date, which shall occur on the date on which annual bonuses are paid generally to the Company's senior executives.

(iii) Equity Compensation.

(A) Subject to the adoption by the Board and approval by the REIT's stockholders of the Company's 2013 Incentive Award Plan (the "**Plan**"), on or as soon as practicable following the date of the closing of the REIT's initial public offering (the "**Offering Date**"), the Company shall issue to the Executive an award of Restricted Stock (as defined in the Plan) with respect to the number of shares of the REIT's common stock equal to the quotient obtained by dividing (x) \$4,000,000 by (y) the initial public offering price of a share of the REIT's common stock (the "**Restricted Stock Award**"). Subject to the Executive's continued service with the Company through the applicable vesting date, 25% of the Restricted Stock Award shall vest and become nonforfeitable on each of the first, second, third and fourth anniversaries of the Offering Date. The terms and conditions of the Restricted Stock Award shall be set forth in a separate award agreement in a form prescribed by the Company (the "**Restricted Stock Award Agreement**"), to be entered into by the Company and the Executive, which shall evidence the grant of the Restricted Stock Award.

(B) In addition, in calendar year 2014 and each calendar year of the Company during the Employment Period after 2014, the Executive shall be eligible to receive an annual equity award pursuant to the Plan or an applicable successor incentive award plan, to be determined, in all events, by the Committee in its sole discretion.

(iv) Benefits. During the Employment Period, the Executive (and the Executive's spouse and/or eligible dependents to the extent provided in the applicable plans and programs) shall be eligible to participate in and be covered under the health and welfare benefit plans and programs maintained by the Company for the benefit of its senior executive officers from time to time, pursuant to the terms of such plans and programs including any medical, life, hospitalization, dental, disability, accidental death and dismemberment and travel accident insurance plans and programs. During the Employment Period, the Company shall provide the Executive and the Executive's eligible dependents, at the Company's sole expense, with coverage under its group health plans; provided, however, that the Company shall determine, in its sole discretion, whether such coverage shall be paid for by the Company (in excess of subsidies provided generally to plan participants) if such payments by the Company would result in penalties assessed against the Company or the Executive under applicable law (including without limitation, pursuant to Section 2716 of the Public Health Service Act) and/or the imposition of taxes on benefits payable under such group health plan(s). In addition, during the Employment Period, Executive shall be eligible to participate in any retirement, savings and other employee benefit plans and programs maintained from time to time by the Company for the benefit of its senior executive officers. Nothing contained in this Section 2(b)(iv) shall create or be deemed to create any obligation on the part of the Company to adopt or maintain any health, welfare, retirement or other benefit plan or program at any time or to create any limitation on the Company's ability to modify or terminate any such plan or program.

(vi) Expenses. During the Employment Period, the Executive shall be entitled to receive prompt reimbursement for all reasonable business expenses incurred by the Executive in accordance with the policies, practices and procedures of the Company provided to senior executives of the Company.

(vii) Fringe Benefits. During the Employment Period, the Executive shall be eligible to receive such fringe benefits and perquisites as are provided by the Company to its senior executives from time to time, in accordance with the policies, practices and procedures of the Company, and shall receive such additional fringe benefits and perquisites as the Company may, in its discretion, from time-to-time provide.

(viii) Vacation. During the Employment Period, the Executive shall be entitled to paid vacation in accordance with the plans, policies, programs and practices of the Company applicable to its senior executives, but in no event shall the Executive accrue less than four (4) weeks of vacation per calendar year (pro-rated for any partial year of service); provided, however, that the Executive shall not accrue any vacation time in excess of four (4) weeks (twenty (20) days) (the "**Accrual Limit**"), and shall cease accruing vacation time if the Executive's accrued vacation reaches the Accrual Limit until such time as the Executive's accrued vacation time drops below the Accrual Limit.

3. Termination of Employment.

(a) Death or Disability. The Executive's employment shall terminate automatically upon the Executive's death during the Employment Period. Either the Company or the Executive may terminate the Executive's employment in the event of the Executive's Disability during the Employment Period. For purposes of this Agreement, "**Disability**" shall mean that the Executive has become entitled to receive benefits under an applicable Company long-term disability plan or, if no such plan covers the Executive, Disability shall mean the absence of the Executive from the Executive's duties with the Company on a full-time basis for ninety (90) consecutive days or for a total of one hundred eighty (180) days in any twelve (12)-month period, in either case as a result of incapacity due to mental or physical illness which is determined to be total and permanent by a physician selected by the Company or its insurers and reasonably acceptable to the Executive or the Executive's legal representative.

(b) Termination by the Company. The Company may terminate the Executive's employment during the Employment Period for Cause or without Cause. For purposes of this Agreement, "**Cause**" shall mean the occurrence of any one or more of the following events unless, to the extent capable of correction, the Executive fully corrects the circumstances constituting Cause within fifteen (15) days after receipt of the Notice of Termination (as defined below):

(i) the Executive's gross misconduct in connection with the performance of his duties with the Company (other than any such failure resulting from the Executive's incapacity due to physical or mental illness or any such actual or anticipated failure after his issuance of a Notice of Termination for Good Reason), after a written demand for performance is delivered to the Executive by the Board, which demand specifically identifies the manner in which the Board believes that the Executive has not performed his duties;

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- (ii) the Executive's commission of an act of fraud or material dishonesty resulting in reputational, economic or financial injury to the Company;
 - (iii) the Executive's commission of, including any entry by the Executive of a guilty or no contest plea to, a felony or other crime involving moral turpitude;
 - (iv) a material breach by the Executive of his fiduciary duty to the Company which results in reputational, economic or other injury to the Company; or
 - (v) the Executive's material breach of the Executive's obligations under a written agreement between the Company and the Executive, including without limitation, such a breach of this Agreement.

(c) Termination by the Executive. The Executive's employment may be terminated by the Executive for any reason, including with Good Reason or by the Executive without Good Reason. For purposes of this Agreement, "**Good Reason**" shall mean the occurrence of any one or more of the following events without the Executive's prior written consent, unless the Company fully corrects the circumstances constituting Good Reason (provided such circumstances are capable of correction) as provided below:

- (i) a material diminution in Executive's position (including status, offices, titles and reporting requirements), authority, duties or responsibilities as contemplated by Section 2(a) hereof, excluding for this purpose any isolated, insubstantial or inadvertent actions not taken in bad faith and which are remedied by the Company promptly after receipt of notice thereof given by the Executive;
- (ii) the Company's material reduction of the Executive's Base Salary, as the same may be increased from time to time;
- (iii) a material change in the geographic location of the Principal Location which shall, in any event, include only a relocation of the Principal Location by more than twenty-five (25) miles from its existing location;
- (iv) the Company's material breach of this Agreement.

Notwithstanding the foregoing, the Executive will not be deemed to have resigned for Good Reason unless (1) the Executive provides the Company with written notice setting forth in reasonable detail the facts and circumstances claimed by the Executive to constitute Good Reason within sixty (60) days after the date of the occurrence of any event that the Executive knows or should reasonably have known to constitute Good Reason, (2) the Company fails to cure such acts or omissions within thirty (30) days following its receipt of such notice, and (3) the effective date of the Executive's termination for Good Reason occurs no later than sixty (60) days after the expiration of the Company's cure period.

(d) Notice of Termination. Any termination by the Company for Cause, or by the Executive for Good Reason, shall be communicated by a Notice of Termination to the other parties hereto given in accordance with Section 12(b) hereof. For purposes of this Agreement, a “**Notice of Termination**” means a written notice which (i) indicates the specific termination provision in this Agreement relied upon, (ii) sets forth in reasonable detail the facts and circumstances claimed to provide a basis for termination of the Executive’s employment under the provision so indicated and (iii) if the Date of Termination (as defined below) is other than the date of receipt of such notice, specifies the termination date (which date shall be not more than thirty (30) days after the giving of such notice). The failure by the Executive or the Company to set forth in the Notice of Termination any fact or circumstance which contributes to a showing of Good Reason or Cause shall not waive any right of the Executive or the Company, respectively, hereunder or preclude the Executive or the Company, respectively, from asserting such fact or circumstance in enforcing the Executive’s or the Company’s rights hereunder.

(e) Termination of Offices and Directorships; Return of Property. Upon termination of the Executive’s employment for any reason, unless otherwise specified in a written agreement between the Executive and the Company, the Executive shall be deemed to have resigned from all offices, directorships, and other employment positions if any, then held with the Company, and shall take all actions reasonably requested by the Company to effectuate the foregoing. In addition, upon the termination of the Executive’s employment for any reason, the Executive agrees to return to the Company all documents of the Company and its affiliates (and all copies thereof) and all other Company or Company affiliate property that the Executive has in his possession, custody or control. Such property includes, without limitation: (i) any materials of any kind that the Executive knows contain or embody any proprietary or confidential information of the Company or an affiliate of the Company (and all reproductions thereof), (ii) computers (including, but not limited to, laptop computers, desktop computers and similar devices) and other portable electronic devices (including, but not limited to, tablet computers), cellular phones/smartphones, credit cards, phone cards, entry cards, identification badges and keys, and (iii) any correspondence, drawings, manuals, letters, notes, notebooks, reports, programs, plans, proposals, financial documents, or any other documents concerning the customers, business plans, marketing strategies, products and/or processes of the Company or any of its affiliates and any information received from the Company or any of its affiliates regarding third parties.

4. Obligations of the Company upon Termination. Upon a termination of the Executive’s employment for any reason, the Executive shall be paid, in a single lump-sum payment on the date of the Executive’s termination of employment, the aggregate amount of the Executive’s earned but unpaid Base Salary and accrued but unpaid vacation pay through the date of such termination (the “**Accrued Obligations**”).

(a) Without Cause, For Good Reason or Company Non-Renewal. If the Executive’s employment with the Company is terminated (x) by the Company without Cause (other than by reason of the Executive’s Disability), (y) by the Executive for Good Reason or (z) by reason of a Non-Renewal of the Employment Period by the Company and the Executive is willing and able, at the time of such Non-Renewal, to continue performing services on the terms and conditions set forth herein during the Renewal Term (in any case, a “**Qualifying Termination**”), then following the Executive’s Separation from Service (as defined below) (such date, the “**Date of Termination**”), in each case, subject to and conditioned upon compliance with Section 4(d) hereof, in addition to the Accrued Obligations:

(i) *Cash Severance.*

(A) The Executive shall be paid, in a single lump-sum payment on the sixtieth (60th) day after the Date of Termination, an amount equal to three (3) times the sum of (x) the Base Salary in effect on the Date of Termination, plus (y) the average Annual Bonus earned by the Executive for the three (3) Company fiscal years ending during the Employment Period and immediately preceding the Company fiscal year in which such termination occurs (regardless of whether such amount was paid out on a current basis or deferred), plus (z) the average Equity Award Value (as defined below) of any Annual Grant (as defined below) made to the Executive by the Company during the prior three (3) fiscal years during the Employment Period. For the avoidance of doubt, for purposes of this Section 4(a)(i)(A), “Annual Bonus” shall include any portion of the Executive’s Annual Bonus received in the form of equity rather than cash.

(B) For purposes of Section 4(a)(i)(A)(y) hereof, in the event that the Date of Termination occurs prior to the end of the completion of three (3) Company fiscal years during the Employment Period, then the amount in Section 4(a)(i)(A)(y) hereof shall be determined by using the Executive’s Target Bonus for any such fiscal years not yet elapsed, together with Annual Bonus(es) actually earned by the Executive for fiscal years elapsed during the Employment Period (if any), annualized for any such partial fiscal year.

(C) For purposes of Section 4(a)(i)(A)(z) hereof, in the event that the Date of Termination occurs prior to the end of the completion of the first three (3) full fiscal years of the Company during the Employment Period, then the amount in Section 4(a)(i)(A)(z) hereof shall be determined based on the average Equity Award Value of Annual Grants made to the Executive during the Employment Period prior to the Date of Termination (if any).

(D) For purposes of this Agreement, “**Equity Award Value**” shall mean (x) with respect to Stock Options and Stock Appreciation Rights (each as defined in the Plan), the grant date fair value, as computed in accordance with FASB Accounting Standards Codification Topic 718, *Compensation — Stock Compensation* (or any successor accounting standard), and (y) with respect to Awards (as defined in the Plan) other than Stock Options and Stock Appreciation Rights (and excluding cash Awards under the Plan), the product of (1) the number of shares or units subject to such Award, times (2) the “fair market value” of a share of the REIT’s common stock on the date of grant as determined under the Plan. For purposes of this Agreement, “**Annual Grant**” shall mean the grant of an equity-based Award that constitutes a component of a given year’s annual compensation package and shall not include any isolated, one-off or non-recurring grant outside of the Executive’s annual compensation package, such as (but not limited to) the Restricted Stock Award granted pursuant to Section 2(b)(iii) hereof, an initial hiring Award, a retention Award, an Award that relates to multi-year or other long-term performance, an outperformance Award or other similar award, in any event, as determined by the Company in its sole discretion.

(ii) *Prior Year Bonus; Pro Rata Bonus.* The Executive shall be paid, in a single lump-sum payment on the sixtieth (60th) day after the Date of Termination, (A) any Annual Bonus relating to the year immediately preceding the year in which the Date of Termination occurs that remains unpaid on the Date of Termination (if any), and (B) a pro rata portion of the Executive's Target Bonus for the partial fiscal year in which the Date of Termination occurs (prorated based on the number of days in the fiscal year in which the Date of Termination occurs through the Date of Termination).

(iii) *Equity Award Acceleration.* All outstanding equity awards held by the Executive on the Date of Termination shall immediately become fully vested and, to the extent applicable, exercisable. For the avoidance of doubt, all such equity awards shall remain outstanding and eligible to vest following the Date of Termination and shall actually vest and become exercisable (if applicable) and non-forfeitable upon the effectiveness of the Release.

(iv) *COBRA.* During the period commencing on the Date of Termination and ending on the eighteen (18)-month anniversary of the Date of Termination (the "*COBRA Period*"), subject to the Executive's valid election to continue healthcare coverage under Section 4980B of the Internal Revenue Code and the regulations thereunder (together, the "*Code*"), the Company shall continue to provide the Executive and the Executive's eligible dependants with coverage under its group health plans at the same levels and the same cost to the Executive as would have applied if the Executive's employment had not been terminated based on the Executive's elections in effect on the Date of Termination, provided, however, that (A) if any plan pursuant to which such benefits are provided is not, or ceases prior to the expiration of the period of continuation coverage to be, exempt from the application of Section 409A (as defined below) under Treasury Regulation Section 1.409A-1(a)(5), or (B) the Company is otherwise unable to continue to cover the Executive under its group health plans without incurring penalties (including without limitation, pursuant to Section 2716 of the Public Health Service Act), then, in either case, an amount equal to each remaining Company subsidy shall thereafter be paid to the Executive in substantially equal monthly installments over the continuation coverage period (or the remaining portion thereof).

Notwithstanding the foregoing, it shall be a condition to the Executive's (or the Executive's estate's or beneficiaries', if applicable) right to receive the amounts provided for in Sections 4(a)(i), 4(a)(ii), 4(a)(iii) and 4(a)(iv) hereof that the Executive (or the Executive's estate or beneficiaries, if applicable) execute and deliver to the Company an effective release of claims in substantially the form attached hereto as Exhibit A (the "*Release*") within twenty-one (21) days (or, to the extent required by law, forty-five (45) days) following the Date of Termination and that Executive (or the Executive's estate or beneficiaries, if applicable) not revoke such Release during any applicable revocation period.

(b) Death or Disability. Subject to Section 4(d) hereof, if the Executive incurs a Separation from Service by reason of the Executive's death or Disability during the Employment Period, in addition to the Accrued Obligations, all outstanding equity awards held by the Executive on the Date of Termination shall immediately become fully vested and, as applicable, exercisable.

(c) For Cause, Without Good Reason or Other Terminations. If the Company terminates the Executive's employment for Cause, the Executive terminates the Executive's employment without Good Reason, or the Executive's employment terminates for any other reason not enumerated in Sections 4(a) or 4(b) hereof, in any case, during the Employment Period, the Company shall pay to the Executive the Accrued Obligations in cash within thirty (30) days after the Date of Termination (or by such earlier date as may be required by applicable law), and the Executive shall have no further rights hereunder.

(d) Six-Month Delay. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this Agreement, no compensation or benefits, including without limitation any severance payments or benefits payable under Section 4 hereof, shall be paid to the Executive during the six (6)-month period following the Executive's "separation from service" from the Company (within the meaning of Section 409A, a "**Separation from Service**") if the Company determines that paying such amounts at the time or times indicated in this Agreement would be a prohibited distribution under Section 409A(a)(2)(B)(i) of the Code. If the payment of any such amounts is delayed as a result of the previous sentence, then on the first day of the seventh month following the date of Separation from Service (or such earlier date upon which such amount can be paid under Section 409A without resulting in a prohibited distribution, including as a result of the Executive's death), the Company shall pay the Executive a lump-sum amount equal to the cumulative amount that would have otherwise been payable to the Executive during such period.

(e) Exclusive Benefits. Except as expressly provided in this Section 4 and subject to Section 6 hereof, the Executive shall not be entitled to any additional payments or benefits upon or in connection with the Executive's termination of employment.

5. Change in Control. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in this Agreement, in the event of a Change in Control (as defined in the Plan), all outstanding Company equity awards held by the Executive as of such date shall immediately become fully vested and, as applicable, exercisable.

6. Non-Exclusivity of Rights. Amounts which are vested benefits or which the Executive is otherwise entitled to receive under any plan, policy, practice or program of or any contract or agreement with the Company at or subsequent to the Date of Termination shall be payable in accordance with such plan, policy, practice or program or contract or agreement except as explicitly modified by this Agreement.

7. Excess Parachute Payments, Limitation on Payments.

(a) Best Pay Cap. Notwithstanding any other provision of this Agreement, in the event that any payment or benefit received or to be received by the Executive (including any payment or benefit received in connection with a termination of the Executive's employment, whether pursuant to the terms of this Agreement or any other plan, arrangement or agreement) (all such payments and benefits, including the payments and benefits under Section 4 hereof, being hereinafter referred to as the "**Total Payments**") would be subject (in whole or part), to the excise tax imposed under Section 4999 of the Code (the "**Excise Tax**"), then, after taking into account any reduction in the Total Payments provided by reason of Section 280G of the Code in such other plan, arrangement or agreement, the cash severance payments under this Agreement shall first be reduced, and the noncash severance payments hereunder shall thereafter be reduced,

to the extent necessary so that no portion of the Total Payments is subject to the Excise Tax but only if (i) the net amount of such Total Payments, as so reduced (and after subtracting the net amount of federal, state and local income taxes on such reduced Total Payments and after taking into account the phase out of itemized deductions and personal exemptions attributable to such reduced Total Payments) is greater than or equal to (ii) the net amount of such Total Payments without such reduction (but after subtracting the net amount of federal, state and local income taxes on such Total Payments and the amount of Excise Tax to which the Executive would be subject in respect of such unreduced Total Payments and after taking into account the phase out of itemized deductions and personal exemptions attributable to such unreduced Total Payments).

(b) Certain Exclusions. For purposes of determining whether and the extent to which the Total Payments will be subject to the Excise Tax, (i) no portion of the Total Payments the receipt or enjoyment of which the Executive shall have waived at such time and in such manner as not to constitute a “payment” within the meaning of Section 280G(b) of the Code shall be taken into account; (ii) no portion of the Total Payments shall be taken into account which, in the written opinion of an independent, nationally recognized accounting firm (the “*Independent Advisors*”) selected by the Company, does not constitute a “parachute payment” within the meaning of Section 280G(b)(2) of the Code (including by reason of Section 280G(b)(4)(A) of the Code) and, in calculating the Excise Tax, no portion of such Total Payments shall be taken into account which, in the opinion of Independent Advisors, constitutes reasonable compensation for services actually rendered, within the meaning of Section 280G(b)(4)(B) of the Code, in excess of the “base amount” (as defined in Section 280G(b)(3) of the Code) allocable to such reasonable compensation; and (iii) the value of any non cash benefit or any deferred payment or benefit included in the Total Payments shall be determined by the Independent Advisors in accordance with the principles of Sections 280G(d)(3) and (4) of the Code.

8. Confidential Information and Non-Solicitation.

(a) The Executive shall hold in a fiduciary capacity for the benefit of the Company all secret or confidential information, knowledge or data relating to the Company and its subsidiaries and affiliates, which shall have been obtained by the Executive in connection with the Executive’s employment by the Company and which shall not be or become public knowledge (other than by acts by the Executive or representatives of the Executive in violation of this Agreement). After termination of the Executive’s employment with the Company, the Executive shall not, without the prior written consent of the Company or as may otherwise be required by law or legal process, communicate or divulge any such information, knowledge or data, to anyone other than the Company and those designated by it; provided, however, that if the Executive receives actual notice that the Executive is or may be required by law or legal process to communicate or divulge any such information, knowledge or data, the Executive shall promptly so notify the Company.

(b) While employed by the Company and, for a period of twelve (12) months after the Date of Termination, the Executive shall not directly or indirectly solicit, induce, or encourage any employee or consultant of any member of the Company and its subsidiaries and affiliates to terminate their employment or other relationship with the Company and its subsidiaries and affiliates or to cease to render services to any member of the Company and its subsidiaries and affiliates and the Executive shall not initiate discussion with any such person for

any such purpose or authorize or knowingly cooperate with the taking of any such actions by any other individual or entity. During his employment with the Company and thereafter, the Executive shall not use any trade secret of the Company or its subsidiaries or affiliates to solicit, induce, or encourage any customer, client, vendor, or other party doing business with any member of the Company and its subsidiaries and affiliates to terminate its relationship therewith or transfer its business from any member of the Company and its subsidiaries and affiliates and the Executive shall not initiate discussion with any such person for any such purpose or authorize or knowingly cooperate with the taking of any such actions by any other individual or entity.

(c) In recognition of the facts that irreparable injury will result to the Company in the event of a breach by the Executive of his obligations under Sections 8(a) and (b) hereof, that monetary damages for such breach would not be readily calculable, and that the Company would not have an adequate remedy at law therefor, the Executive acknowledges, consents and agrees that in the event of such breach, or the threat thereof, the Company shall be entitled, in addition to any other legal remedies and damages available, to specific performance thereof and to temporary and permanent injunctive relief (without the necessity of posting a bond) to restrain the violation or threatened violation of such obligations by the Executive.

9. Representations. The Executive hereby represents and warrants to the Company that (a) the Executive is entering into this Agreement voluntarily and that the performance of the Executive's obligations hereunder will not violate any agreement between the Executive and any other person, firm, organization or other entity, and (b) the Executive is not bound by the terms of any agreement with any previous employer or other party to refrain from competing, directly or indirectly, with the business of such previous employer or other party that would be violated by the Executive's entering into this Agreement and/or providing services to the Company pursuant to the terms of this Agreement.

10. Successors.

(a) This Agreement is personal to the Executive and, without the prior written consent of the Company, shall not be assignable by the Executive otherwise than by will or the laws of descent and distribution. This Agreement shall inure to the benefit of and be enforceable by the Executive's legal representatives.

(b) This Agreement shall inure to the benefit of and be binding upon the Company and its successors and assigns.

(c) The Company will require any successor (whether direct or indirect, by purchase, merger, consolidation or otherwise) to all or substantially all of the business and/or assets of the Company to assume and agree to perform this Agreement in the same manner and to the same extent that the Company would be required to perform it if no such succession had taken place. As used in this Agreement, "Company" shall mean the Company as hereinbefore defined and any successor to its business and/or assets as aforesaid which assumes and agrees to perform this Agreement by operation of law, or otherwise.

11. Payment of Financial Obligations. The payment or provision to the Executive by the Company of any remuneration, benefits or other financial obligations pursuant to this Agreement shall be allocated among the Operating Partnership, the REIT and any

subsidiary or affiliate thereof in such manner as such entities determine in order to reflect the services provided by the Executive to such entities; provided, however, that the Operating Partnership and the REIT shall be jointly and severally liable for such obligations.

12. Miscellaneous.

(a) Governing Law. This Agreement shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the State of California, without reference to principles of conflict of laws. The captions of this Agreement are not part of the provisions hereof and shall have no force or effect.

(b) Notices. All notices and other communications hereunder shall be in writing and shall be given by hand delivery to the other party or by registered or certified mail, return receipt requested, postage prepaid, addressed as follows:

If to the Executive: at the Executive's most recent address on the records of the Company.

If to the REIT or the Operating Partnership:

Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc.
11620 Wilshire Blvd.
Los Angeles, CA 90025
Attn: General Counsel

with a copy to:

Latham & Watkins LLP 355
South Grand Ave.
Los Angeles, CA 90071-1560
Attn: Brad Helms

or to such other address as either party shall have furnished to the other in writing in accordance herewith. Notice and communications shall be effective when actually received by the addressee.

(c) Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002. Notwithstanding anything herein to the contrary, if the Company determines, in its good faith judgment, that any transfer or deemed transfer of funds hereunder is likely to be construed as a personal loan prohibited by Section 13(k) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, and the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder (the "*Exchange Act*"), then such transfer or deemed transfer shall not be made to the extent necessary or appropriate so as not to violate the Exchange Act and the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder.

(d) Section 409A of the Code.

(i) To the extent applicable, this Agreement shall be interpreted in accordance with Section 409A of the Code and Department of Treasury regulations and other interpretive guidance issued thereunder (together, "**Section 409A**"). Notwithstanding any provision of this Agreement to the contrary, if the Company determines that any compensation or benefits payable under this Agreement may be subject to Section 409A, the Company shall work in good faith with the Executive to adopt such amendments to this Agreement or adopt other policies and procedures (including amendments, policies and procedures with retroactive effect), or take any other actions, that the Company determines are necessary or appropriate to avoid the imposition of taxes under Section 409A, including without limitation, actions intended to (i) exempt the compensation and benefits payable under this Agreement from Section 409A, and/or (ii) comply with the requirements of Section 409A; provided, however, that this Section 12(d) shall not create an obligation on the part of the Company to adopt any such amendment, policy or procedure or take any such other action, nor shall the Company have any liability for failing to do so.

(ii) Any right to a series of installment payments pursuant to this Agreement is to be treated as a right to a series of separate payments. To the extent permitted under Section 409A, any separate payment or benefit under this Agreement or otherwise shall not be deemed "nonqualified deferred compensation" subject to Section 409A and Section 4(d) hereof to the extent provided in the exceptions in Treasury Regulation Section 1.409A-1(b)(4), Section 1.409A-1(b)(9) or any other applicable exception or provision of Section 409A.

(iii) To the extent that any payments or reimbursements provided to the Executive under this Agreement are deemed to constitute compensation to the Executive to which Treasury Regulation Section 1.409A-3(i)(1)(iv) would apply, such amounts shall be paid or reimbursed reasonably promptly, but not later than December 31 of the year following the year in which the expense was incurred. The amount of any such payments eligible for reimbursement in one year shall not affect the payments or expenses that are eligible for payment or reimbursement in any other taxable year, and the Executive's right to such payments or reimbursement of any such expenses shall not be subject to liquidation or exchange for any other benefit.

(e) Severability. The invalidity or unenforceability of any provision of this Agreement shall not affect the validity or enforceability of any other provision of this Agreement.

(f) Withholding. The Company may withhold from any amounts payable under this Agreement such federal, state, local or foreign taxes as shall be required to be withheld pursuant to any applicable law or regulation.

(g) No Waiver. The Executive's or the Company's failure to insist upon strict compliance with any provision of this Agreement or the failure to assert any right the Executive or the Company may have hereunder, including, without limitation, the right of the Executive to terminate employment for Good Reason pursuant to Section 3(c) hereof, shall not be deemed to be a waiver of such provision or right or any other provision or right of this Agreement.

(h) Entire Agreement. As of the Effective Date, this Agreement, together with the Restricted Stock Award Agreement, constitutes the final, complete and exclusive agreement between the Executive and the Company with respect to the subject matter hereof and replaces and supersedes any and all other agreements, offers or promises, whether oral or

written, by any member of the Company and its subsidiaries, affiliates or predecessors (a “*Predecessor Employer*”), or representative thereof, whose business or assets any member of the Company and its subsidiaries and affiliates succeeded to in connection with the initial public offering of the common stock of the REIT or the transactions related thereto. The Executive agrees that any such agreement, offer or promise between the Executive and a Predecessor Employer (or any representative thereof) is hereby terminated and will be of no further force or effect, and the Executive acknowledges and agrees that upon his execution of this Agreement, he will have no right or interest in or with respect to any such agreement, offer or promise. In the event that the Effective Date does not occur, this Agreement (including, without limitation, the immediately preceding sentence) shall have no force or effect.

(i) Amendment. No amendment or other modification of this Agreement shall be effective unless made in writing and signed by the parties hereto.

(j) Counterparts. This Agreement and any agreement referenced herein may be executed simultaneously in two or more counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original but which together shall constitute one and the same instrument.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Executive has hereunto set the Executive's hand and, pursuant to the authorization from the Board, each of the REIT and the Operating Partnership has caused these presents to be executed in its name on its behalf, all as of the day and year first above written.

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, INC.,
a Maryland corporation

By: /s/ Michael Frankel

Name: Michael S. Frankel

Title: Co-Chief Executive Officer

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, L.P., a
Maryland limited partnership

By: REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, INC.
Its: General Partner

By: /s/ Michael Frankel

Name: Michael S. Frankel

Title: Co-Chief Executive Officer

"EXECUTIVE"

/s/ Howard Schwimmer

Howard Schwimmer

[Signature Page to Employment Agreement of Howard Schwimmer]

EXHIBIT A

GENERAL RELEASE

For valuable consideration, the receipt and adequacy of which are hereby acknowledged, the undersigned does hereby release and forever discharge the "**Releasees**" hereunder, consisting of Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc., a Maryland corporation, Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P., a Maryland limited partnership, and each of their partners, subsidiaries, associates, affiliates, successors, heirs, assigns, agents, directors, officers, employees, representatives, lawyers, insurers, and all persons acting by, through, under or in concert with them, or any of them, of and from any and all manner of action or actions, cause or causes of action, in law or in equity, suits, debts, liens, contracts, agreements, promises, liability, claims, demands, damages, losses, costs, attorneys' fees or expenses, of any nature whatsoever, known or unknown, fixed or contingent (hereinafter called "**Claims**"), which the undersigned now has or may hereafter have against the Releasees, or any of them, by reason of any matter, cause, or thing whatsoever from the beginning of time to the date hereof. The Claims released herein include, without limiting the generality of the foregoing, any Claims in any way arising out of, based upon, or related to the employment or termination of employment of the undersigned by the Releasees, or any of them; any alleged breach of any express or implied contract of employment; any alleged torts or other alleged legal restrictions on Releasees' right to terminate the employment of the undersigned; and any alleged violation of any federal, state or local statute or ordinance including, without limitation, Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, the Age Discrimination In Employment Act, the Americans With Disabilities Act, and the California Fair Employment and Housing Act. Notwithstanding the foregoing, this general release (the "**Release**") shall not operate to release any rights or claims of the undersigned (i) to payments or benefits under either Section 4(a) or 4(b) of that certain Employment Agreement, dated as of [], 2013, between Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc., Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P. and the undersigned (the "**Employment Agreement**"), whichever is applicable to the payments and benefits provided in exchange for this Release, (ii) to payments or benefits under any equity award agreement between the undersigned and the Company, (iii) with respect to Section 2(b)(vi) of the Employment Agreement, (iv) to accrued or vested benefits the undersigned may have, if any, as of the date hereof under any applicable plan, policy, practice, program, contract or agreement with the Company, (v) to any Claims, including claims for indemnification and/or advancement of expenses arising under any indemnification agreement between the undersigned and the Company or under the bylaws, certificate of incorporation or other similar governing document of the Company or (vi) to any Claims which cannot be waived by an employee under applicable law.

THE UNDERSIGNED ACKNOWLEDGES THAT THE EXECUTIVE HAS BEEN ADVISED BY LEGAL COUNSEL AND IS FAMILIAR WITH THE PROVISIONS OF CALIFORNIA CIVIL CODE SECTION 1542, WHICH PROVIDES AS FOLLOWS:

"A GENERAL RELEASE DOES NOT EXTEND TO CLAIMS WHICH THE CREDITOR DOES NOT KNOW OR SUSPECT TO EXIST IN HIS OR HER FAVOR AT THE TIME OF EXECUTING THE RELEASE, WHICH IF KNOWN BY HIM OR HER MUST HAVE MATERIALLY AFFECTED HIS OR HER SETTLEMENT WITH THE DEBTOR."

THE UNDERSIGNED, BEING AWARE OF SAID CODE SECTION, HEREBY EXPRESSLY WAIVES ANY RIGHTS THE EXECUTIVE MAY HAVE THEREUNDER, AS WELL AS UNDER ANY OTHER STATUTES OR COMMON LAW PRINCIPLES OF SIMILAR EFFECT.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE OLDER WORKERS BENEFIT PROTECTION ACT OF 1990, THE UNDERSIGNED IS HEREBY ADVISED AS FOLLOWS:

- (A) THE EXECUTIVE HAS THE RIGHT TO CONSULT WITH AN ATTORNEY BEFORE SIGNING THIS RELEASE;
- (B) THE EXECUTIVE HAS TWENTY-ONE (21) DAYS TO CONSIDER THIS RELEASE BEFORE SIGNING IT; AND
- (C) THE EXECUTIVE HAS SEVEN (7) DAYS AFTER SIGNING THIS RELEASE TO REVOKE THIS RELEASE, AND THIS RELEASE WILL BECOME EFFECTIVE UPON THE EXPIRATION OF THAT REVOCATION PERIOD.

The undersigned represents and warrants that there has been no assignment or other transfer of any interest in any Claim which the Executive may have against Releasees, or any of them, and the undersigned agrees to indemnify and hold Releasees, and each of them, harmless from any liability, Claims, demands, damages, costs, expenses and attorneys' fees incurred by Releasees, or any of them, as the result of any such assignment or transfer or any rights or Claims under any such assignment or transfer. It is the intention of the parties that this indemnity does not require payment as a condition precedent to recovery by the Releasees against the undersigned under this indemnity.

The undersigned agrees that if the Executive hereafter commences any suit arising out of, based upon, or relating to any of the Claims released hereunder or in any manner asserts against Releasees, or any of them, any of the Claims released hereunder, then the undersigned agrees to pay to Releasees, and each of them, in addition to any other damages caused to Releasees thereby, all attorneys' fees incurred by Releasees in defending or otherwise responding to said suit or Claim.

The undersigned further understands and agrees that neither the payment of any sum of money nor the execution of this Release shall constitute or be construed as an admission of any liability whatsoever by the Releasees, or any of them, who have consistently taken the position that they have no liability whatsoever to the undersigned.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has executed this Release this day of , .

**REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, INC.
NON-EMPLOYEE DIRECTOR COMPENSATION PROGRAM**

This Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc. (the “Company”) Non-Employee Director Compensation Program (this “Program”) for non-employee directors (the “Directors”) of the board of directors of the Company (the “Board”) shall be effective upon the closing of the Company’s initial public offering of its common stock (the “IPO”). Capitalized terms not otherwise defined herein shall have the meaning ascribed in the Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc. and Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P. 2013 Incentive Award Plan (the “Plan”).

Cash Compensation

Effective upon the IPO, our Directors will become entitled to receive annual retainers in the following amounts, pro-rated for any partial year of service:

Director:	\$25,000
Chair of Audit Committee:	\$10,000
Chair of Compensation Committee:	\$10,000
Chair of Nominating and Corporate Governance Committee:	\$10,000
Lead Independent Director:	\$25,000

The individual serving as Chairman of the Board on the date of the IPO shall receive an annual retainer equal to \$250,000 (pro-rated for any partial year of service) in lieu of the \$25,000 annual retainer payable to Directors.

All annual retainers will be paid in cash quarterly in arrears promptly following the end of the applicable calendar quarter, but in no event more than thirty (30) days after the end of such quarter. For the avoidance of doubt, no Director will receive any annual retainer (or portion thereof) with respect to services provided to the Company prior to the IPO.

Equity Compensation

IPO Restricted Stock Grant: Each Director who is serving at the IPO, other than the Chairman of the Board on the date of the IPO, shall be granted Restricted Stock with a value of \$40,000, granted on the date of the closing of the Company’s IPO (the “IPO Grant”).

The IPO Grant shall vest in substantially equal one-third installments on the first, second and third anniversaries of the closing of the Company’s IPO, subject to continued service.

Initial Restricted Stock Grant: Each Director who is initially elected to serve on the Board after the IPO shall be granted on the date of such initial election or appointment Restricted Stock with a value equal to \$40,000, provided, that if such initial election or appointment does not occur at an annual meeting of the Company’s stockholders, the value of this Restricted Stock grant shall equal the product of (i) \$40,000 multiplied by (ii) a fraction, the

numerator of which equals the number of full calendar months from the date of such election or appointment through the first anniversary of the most recent annual meeting of the Company's stockholders (or the IPO, if no such annual meeting has yet occurred) and the denominator of which equals twelve (the "Initial Grant").

The Initial Grant shall vest in full on the earlier of (i) the date of the annual meeting of the Company's stockholders next following the grant date (it being understood that the Initial Grant shall vest on the date of such annual meeting whether or not the Director is re-elected at such meeting, so long as the Director serves through such meeting) and (ii) the first anniversary of the grant date, subject in each case to continued service.

Annual Restricted Stock Grant:

Each Director who is serving on the Board as of the date of each annual meeting of the Company's stockholders and who is re-elected for another year of service as a Director at such annual meeting shall be granted Restricted Stock with a value of \$40,000 on the date of the applicable annual shareholder meeting (the "Annual Grant").

Each Annual Grant will vest in full on the earlier of (i) the date of the annual meeting of the Company's stockholders next following the grant date (it being understood that the Annual Grant shall vest on the date of such annual meeting whether or not the Director is re-elected at such meeting, so long as the Director serves through such meeting) and (ii) the first anniversary of the grant date, subject in each case to continued service.

Miscellaneous

For purposes of determining the number of shares subject to each IPO Grant, each Initial Grant and each Annual Grant, (i) in the case of an IPO Grant, the dollar value of such grant shall be divided by the initial public offering price of a share of the Common Stock, and (ii) in the case of an Initial Grant or an Annual Grant, the dollar value of such grant shall be divided by the market closing price of a share of the Common Stock on the date of such grant, in each case rounded up to the nearest whole share of Common Stock.

All applicable terms of the Plan apply to this Program as if fully set forth herein, and all grants of Restricted Stock hereby are subject in all respects to the terms of such Plan (as applicable). The grant of any Restricted Stock under this Program shall be made solely by and subject to the terms set forth in a written agreement in a form to be approved by the Board and duly executed by an executive officer of the Company.

Effectiveness, Amendment, Modification and Termination

This Program shall become effective upon the IPO. This Program may be amended, modified or terminated on a prospective basis by the Board in the future at its sole discretion.

CREDIT AGREEMENT

Dated as of July 24, 2013

among

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, L.P.,
as Borrower,

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, INC.,
as Parent,

BANK OF AMERICA, N.A.,
as Administrative Agent, Swing Line Lender
and
L/C Issuer,

and

The Other Lenders Party Hereto

WELLS FARGO BANK, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION
and

JPMORGAN CHASE BANK, N.A.,
as
Co-Syndication Agents

MERRILL LYNCH, PIERCE, FENNER & SMITH INCORPORATED,
as
Sole Lead Arranger and Sole Bookrunner

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CREDIT AGREEMENT

This CREDIT AGREEMENT ("**Agreement**") is entered into as of July 24, 2013, among REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, L.P., a Maryland limited partnership ("**Borrower**"), REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, INC., a Maryland corporation ("**Parent**"), each lender from time to time party hereto (collectively, the "**Lenders**" and individually, a "**Lender**"), and BANK OF AMERICA, N.A., as Administrative Agent, Swing Line Lender and L/C Issuer.

Borrower has requested that the Lenders provide a revolving credit facility, and the Lenders are willing to do so on the terms and conditions set forth herein.

In consideration of the mutual covenants and agreements herein contained, the parties hereto covenant and agree as follows:

Article I. Definitions and Accounting Terms

1.01 **Defined Terms.** As used in this Agreement, the following terms shall have the meanings set forth below:

"**Acceptable Ground Lease**" means each ground lease with respect to any Borrowing Base Property executed by a member of the Consolidated Group, as lessee, (a) that has a remaining lease term (including extension or renewal rights) of at least thirty (30) years, calculated as of the date such Property becomes a Borrowing Base Property, (b) that is in full force and effect, (c) is transferable and assignable either without the landlord's prior consent or with such consent, which, however, will not be unreasonably withheld or conditioned by landlord, (d) pursuant to which (i) no default or terminating event exists thereunder, and (ii) no event has occurred which but for the passage of time, or notice, or both would constitute a default or terminating event thereunder, and (e) that is otherwise reasonably acceptable to Administrative Agent, *provided that* such acceptance shall be deemed to have occurred if Administrative Agent has not indicated that a ground lease is not acceptable within ten (10) Business Days after receipt of a copy of such ground lease.

"**Adjusted EBITDA**" means, as of any date, EBITDA for the Consolidated Group for the most recently ended Calculation Period *minus* the aggregate Annual Capital Expenditure Adjustment for all Properties owned or leased (as ground lessee) by the Consolidated Group.

"**Administrative Agent**" means Bank of America in its capacity as administrative agent under any of the Loan Documents, or any successor administrative agent.

"**Administrative Agent's Office**" means Administrative Agent's address and, as appropriate, account as set forth on **Schedule 12.02**, or such other address or account as Administrative Agent may from time to time notify Borrower and the Lenders.

"**Administrative Questionnaire**" means an Administrative Questionnaire in substantially the form of **Exhibit E-2** or any other form approved by Administrative Agent.

"**Affiliate**" means, with respect to a specified Person, another Person that directly, or indirectly through one or more intermediaries, Controls or is Controlled by or is under common Control with the Person specified.

“**Aggregate Commitments**” means the Commitments of all the Lenders, as adjusted from time to time in accordance with the terms of this Agreement. The Aggregate Commitments as of the Closing Date shall be \$200,000,000.

“**Agreement**” means this Credit Agreement.

“**Annual Capital Expenditure Adjustment**” means, with respect to any Property as of any date, an amount equal to the *product of* (a) \$0.10 *multiplied by* (b) the aggregate net rentable area (determined on a square feet basis) of such Property.

“**Applicable Mortgage Constant**” means, as of any date, a debt constant based upon a thirty (30) year, mortgage-style principal amortization at an interest rate per annum equal to the greater of (a) the ten (10) year Treasury Bill yield as of such date plus two and one-half percent (2.50%), and (b) six percent and one-half percent (6.50%).

“**Applicable Percentage**” means with respect to any Lender at any time, the percentage (carried out to the ninth decimal place) of the Aggregate Commitments represented by such Lender’s Commitment at such time, subject to adjustment as provided in **Section 2.17**. If the commitment of each Lender to make Loans and the obligation of L/C Issuer to make L/C Credit Extensions have been terminated pursuant to **Section 10.02** or if the Aggregate Commitments have expired, then the Applicable Percentage of each Lender shall be determined based on the Applicable Percentage of such Lender most recently in effect, giving effect to any subsequent assignments. The initial Applicable Percentage of each Lender is set forth opposite the name of such Lender on **Schedule 2.01** or in the Assignment and Assumption pursuant to which such Lender becomes a party hereto, as applicable.

“**Applicable Rate**” means, from time to time, the following percentages per annum, based upon the Leverage Ratio as set forth in the most-recent Compliance Certificate received by Administrative Agent pursuant to **Section 8.02(a)**:

Applicable Rate

Pricing Level	Leverage Ratio	Letters of Credit	Eurodollar Rate	Base Rate
1	< 30%	1.35%	1.35%	0.40%
2	³ 30% but < 40%	1.50%	1.50%	0.50%
3	³ 40% but < 50%	1.70%	1.70%	0.70%
4	³ 50% but < 55%	1.85%	1.85%	0.85%
5	³ 55%	2.05%	2.05%	1.05%

Any increase or decrease in the Applicable Rate resulting from a change in the Leverage Ratio shall become effective as of the first (1st) Business Day immediately following the date a Compliance Certificate is delivered pursuant to **Section 8.02(a)**; *provided that* if a Compliance Certificate is not delivered when due in accordance with such Section, then, upon the request of Required Lenders, Pricing Level 5 shall apply as of the first (1st) Business Day after the date on which such Compliance Certificate was required to have been delivered and shall remain in effect until the date on which such Compliance Certificate is delivered. The Applicable Rate in effect from the Closing Date until adjusted as set forth above shall be set at Pricing Level 1.

“**Approved Fund**” means any Fund that is administered or managed by (a) a Lender, (b) an Affiliate of a Lender or (c) an entity or an Affiliate of an entity that administers or manages a Lender.

“**Arranger**” means Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith Incorporated, in its capacity as sole lead arranger and sole bookrunner.

“**Assignment and Assumption**” means an assignment and assumption entered into by a Lender and an Eligible Assignee (with the consent of any party whose consent is required by **Section 12.06(b)**), and accepted by Administrative Agent, in substantially the form of **Exhibit E-1** or any other form (including electronic documentation generated by MarkitClear or other electronic platform) approved by Administrative Agent.

“**Attributable Indebtedness**” means, on any date, (a) in respect of any capital lease of any Person, the capitalized amount thereof that would appear on a balance sheet of such Person prepared as of such date in accordance with GAAP, and (b) in respect of any Synthetic Lease Obligation, the capitalized amount of the remaining lease payments under the relevant lease that would appear on a balance sheet of such Person prepared as of such date in accordance with GAAP if such lease were accounted for as a capital lease.

“**Availability Period**” means the period from and including the Closing Date to the earliest of (a) the Maturity Date, (b) the date of termination of the Aggregate Commitments pursuant to **Section 2.06**, and (c) the date of termination of the commitment of each Lender to make Loans and of the obligation of L/C Issuer to make L/C Credit Extensions pursuant to **Section 10.02**.

“**Bank of America**” means Bank of America, N.A. and its successors.

“**Base Rate**” means for any day a fluctuating rate per annum equal to the highest of (a) the Federal Funds Rate plus one half of one percent (0.5%), (b) the rate of interest in effect for such day as publicly announced from time to time by Bank of America as its “prime rate,” and (c) the Eurodollar Rate plus one percent (1%). The “prime rate” is a rate set by Bank of America based upon various factors including Bank of America’s costs and desired return, general economic conditions and other factors, and is used as a reference point for pricing some loans, which may be priced at, above, or below such announced rate. Any change in such prime rate announced by Bank of America shall take effect at the opening of business on the day specified in the public announcement of such change.

“**Base Rate Committed Loan**” means a Committed Loan that is a Base Rate Loan.

“**Base Rate Loan**” means a Loan that bears interest based on the Base Rate.

“**Borrower**” has the meaning specified in the introductory paragraph hereto.

“**Borrower Materials**” has the meaning specified in **Section 8.02**.

“**Borrowing**” means a Committed Borrowing or a Swing Line Borrowing, as the context may require.

“**Borrowing Base**” means, as of any date, the Properties identified by Borrower in the most-recent Borrowing Base Report that meet the criteria set forth in **Section 5.03**.

“**Borrowing Base Amount**” means, as of any date, the sum of (a) Borrowing Base NOI attributable to the Borrowing Base Properties which have been owned and operated for at least one (1) full fiscal quarter divided by the Capitalization Rate *plus* (b) the book value of the Borrowing Base Properties which have not been owned and operated for at least one (1) full fiscal quarter; *provided that* the aggregate amount of the Borrowing Base Amount attributable to Borrowing Base Properties described

in *clause (b)* above shall not exceed ten percent (10%). For purposes of determining the “**Borrowing Base Amount**”, (i) no more than twenty percent (20%) of the Borrowing Base Amount shall be attributable to any single Borrowing Base Property, (ii) no more than fifteen percent (15%) of the Borrowing Base NOI may be from a single tenant, with any excess over such limit being deducted from the Borrowing Base NOI, and (iii) no more than fifteen percent (15%) of the Borrowing Base Amount shall be attributable to Borrowing Base Properties that are ground leased pursuant to Acceptable Ground Leases.

“**Borrowing Base NOI**” means, for the Borrowing Base Properties, (a) in the case of any Borrowing Base Property that has been owned and operated for at least four (4) fiscal quarters, the Net Operating Income from such Borrowing Base Property for the then most recently ended Calculation Period *minus* the Annual Capital Expenditure Adjustment with respect to such Borrowing Base Property, *plus* (b) in the case of any Borrowing Base Property that has been owned and operated for more than one (1) full but less than four (4) full fiscal quarters as of the most recently ended Calculation Period, the Net Operating Income from such Borrowing Base Property for the period from the first day of the first full fiscal quarter during which such Borrowing Base Property was owned and operated through the end of the most recently ended fiscal quarter for which financial statements have been delivered, divided by the number of quarters in such period and multiplied by four (4) *minus* the Annual Capital Expenditure Adjustment with respect to such Borrowing Base Property, *plus* (c) in the case of any Borrowing Base Property that has been owned and operated for less than one (1) full fiscal quarter, an estimated amount of quarterly Net Operating Income from such Borrowing Base Property (as determined based on rent rolls and operating statements provided in connection with the acquisition of such Borrowing Base Property and calculated in a manner satisfactory to Administrative Agent) multiplied by four (4) *minus* the Annual Capital Expenditure Adjustment with respect to such Borrowing Base Property; *provided that* the aggregate amount of the Borrowing Base NOI from Borrowing Base Properties described in *clause (c)* above shall not exceed ten percent (10%) of the aggregate Borrowing Base NOI. For the avoidance of doubt, (i) the Net Operating Income of a Borrowing Base Property that is sold within a fiscal quarter will be excluded in calculating Borrowing Base NOI and (ii) income from, and identifiable and avoidable expenses directly related to, tenants in bankruptcy will be excluded in calculating Borrowing Base NOI.

“**Borrowing Base Properties**” means, as of any date, the Properties that are included in the Borrowing Base as of such date, and “**Borrowing Base Property**” means any one of the Borrowing Base Properties.

“**Borrowing Base Report**” means a report in substantially the form of *Exhibit F* (or such other form reasonably approved by Administrative Agent) certified by a Responsible Officer of Parent, for itself and on behalf of Borrower.

“**Business Day**” means any day other than a Saturday, Sunday or other day on which commercial banks are authorized to close under the Laws of, or are in fact closed in, the state where Administrative Agent’s Office is located or Los Angeles, California and, if such day relates to any Eurodollar Rate Loan, means any such day that is also a London Banking Day.

“**Calculation Period**” means, as of any date, the most recent four (4) fiscal quarter period ending on or prior to such date for which financial statements have been delivered or were required to be delivered pursuant to *Section 8.01(a)* or *Section 8.01(b)*.

“**Capitalization Rate**” means seven and one-quarter percent (7.25%).

“**Cash Collateralize**” means to pledge and deposit with or deliver to Administrative Agent, for the benefit of one or more of L/C Issuer or the Lenders, as collateral for L/C Obligations or obligations of the Lenders to fund participations in respect of L/C Obligations, cash or deposit account balances or, if Administrative Agent and L/C Issuer shall agree in their sole discretion, other credit support, in each case pursuant to documentation in form and substance reasonably satisfactory to Administrative Agent and L/C Issuer. “**Cash Collateral**” shall have a meaning correlative to the foregoing and shall include the proceeds of such cash collateral and other credit support.

“**Casualty**” means, with respect to any Borrowing Base Property, such Borrowing Base Property shall be damaged or destroyed, in whole or in part, by fire or other casualty.

“**CERCLIS**” means the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Information System maintained by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency.

“**Change in Law**” means the occurrence, after the date of this Agreement, of any of the following: (a) the adoption or taking effect of any law, rule, regulation or treaty, (b) any change in any law, rule, regulation (including, without limitation, Regulation D of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System) or treaty or in the administration, interpretation, implementation or application thereof by any Governmental Authority or (c) the making or issuance of any request, rule, guideline or directive (whether or not having the force of law) by any Governmental Authority; *provided that* notwithstanding anything herein to the contrary, (x) the Dodd-Frank Wall Street Reform and Consumer Protection Act and all requests, rules, guidelines or directives thereunder or issued in connection therewith and (y) all requests, rules, guidelines or directives promulgated by the Bank for International Settlements, the Basel Committee on Banking Supervision (or any successor or similar authority) or the United States or foreign regulatory authorities, in each case pursuant to Basel III, shall in each case be deemed to be a “**Change in Law**,” regardless of the date enacted, adopted or issued.

“**Change of Control**” means an event or series of events by which:

(a) any “**person**” or “**group**” (as such terms are used in *Sections 13(d)* and *14(d)* of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, but excluding any employee benefit plan of such person or its subsidiaries, and any person or entity acting in its capacity as trustee, agent or other fiduciary or administrator of any such plan) becomes the “**beneficial owner**” (as defined in Rules 13d-3 and 13d-5 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, except that a person or group shall be deemed to have “beneficial ownership” of all securities that such person or group has the right to acquire, whether such right is exercisable immediately or only after the passage of time (such right, an “**option right**”)), directly or indirectly, of thirty-five percent (35%) or more of the equity securities of Parent entitled to vote for members of the board of directors or equivalent governing body of Parent on a fully-diluted basis (and taking into account all such securities that such person or group has the right to acquire pursuant to any option right); or

(b) during any period of twelve (12) consecutive months, a majority of the members of the board of directors or other equivalent governing body of Parent cease to be composed of individuals (i) who were members of that board or equivalent governing body on the first day of such period, (ii) whose election or nomination to that board or equivalent governing body was approved by individuals referred to in *clause (i)* above constituting at the time of such election or nomination at least a majority of that board or equivalent governing body or (iii) whose election or nomination to that board or other equivalent governing body was approved by individuals referred to in *clauses (i)* and *(ii)* above constituting at the time of such election or nomination at least a majority of that board or equivalent governing body (excluding, in the case of both *clause (ii)* and *clause (iii)*, any individual whose initial nomination for, or assumption of office as, a member of that board or equivalent governing body occurs as a result of an actual or threatened solicitation of proxies or consents for the election or removal of one or more directors by any person or group other than a solicitation for the election of one or more directors by or on behalf of the board of directors); or

(c) the passage of thirty (30) days from the date upon which any Person or two or more Persons acting in concert shall have acquired by contract or otherwise, or shall have entered into a contract or arrangement (excluding any contract or arrangement which, by its terms, requires as a condition to the closing of such transaction that the Obligations under this Agreement (other than Unmatured Surviving Obligations) be refinanced or paid in full) that, upon consummation thereof, will result in its or their acquisition of the power to exercise, directly or indirectly, a controlling influence over the management or policies of Parent, or control over the equity securities of Parent entitled to vote for members of the board of directors or equivalent governing body of Parent on a fully-diluted basis (and taking into account all such securities that such Person or group has the right to acquire pursuant to any option right) representing twenty-five percent (25%) or more of the combined voting power of such securities; or

(d) Parent shall cease to be the sole general partner of Borrower; or

(e) Parent shall cease to own, directly or indirectly, at least fifty percent (50%) of the issued and outstanding Equity Interests of Borrower; or

(g) Borrower shall cease to own, directly or indirectly, all of the issued and outstanding Equity Interests in each Guarantor (other than Parent).

“**Closing Date**” means the first date all the conditions precedent in **Section 6.01** are satisfied or waived in accordance with **Section 12.01**.

“**Code**” means the Internal Revenue Code of 1986.

“**Commitment**” means, as to each Lender, its obligation to (a) make Committed Loans to Borrower pursuant to **Section 2.01**, (b) purchase participations in L/C Obligations, and (c) purchase participations in Swing Line Loans, in an aggregate principal amount at any one time outstanding not to exceed the amount set forth opposite such Lender’s name on **Schedule 2.01** or in the Assignment and Assumption pursuant to which such Lender becomes a party hereto, as applicable, as such amount may be adjusted from time to time in accordance with this Agreement.

“**Committed Borrowing**” means a borrowing consisting of simultaneous Committed Loans of the same Type and, in the case of Eurodollar Rate Loans, having the same Interest Period made by each of the Lenders pursuant to **Section 2.01**.

“**Committed Loan**” has the meaning specified in **Section 2.01**.

“**Committed Loan Notice**” means a notice of (a) a Committed Borrowing, (b) a conversion of Committed Loans from one Type to the other, or (c) a continuation of Eurodollar Rate Loans, pursuant to **Section 2.02(a)**, which, if in writing, shall be substantially in the form of **Exhibit A**.

“**Commodity Exchange Act**” means the Commodity Exchange Act (7 U.S.C. § 1 *et seq.*) and any successor statute.

“**Compliance Certificate**” means a certificate substantially in the form of **Exhibit D**.

“**Condemnation**” means a temporary or permanent taking by any Governmental Authority as the result, in lieu, or in anticipation, of the exercise of the right of condemnation or eminent domain of all or any part of any Property, or any interest therein or right accruing thereto, including any right of access thereto or any change of grade affecting any Property or any part thereof.

“**Connection Income Taxes**” means Other Connection Taxes that are imposed on or measured by net income (however denominated) or that are franchise Taxes or branch profits Taxes.

“**Consolidated Group**” means the Loan Parties and their Subsidiaries.

“**Contractual Obligation**” means, as to any Person, any provision of any agreement, instrument or other undertaking to which such Person is a party or by which it or any of its property is bound.

“**Control**” means the possession, directly or indirectly, of the power to direct or cause the direction of the management or policies of a Person, whether through the ability to exercise voting power, by contract or otherwise. “**Controlling**” and “**Controlled**” have meanings correlative thereto.

“**Credit Extension**” means each of the following: (a) a Borrowing; and (b) an L/C Credit Extension.

“**Customary Recourse Exceptions**” means, with respect to any Indebtedness, personal recourse that is limited to fraud, misrepresentation, misapplication of cash, waste, environmental claims and liabilities, prohibited transfers, violations of single-purpose entity covenants, voluntary insolvency proceedings and other circumstances customarily excluded by institutional lenders from exculpation provisions and/or included in separate guaranty or indemnification agreements in non-recourse financing of real property.

“**Debtor Relief Laws**” means the Bankruptcy Code of the United States, and all other liquidation, conservatorship, bankruptcy, assignment for the benefit of creditors, moratorium, rearrangement, receivership, insolvency, reorganization, or similar debtor relief Laws of the United States or other applicable jurisdictions from time to time in effect.

“**Debt Service Coverage Ratio**” means, as of any date, the ratio of (a) the Borrowing Base NOI for all Borrowing Base Properties for the then most recently ended Calculation Period to (b) the *product of* (i) a hypothetical maximum amount of principal of Loans *times* (ii) the Applicable Mortgage Constant.

“**Default**” means any event or condition that constitutes an Event of Default or that, with the giving of any notice, the passage of time, or both, would be an Event of Default.

“**Default Rate**” means (a) when used with respect to Obligations other than Letter of Credit Fees, an interest rate equal to (i) the Base Rate *plus* (ii) the Applicable Rate, if any, applicable to Base Rate Loans *plus* (iii) two percent (2%) per annum; *provided, however*, that with respect to a Eurodollar Rate Loan, the Default Rate shall be an interest rate equal to the interest rate (including any Applicable Rate) otherwise applicable to such Loan *plus* two percent (2%) per annum, and (b) when used with respect to Letter of Credit Fees, a rate equal to the Applicable Rate for Letters of Credit *plus* two percent (2%) per annum.

“**Defaulting Lender**” means, subject to **Section 2.17(b)**, any Lender that (a) has failed to (i) fund all or any portion of its Loans within two (2) Business Days of the date such Loans were required to be funded hereunder unless such Lender notifies Administrative Agent and Borrower in writing that such failure is the result of such Lender’s determination that one or more conditions precedent to funding (each

of which conditions precedent, together with any applicable default, shall be specifically identified in such writing) has not been satisfied, or (ii) pay to Administrative Agent, L/C Issuer, Swing Line Lender or any other Lender any other amount required to be paid by it hereunder (including in respect of its participation in Letters of Credit or Swing Line Loans) within two (2) Business Days of the date when due, (b) has notified Borrower, Administrative Agent, L/C Issuer or Swing Line Lender in writing that it does not intend to comply with its funding obligations hereunder, or has made a public statement to that effect (unless such writing or public statement relates to such Lender's obligation to fund a Loan hereunder and states that such position is based on such Lender's determination that a condition precedent to funding (which condition precedent, together with any applicable default, shall be specifically identified in such writing or public statement) cannot be satisfied), (c) has failed, within three (3) Business Days after written request by Administrative Agent or Borrower, to confirm in writing to Administrative Agent and Borrower that it will comply with its prospective funding obligations hereunder (*provided that* such Lender shall cease to be a Defaulting Lender pursuant to this *clause (c)* upon receipt of such written confirmation by Administrative Agent and Borrower), or (d) has, or has a direct or indirect parent company that has, (i) become the subject of a proceeding under any Debtor Relief Law, or (ii) had appointed for it a receiver, custodian, conservator, trustee, administrator, assignee for the benefit of creditors or similar Person charged with reorganization or liquidation of its business or assets, including the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation or any other state or federal regulatory authority acting in such a capacity; *provided that* a Lender shall not be a Defaulting Lender solely by virtue of the ownership or acquisition of any Equity Interest in that Lender or any direct or indirect parent company thereof by a Governmental Authority so long as such ownership interest does not result in or provide such Lender with immunity from the jurisdiction of courts within the United States or from the enforcement of judgments or writs of attachment on its assets or permit such Lender (or such Governmental Authority) to reject, repudiate, disavow or disaffirm any contracts or agreements made with such Lender. Any determination by Administrative Agent that a Lender is a Defaulting Lender under any one or more of *clauses (a)* through *(d)* above, and of the effective date of such status, shall be conclusive and binding absent manifest error, and such Lender shall be deemed to be a Defaulting Lender (subject to *Section 2.17(b)*) as of the date established therefor by Administrative Agent in a written notice of such determination, which shall be delivered by Administrative Agent to Borrower, L/C Issuer, Swing Line Lender and each other Lender promptly following such determination.

"Designated Jurisdiction" means any country or territory to the extent that such country or territory itself is the subject of any Sanction.

"Disposition" or *"Dispose"* means the sale, transfer, license, lease (other than a real estate lease entered into in the ordinary course of business as part of Property leasing operations) or other disposition (including any sale and leaseback transaction) of any property by any Person, including any sale, assignment, transfer or other disposal, with or without recourse, of any notes or accounts receivable or any rights and claims associated therewith.

"Dollar" and *"\$"* mean lawful money of the United States.

"EBITDA" means, for the Consolidated Group, on a consolidated basis (without duplication), for any period, an amount equal to (a) Net Income of the Consolidated Group for such period, in each case, excluding (i) any non-recurring or extraordinary gains and losses for such period (including gains and losses on Dispositions not made in the ordinary course of business), (ii) any income or gain and any loss or expense in each case resulting from early extinguishment of Indebtedness, and (iii) any income or gain or any expense or loss resulting from a Swap Contract (including by virtue of a termination thereof), *plus* (b) an amount which, in the determination of Net Income for such period pursuant to *clause (a)* above, has been deducted for or in connection with (i) Interest Expense (including amortization of deferred financing costs, to the extent included in the determination of Interest Expense per GAAP), (ii) income

taxes, (iii) depreciation and amortization, (iv) amounts deducted as a result of the application of FAS 141, (v) non-cash losses and expenses, and (vi) adjustments as a result of the straight lining of rents, all as determined in accordance with GAAP, plus (c) without duplication of amounts included in *clauses (a) and (b)* above with respect to Unconsolidated Affiliates, the amounts described in *clauses (a) and (b)* above of each Unconsolidated Affiliate of the Consolidated Group multiplied by the respective Unconsolidated Affiliate Interest of each member of the Consolidated Group in such Unconsolidated Affiliate, minus (d) all cash payments made during such period on account of non-cash losses and expenses added to EBITDA pursuant to *clause (b)(v)* above in a previous period.

“*Eligible Assignee*” means any Person that meets the requirements to be an assignee under *Section 12.06(b)(iii)* and (v) (subject to such consents, if any, as may be required under *Section 12.06(b)(iii)*).

“*Environmental Assessment*” has the meaning specified in *Section 8.12*.

“*Environmental Claim*” means any investigative, enforcement, cleanup, removal, containment, remedial, or other private or governmental or regulatory action at any time threatened, instituted, or completed pursuant to any applicable Environmental Law against any member of the Consolidated Group or against or with respect to any Property or any condition, use, or activity on any Property (including any such action against Administrative Agent or any Lender), and any claim at any time threatened or made by any Person against any member of the Consolidated Group or against or with respect to any Property or any condition, use, or activity on any Property (including any such claim against Administrative Agent or any Lender), relating to damage, contribution, cost recovery, compensation, loss, or injury resulting from or in any way arising in connection with any Hazardous Material or any Environmental Law.

“*Environmental Laws*” means any and all applicable Federal, state, local, and foreign statutes, laws, regulations, ordinances, rules, judgments, orders, decrees, permits, concessions, grants, franchises, licenses, agreements or governmental restrictions relating to pollution and the protection of the environment or the release of any materials into the environment, including those related to Hazardous Materials.

“*Environmental Liability*” means, with respect to any member of the Consolidated Group, any liability (including any liability for damages, costs of environmental remediation, fines, penalties or indemnities) of such member of the Consolidated Group resulting from (a) any violation of any Environmental Law, (b) the generation, use, handling, transportation, storage, treatment or disposal of any Hazardous Materials, (c) exposure to any Hazardous Materials, (d) the release or threatened release of any Hazardous Materials into the environment or (e) any contract, agreement or other consensual arrangement pursuant to which liability is assumed by or imposed on any member of the Consolidated Group with respect to any of the foregoing.

“*Equity Interests*” means, with respect to any Person, all of the shares of capital stock of (or other ownership or profit interests in) such Person, all of the warrants, options or other rights for the purchase or acquisition from such Person of shares of capital stock of (or other ownership or profit interests in) such Person, all of the securities convertible into or exchangeable for shares of capital stock of (or other ownership or profit interests in) such Person or warrants, rights or options for the purchase or acquisition from such Person of such shares (or such other interests), and all of the other ownership or profit interests in such Person (including partnership, member or trust interests therein), whether voting or nonvoting, and whether or not such shares, warrants, options, rights or other interests are outstanding on any date of determination.

“*ERISA*” means the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974.

“**ERISA Affiliate**” means any trade or business (whether or not incorporated) under common control with any Loan Party within the meaning of *Section 414(b) or (c)* of the Code (and *Sections 414(m) and (o)* of the Code for purposes of provisions relating to *Section 412* of the Code).

“**ERISA Event**” means (a) a Reportable Event with respect to a Pension Plan; (b) the withdrawal of any Loan Party or any ERISA Affiliate from a Pension Plan subject to *Section 4063* of ERISA during a plan year in which such entity was a “substantial employer” as defined in *Section 4001(a)(2)* of ERISA or a cessation of operations that is treated as such a withdrawal under *Section 4062(e)* of ERISA; (c) a complete or partial withdrawal (within the meaning of *Section 4203* and *4205* of ERISA) by any Loan Party or any ERISA Affiliate from a Multiemployer Plan if any Loan Party has any potential liability therefor or receipt of notification that a Multiemployer Plan is in reorganization pursuant to *Section 4241* of ERISA; (d) the filing of a notice of intent to terminate a Pension Plan or Multiemployer Plan or the treatment of a Pension Plan or Multiemployer Plan amendment as a termination under *Section 4041* or *4041A* of ERISA; (e) the institution by the PBGC of proceedings to terminate a Pension Plan or Multiemployer Plan; (f) any event or condition which constitutes grounds under *Section 4042* of ERISA for the termination of, or the appointment of a trustee to administer, any Pension Plan; (g) the determination that any Pension Plan or Multiemployer Plan is considered an at-risk plan or a plan in endangered or critical status within the meaning of *Sections 430, 431* and *432* of the Code or *Sections 303, 304* and *305* of ERISA, as applicable; or (h) the imposition of any liability under Title IV of ERISA, other than for PBGC premiums due but not delinquent under *Section 4007* of ERISA, upon any Loan Party or any ERISA Affiliate.

“**Eurocurrency liabilities**” has the meaning specified in *Section 3.04(e)*.

“**Eurodollar Rate**” means:

(a) for any Interest Period with respect to a Eurodollar Rate Loan, the rate per annum equal to (i) the British Bankers Association LIBOR Rate or the successor thereto if the British Bankers Association is no longer making a LIBOR rate available (“**LIBOR**”), as published by Reuters (or such other commercially available source providing quotations of LIBOR as may be designated by Administrative Agent from time to time) at approximately 11:00 a.m., London time, two (2) London Banking Days prior to the commencement of such Interest Period, for Dollar deposits (for delivery on the first day of such Interest Period) with a term equivalent to such Interest Period or, (ii) if such rate is not available at such time for any reason, the rate per annum determined by Administrative Agent to be the rate at which deposits in Dollars for delivery on the first day of such Interest Period in same day funds in the approximate amount of the Eurodollar Rate Loan being made, continued or converted and with a term equivalent to such Interest Period would be offered by Bank of America’s London Branch to major banks in the London interbank eurodollar market at their request at approximately 11:00 a.m. (London time) two (2) London Banking Days prior to the commencement of such Interest Period; and

(b) for any interest calculation with respect to a Base Rate Loan on any date, the rate per annum equal to (i) LIBOR, at approximately 11:00 a.m., London time determined two (2) London Banking Days prior to such date for Dollar deposits being delivered in the London interbank market for a term of one month commencing that day or (ii) if such published rate is not available at such time for any reason, the rate per annum determined by Administrative Agent to be the rate at which deposits in Dollars for delivery on the date of determination in same day funds in the approximate amount of the Base Rate Loan being made or maintained and with a term equal to one month would be offered by Bank of America’s London Branch to major banks in the London interbank eurodollar market at their request at the date and time of determination.

“**Eurodollar Rate Loan**” means a Committed Loan that bears interest at a rate based on *clause (a)* of the definition of “*Eurodollar Rate*.”

“**Event of Default**” has the meaning specified in *Section 10.01*.

“**Excluded Taxes**” means any of the following Taxes imposed on or with respect to any Recipient or required to be withheld or deducted from a payment to a Recipient, (a) Taxes imposed on or measured by net income (however denominated), franchise Taxes, and branch profits Taxes, in each case, (i) imposed as a result of such Recipient being organized under the laws of, or having its principal office or, in the case of any Lender, its Lending Office located in, the jurisdiction imposing such Tax (or any political subdivision thereof) or (ii) that are Other Connection Taxes, (b) in the case of a Lender, U.S. federal withholding Taxes imposed on amounts payable to or for the account of such Lender with respect to an applicable interest in a Loan or Commitment pursuant to a law in effect on the date on which (i) such Lender acquires such interest in the Loan or Commitment (other than pursuant to an assignment request by Borrower under *Section 3.06(b)*) or (ii) such Lender changes its Lending Office, except in each case to the extent that, pursuant to *Section 3.01(a)(ii)* or *3.01(c)*, amounts with respect to such Taxes were payable either to such Lender’s assignor immediately before such Lender became a party hereto or to such Lender immediately before it changed its Lending Office, (c) Taxes attributable to such Recipient’s failure to comply with *Section 3.01(e)* and (d) any U.S. federal withholding Taxes imposed pursuant to FATCA.

“**Exclusion Event**” means (a) a Borrowing Base Property fails to satisfy the criteria set forth in *Section 5.03* to be a Borrowing Base Property after the date such Borrowing Base Property was admitted into the Borrowing Base, or (b) a Borrowing Base Property is subject to any Casualty or Condemnation that could reasonably be expected to result in a Material Property Event.

“**FASB ASC**” means the Accounting Standards Codification of the Financial Accounting Standards Board.

“**FATCA**” means *Sections 1471* through *1474* of the Code, as of the date of this Agreement (or any amended or successor version that is substantively comparable and not materially more onerous to comply with) and any current or future regulations or official interpretations thereof and any agreements entered into pursuant to *Section 1471(b)(1)* of the Code.

“**Federal Funds Rate**” means, for any day, the rate per annum equal to the weighted average of the rates on overnight Federal funds transactions with members of the Federal Reserve System arranged by Federal funds brokers on such day, as published by the Federal Reserve Bank of New York on the Business Day next succeeding such day; *provided that* (a) if such day is not a Business Day, the Federal Funds Rate for such day shall be such rate on such transactions on the next preceding Business Day as so published on the next succeeding Business Day, and (b) if no such rate is so published on such next succeeding Business Day, the Federal Funds Rate for such day shall be the average rate (rounded upward, if necessary, to a whole multiple of one one-hundredth of one percent (1/100 of 1%)) charged to Bank of America on such day on such transactions as determined by Administrative Agent.

“**Fee Letter**” means the fee letter agreement dated May 13, 2013, among Borrower, Parent, Administrative Agent and Arranger.

“**First Extended Maturity Date**” means July 24, 2017.

“**Fixed Charges**” means, for the Consolidated Group, on a consolidated basis, for any period, the sum (without duplication) of (a) Interest Expense required to be paid in cash during such period, *plus* (b) scheduled principal payments on account of Indebtedness of the Consolidated Group (excluding any balloon payments on any Indebtedness, but only to the extent that the amount of such balloon payment is greater than the scheduled principal payment immediately preceding such balloon payment), *plus* (c) Restricted Payments paid in cash (other than to a member of the Consolidated Group) with respect to preferred Equity Interests of any member of the Consolidated Group, *plus* (d) the amounts described in *clauses (a) and (b)* above of each Unconsolidated Affiliate of the Consolidated Group multiplied by the respective Unconsolidated Affiliate Interest of each member of the Consolidated Group in such Unconsolidated Affiliate, all for such period.

“**Foreign Lender**” means a Lender that is not a U.S. Person.

“**FRB**” means the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System of the United States.

“**Fronting Exposure**” means, at any time there is a Defaulting Lender, (a) with respect to L/C Issuer, such Defaulting Lender’s Applicable Percentage of the outstanding L/C Obligations other than L/C Obligations as to which such Defaulting Lender’s participation obligation has been reallocated to other Lenders or Cash Collateralized in accordance with the terms hereof, and (b) with respect to Swing Line Lender, such Defaulting Lender’s Applicable Percentage of Swing Line Loans other than Swing Line Loans as to which such Defaulting Lender’s participation obligation has been reallocated to other Lenders in accordance with the terms hereof.

“**Fund**” means any Person (other than a natural person) that is (or will be) engaged in making, purchasing, holding or otherwise investing in commercial loans and similar extensions of credit in the ordinary course of its activities.

“**Funds from Operations**” means, for any Person for any period, the sum of (a) Net Income *plus* (b) depreciation and amortization expense determined in accordance with GAAP excluding amortization expense attributable to capitalized debt costs; *provided that* there shall not be included in such calculation (i) any proceeds of any insurance policy other than rental or business interruption insurance received by such Person, (ii) any gain or loss which is classified as “extraordinary” in accordance with GAAP, (iii) any capital gains and taxes on capital gains, (iv) income (or loss) associated with third-party ownership of non-controlling Equity Interests, and (v) gains or losses on the sale of discontinued operations.

“**GAAP**” means generally accepted accounting principles in the United States set forth in the opinions and pronouncements of the Accounting Principles Board and the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants and statements and pronouncements of the Financial Accounting Standards Board or such other principles as may be approved by a significant segment of the accounting profession in the United States, that are applicable to the circumstances as of the date of determination, consistently applied.

“**Governmental Authority**” means the government of the United States or any other nation, or of any political subdivision thereof, whether state or local, and any agency, authority, instrumentality, regulatory body, court, central bank or other entity exercising executive, legislative, judicial, taxing, regulatory or administrative powers or functions of or pertaining to government (including any supranational bodies such as the European Union or the European Central Bank).

“**Guarantee**” means, as to any Person, (a) any obligation, contingent or otherwise, of such Person guaranteeing or having the economic effect of guaranteeing any Indebtedness or other obligation payable or performable by another Person (the “*primary obligor*”) in any manner, whether directly or indirectly, and including any obligation of such Person, direct or indirect, (i) to purchase or pay (or advance or

supply funds for the purchase or payment of) such Indebtedness or other obligation, (ii) to purchase or lease property, securities or services for the purpose of assuring the obligee in respect of such Indebtedness or other obligation of the payment or performance of such Indebtedness or other obligation, (iii) to maintain working capital, equity capital or any other financial statement condition or liquidity or level of income or cash flow of the primary obligor so as to enable the primary obligor to pay such Indebtedness or other obligation, or (iv) entered into for the purpose of assuring in any other manner the obligee in respect of such Indebtedness or other obligation of the payment or performance thereof or to protect such obligee against loss in respect thereof (in whole or in part), or (b) any Lien on any assets of such Person securing any Indebtedness or other obligation of any other Person, whether or not such Indebtedness or other obligation is assumed by such Person (or any right, contingent or otherwise, of any holder of such Indebtedness to obtain any such Lien). The amount of any Guarantee shall be deemed to be an amount equal to the stated or determinable amount of the related primary obligation, or portion thereof, in respect of which such Guarantee is made or, if not stated or determinable, the maximum reasonably anticipated liability in respect thereof as determined by the guaranteeing Person in good faith. The term “*Guarantee*” as a verb has a corresponding meaning.

“*Guaranteed Obligations*” has the meaning specified in *Section 4.01*.

“*Guaranties*” means the Subsidiary Guaranty and the Guaranty given by Parent pursuant to *Article IV* of this Agreement, and “*Guaranty*” means any one of the Guaranties.

“*Guarantors*” means, collectively, (a) Parent, (b) the Subsidiary Guarantors and (c) with respect to the payment and performance by each Specified Loan Party of its obligations under its Guaranty with respect to all Swap Obligations, Borrower; and “*Guarantor*” means any one of the Guarantors.

“*Hazardous Materials*” means all explosive or radioactive substances or wastes and all hazardous or toxic substances, wastes or other pollutants, including petroleum or petroleum distillates, asbestos or asbestos-containing materials, polychlorinated biphenyls, radon gas, infectious or medical wastes and all other substances or wastes of any nature regulated pursuant to any Law.

“*Historical Financial Statements*” means (a) the audited statements and balance sheets and the related statements of income or operations, changes in shareholders’ equity, and cash flows of the predecessor of Parent for the fiscal years ending December 31, 2011 and December 31, 2012, and (b) the balance sheets and the related statements of income or operations, changes in shareholders’ equity, and cash flows of the predecessor of Parent for the fiscal quarter ended March 31, 2013, certified by the chief financial officer or treasurer of Parent that such statements fairly present the consolidated financial condition of the predecessor of Parent as of such dates and the consolidated results of operations of the predecessor of Parent for the period ended on such dates, all in accordance with GAAP.

“*Immaterial Subsidiaries*” means one (1) or more Subsidiaries of Parent (other than any Subsidiary Guarantor) whose assets that are used in the calculation of Total Asset Value do not exceed (a) two percent (2%) of Total Asset Value for any one (1) Subsidiary or (b) five percent (5%) of Total Asset Value in the aggregate for all such Subsidiaries, and “*Immaterial Subsidiary*” means any one of the Immaterial Subsidiaries.

“*Improvements*” means any member of the Consolidated Group’s interest in and to all onsite and offsite improvements to any Property, together with all fixtures, tenant improvements, and appurtenances now or later to be located on such Property and/or in such improvements.

“**Increase Effective Date**” has the meaning specified in **Section 2.15(d)**.

“**Indebtedness**” means, for any Person at a particular time, without duplication, all of the following, whether or not included as indebtedness or liabilities in accordance with GAAP:

- (a) all obligations of such Person for borrowed money and all obligations of such Person evidenced by bonds, debentures, notes, loan agreements or other similar instruments;
- (b) all direct or contingent obligations of such Person arising under letters of credit (including standby and commercial), bankers’ acceptances, bank guaranties, surety bonds and similar instruments to the extent such instruments or agreements support financial, rather than performance, obligations;
- (c) net obligations of such Person under any Swap Contract;
- (d) all obligations of such Person to pay the deferred purchase price of property or services (other than trade accounts payable that are not past due for more than ninety (90) days, unless such obligations are being contested in good faith);
- (e) indebtedness (excluding prepaid interest thereon) secured by a Lien on property owned or being purchased by such Person (including indebtedness arising under conditional sales or other title retention agreements), whether or not such indebtedness shall have been assumed by such Person or is limited in recourse;
- (f) capital leases and Synthetic Lease Obligations;
- (g) all obligations of such Person to purchase, redeem, retire, defease or otherwise make any payment in respect of any Equity Interest in such Person or any other Person, valued, in the case of a redeemable preferred interest, at the greater of its voluntary or involuntary liquidation preference *plus* accrued and unpaid dividends; and
- (h) all Guarantees of such Person in respect of any of the foregoing.

For all purposes hereof, the Indebtedness of any Person shall include the Indebtedness of any partnership or joint venture (other than a joint venture that is itself a corporation or limited liability company) in which such Person is a general partner or a joint venturer, unless such Indebtedness is expressly made non-recourse to such Person. The amount of any net obligation under any Swap Contract on any date shall be determined in accordance with GAAP. The amount of any capital lease or Synthetic Lease Obligation as of any date shall be deemed to be the amount of Attributable Indebtedness in respect thereof as of such date.

“**Indemnified Taxes**” means (a) Taxes, other than Excluded Taxes, imposed on or with respect to any payment made by or on account of any obligation of any Loan Party under any Loan Document and (b) to the extent not otherwise described in **clause (a)**, Other Taxes.

“**Indemnitees**” has the meaning specified in **Section 12.04(b)**.

“**Information**” has the meaning specified in **Section 12.07**.

“**Initial Borrowing Base Properties**” means the Properties listed on **Schedule 5.01**, and “**Initial Borrowing Base Property**” means any one of the Initial Borrowing Base Properties.

“**Initial Maturity Date**” means July 24, 2016.

“**Interest Expense**” means, for the Consolidated Group, on a consolidated basis, for any period, without duplication, total interest expense determined in accordance with GAAP (including for the avoidance of doubt capitalized interest and interest expense attributable to the Consolidated Group’s ownership interests in Unconsolidated Affiliates) for such period.

“**Interest Payment Date**” means: (a) as to any Loan other than a Base Rate Loan, the last day of each Interest Period applicable to such Loan and the Maturity Date; *provided, however*, that if any Interest Period for a Eurodollar Rate Loan exceeds three (3) months, the respective dates that fall every three (3) months after the beginning of such Interest Period shall also be Interest Payment Dates; and (b) as to any Base Rate Loan (including a Swing Line Loan), the first (1st) Business Day of each calendar month and the Maturity Date.

“**Interest Period**” means as to each Eurodollar Rate Loan, the period commencing on the date such Eurodollar Rate Loan is disbursed or converted to or continued as a Eurodollar Rate Loan and ending on the date one (1), two (2), three (3), or six (6) months, or, subject to availability, fourteen (14) days thereafter, as selected by Borrower in its Committed Loan Notice; *provided that*:

(a) any Interest Period that would otherwise end on a day that is not a Business Day shall be extended to the next succeeding Business Day unless, in the case of a Eurodollar Rate Loan, such Business Day falls in another calendar month, in which case such Interest Period shall end on the next preceding Business Day;

(b) any Interest Period pertaining to a Eurodollar Rate Loan that begins on the last Business Day of a calendar month (or on a day for which there is no numerically corresponding day in the calendar month at the end of such Interest Period) shall end on the last Business Day of the calendar month at the end of such Interest Period; and

(c) no Interest Period shall extend beyond the Maturity Date.

“**Investment**” means, as to any Person, any direct or indirect acquisition or investment by such Person, whether by means of (a) the purchase or other acquisition of capital stock or other securities of another Person, (b) a loan, advance or capital contribution to, Guarantee or assumption of debt of, or purchase or other acquisition of any other debt or equity participation or interest in, another Person, including any partnership or joint venture interest in such other Person and any arrangement pursuant to which the investor Guarantees Indebtedness of such other Person, or (c) the purchase or other acquisition (in one transaction or a series of transactions) of assets of another Person that constitute a business unit. For purposes of covenant compliance, the amount of any Investment shall be the amount actually invested, without adjustment for subsequent increases or decreases in the value of such Investment.

“**IPO**” means the initial public offering and private placement of Parent’s common Equity Interests (a) pursuant to which Parent has received gross proceeds of at least \$185,000,000, and (b) resulting in common Equity Interests of Parent being traded on the New York Stock Exchange.

“**IRS**” means the United States Internal Revenue Service.

“**ISP**” means, with respect to any Letter of Credit, the “International Standby Practices 1998” published by the Institute of International Banking Law & Practice, Inc. (or such later version thereof as may be in effect at the time of issuance).

“Issuer Documents” means with respect to any Letter of Credit, the Letter of Credit Application, and any other document, agreement and instrument entered into by L/C Issuer and Borrower (or any Subsidiary) or in favor of L/C Issuer and relating to such Letter of Credit.

“Laws” means, collectively, all international, foreign, Federal, state and local statutes, treaties, rules, guidelines, regulations, ordinances, codes and administrative or judicial precedents or authorities, including the interpretation or administration thereof by any Governmental Authority charged with the enforcement, interpretation or administration thereof, and all applicable administrative orders, directed duties, requests, licenses, authorizations and permits of, and agreements with, any Governmental Authority, in each case whether or not having the force of law.

“L/C Advance” means, with respect to each Lender, such Lender’s funding of its participation in any L/C Borrowing in accordance with its Applicable Percentage.

“L/C Borrowing” means an extension of credit resulting from a drawing under any Letter of Credit which has not been reimbursed on the date when made or refinanced as a Committed Borrowing.

“L/C Credit Extension” means, with respect to any Letter of Credit, the issuance thereof or extension of the expiry date thereof, or the increase of the amount thereof.

“L/C Issuer” means Bank of America in its capacity as issuer of Letters of Credit hereunder, or any successor issuer of Letters of Credit hereunder.

“L/C Obligations” means, as at any date, the aggregate amount available to be drawn under all outstanding Letters of Credit *plus* the aggregate of all Unreimbursed Amounts, including all L/C Borrowings. For purposes of computing the amount available to be drawn under any Letter of Credit, the amount of such Letter of Credit shall be determined in accordance with **Section 1.06**. For all purposes of this Agreement, if on any date of determination a Letter of Credit has expired by its terms but any amount may still be drawn thereunder by reason of the operation of *Rule 3.14* of the ISP, such Letter of Credit shall be deemed to be “outstanding” in the amount so remaining available to be drawn.

“Lease” means each existing or future lease, sublease (to the extent of any Member of the Consolidated Group’s rights thereunder), or other agreement (other than an Acceptable Ground Lease) under the terms of which any Person has or acquires any right to occupy or use any Property, or any part thereof, or interest therein, and each existing or future guaranty of payment or performance thereunder.

“Lender” has the meaning specified in the introductory paragraph hereto and, unless the context requires otherwise, includes Swing Line Lender.

“Lending Office” means, as to any Lender, the office or offices of such Lender described as such in such Lender’s Administrative Questionnaire, or such other office or offices as a Lender may from time to time notify Borrower and Administrative Agent.

“Letter of Credit” means any standby letter of credit issued hereunder providing for the payment of cash upon the honoring of a presentation thereunder.

“Letter of Credit Application” means an application and agreement for the issuance or amendment of a Letter of Credit in the form from time to time in use by L/C Issuer.

“Letter of Credit Expiration Date” means the day that is seven (7) days prior to the Maturity Date then in effect (or, if such day is not a Business Day, the next preceding Business Day).

“**Letter of Credit Fee**” has the meaning specified in *Section 2.03(h)*.

“**Letter of Credit Sublimit**” means, on any date, an amount equal to the greater of (a) \$20,000,000 and (b) ten percent (10%) of the Aggregate Commitments on such date. The Letter of Credit Sublimit is part of, and not in addition to, the Aggregate Commitments.

“**Leverage Ratio**” means, as of any date, the ratio of (a) Total Indebtedness to (b) Total Asset Value.

“**Lien**” means any mortgage, deed of trust, pledge, hypothecation, assignment, deposit arrangement, encumbrance, lien (statutory or other), charge, or preference, priority or other security interest or preferential arrangement in the nature of a security interest of any kind or nature whatsoever (including any conditional sale or other title retention agreement, any easement, right of way or other encumbrance on title to any Property, and any financing lease having substantially the same economic effect as any of the foregoing).

“**Loan**” means an extension of credit by a Lender to Borrower under *Article II* in the form of a Committed Loan or a Swing Line Loan.

“**Loan Documents**” means this Agreement, each Note, each Issuer Document, any agreement creating or perfecting rights in Cash Collateral pursuant to the provisions of *Section 2.16* of this Agreement, the Subsidiary Guaranty, and the Fee Letter.

“**Loan Parties**” means, collectively, Borrower and each Guarantor, and “**Loan Party**” means any one of the Loan Parties.

“**London Banking Day**” means any day on which dealings in Dollar deposits are conducted by and between banks in the London interbank eurodollar market.

“**Master Agreement**” has the meaning specified in the definition of “**swap Contract**.”

“**Material Adverse Effect**” means: (a) a material adverse change in, or a material adverse effect upon, the operations, business, assets, properties, liabilities (actual or contingent), or condition (financial or otherwise) of Parent and its Subsidiaries, taken as a whole; (b) a material adverse effect on the rights and remedies of Administrative Agent or any Lender under any Loan Documents, or of the ability of the Loan Parties, taken as a whole, to perform their obligations under the Loan Documents; or (c) a material adverse effect upon the legality, validity, binding effect or enforceability against any Loan Party of any Loan Document to which it is a party.

“**Material Environmental Event**” means, with respect to any Property, (a) a violation of any Environmental Law with respect to such Property, or (b) the presence of any Hazardous Materials on, about, or under such Property that, under or pursuant to any Environmental Law, would require remediation, if in the case of either *clause (a)* or *(b)*, such event or circumstance could reasonably be expected to result in (i) a Material Adverse Effect, if such Property is not a Borrowing Base Property, or (ii) a Material Property Event, if such Property is a Borrowing Base Property.

“**Material Property Event**” means, with respect to any Property, the occurrence of any event or circumstance occurring or arising after the date of this Agreement that could reasonably be expected to result in a material adverse effect on the value of such Property.

“**Material Title Defects**” means, with respect to any Property, defects, Liens (other than Permitted Liens), and other encumbrances in the nature of easements, servitudes, restrictions, and rights-of-way that would customarily be deemed unacceptable title exceptions for a prudent lender (i.e., a prudent lender would reasonably determine that such exceptions, individually or in the aggregate, materially impair the value of such Property) or would prevent such Property from being used in the manner in which it is currently being used.

“**Maturity Date**” means (a) if the Initial Maturity Date is not extended to the First Extended Maturity Date pursuant to **Section 2.14**, then the Initial Maturity Date, (b) if the Initial Maturity Date is extended to the First Extended Maturity Date pursuant to **Section 2.14** and the First Extended Maturity Date is not extended to the Second Extended Maturity Date pursuant to **Section 2.14**, then the First Extended Maturity Date, and (c) if the Initial Maturity Date is extended to the First Extended Maturity Date pursuant to **Section 2.14** and the First Extended Maturity Date is extended to the Second Extended Maturity Date pursuant to **Section 2.14**, then the Second Extended Maturity Date; *provided, however*, that in each case, if such date is not a Business Day, then the Maturity Date shall be the next preceding Business Day.

“**Maximum Availability**” means, as of any date, an amount equal to the least of (a) the Aggregate Commitments; (b) the *product* of (i) sixty percent (60%) and the Borrowing Base Amount; and (c) the Mortgageability Amount. Each change in the Borrowing Base Amount and the Mortgageability Amount shall be effective upon receipt of a new Borrowing Base Report pursuant to the terms of this Agreement; *provided that* any increase in the Borrowing Base Amount or the Mortgageability Amount reflected in such Borrowing Base Report shall not become effective until the fifth (5th) Business Day (or such lesser period agreed to in writing by Administrative Agent) following delivery thereof.

“**Minimum Collateral Amount**” means, at any time, (a) with respect to Cash Collateral consisting of cash or deposit account balances provided to reduce or eliminate Fronting Exposure during the existence of a Defaulting Lender, an amount equal to one hundred percent (100%) of the Fronting Exposure of L/C Issuer with respect to Letters of Credit issued and outstanding at such time, and (b) otherwise, an amount equal to one hundred and five percent (105%) of the Outstanding Amount of all L/C Obligations.

“**Mortgageability Amount**” means the maximum amount of principal of Loans that would result in a Debt Service Coverage Ratio equal to 1.50 to 1.0. For purposes of determining the “**Mortgageability Amount**”, (i) no more than twenty percent (20%) of the Mortgageability Amount shall be attributable to any single Borrowing Base Property, (ii) no more than fifteen percent (15%) of the Borrowing Base NOI may be from a single tenant, with any excess over such limit being deducted from the Borrowing Base NOI, and (iii) no more than fifteen percent (15%) of the Mortgageability Amount shall be attributable to Borrowing Base Properties that are ground leased pursuant to Acceptable Ground Leases.

“**Multiemployer Plan**” means any employee benefit plan of the type described in *Section 4001(a)(3)* of ERISA, to which any Loan Party or any ERISA Affiliate makes or is obligated to make contributions, or during the preceding five plan years, has made or been obligated to make contributions.

“**Multiple Employer Plan**” means a Plan which has two or more contributing sponsors (including any Loan Party or any ERISA Affiliate) at least two of whom are not under common control, as such a plan is described in *Section 4064* of ERISA.

“**Negative Pledge**” means a provision of any agreement (other than this Agreement or any other Loan Document) that prohibits the creation of any Lien on any assets of a Person; *provided, however*, that an agreement that establishes a maximum ratio of unsecured debt to unencumbered assets, or of secured debt to total assets, or that otherwise conditions a Person’s ability to encumber its assets upon the maintenance of one or more specified ratios that limit such Person’s ability to encumber its assets but that do not generally prohibit the encumbrance of its assets, or the encumbrance of specific assets, shall not constitute a “*Negative Pledge*” for purposes of this Agreement.

“**Net Income**” means the net income (or loss) of the Consolidated Group for any period; *provided, however*, that Net Income shall exclude (a) extraordinary gains and extraordinary losses for such period, (b) the net income of any Subsidiary of Parent during such period to the extent that the declaration or payment of dividends or similar distributions by such Subsidiary of such income is not permitted by operation of the terms of its organization documents or any agreement, instrument or law applicable to such Subsidiary during such period, except that Parent’s equity in any net loss of any such Subsidiary for such period shall be included in determining Net Income, and (c) any income (or loss) for such period of any Person if such Person is not a Subsidiary of Parent, except that Parent’s equity in the net income of any such Person for such period shall be included in Net Income up to the aggregate amount of cash actually distributed by such Person during such period to Parent or a Subsidiary thereof as a Restricted Payment (and in the case of a Restricted Payment to a Subsidiary of Parent, such Subsidiary is not precluded from further distributing such amount to Parent as described in *clause (b)* of this proviso).

“**Net Operating Income**” means, for any Property for any period, an amount equal to (a) the aggregate gross revenues from the operations of such Property during such period from tenants that were in occupancy and paying rent during such period, *minus* (b) the sum of (i) all expenses and other proper charges incurred in connection with the operation of such Property during such period (including accruals for real estate taxes and insurance, but excluding debt service charges, income taxes, depreciation, amortization, capital expenditures and expenses and other non-cash expenses), and (ii) an amount equal to the greater of (x) two and one-half percent (2.50%) of rents and (y) actual management fees paid in cash, which expenses and accruals shall be calculated in accordance with GAAP.

“**Non-Consenting Lender**” means any Lender that does not approve any consent, waiver or amendment that (a) requires the approval of all Lenders or all affected Lenders in accordance with the terms of **Section 12.01** and (b) has been approved by Required Lenders.

“**Non-Defaulting Lender**” means, at any time, each Lender that is not a Defaulting Lender at such time.

“**Non-Recourse Debt**” means, for any Person, any Indebtedness of such Person in which recourse of the applicable holder of such Indebtedness for non-payment is limited to such holder’s Liens on a particular asset or group of assets (other than for Customary Recourse Exceptions).

“**Note**” means a promissory note made by Borrower in favor of a Lender evidencing Loans made by such Lender, substantially in the form of **Exhibit C**.

“**Obligations**” means all advances to, and debts, liabilities, obligations, covenants and duties of, any Loan Party arising under any Loan Document or otherwise with respect to any Loan or Letter of Credit, whether direct or indirect (including those acquired by assumption), absolute or contingent, due or to become due, now existing or hereafter arising and including interest and fees that accrue after the commencement by or against any Loan Party or any Affiliate thereof of any proceeding under any Debtor Relief Laws naming such Person as the debtor in such proceeding, regardless of whether such interest and fees are allowed claims in such proceeding; *provided* that all references to “*Obligations*” in the Guaranties, and any other Guarantees, security agreement, or pledge agreements delivered to

Administrative Agent to Guarantee, or create or evidence Liens securing, the Obligations shall, in addition to the foregoing, include all present and future indebtedness, liabilities, and obligations now or hereafter arising from, by virtue of, or pursuant to any Swap Contract that relates solely to the Obligations owed to any Person who was Administrative Agent, a Lender or an Affiliate of Administrative Agent or a Lender at the time such Swap Contract was entered into, excluding in each case Excluded Swap Obligations (as defined in the Subsidiary Guaranty).

“**Occupancy Rate**” means, for any Property, the percentage of the rentable area of such Property leased by tenants pursuant to bona fide tenant Leases, which tenants are not more than thirty (30) days late on all rent or other payments due under such Leases and paying cash rent.

“**OFAC**” means the Office of Foreign Assets Control of the United States Department of the Treasury.

“**Organization Documents**” means, (a) with respect to any corporation, the certificate or articles of incorporation and the bylaws (or equivalent or comparable constitutive documents with respect to any non-U.S. jurisdiction); (b) with respect to any limited liability company, the certificate or articles of formation or organization and operating agreement; and (c) with respect to any partnership, joint venture, trust or other form of business entity, the partnership, joint venture or other applicable agreement of formation or organization and any agreement, instrument, filing or notice with respect thereto filed in connection with its formation or organization with the applicable Governmental Authority in the jurisdiction of its formation or organization and, if applicable, any certificate or articles of formation or organization of such entity.

“**Other Connection Taxes**” means, with respect to any Recipient, Taxes imposed as a result of a present or former connection between such Recipient and the jurisdiction imposing such Tax (other than connections arising from such Recipient having executed, delivered, become a party to, performed its obligations under, received payments under, received or perfected a security interest under, engaged in any other transaction pursuant to or enforced any Loan Document, or sold or assigned an interest in any Loan or Loan Document).

“**Other Taxes**” means all present or future stamp, court or documentary, intangible, recording, filing or similar Taxes that arise from any payment made under, from the execution, delivery, performance, enforcement or registration of, from the receipt or perfection of a security interest under, or otherwise with respect to, any Loan Document, except any such Taxes that are Other Connection Taxes imposed with respect to an assignment (other than an assignment made pursuant to **Section 3.06**).

“**Outstanding Amount**” means (a) with respect to Committed Loans and Swing Line Loans on any date, the aggregate outstanding principal amount thereof after giving effect to any borrowings and prepayments or repayments of Committed Loans and Swing Line Loans, as the case may be, occurring on such date; and (b) with respect to any L/C Obligations on any date, the outstanding amount of such L/C Obligations on such date after giving effect to any L/C Credit Extension occurring on such date and any other changes in the aggregate amount of the L/C Obligations as of such date, including as a result of any reimbursements by Borrower of Unreimbursed Amounts.

“**Parent**” has the meaning specified in the introductory paragraph hereto.

“**Participant**” has the meaning specified in **Section 12.06(d)**.

“**Participant Register**” has the meaning specified in **Section 12.06(d)**.

“**PBGC**” means the Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation.

“**Pension Act**” means the Pension Protection Act of 2006.

“**Pension Funding Rules**” means the rules of the Code and ERISA regarding minimum required contributions (including any installment payment thereof) to Pension Plans and Multiemployer Plans and set forth in, with respect to plan years ending prior to the effective date of the Pension Act, *Section 412* of the Code and *Section 302* of ERISA, each as in effect prior to the Pension Act and, thereafter, *Section 412, 430, 431, 432 and 436* of the Code and *Sections 302, 303, 304 and 305* of ERISA.

“**Pension Plan**” means any employee pension benefit plan as defined in *Section 3(2)* of ERISA (including a Multiple Employer Plan but not a Multiemployer Plan) that is maintained or is contributed to by any Loan Party and any ERISA Affiliate and is either covered by Title IV of ERISA or is subject to the minimum funding standards under *Section 412* of the Code.

“**Permitted Liens**” means Liens permitted by *Section 9.01*.

“**Person**” means any natural person, corporation, limited liability company, trust, joint venture, association, company, partnership, Governmental Authority or other entity.

“**Plan**” means any employee benefit plan within the meaning of *Section 3(3)* of ERISA (including a Pension Plan), other than a Multiemployer Plan, maintained for employees of any Loan Party or any ERISA Affiliate or any such Plan to which any Loan Party or any ERISA Affiliate is required to contribute on behalf of any of its employees.

“**Plan Assets**” means the assets of an “*employee benefit plan*,” as defined in *Section 3(3)* of ERISA that is covered by Title I of ERISA or any “*plan*” defined in *Section 4975(e)* of the Code, as described in the Plan Assets Regulation.

“**Plan Assets Regulation**” means 29 C.F.R. *Section 2510.3 -101, et seq.*, as modified by *Section 3(42)* of ERISA.

“**Platform**” has the meaning specified in *Section 8.02*.

“**Pro Forma Financial Statements**” has the meaning specified in *Section 7.05(b)*.

“**Properties**” means real estate properties owned by any member of the Consolidated Group, and “**Property**” means any one of the Properties.

“**Property Information**” has the meaning specified in *Section 5.02*.

“**Public Lender**” has the meaning specified in *Section 8.02*.

“**Recipient**” means Administrative Agent, any Lender, L/C Issuer or any other recipient of any payment to be made by or on account of any obligation of any Loan Party hereunder.

“**Recourse Debt**” means, for any Person, Indebtedness of such Person that is not Non-Recourse Debt; *provided that* Indebtedness of a single-purpose entity which is secured by substantially all of the assets of such single-purpose entity but for which there is no recourse to another member of the Consolidated Group (other than with respect to Customary Recourse Exceptions) shall not be considered Recourse Debt even if such Indebtedness is fully recourse to such single-purpose entity and unsecured

Guarantees with respect to Customary Recourse Exceptions provided by a member of the Consolidated Group of mortgage loans to Subsidiaries or Unconsolidated Affiliates shall not be Recourse Debt as long as no demand for payment or performance thereof has been made.

“**Register**” has the meaning specified in **Section 12.06(c)**.

“**REIT**” means any Person that qualifies as a “real estate investment trust” under *Sections 856 through 860* of the Code.

“**Related Parties**” means, with respect to any Person, such Person’s Affiliates and the partners, directors, officers, employees, agents, trustees, administrators, managers, advisors and representatives of such Person and of such Person’s Affiliates.

“**Reportable Event**” means any of the events set forth in *Section 4043(c)* of ERISA, other than events for which the thirty (30) day notice period has been waived.

“**Request for Credit Extension**” means (a) with respect to a Borrowing, conversion or continuation of Committed Loans, a Committed Loan Notice, (b) with respect to an L/C Credit Extension, a Letter of Credit Application, and (c) with respect to a Swing Line Loan, a Swing Line Loan Notice.

“**Required Lenders**” means, at any time, Lenders having Total Credit Exposures representing more than fifty percent (50%) of the Total Credit Exposures of all Lenders. The Total Credit Exposure of any Defaulting Lender shall be disregarded in determining Required Lenders at any time; *provided that*, the amount of any participation in any Swing Line Loan and Unreimbursed Amounts that such Defaulting Lender has failed to fund that have not been reallocated to and funded by another Lender shall be deemed to be held by the Lender that is Swing Line Lender or L/C Issuer, as the case may be, in making such determination.

“**Responsible Officer**” means the chief executive officer, president, chief financial officer, treasurer, assistant treasurer or controller of a Loan Party and solely for purposes of the delivery of incumbency certificates pursuant to **Section 6.01**, the secretary or any assistant secretary of a Loan Party. Any document delivered hereunder that is signed by a Responsible Officer of a Loan Party shall be conclusively presumed to have been authorized by all necessary corporate, partnership and/or other action on the part of such Loan Party and such Responsible Officer shall be conclusively presumed to have acted on behalf of such Loan Party.

“**Restricted Payment**” means any dividend or other distribution (whether in cash, securities or other property) with respect to any capital stock or other Equity Interest of Borrower or any Subsidiary, or any payment (whether in cash, securities or other property), including any sinking fund or similar deposit, on account of the purchase, redemption, retirement, acquisition, cancellation or termination of any such capital stock or other Equity Interest, or on account of any return of capital to Borrower’s stockholders, partners or members (or the equivalent Person thereof).

“**Revolving Credit Exposure**” means, as to any Lender at any time, the aggregate principal amount at such time of its outstanding Committed Loans and such Lender’s participation in L/C Obligations and Swing Line Loans outstanding at such time.

“**Sanction(s)**” means any international economic sanction administered or enforced by the United States Government (including OFAC), the United Nations Security Council, the European Union, Her Majesty’s Treasury or other relevant sanctions authority.

“**SEC**” means the Securities and Exchange Commission, or any Governmental Authority succeeding to any of its principal functions.

“**Second Extended Maturity Date**” means July 24, 2018

“**Secured Debt**” means, for any Person as of any date, Indebtedness of such Person that is secured by a Lien.

“**Solvent**” means, with respect to any Person on any date of determination, that on such date (a) the fair value of the property of such Person is greater than the total amount of liabilities, including contingent liabilities, of such Person, (b) the present fair salable value of the assets of such Person is not less than the amount that will be required to pay the probable liability of such Person on its debts as they become absolute and matured, (c) such Person does not intend to, and does not believe that it will, incur debts or liabilities beyond such Person’s ability to pay such debts and liabilities as they mature, (d) such Person is not engaged in business or a transaction, and is not about to engage in business or a transaction, for which such Person’s property would constitute an unreasonably small capital, and (e) such Person is able to pay its debts and liabilities, contingent obligations and other commitments as they mature in the ordinary course of business. The amount of contingent liabilities at any time shall be computed as the amount that, in the light of all the facts and circumstances existing at such time, represents the amount that can reasonably be expected to become an actual or matured liability.

“**Specified Loan Party**” means any Loan Party that is not an “eligible contract participant” under the Commodity Exchange Act (determined prior to giving effect to **Section 8.16**).

“**Subsidiary**” of a Person means a corporation, partnership, joint venture, limited liability company or other business entity of which a majority of the shares of securities or other interests having ordinary voting power for the election of directors or other governing body (other than securities or interests having such power only by reason of the happening of a contingency) are at the time beneficially owned, or the management of which is otherwise controlled, directly, or indirectly through one or more intermediaries, or both, by such Person. Unless otherwise specified, all references herein to a “**Subsidiary**” or to “**subsidiaries**” shall refer to a Subsidiary or Subsidiaries of Borrower.

“**Subsidiary Guarantors**” means, as of any date, all Subsidiaries of Borrower that have executed the Subsidiary Guaranty (or an addendum thereto in the form attached to the Subsidiary Guaranty), but excluding all Subsidiaries of Borrower that have been released from the Subsidiary Guaranty, and “**Subsidiary Guarantor**” means any one of the Subsidiary Guarantors.

“**Subsidiary Guaranty**” means the Guaranty Agreement executed by each Subsidiary Guarantor in favor of Administrative Agent, for the benefit of the Lenders, in form and substance reasonably acceptable to Administrative Agent.

“**Swap Contract**” means (a) any and all rate swap transactions, basis swaps, credit derivative transactions, forward rate transactions, commodity swaps, commodity options, forward commodity contracts, equity or equity index swaps or options, bond or bond price or bond index swaps or options or forward bond or forward bond price or forward bond index transactions, interest rate options, forward foreign exchange transactions, cap transactions, floor transactions, collar transactions, currency swap transactions, cross-currency rate swap transactions, currency options, spot contracts, or any other similar transactions or any combination of any of the foregoing (including any options to enter into any of the foregoing), whether or not any such transaction is governed by or subject to any master agreement, and (b) any and all transactions of any kind, and the related confirmations, which are subject to the terms and conditions of, or governed by, any form of master agreement published by the International Swaps and

Derivatives Association, Inc., any International Foreign Exchange Master Agreement, or any other master agreement (any such master agreement, together with any related schedules, a “**Master Agreement**”), including any such obligations or liabilities under any Master Agreement.

“**Swap Obligations**” means, with respect to any Subsidiary Guarantor, any obligation to pay or perform under any agreement, contract or transaction that constitutes a “swap” within the meaning of *Section 1a(47)* of the Commodity Exchange Act.

“**Swap Termination Value**” means, in respect of any one or more Swap Contracts, after taking into account the effect of any legally enforceable netting agreement relating to such Swap Contracts, (a) for any date on or after the date such Swap Contracts have been closed out and termination value(s) determined in accordance therewith, such termination value(s), and (b) for any date prior to the date referenced in *clause (a)*, the amount(s) determined as the mark-to-market value(s) for such Swap Contracts, as determined based upon one or more mid-market or other readily available quotations provided by any recognized dealer in such Swap Contracts (which may include a Lender or any Affiliate of a Lender).

“**Swing Line Borrowing**” means a borrowing of a Swing Line Loan pursuant to *Section 2.04*.

“**Swing Line Lender**” means Bank of America in its capacity as provider of Swing Line Loans, or any successor swing line lender hereunder.

“**Swing Line Loan**” has the meaning specified in *Section 2.04(a)*.

“**Swing Line Loan Notice**” means a notice of a Swing Line Borrowing pursuant to *Section 2.04(b)*, which, if in writing, shall be substantially in the form of *Exhibit B*.

“**Swing Line Sublimit**” means an amount equal to the lesser of (a) \$35,000,000 and (b) the Aggregate Commitments. The Swing Line Sublimit is part of, and not in addition to, the Aggregate Commitments.

“**Synthetic Lease Obligation**” means the monetary obligation of a Person under (a) a so-called synthetic, off-balance sheet or tax retention lease, or (b) an agreement for the use or possession of property creating obligations that do not appear on the balance sheet of such Person but which, upon the insolvency or bankruptcy of such Person, would be characterized as the indebtedness of such Person (without regard to accounting treatment).

“**Tangible Net Worth**” means, for the Consolidated Group as of any date, (a) total equity on a consolidated basis determined in accordance with GAAP, *minus* (b) all intangible assets on a consolidated basis determined in accordance with GAAP *plus* (c) all depreciation determined in accordance with GAAP.

“**Taxes**” means all present or future taxes, levies, imposts, duties, deductions, withholdings (including backup withholding), assessments, fees or other charges imposed by any Governmental Authority, including any interest, additions to tax or penalties applicable thereto.

“**Tax Matters Agreement**” means that certain Tax Matters Agreement entered into as of July 24, 2013, by and among Parent, Borrower and each limited partner of Borrower named therein.

“**Total Asset Value**” means, for the Consolidated Group as of any date, the sum of (without duplication) the following: (a) an amount equal to (i)(A) the aggregate Net Operating Income from all Properties owned or leased (as ground lessee) by the Consolidated Group for the then most recently ended Calculation Period, *minus* Net Operating Income attributable to all Properties that were sold or otherwise Disposed of during then most recently ended Calculation Period *minus* (B) the Annual Capital Expenditure Adjustment with respect to such Properties, *divided by* (ii) the Capitalization Rate; *provided that* in no event shall the amounts calculated in this **clause (a)** for any Property be less than zero (0); *plus* (b) in the case of any Property that is owned or leased (as ground lessee) for more than one (1) full fiscal quarter but less than four (4) full fiscal quarters, an amount equal to (i)(A) the Net Operating Income from such Property for the period from the first day of the first full fiscal quarter during which such Property was owned and operated through the end of the last fiscal quarter in the most recently ended Calculation Period, *divided by* the number of quarters in such period and *multiplied by* four (4) *minus* (B) the Annual Capital Expenditure Adjustment with respect to such Property, *divided by* (ii) the Capitalization Rate; *provided that* in no event shall the amounts calculated in this **clause (b)** for any Property be less than zero (0); *plus* (c) the aggregate book value of all Properties owned or leased (as ground lessee) by the Consolidated Group for less than one (1) full fiscal quarter and all unimproved land holdings, mortgage or mezzanine loans, notes receivable and/or construction in progress owned by the Consolidated Group; *plus* (d) without duplication of the amounts included in **clauses (a), (b), and (c)** above with respect to Unconsolidated Affiliates, the amounts described in **clauses (a), (b), and (c)** above of each Unconsolidated Affiliate of the Consolidated Group multiplied by the respective Unconsolidated Affiliate Interest of each member of the Consolidated Group in such Unconsolidated Affiliate; *plus* (e) all Unrestricted Cash; *provided that* in the case of the Property located at 700 Allen Avenue, Glendale, California, 91201, from the Closing Date until the earlier of the date that such Property has an Occupancy Rate of at least fifty (50%) and the date that is twelve (12) months following the Closing Date, the value included in the calculation of Total Asset Value for such Property shall be *the greater of* (x) the value of such property calculated in accordance with **clause (b)** above and (y) the book value of such Property.

“**Total Credit Exposure**” means, as to any Lender at any time, the unused outstanding Commitments and Revolving Credit Exposure of such Lender at such time.

“**Total Indebtedness**” means, as of any date, the sum of (a) all Indebtedness of the Consolidated Group, on a consolidated basis, as of such date, *plus* (b) without duplication of the amount included in **clause (a)** above with respect to Unconsolidated Affiliates, the amount described in **clause (a)** above of each Unconsolidated Affiliate of the Consolidated Group multiplied by the respective Unconsolidated Affiliate Interest of each member of the Consolidated Group in such Unconsolidated Affiliate.

“**Total Outstandings**” means the aggregate Outstanding Amount of all Loans and all L/C Obligations.

“**Total Recourse Debt**” means, as of any date, (a) all Recourse Debt of the Consolidated Group as of such date, *plus* (b) without duplication of the amount included in **clause (a)** above with respect to Unconsolidated Affiliates, all Recourse Debt of each Unconsolidated Affiliate of the Consolidated Group multiplied by the respective Unconsolidated Affiliate Interest of each member of the Consolidated Group in such Unconsolidated Affiliate.

“**Total Secured Debt**” means, as of any date, the sum of (a) all Secured Debt of the Consolidated Group as of such date, *plus* (b) without duplication of the amount included in **clause (a)** above with respect to Unconsolidated Affiliates, all Secured Debt of each Unconsolidated Affiliate of the Consolidated Group multiplied by the respective Unconsolidated Affiliate Interest of each member of the Consolidated Group in such Unconsolidated Affiliate.

“**Type**” means, with respect to a Committed Loan, its character as a Base Rate Loan or a Eurodollar Rate Loan.

“**UCC**” means, at any time, the Uniform Commercial Code as in effect in the applicable jurisdiction at such time.

“**UCP**” means, with respect to any Letter of Credit, the Uniform Customs and Practice for Documentary Credits, International Chamber of Commerce (“ICC”) Publication No. 600 (or such later version thereof as may be in effect at the time of issuance).

“**Unconsolidated Affiliate**” means an affiliate of Parent whose financial statements are not required to be consolidated with the financial statements of Parent in accordance with GAAP.

“**Unconsolidated Affiliate Interest**” means, with respect to any Unconsolidated Affiliate at any time, the fraction expressed as a percentage, obtained by dividing (a) the total book value in accordance with GAAP (but determined without giving effect to any depreciation) of all Equity Interests in such Unconsolidated Affiliate held by the members of the Consolidated Group at such time by (b) the total book value in accordance with GAAP (but determined without giving effect to any depreciation) of all outstanding Equity Interests in such Unconsolidated Affiliate at such time.

“**Unencumbered NOI**” means Net Operating Income from all Unencumbered Properties for the most recently ended Calculation Period.

“**Unencumbered Properties**” means Properties owned by the Consolidated Group that are not subject to any Liens (other than Liens that would be Permitted Liens if each such Property were a Borrowing Base Property).

“**United States**” and “**U.S.**” mean the United States of America.

“**Unmatured Surviving Obligation**” means, at any time, any Obligation that is not due and payable (and for which no claim with respect thereto has been asserted or demanded) at such time and by the terms of the applicable Loan Document survives the termination of such Loan Document.

“**Unreimbursed Amount**” has the meaning specified in **Section 2.03(c)(i)**.

“**Unrestricted Cash**” means, as of any date, an amount equal to all cash and cash equivalents of the Consolidated Group that are not subject to a Lien (other than customary Liens in favor of any depository bank where such cash is maintained) or Negative Pledge (other than under the Loan Documents or pursuant to a customary account agreement with the applicable depository bank).

“**Unsecured Debt**” means, for any Person, Indebtedness of such Person that is not Secured Debt. For purposes hereof, Unsecured Debt of a Person shall include Indebtedness of such Person that is secured solely by Liens on Equity Interests issued by such Person or any Affiliate of such Person.

“**Unused Rate**” means the following percentages per annum based upon the Daily Usage of the Aggregate Commitments as set forth below:

<u>Daily Usage</u>	<u>Unused Rate</u>
£50%	0.30%
>50%	0.20%

“**U.S. Person**” means any Person that is a “United States Person” as defined in *Section 7701(a)(30)* of the Code.

“**U.S. Tax Compliance Certificate**” has the meaning specified in *Section 3.01(e)(ii)(B)(3)*.

“**Wholly-Owned**” means, with respect to the ownership by any Person of any Property, that one hundred percent (100%) of the title to such Property is held directly or indirectly by, or one hundred percent (100%) of such Property is leased pursuant to an Acceptable Ground Lease directly or indirectly by, such Person.

“**Wholly-Owned Subsidiary**” means, with respect to any Person on any date, any corporation, partnership, limited liability company or other entity of which one hundred percent (100%) of the Equity Interests and one hundred percent (100%) of the ordinary voting power are, as of such date, owned and Controlled by such Person.

1.02 Other Interpretive Provisions. With reference to this Agreement and each other Loan Document, unless otherwise specified herein or in such other Loan Document:

(a) The definitions of terms herein shall apply equally to the singular and plural forms of the terms defined. Whenever the context may require, any pronoun shall include the corresponding masculine, feminine and neuter forms. The words “*include*,” “*includes*” and “*including*” shall be deemed to be followed by the phrase “*without limitation*.” The word “*will*” shall be construed to have the same meaning and effect as the word “*shall*.” Unless the context requires otherwise, (i) any definition of or reference to any agreement, instrument or other document (including any Organization Document) shall be construed as referring to such agreement, instrument or other document as from time to time amended, supplemented or otherwise modified (subject to any restrictions on such amendments, supplements or modifications set forth herein or in any other Loan Document), (ii) any reference herein to any Person shall be construed to include such Person’s successors and permitted assigns, (iii) the words “*hereto*,” “*herein*,” “*hereof*” and “*hereunder*,” and words of similar import when used in any Loan Document, shall be construed to refer to such Loan Document in its entirety and not to any particular provision thereof, (iv) all references in a Loan Document to Articles, Sections, Exhibits and Schedules shall be construed to refer to Articles and Sections of, and Exhibits and Schedules to, the Loan Document in which such references appear, (v) any reference to any law shall include all statutory and regulatory provisions consolidating, amending, replacing or interpreting such law and any reference to any law or regulation shall, unless otherwise specified, refer to such law or regulation as amended, modified or supplemented from time to time, and (vi) the words “*asset*” and “*property*” shall be construed to have the same meaning and effect and to refer to any and all tangible and intangible assets and properties, including cash, securities, accounts and contract rights.

(b) In the computation of periods of time from a specified date to a later specified date, the word “*from*” means “*from and including*,” the words “*to*” and “*until*” each mean “*to but excluding*,” and the word “*through*” means “*to and including*.”

(c) Section headings herein and in the other Loan Documents are included for convenience of reference only and shall not affect the interpretation of this Agreement or any other Loan Document.

1.03 Accounting Terms.

(a) **Generally.** All accounting terms not specifically or completely defined herein shall be construed in conformity with, and all financial data (including financial ratios and other financial calculations) required to be submitted pursuant to this Agreement shall be prepared in conformity with, GAAP applied on a consistent basis, as in effect from time to time, subject to **Section 1.03(b)**, applied in a manner consistent with that used in preparing the Historical Financial Statements, *except* as otherwise specifically prescribed herein. Notwithstanding the foregoing, for purposes of determining compliance with any covenant (including the computation of any financial covenant) contained herein, Indebtedness of the Consolidated Group shall be deemed to be carried at one hundred percent (100%) of the outstanding principal amount thereof, and the effects of FASB ASC 825 on financial liabilities shall be disregarded.

(b) **Changes in GAAP.** If at any time any change in GAAP would affect the computation of any financial ratio or requirement set forth in any Loan Document, and either Parent or Required Lenders shall so request, Administrative Agent, the Lenders, Parent and Borrower shall negotiate in good faith to amend such ratio or requirement to preserve the original intent thereof in light of such change in GAAP (subject to the approval of Parent, Borrower and Required Lenders); *provided that*, until so amended, (i) such ratio or requirement shall continue to be computed in accordance with GAAP prior to such change therein and (ii) concurrently with the delivery of financial statements under **Section 8.01(a)** or **Section 8.01(b)**, Borrower shall provide to Administrative Agent and the Lenders financial statements and other documents setting forth a reconciliation between calculations of such ratio or requirement made before and after giving effect to such change in GAAP.

1.04 **Rounding.** Any financial ratios required to be maintained by Borrower pursuant to this Agreement shall be calculated by dividing the appropriate component by the other component, carrying the result to one place more than the number of places by which such ratio is expressed herein and rounding the result up or down to the nearest number (with a rounding-up if there is no nearest number).

1.05 **Times of Day.** Unless otherwise specified, all references herein to times of day shall be references to Pacific time (daylight or standard, as applicable).

1.06 **Letter of Credit Amounts.** Unless otherwise specified herein, the amount of a Letter of Credit at any time shall be deemed to be the stated amount of such Letter of Credit in effect at such time; *provided, however*, that with respect to any Letter of Credit that, by its terms or the terms of any Issuer Document related thereto, provides for one or more automatic increases in the stated amount thereof, the amount of such Letter of Credit shall be deemed to be the maximum stated amount of such Letter of Credit after giving effect to all such increases, whether or not such maximum stated amount is in effect at such time.

Article II. The Commitments and Credit Extensions

2.01 **Committed Loans.** Subject to the terms and conditions set forth herein, each Lender severally agrees to make loans (each such loan, a “**Committed Loan**”) to Borrower from time to time, on any Business Day during the Availability Period, in an aggregate amount not to exceed at any time outstanding the amount of such Lender’s Commitment; *provided, however*, that after giving effect to any Committed Borrowing, (a) the Total Outstandings shall not exceed the Maximum Availability, and (b) the Revolving Credit Exposure of any Lender shall not exceed such Lender’s Commitment. Within the limits of each Lender’s Commitment, and subject to the other terms and conditions hereof, Borrower may borrow under this **Section 2.01**, prepay under **Section 2.05**, and reborrow under this **Section 2.01**. Committed Loans may be Base Rate Loans or Eurodollar Rate Loans, as further provided herein.

2.02 Borrowings, Conversions and Continuations of Committed Loans.

(a) Each Committed Borrowing, each conversion of Committed Loans from one Type to the other, and each continuation of Eurodollar Rate Loans shall be made upon Borrower's irrevocable notice to Administrative Agent, which may be given by telephone. Each such notice must be received by Administrative Agent not later than (i) 11:00 a.m. three (3) Business Days prior to the requested date of any Borrowing of, conversion to or continuation of Eurodollar Rate Loans or of any conversion of Eurodollar Rate Loans to Base Rate Committed Loans, and (ii) 3:00 p.m. one (1) Business Day prior to the requested date of any Borrowing of Base Rate Committed Loans; *provided, however*, that if Borrower wishes to request Eurodollar Rate Loans having an Interest Period other than one (1), two (2), three (3) or six (6) months in duration as provided in the definition of "**Interest Period**," the applicable notice must be received by Administrative Agent not later than 11:00 a.m. four (4) Business Days prior to the requested date of such Borrowing, conversion or continuation, whereupon Administrative Agent shall give prompt notice to the Lenders of such request and determine whether the requested Interest Period is acceptable to all of them. Not later than 11:00 a.m., three (3) Business Days before the requested date of such Borrowing, conversion or continuation, Administrative Agent shall notify Borrower (which notice may be by telephone) whether or not the requested Interest Period has been consented to by all the Lenders. Each telephonic notice by Borrower pursuant to this **Section 2.02(a)** must be confirmed promptly by delivery to Administrative Agent of a written Committed Loan Notice, appropriately completed and signed by a Responsible Officer of Parent, on behalf of Borrower. Each Borrowing of, conversion to or continuation of Eurodollar Rate Loans shall be in a principal amount of \$5,000,000 or a whole multiple of \$500,000 in excess thereof. Except as provided in **Sections 2.03(c)** and **2.04(c)**, each Borrowing of or conversion to Base Rate Committed Loans shall be in a principal amount of \$500,000 or a whole multiple of \$100,000 in excess thereof. Each Committed Loan Notice (whether telephonic or written) shall specify (i) whether Borrower is requesting a Committed Borrowing, a conversion of Committed Loans from one Type to the other, or a continuation of Eurodollar Rate Loans, (ii) the requested date of the Borrowing, conversion or continuation, as the case may be (which shall be a Business Day), (iii) the principal amount of Committed Loans to be borrowed, converted or continued, (iv) the Type of Committed Loans to be borrowed or to which existing Committed Loans are to be converted, and (v) if applicable, the duration of the Interest Period with respect thereto. If Borrower fails to specify a Type of Committed Loan in a Committed Loan Notice or if Borrower fails to give a timely notice requesting a conversion or continuation, then the applicable Committed Loans shall be made as, or converted to, Base Rate Loans. Any such automatic conversion to Base Rate Loans shall be effective as of the last day of the Interest Period then in effect with respect to the applicable Eurodollar Rate Loans. If Borrower requests a Borrowing of, conversion to, or continuation of Eurodollar Rate Loans in any such Committed Loan Notice, but fails to specify an Interest Period, it will be deemed to have specified an Interest Period of one (1) month.

(b) Following receipt of a Committed Loan Notice, Administrative Agent shall promptly notify each Lender of the amount of its Applicable Percentage of the applicable Committed Loans, and if no timely notice of a conversion or continuation is provided by Borrower, Administrative Agent shall notify each Lender of the details of any automatic conversion to Base Rate Loans described in the preceding subsection. In the case of a Committed Borrowing, each Lender shall make the amount of its Committed Loan available to Administrative Agent in immediately available funds at Administrative Agent's Office not later than 1:00 p.m. on

the Business Day specified in the applicable Committed Loan Notice. Upon satisfaction of the applicable conditions set forth in **Section 6.02** (and, if such Borrowing is the initial Credit Extension, **Section 6.01**), Administrative Agent shall make all funds so received available to Borrower in like funds as received by Administrative Agent either by (i) crediting the account of Borrower on the books of Bank of America with the amount of such funds or (ii) wire transfer of such funds, in each case in accordance with instructions provided to (and reasonably acceptable to) Administrative Agent by Borrower; *provided, however*, that if, on the date the Committed Loan Notice with respect to such Borrowing is given by Borrower, there are L/C Borrowings outstanding, then the proceeds of such Borrowing, *first*, shall be applied to the payment in full of any such L/C Borrowings, and *second*, shall be made available to Borrower as provided above.

(c) A Eurodollar Rate Loan may be continued or converted only on the last day of an Interest Period for such Eurodollar Rate Loan unless Borrower makes all payments required pursuant to **Section 3.05** resulting therefrom. During the existence of a Default, no Loans may be requested as, converted to or continued as Eurodollar Rate Loans (other than Eurodollar Rate Loans with Interest Periods of one (1) month) without the consent of Required Lenders.

(d) Administrative Agent shall promptly notify Borrower and the Lenders of the interest rate applicable to any Interest Period for Eurodollar Rate Loans upon determination of such interest rate. At any time that Base Rate Loans are outstanding, Administrative Agent shall notify Borrower and the Lenders of any change in Bank of America's prime rate used in determining the Base Rate promptly following the public announcement of such change.

(e) After giving effect to all Committed Borrowings, all conversions of Committed Loans from one Type to the other, and all continuations of Committed Loans as the same Type, there shall not be more than eight (8) Interest Periods in effect with respect to Committed Loans.

2.03 Letters of Credit.

(a) The Letter of Credit Commitment.

(i) Subject to the terms and conditions set forth herein, (A) L/C Issuer agrees, in reliance upon the agreements of the Lenders set forth in this **Section 2.03**, (1) from time to time on any Business Day during the period from the Closing Date until the Letter of Credit Expiration Date, to issue Letters of Credit for the account of Borrower or its Subsidiaries, and to amend or extend Letters of Credit previously issued by it, in accordance with **subsection (b)** below, and (2) to honor drawings under the Letters of Credit; and (B) the Lenders severally agree to participate in Letters of Credit issued for the account of Borrower or its Subsidiaries and any drawings thereunder; *provided that* after giving effect to any L/C Credit Extension with respect to any Letter of Credit, (x) the Total Outstandings shall not exceed the Maximum Availability, (y) the Revolving Credit Exposure of any Lender shall not exceed such Lender's Commitment, and (z) the Outstanding Amount of the L/C Obligations shall not exceed the Letter of Credit Sublimit. Each request by Borrower for the issuance or amendment of a Letter of Credit shall be deemed to be a representation by Borrower that the L/C Credit Extension so requested complies with the conditions set forth in the proviso to the preceding sentence. Within the foregoing limits, and subject to the terms and conditions hereof, Borrower's ability to obtain Letters of Credit shall be fully revolving, and accordingly Borrower may, during the foregoing period, obtain Letters of Credit to replace Letters of Credit that have expired or that have been drawn upon and reimbursed.

(ii) L/C Issuer shall not issue any Letter of Credit, if:

(A) subject to **Section 2.03(b)(iii)**, the expiry date of the requested Letter of Credit would occur more than twelve months after the date of issuance or last extension, unless Required Lenders have approved such expiry date; or

(B) the expiry date of the requested Letter of Credit would occur after the Letter of Credit Expiration Date, unless all the Lenders have approved such expiry date.

(iii) L/C Issuer shall not be under any obligation to issue any Letter of Credit if:

(A) any order, judgment or decree of any Governmental Authority or arbitrator shall by its terms purport to enjoin or restrain L/C Issuer from issuing the Letter of Credit, or any Law applicable to L/C Issuer or any request or directive (whether or not having the force of law) from any Governmental Authority with jurisdiction over L/C Issuer shall prohibit, or request that L/C Issuer refrain from, the issuance of letters of credit generally or the Letter of Credit in particular or shall impose upon L/C Issuer with respect to the Letter of Credit any restriction, reserve or capital requirement (for which L/C Issuer is not otherwise compensated hereunder) not in effect on the Closing Date, or shall impose upon L/C Issuer any unreimbursed loss, cost or expense which was not applicable on the Closing Date and which L/C Issuer in good faith deems material to it;

(B) the issuance of the Letter of Credit would violate one or more policies of L/C Issuer applicable to letters of credit generally;

(C) except as otherwise agreed by Administrative Agent and L/C Issuer, the Letter of Credit is in an initial stated amount less than \$200,000;

(D) the Letter of Credit is to be denominated in a currency other than Dollars; or

(E) any Lender is at that time a Defaulting Lender, unless L/C Issuer has entered into arrangements, including the delivery of Cash Collateral, satisfactory to L/C Issuer (in its sole discretion) with Borrower or such Lender to eliminate L/C Issuer's actual or potential Fronting Exposure (after giving effect to **Section 2.17(a)(iv)**) with respect to the Defaulting Lender arising from either the Letter of Credit then proposed to be issued or that Letter of Credit and all other L/C Obligations as to which L/C Issuer has Fronting Exposure, as it may elect in its sole discretion.

(iv) L/C Issuer shall not amend any Letter of Credit if L/C Issuer would not be permitted at such time to issue the Letter of Credit in its amended form under the terms hereof.

(v) L/C Issuer shall be under no obligation to amend any Letter of Credit if (A) L/C Issuer would have no obligation at such time to issue the Letter of Credit in its amended form under the terms hereof, or (B) the beneficiary of the Letter of Credit does not accept the proposed amendment to the Letter of Credit.

(vi) L/C Issuer shall act on behalf of the Lenders with respect to any Letters of Credit issued by it and the documents associated therewith, and L/C Issuer shall have all of the benefits and immunities (A) provided to Administrative Agent in *Article XI* with respect to any acts taken or omissions suffered by L/C Issuer in connection with Letters of Credit issued by it or proposed to be issued by it and Issuer Documents pertaining to such Letters of Credit as fully as if the term “*Administrative Agent*” as used in *Article XI* included L/C Issuer with respect to such acts or omissions, and (B) as additionally provided herein with respect to L/C Issuer.

(b) Procedures for Issuance and Amendment of Letters of Credit; Auto-Extension Letters of Credit.

(i) Each Letter of Credit shall be issued or amended, as the case may be, upon the request of Borrower delivered to L/C Issuer (with a copy to Administrative Agent) in the form of a Letter of Credit Application, appropriately completed and signed by a Responsible Officer of Parent, on behalf of Borrower. Such Letter of Credit Application may be sent by facsimile, by United States mail, by overnight courier, by electronic transmission using the system provided by L/C Issuer, by personal delivery or by any other means acceptable to L/C Issuer. Such Letter of Credit Application must be received by L/C Issuer and Administrative Agent not later than 11:00 a.m. at least three (3) Business Days (or such later date and time as Administrative Agent and L/C Issuer may agree in a particular instance in their sole discretion) prior to the proposed issuance date or date of amendment, as the case may be. In the case of a request for an initial issuance of a Letter of Credit, such Letter of Credit Application shall specify in form and detail reasonably satisfactory to L/C Issuer: (A) the proposed issuance date of the requested Letter of Credit (which shall be a Business Day); (B) the amount thereof; (C) the expiry date thereof; (D) the name and address of the beneficiary thereof; (E) the documents to be presented by such beneficiary in case of any drawing thereunder; (F) the full text of any certificate to be presented by such beneficiary in case of any drawing thereunder; (G) the purpose and nature of the requested Letter of Credit; and (H) such other matters as L/C Issuer may reasonably require. In the case of a request for an amendment of any outstanding Letter of Credit, such Letter of Credit Application shall specify in form and detail reasonably satisfactory to L/C Issuer (A) the Letter of Credit to be amended; (B) the proposed date of amendment thereof (which shall be a Business Day); (C) the nature of the proposed amendment; and (D) such other matters as L/C Issuer may reasonably require. Additionally, Borrower shall furnish to L/C Issuer and Administrative Agent such other documents and information pertaining to such requested Letter of Credit issuance or amendment, including any Issuer Documents, as L/C Issuer or Administrative Agent may reasonably require.

(ii) Promptly after receipt of any Letter of Credit Application, L/C Issuer will confirm with Administrative Agent (by telephone or in writing) that Administrative Agent has received a copy of such Letter of Credit Application from Borrower and, if not, L/C Issuer will provide Administrative Agent with a copy thereof. Unless L/C Issuer has received written notice from any Lender, Administrative Agent or any Loan Party, at least one Business Day prior to the requested date of issuance or amendment of the applicable Letter of Credit, that one or more applicable conditions contained in *Article VI* shall not then be satisfied, then, subject to the terms and conditions hereof, L/C Issuer

shall, on the requested date, issue a Letter of Credit for the account of Borrower or the applicable Subsidiary or enter into the applicable amendment, as the case may be, in each case in accordance with L/C Issuer's usual and customary business practices. Immediately upon the issuance of each Letter of Credit, each Lender shall be deemed to, and hereby irrevocably and unconditionally agrees to, purchase from L/C Issuer a risk participation in such Letter of Credit in an amount equal to the product of such Lender's Applicable Percentage *times* the amount of such Letter of Credit.

(iii) If Borrower so requests in any applicable Letter of Credit Application, then, subject to the terms and conditions set forth herein, L/C Issuer agrees to issue Letters of Credit that have automatic extension provisions (each, an "**Auto-Extension Letter of Credit**"); *provided that* any such Auto-Extension Letter of Credit must permit L/C Issuer to prevent any such extension at least once in each twelve (12)- month period (commencing with the date of issuance of such Letter of Credit) by giving prior notice to the beneficiary thereof not later than a day (the "**Non-Extension Notice Date**") in each such twelve (12)- month period to be agreed upon at the time such Letter of Credit is issued. Unless otherwise directed by L/C Issuer, Borrower shall not be required to make a specific request to L/C Issuer for any such extension. Once an Auto-Extension Letter of Credit has been issued, the Lenders shall be deemed to have authorized (but may not require) L/C Issuer to permit the extension of such Letter of Credit at any time to an expiry date not later than the Letter of Credit Expiration Date; *provided, however*, that L/C Issuer shall not permit any such extension if (A) L/C Issuer has determined that it would not be permitted, or would have no obligation, at such time to issue such Letter of Credit in its revised form (as extended) under the terms hereof (by reason of the provisions of **clause (ii)** or **(iii)** of **Section (a)2.03(a)** or otherwise), or (B) it has received notice (which may be by telephone or in writing) on or before the day that is seven (7) Business Days before the Non-Extension Notice Date (1) from Administrative Agent that Required Lenders have elected not to permit such extension or (2) from Administrative Agent, any Lender or Borrower that one or more of the applicable conditions specified in **Section 6.02** is not then satisfied, and in each such case directing L/C Issuer not to permit such extension.

(iv) Promptly after its delivery of any Letter of Credit or any amendment to a Letter of Credit to an advising bank with respect thereto or to the beneficiary thereof, L/C Issuer will also deliver to Borrower and Administrative Agent a true and complete copy of such Letter of Credit or amendment.

(c) Drawings and Reimbursements; Funding of Participations.

(i) Upon receipt from the beneficiary of any Letter of Credit of any notice of a drawing under such Letter of Credit, L/C Issuer shall notify Borrower and Administrative Agent thereof (such notice, the "**Drawing Notice**"). Not later than the date that is the later (each such date, a "**Reimbursement Date**") of (A) 11:00 a.m. on the first (1st) Business Day following the date of the delivery by L/C Issuer of the Drawing Notice and (B) 11:00 a.m. on the date of any payment by L/C Issuer under a Letter of Credit (each such date, an "**Honor Date**"), Borrower shall reimburse L/C Issuer through Administrative Agent in an amount equal to the amount of such drawing; *provided that* if Borrower has not made such reimbursement payment, then Administrative Agent shall promptly notify each Lender of the Reimbursement Date, the amount of the unreimbursed drawing (the "**Unreimbursed Amount**"), and the amount of such Lender's Applicable Percentage thereof. In such event, Borrower shall be deemed to have

requested a Committed Borrowing of Base Rate Loans to be disbursed on the Honor Date in an amount equal to the Unreimbursed Amount, without regard to the minimum and multiples specified in **Section 2.02** for the principal amount of Base Rate Loans, but subject to the amount of the unutilized portion of the Aggregate Commitments and the conditions set forth in **Section 6.02** (other than (x) the delivery of a Committed Loan Notice and (y) the existence of a Default (other than a Default under **Section 10.01(f)**) that is not an Event of Default). Any notice given by L/C Issuer or Administrative Agent pursuant to this **Section 2.03(c)(i)** may be given by telephone if immediately confirmed in writing; *provided that* the lack of such an immediate confirmation shall not affect the conclusiveness or binding effect of such notice.

(ii) Each Lender shall upon any notice pursuant to **Section 2.03(c)(i)** make funds available (and Administrative Agent may apply Cash Collateral provided for this purpose) for the account of L/C Issuer at Administrative Agent's Office in an amount equal to its Applicable Percentage of the Unreimbursed Amount not later than 1:00 p.m. on the Business Day specified in such notice by Administrative Agent, whereupon, subject to the provisions of **Section 2.03(c)(iii)**, each Lender that so makes funds available shall be deemed to have made a Base Rate Committed Loan to Borrower in such amount. Administrative Agent shall remit the funds so received to L/C Issuer.

(iii) If the Honor Date for any drawing on any Letter of Credit is prior to the Reimbursement Date for such Letter of Credit, then Borrower shall pay L/C Issuer interest on the amount of such drawing from the Honor Date to the Reimbursement Date at a rate per annum equal to the rate then applicable to Base Rate Loans. With respect to any Unreimbursed Amount that is not fully refinanced by a Committed Borrowing of Base Rate Loans for any reason, Borrower shall be deemed to have incurred from L/C Issuer an L/C Borrowing in the amount of the Unreimbursed Amount that is not so refinanced, which L/C Borrowing shall be due and payable on demand (together with interest) and shall bear interest at the Default Rate. In such event, each Lender's payment to Administrative Agent for the account of L/C Issuer pursuant to **Section 2.03(c)(ii)** shall be deemed payment in respect of its participation in such L/C Borrowing and shall constitute an L/C Advance from such Lender in satisfaction of its participation obligation under this **Section 2.03**.

(iv) Until each Lender funds its Committed Loan or L/C Advance pursuant to this **Section 2.03(c)** to reimburse L/C Issuer for any amount drawn under any Letter of Credit, interest in respect of such Lender's Applicable Percentage of such amount shall be solely for the account of L/C Issuer.

(v) Each Lender's obligation to make Committed Loans or L/C Advances to reimburse L/C Issuer for amounts drawn under Letters of Credit, as contemplated by this **Section 2.03(c)**, shall be absolute and unconditional and shall not be affected by any circumstance, including (A) any setoff, counterclaim, recoupment, defense or other right which such Lender may have against L/C Issuer, Borrower or any other Person for any reason whatsoever; (B) the occurrence or continuance of a Default, or (C) any other occurrence, event or condition, whether or not similar to any of the foregoing; *provided, however*, that each Lender's obligation to make Committed Loans pursuant to this **Section 2.03(c)** is subject to the conditions set forth in **Section 6.02** (other than (x) the delivery of a Committed Loan Notice and (y) the existence of a Default (other than a Default under **Section 10.01(f)**) that is not an Event of Default). No such making of an L/C Advance shall relieve or otherwise impair the obligation of Borrower to reimburse L/C Issuer for the amount of any payment made by L/C Issuer under any Letter of Credit, together with interest as provided herein.

(vi) If any Lender fails to make available to Administrative Agent for the account of L/C Issuer any amount required to be paid by such Lender pursuant to the foregoing provisions of this **Section 2.03(e)** by the time specified in **Section 2.03(c)(ii)**, then, without limiting the other provisions of this Agreement, L/C Issuer shall be entitled to recover from such Lender (acting through Administrative Agent), on demand, such amount with interest thereon for the period from the date such payment is required to the date on which such payment is immediately available to L/C Issuer at a rate per annum equal to the greater of the Federal Funds Rate and a rate determined by L/C Issuer in accordance with banking industry rules on interbank compensation, plus any administrative, processing or similar fees customarily charged by L/C Issuer in connection with the foregoing. If such Lender pays such amount (with interest and fees as aforesaid), the amount so paid shall constitute such Lender's Committed Loan included in the relevant Committed Borrowing or L/C Advance in respect of the relevant L/C Borrowing, as the case may be. A certificate of L/C Issuer submitted to any Lender (through Administrative Agent) with respect to any amounts owing under this **clause (vi)** shall be conclusive absent manifest error.

(d) Repayment of Participations.

(i) At any time after L/C Issuer has made a payment under any Letter of Credit and has received from any Lender such Lender's L/C Advance in respect of such payment in accordance with **Section 2.03(c)**, if Administrative Agent receives for the account of L/C Issuer any payment in respect of the related Unreimbursed Amount or interest thereon (whether directly from Borrower or otherwise, including proceeds of Cash Collateral applied thereto by Administrative Agent), Administrative Agent will distribute to such Lender its Applicable Percentage thereof in the same funds as those received by Administrative Agent.

(ii) If any payment received by Administrative Agent for the account of L/C Issuer pursuant to **Section 2.03(c)(i)** is required to be returned under any of the circumstances described in **Section 12.05** (including pursuant to any settlement entered into by L/C Issuer in its discretion), each Lender shall pay to Administrative Agent for the account of L/C Issuer its Applicable Percentage thereof on demand of Administrative Agent, plus interest thereon from the date of such demand to the date such amount is returned by such Lender, at a rate per annum equal to the *greater* of the Federal Funds Rate from time to time in effect and a rate determined by L/C Issuer in accordance with banking industry rules on interbank compensation. The obligations of the Lenders under this **clause** shall survive the payment in full of the Obligations and the termination of this Agreement.

(e) **Obligations Absolute.** The obligation of Borrower to reimburse L/C Issuer for each drawing under each Letter of Credit and to repay each L/C Borrowing shall be absolute, unconditional and irrevocable, and shall be paid strictly in accordance with the terms of this Agreement under all circumstances, including the following:

- (i) any lack of validity or enforceability of such Letter of Credit, this Agreement, or any other Loan Document;

(ii) the existence of any claim, counterclaim, setoff, defense or other right that Borrower or any Subsidiary thereof may have at any time against any beneficiary or any transferee of such Letter of Credit (or any Person for whom any such beneficiary or any such transferee may be acting), L/C Issuer or any other Person, whether in connection with this Agreement, the transactions contemplated hereby or by such Letter of Credit or any agreement or instrument relating thereto, or any unrelated transaction;

(iii) any draft, demand, certificate or other document presented under such Letter of Credit proving to be forged, fraudulent, invalid or insufficient in any respect or any statement therein being untrue or inaccurate in any respect; or any loss or delay in the transmission or otherwise of any document required in order to make a drawing under such Letter of Credit;

(iv) waiver by L/C Issuer of any requirement that exists for L/C Issuer's protection and not the protection of Borrower or any waiver by L/C Issuer which does not in fact materially prejudice Borrower;

(v) honor of a demand for payment presented electronically even if such Letter of Credit requires that demand be in the form of a draft;

(vi) any payment made by L/C Issuer in respect of an otherwise complying item presented after the date specified as the expiration date of, or the date by which documents must be received under such Letter of Credit if presentation after such date is authorized by the UCC, the ISP or the UCP, as applicable;

(vii) any payment by L/C Issuer under such Letter of Credit against presentation of a draft or certificate that does not strictly comply with the terms of such Letter of Credit; or any payment made by L/C Issuer under such Letter of Credit to any Person purporting to be a trustee in bankruptcy, debtor-in-possession, assignee for the benefit of creditors, liquidator, receiver or other representative of or successor to any beneficiary or any transferee of such Letter of Credit, including any arising in connection with any proceeding under any Debtor Relief Law; or

(viii) any other circumstance or happening whatsoever, whether or not similar to any of the foregoing, including any other circumstance that might otherwise constitute a defense available to, or a discharge of, Borrower or any Subsidiary thereof.

Borrower shall promptly examine a copy of each Letter of Credit and each amendment thereto that is delivered to it and, in the event of any claim of noncompliance with Borrower's instructions or other irregularity, Borrower will immediately notify L/C Issuer. Borrower shall be conclusively deemed to have waived any such claim against L/C Issuer and its correspondents unless such notice is given as aforesaid.

(f) **Role of L/C Issuer.** Each Lender and Borrower agree that, in paying any drawing under a Letter of Credit, L/C Issuer shall not have any responsibility to obtain any document (other than any sight draft, certificates and documents expressly required by the Letter of Credit) or to ascertain or inquire as to the validity or accuracy of any such document or the authority of the Person executing or delivering any such document. None of L/C Issuer, Administrative Agent, any of their respective Related Parties nor any correspondent, participant or assignee of L/C Issuer shall be liable to any Lender for (i) any action taken or omitted in connection herewith at the request or with the approval of the Lenders or Required Lenders, as

applicable; (ii) any action taken or omitted in the absence of gross negligence or willful misconduct; or (iii) the due execution, effectiveness, validity or enforceability of any document or instrument related to any Letter of Credit or Issuer Document. Borrower hereby assumes all risks of the acts or omissions of any beneficiary or transferee with respect to its use of any Letter of Credit; *provided, however*, that this assumption is not intended to, and shall not, preclude Borrower's pursuing such rights and remedies as it may have against the beneficiary or transferee at law or under any other agreement. None of L/C Issuer, Administrative Agent, any of their respective Related Parties nor any correspondent, participant or assignee of L/C Issuer shall be liable or responsible for any of the matters described in **clauses (i) through (viii) of Section 2.03(e)**; *provided, however*, that anything in such clauses to the contrary notwithstanding, Borrower may have a claim against L/C Issuer, and L/C Issuer may be liable to Borrower, to the extent, but only to the extent, of any direct, as opposed to consequential or exemplary, damages suffered by Borrower which Borrower proves were caused by L/C Issuer's willful misconduct or gross negligence or L/C Issuer's willful failure to pay under any Letter of Credit after the presentation to it by the beneficiary of a sight draft and certificate(s) strictly complying with the terms and conditions of a Letter of Credit. In furtherance and not in limitation of the foregoing, L/C Issuer may accept documents that appear on their face to be in order, without responsibility for further investigation, regardless of any notice or information to the contrary, and L/C Issuer shall not be responsible for the validity or sufficiency of any instrument transferring or assigning or purporting to transfer or assign a Letter of Credit or the rights or benefits thereunder or proceeds thereof, in whole or in part, which may prove to be invalid or ineffective for any reason. L/C Issuer may send a Letter of Credit or conduct any communication to or from the beneficiary via the Society for Worldwide Interbank Financial Telecommunication ("SWIFT") message or overnight courier, or any other commercially reasonable means of communicating with a beneficiary.

(g) **Applicability of ISP and UCP; Limitation of Liability.** Unless otherwise expressly agreed by L/C Issuer and Borrower when a Letter of Credit is issued, the rules of the ISP shall apply to each Letter of Credit. Notwithstanding the foregoing, L/C Issuer shall not be responsible to Borrower for, and L/C Issuer's rights and remedies against Borrower shall not be impaired by, any action or inaction of L/C Issuer required or permitted under any law, order, or practice that is required or permitted to be applied to any Letter of Credit or this Agreement, including the Law or any order of a jurisdiction where L/C Issuer or the beneficiary is located, the practice stated in the ISP or UCP, as applicable, or in the decisions, opinions, practice statements, or official commentary of the ICC Banking Commission, the Bankers Association for Finance and Trade—International Financial Services Association (BAFT-IFSA), or the Institute of International Banking Law & Practice, whether or not any Letter of Credit chooses such law or practice.

(h) **Letter of Credit Fees.** Borrower shall pay to Administrative Agent for the account of each Lender in accordance, subject to **Section 2.17**, with its Applicable Percentage a Letter of Credit fee (the "**Letter of Credit Fee**") for each Letter of Credit equal to the Applicable Rate for Letters of Credit *times* the daily amount available to be drawn under such Letter of Credit. For purposes of computing the daily amount available to be drawn under any Letter of Credit, the amount of such Letter of Credit shall be determined in accordance with **Section 1.06**. Letter of Credit Fees shall be (i) due and payable on the first (1st) Business Day after the end of each March, June, September and December, commencing with the first such date to occur after the issuance of such Letter of Credit, on the Letter of Credit Expiration Date and thereafter on demand and (ii) computed on a quarterly basis in arrears. If there is any change in the Applicable Rate during any quarter, the daily amount available to be drawn under each Letter of Credit shall be computed and multiplied by the Applicable Rate separately for each period during such quarter that such Applicable Rate was in effect. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained herein, upon the request of Required Lenders, while any Event of Default exists, all Letter of Credit Fees shall accrue at the Default Rate.

(i) **Fronting Fee and Documentary and Processing Charges Payable to L/C Issuer.** Borrower shall pay directly to L/C Issuer for its own account a fronting fee with respect to each issued and outstanding Letter of Credit, at the rate per annum specified in the Fee Letter, computed on the daily amount available to be drawn under such Letter of Credit on a quarterly basis in arrears. Such fronting fee shall be due and payable on the first (1st) Business Day after the end of each March, June, September and December in respect of the most recently-ended quarterly period (or portion thereof, in the case of the first payment), commencing with the first such date to occur after the issuance of such Letter of Credit, on the Letter of Credit Expiration Date and thereafter on demand. For purposes of computing the daily amount available to be drawn under any Letter of Credit, the amount of such Letter of Credit shall be determined in accordance with **Section 1.06**. In addition, Borrower shall pay directly to L/C Issuer for its own account the customary issuance, presentation, amendment and other processing fees, and other standard costs and charges, of L/C Issuer relating to letters of credit as from time to time in effect. Such customary fees and standard costs and charges are due and payable on demand and are nonrefundable.

(j) **Conflict with Issuer Documents.** In the event of any conflict between the terms hereof and the terms of any Issuer Document, the terms hereof shall control.

(k) **Letters of Credit Issued for Subsidiaries.** Notwithstanding that a Letter of Credit issued or outstanding hereunder is in support of any obligations of, or is for the account of, a Subsidiary, Borrower shall be obligated to reimburse L/C Issuer hereunder for any and all drawings under such Letter of Credit. Borrower hereby acknowledges that the issuance of Letters of Credit for the account of Subsidiaries inures to the benefit of Borrower, and that Borrower's business derives substantial benefits from the businesses of such Subsidiaries.

2.04 Swing Line Loans.

(a) **The Swing Line.** Subject to the terms and conditions set forth herein, Swing Line Lender, in reliance upon the agreements of the other Lenders set forth in this **Section 2.04**, shall make loans (each such loan, a "**Swing Line Loan**") to Borrower from time to time on any Business Day during the Availability Period in an aggregate amount not to exceed at any time outstanding the amount of the Swing Line Sublimit, notwithstanding the fact that such Swing Line Loans, when aggregated with the Applicable Percentage of the Outstanding Amount of Committed Loans and L/C Obligations of the Lender acting as Swing Line Lender, may exceed the amount of such Lender's Commitment; *provided, however*, that (x) after giving effect to any Swing Line Loan, (i) the Total Outstandings shall not exceed the Maximum Availability, and (ii) the Revolving Credit Exposure of any Lender shall not exceed such Lender's Commitment, (y) Borrower shall not use the proceeds of any Swing Line Loan to refinance any outstanding Swing Line Loan, and (z) Swing Line Lender shall not be under any obligation to make any Swing Line Loan if it shall determine (which determination shall be conclusive and binding absent manifest error) that it has, or by such Credit Extension may have, Fronting Exposure. Within the foregoing limits, and subject to the other terms and conditions hereof, Borrower may borrow under this **Section 2.04**, prepay under **Section 2.05**, and reborrow under this **Section 2.04**. Each Swing Line Loan shall be a Base Rate Loan. Immediately upon the making of a Swing Line Loan, each Lender shall be deemed to, and hereby irrevocably and unconditionally agrees to, purchase from Swing Line Lender a risk participation in such Swing Line Loan in an amount equal to the product of such Lender's Applicable Percentage times the amount of such Swing Line Loan.

(b) **Borrowing Procedures.** Each Swing Line Borrowing shall be made upon Borrower's irrevocable notice to Swing Line Lender and Administrative Agent, which may be given by telephone. Each such notice must be received by Swing Line Lender and Administrative Agent not later than 1:00 p.m. on the requested borrowing date, and shall specify (i) the amount to be borrowed, which shall be a minimum of \$500,000, and (ii) the requested borrowing date, which shall be a Business Day. Each such telephonic notice must be confirmed promptly by delivery to Swing Line Lender and Administrative Agent of a written Swing Line Loan Notice, appropriately completed and signed by a Responsible Officer of Parent, on behalf of Borrower. Promptly after receipt by Swing Line Lender of any telephonic Swing Line Loan Notice, Swing Line Lender will confirm with Administrative Agent (by telephone or in writing) that Administrative Agent has also received such Swing Line Loan Notice and, if not, Swing Line Lender will notify Administrative Agent (by telephone or in writing) of the contents thereof. Unless Swing Line Lender has received notice (by telephone or in writing) from Administrative Agent (including at the request of any Lender) prior to 2:00 p.m. on the date of the proposed Swing Line Borrowing (A) directing Swing Line Lender not to make such Swing Line Loan as a result of the limitations set forth in the first proviso to the first sentence of **Section 2.04(a)**, or (B) that one or more of the applicable conditions specified in **Article VI** is not then satisfied, then, subject to the terms and conditions hereof, Swing Line Lender will, not later than 3:00 p.m. on the borrowing date specified in such Swing Line Loan Notice, make the amount of its Swing Line Loan available to Borrower.

(c) **Refinancing of Swing Line Loans.**

(i) Swing Line Lender at any time in its sole discretion may request, on behalf of Borrower (which hereby irrevocably authorizes Swing Line Lender to so request on its behalf), that each Lender make a Base Rate Committed Loan in an amount equal to such Lender's Applicable Percentage of the amount of Swing Line Loans then outstanding. Such request shall be made in writing (which written request shall be deemed to be a Committed Loan Notice for purposes hereof) and in accordance with the requirements of **Section 2.02**, without regard to the minimum and multiples specified therein for the principal amount of Base Rate Loans, but subject to the unutilized portion of the Aggregate Commitments and the conditions set forth in **Section 6.02** (other than (x) the delivery of a Committed Loan Notice and (y) the existence of a Default (other than a Default under **Section 10.01(f)**) that is not an Event of Default). Swing Line Lender shall furnish Borrower with a copy of the applicable Committed Loan Notice promptly after delivering such notice to Administrative Agent. Each Lender shall make an amount equal to its Applicable Percentage of the amount specified in such Committed Loan Notice available to Administrative Agent in immediately available funds (and Administrative Agent may apply Cash Collateral available with respect to the applicable Swing Line Loan) for the account of Swing Line Lender at Administrative Agent's Office not later than 1:00 p.m. on the day specified in such Committed Loan Notice, whereupon, subject to **Section 2.04(c)(ii)**, each Lender that so makes funds available shall be deemed to have made a Base Rate Committed Loan to Borrower in such amount. Administrative Agent shall remit the funds so received to Swing Line Lender.

(ii) If for any reason any Swing Line Loan cannot be refinanced by such a Committed Borrowing in accordance with **Section 2.04(c)(i)**, the request for Base Rate Committed Loans submitted by Swing Line Lender as set forth herein shall be deemed to be a request by Swing Line Lender that each of the Lenders fund its risk participation in the relevant Swing Line Loan and each Lender's payment to Administrative Agent for the account of Swing Line Lender pursuant to **Section 2.04(c)(i)** shall be deemed payment in respect of such participation.

(iii) If any Lender fails to make available to Administrative Agent for the account of Swing Line Lender any amount required to be paid by such Lender pursuant to the foregoing provisions of this **Section 2.04(c)** by the time specified in **Section 2.04(c)(i)**, Swing Line Lender shall be entitled to recover from such Lender (acting through Administrative Agent), on demand, such amount with interest thereon for the period from the date such payment is required to the date on which such payment is immediately available to Swing Line Lender at a rate per annum equal to the greater of the Federal Funds Rate and a rate determined by Swing Line Lender in accordance with banking industry rules on interbank compensation, plus any administrative, processing or similar fees customarily charged by Swing Line Lender in connection with the foregoing. If such Lender pays such amount (with interest and fees as aforesaid), the amount so paid shall constitute such Lender's Committed Loan included in the relevant Committed Borrowing or funded participation in the relevant Swing Line Loan, as the case may be. A certificate of Swing Line Lender submitted to any Lender (through Administrative Agent) with respect to any amounts owing under this **clause (iii)** shall be conclusive absent manifest error.

(iv) Each Lender's obligation to make Committed Loans or to purchase and fund risk participations in Swing Line Loans pursuant to this **Section 2.04(c)** shall be absolute and unconditional and shall not be affected by any circumstance, including (A) any setoff, counterclaim, recoupment, defense or other right which such Lender may have against Swing Line Lender, Borrower or any other Person for any reason whatsoever, (B) the occurrence or continuance of a Default, or (C) any other occurrence, event or condition, whether or not similar to any of the foregoing; *provided, however*, that each Lender's obligation to make Committed Loans pursuant to this **Section 2.04(c)** is subject to the conditions set forth in **Section 6.02** (other than (x) the delivery of a Committed Loan Notice and (y) the existence of a Default (other than a Default under **Section 10.01(f)**) that is not an Event of Default). No such funding of risk participations shall relieve or otherwise impair the obligation of Borrower to repay Swing Line Loans, together with interest as provided herein.

(d) Repayment of Participations.

(i) At any time after any Lender has purchased and funded a risk participation in a Swing Line Loan, if Swing Line Lender receives any payment on account of such Swing Line Loan, Swing Line Lender will distribute to such Lender its Applicable Percentage thereof in the same funds as those received by Swing Line Lender.

(ii) If any payment received by Swing Line Lender in respect of principal or interest on any Swing Line Loan is required to be returned by Swing Line Lender under any of the circumstances described in **Section 12.05** (including pursuant to any settlement entered into by Swing Line Lender in its discretion), each Lender shall pay to Swing Line Lender its Applicable Percentage thereof on demand of Administrative Agent, plus interest thereon from the date of such demand to the date such amount is returned, at a rate per annum equal to the Federal Funds Rate. Administrative Agent will make such demand upon the request of Swing Line Lender. The obligations of the Lenders under this clause shall survive the payment in full of the Obligations and the termination of this Agreement.

(e) **Interest for Account of Swing Line Lender.** Swing Line Lender shall be responsible for invoicing Borrower for interest on the Swing Line Loans. Until each Lender funds its Base Rate Committed Loan or risk participation pursuant to this **Section 2.04** to refinance such Lender's Applicable Percentage of any Swing Line Loan, interest in respect of such Applicable Percentage shall be solely for the account of Swing Line Lender.

(f) **Payments Directly to Swing Line Lender.** Borrower shall make all payments of principal and interest in respect of the Swing Line Loans directly to Swing Line Lender.

2.05 Prepayments.

(a) Borrower may, upon notice to Administrative Agent, at any time or from time to time voluntarily prepay Committed Loans in whole or in part without premium or penalty; *provided that* (i) such notice must be received by Administrative Agent not later than 11:00 a.m. (A) three (3) Business Days prior to any date of prepayment of Eurodollar Rate Loans and (B) on the date of prepayment of Base Rate Committed Loans; (ii) any prepayment of Eurodollar Rate Loans shall be in a principal amount of \$5,000,000 or a whole multiple of \$1,000,000 in excess thereof; and (iii) any prepayment of Base Rate Committed Loans shall be in a principal amount of \$500,000 or a whole multiple of \$100,000 in excess thereof or, in each case, if less, the entire principal amount thereof then outstanding. Each such notice shall specify the date and amount of such prepayment and the Type(s) of Committed Loans to be prepaid and, if Eurodollar Rate Loans are to be prepaid, the Interest Period(s) of such Loans. Administrative Agent will promptly notify each Lender of its receipt of each such notice, and of the amount of such Lender's Applicable Percentage of such prepayment. If such notice is given by Borrower, Borrower shall make such prepayment and the payment amount specified in such notice shall be due and payable on the date specified therein; *provided, however*, that Borrower shall be entitled to make any such payment conditional on the receipt of other financing or the proceeds of other transactions (if such payment is made in connection with a refinancing or other payment in full of the Loans) to the extent specified in such notice. Any prepayment of a Eurodollar Rate Loan shall be accompanied by all accrued interest on the amount prepaid, together with any additional amounts required pursuant to **Section 3.05**. Subject to **Section 2.17**, each such prepayment shall be applied to the Committed Loans of the Lenders in accordance with their respective Applicable Percentages.

(b) Borrower may, upon notice to Swing Line Lender (with a copy to Administrative Agent), at any time or from time to time, voluntarily prepay Swing Line Loans in whole or in part without premium or penalty; *provided that* (i) such notice must be received by Swing Line Lender and Administrative Agent not later than 1:00 p.m. on the date of the prepayment, and (ii) any such prepayment shall be in a minimum principal amount of \$100,000 or, if less, the entire principal amount of Swing Line Loans then outstanding. Each such notice shall specify the date and amount of such prepayment. If such notice is given by Borrower, Borrower shall make such prepayment and the payment amount specified in such notice shall be due and payable on the date specified therein; *provided, however*, that Borrower shall be entitled to make any such payment conditional on the receipt of other financing or the proceeds of other transactions (if such prepayment is made in connection with a refinancing or other payment in full of the Loans) to the extent specified in such notice.

(c) If for any reason the Total Outstandings at any time exceed the Maximum Availability then in effect, then Borrower shall, within five (5) Business Days, prepay Loans and/or Cash Collateralize the L/C Obligations in an aggregate amount equal to such excess; *provided, however*, that Borrower shall not be required to Cash Collateralize the L/C Obligations pursuant to this **Section 2.05(c)** unless after the prepayment in full of the Committed Loans and Swing Line Loans the Total Outstandings exceed the Maximum Availability then in effect.

2.06 Termination or Reduction of Commitments. Borrower may, upon notice to Administrative Agent, terminate the Aggregate Commitments, or from time to time permanently reduce the Aggregate Commitments; *provided that* (a) any such notice shall be received by Administrative Agent not later than 11:00 a.m. three (3) Business Days prior to the date of termination or reduction, (b) any such partial reduction shall be in an aggregate amount of \$10,000,000 or any whole multiple of \$1,000,000 in excess thereof, (c) Borrower shall not terminate or reduce the Aggregate Commitments if, after giving effect thereto and to any concurrent prepayments hereunder, the Total Outstandings would exceed the Aggregate Commitments, and (d) if, after giving effect to any reduction of the Aggregate Commitments, the Letter of Credit Sublimit or the Swing Line Sublimit exceeds the amount of the Aggregate Commitments, such Sublimit shall be automatically reduced by the amount of such excess. Administrative Agent will promptly notify the Lenders of any such notice of termination or reduction of the Aggregate Commitments. Any reduction of the Aggregate Commitments shall be applied to the Commitment of each Lender according to its Applicable Percentage. All fees accrued until the effective date of any termination of the Aggregate Commitments shall be paid on the effective date of such termination. Borrower shall be entitled to make any such termination of the Aggregate Commitments hereunder conditional on the receipt of other financing or the proceeds of other transactions (if such termination is made in connection with a refinancing or other payment in full of the Loans) to the extent specified in the termination notice.

2.07 Repayment of Loans.

- (a) Borrower shall repay to the Lenders on the Maturity Date the aggregate principal amount of Committed Loans outstanding on such date.
- (b) Borrower shall repay each Swing Line Loan on the earlier to occur of (i) the date five (5) Business Days after such Loan is made and (ii) the Maturity Date.

2.08 Interest.

(a) Subject to the provisions of *subsection (b)* below, (i) each Eurodollar Rate Loan shall bear interest on the outstanding principal amount thereof for each Interest Period at a rate per annum equal to the Eurodollar Rate for such Interest Period *plus* the Applicable Rate for Eurodollar Rate Loans; (ii) each Base Rate Committed Loan shall bear interest on the outstanding principal amount thereof from the applicable borrowing date at a rate per annum equal to the Base Rate *plus* the Applicable Rate for Base Rate Loans; and (iii) each Swing Line Loan shall bear interest on the outstanding principal amount thereof from the applicable borrowing date at a rate per annum equal to the Base Rate *plus* the Applicable Rate for Base Rate Loans.

(b) (i) If any amount of principal of any Loan is not paid when due (without regard to any applicable grace periods), whether at stated maturity, by acceleration or otherwise, such amount shall thereafter bear interest at a fluctuating interest rate per annum at all times equal to the Default Rate to the fullest extent permitted by applicable Laws.

(ii) If any amount (other than principal of any Loan) payable by Borrower under any Loan Document is not paid when due (without regard to any applicable grace periods), whether at stated maturity, by acceleration or otherwise, then such amount shall thereafter bear interest at a fluctuating interest rate per annum at all times equal to the Default Rate to the fullest extent permitted by applicable Laws.

(iii) Upon the occurrence of an Event of Default pursuant to **Section 10.01(f)** or **10.01(g)** and upon the request of Required Lenders if any other Event of Default exists (other than as set forth in **clauses (b)(i)** and **(b)(ii)** above), Borrower shall pay interest on the principal amount of all outstanding Obligations hereunder at a fluctuating interest rate per annum at all times equal to the Default Rate to the fullest extent permitted by applicable Laws.

(iv) Accrued and unpaid interest on past due amounts (including interest on past due interest) shall be due and payable upon demand.

(c) Interest on each Loan shall be due and payable in arrears on each Interest Payment Date applicable thereto and at such other times as may be specified herein. Interest hereunder shall be due and payable in accordance with the terms hereof before and after judgment, and before and after the commencement of any proceeding under any Debtor Relief Law.

2.09 Fees. In addition to certain fees described in **subsections (h)** and **(i)** of **Section 2.03**:

(a) **Unused Fee.** Borrower shall pay to Administrative Agent for the account of each Lender in accordance with its Applicable Percentage, an unused fee equal to the Unused Rate times the actual daily amount by which the Aggregate Commitments exceed the sum of (i) the Outstanding Amount of Committed Loans and (ii) the Outstanding Amount of L/C Obligations, subject to adjustment as provided in **Section 2.17**. For the avoidance of doubt, the Outstanding Amount of Swing Line Loans shall not be counted towards or considered usage of the Aggregate Commitments for purposes of determining the unused fee. The unused fee shall accrue at all times during the Availability Period, including at any time during which one or more of the conditions in **Article VI** is not met, and shall be due and payable quarterly in arrears on the first (1st) Business Day after the end of each March, June, September and December, commencing with the first such date to occur after the Closing Date, and on the last day of the Availability Period. The unused fee shall be calculated quarterly in arrears, and if there is any change in the Unused Rate during any quarter, the actual daily amount shall be computed and multiplied by the Unused Rate separately for each period during such quarter that such Applicable Rate was in effect.

(b) **Other Fees.**

(i) Borrower shall pay to Arranger and Administrative Agent for their own respective accounts fees in the amounts and at the times specified in the Fee Letter. Such fees shall be fully earned when paid and shall not be refundable for any reason whatsoever.

(ii) Borrower shall pay to the Lenders such fees as shall have been separately agreed upon in writing in the amounts and at the times so specified. Such fees shall be fully earned when paid and shall not be refundable for any reason whatsoever.

2.10 Computation of Interest and Fees; Retroactive Adjustments of Applicable Rate.

(a) All computations of interest for Base Rate Loans (including Base Rate Loans determined by reference to the Eurodollar Rate) shall be made on the basis of a year of 365 or 366 days, as the case may be, and actual days elapsed. All other computations of fees and interest shall be made on the basis of a 360-day year and actual days elapsed (which results in more fees or interest, as applicable, being paid than if computed on the basis of a 365-day year). Interest shall accrue on each Loan for the day on which the Loan is made, and shall not accrue on a Loan, or any portion thereof, for the day on which the Loan or such portion is paid, *provided that* any Loan that is repaid on the same day on which it is made shall, subject to **Section 2.12(a)**, bear interest for one day. Each determination by Administrative Agent of an interest rate or fee hereunder shall be conclusive and binding for all purposes, absent manifest error.

(b) If, as a result of any restatement of or other adjustment to the financial statements of Borrower or for any other reason, Borrower or the Lenders determine that (i) the Leverage Ratio as calculated by Borrower as of any applicable date was inaccurate and (ii) a proper calculation of the Leverage Ratio would have resulted in higher pricing for such period, Borrower shall immediately and retroactively be obligated to pay to Administrative Agent for the account of the applicable Lenders or L/C Issuer, as the case may be, promptly on demand by Administrative Agent (or, after the occurrence of an actual or deemed entry of an order for relief with respect to Borrower under the Bankruptcy Code of the United States, automatically and without further action by Administrative Agent, any Lender or L/C Issuer), an amount equal to the excess of the amount of interest and fees that should have been paid for such period over the amount of interest and fees actually paid for such period. This paragraph shall not limit the rights of Administrative Agent, any Lender or L/C Issuer, as the case may be, under **Section 2.03(c)(iii)** or **2.03(i)** or under **Article X**. Borrower's obligations under this paragraph shall survive for the nine (9)- month period immediately following the termination of the Aggregate Commitments and the repayment of all other Obligations hereunder.

2.11 Evidence of Debt.

(a) The Credit Extensions made by each Lender shall be evidenced by one or more accounts or records maintained by such Lender and by Administrative Agent in the ordinary course of business. The accounts or records maintained by Administrative Agent and each Lender shall be conclusive absent manifest error of the amount of the Credit Extensions made by the Lenders to Borrower and the interest and payments thereon. Any failure to so record or any error in doing so shall not, however, limit or otherwise affect the obligation of Borrower hereunder to pay any amount owing with respect to the Obligations. In the event of any conflict between the accounts and records maintained by any Lender and the accounts and records of Administrative Agent in respect of such matters, the accounts and records of Administrative Agent shall control in the absence of manifest error. Upon the request of any Lender made through Administrative Agent, Borrower shall execute and deliver to such Lender (through Administrative Agent) a Note, which shall evidence such Lender's Loans in addition to such accounts or records. Each Lender may attach schedules to its Note and endorse thereon the date, Type (if applicable), amount and maturity of its Loans and payments with respect thereto.

(b) In addition to the accounts and records referred to in **subsection (a)** above, each Lender and Administrative Agent shall maintain in accordance with its usual practice accounts or records evidencing the purchases and sales by such Lender of participations in Letters of Credit and Swing Line Loans. In the event of any conflict between the accounts and records maintained by Administrative Agent and the accounts and records of any Lender in respect of such matters, the accounts and records of Administrative Agent shall control in the absence of manifest error.

2.12 Payments Generally; Administrative Agent's Clawback.

(a) **General.** All payments to be made by Borrower shall be made free and clear of and without condition or deduction for any counterclaim, defense, recoupment or setoff. Except as otherwise expressly provided herein, all payments by Borrower hereunder shall be made to Administrative Agent, for the account of the respective Lenders to which such payment is owed, at Administrative Agent's Office in Dollars and in immediately available funds not later than 2:00 p.m. on the date specified herein. Administrative Agent will promptly distribute to each

Lender its Applicable Percentage (or other applicable share as provided herein) of such payment in like funds as received by wire transfer to such Lender's Lending Office. All payments received by Administrative Agent after 2:00 p.m. shall be deemed received on the next succeeding Business Day and any applicable interest or fee shall continue to accrue. If any payment to be made by Borrower shall come due on a day other than a Business Day, payment shall be made on the next following Business Day, and such extension of time shall be reflected in computing interest or fees, as the case may be.

(b) **Clawback.**

(i) **Funding by Lenders; Presumption by Administrative Agent.** Unless Administrative Agent shall have received notice from a Lender prior to the proposed date of any Committed Borrowing of Eurodollar Rate Loans (or, in the case of any Committed Borrowing of Base Rate Loans, prior to 12:00 noon on the date of such Committed Borrowing) that such Lender will not make available to Administrative Agent such Lender's share of such Committed Borrowing, Administrative Agent may assume that such Lender has made such share available on such date in accordance with **Section 2.02** (or, in the case of a Committed Borrowing of Base Rate Loans, that such Lender has made such share available in accordance with and at the time required by **Section 2.02**) and may, in reliance upon such assumption, make available to Borrower a corresponding amount. In such event, if a Lender has not in fact made its share of the applicable Committed Borrowing available to Administrative Agent, then the applicable Lender and Borrower severally agree to pay to Administrative Agent forthwith on demand such corresponding amount in immediately available funds with interest thereon, for each day from and including the date such amount is made available to Borrower to but excluding the date of payment to Administrative Agent, at (A) in the case of a payment to be made by such Lender, the greater of the Federal Funds Rate and a rate determined by Administrative Agent in accordance with banking industry rules on interbank compensation, plus any administrative, processing or similar fees customarily charged by Administrative Agent in connection with the foregoing, and (B) in the case of a payment to be made by Borrower, the interest rate applicable to such Loans. If Borrower and such Lender shall pay such interest to Administrative Agent for the same or an overlapping period, Administrative Agent shall promptly remit to Borrower the amount of such interest paid by Borrower for such period. If such Lender pays its share of the applicable Committed Borrowing to Administrative Agent, then the amount so paid shall constitute such Lender's Committed Loan included in such Committed Borrowing. Any payment by Borrower shall be without prejudice to any claim Borrower may have against a Lender that shall have failed to make such payment to Administrative Agent.

(ii) **Payments by Borrower; Presumptions by Administrative Agent.** Unless Administrative Agent shall have received notice from Borrower prior to the date on which any payment is due to Administrative Agent for the account of the Lenders or L/C Issuer hereunder that Borrower will not make such payment, Administrative Agent may assume that Borrower has made such payment on such date in accordance herewith and may, in reliance upon such assumption, distribute to the Lenders or L/C Issuer, as the case may be, the amount due. In such event, if Borrower has not in fact made such payment, then each of the Lenders or L/C Issuer, as the case may be, severally agrees to repay to Administrative Agent forthwith on demand the amount so distributed to such Lender or L/C Issuer, in immediately available funds with interest thereon, for each day from and including the date such amount is distributed to it to but excluding the date of payment to Administrative Agent, at the greater of the Federal Funds Rate and a rate determined by Administrative Agent in accordance with banking industry rules on interbank compensation.

A notice of Administrative Agent to any Lender or Borrower with respect to any amount owing under this **subsection (b)** shall be conclusive, absent manifest error.

(c) **Failure to Satisfy Conditions Precedent.** If any Lender makes available to Administrative Agent funds for any Loan to be made by such Lender as provided in the foregoing provisions of this **Article II**, and such funds are not made available to Borrower by Administrative Agent because the conditions to the applicable Credit Extension set forth in **Article VI** are not satisfied or waived in accordance with the terms hereof, Administrative Agent shall return such funds (in like funds as received from such Lender) to such Lender, without interest.

(d) **Obligations of Lenders Several.** The obligations of the Lenders hereunder to make Committed Loans, to fund participations in Letters of Credit and Swing Line Loans and to make payments pursuant to **Section 12.04(c)** are several and not joint. The failure of any Lender to make any Committed Loan, to fund any such participation or to make any payment under **Section 12.04(c)** on any date required hereunder shall not relieve any other Lender of its corresponding obligation to do so on such date, and no Lender shall be responsible for the failure of any other Lender to so make its Committed Loan, to purchase its participation or to make its payment under **Section 12.04(c)**.

(e) **Funding Source.** Nothing herein shall be deemed to obligate any Lender to obtain the funds for any Loan in any particular place or manner or to constitute a representation by any Lender that it has obtained or will obtain the funds for any Loan in any particular place or manner.

2.13 Sharing of Payments by Lenders. If any Lender shall, by exercising any right of setoff or counterclaim or otherwise, obtain payment in respect of any principal of or interest on any of the Committed Loans made by it, or the participations in L/C Obligations or in Swing Line Loans held by it resulting in such Lender's receiving payment of a proportion of the aggregate amount of such Committed Loans or participations and accrued interest thereon greater than its pro rata share thereof as provided herein, then the Lender receiving such greater proportion shall (a) notify Administrative Agent of such fact, and (b) purchase (for cash at face value) participations in the Committed Loans and subparticipations in L/C Obligations and Swing Line Loans of the other Lenders, or make such other adjustments as shall be equitable, so that the benefit of all such payments shall be shared by the Lenders ratably in accordance with the aggregate amount of principal of and accrued interest on their respective Committed Loans and other amounts owing them, *provided that*:

(i) if any such participations or subparticipations are purchased and all or any portion of the payment giving rise thereto is recovered, such participations or subparticipations shall be rescinded and the purchase price restored to the extent of such recovery, without interest; and

(ii) the provisions of this **Section** shall not be construed to apply to (x) any payment made by or on behalf of Borrower pursuant to and in accordance with the express terms of this Agreement (including the application of funds arising from the existence of a Defaulting Lender), (y) the application of Cash Collateral provided for in **Section 2.16**, or (z) any payment obtained by a Lender as consideration for the assignment of or sale of a participation in any of its Committed Loans or subparticipations in L/C Obligations or Swing Line Loans to any assignee or participant, other than an assignment to Borrower or any Affiliate thereof (as to which the provisions of this **Section** shall apply).

Each Loan Party consents to the foregoing and agrees, to the extent it may effectively do so under applicable Law, that any Lender acquiring a participation pursuant to the foregoing arrangements may exercise against such Loan Party rights of setoff and counterclaim with respect to such participation as fully as if such Lender were a direct creditor of such Loan Party in the amount of such participation.

2.14 Extension of Maturity Date.

(a) **Requests for Extension.** Borrower may, by written notice to Administrative Agent (who shall promptly notify the Lenders) not earlier than one hundred twenty (120) days and not later than thirty (30) days prior to the Initial Maturity Date, request that the Initial Maturity Date be extended to the First Extended Maturity Date. If the Initial Maturity Date is extended to the First Extended Maturity Date, then Borrower may, by written notice to Administrative Agent (who shall promptly notify the Lenders) not earlier than one hundred twenty (120) days and not later than thirty (30) days prior to the First Extended Maturity Date, request that the First Extended Maturity Date be extended to the Second Extended Maturity Date.

(b) **Conditions Precedent.** As a condition precedent to the extension of the Initial Maturity Date to the First Extended Maturity Date and, if applicable, the First Extended Maturity Date to the Second Extended Maturity Date, in each case pursuant to this **Section 2.14**:

(i) Borrower shall deliver to Administrative Agent a certificate of (in sufficient copies for each Lender) signed by a Responsible Officer of Parent, for itself and on behalf of Borrower, certifying as of the date of the notice described in **Section 2.14(a)**, as of the Initial Maturity Date or the First Extended Maturity Date, as applicable, and after giving effect to such extension, that (1) the resolutions adopted by Parent, for itself and on behalf of Borrower, with respect to the transactions contemplated hereunder (including the extensions provided for herein) and delivered on the Closing Date remain in full force and effect or certifying new resolutions of Parent, for itself or on behalf of Borrower, approving or consenting to the applicable extension, (2) the representations and warranties contained in **Article VII** and the other Loan Documents are true and correct in all material respects (without duplication of any materiality qualifiers therein) on and as of the Initial Maturity Date or the First Extended Maturity Date, as applicable, except to the extent that such representations and warranties specifically refer to an earlier date, in which case they are true and correct in all material respects (without duplication of any materiality qualifiers therein) as of such earlier date, and except that for purposes of this **Section 2.14**, the representations and warranties contained in each of **Sections 7.05(a)** and **7.05(b)** shall be deemed to refer to the most recent statements furnished pursuant to **Sections 8.01(a)** and **8.01(b)**, respectively, and shall refer to the Consolidated Group rather than to the predecessor of Parent, and (3) no Default exists;

(ii) on the date of the extension of the Maturity Date to the First Extended Maturity Date or the Second Extended Maturity Date, as applicable, (each such date, an "**Extension Date**"), Borrower shall pay to Administrative Agent, for the pro rata account of each Lender in accordance with their respective Applicable Percentages, an extension fee equal to (A) for the extension to the First Extended Maturity Date, fifteen hundredths of one percent (0.15%) of the Aggregate Commitments as of the applicable Extension Date and (B) if applicable, for the extension to the Second Extended Maturity Date, two tenths of one percent (0.20%) of the Aggregate Commitments as of the applicable Extension Date, which fees shall, when paid, be fully earned and non-refundable under any circumstances; and

(iii) on the date of the notice described in **Section 2.14(a)** and the applicable Extension Date and after giving effect thereto, (A) the representations and warranties contained in **Article VII** and the other Loan Documents are true and correct in all material respects (without duplication of any materiality qualifiers therein) on and as of such Extension Date, except to the extent that such representations and warranties specifically refer to an earlier date, in which case they are true and correct in all material respects (without duplication of any materiality qualifiers therein) as of such earlier date, and except that for purposes of this **Section 2.14**, the representations and warranties contained in each of **Sections 7.05(a)** and **7.05(b)** shall be deemed to refer to the most recent statements furnished pursuant to **Sections 8.01(a)** and **8.01(b)**, respectively, and shall refer to the Consolidated Group rather than to the predecessor of Parent and (B) no Default exists; and

(c) **Conflicting Provisions.** This **Section 2.14** shall supersede any provisions in **Section 12.01** to the contrary.

2.15 Increase in Commitments.

(a) **Request for Increase.** Provided there exists no Default, upon notice to Administrative Agent (which shall promptly notify the Lenders), Borrower may from time to time, request an increase in the Aggregate Commitments by an amount (for all such requests) not exceeding \$200,000,000; *provided that* (i) any such request for an increase shall be in a minimum amount of \$20,000,000 or, if less, the unused portion of the increase permitted under this **Section 2.15**, (ii) Borrower may make a maximum of four (4) such requests, and (iii) after giving effect to each such request, the Aggregate Commitments shall not exceed \$400,000,000 (less the amount of any termination or reduction of the Aggregate Commitments pursuant to **Section 2.06**). At the time of sending such notice, Borrower (in consultation with Administrative Agent) shall specify the time period within which each Lender is requested to respond (which shall in no event be less than ten (10) Business Days from the date of delivery of such notice to the Lenders).

(b) **Lender Elections to Increase.** Each Lender shall notify Administrative Agent within such time period whether or not it agrees to increase its Commitment and, if so, whether by an amount equal to, greater than, or less than its Applicable Percentage of such requested increase. Any Lender not responding within such time period shall be deemed to have declined to increase its Commitment.

(c) **Notification by Administrative Agent; Additional Lenders.** Administrative Agent shall notify Borrower and each Lender of the Lenders' responses to each request made hereunder. To achieve the full amount of a requested increase and subject to the approval of Administrative Agent, L/C Issuer and Swing Line Lender (which approvals shall not be unreasonably withheld, delayed or conditioned), Borrower may also invite additional Eligible Assignees to become Lenders pursuant to a joinder agreement in form and substance reasonably satisfactory to Administrative Agent and its counsel.

(d) **Effective Date and Allocations.** If the Aggregate Commitments are increased in accordance with this **Section 2.15**, Administrative Agent and Borrower shall determine the effective date (the "**Increase Effective Date**") and the final allocation of such increase. Administrative Agent shall promptly notify Borrower and the Lenders of the final allocation of such increase and the Increase Effective Date.

(e) **Conditions to Effectiveness of Increase.** As a condition precedent to such increase, Borrower shall deliver to Administrative Agent a certificate of each Loan Party dated as of the Increase Effective Date (in sufficient copies for each Lender) signed by a Responsible Officer of such Loan Party (x) certifying and attaching the resolutions adopted by such Loan Party approving or consenting to such increase, and (y) in the case of Borrower, certifying that, before and after giving effect to such increase, (A) the representations and warranties contained in *Article VII* and the other Loan Documents are true and correct in all material respects (without duplication of any materiality qualifiers therein) on and as of the Increase Effective Date, except to the extent that such representations and warranties specifically refer to an earlier date, in which case they are true and correct in all material respects (without duplication of any materiality qualifiers therein) as of such earlier date, and except that for purposes of this *Section 2.15*, the representations and warranties contained in each of *Sections 7.05(a)* and *7.05(b)* shall be deemed to refer to the most recent statements furnished pursuant to *Sections 8.01(a)* and *8.01(b)*, respectively, and shall refer to the Consolidated Group rather than to the predecessor of Parent, and (B) no Default exists. Borrower shall prepay any Committed Loans outstanding on the Increase Effective Date (and pay any additional amounts required pursuant to *Section 3.05*) to the extent necessary to keep the outstanding Committed Loans ratable with any revised Applicable Percentages arising from any nonratable increase in the Commitments under this *Section*.

(f) **Conflicting Provisions.** This *Section 2.15* shall supersede any provisions in *Section 2.13* or *12.01* to the contrary.

2.16 Cash Collateral.

(a) **Certain Credit Support Events.** If (i) as of the Letter of Credit Expiration Date, any L/C Obligation for any reason remains outstanding, (ii) Borrower shall be required to provide Cash Collateral pursuant to *Section 10.02*, or (iii) there shall exist a Defaulting Lender, Borrower shall immediately (in the case of *clause (ii)* above) or within one Business Day (in all other cases) following any request by Administrative Agent or L/C Issuer, provide Cash Collateral in an amount not less than the applicable Minimum Collateral Amount (determined in the case of Cash Collateral provided pursuant to *clause (ii)* above, after giving effect to *Section 2.17(a)* *(iv)* and any Cash Collateral provided by the Defaulting Lender).

(b) **Grant of Security Interest.** Borrower, and to the extent provided by any Defaulting Lender, such Defaulting Lender, hereby grants to (and subjects to the control of) Administrative Agent, for the benefit of Administrative Agent, L/C Issuer and the Lenders, and agrees to maintain, a first priority security interest in all such cash, deposit accounts and all balances therein, and all other property so provided as collateral pursuant hereto, and in all proceeds of the foregoing, all as security for the obligations to which such Cash Collateral may be applied pursuant to *Section 2.16(c)*. If at any time Administrative Agent determines that Cash Collateral is subject to any right or claim of any Person other than Administrative Agent or L/C Issuer as herein provided (other than the applicable depository bank, subject to the applicable control agreement with Administrative Agent), or that the total amount of such Cash Collateral is less than the Minimum Collateral Amount, Borrower will, promptly upon demand by Administrative Agent, pay or provide to Administrative Agent additional Cash Collateral in an amount sufficient to eliminate such deficiency. All Cash Collateral (other than credit support not constituting funds subject to deposit) shall be maintained in blocked, interest bearing deposit accounts at Bank of America. Borrower shall pay on demand therefor from time to time all customary account opening, activity and other administrative fees and charges in connection with the maintenance and disbursement of Cash Collateral.

(c) **Application.** Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in this Agreement, Cash Collateral provided under any of this **Section 2.16** or **Sections 2.03, 2.04, 2.05, 2.17** or **10.02** in respect of Letters of Credit shall be held and applied to the satisfaction of the specific L/C Obligations, obligations to fund participations therein (including, as to Cash Collateral provided by a Defaulting Lender, any interest accrued on such obligation) and other obligations for which the Cash Collateral was so provided, prior to any other application of such property as may otherwise be provided for herein.

(d) **Release.** Cash Collateral (or the appropriate portion thereof) provided to reduce Fronting Exposure or to secure other obligations shall be released promptly following (i) the elimination of the applicable Fronting Exposure or other obligations giving rise thereto (including by the termination of Defaulting Lender status of the applicable Lender (or, as appropriate, its assignee following compliance with **Section 12.06(b)(vi)**)) or (ii) the determination by Administrative Agent and L/C Issuer that there exists excess Cash Collateral; *provided, however*, (x) any such release shall be without prejudice to, and any disbursement or other transfer of Cash Collateral shall be and remain subject to, any other Lien conferred under the Loan Documents and the other applicable provisions of the Loan Documents, and (y) the Person providing Cash Collateral and L/C Issuer may agree that Cash Collateral shall not be released but instead held to support future anticipated Fronting Exposure or other obligations.

2.17 Defaulting Lenders.

(a) **Adjustments.** Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in this Agreement, if any Lender becomes a Defaulting Lender, then, until such time as that Lender is no longer a Defaulting Lender, to the extent permitted by applicable Law:

(i) **Waivers and Amendments.** Such Defaulting Lender's right to approve or disapprove any amendment, waiver or consent with respect to this Agreement shall be restricted as set forth in the definition of "**Required Lenders**" and **Section 12.01**.

(ii) **Defaulting Lender Waterfall.** Any payment of principal, interest, fees or other amounts received by Administrative Agent for the account of such Defaulting Lender (whether voluntary or mandatory, at maturity, pursuant to **Article X** or otherwise) or received by Administrative Agent from a Defaulting Lender pursuant to **Section 12.08** shall be applied at such time or times as may be determined by Administrative Agent as follows: *first*, to the payment of any amounts owing by such Defaulting Lender to Administrative Agent hereunder; *second*, to the payment on a pro rata basis of any amounts owing by such Defaulting Lender to L/C Issuer or Swing Line Lender hereunder; *third*, to Cash Collateralize L/C Issuer's Fronting Exposure with respect to such Defaulting Lender in accordance with **Section 2.16**; *fourth*, as Borrower may request (so long as no Default or Event of Default exists), to the funding of any Loan in respect of which such Defaulting Lender has failed to fund its portion thereof as required by this Agreement, as determined by Administrative Agent; *fifth*, if so determined by Administrative Agent and Borrower, to be held in a deposit account and released pro rata in order to (x) satisfy such Defaulting Lender's potential future funding obligations with respect to Loans under this Agreement and (y) Cash Collateralize L/C Issuer's future Fronting Exposure with respect to such Defaulting Lender with respect to future Letters of Credit issued under this Agreement, in accordance with **Section 2.16**; *sixth*, to the

payment of any amounts owing to the Lenders, L/C Issuer or Swing Line Lender as a result of any judgment of a court of competent jurisdiction obtained by any Lender, L/C Issuer or Swing Line Lender against such Defaulting Lender as a result of such Defaulting Lender's breach of its obligations under this Agreement; *seventh*, so long as no Default or Event of Default exists, to the payment of any amounts owing to Borrower as a result of any judgment of a court of competent jurisdiction obtained by Borrower against such Defaulting Lender as a result of such Defaulting Lender's breach of its obligations under this Agreement; and *eighth*, to such Defaulting Lender or as otherwise directed by a court of competent jurisdiction; *provided that* if (x) such payment is a payment of the principal amount of any Loans or L/C Borrowings in respect of which such Defaulting Lender has not fully funded its appropriate share and (y) such Loans were made or the related Letters of Credit were issued at a time when the conditions set forth in **Section 6.02** were satisfied or waived, such payment shall be applied solely to pay the Loans of, and L/C Obligations owed to, all Non-Defaulting Lenders on a pro rata basis prior to being applied to the payment of any Loans of, or L/C Obligations owed to, such Defaulting Lender until such time as all Loans and funded and unfunded participations in L/C Obligations and Swing Line Loans are held by the Lenders pro rata in accordance with the Commitments hereunder without giving effect to **Section 2.17(a)(iv)**. Any payments, prepayments or other amounts paid or payable to a Defaulting Lender that are applied (or held) to pay amounts owed by a Defaulting Lender or to post Cash Collateral pursuant to this **Section 2.17(a)(ii)** shall be deemed paid to and redirected by such Defaulting Lender, and each Lender irrevocably consents hereto.

(iii) **Certain Fees.**

(A) No Defaulting Lender shall be entitled to receive any fee payable under **Section 2.09(a)** for any period during which that Lender is a Defaulting Lender (and Borrower shall not be required to pay any such fee that otherwise would have been required to have been paid to that Defaulting Lender).

(B) Each Defaulting Lender shall be entitled to receive Letter of Credit Fees for any period during which that Lender is a Defaulting Lender only to the extent allocable to its Applicable Percentage of the stated amount of Letters of Credit for which it has provided Cash Collateral pursuant to **Section 2.16**.

(C) With respect to any Letter of Credit Fee not required to be paid to any Defaulting Lender pursuant to **clause (A)** or **(B)** above, Borrower shall (1) pay to each Non-Defaulting Lender that portion of any such fee otherwise payable to such Defaulting Lender with respect to such Defaulting Lender's participation in L/C Obligations or Swing Line Loans that has been reallocated to such Non-Defaulting Lender pursuant to **clause (iv)** below, (2) pay to L/C Issuer and Swing Line Lender, as applicable, the amount of any such fee otherwise payable to such Defaulting Lender to the extent allocable to such L/C Issuer's or Swing Line Lender's Fronting Exposure to such Defaulting Lender, unless such Fronting Exposure has been Cash Collateralized by Borrower in accordance with the provisions of this Agreement, and (3) not be required to pay the remaining amount of any such fee.

(iv) **Reallocation of Applicable Percentages to Reduce Fronting Exposure.** All or any part of such Defaulting Lender's participation in L/C Obligations

and Swing Line Loans shall be reallocated among the Non-Defaulting Lenders in accordance with their respective Applicable Percentages (calculated without regard to such Defaulting Lender's Commitment) but only to the extent that (A) the conditions set forth in **Section 6.02** are satisfied at the time of such reallocation, and (B) such reallocation does not cause the aggregate Revolving Credit Exposure of any Non-Defaulting Lender to exceed such Non-Defaulting Lender's Commitment. No reallocation hereunder shall constitute a waiver or release of any claim of any party hereunder against a Defaulting Lender arising from that Lender having become a Defaulting Lender, including any claim of a Non-Defaulting Lender as a result of such Non-Defaulting Lender's increased exposure following such reallocation.

(v) **Cash Collateral, Repayment of Swing Line Loans.** If the reallocation described in **Section 2.17(a)(iv)** above cannot, or can only partially, be effected, Borrower shall, without prejudice to any right or remedy available to it hereunder or under applicable Law, (A) *first*, prepay Swing Line Loans in an amount equal to Swing Line Lender's Fronting Exposure and (B) *second*, Cash Collateralize L/C Issuer's Fronting Exposure in accordance with the procedures set forth in **Section 2.16**.

(b) **Defaulting Lender Cure.** If Borrower, Administrative Agent, Swing Line Lender and L/C Issuer agree in writing that a Lender is no longer a Defaulting Lender, Administrative Agent will so notify the parties hereto, whereupon as of the effective date specified in such notice and subject to any conditions set forth therein (which may include arrangements with respect to any Cash Collateral), that Lender will, to the extent applicable, purchase at par that portion of outstanding Loans of the other Lenders or take such other actions as Administrative Agent may determine to be necessary to cause the Committed Loans and funded and unfunded participations in Letters of Credit and Swing Line Loans to be held on a pro rata basis by the Lenders in accordance with their Applicable Percentages (without giving effect to **Section 2.17(a)(iv)**), whereupon such Lender will cease to be a Defaulting Lender; *provided that* no adjustments will be made retroactively with respect to fees accrued or payments made by or on behalf of Borrower while that Lender was a Defaulting Lender; and *provided, further*, that except to the extent otherwise expressly agreed by the affected parties, no change hereunder from Defaulting Lender to Lender will constitute a waiver or release of any claim of any party hereunder arising from that Lender's having been a Defaulting Lender.

Article III. Taxes, Yield Protection and Illegality

3.01 Taxes.

(a) **Payments Free of Taxes; Obligation to Withhold; Payments on Account of Taxes.**

(i) Any and all payments by or on account of any obligation of any Loan Party under any Loan Document shall be made without deduction or withholding for any Taxes, except as required by applicable Laws. If any applicable Laws (as determined in the good faith discretion of Administrative Agent) require the deduction or withholding of any Tax from any such payment by Administrative Agent or a Loan Party, then Administrative Agent or such Loan Party shall be entitled to make such deduction or withholding, upon the basis of the information and documentation to be delivered pursuant to **subsection (e)** below.

(ii) If any Loan Party or Administrative Agent shall be required by the Code to withhold or deduct any Taxes, including both United States federal backup withholding and withholding Taxes, from any payment, then (A) Administrative Agent shall withhold or make such deductions as are determined by Administrative Agent to be required based upon the information and documentation it has received pursuant to **subsection (e)** below, (B) Administrative Agent shall timely pay the full amount withheld or deducted to the relevant Governmental Authority in accordance with the Code, and (C) to the extent that the withholding or deduction is made on account of Indemnified Taxes, the sum payable by the applicable Loan Party shall be increased as necessary so that after any required withholding or the making of all required deductions (including deductions applicable to additional sums payable under this **Section 3.01**) the applicable Recipient receives an amount equal to the sum it would have received had no such withholding or deduction been made.

(iii) If any Loan Party or Administrative Agent shall be required by any applicable Laws other than the Code to withhold or deduct any Taxes from any payment, then (A) such Loan Party or Administrative Agent, as required by such Laws, shall withhold or make such deductions as are determined by it to be required based upon the information and documentation it has received pursuant to **subsection (e)** below, (B) such Loan Party or Administrative Agent, to the extent required by such Laws, shall timely pay the full amount withheld or deducted to the relevant Governmental Authority in accordance with such Laws, and (C) to the extent that the withholding or deduction is made on account of Indemnified Taxes, the sum payable by the applicable Loan Party shall be increased as necessary so that after any required withholding or the making of all required deductions (including deductions applicable to additional sums payable under this **Section 3.01**) the applicable Recipient receives an amount equal to the sum it would have received had no such withholding or deduction been made.

(b) **Payment of Other Taxes by Borrower.** Without limiting the provisions of **subsection (a)** above, the Loan Parties shall timely pay to the relevant Governmental Authority in accordance with applicable Law, or at the option of Administrative Agent timely reimburse it for the payment of, any Other Taxes.

(c) **Tax Indemnifications.**

(i) Each of the Loan Parties shall, and does hereby, jointly and severally indemnify each Recipient, and shall make payment in respect thereof within ten (10) days after demand therefor, for the full amount of any Indemnified Taxes (including Indemnified Taxes imposed or asserted on or attributable to amounts payable under this **Section 3.01**) payable or paid by such Recipient or required to be withheld or deducted from a payment to such Recipient, and any reasonable expenses arising therefrom or with respect thereto, whether or not such Indemnified Taxes were correctly or legally imposed or asserted by the relevant Governmental Authority. A certificate as to the amount of such payment or liability delivered to Borrower by a Lender or L/C Issuer (with a copy to Administrative Agent), or by Administrative Agent on its own behalf or on behalf of a Lender or L/C Issuer, shall be conclusive absent manifest error.

(ii) Each Lender and L/C Issuer shall, and do hereby, severally indemnify, and shall make payment in respect thereof within ten (10) days after demand therefor, (A) Administrative Agent against any Indemnified Taxes attributable to such Lender or L/C Issuer (but only to the extent that any Loan Party has not already indemnified

Administrative Agent for such Indemnified Taxes and without limiting the obligation of the Loan Parties to do so), (B) Administrative Agent against any Taxes attributable to such Lender's failure to comply with the provisions of **Section 12.06(d)** relating to the maintenance of a Participant Register and (C) Administrative Agent against any Excluded Taxes attributable to such Lender or L/C Issuer, in each case, that are payable or paid by Administrative Agent in connection with any Loan Document, and any reasonable expenses arising therefrom or with respect thereto, whether or not such Taxes were correctly or legally imposed or asserted by the relevant Governmental Authority. A certificate as to the amount of such payment or liability delivered to any Lender by Administrative Agent shall be conclusive absent manifest error. Each Lender and L/C Issuer hereby authorizes Administrative Agent to set off and apply any and all amounts at any time owing to such Lender or L/C Issuer, as the case may be, under this Agreement or any other Loan Document against any amount due to Administrative Agent under this **Section 3.01(c)(ii)**.

(d) **Evidence of Payments.** Upon request by Borrower or Administrative Agent, as the case may be, after any payment of Taxes by Borrower or by Administrative Agent to a Governmental Authority as provided in this **Section 3.01**, Borrower shall deliver to Administrative Agent or Administrative Agent shall deliver to Borrower, as the case may be, the original or a certified copy of a receipt issued by such Governmental Authority evidencing such payment, a copy of any return required by Laws to report such payment or other evidence of such payment reasonably satisfactory to Borrower or Administrative Agent, as the case may be.

(e) **Status of Lenders; Tax Documentation.**

(i) Any Lender that is entitled to an exemption from or reduction of withholding Tax with respect to payments made under any Loan Document shall deliver to Borrower and Administrative Agent, at the time or times reasonably requested by Borrower or Administrative Agent, such properly completed and executed documentation reasonably requested by Borrower or Administrative Agent as will permit such payments to be made without withholding or at a reduced rate of withholding. In addition, any Lender, if reasonably requested by Borrower or Administrative Agent, shall deliver such other documentation prescribed by applicable Law or reasonably requested by Borrower or Administrative Agent as will enable Borrower or Administrative Agent to determine whether or not such Lender is subject to backup withholding or information reporting requirements. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the preceding two sentences, the completion, execution and submission of such documentation (other than such documentation set forth in **Sections 3.01(e)(ii)(A)**, **3.01(e)(ii)(B)** and **3.01(e)(ii)(D)** below) shall not be required if in the Lender's reasonable judgment such completion, execution or submission would subject such Lender to any material unreimbursed cost or expense or would materially prejudice the legal or commercial position of such Lender.

(ii) Without limiting the generality of the foregoing:

(A) any Lender that is a U.S. Person shall deliver to Borrower and Administrative Agent on or prior to the date on which such Lender becomes a Lender under this Agreement (and from time to time thereafter upon the reasonable request of Borrower or Administrative Agent), executed originals of IRS Form W-9 certifying that such Lender is exempt from U.S. federal backup withholding Tax;

(B) any Foreign Lender shall, to the extent it is legally entitled to do so, deliver to Borrower and Administrative Agent (in such number of copies as shall be requested by the recipient) on or prior to the date on which such Foreign Lender becomes a Lender under this Agreement (and from time to time thereafter upon the reasonable request of Borrower or Administrative Agent), whichever of the following is applicable:

(1) in the case of a Foreign Lender claiming the benefits of an income tax treaty to which the United States is a party (x) with respect to payments of interest under any Loan Document, executed originals of IRS Form W-8BEN establishing an exemption from, or reduction of, U.S. federal withholding Tax pursuant to the “interest” article of such tax treaty and (y) with respect to any other applicable payments under any Loan Document, IRS Form W-8BEN establishing an exemption from, or reduction of, U.S. federal withholding Tax pursuant to the “business profits” or “other income” article of such tax treaty;

(2) executed originals of IRS Form W-8ECI,

(3) in the case of a Foreign Lender claiming the benefits of the exemption for portfolio interest under *Section 881(c)* of the Code, (x) a certificate substantially in the form of *Exhibit G-1* to the effect that such Foreign Lender is not a “bank” within the meaning of *Section 881(c)(3)(A)* of the Code, a “10 percent shareholder” of Borrower within the meaning of *Section 881(c)(3)(B)* of the Code, or a “controlled foreign corporation” described in *Section 881(c)(3)(C)* of the Code (a “*U.S. Tax Compliance Certificate*”) and (y) executed originals of IRS Form W-8BEN; or

(4) to the extent a Foreign Lender is not the beneficial owner, executed originals of IRS Form W-8IMY, accompanied by IRS Form W-8ECI, IRS Form W-8BEN, a U.S. Tax Compliance Certificate substantially in the form of *Exhibit G-2* or *Exhibit G-3*, IRS Form W-9, and/or other certification documents from each beneficial owner, as applicable; *provided that* if the Foreign Lender is a partnership and one or more direct or indirect partners of such Foreign Lender are claiming the portfolio interest exemption, such Foreign Lender may provide a U.S. Tax Compliance Certificate substantially in the form of *Exhibit G-4* on behalf of each such direct and indirect partner;

(C) any Foreign Lender shall, to the extent it is legally entitled to do so, deliver to Borrower and Administrative Agent (in such number of copies as shall be requested by the recipient) on or prior to the date on which such Foreign Lender becomes a Lender under this Agreement (and from time to time thereafter upon the reasonable request of Borrower or Administrative Agent), executed originals of any other form prescribed by applicable Law as a basis for claiming exemption from or a reduction in U.S. federal withholding Tax, duly completed, together with such supplementary documentation as may be prescribed by applicable Law to permit Borrower or Administrative Agent to determine the withholding or deduction required to be made; and

(D) if a payment made to a Lender under any Loan Document would be subject to U.S. federal withholding Tax imposed by FATCA if such Lender were to fail to comply with the applicable reporting requirements of FATCA (including those contained in *Section 1471(b)* or *1472(b)* of the Code, as applicable), such Lender shall deliver to Borrower and Administrative Agent at the time or times prescribed by law and at such time or times reasonably requested by Borrower or Administrative Agent such documentation prescribed by applicable Law (including as prescribed by *Section 1471(b)(3)(C)(i)* of the Code) and such additional documentation reasonably requested by Borrower or Administrative Agent as may be necessary for Borrower and Administrative Agent to comply with their obligations under FATCA and to determine that such Lender has complied with such Lender's obligations under FATCA or to determine the amount to deduct and withhold from such payment. Solely for purposes of this *Section 3.01(e)(ii)(D)*, "FATCA" shall include any amendments made to FATCA after the date of this Agreement.

(iii) Each Lender agrees that if any form or certification it previously delivered pursuant to this *Section 3.01* expires or becomes obsolete or inaccurate in any respect, it shall update such form or certification or promptly notify Borrower and Administrative Agent in writing of its legal inability to do so.

(f) **Treatment of Certain Refunds.** Unless required by applicable Laws, at no time shall Administrative Agent have any obligation to file for or otherwise pursue on behalf of a Lender or L/C Issuer, or have any obligation to pay to any Lender or L/C Issuer, any refund of Taxes withheld or deducted from funds paid for the account of such Lender or L/C Issuer, as the case may be. If any Recipient determines, in its sole discretion exercised in good faith, that it has received a refund of any Taxes as to which it has been indemnified by any Loan Party or with respect to which any Loan Party has paid additional amounts pursuant to this *Section 3.01*, it shall pay to such Loan Party an amount equal to such refund (but only to the extent of indemnity payments made, or additional amounts paid, by a Loan Party under this *Section 3.01* with respect to the Taxes giving rise to such refund), net of all out-of-pocket expenses (including Taxes) incurred by such Recipient, and without interest (other than any interest paid by the relevant Governmental Authority with respect to such refund), *provided that* such Loan Party, upon the request of the Recipient, agrees to repay the amount paid over to such Loan Party (plus any penalties, interest or other charges imposed by the relevant Governmental Authority) to the Recipient in the event the Recipient is required to repay such refund to such Governmental Authority. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this subsection, in no event will the applicable Recipient be required to pay any amount to any Loan Party pursuant to this *Section 3.01(f)* the payment of which would place the Recipient in a less favorable net after-Tax position than such Recipient would have been in if the indemnification payments or additional amounts giving rise to such refund had never been paid. This *Section 3.01(f)* shall not be construed to require any Recipient to make available its tax returns (or any other information relating to its taxes that it deems confidential) to any Loan Party or any other Person.

(g) **Survival.** Each party's obligations under this *Section 3.01* shall survive the resignation or replacement of Administrative Agent or any assignment of rights by, or the replacement of, a Lender or L/C Issuer, the termination of the Commitments and the repayment, satisfaction or discharge of all other Obligations.

3.02 **Illegality.** If any Lender determines that any Law has made it unlawful, or that any Governmental Authority has asserted that it is unlawful, for any Lender or its Lending Office to make, maintain or fund Loans whose interest is determined by reference to the Eurodollar Rate, or to determine or charge interest rates based upon the Eurodollar Rate, or any Governmental Authority has imposed material restrictions on the authority of such Lender to purchase or sell, or to take deposits of, Dollars in the London interbank market, then, on notice thereof by such Lender to Borrower through Administrative Agent, (i) any obligation of such Lender to make or continue Eurodollar Rate Loans or to convert Base Rate Committed Loans to Eurodollar Rate Loans shall be suspended and replaced with an obligation to make Base Rate Loans in lieu thereof, and (ii) if such notice asserts the illegality of such Lender making or maintaining Base Rate Loans the interest rate on which is determined by reference to the Eurodollar Rate component of the Base Rate, the interest rate on which Base Rate Loans of such Lender shall, if necessary to avoid such illegality, be determined by Administrative Agent without reference to the Eurodollar Rate component of the Base Rate, in each case until such Lender notifies Administrative Agent and Borrower that the circumstances giving rise to such determination no longer exist. Upon receipt of such notice, (x) Borrower shall, upon demand from such Lender (with a copy to Administrative Agent), prepay or, if applicable, convert all Eurodollar Rate Loans of such Lender to Base Rate Loans (the interest rate on which Base Rate Loans of such Lender shall, if necessary to avoid such illegality, be determined by Administrative Agent without reference to the Eurodollar Rate component of the Base Rate), either on the last day of the Interest Period thereof, if such Lender may lawfully continue to maintain such Eurodollar Rate Loans to such day, or immediately, if such Lender may not lawfully continue to maintain such Eurodollar Rate Loans and (y) if such notice asserts the illegality of such Lender determining or charging interest rates based upon the Eurodollar Rate, Administrative Agent shall during the period of such suspension compute the Base Rate applicable to such Lender without reference to the Eurodollar Rate component thereof until Administrative Agent is advised in writing by such Lender that it is no longer illegal for such Lender to determine or charge interest rates based upon the Eurodollar Rate. Upon any such prepayment or conversion, Borrower shall also pay accrued interest on the amount so prepaid or converted.

3.03 **Inability to Determine Rates.** If in connection with any request for a Eurodollar Rate Loan or a conversion to or continuation thereof (a) Administrative Agent determines that (i) Dollar deposits are not being offered to banks in the London interbank eurodollar market for the applicable amount and Interest Period of such Eurodollar Rate Loan, or (ii) adequate and reasonable means do not exist for determining the Eurodollar Rate for any requested Interest Period with respect to a proposed Eurodollar Rate Loan or in connection with an existing or proposed Base Rate Loan, or (b) Required Lenders determine that for any reason the Eurodollar Rate for any requested Interest Period with respect to a proposed Eurodollar Rate Loan does not adequately and fairly reflect the cost to such Lenders of funding such Loan, Administrative Agent will promptly so notify Borrower and each Lender. Thereafter, (x) the obligation of the Lenders to make or maintain Eurodollar Rate Loans shall be suspended (to the extent of the affected Eurodollar Rate Loans or Interest Periods), and (y) in the event of a determination described in the preceding sentence with respect to the Eurodollar Rate component of the Base Rate, the utilization of the Eurodollar Rate component in determining the Base Rate shall be suspended, in each case until Administrative Agent (upon the instruction of Required Lenders) revokes such notice. Upon receipt of such notice, Borrower may revoke any pending request for a Borrowing of, conversion to or continuation of Eurodollar Rate Loans (to the extent of the affected Eurodollar Rate Loans or Interest Periods) or, failing that, will be deemed to have converted such request into a request for a Committed Borrowing of Base Rate Loans in the amount specified therein.

3.04 Increased Costs; Reserves on Eurodollar Rate Loans.

(a) **Increased Costs Generally.** If any Change in Law shall:

(i) impose, modify or deem applicable any reserve, special deposit, compulsory loan, insurance charge or similar requirement against assets of, deposits with or for the account of, or credit extended or participated in by, any Lender (except any reserve requirement contemplated by **Section 3.04(e)**) or L/C Issuer;

(ii) subject any Recipient to any Taxes (other than (A) Indemnified Taxes, (B) Taxes described in *clauses (b)* through *(d)* of the definition of Excluded Taxes and (C) Connection Income Taxes) on its loans, loan principal, letters of credit, commitments, or other obligations, or its deposits, reserves, other liabilities or capital attributable thereto; or

(iii) impose on any Lender or L/C Issuer or the London interbank market any other condition, cost or expense affecting this Agreement or Eurodollar Rate Loans made by such Lender or any Letter of Credit or participation therein;

and the result of any of the foregoing shall be to increase the cost to such Lender of making, converting to, continuing or maintaining any Loan the interest on which is determined by reference to the Eurodollar Rate (or of maintaining its obligation to make any such Loan), or to increase the cost to such Lender or L/C Issuer of participating in, issuing or maintaining any Letter of Credit (or of maintaining its obligation to participate in or to issue any Letter of Credit), or to reduce the amount of any sum received or receivable by such Lender or L/C Issuer hereunder (whether of principal, interest or any other amount) then, upon request of such Lender or L/C Issuer, Borrower will pay to such Lender or L/C Issuer, as the case may be, such additional amount or amounts as will compensate such Lender or L/C Issuer, as the case may be, for such additional costs incurred or reduction suffered.

(b) **Capital Requirements.** If any Lender or L/C Issuer determines that any Change in Law affecting such Lender or L/C Issuer or any Lending Office of such Lender or such Lender's or L/C Issuer's holding company, if any, regarding capital or liquidity requirements has or would have the effect of reducing the rate of return on such Lender's or L/C Issuer's capital or on the capital of such Lender's or L/C Issuer's holding company, if any, as a consequence of this Agreement, the Commitments of such Lender or the Loans made by, or participations in Letters of Credit or Swing Line Loans held by, such Lender, or the Letters of Credit issued by L/C Issuer, to a level below that which such Lender or L/C Issuer or such Lender's or L/C Issuer's holding company could have achieved but for such Change in Law (taking into consideration such Lender's or L/C Issuer's policies and the policies of such Lender's or L/C Issuer's holding company with respect to capital adequacy), then from time to time Borrower will pay to such Lender or L/C Issuer, as the case may be, such additional amount or amounts as will compensate such Lender or L/C Issuer or such Lender's or L/C Issuer's holding company for any such reduction suffered.

(c) **Certificates for Reimbursement.** A certificate of a Lender or L/C Issuer setting forth the amount or amounts necessary to compensate such Lender or L/C Issuer or its holding company, as the case may be, as specified in *subsection (a)* or *(b)* of this *Section* and delivered to Borrower shall be conclusive absent manifest error. Borrower shall pay such Lender or L/C Issuer, as the case may be, the amount shown as due on any such certificate within ten (10) Business Days after receipt thereof.

(d) **Delay in Requests.** Failure or delay on the part of any Lender or L/C Issuer to demand compensation pursuant to the provisions of this *Section 3.04* (including *clause (e)* below) shall not constitute a waiver of such Lender's or L/C Issuer's right to demand such compensation, *provided that* Borrower shall not be required to compensate a Lender or L/C Issuer pursuant to the foregoing provisions of this *Section* for any increased costs incurred or reductions suffered more than six (6) months prior to the date that such Lender or L/C Issuer, as the case may be, notifies

Borrower of the Change in Law giving rise to such increased costs or reductions and of such Lender's or L/C Issuer's intention to claim compensation therefor (except that, if the Change in Law giving rise to such increased costs or reductions is retroactive, then the six (6)- month period referred to above shall be extended to include the period of retroactive effect thereof).

(e) **Reserves on Eurodollar Rate Loans.** Borrower shall pay to each Lender, as long as such Lender shall be required to maintain reserves with respect to liabilities or assets consisting of or including Eurocurrency funds or deposits (currently known as "*Eurocurrency liabilities*"), additional interest on the unpaid principal amount of each Eurodollar Rate Loan equal to the actual costs of such reserves allocated to such Loan by such Lender (as determined by such Lender in good faith, which determination shall be conclusive), which shall be due and payable on each date on which interest is payable on such Loan, *provided* Borrower shall have received at least ten (10) Business Days' prior notice (with a copy to Administrative Agent) of such additional interest from such Lender. If a Lender fails to give notice ten (10) Business Days prior to the relevant Interest Payment Date, such additional interest shall be due and payable ten (10) Business Days from receipt of such notice.

3.05 Compensation for Losses. Upon demand of any Lender (with a copy to Administrative Agent) from time to time, Borrower shall promptly compensate such Lender for and hold such Lender harmless from any loss, cost or expense incurred by it as a result of:

(a) any continuation, conversion, payment or prepayment of any Loan other than a Base Rate Loan on a day other than the last day of the Interest Period for such Loan (whether voluntary, mandatory, automatic, by reason of acceleration, or otherwise);

(b) any failure by Borrower (for a reason other than (i) the failure of such Lender to make a Loan, (ii) the delivery by such Lender of a notice under **Section 3.02** or (iii) the delivery of a notice by Administrative Agent under **Section 3.03**) to prepay, borrow, continue or convert any Loan other than a Base Rate Loan on the date or in the amount notified by Borrower; or

(c) any assignment of a Eurodollar Rate Loan on a day other than the last day of the Interest Period therefor as a result of a request by Borrower pursuant to **Section 12.13**;

including any loss of anticipated profits and any loss or expense arising from the liquidation or reemployment of funds obtained by it to maintain such Loan or from fees payable to terminate the deposits from which such funds were obtained. Borrower shall also pay any customary administrative fees charged by such Lender in connection with the foregoing.

For purposes of calculating amounts payable by Borrower to the Lenders under this **Section 3.05**, each Lender shall be deemed to have funded each Eurodollar Rate Loan made by it at the Eurodollar Rate for such Loan by a matching deposit or other borrowing in the London interbank eurodollar market for a comparable amount and for a comparable period, whether or not such Eurodollar Rate Loan was in fact so funded.

3.06 Mitigation Obligations; Replacement of Lenders.

(a) **Designation of a Different Lending Office.** If any Lender requests compensation under **Section 3.04**, or requires Borrower to pay any Indemnified Taxes or additional amounts to any Lender, L/C Issuer, or any Governmental Authority for the account of any Lender or L/C Issuer pursuant to **Section 3.01**, or if any Lender gives a notice pursuant to **Section 3.02**, then at the request of Borrower such Lender or L/C Issuer shall, as applicable, use

reasonable efforts to designate a different Lending Office for funding or booking its Loans hereunder or to assign its rights and obligations hereunder to another of its offices, branches or affiliates, if, in the judgment of such Lender or L/C Issuer, such designation or assignment (i) would eliminate or reduce amounts payable pursuant to **Section 3.01** or **3.04**, as the case may be, in the future, or eliminate the need for the notice pursuant to **Section 3.02**, as applicable, and (ii) in each case, would not subject such Lender or L/C Issuer, as the case may be, to any unreimbursed cost or expense and would not otherwise be disadvantageous to such Lender or L/C Issuer, as the case may be. Borrower hereby agrees to pay all reasonable costs and expenses incurred by any Lender or L/C Issuer in connection with any such designation or assignment.

(b) **Replacement of Lenders.** If any Lender requests compensation under **Section 3.04**, or if Borrower is required to pay any Indemnified Taxes or additional amounts to any Lender or any Governmental Authority for the account of any Lender pursuant to **Section 3.01** or if any Lender gives a notice pursuant to **Section 3.02**, and, in each case, such Lender has declined or is unable to designate a different lending office in accordance with **Section 3.06(a)**, Borrower may replace such Lender in accordance with **Section 12.13**.

3.07 Survival. All of Borrower's obligations under this **Article III** shall survive termination of the Aggregate Commitments, repayment of all other Obligations hereunder, and resignation of Administrative Agent.

Article IV. Parent Guaranty

4.01 The Guaranty. Parent hereby guarantees to Administrative Agent and each of the holders of the Obligations, as hereinafter provided, as primary obligor and not as surety, the prompt payment of the Obligations (the "**Guaranteed Obligations**") in full when due (whether at stated maturity, as a mandatory prepayment, by acceleration, as a mandatory cash collateralization or otherwise) strictly in accordance with the terms thereof. Parent hereby further agrees that if any of the Guaranteed Obligations are not paid in full when due (whether at stated maturity, as a mandatory prepayment, by acceleration, as a mandatory Cash Collateral or otherwise), Parent will promptly pay the same, without any demand or notice whatsoever, and that in the case of any extension of time of payment or renewal of any of the Guaranteed Obligations, the same will be promptly paid in full when due (whether at extended maturity, as a mandatory prepayment, by acceleration, as a mandatory cash collateralization or otherwise) in accordance with the terms of such extension or renewal.

4.02 Obligations Unconditional. The obligations of Parent under **Section 4.01** are absolute and unconditional, irrespective of the value, genuineness, validity, regularity or enforceability of any of the Loan Documents or other documents relating to the Obligations, or any substitution, compromise, release, impairment or exchange of any other guarantee of or security for any of the Guaranteed Obligations, and, to the fullest extent permitted by applicable Laws, irrespective of any other circumstance whatsoever that might otherwise constitute a legal or equitable discharge or defense of a surety or guarantor, it being the intent of this **Section 4.02** that the obligations of Parent hereunder shall be absolute and unconditional under any and all circumstances. Parent agrees that Parent shall have no right of subrogation, indemnity, reimbursement or contribution against Borrower or any other Guarantor for amounts paid under this **Article IV** until such time as the Obligations have been irrevocably paid in full and the commitments relating thereto have expired or been terminated. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, it is agreed that, to the fullest extent permitted by applicable Laws, the occurrence of any one or more of the following shall not alter or impair the liability of Parent hereunder, which shall remain absolute and unconditional as described above:

(a) at any time or from time to time, without notice to Parent, the time for any performance of or compliance with any of the Guaranteed Obligations shall be extended, or such performance or compliance shall be waived;

(b) any of the acts mentioned in any of the provisions of any of the Loan Documents, or other documents relating to the Guaranteed Obligations or any other agreement or instrument referred to therein shall be done or omitted;

(c) the maturity of any of the Guaranteed Obligations shall be accelerated, or any of the Obligations shall be modified, supplemented or amended in any respect, or any right under any of the Loan Documents or other documents relating to the Guaranteed Obligations, or any other agreement or instrument referred to therein shall be waived or any other guarantee of any of the Guaranteed Obligations or any security therefor shall be released, impaired or exchanged in whole or in part or otherwise dealt with;

(d) any Lien granted to, or in favor of, Administrative Agent or any of the holders of the Guaranteed Obligations as security for any of the Guaranteed Obligations shall fail to attach or be perfected; or

(e) any of the Guaranteed Obligations shall be determined to be void or voidable (including for the benefit of any creditor of Parent) or shall be subordinated to the claims of any Person (including any creditor of Parent).

With respect to its obligations hereunder, Parent hereby expressly waives diligence, presentment, demand of payment, protest notice of acceptance of the guaranty given hereby and of Credit Extensions that may constitute obligations guaranteed hereby, notices of amendments, waivers and supplements to the Loan Documents and other documents relating to the Guaranteed Obligations, or the compromise, release or exchange of collateral or security, and all notices whatsoever, and any requirement that Administrative Agent or any holder of the Guaranteed Obligations exhaust any right, power or remedy or proceed against any Person under any of the Loan Documents or any other documents relating to the Guaranteed Obligations or any other agreement or instrument referred to

4.03 Reinstatement. Neither Parent's obligations hereunder nor any remedy for the enforcement thereof shall be impaired, modified, changed or released in any manner whatsoever by an impairment, modification, change, release or limitation of the liability of Borrower, by reason of Borrower's bankruptcy or insolvency or by reason of the invalidity or unenforceability of all or any portion of the Guaranteed Obligations. The obligations of Parent under this *Article IV* shall be automatically reinstated if and to the extent that for any reason any payment by or on behalf of any Person in respect of the Guaranteed Obligations is rescinded or must be otherwise restored by any holder of any of the Obligations, whether as a result of any proceedings pursuant to any Debtor Relief Law or otherwise, and Parent agrees that it will indemnify Administrative Agent and each holder of Guaranteed Obligations on demand for all reasonable out-of-pocket costs and expenses (including all reasonable fees, expenses and disbursements of any law firm or other outside counsel incurred by Administrative Agent) incurred by Administrative Agent or such holder of Guaranteed Obligations in connection with such rescission or restoration, including any such costs and expenses incurred in defending against any claim alleging that such payment constituted a preference, fraudulent transfer or similar payment under any Debtor Relief Law.

4.04 Certain Waivers. Parent acknowledges and agrees that (a) the guaranty given hereby may be enforced without the necessity of resorting to or otherwise exhausting remedies in respect of any other security or collateral interests, and without the necessity at any time of having to take recourse

against Borrower hereunder or against any collateral securing the Guaranteed Obligations or otherwise, (b) it will not assert any right to require the action first be taken against Borrower or any other Person (including any co-guarantor) or pursuit of any other remedy or enforcement any other right and (c) nothing contained herein shall prevent or limit action being taken against Borrower hereunder, under the other Loan Documents or the other documents and agreements relating to the Guaranteed Obligations or from foreclosing on any security or collateral interests relating hereto or thereto, or from exercising any other rights or remedies available in respect thereof, if neither Borrower nor Guarantors shall timely perform their obligations, and the exercise of any such rights and completion of any such foreclosure proceedings shall not constitute a discharge of Parent's obligations hereunder unless as a result thereof, the Guaranteed Obligations shall have been paid in full and the commitments relating thereto shall have expired or been terminated, it being the purpose and intent that Parent's obligations hereunder be absolute, irrevocable, independent and unconditional under all circumstances.

4.05 **Remedies.** Parent agrees that, to the fullest extent permitted by applicable Laws, as between Guarantors, on the one hand, and Administrative Agent and the holders of the Guaranteed Obligations, on the other hand, the Guaranteed Obligations may be declared to be forthwith due and payable as provided in **Section 10.02** (and shall be deemed to have become automatically due and payable in the circumstances provided in **Section 10.02**) for purposes of **Section 4.01**, notwithstanding any stay, injunction or other prohibition preventing such declaration (or preventing the Guaranteed Obligations from becoming automatically due and payable) as against any other Person and that, in the event of such declaration (or the Guaranteed Obligations being deemed to have become automatically due and payable), the Guaranteed Obligations (whether or not due and payable by any other Person) shall forthwith become due and payable by Parent for purposes of **Section 4.01**.

4.06 **Rights of Contribution.** Parent hereby agrees that, in connection with payments made hereunder, Parent shall have a right of contribution from each other Guarantor in accordance with applicable Laws. Such contribution rights shall be subordinate and subject in right of payment to the Guaranteed Obligations until such time as the Guaranteed Obligations have been irrevocably paid in full and the commitments relating thereto shall have expired or been terminated, and Parent shall not exercise any such contribution rights until the Guaranteed Obligations have been irrevocably paid in full and the commitments relating thereto shall have expired or been terminated.

4.07 **Guaranty of Payment; Continuing Guaranty.** The guaranty in this **Article IV** is a guaranty of payment and performance, and not merely of collection, and is a continuing guaranty, and shall apply to all Guaranteed Obligations whenever arising.

Article V. Borrowing Base

5.01 **Initial Borrowing Base.** As of the Closing Date, the Borrowing Base shall consist of the Initial Borrowing Base Properties.

5.02 **Requests for Admission into Borrowing Base.** Borrower shall provide Administrative Agent with a written request for a Property to be admitted into the Borrowing Base. Such request shall be accompanied by the following information regarding such Property (the "**Property Information**"): (a) a general description of such Property's location, market, and amenities; (b) a legal description of such Property; (c) if such Property was purchased during the most recent six (6) months, purchase information (including any contracts of sale and closing statements); (d) cash flow projections for the next two (2) years and operating statements for at least the previous two (2) years or since opening or acquisition by Borrower or a Subsidiary Guarantor, as applicable, if open or acquired less than two (2) years before such date; (e) if available, copies of any inspection reports; (f) if available, a copy of the most-recent appraisal,

if any, obtained by Borrower; (g) if available, an Environmental Assessment; (h) if available, a survey; (i) title and Lien information; (j) current rent rolls; (k) evidence of insurance (property and liability); and (l) such other information with respect to such Property reasonably requested by Administrative Agent to determine whether such Property meets the requirements in this Agreement to make it eligible for inclusion in the Borrowing Base.

5.03 **Eligibility.** In order for a Property to be eligible for inclusion in the Borrowing Base, such Property shall satisfy the following conditions:

- (a) such property is primarily an industrial, light manufacturing, mixed or flex property;
- (b) such Property is located within the United States;
- (c) such Property is Wholly-Owned by Borrower or a Subsidiary Guarantor in fee simple or leased pursuant to an Acceptable Ground Lease;
- (d) if such Property is owned by a Subsidiary Guarantor, then such Subsidiary Guarantor may not incur, Guarantee, or otherwise be liable for any Indebtedness (other than Unsecured Debt permitted pursuant to this Agreement and so long as Parent and Borrower are in compliance with **Sections 9.15(a), 9.15(c) and 9.15(f)**);
- (e) such Property is not subject to any ground lease with a member of the Consolidated Group as tenant (other than an Acceptable Ground Lease), any ground lease with a Person as a tenant (other than a member of the Consolidated Group pursuant to an Acceptable Ground Lease), any Lien (other than Permitted Liens), or any Negative Pledge; solely for purposes of this subsection, “ground lease” means a long-term lease of a Property in which the lessee owns the improvements on such Property;
- (f) except for restrictions set forth herein in the Tax Matters Agreement, and any future tax sharing agreement containing substantially the same restrictions as are set forth in the Tax Matters Agreement, Borrower or the applicable Subsidiary Guarantor that owns such Property has the unilateral right to (i) Dispose of such Property, and (ii) create a Lien on such Property as security for Indebtedness of Borrower or such Subsidiary Guarantor;
- (g) such Property is not unimproved land or property under development;
- (h) such Property is free of all structural defects or major architectural deficiencies, Material Title Defects, any event or circumstance that could reasonably be expected to result in a Material Environmental Event, or other adverse matters which, individually or collectively, could reasonably be expected to result in a Material Property Event;
- (i) such Property has an Occupancy Rate of at least seventy percent (70%) and, after giving pro forma effect to such Property’s inclusion in the Borrowing Base, the Occupancy Rate for all Borrowing Base Properties is at least eighty percent (80%); and
- (j) Administrative Agent is reasonably satisfied that, based on the Property Information, such Property meets the requirements set forth herein for inclusion in the Borrowing Base.

5.04 **Approvals and Notices.** If, after the date of this Agreement, a Property meets all the requirements to be included in the Borrowing Base set forth in **Section 5.03**, then (a) Administrative Agent shall notify Borrower and Lenders in writing that such Property is admitted into the Borrowing Base, and (b) Borrower shall provide to Administrative Agent a Borrowing Base Report setting forth in reasonable detail the calculations required to establish the amount of the Borrowing Base with such Property admitted into the Borrowing Base and a Compliance Certificate setting forth in reasonable detail the calculations required to show that the Consolidated Group is in compliance with the terms of this Agreement with the inclusion of such Property in the Borrowing Base. Any Property that does not meet the criteria set forth in **Section 5.03** shall be subject to Required Lenders' approval for admission into the Borrowing Base. Notwithstanding the foregoing guidelines, Administrative Agent and Required Lenders hereby approve all Initial Borrowing Base Properties for admission into the Borrowing Base.

5.05 Exclusion Event.

(a) After the occurrence of an Exclusion Event, Required Lenders shall have the right in their sole discretion at any time and from time to time to notify Borrower that, effective ten (10) Business Days after the giving of such notice (the "**Exclusion Notice**") and for so long as the circumstances giving rise to such Exclusion Event exist, such Property shall no longer be included in the Borrowing Base.

(b) Borrowing Base Properties which have been subject to an Exclusion Event may, at Borrower's request, be released from the Borrowing Base; *provided that* such release shall be subject to the conditions for release set forth in **Section 5.06**.

(c) If Administrative Agent delivers an Exclusion Notice and such Exclusion Event no longer exists, then Borrower may give Administrative Agent written notice thereof (together with reasonably detailed evidence of the cure of such condition) and such Borrowing Base Property shall, effective with the delivery by Borrower of the next Borrowing Base Report, be considered a Borrowing Base Property for purposes of calculating the Borrowing Base as long as such Borrowing Base Property meets all the requirements to be included in the Borrowing Base set forth in this **Article V**.

5.06 **Release of Borrowing Base Property.** Upon ten (10) days' (or such shorter period as Administrative Agent shall agree) prior written request of Borrower, Administrative Agent shall release a Borrowing Base Property from the Borrowing Base; *provided that* (a) no Default exists after giving effect thereto (other than Defaults solely with respect to such Borrowing Base Property that would no longer exist after giving effect to the release of such Borrowing Base Property from the Borrowing Base), (b) after giving effect thereto, there are at least twenty-five (25) Borrowing Base Properties, unless Required Lenders approve a lesser amount, (c) such removal of a Borrowing Base Property from the Borrowing Base (i) would not result in a mandatory prepayment becoming due or (ii) would result in a mandatory prepayment becoming due and Borrower has made such mandatory prepayment prior to such removal of such Borrowing Base Property from the Borrowing Base, and (d) all representations and warranties of Borrower and each other Loan Party contained in **Article VII** or any other Loan Document shall be true and correct in all material respects (without duplication of any materiality qualifiers therein) after giving effect to such requested release, except to the extent that such representations and warranties specifically refer to an earlier date, in which case they shall be true and correct in all material respects (without duplication of any materiality qualifiers therein) as of such earlier date; *provided, further*, that Administrative Agent shall have no obligation to release any such Property without a Borrowing Base Report setting forth in reasonable detail the calculations required to establish the amount of the Borrowing Base without such Borrowing Base Property and a Compliance Certificate setting forth in reasonable detail the calculations required to show that the Consolidated Group is in compliance with the

terms of this Agreement without the inclusion of such Borrowing Base Property in the calculation of the Borrowing Base, in each case as of the date of such release and after giving effect to any such release. At the request of Borrower and upon satisfaction of the conditions set forth in this **Section 5.06**, Administrative Agent shall confirm in writing that a Property has been removed from the Borrowing Base.

5.07 Appraisals of Borrowing Base Properties. Administrative Agent will be entitled to obtain, at Borrower's expense, an appraisal of each Borrowing Base Property or any part thereof if: (a) an Event of Default has occurred and is continuing at the time Administrative Agent orders such appraisal; or (b) an appraisal is required under applicable Law.

5.08 Minimum Borrowing Base Requirements. Each of Parent and Borrower shall, at all times, cause:

- (a) **Occupancy Rate.** The aggregate Occupancy Rate for all Borrowing Base Properties to be eighty percent (80%) or greater.
- (b) **Minimum Borrowing Base Properties.** There to be at least twenty-five (25) Properties in the Borrowing Base.
- (c) **Borrowing Base Amount.** The lesser of (i) the Borrowing Base Amount and (ii) the Mortgageability Amount to be \$130,000,000 or greater.

Article VI. Conditions Precedent to Credit Extensions

6.01 Conditions of Initial Credit Extension. The obligation of L/C Issuer and each Lender to make its initial Credit Extension hereunder is subject to satisfaction of the following conditions precedent:

(a) Administrative Agent's receipt of the following, each of which shall be originals or facsimiles (followed promptly by originals) or electronic copies (followed promptly by originals) unless otherwise specified, each properly executed by a Responsible Officer of the signing Loan Party, each dated the Closing Date (or, in the case of certificates of governmental officials, a recent date before the Closing Date) and each in form and substance reasonably satisfactory to Administrative Agent and each of the Lenders:

(i) executed counterparts of this Agreement and the Subsidiary Guaranty, in each case sufficient in number for distribution to Administrative Agent, each Lender, Parent, and Borrower;

(ii) a Note executed by Borrower in favor of each Lender requesting a Note;

(iii) such certificates of resolutions or other action, incumbency certificates and/or other certificates of Responsible Officers of each Loan Party as Administrative Agent may require evidencing the identity, authority and capacity of each Responsible Officer thereof authorized to act as a Responsible Officer in connection with this Agreement and the other Loan Documents to which such Loan Party is a party;

(iv) such documents and certifications as Administrative Agent may reasonably require to evidence that each Loan Party is duly organized or formed, and that each Loan Party is validly existing, in good standing and qualified to engage in business in each jurisdiction where its ownership, lease or operation of properties or the conduct of its business requires such qualification, except to the extent that failure to do so could not reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect;

(v) favorable opinions of Latham & Watkins LLP, counsel to the Loan Parties, and Venable LLP, counsel to Borrower and Parent, each addressed to Administrative Agent and each Lender, as to the matters concerning the Loan Parties and the Loan Documents as Administrative Agent may reasonably request;

(vi) a certificate of a Responsible Officer of each Loan Party either (A) attaching copies of all consents, licenses and approvals of any Governmental Authority required in connection with the execution, delivery and performance by such Loan Party and the validity against such Loan Party of the Loan Documents to which it is a party, and such consents, licenses and approvals shall be in full force and effect, or (B) stating that no such consents, licenses or approvals are so required;

(vii) a certificate signed by a Responsible Officer of Parent, for itself and on behalf of Borrower, certifying (A) that the conditions specified in **Sections 6.02(a)** and **(b)** have been satisfied, and (B) that there has been no event or circumstance since December 31, 2012 that has had or could be reasonably expected to have, either individually or in the aggregate, a Material Adverse Effect;

(viii) a duly completed Borrowing Base Report and Compliance Certificate certifying compliance with the financial covenants set forth in **Section 9.15** (other than **Sections 9.15(e)** and **9.15(f)**), in each case prepared as of the Closing Date on a proforma basis and signed by a Responsible Officer of Parent, for itself and on behalf of Borrower;

(ix) the Property Information with respect to each of the Initial Borrowing Base Properties;

(x) evidence that all insurance required to be maintained pursuant to the Loan Documents has been obtained and is in effect; and

(xi) such other certificates, documents, instruments or information as Administrative Agent, L/C Issuer, Swing Line Lender or Required Lenders may reasonably require.

(b) Any fees required to be paid pursuant to the Loan Documents on or before the Closing Date shall have been paid.

(c) Unless waived by Administrative Agent, Borrower shall have paid all fees, charges and disbursements of counsel to Administrative Agent (directly to such counsel if requested by Administrative Agent) required to be paid pursuant to the Loan Documents to the extent invoiced prior to or on the Closing Date, plus such additional amounts of such fees, charges and disbursements as shall constitute its reasonable estimate of such fees, charges and disbursements incurred or to be incurred by it through the closing proceedings (*provided that* such estimate shall not thereafter preclude a final settling of accounts between Borrower and Administrative Agent).

(d) Administrative Agent and Lenders shall have received and be reasonably satisfied with the Historical Financial Statements and the Pro Forma Financial Statements.

(e) The IPO shall have occurred.

Without limiting the generality of the provisions of the last paragraph of *Section 11.03*, for purposes of determining compliance with the conditions specified in this *Section 6.01*, each Lender that has signed this Agreement shall be deemed to have consented to, approved or accepted or to be satisfied with, each document or other matter required thereunder to be consented to or approved by or acceptable or satisfactory to a Lender unless Administrative Agent shall have received notice from such Lender prior to the proposed Closing Date specifying its objection thereto.

6.02 Conditions to all Credit Extensions. The obligation of each Lender to honor any Request for Credit Extension (other than a Committed Loan Notice requesting only a conversion of Committed Loans to the other Type, or a continuation of Eurodollar Rate Loans) is subject to the following conditions precedent:

(a) The representations and warranties of Borrower and each other Loan Party contained in *Article VII* or any other Loan Document, or which are contained in any document furnished at any time under or in connection herewith or therewith, shall be true and correct in all material respects (without duplication of any materiality qualifiers therein) on and as of the date of such Credit Extension, except to the extent that such representations and warranties specifically refer to an earlier date, in which case they shall be true and correct in all material respects (without duplication of any materiality qualifiers therein) as of such earlier date, and except that for purposes of this *Section 6.02*, the representations and warranties contained in *subsections (a) and (b) of Section 7.05* shall be deemed to refer to the most recent statements furnished pursuant to *clauses (a) and (b)*, respectively, of *Section 8.01* and shall refer to the Consolidated Group rather than to the predecessor of Parent.

(b) No Default shall exist, or would result from such proposed Credit Extension or from the application of the proceeds thereof.

(c) Administrative Agent and, if applicable, L/C Issuer or Swing Line Lender shall have received a Request for Credit Extension in accordance with the requirements hereof.

(d) After giving effect to such proposed Credit Extension, the Total Outstandings do not exceed the Maximum Availability.

Each Request for Credit Extension (other than a Committed Loan Notice requesting only a conversion of Committed Loans to the other Type or a continuation of Eurodollar Rate Loans) submitted by Borrower shall be deemed to be a representation and warranty that the conditions specified in *Sections 6.02(a) and (b)* have been satisfied on and as of the date of the applicable Credit Extension.

Article VII. Representations and Warranties

Each of Parent and Borrower represents and warrants to Administrative Agent and the Lenders that:

7.01 Existence, Qualification and Power; Compliance with Laws. Each member of the Consolidated Group (a) is duly organized or formed, validly existing and, as applicable, in good standing under the Laws of the jurisdiction of its incorporation or organization, (b) has all requisite power and authority and all requisite governmental licenses, authorizations, consents and approvals to (i) own or lease its assets and carry on its business and (ii) in the case of the Loan Parties, execute, deliver and perform its obligations under the Loan Documents to which it is a party, and (c) is duly qualified and is licensed and, as applicable, in good standing under the Laws of each jurisdiction where its ownership, lease or operation of properties or the conduct of its business requires such qualification or license; except in each case referred to in *clause (b)(i) or (c)* to the extent that failure to do so could not reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect.

7.02 Authorization; No Contravention. The execution, delivery and performance by each Loan Party of each Loan Document to which such Person is party, have been duly authorized by all necessary corporate or other organizational action, and do not and will not (a) contravene the terms of any of such Person's Organization Documents; (b) conflict with or result in any breach or contravention of, or the creation of any Lien under, or require any payment to be made under (i) any material Contractual Obligation to which such Person is a party or affecting such Person or the properties of such Person or any of its Subsidiaries or (ii) any material order, injunction, writ or decree of any Governmental Authority or any arbitral award to which such Person or its property is subject; or (c) violate in any material respect any Law.

7.03 Governmental Authorization; Other Consents. No approval, consent, exemption, authorization, or other action by, or notice to, or filing with, any Governmental Authority or any other Person is necessary or required in connection with the execution, delivery or performance by, or enforcement against, any Loan Party of this Agreement or any other Loan Document, except for approvals, consents, exemptions, actions, notices or filings which have been duly obtained, taken, given or made and are in full force and effect.

7.04 Binding Effect. This Agreement has been, and each other Loan Document, when delivered hereunder, will have been, duly executed and delivered by each Loan Party that is party thereto. This Agreement constitutes, and each other Loan Document when so delivered will constitute, a legal, valid and binding obligation of such Loan Party, enforceable against each Loan Party that is party thereto in accordance with its terms, except to the extent such enforceability may be limited by any applicable Debtor Relief Laws and by general principles of equity.

7.05 Financial Statements; No Material Adverse Effect.

(a) The Historical Financial Statements (i) were prepared in accordance with GAAP consistently applied throughout the period covered thereby, except as otherwise expressly noted therein; and (ii) fairly present the financial condition of the predecessor of Parent as of the date thereof and its results of operations for the period covered thereby in accordance with GAAP consistently applied throughout the period covered thereby, except as otherwise expressly noted therein.

(b) The consolidated pro forma balance sheets of the Consolidated Group as of the Closing Date, and the related consolidated pro forma statements of income and cash flows for the portion of the fiscal year then ended (the "*Pro Forma Financial Statements*"), certified by the chief financial officer or treasurer of Parent, copies of which have been furnished to Administrative Agent and each Lender, fairly present the consolidated pro forma financial condition of the Consolidated Group as of such date and the consolidated pro forma results of operations of Consolidated Group for the period ended on such date.

(c) Since December 31, 2012, there has been no event or circumstance, either individually or in the aggregate, that has had or could reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect.

7.06 Litigation. There are no actions, suits, proceedings, claims or disputes pending or, to the knowledge of Borrower, threatened or contemplated, at law, in equity, in arbitration or before any Governmental Authority, by or against any member of the Consolidated Group or against any of their properties or revenues that (a) purport to adversely affect this Agreement or any other Loan Document, or any of the loan transactions contemplated hereby, or (b) except as specifically disclosed in *Schedule 7.06*, either individually or in the aggregate could reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect, and there has been no material adverse change in the status, or financial effect on any member of the Consolidated Group, of the matters described on *Schedule 7.06*.

7.07 No Default. No member of the Consolidated Group is in default under or with respect to any Contractual Obligation that could, either individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect. No Default has occurred and is continuing or would result from the consummation of the transactions contemplated by this Agreement or any other Loan Document.

7.08 Ownership of Property; Liens. Each member of the Consolidated Group has good record and marketable title in fee simple to, or valid leasehold interests in, all Properties necessary or used in the ordinary conduct of its business, except for such defects in title as could not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect. No Borrowing Base Property is subject to any Liens (other than Permitted Liens).

7.09 Environmental Compliance.

(a) The members of the Consolidated Group conduct from time to time in the ordinary course of business a review of the effect of existing Environmental Laws and claims alleging potential liability or responsibility for violation of any Environmental Law on their respective businesses, operations and properties, and as a result thereof Borrower has reasonably concluded that, except as specifically disclosed in *Schedule 7.09*, such Environmental Laws and claims could not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect.

(b) Except as otherwise set forth on *Schedule 7.09*, and except as could not reasonably be expected to result in a Material Environmental Event: (a) none of the Properties currently or formerly owned or operated by any member of the Consolidated Group is listed or proposed for listing on the National Priorities List or on the CERCLIS or any analogous foreign, state or local list or is adjacent to any such Property; (b) there are no and never have been any underground or above-ground storage tanks or any surface impoundments, septic tanks, pits, sumps or lagoons in which Hazardous Materials are being or have been treated, stored or disposed on any property currently owned or operated by any member of the Consolidated Group or, to the best of the knowledge of any member of the Consolidated Group, on any property formerly owned or operated by any member of the Consolidated Group; (c) there is no asbestos or asbestos-containing material on any Property currently owned or operated by any Company; and (d) Hazardous Materials have not been released, discharged or disposed of on any Property currently or formerly owned or operated by any member of the Consolidated Group.

(c) Except as otherwise set forth on *Schedule 7.09*, and except as could not reasonably be expected to result in a Material Environmental Event: (a) member of the Consolidated Group is undertaking, and has not completed, either individually or together with

other potentially responsible parties, any investigation or assessment or remedial or response action relating to any actual or threatened release, discharge or disposal of Hazardous Materials at any site, location or operation, either voluntarily or pursuant to the order of any Governmental Authority or the requirements of any Environmental Law; and (b) all Hazardous Materials generated, used, treated, handled or stored at, or transported to or from, any property currently or formerly owned or operated by any member of the Consolidated Group have been disposed of in a manner not reasonably expected to result in material liability to any member of the Consolidated Group.

(d) The representations and warranties contained in this **Section 7.09** are the sole and exclusive representations and warranties in this Agreement pertaining to Environmental Laws, Environmental Claims or Hazardous Materials.

7.10 Insurance. The properties of the Consolidated Group are insured with financially sound and reputable insurance companies not Affiliates of any member of the Consolidated Group (after giving effect to reasonable and prudent self-insurance), in such amounts, with such deductibles and covering such risks as are customarily carried by companies engaged in similar businesses and owning similar properties in localities where the members of the Consolidated Group operate.

7.11 Taxes. The members of the Consolidated Group have filed all Federal, state and other material tax returns and reports required to be filed, and have paid all Federal, state and other material taxes, assessments, fees and other governmental charges levied or imposed upon them or their properties, income or assets otherwise due and payable, except those which are being contested in good faith by appropriate proceedings diligently conducted and for which adequate reserves have been provided in accordance with GAAP. There is no proposed tax assessment against any member of the Consolidated Group that would, if made, have a Material Adverse Effect. No member of the Consolidated Group is in breach of any obligations under the Tax Matters Agreement or other similar agreements.

7.12 ERISA Compliance.

(a) Except as, individually or in the aggregate, would not reasonably be expected to result in liability of the Consolidated Group of \$20,000,000 or more, (i) each Plan is in compliance with the applicable provisions of ERISA, the Code and other Federal or state laws; (ii) each Pension Plan that is intended to be a qualified plan under *Section 401(a)* of the Code has received a favorable determination letter from the IRS to the effect that the form of such Plan is qualified under *Section 401(a)* of the Code and the trust related thereto has been determined by the IRS to be exempt from federal income tax under *Section 501(a)* of the Code, or an application for such a letter is currently being processed by the IRS; and (iii) to the knowledge of Parent and Borrower, nothing has occurred that would prevent or cause the loss of such tax-qualified status.

(b) There are no pending or, to the knowledge of Parent and Borrower, threatened claims, actions or lawsuits, or action by any Governmental Authority, with respect to any Plan that could reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect. There has been no prohibited transaction or violation of the fiduciary responsibility rules with respect to any Plan that has resulted or could reasonably be expected to result in a Material Adverse Effect.

(c) Except as, individually or in the aggregate, would not reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect, (i) no ERISA Event has occurred, and no Loan Party or any ERISA Affiliate is aware of any fact, event or circumstance that could reasonably be expected to constitute or result in an ERISA Event with respect to any Pension Plan or Multiemployer Plan; (ii) each Loan Party and each ERISA Affiliate has met all applicable requirements under the

Pension Funding Rules in respect of each Pension Plan, and no waiver of the minimum funding standards under the Pension Funding Rules has been applied for or obtained; (iii) no Loan Party or any ERISA Affiliate has incurred any liability to the PBGC other than for the payment of premiums, and there are no premium payments which have become due that are unpaid; (iv) no Loan Party or any ERISA Affiliate has engaged in a transaction that is subject to *Section 4069* or *Section 4212(c)* of ERISA; and (v) no Pension Plan or Multiemployer Plan has been terminated by the plan administrator thereof nor by the PBGC, and no event or circumstance has occurred or exists that could reasonably be expected to cause the PBGC to institute proceedings under Title IV of ERISA to terminate any such plan. With respect to any Pension Plan, as of the most recent annual valuation date for such Pension Plan, the funding target attainment percentage (as defined in *Section 430(d)(2)* of the Code) is sixty percent (60%) or higher, except to the extent that a Pension Plan with a funding target attainment percentage lower than sixty percent (60%) would not be underfunded by an amount in excess of \$20,000,000 in order to achieve a funding target attainment percentage of at least sixty percent (60%) with respect to such Pension Plan.

(d) The underlying assets of each Loan Party do not constitute Plan Assets.

7.13 Subsidiaries; Equity Interests. As of the Closing Date, Parent has no Subsidiaries other than those specifically disclosed in Part (a) of *Schedule 7.13*, and all of the outstanding Equity Interests in such Subsidiaries have been validly issued, are fully paid and nonassessable and are owned by the applicable member of the Consolidated Group in the amounts specified on Part (a) of *Schedule 7.13* free and clear of all Liens. As of the Closing Date, Parent has no direct or indirect equity investments in any other corporation or entity other than those specifically disclosed in Part (b) of *Schedule 7.13*.

7.14 Margin Regulations; Investment Company Act.

(a) Neither Parent nor Borrower is engaged and will not engage, principally or as one of their important activities, in the business of purchasing or carrying margin stock (within the meaning of Regulation U issued by the FRB), or extending credit for the purpose of purchasing or carrying margin stock.

(b) None of Parent, Borrower, any Person Controlling Borrower, or any other member of the Consolidated Group is or is required to be registered as an “investment company” under the Investment Company Act of 1940.

7.15 Disclosure. Parent and Borrower have disclosed to Administrative Agent and the Lenders all agreements, instruments and corporate or other restrictions to which any member of the Consolidated Group is subject that, individually or in the aggregate, could reasonably be expected to result in a Material Adverse Effect. No report, financial statement, certificate or other information furnished (whether in writing or orally) by or on behalf of any member of the Consolidated Group to Administrative Agent or any Lender in connection with the transactions contemplated hereby and the negotiation of this Agreement or delivered hereunder or under any other Loan Document (in each case, as modified or supplemented by other information so furnished) contains any material misstatement of fact or omits to state any material fact necessary to make the statements therein, in light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading; *provided that*, with respect to projected financial information, Borrower represents only that such information was prepared in good faith based upon assumptions believed to be reasonable at the time.

7.16 Compliance with Laws. Each member of the Consolidated Group is in compliance in all material respects with the requirements of all Laws and all orders, writs, injunctions and decrees applicable to it or to its properties, except in such instances in which (a) such requirement of Law or

order, writ, injunction or decree is being contested in good faith by appropriate proceedings diligently conducted or (b) the failure to comply therewith, either individually or in the aggregate, could not reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect.

7.17 **Taxpayer Identification Number.** Each Loan Party's true and correct U.S. taxpayer identification number is set forth on *Schedule 12.02*.

7.18 **Borrowing Base Properties.**

(a) Each Borrowing Base Property satisfies the criteria set forth in *Section 5.03* and no Exclusion Event has occurred and is continuing with respect to any such Borrowing Base Property.

(b) Each Borrowing Base Property complies with all Laws, including all zoning, subdivision and platting requirements, without reliance on any adjoining or neighboring property, except where the failure to so comply could not reasonably be expected to result in a Material Property Event.

(c) The Improvements with respect to each Borrowing Base Property comply with all Laws regarding access and facilities for handicapped or disabled persons, except where the failure to so comply could not reasonably be expected to result in a Material Property Event.

(d) The Improvements with respect to each Borrowing Base Property have not suffered any Casualty or otherwise been damaged (ordinary wear and tear excepted) and not repaired, except as could not reasonably be expected to result in a Material Property Event.

(e) No Borrowing Base Property is the subject of any pending or, to any Loan Party's knowledge, threatened Condemnation or adverse zoning proceeding, except as could not reasonably be expected to result in a Material Property Event.

(f) No Loan Party has made any contract or arrangement of any kind the performance of which by the other party thereto would give rise to Liens (other than Permitted Liens) on any Borrowing Base Property, except for any contract or arrangement for the sale of any Property or a financing with any such Property as collateral, which requires as a condition to the closing of such sale or financing that such Property no longer be a Borrowing Base Property.

7.19 **Ground Leases.**

(a) The Loan Parties have delivered true and correct copies of each Acceptable Ground Lease.

(b) Each such Acceptable Ground Lease is in full force and effect.

(c) To each member of the Consolidated Group's knowledge, (i) there are no defaults or terminating events under any such Acceptable Ground Lease by any Loan Party or, to the knowledge of the applicable Loan Party, any ground lessor thereunder, and (ii) no event has occurred which but for the passage of time, or notice, or both would constitute a default or terminating event under any such Acceptable Ground Lease except for such defaults or terminating events which are either specifically disclosed to Administrative Agent in writing or could not reasonably be expected to result in a Material Property Event.

(d) All rents, additional rents, and other material sums due and payable under each such Acceptable Ground Lease have been paid in full.

(e) No Loan Party nor the ground lessor under any such Acceptable Ground Lease has commenced any action or given or received any notice for the purpose of terminating any such Acceptable Ground Lease.

(f) Each such Acceptable Ground Lease or a memorandum thereof has been duly recorded.

(g) No Loan Party's interest in any such Acceptable Ground Lease is subject to any Liens or encumbrances other than the ground lessor's related fee interest and other Permitted Liens.

7.20 Solvency. Each of Parent and Borrower is, individually, Solvent, and each other Loan Party is, individually, Solvent if the contribution rights that such Loan Party will have against the other Loan Parties and the subrogation rights that such Loan Party may have, if any, against Borrower are taken into account.

7.21 REIT Status. Parent is in compliance with *Section 8.17*.

7.22 OFAC. Neither Parent, nor any of its Subsidiaries, nor, to the knowledge of Parent and the Loan Parties, any director, officer, employee, agent, affiliate or representative thereof, is an individual or entity currently the subject of any Sanctions, nor is Parent or any Subsidiary located, organized or resident in a Designated Jurisdiction.

Article VIII. Affirmative Covenants

So long as any Lender shall have any Commitment hereunder, any Loan or other Obligation (other than any Unmatured Surviving Obligation) hereunder shall remain unpaid or unsatisfied, or any Letter of Credit shall remain outstanding:

8.01 Financial Statements. Each of Parent and Borrower shall deliver to Administrative Agent and each Lender, in form and detail substantially similar to those delivered to Administrative Agent on or prior to the Closing Date or otherwise reasonably satisfactory to Administrative Agent:

(a) as soon as available, but in any event within one hundred twenty (120) days after the end of each fiscal year of Parent (or, if earlier, fifteen (15) days after the date required to be filed with the SEC (without giving effect to any extension permitted by the SEC)) (commencing with the fiscal year ended December 31, 2013), a consolidated and consolidating balance sheet of Parent as at the end of such fiscal year (including consolidating financial information with respect to Borrower), and the related consolidated and consolidating statements of income or operations, changes in shareholders' equity, and cash flows for such fiscal year, setting forth in each case in comparative form the figures for the previous fiscal year, all in reasonable detail and prepared in accordance with GAAP, such consolidated statements to be audited and accompanied by a report and opinion of an independent certified public accountant of nationally recognized standing reasonably acceptable to Required Lenders, which report and opinion shall be prepared in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards and shall not be subject to any "going concern" or like qualification or exception or any qualification or exception as to the scope of such audit, and such consolidating statements to be certified by the chief executive officer, chief

financial officer, treasurer or controller of Parent to the effect that such statements are fairly stated in all material respects when considered in relation to the consolidated financial statements of Parent;

(b) as soon as available, but in any event within sixty (60) days after the end of each fiscal quarter in any fiscal year of Parent (or, if earlier, five (5) Business Days after the date required to be filed with the SEC (without giving effect to any extension permitted by the SEC)) (commencing with the fiscal quarter ended June 30, 2013), a consolidated balance sheet of Parent as at the end of such fiscal quarter, the related consolidated statements of income or operations for such fiscal quarter and for the portion of Parent's fiscal year then ended, and the related consolidated statements of changes in shareholders' equity, and cash flows for the portion of Parent's fiscal year then ended, in each case setting forth in comparative form, as applicable, the figures for the corresponding fiscal quarter of the previous fiscal year and the corresponding portion of the previous fiscal year, all in reasonable detail, such consolidated statements to be certified by the chief executive officer, chief financial officer, treasurer or controller of Parent as fairly presenting the financial condition, results of operations, shareholders' equity and cash flows of the Consolidated Group in accordance with GAAP, subject only to normal year-end audit adjustments and the absence of footnotes;

(c) as soon as available, but in any event not later than ninety (90) days after the end of each fiscal year of Parent, forecasts prepared by management of Parent of consolidated balance sheets and statements of income or operations and cash flows of the Consolidated Group on a quarterly basis for the immediately following fiscal year (including the fiscal year in which the Maturity Date occurs); and

(d) (i) as soon as reasonably practicable, but in any event not later than ninety (90) days after the end of each fiscal year of Parent, a capital and operating budget for each Borrowing Base Property; and (ii) as soon as reasonably practicable but in any event within sixty (60) days after the end of each fiscal quarter in any fiscal year of Parent (A) a statement of all income and expenses in connection with each Borrowing Base Property, certified by a Responsible Officer of Parent, for itself and on behalf of Borrower, in writing as fairly presenting the financial information contained therein and (B) a current rent roll, certified by a Responsible Officer of Parent, for itself and on behalf of Borrower, as true and correct in all material respects.

As to any information contained in materials furnished pursuant to **Section 8.02(f)**, Parent and Borrower shall not be separately required to furnish such information under **clause (a) or (b)** above, but the foregoing shall not be in derogation of the obligation of Parent and Borrower to furnish the information and materials described in **clauses (a) and (b)** above at the times specified therein.

8.02 Certificates; Other Information. Each of Parent and Borrower shall deliver to Administrative Agent and each Lender:

(a) concurrently with the delivery of the financial statements referred to in **Sections 8.01(a) and 8.01(b)**, a duly completed Compliance Certificate signed by the chief executive officer, chief financial officer, treasurer or controller of Parent (which delivery may, unless Administrative Agent, or a Lender requests executed originals, be by electronic communication including fax or email and shall be deemed to be an original authentic counterpart thereof for all purposes);

(b) concurrently with the delivery of the financial statements referred to in **Sections 8.01(a)** and **8.01(b)**, a duly completed Borrowing Base Report signed by the chief executive officer, chief financial officer, treasurer or controller of Parent (which delivery may, unless Administrative Agent, or a Lender requests executed originals, be by electronic communication including fax or email and shall be deemed to be an original authentic counterpart thereof for all purposes);

(c) promptly after any request by Administrative Agent or any Lender, copies of any detailed audit reports, management letters or recommendations submitted to the board of directors (or the audit committee of the board of directors) of Parent by independent accountants in connection with the accounts or books of any member of the Consolidated Group, or any audit of any of them;

(d) promptly after the same are available, copies of each annual report, proxy or financial statement or other report or communication sent to the stockholders of Parent, and copies of all annual, regular, periodic and special reports and registration statements which Parent may file or be required to file with the SEC under **Section 13** or **15(d)** of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, and not otherwise required to be delivered to Administrative Agent pursuant hereto;

(e) promptly upon reasonable request by Administrative Agent, but no more often than once per calendar quarter unless a Default exists, information in a form reasonably satisfactory to Administrative Agent concerning the Borrowing Base Properties including copies of leases, copies of tenant financial statements, agings of rent payments, copies of existing Environmental Assessments, and copies of existing property inspection reports;

(f) promptly after the furnishing thereof, copies of any notice of default sent to, or received from, any holder of debt securities in a principal amount greater than \$20,000,000 of any member of the Consolidated Group pursuant to the terms of any indenture, loan or credit or similar agreement;

(g) promptly, and in any event within five (5) Business Days after receipt thereof by any member of the Consolidated Group, copies of each notice or other correspondence received from the SEC (or comparable agency in any applicable non-U.S. jurisdiction) concerning any investigation or possible investigation or other inquiry by such agency regarding financial or other operational results of any member of the Consolidated Group; and

(h) promptly, such additional information regarding the business, financial or corporate affairs of the Consolidated Group, as Administrative Agent or any Lender may from time to time reasonably request.

Documents required to be delivered pursuant to **Section 8.01(a)** or **(b)**, or **Section 8.02(d)** (to the extent any such documents are included in materials otherwise filed with the SEC) may be delivered electronically and if so delivered, shall be deemed to have been delivered on the date (i) on which Parent posts such documents, or provides a link thereto on Parent's website on the Internet at the website address listed on **Schedule 12.02**; or (ii) on which such documents are posted on Parent's behalf on an Internet or intranet website, if any, to which each Lender and Administrative Agent have access (whether a commercial, third-party website or whether sponsored by Administrative Agent); *provided that*: (i) Parent or Borrower shall deliver paper copies of such documents to Administrative Agent or any Lender upon its request to Parent or Borrower to deliver such paper copies until a written request to cease delivering paper copies is given by Administrative Agent or such Lender and (ii) Borrower shall notify Administrative Agent (by facsimile or electronic mail) of the posting of any such documents and provide to Administrative Agent by electronic mail electronic versions (*i.e.*, soft copies) of such documents. Administrative Agent shall have no obligation to request the delivery of or to maintain paper copies of the documents referred to above, and in any event shall have no responsibility to monitor compliance by Borrower with any such request by a Lender for delivery, and each Lender shall be solely responsible for requesting delivery to it or maintaining its copies of such documents.

Borrower hereby acknowledges that (a) Administrative Agent and/or Arranger may, but shall not be obligated to, make available to the Lenders and L/C Issuer materials and/or information provided by or on behalf of Borrower hereunder (collectively, "**Borrower Materials**") by posting Borrower Materials on Debt Domain, IntraLinks, Syndtrak or another similar electronic system (the "**Platform**") and (b) certain of the Lenders (each, a "**Public Lender**") may have personnel who do not wish to receive material non-public information with respect to Parent or its Subsidiaries, or the respective securities of any of the foregoing, and who may be engaged in investment and other market-related activities with respect to such Persons' securities. Borrower hereby agrees that (w) all Borrower Materials that are to be made available to Public Lenders shall be clearly and conspicuously marked "PUBLIC" which, at a minimum, shall mean that the word "PUBLIC" shall appear prominently on the first page thereof; (x) by marking Borrower Materials "PUBLIC," Borrower shall be deemed to have authorized Administrative Agent, Arranger, L/C Issuer and the Lenders to treat such Borrower Materials as not containing any material non-public information with respect to Borrower or its securities for purposes of United States Federal and state securities laws (*provided, however, that to the extent such Borrower Materials constitute Information, they shall be treated as set forth in Section 12.07*); (y) all Borrower Materials marked "PUBLIC" are permitted to be made available through a portion of the Platform designated "Public Side Information;" and (z) Administrative Agent and Arranger shall be entitled to treat any Borrower Materials that are not marked "PUBLIC" as being suitable only for posting on a portion of the Platform not designated "Public Side Information."

8.03 **Notices.** Each of Parent and Borrower shall promptly notify Administrative Agent and each Lender:

(a) of the occurrence of any Default;

(b) of any matter that has resulted or could reasonably be expected to result in a Material Adverse Effect, including (i) breach or non-performance of, or any default under, a Contractual Obligation of any member of the Consolidated Group; (ii) any dispute, litigation, investigation, proceeding or suspension between any member of the Consolidated Group and any Governmental Authority; or (iii) the commencement of, or any material development in, any litigation or proceeding affecting any member of the Consolidated Group, including pursuant to any applicable Environmental Laws, in each case which has resulted or could reasonably be expected to result in a Material Adverse Effect;

(c) of the occurrence of any ERISA Event;

(d) any material litigation, arbitration or governmental investigation or proceeding instituted or, to the knowledge of any Loan Party, threatened in writing against any Borrowing Base Property, and any material development in any such litigation, arbitration or governmental investigation or proceeding;

(e) any actual or, to the knowledge of any Loan Party, threatened in writing Condemnation of any material portion of any Borrowing Base Property or any Casualty or other loss of or substantial damage to any Borrowing Base Property;

(f) any notice received by any Loan Party with respect to the cancellation, alteration or non-renewal of any insurance coverage maintained with respect to any Borrowing Base Property;

(g) any required and material permit, license, certificate or approval with respect to any Borrowing Base Property lapses or ceases to be in full force and effect or claim from any person that any Borrowing Base Property, or any material use, activity, operation or maintenance thereof or thereon, is not in compliance in all material respects with any Law;

(h) of any material change in accounting policies or financial reporting practices by Parent; and

(i) any material labor controversy pending or threatened against any member of the Consolidated Group or any contractor performing work on any Borrowing Base Property, and any material development in any labor controversy which has had or could reasonably be expected to result in a Material Property Event.

Each notice pursuant to this **Section 8.03** shall be accompanied by a statement of a Responsible Officer of Parent, for itself and on behalf of Borrower, setting forth details of the occurrence referred to therein and stating what action Borrower has taken and proposes to take with respect thereto. Each notice pursuant to **Section 8.03(a)** shall describe with particularity any and all provisions of this Agreement and any other Loan Document that have been breached.

8.04 Payment of Obligations. Each of Parent and Borrower shall, and shall cause each other member of the Consolidated Group to, pay and discharge as the same shall become due and payable, all its obligations and liabilities, including (a) all material tax liabilities, assessments and governmental charges or levies upon a member of the Consolidated Group or its properties or assets, unless the same are being contested in good faith by appropriate proceedings diligently conducted and adequate reserves in accordance with GAAP are being maintained by such member of the Consolidated Group; and (b) all lawful and material claims which, if unpaid, would by law become a Lien upon its property, unless the same are being contested in good faith by appropriate proceedings diligently conducted and adequate reserves in accordance with GAAP are being maintained by such member of the Consolidated Group.

8.05 Preservation of Existence, Etc. Each of Parent and Borrower shall, and shall cause each other member of the Consolidated Group to: (a) preserve, renew and maintain in full force and effect its legal existence and good standing under the Laws of the jurisdiction of its organization except in a transaction permitted by **Section 9.03** or **9.04**; (b) take all reasonable action to maintain all rights, privileges, permits, licenses and franchises necessary or desirable in the normal conduct of its business, except to the extent that failure to do so could not reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect; and (c) preserve or renew all of its registered patents, trademarks, trade names and service marks, the non-preservation of which could reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect.

8.06 Maintenance of Properties. Each of Parent and Borrower shall, and shall cause each other Loan Party to, keep the Borrowing Base Properties in good order, repair, operating condition, and appearance, causing all necessary repairs, renewals, replacements, additions, and improvements to be promptly made, and not allow any of the Borrowing Base Properties to be misused, abused or wasted or to deteriorate (ordinary wear and tear excepted). Notwithstanding the foregoing, no Loan Party shall, without the prior written consent of Administrative Agent (such consent not to be unreasonably withheld, delayed or conditioned), make any structural or other alteration to a Borrowing Base Property which materially impairs the value thereof.

8.07 Maintenance of Insurance.

(a) Each of Parent and Borrower shall, and shall cause each other member of the Consolidated Group to, maintain with financially sound and reputable insurance companies not Affiliates of any member of the Consolidated Group (after giving effect to reasonable and prudent self-insurance, including self-insurance through captive insurance Subsidiaries), insurance with respect to its properties and business against loss or damage of the kinds customarily insured against by Persons engaged in the same or similar business, of such types and in such amounts as are customarily carried under similar circumstances by such other Persons.

(b) Each of Parent and Borrower shall, and shall cause each other Loan Party to, obtain and maintain, at Borrower's or the applicable Loan Party's sole expense: (i) property insurance with respect to each Borrowing Base Property, against loss or damage by fire, lightning, windstorm, explosion, hail, tornado and such additional hazards as are presently included in special form (also known as "*all-risk*") coverage and against any and all acts of terrorism as covered by the Terrorism Risk Insurance Act of 2002 ("*TRIA*") and such other insurable hazards as Administrative Agent may reasonably require and as is available at commercially reasonable prices, in an amount not less than one hundred percent (100%) of the full replacement cost, including the cost of debris removal, without deduction for depreciation and sufficient to prevent the applicable Loan Party, Administrative Agent, and Lenders from becoming coinsurers; (ii) if and to the extent any portion of any Borrowing Base Property or the Improvements is, under the Flood Disaster Protection Act of 1973 (for purposes of this *Section 8.07*, "*FDPA*"), as it may be amended from time to time, in a Special Flood Hazard Area, within a Flood Zone designated A or V in a participating community, a flood insurance policy in an amount sufficient to meet the requirements of applicable Law and the FDPA, as such requirements may from time to time be in effect; (iii) general liability insurance, on an "occurrence" basis against claims for "personal injury" liability, including bodily injury, death, or property damage liability, for the benefit of the Loan Parties as named insureds; (iv) statutory workers' compensation insurance (either by such Loan Party or by the applicable contractor) with respect to any work on or about any of the Borrowing Base Properties, covering all employees and contractors of each Loan Party; and (v) such other insurance on the Borrowing Base Properties and endorsements as may from time to time be reasonably required by Administrative Agent (including but not limited to soft cost coverage, automobile liability insurance, business interruption insurance, or delayed rental insurance, boiler and machinery insurance, earthquake insurance, wind insurance, sinkhole coverage, and/or permit to occupy endorsement) and against other insurable hazards or casualties which at the time are commonly insured against in the case of premises similarly situated, due regard being given to the height, type, construction, location, use and occupancy of buildings and Improvements. All insurance policies shall be issued and maintained by insurers, in amounts, with deductibles, limits and retentions, and in forms reasonably satisfactory to Administrative Agent. All insurance companies providing insurance required pursuant to this Agreement or any other Loan Document must have an A. M. Best Company financial and performance ratings of A-VIII or better. All insurance policies maintained, or caused to be maintained, with respect to the Borrowing Base Properties, except for general liability insurance, shall provide that each such policy shall be primary without right of contribution from any other insurance that may be carried, Administrative Agent or any Lender and that all of the provisions thereof, except the limits of liability, shall operate in the same manner as if there were a separate policy covering each insured. If any insurer which has issued a policy of hazard, liability, or other insurance required pursuant to this Agreement or any other Loan Document becomes insolvent or is the subject of any petition, case, proceeding or other action pursuant to any Debtor Relief Law, or if in Administrative Agent's reasonable opinion the financial responsibility of such insurer is or becomes inadequate, then each Loan Party shall in each instance promptly upon its discovery thereof or upon

the request of Administrative Agent therefor, promptly obtain and deliver to Administrative Agent a like policy (or, if and to the extent permitted by Administrative Agent, acceptable evidence of insurance) issued by another insurer, which insurer and policy meet the requirements of this Agreement or such other Loan Document, as the case may be.

(c) Each of Parent and Borrower shall, and shall cause each Loan Party to, cause all certificates of insurance or other evidence of each initial insurance policy with respect to each Borrowing Base Property to be delivered to Administrative Agent on or prior to the date such Borrowing Base Property is admitted into the Borrowing Base, with all payments required pursuant to such policies to be paid currently, and each renewal or substitute policy (or evidence of insurance) shall be delivered to Administrative Agent, with all premiums fully paid current, at least ten (10) days before the termination of the policy it renews or replaces.

(d) Each of Parent and Borrower shall, and shall cause each other Loan Party to, pay all premiums on policies required pursuant to this **Section 8.07** as they become due and payable and promptly deliver to Administrative Agent evidence satisfactory to Administrative Agent of the timely payment thereof.

8.08 Compliance with Laws. Each of Parent and Borrower shall, and shall cause each other member of the Consolidated Group to, comply in all material respects with the requirements of all Laws (including Environmental Laws) and all orders, writs, injunctions and decrees applicable to it or to its business or property, except in such instances in which (a) such requirement of Law or order, writ, injunction or decree is being contested in good faith by appropriate proceedings diligently conducted; or (b) the failure to comply therewith could not reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect.

8.09 Books and Records. Each of Parent and Borrower shall, and shall cause each other member of the Consolidated Group to, maintain: (a) proper books of record and account, in which full, true and correct entries in conformity with GAAP consistently applied shall be made of all financial transactions and matters involving the assets and business of Borrower or such member of the Consolidated Group, as the case may be; and (b) such books of record and account in material conformity with all applicable requirements of any Governmental Authority having regulatory jurisdiction over Borrower or such Subsidiary, as the case may be.

8.10 Inspection Rights. Each of Parent and Borrower shall, and shall cause each other member of the Consolidated Group to, permit representatives and independent contractors of Administrative Agent (who may be accompanied by any Lender or any representative of any Lender) to visit and inspect and photograph any of its properties (including Borrowing Base Properties), to examine its corporate, financial and operating records, and all recorded data of any kind or nature, regardless of the medium of recording including all software, writings, plans, specifications and schematics, and make copies thereof or abstracts therefrom, and to discuss its affairs, finances and accounts with its directors, officers, and independent public accountants (with a representative of the Consolidated Group being provided an opportunity to be present in such discussions), all at the expense of Borrower and at such reasonable times during normal business hours and as often as may be reasonably desired, upon reasonable advance notice to Parent, Borrower or such other member of the Consolidated Group, as applicable; *provided, however*, that (i) when an Event of Default has occurred and is continuing Administrative Agent (or any of its representatives or independent contractors) may do any of the foregoing at the expense of Borrower at any time during normal business hours and without advance notice; and (ii) unless an Event of Default has occurred and is continuing, (x) Borrower shall not be required to pay the expenses for Administrative Agent for more than one visit in any calendar year and (y) shall not be required to pay the expenses for any visit by any Lender.

8.11 **Use of Proceeds.** Borrower shall use the proceeds of the Credit Extensions for general corporate purposes not in contravention of any Law or of any Loan Document.

8.12 **Environmental Matters.** Each of Parent and Borrower shall, and shall cause each other member of the Consolidated Group to:

(a) **Violations; Notice to Administrative Agent.**

(i) Keep each Borrowing Base Property free of releases of Hazardous Material, or cause the releases to be addressed, to the extent such action is necessary to prevent contamination which would reasonably be expected to result in a Material Environmental Event;

(ii) Comply with all Environmental Laws except where the failure to so comply could not reasonably be expected to result in a Material Adverse Effect or a Material Environmental Event;

(iii) Maintain each Borrowing Base Property free of the attachment of any environmental Liens (other than Liens being contested in good faith by appropriate proceedings diligently conducted and for which adequate reserves have been provided in accordance with GAAP);

(iv) Promptly deliver to Administrative Agent a copy of each report pertaining to any Borrowing Base Property or to any member of the Consolidated Group prepared by or on behalf of such member of the Consolidated Group pursuant to any Environmental Law, in each case, other than any reports describing matters that could reasonably be expected to result in a Material Environmental Event; and

(v) Advise Administrative Agent in writing of any Environmental Claim, any Environmental Liability, or of the discovery of any material release of any Hazardous Material on any Borrowing Base Property, within a reasonable period of time from when any member of the Consolidated Group first obtains knowledge thereof, including a full description of the known nature and extent of the Environmental Claim, Environmental Liability, and/or Hazardous Material and all relevant circumstances.

(b) **Site Assessments and Information.** If Administrative Agent shall ever have reason to believe that any Hazardous Material affects any Borrowing Base Property, other than as would not reasonably be expected to result in a Material Environmental Event, or if any Environmental Claim is made or threatened or Environmental Liability suffered or incurred, or if a Default shall have occurred and be continuing, then if requested by Administrative Agent, at Borrower's expense, deliver to Administrative Agent from time to time, in each case within sixty (60) days after Administrative Agent's request, an Environmental Assessment (hereinafter defined) made after the date of Administrative Agent's request. As used in this Agreement, the term "**Environmental Assessment**" means a report (including all drafts thereof) of an environmental assessment of any Borrowing Base Property and of such scope (including the taking of soil borings and air and groundwater samples and other above and below ground testing) as Administrative Agent may reasonably request, by a consulting firm reasonably acceptable to Administrative Agent. Each member of the Consolidated Group shall cooperate with each consulting firm making any such Environmental Assessment and shall supply to the consulting firm, from time to time and promptly on request, all information available to such member of the Consolidated Group necessary to facilitate the completion of the Environmental Assessment.

8.13 **Acceptable Ground Leases.** Each of Parent and Borrower shall, and shall cause each other Loan Party to:

(a) pay or cause to be paid all rents, additional rents, and other sums required to be paid by such Loan Party, as tenant under and pursuant to the provisions of each Acceptable Ground Lease;

(b) diligently perform and observe all of the terms, covenants, and conditions of each Acceptable Ground Lease as tenant under such Acceptable Ground Lease; and

(c) promptly notify Administrative Agent of (i) the giving to any Loan Party of any notice of any default by such Loan Party under any Acceptable Ground Lease and deliver to Administrative Agent a true copy of each such notice, and (ii) any bankruptcy, reorganization, or insolvency of the landlord under any Acceptable Ground Lease or of any notice thereof, and deliver to Administrative Agent a true copy of such notice;

8.14 **Reports and Testing.** Each of Parent and Borrower shall, and shall cause each other member of the Consolidated Group to, promptly deliver to Administrative Agent copies of all material reports, studies, inspections, and tests made on the Borrowing Base Properties, the Improvements thereon, or any materials to be incorporated into the Improvements thereon. In addition, each of Parent and Borrower shall, and shall cause each other member of the Consolidated Group to, immediately notify Administrative Agent of any report, study, inspection, or test that indicates any material adverse condition relating to the Borrowing Base Properties, the Improvements, or any such materials which could reasonably be expected to result in a Material Property Event.

8.15 **Guaranties.** Each of Parent and Borrower shall cause each Subsidiary of Borrower that owns a Borrowing Base Property and each other member of the Consolidated Group that is a direct or indirect holder of such Subsidiary's Equity Interests to (a) become a Subsidiary Guarantor by executing and delivering to Administrative Agent the Subsidiary Guaranty (or an addendum thereto in the form attached to the Subsidiary Guaranty), and (b) deliver to Administrative Agent documents of the types referred to in **Sections 6.01(a)(iii), 6.01(a)(iv), 6.01(a)(v) and 6.01(a)(vi)**, all such documentation and opinion to be in form, content and scope substantially the same as those delivered under such Sections or otherwise reasonably satisfactory to Administrative Agent.

8.16 **Keepwell.** Each of Borrower and Parent at the time the Subsidiary Guaranty by any Specified Loan Party becomes effective with respect to any Swap Obligation, hereby jointly and severally, absolutely, unconditionally and irrevocably undertakes to provide such funds or other support to each Specified Loan Party with respect to such Swap Obligation as may be needed by such Specified Loan Party from time to time to honor all of its obligations under the Subsidiary Guaranty and the other Loan Documents in respect of such Swap Obligation (but, in each case, only up to the maximum amount of such liability that can be hereby incurred without rendering Borrower's or Parent's obligations and undertakings under this **Section 8.16** voidable under applicable law relating to fraudulent conveyance or fraudulent transfer, and not for any greater amount). The obligations and undertakings of each of Borrower and Parent under this **Section 8.16** shall remain in full force and effect until the Obligations have been indefeasibly paid and performed in full. Each of Borrower and Parent intends this **Section 8.16** to constitute, and this **Section 8.16** shall be deemed to constitute, a Guarantee of the obligations of, and a "keepwell, support, or other agreement" for the benefit of, each Specified Loan Party for all purposes of the Commodity Exchange Act.

8.17 **REIT Status.** Parent shall elect to be taxed as a REIT for its taxable year ending December 31, 2013 and will at all times continue to operate in a manner to qualify for taxation as a REIT.

8.18 **Further Assurances.** Each of Parent, Borrower and each Loan Party shall, promptly upon request by Administrative Agent, or any Lender through Administrative Agent, (a) correct any material defect or error that may be discovered in any Loan Document or in the execution, acknowledgment, filing or recordation thereof, and (b) do, execute, acknowledge, deliver, record, re-record, file, re-file, register and re-register any and all such further acts, deeds, certificates, assurances and other instruments as Administrative Agent, or any Lender through Administrative Agent, may reasonably require from time to time in order to (i) carry out more effectively the provisions of the Loan Documents, and (ii) assure, convey, grant, assign, transfer, preserve, protect and confirm more effectively unto Administrative Agent or any Lender the rights granted to Administrative Agent or any Lender under any Loan Document or under any other instrument executed in connection with any Loan Document to which any Loan Party or any of its Subsidiaries is or is to be a party, and cause each of its Subsidiaries to do so.

Article IX.
Negative Covenants

So long as any Lender shall have any Commitment hereunder, any Loan or other Obligation (other than any Unmatured Surviving Obligation) hereunder shall remain unpaid or unsatisfied, or any Letter of Credit shall remain outstanding:

9.01 **Liens.** Each of Parent and Borrower shall not, and shall not permit any other member of the Consolidated Group to, directly or indirectly create, incur, assume or suffer to exist any Lien upon any Borrowing Base Property, other than the following:

(a) Liens pursuant to any Loan Document;

(b) Liens for taxes, assessments and governmental charges and levies not yet delinquent or which are being contested in good faith and by appropriate proceedings diligently conducted, if adequate reserves with respect thereto are maintained on the books of the applicable Person in accordance with GAAP;

(c) carriers', warehousemen's, mechanics', materialmen's, repairmen's or other like Liens arising in the ordinary course of business which are (i) not overdue for a period of more than thirty (30) days, (ii) do not materially and adversely affect the operation of such Borrowing Base Property, or (iii) being contested in good faith and by appropriate proceedings diligently conducted, if adequate reserves with respect thereto are maintained on the books of the applicable Person in accordance with GAAP;

(d) pledges or deposits in the ordinary course of business in connection with workers' compensation, unemployment insurance and other social security legislation, other than any Lien imposed by ERISA;

(e) deposits to secure the performance of bids, trade contracts and leases (other than Indebtedness), statutory obligations, surety and appeal bonds, performance bonds and other obligations of a like nature incurred in the ordinary course of business;

(f) easements, rights-of-way, restrictions, restrictive covenants, encroachments, protrusions, and other similar encumbrances affecting any Property which, in the aggregate, are not substantial in amount, and which do not in any case materially detract from the value of such Property subject thereto or materially interfere with the ordinary conduct of the business of the applicable Person;

(g) tenant Leases and other interests of lessees and lessors under leases of real property made in the ordinary course of business; and

(h) Liens securing judgments and attachments not constituting an Event of Default under **Section 10.01(h)**.

9.02 Investments. Each of Parent and Borrower shall not, and shall not permit any other member of the Consolidated Group to, make any Investments, except:

(a) Investments held by a member of the Consolidated Group on the Closing Date and listed on **Schedule 9.02**;

(b) Investments held by a member of the Consolidated Group in the form of cash or cash equivalents;

(c) advances to officers, directors and employees of a member of the Consolidated Group in an aggregate amount not to exceed \$2,000,000 at any time outstanding, for travel, entertainment, relocation and analogous ordinary business purposes;

(d) Investments of any member of the Consolidated Group in any other member of the Consolidated Group;

(e) Investments consisting of extensions of credit in the nature of accounts receivable or notes receivable arising from the grant of trade credit in the ordinary course of business, and Investments received in satisfaction or partial satisfaction from financially troubled account debtors to the extent reasonably necessary in order to prevent or limit loss;

(f) Investments in income producing Properties and assets incidental thereto (including Investments in Equity Interests of Persons who own such Properties and assets);

(g) Investments in unimproved land holdings and construction in progress (including Investments in the Equity Interests of Persons who own such unimproved land holdings and construction in progress) in an aggregate amount not exceeding fifteen percent (15%) of Total Asset Value;

(h) Investments in mortgages, mezzanine loans and notes receivable (including Investments in the Equity Interests of Persons who own such mortgages, mezzanine loans and notes receivable) in an aggregate amount not exceeding fifteen percent (15%) of Total Asset Value;

(i) Investments in Unconsolidated Affiliates in an aggregate amount not exceeding twenty-five percent (25%) of Total Asset Value; and

(j) additional Investments in an aggregate amount not to exceed \$5,000,000;

provided that any determination as to whether an Investment shall be permitted hereunder will be made at the time of, and after giving effect to, such Investment; *provided, further,* that Investments under **Sections 9.02(g)** through **(j)** shall not exceed thirty percent (30%) of Total Asset Value.

9.03 Fundamental Changes. Each of Parent and Borrower shall not, and shall not permit any other member of the Consolidated Group to, merge, dissolve, liquidate, consolidate with or into another Person, or Dispose of (whether in one transaction or in a series of transactions) all or substantially all of its assets (whether now owned or hereafter acquired) to or in favor of any Person, except that, so long as no Default exists or would result therefrom:

(a) any Subsidiary may merge or consolidate with (i) Borrower, *provided that* Borrower shall be the continuing or surviving Person, or (ii) any one or more other Subsidiaries, *provided that* when any Subsidiary Guarantor is merging with another Subsidiary, the continuing or surviving Person shall be or become a Subsidiary Guarantor;

(b) any Subsidiary may dissolve or liquidate into (i) Borrower, *provided that* Borrower shall be the continuing or surviving Person, or (ii) another Subsidiary; *provided that* when any Subsidiary Guarantor is dissolving or liquidating into another Subsidiary, the continuing or surviving Person shall be or become a Subsidiary Guarantor;

(c) any Subsidiary may Dispose of all or substantially all of its assets (upon voluntary liquidation or otherwise) to Borrower or to another Subsidiary; *provided that* if the transferor in such a transaction is a Subsidiary Guarantor, then the transferee must either be Borrower or a Subsidiary Guarantor;

(d) Borrower or any Subsidiary may merge or consolidate with any Person that is not a member of the Consolidated Group so long as: (i) after giving effect to such merger or consolidation, no Default has occurred and is continuing; (ii) if such merger or consolidation is with Borrower, then Borrower shall be the continuing or surviving Person; and (iii) if such merger or consolidation is with a Subsidiary Guarantor, then the continuing or surviving Person shall be or become a Subsidiary Guarantor; and

(e) any Subsidiary may Dispose of all or substantially all of its assets in a Disposition permitted pursuant to **Section 9.04** (other than **Section 9.04(f)**).

9.04 Dispositions. Each of Parent and Borrower shall not, and shall not permit any other member of the Consolidated Group to, make any Disposition or enter into any agreement to make any Disposition, except:

(a) Dispositions of obsolete, worn out or surplus property, whether now owned or hereafter acquired, in the ordinary course of business;

(b) Dispositions in the ordinary course of business;

(c) Dispositions of equipment to the extent that (i) such property is exchanged for credit against the purchase price of similar replacement property or (ii) the proceeds of such Disposition are reasonably promptly applied to the purchase price of such replacement property;

(d) Dispositions of property by any Subsidiary to Borrower or to a Wholly-Owned Subsidiary; *provided that* if the transferor of such property is a Subsidiary Guarantor, the transferee thereof must either be Borrower or a Subsidiary Guarantor;

(e) Dispositions of Properties so long as no Default exists or would result therefrom; *provided that* if any Disposition is of a Borrowing Base Property, then Borrower shall have complied with **Section 5.06**; and

(f) Dispositions permitted by **Section 9.03** (other than **Section 9.03(e)**).

9.05 Restricted Payments. Each of Parent and Borrower shall not, and shall not permit any other member of the Consolidated Group to, declare or make, directly or indirectly, any Restricted Payment, or incur any obligation (contingent or otherwise) to do so, except:

(a) each Subsidiary may make Restricted Payments to Borrower and any other Person that owns an Equity Interest in such Subsidiary, ratably according to their respective holdings of the type of Equity Interest in respect of which such Restricted Payment is being made;

(b) each member of the Consolidated Group may declare and make dividend payments or other distributions payable solely in the common stock or other common Equity Interests of such Person;

(c) so long as no Default shall have occurred and be continuing at the time thereof or would result therefrom, each member of the Consolidated Group may purchase, redeem or otherwise acquire Equity Interests issued by it with the proceeds received from an issue of new shares of its common stock or other Equity Interests within ninety (90) days before such Restricted Payment;

(d) Borrower may make Restricted Payments to Parent and, to the extent corresponding distributions to other holders of its Equity Interests are required by its Organization Documents, to such other holders of Equity Interests, in amounts sufficient to permit Parent to make, and Parent may make, Restricted Payments, for any twelve (12)- month period, not to exceed an amount equal to the greater of: (i)(A) ninety-five percent (95%) *multiplied by* (B) Funds From Operations for such period and (ii) the aggregate amount of Restricted Payments required to be made by Parent in order for it to (A) maintain its REIT status and (B) avoid the payment of federal or state income or excise tax; *provided that* to the extent a Default is then-existing or would result from the making of such Restricted Payment by Parent (other than a Default specified in **Sections 10.01(f)** or **10.01(g)** or a Default that has resulted in Administrative Agent exercising its remedies under **Section 10.02(b)**), in which case no Restricted Payments otherwise permitted under this *clause (d)* may be made), Borrower may only make Restricted Payments to Parent and, to the extent corresponding distributions to other holders of its Equity Interests are required by its Organization Documents, to such other holders of Equity Interests, in amounts sufficient to permit Parent to make, and Parent may make, Restricted Payments in the minimum amount required in order for Parent to maintain its REIT status;

(e) any member of the Consolidated Group may make non-cash Restricted Payments in connection with employee, trustee and director stock option plans or similar employee, trustee and director incentive arrangements; and

(f) so long as no Default shall have occurred and be continuing at the time thereof or would result therefrom, with respect to an equity award granted pursuant to an equity incentive compensation plan to any current or former director, employee, independent contractor or other service provider, in each case, of any of Parent, Borrower or Subsidiary thereof, (i) the withholding of Equity Interests to satisfy any applicable withholding Tax obligations and/or exercise or purchase price, (ii) the repurchase or acquisition by Parent or Borrower of such entity's Equity Interests or (iii) the grant, award, modification or payment of any such equity award.

9.06 Change in Nature of Business. Each of Parent and Borrower shall not, and shall not permit any other member of the Consolidated Group to, engage in any material line of business substantially different from those lines of business conducted by the Consolidated Group on the date hereof or any business substantially related or incidental thereto.

9.07 Transactions with Affiliates. Each of Parent and Borrower shall not, and shall not permit any other member of the Consolidated Group to, enter into any transaction of any kind with any Affiliate of a member of the Consolidated Group, whether or not in the ordinary course of business; *provided that* the foregoing shall not apply to:

- (a) any transaction in the ordinary course of business (i) on fair and reasonable terms substantially as favorable to such member of the Consolidated Group as would be obtainable by such member of the Consolidated Group at the time in a comparable arm's length transaction with a Person other than an Affiliate or (ii) that comply with the requirements of the North America Security Administrators Association's Statement of Policy of Real Estate Investment Trusts;
- (b) payments to or from such Affiliates under leases of commercial space on market terms;
- (c) payment of fees under asset or property management agreements under terms and conditions available from qualified management companies;
- (d) Investments by members of the Consolidated Group in Unconsolidated Affiliates otherwise permitted pursuant to this Agreement;
- (e) transactions between members of the Consolidated Group otherwise permitted (or not prohibited) hereunder; and
- (f) Restricted Payments permitted under **Section 9.05**.

9.08 Burdensome Agreements. Each of Parent and Borrower shall not, and shall not permit any other member of the Consolidated Group to, enter into or permit to exist any Contractual Obligation (other than the Loan Documents) that (a) constitutes a Negative Pledge with respect to any Borrowing Base Property or the Equity Interests in any member of the Consolidated Group (other than Borrower) that directly owns a Borrowing Base Property, or (b) limits the ability of any member of the Consolidated Group to transfer ownership of any Borrowing Base Property or the Equity Interests in any member of the Consolidated Group (other than Borrower) that directly owns a Borrowing Base Property.

9.09 Use of Proceeds. Each of Parent and Borrower shall not use the proceeds of any Credit Extension, whether directly or indirectly, and whether immediately, incidentally or ultimately, to purchase or carry margin stock (within the meaning of Regulation U of the FRB) or to extend credit to others for the purpose of purchasing or carrying margin stock or to refund indebtedness originally incurred for such purpose.

9.10 Borrowing Base Properties. Each of Parent and Borrower shall not, and shall not permit any other member of the Consolidated Group to:

- (a) use or occupy or conduct any activity on, or allow the use or occupancy of or the conduct of any activity on any Borrowing Base Properties in any manner which violates any Law or which constitutes a public or private nuisance or which makes void, voidable, or cancelable any insurance then in force with respect thereto or makes the maintenance of insurance in accordance with **Section 8.07** commercially unreasonable (including by way of increased premium);

(b) without the prior written consent of Administrative Agent, initiate or permit any zoning reclassification of any Borrowing Base Property or seek any variance under existing zoning ordinances applicable to any Borrowing Base Property or use or permit the use of any Borrowing Base Property in such a manner which would result in such use becoming a nonconforming use under applicable zoning ordinances or other Laws;

(c) without the prior written consent of Administrative Agent, (i) impose any material easement, restrictive covenant, or encumbrance upon any Borrowing Base Property, (ii) execute or file any subdivision plat or condominium declaration affecting any Borrowing Base Property or (iii) consent to the annexation of any Borrowing Base Property to any municipality; or

(d) without the prior written consent of Administrative Agent, permit any drilling or exploration for or extraction, removal or production of any mineral, hydrocarbon, gas, natural element, compound or substance (including sand and gravel) from the surface or subsurface of any Borrowing Base Property regardless of the depth thereof or the method of mining or extraction thereof.

in each case to the extent that any of the foregoing could, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to result in a Material Property Event.

9.11 **Acceptable Ground Leases.** Each of Parent and Borrower shall not, and shall not permit any other Loan Party to, without the prior written consent of Administrative Agent, surrender the leasehold estate created by any Acceptable Ground Lease or terminate or cancel any Acceptable Ground Lease.

9.12 **Amendments of Organization Documents.** Each of Parent and Borrower shall not, and shall not permit any other member of the Consolidated Group to, amend any of its Organization Documents in any manner that would adversely affect any Loan Party's ability to pay its Obligations hereunder or materially and adversely impairs any rights or remedies of Administrative Agent or any Lender under the Loan Documents or applicable Laws.

9.13 **Accounting Changes.** Each of Parent and Borrower shall not, and shall not permit any other member of the Consolidated Group to, make any change in fiscal year.

9.14 **Sanctions.** Each of Parent and Borrower shall not, and shall not permit any other member of the Consolidated Group to, directly or indirectly, use the proceeds of any Credit Extension or lend, contribute or otherwise make available such proceeds to any Subsidiary, joint venture partner or other individual or entity, to fund any activities of or business with any individual or entity, or in any Designated Jurisdiction, that, at the time of such funding, is the subject of Sanctions, or in any other manner that will result in a violation by any individual or entity (including any individual or entity participating in the transaction, whether as Lender, Arranger, Administrative Agent, L/C Issuer, Swing Line Lender or otherwise) of Sanctions.

9.15 **Financial Covenants.** Each of Parent and Borrower shall not:

(a) **Maximum Leverage Ratio.** Permit the Leverage Ratio, as of the last day of any fiscal quarter of Parent, to exceed sixty percent (60%).

(b) **Maximum Secured Leverage Ratio.** Permit Total Secured Debt, as of the last day of any fiscal quarter of Parent, to be greater than forty-five percent (45%) of Total Asset Value.

(c) **Maximum Recourse Debt.** Permit Total Recourse Debt, as of the last day of any fiscal quarter of Parent, to be greater than fifteen percent (15%) of Total Asset Value

(d) **Minimum Tangible Net Worth.** Permit Tangible Net Worth, at any time, to be less than the sum of (i) \$259,627,875.00, and (ii) an amount equal to seventy-five percent (75%) of the net equity proceeds received by Parent after the Closing Date (other than any such proceeds that are received within ninety (90) days before or after any redemption of Equity Interests of Parent or Borrower permitted hereunder).

(e) **Minimum Fixed Charge Coverage Ratio.** Permit the ratio of (i) Adjusted EBITDA to (ii) Fixed Charges for the Calculation Period ending as of the last day of any fiscal quarter of Parent, to be less than 1.50 to 1.0.

(f) **Minimum Unencumbered Debt Yield.** Permit the ratio of (i) Unencumbered NOI to (ii) Unsecured Debt of the Consolidated Group, as of the last day of any fiscal quarter of Parent, to be less than eleven percent (11%).

9.16 **ERISA Compliance.** No Loan Party shall take any action that would cause its underlying assets to constitute Plan Assets.

Article X. Events of Default and Remedies

10.01 **Events of Default.** Any of the following shall constitute an Event of Default (each, an “*Event of Default*”):

(a) **Non-Payment.** Borrower or any other Loan Party fails to pay (i) when and as required to be paid herein, any amount of principal of any Loan or any L/C Obligation, or (ii) within three (3) Business Days after the same becomes due, any interest on any Loan or on any L/C Obligation, or any fee due hereunder, or (iii) within five (5) Business Days after the same becomes due, any other amount payable hereunder or under any other Loan Document; or

(b) **Specific Covenants.** Any member of the Consolidated Group fails to perform or observe any term, covenant or agreement contained in any of **Section 8.01, 8.02, 8.03, 8.05(a)** (as it relates to any Loan Party), **8.10, 8.11 or 8.15** or **Article IX** (other than **Section 9.10**); or

(c) **Other Defaults.** Any Loan Party fails to perform or observe any other covenant or agreement (not specified in **subsection (a)** or **(b)** above) contained in any Loan Document on its part to be performed or observed and such failure continues for thirty (30) days; or

(d) **Representations and Warranties.** Any representation, warranty, certification or statement of fact made or deemed made by or on behalf of Borrower or any other Loan Party herein, in any other Loan Document, or in any document delivered in connection herewith or therewith shall be incorrect or misleading in any material respect (without duplication of any materiality qualifiers therein) when made or deemed made; or

(e) **Cross-Default.** (i) any member of the Consolidated Group (A) fails to make any payment when due (whether by scheduled maturity, required prepayment, acceleration, demand, or otherwise) in respect of any Indebtedness or Guarantee (other than Indebtedness hereunder and Indebtedness under Swap Contracts) having an aggregate principal amount (including amounts owing to all creditors under any combined or syndicated credit arrangement) of more than

(x) \$20,000,000, either individually or in the aggregate, with respect to Recourse Debt or (y) \$50,000,000, either individually or in the aggregate with respect to Non-Recourse Debt, and such failure continues after the expiration of any applicable period of grace or notice, or (B) fails to observe or perform any other agreement or condition relating to any such Indebtedness or Guarantee or contained in any instrument or agreement evidencing, securing or relating thereto, or any other event occurs, the effect of which default or other event is to cause, or to permit the holder or holders of such Indebtedness or the beneficiary or beneficiaries of such Guarantee (or a trustee or agent on behalf of such holder or holders or beneficiary or beneficiaries) to cause such Indebtedness to be demanded or to become due or to be repurchased, prepaid, defeased or redeemed (automatically or otherwise), or an offer to repurchase, prepay, defease or redeem such Indebtedness to be made, prior to its stated maturity, or such Guarantee to become payable or cash collateral in respect thereof to be demanded; or (ii) there occurs under any Swap Contract an Early Termination Date (as defined in such Swap Contract) resulting from (A) any event of default under such Swap Contract as to which any member of the Consolidated Group is the Defaulting Party (as defined in such Swap Contract) or (B) any Termination Event (as defined in such Swap Contract) under such Swap Contract as to which any member of the Consolidated Group is an Affected Party (as defined in such Swap Contract) and, in either event, the Swap Termination Value owed by such member of the Consolidated Group as a result thereof is greater than \$20,000,000; or

(f) **Insolvency Proceedings, Etc.** Any member of the Consolidated Group (other than Immaterial Subsidiaries) institutes or consents to the institution of any proceeding under any Debtor Relief Law, or makes an assignment for the benefit of creditors; or applies for or consents to the appointment of any receiver, trustee, custodian, conservator, liquidator, rehabilitator or similar officer for it or for all or any material part of its property; or any receiver, trustee, custodian, conservator, liquidator, rehabilitator or similar officer is appointed without the application or consent of such Person and the appointment continues undischarged or unstayed for sixty (60) calendar days; or any proceeding under any Debtor Relief Law relating to any such Person or to all or any material part of its property is instituted without the consent of such Person and continues undismissed or unstayed for sixty (60) calendar days, or an order for relief is entered in any such proceeding; or

(g) **Inability to Pay Debts; Attachment.** (i) Any member of the Consolidated Group (other than Immaterial Subsidiaries) becomes unable or admits in writing its inability or fails generally to pay its debts as they become due, or (ii) any writ or warrant of attachment or execution or similar process is issued or levied against all or any material part of the property of any such Person and remains unreleased, unvacated or not fully bonded for a period of thirty (30) days after its issue or levy; or

(h) **Judgments.** There is entered against any member of the Consolidated Group and remains outstanding (i) one or more final judgments or orders for the payment of money in an aggregate amount (as to all such judgments or orders) exceeding \$20,000,000 (to the extent not covered by independent third-party insurance as to which the insurer does not dispute coverage), or (ii) any one or more non-monetary final judgments that have, or could reasonably be expected to have, individually or in the aggregate, a Material Adverse Effect and, in either case, (A) enforcement proceedings are commenced by any creditor upon such judgment or order, or (B) there is a period of ten (10) consecutive Business Days during which a stay of enforcement of such judgment, by reason of a pending appeal or otherwise, is not in effect; or

(i) **ERISA.** An ERISA Event occurs with respect to a Pension Plan or Multiemployer Plan which has resulted or could reasonably be expected to result, individually or in the aggregate with any other ERISA Event, in liability of any member of the Consolidated Group under Title IV of ERISA to the Pension Plan, Multiemployer Plan or the PBGC in an aggregate amount in excess of \$20,000,000; or

(j) **Invalidity of Loan Documents.** Any provision of any Loan Document, at any time after its execution and delivery and for any reason other than as expressly permitted hereunder or thereunder or satisfaction in full of all the Obligations (other than Unmatured Surviving Obligations), ceases to be in full force and effect; or any Loan Party or any other Person contests in any manner the validity or enforceability of any provision of Loan Document; or any Loan Party denies that it has any or further liability or obligation under any Loan Document, or purports to revoke, terminate or rescind any provision of Loan Document; or

(k) **Change of Control.** There occurs any Change of Control; or

(l) **REIT Status.** Parent ceases to be treated as a REIT in any taxable year; or

(m) **Stock Exchange Listing.** Parent's common Equity Interests shall cease to be traded on the New York Stock Exchange, NASDAQ, or other nationally recognized exchange reasonably acceptable to Required Lenders.

10.02 Remedies Upon Event of Default. If any Event of Default occurs and is continuing, Administrative Agent shall, at the request of, or may, with the consent of, Required Lenders, take any or all of the following actions:

(a) declare the commitment of each Lender to make Loans and any obligation of L/C Issuer to make L/C Credit Extensions to be terminated, whereupon such commitments and obligation shall be terminated;

(b) declare the unpaid principal amount of all outstanding Loans, all interest accrued and unpaid thereon, and all other amounts owing or payable hereunder or under any other Loan Document to be immediately due and payable, without presentment, demand, protest or other notice of any kind, all of which are hereby expressly waived by Borrower;

(c) require that Borrower Cash Collateralize the L/C Obligations (in an amount equal to the Minimum Collateral Amount with respect thereto); and

(d) exercise on behalf of itself, the Lenders and L/C Issuer all rights and remedies available to it, the Lenders and L/C Issuer under the Loan Documents;

provided, however, that upon the occurrence of an actual or deemed entry of an order for relief with respect to Borrower under the Bankruptcy Code of the United States, the obligation of each Lender to make Loans and any obligation of L/C Issuer to make L/C Credit Extensions shall automatically terminate, the unpaid principal amount of all outstanding Loans and all interest and other amounts as aforesaid shall automatically become due and payable, and the obligation of Borrower to Cash Collateralize the L/C Obligations as aforesaid shall automatically become effective, in each case without further act of Administrative Agent or any Lender.

10.03 Application of Funds. After the exercise of remedies provided for in **Section 10.02** (or after the Loans have automatically become immediately due and payable and the L/C Obligations have automatically been required to be Cash Collateralized as set forth in the proviso to **Section 10.02**), any amounts received on account of the Obligations shall, subject to the provisions of **Sections 2.16** and **2.17**, be applied by Administrative Agent in the following order:

First, to payment of that portion of the Obligations constituting fees, indemnities, expenses and other amounts (including fees, charges and disbursements of counsel to Administrative Agent and amounts payable under **Article III**) payable to Administrative Agent in its capacity as such;

Second, to payment of that portion of the Obligations constituting fees, indemnities and other amounts (other than principal, interest and Letter of Credit Fees) payable to the Lenders and L/C Issuer (including fees, charges and disbursements of counsel to the respective Lenders and L/C Issuer (including the reasonable allocated cost of internal counsel) and amounts payable under **Article III**), ratably among them in proportion to the respective amounts described in this **clause Second** payable to them;

Third, to payment of that portion of the Obligations constituting accrued and unpaid Letter of Credit Fees and interest on the Loans, L/C Borrowings and other Obligations, ratably among the Lenders and L/C Issuer in proportion to the respective amounts described in this **clause Third** payable to them;

Fourth, to payment of that portion of the Obligations constituting (i) unpaid principal of the Loans and L/C Borrowings and (ii) breakage, termination or other payments due under any Swap Contract (that relates solely to the Obligations) between any Loan Party and Administrative Agent, any Lender or any Affiliate of Administrative Agent or a Lender, ratably among the Lenders, the applicable Affiliates (with respect to **clause (ii)**) and L/C Issuer in proportion to the respective amounts described in this **clause Fourth** held by them;

Fifth, to Administrative Agent for the account of L/C Issuer, to Cash Collateralize that portion of L/C Obligations comprised of the aggregate undrawn amount of Letters of Credit to the extent not otherwise Cash Collateralized by Borrower pursuant to **Sections 2.03 and 2.16**; and

Last, the balance, if any, after all of the Obligations have been indefeasibly paid in full, to Borrower or as otherwise required by Law;

provided that Excluded Swap Obligations with respect to any Subsidiary Guarantor shall not be paid with amounts received from such Subsidiary Guarantor or its assets, but appropriate adjustments shall be made with respect to payments from other Loan Parties to preserve the allocation to Obligations otherwise set forth in this **Section 10.03**. Subject to **Sections 2.03(c) and 2.16**, amounts used to Cash Collateralize the aggregate undrawn amount of Letters of Credit pursuant to **clause Fifth** above shall be applied to satisfy drawings under such Letters of Credit as they occur. If any amount remains on deposit as Cash Collateral after all Letters of Credit have either been fully drawn or expired, such remaining amount shall be applied to the other Obligations, if any, in the order set forth above.

Article XI. Administrative Agent

11.01 Appointment and Authority. Each of the Lenders and L/C Issuer hereby irrevocably appoints Bank of America to act on its behalf as Administrative Agent hereunder and under the other Loan Documents and authorizes Administrative Agent to take such actions on its behalf and to exercise such powers as are delegated to Administrative Agent by the terms hereof or thereof, together with such actions and powers as are reasonably incidental thereto. The provisions of this **Article** are solely for the benefit of Administrative Agent, the Lenders and L/C Issuer, and except for any provision which provides specific rights to Borrower or any other Loan Party, neither Borrower nor any other Loan Party shall have rights as a third party beneficiary of any of such provisions. It is understood and agreed that the use of the term "agent" herein or in any other Loan Documents (or any other similar term) with reference to Administrative Agent is not intended to connote any fiduciary or other implied (or express) obligations arising under agency doctrine of any applicable Law. Instead such term is used as a matter of market custom, and is intended to create or reflect only an administrative relationship between contracting parties.

11.02 **Rights as a Lender.** The Person serving as Administrative Agent hereunder shall have the same rights and powers in its capacity as a Lender as any other Lender and may exercise the same as though it were not Administrative Agent and the term “*Lender*” or “*Lenders*” shall, unless otherwise expressly indicated or unless the context otherwise requires, include the Person serving as Administrative Agent hereunder in its individual capacity. Such Person and its Affiliates may accept deposits from, lend money to, own securities of, act as the financial advisor or in any other advisory capacity for and generally engage in any kind of business with Borrower or any Subsidiary thereof or other Affiliate thereof as if such Person were not Administrative Agent hereunder and without any duty to account therefor to the Lenders.

11.03 **Exculpatory Provisions.** Administrative Agent shall not have any duties or obligations except those expressly set forth herein and in the other Loan Documents, and its duties hereunder shall be administrative in nature. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, Administrative Agent:

(a) shall not be subject to any fiduciary or other implied duties, regardless of whether a Default has occurred and is continuing;

(b) shall not have any duty to take any discretionary action or exercise any discretionary powers, except discretionary rights and powers expressly contemplated hereby or by the other Loan Documents that Administrative Agent is required to exercise as directed in writing by Required Lenders (or such other number or percentage of the Lenders as shall be expressly provided for herein or in the other Loan Documents), *provided that* Administrative Agent shall not be required to take any action that, in its opinion or the opinion of its counsel, may expose Administrative Agent to liability or that is contrary to any Loan Document or applicable Law, including for the avoidance of doubt any action that may be in violation of the automatic stay under any Debtor Relief Law or that may effect a forfeiture, modification or termination of property of a Defaulting Lender in violation of any Debtor Relief Law; and

(c) shall not, except as expressly set forth herein and in the other Loan Documents, have any duty to disclose, and shall not be liable for the failure to disclose, any information relating to Borrower or any of its Affiliates that is communicated to or obtained by the Person serving as Administrative Agent or any of its Affiliates in any capacity.

Administrative Agent shall not be liable for any action taken or not taken by it (i) with the consent or at the request of Required Lenders (or such other number or percentage of the Lenders as shall be necessary, or as Administrative Agent shall believe in good faith shall be necessary, under the circumstances as provided in **Sections 12.01** and **10.02**) or (ii) in the absence of its own gross negligence or willful misconduct as determined by a court of competent jurisdiction by a final and nonappealable judgment. Administrative Agent shall not be deemed to have knowledge of any Default, unless and until notice describing such Default is given in writing to Administrative Agent by Borrower, a Lender or L/C Issuer.

Administrative Agent shall not be responsible for or have any duty to ascertain or inquire into (i) any statement, warranty or representation made in or in connection with this Agreement or any other Loan Document, (ii) the contents of any certificate, report or other document delivered hereunder or thereunder or in connection herewith or therewith, (iii) the performance or observance of any of the covenants, agreements or other terms or conditions set forth herein or therein or the occurrence of any Default, (iv) the validity, enforceability, effectiveness or genuineness of this Agreement, any other Loan Document or any other agreement, instrument or document or (v) the satisfaction of any condition set forth in **Article VI** or elsewhere herein, other than to confirm receipt of items expressly required to be delivered to Administrative Agent.

11.04 **Reliance by Administrative Agent.** Administrative Agent shall be entitled to rely upon, and shall not incur any liability for relying upon, any notice, request, certificate, consent, statement, instrument, document or other writing (including any electronic message, Internet or intranet website posting or other distribution) believed by it to be genuine and to have been signed, sent or otherwise authenticated by the proper Person. Administrative Agent also may rely upon any statement made to it orally or by telephone and believed by it to have been made by the proper Person, and shall not incur any liability for relying thereon. In determining compliance with any condition hereunder to the making of a Loan, or the issuance, extension, renewal or increase of a Letter of Credit, that by its terms must be fulfilled to the satisfaction of a Lender or L/C Issuer, Administrative Agent may presume that such condition is satisfactory to such Lender or L/C Issuer unless Administrative Agent shall have received notice to the contrary from such Lender or L/C Issuer prior to the making of such Loan or the issuance of such Letter of Credit. Administrative Agent may consult with legal counsel (who may be counsel for Borrower), independent accountants and other experts selected by it, and shall not be liable for any action taken or not taken by it in accordance with the advice of any such counsel, accountants or experts.

11.05 **Delegation of Duties.** Administrative Agent may perform any and all of its duties and exercise its rights and powers hereunder or under any other Loan Document by or through any one or more sub-agents appointed by Administrative Agent. Administrative Agent and any such sub-agent may perform any and all of its duties and exercise its rights and powers by or through their respective Related Parties. The exculpatory provisions of this *Article* shall apply to any such sub-agent and to the Related Parties of Administrative Agent and any such sub-agent, and shall apply to their respective activities in connection with the syndication of the credit facilities provided for herein as well as activities as Administrative Agent. Administrative Agent shall not be responsible for the negligence or misconduct of any sub-agents except to the extent that a court of competent jurisdiction determines in a final and non-appealable judgment that Administrative Agent acted with gross negligence or willful misconduct in the selection of such sub-agents.

11.06 **Resignation of Administrative Agent.**

(a) Administrative Agent may at any time give notice of its resignation to the Lenders, L/C Issuer and Borrower. Upon receipt of any such notice of resignation, Required Lenders shall have the right, in consultation with Borrower and subject to Borrower's approval (such approval not to be unreasonably withheld, delayed or conditioned) so long as no Event of Default exists, to appoint a successor, which shall be a bank with an office in the United States, or an Affiliate of any such bank with an office in the United States. If no such successor shall have been so appointed by Required Lenders, shall have been approved by Borrower (so long as no Event of Default exists and pursuant to the requirements above) and shall have accepted such appointment within thirty (30) days after the retiring Administrative Agent gives notice of its resignation (or such earlier day as shall be agreed by Required Lenders) (the "**Resignation Effective Date**"), then the retiring Administrative Agent may (but shall not be obligated to) on behalf of the Lenders and L/C Issuer, appoint a successor Administrative Agent meeting the qualifications set forth above. Whether or not a successor has been appointed, such resignation shall become effective in accordance with such notice on the Resignation Effective Date.

(b) If the Person serving as Administrative Agent is a Defaulting Lender pursuant to *clause (d)* of the definition thereof, Required Lenders may, to the extent permitted by applicable Law, by notice in writing to Borrower and such Person remove such Person as Administrative Agent and, in consultation with Borrower and subject to Borrower's approval (such approval not to be unreasonably withheld, delayed or conditioned) so long as no Event of Default exists, appoint a successor. If no such successor shall have been so appointed by Required Lenders, shall have been approved by Borrower (so long as no Event of Default exists and pursuant to the requirements above) and shall have accepted such appointment within thirty (30) days (or such earlier day as shall be agreed by Required Lenders) (the "**Removal Effective Date**"), then such removal shall nonetheless become effective in accordance with such notice on the Removal Effective Date.

(c) With effect from the Resignation Effective Date or the Removal Effective Date (as applicable) (i) the retiring or removed Administrative Agent shall be discharged from its duties and obligations hereunder and under the other Loan Documents and (ii) except for any indemnity payments or other amounts then owed to the retiring or removed Administrative Agent, all payments, communications and determinations provided to be made by, to or through Administrative Agent shall instead be made by or to each Lender and L/C Issuer directly, until such time, if any, as Required Lenders appoint a successor Administrative Agent as provided for above. Upon the acceptance of a successor's appointment as Administrative Agent hereunder, such successor shall succeed to and become vested with all of the rights, powers, privileges and duties of the retiring (or removed) Administrative Agent (other than as provided in **Section 3.01(g)**) and other than any rights to indemnity payments or other amounts owed to the retiring or removed Administrative Agent as of the Resignation Effective Date or the Removal Effective Date, as applicable), and the retiring or removed Administrative Agent shall be discharged from all of its duties and obligations hereunder or under the other Loan Documents (if not already discharged therefrom as provided above in this **Section 11.06**). The fees payable by Borrower to a successor Administrative Agent shall be the same as those payable to its predecessor unless otherwise agreed between Borrower and such successor. After the retiring or removed Administrative Agent's resignation or removal hereunder and under the other Loan Documents, the provisions of this **Article XI** and **Section 12.04** shall continue in effect for the benefit of such retiring or removed Administrative Agent, its sub-agents and their respective Related Parties in respect of any actions taken or omitted to be taken by any of them while the retiring or removed Administrative Agent was acting as Administrative Agent.

(d) Any resignation by Bank of America as Administrative Agent pursuant to this **Section 11.06** shall also constitute its resignation as L/C Issuer and Swing Line Lender. If Bank of America resigns as an L/C Issuer, it shall retain all the rights, powers, privileges and duties of L/C Issuer hereunder with respect to all Letters of Credit outstanding as of the effective date of its resignation as L/C Issuer and all L/C Obligations with respect thereto, including the right to require the Lenders to make Base Rate Loans or fund risk participations in Unreimbursed Amounts pursuant to **Section 2.03(c)**. If Bank of America resigns as Swing Line Lender, it shall retain all the rights of Swing Line Lender provided for hereunder with respect to Swing Line Loans made by it and outstanding as of the effective date of such resignation, including the right to require the Lenders to make Base Rate Loans or fund risk participations in outstanding Swing Line Loans pursuant to **Section 2.04(c)**. Upon the appointment by Borrower of a successor L/C Issuer or Swing Line Lender hereunder (which successor shall in all cases be a Lender other than a Defaulting Lender), (i) such successor shall succeed to and become vested with all of the rights, powers, privileges and duties of the retiring L/C Issuer or Swing Line Lender, as applicable, (ii) the retiring L/C Issuer and Swing Line Lender shall be discharged from all of their respective duties and obligations hereunder or under the other Loan Documents, and (iii) the successor L/C Issuer shall issue letters of credit in substitution for the Letters of Credit, if any, outstanding at the time of such succession or make other arrangements satisfactory to Bank of America to effectively assume the obligations of Bank of America with respect to such Letters of Credit.

11.07 Non-Reliance on Administrative Agent and Other Lenders. Each Lender and L/C Issuer acknowledges that it has, independently and without reliance upon Administrative Agent or any other Lender or any of their Related Parties and based on such documents and information as it has deemed appropriate, made its own credit analysis and decision to enter into this Agreement. Each Lender and L/C Issuer also acknowledges that it will, independently and without reliance upon Administrative Agent or any other Lender or any of their Related Parties and based on such documents and information as it shall from time to time deem appropriate, continue to make its own decisions in taking or not taking action under or based upon this Agreement, any other Loan Document or any related agreement or any document furnished hereunder or thereunder.

11.08 No Other Duties, Etc. Anything herein to the contrary notwithstanding, none of the Bookrunners, Arrangers or Syndication Agents listed on the cover page hereof shall have any powers, duties or responsibilities under this Agreement or any of the other Loan Documents, except in its capacity, as applicable, as Administrative Agent, a Lender or L/C Issuer hereunder.

11.09 Administrative Agent May File Proofs of Claim. In case of the pendency of any proceeding under any Debtor Relief Law or any other judicial proceeding relative to any Loan Party, Administrative Agent (irrespective of whether the principal of any Loan or L/C Obligation shall then be due and payable as herein expressed or by declaration or otherwise and irrespective of whether Administrative Agent shall have made any demand on Borrower) shall be entitled and empowered, by intervention in such proceeding or otherwise:

(a) to file and prove a claim for the whole amount of the principal and interest owing and unpaid in respect of the Loans, L/C Obligations and all other Obligations that are owing and unpaid and to file such other documents as may be necessary or advisable in order to have the claims of the Lenders, L/C Issuer and Administrative Agent (including any claim for the reasonable compensation, expenses, disbursements and advances of the Lenders, L/C Issuer and Administrative Agent and their respective agents and counsel and all other amounts due the Lenders, L/C Issuer and Administrative Agent under **Sections 2.03(i) and (j), 2.09 and 12.04**) allowed in such judicial proceeding; and

(b) to collect and receive any monies or other property payable or deliverable on any such claims and to distribute the same;

and any custodian, receiver, assignee, trustee, liquidator, sequestrator or other similar official in any such judicial proceeding is hereby authorized by each Lender and L/C Issuer to make such payments to Administrative Agent and, in the event that Administrative Agent shall consent to the making of such payments directly to the Lenders and L/C Issuer, to pay to Administrative Agent any amount due for the reasonable compensation, expenses, disbursements and advances of Administrative Agent and its agents and counsel, and any other amounts due Administrative Agent under **Sections 2.09 and 12.04**.

Nothing contained herein shall be deemed to authorize Administrative Agent to authorize or consent to or accept or adopt on behalf of any Lender or L/C Issuer any plan of reorganization, arrangement, adjustment or composition affecting the Obligations or the rights of any Lender or L/C Issuer to authorize Administrative Agent to vote in respect of the claim of any Lender or L/C Issuer in any such proceeding.

11.10 Guaranty Matters. The Lenders and L/C Issuer irrevocably authorize Administrative Agent, and Administrative Agent hereby agrees for the benefit of the Loan Parties, to release any Subsidiary Guarantor from its obligations under any Subsidiary Guaranty if such Subsidiary Guarantor (a) no longer owns a Borrowing Base Property (or no longer holds a direct or indirect interest in any Subsidiary that owns a Borrowing Base Property), or (b) otherwise ceases to be required to be a

Subsidiary Guarantor pursuant to the terms of this Agreement or the Subsidiary Guaranty. Upon request by Administrative Agent at any time, Required Lenders will confirm in writing Administrative Agent's authority to release any Subsidiary Guarantor from its obligations under the Subsidiary Guaranty pursuant to this **Section 11.10**.

**Article XII.
Miscellaneous**

12.01 **Amendments, Etc.** No amendment or waiver of any provision of this Agreement or any other Loan Document, and no consent to any departure by Borrower or any other Loan Party therefrom, shall be effective unless in writing signed by Required Lenders and Borrower or the applicable Loan Party, as the case may be, and acknowledged by Administrative Agent, and each such waiver or consent shall be effective only in the specific instance and for the specific purpose for which given; *provided, however*, that no such amendment, waiver or consent shall:

- (a) waive any condition set forth in **Section 6.01** (other than **Section 6.01(c)**) without the written consent of each Lender;
- (b) extend or increase the Commitment of any Lender (or reinstate any Commitment terminated pursuant to **Section 10.02**) without the written consent of such Lender;
- (c) postpone any date fixed by this Agreement or any other Loan Document for any payment or mandatory prepayment of principal, interest, fees or other amounts due to the Lenders (or any of them) hereunder or under any other Loan Document without the written consent of each Lender directly affected thereby;
- (d) reduce the principal of, or the rate of interest specified herein on, any Loan or L/C Borrowing, or any fees or other amounts payable hereunder or under any other Loan Document, or change the manner of computation of any financial ratio (including any change in any applicable defined term) used in determining the Applicable Rate that would result (on the date of the effectiveness of such amendment) in a reduction of any interest rate on any Loan or any fee payable hereunder without the written consent of each Lender directly affected thereby; *provided, however*, that only the consent of Required Lenders shall be necessary to amend the definition of "**Default Rate**" or to waive any obligation of Borrower to pay interest or Letter of Credit Fees at the Default Rate;
- (e) change **Section 10.03** in a manner that would alter the pro rata sharing of payments required thereby without the written consent of each Lender;
- (f) change any provision of this **Section** or the definition of "**Required Lenders**" or any other provision hereof specifying the number or percentage of Lenders required to amend, waive or otherwise modify any rights hereunder or make any determination or grant any consent hereunder, without the written consent of each Lender;
- (g) release Parent from the Guaranty provided by Parent, without the written consent of each Lender; or
- (h) release all or substantially all of the value of the Subsidiary Guaranty without the written consent of each Lender, except to the extent the release of any Subsidiary Guarantor is permitted pursuant to **Sections 11.10** (in which case such release may be made by Administrative Agent acting alone);

and, *provided further*, that (i) no amendment, waiver or consent shall, unless in writing and signed by L/C Issuer in addition to the Lenders required above, affect the rights or duties of L/C Issuer under this Agreement or any Issuer Document relating to any Letter of Credit issued or to be issued by it; (ii) no amendment, waiver or consent shall, unless in writing and signed by Swing Line Lender in addition to the Lenders required above, affect the rights or duties of Swing Line Lender under this Agreement; (iii) no amendment, waiver or consent shall, unless in writing and signed by Administrative Agent in addition to the Lenders required above, affect the rights or duties of Administrative Agent under this Agreement or any other Loan Document; and (iv) the Fee Letter may be amended, or rights or privileges thereunder waived, in a writing executed only by the parties thereto. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary herein, no Defaulting Lender shall have any right to approve or disapprove any amendment, waiver or consent hereunder (and any amendment, waiver or consent which by its terms requires the consent of all Lenders or each affected Lender may be effected with the consent of the applicable Lenders other than Defaulting Lenders), except that (x) the Commitment of any Defaulting Lender may not be increased or extended without the consent of such Lender and (y) any waiver, amendment or modification requiring the consent of all Lenders or each affected Lender that by its terms affects any Defaulting Lender disproportionately adversely relative to other affected Lenders shall require the consent of such Defaulting Lender.

12.02 Notices; Effectiveness; Electronic Communication.

(a) **Notices Generally.** Except in the case of notices and other communications expressly permitted to be given by telephone (and except as provided in *subsection (b)* below), all notices and other communications provided for herein shall be in writing and shall be delivered by hand or overnight courier service, mailed by certified or registered mail or sent by facsimile as follows, and all notices and other communications expressly permitted hereunder to be given by telephone shall be made to the applicable telephone number, as follows:

(i) if to Borrower, Administrative Agent, L/C Issuer or Swing Line Lender, to the address, facsimile number, electronic mail address or telephone number specified for such Person on *Schedule 12.02*; and

(ii) if to any other Lender, to the address, facsimile number, electronic mail address or telephone number specified in its Administrative Questionnaire (including, as appropriate, notices delivered solely to the Person designated by a Lender on its Administrative Questionnaire then in effect for the delivery of notices that may contain material non-public information relating to Borrower).

Notices and other communications sent by hand or overnight courier service, or mailed by certified or registered mail, shall be deemed to have been given when received; notices and other communications sent by facsimile shall be deemed to have been given when sent (except that, if not given during normal business hours for the recipient, shall be deemed to have been given at the opening of business on the next Business Day for the recipient). Notices and other communications delivered through electronic communications to the extent provided in *subsection (b)* below, shall be effective as provided in such *subsection (b)*.

(b) **Electronic Communications.** Notices and other communications to the Lenders and L/C Issuer hereunder may be delivered or furnished by electronic communication (including e-mail and Internet or intranet websites) pursuant to procedures approved by Administrative Agent, *provided that* the foregoing shall not apply to notices to any Lender or L/C Issuer pursuant to *Article II* if such Lender or L/C Issuer, as applicable, has notified Administrative Agent that it is incapable of receiving notices under such Article by electronic communication. Administrative

Agent, Swing Line Lender, L/C Issuer or Borrower may each, in its discretion, agree to accept notices and other communications to it hereunder by electronic communications pursuant to procedures approved by it, *provided that* approval of such procedures may be limited to particular notices or communications.

Unless Administrative Agent otherwise prescribes, (i) notices and other communications sent to an e-mail address shall be deemed received upon the sender's receipt of an acknowledgement from the intended recipient (such as by the "return receipt requested" function, as available, return e-mail or other written acknowledgement), and (ii) notices or communications posted to an Internet or intranet website shall be deemed received upon the deemed receipt by the intended recipient at its e-mail address as described in the foregoing *clause (i)* of notification that such notice or communication is available and identifying the website address therefore; *provided that*, for both *clauses (i)* and *(ii)*, if such notice, email or other communication is not sent during the normal business hours of the recipient, such notice, email or communication shall be deemed to have been sent at the opening of business on the next business day for the recipient.

(c) **The Platform.** THE PLATFORM IS PROVIDED "AS IS" AND "AS AVAILABLE." THE AGENT PARTIES (AS DEFINED BELOW) DO NOT WARRANT THE ACCURACY OR COMPLETENESS OF THE BORROWER MATERIALS OR THE ADEQUACY OF THE PLATFORM, AND EXPRESSLY DISCLAIM LIABILITY FOR ERRORS IN OR OMISSIONS FROM THE BORROWER MATERIALS. NO WARRANTY OF ANY KIND, EXPRESS, IMPLIED OR STATUTORY, INCLUDING ANY WARRANTY OF MERCHANTABILITY, FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE, NON-INFRINGEMENT OF THIRD PARTY RIGHTS OR FREEDOM FROM VIRUSES OR OTHER CODE DEFECTS, IS MADE BY ANY AGENT PARTY IN CONNECTION WITH THE BORROWER MATERIALS OR THE PLATFORM. In no event shall Administrative Agent or any of its Related Parties (collectively, the "*Agent Parties*") have any liability to Borrower, any Lender, L/C Issuer or any other Person for losses, claims, damages, liabilities or expenses of any kind (whether in tort, contract or otherwise) arising out of Borrower's or Administrative Agent's transmission of Borrower Materials through the Internet, except to the extent that such losses, claims, damages, liabilities or expenses are determined by a court of competent jurisdiction by a final and nonappealable judgment to have resulted from the gross negligence or willful misconduct of such Agent Party; *provided that* in no event shall any Agent Party have any liability to any Loan Party, any Lender, any L/C Issuer or any other Person for indirect, special, incidental, consequential or punitive damages (as opposed to direct or actual damages).

(d) **Change of Address, Etc.** Each of Borrower, Administrative Agent, L/C Issuer and Swing Line Lender may change its address, facsimile or telephone number for notices and other communications hereunder by notice to the other parties hereto. Each other Lender may change its address, facsimile or telephone number for notices and other communications hereunder by notice to Borrower, Administrative Agent, L/C Issuer and Swing Line Lender. In addition, each Lender agrees to notify Administrative Agent from time to time to ensure that Administrative Agent has on record (i) an effective address, contact name, telephone number, facsimile number and electronic mail address to which notices and other communications may be sent and (ii) accurate wire instructions for such Lender. Furthermore, each Public Lender agrees to cause at least one individual at or on behalf of such Public Lender to at all times have selected the "Private Side Information" or similar designation on the content declaration screen of the Platform in order to enable such Public Lender or its delegate, in accordance with such Public Lender's compliance procedures and applicable Law, including United States Federal and state securities Laws, to make reference to Borrower Materials that are not made available through the "Public Side Information" portion of the Platform and that may contain material non-public information with respect to Borrower or its securities for purposes of United States Federal or state securities laws.

(e) **Reliance by Administrative Agent, L/C Issuer and Lenders.** Administrative Agent, L/C Issuer and the Lenders shall be entitled to rely and act upon any notices (including telephonic or electronic Committed Loan Notices, Letter of Credit Applications and Swing Line Loan Notices) purportedly given by or on behalf of Borrower even if (i) such notices were not made in a manner specified herein, were incomplete or were not preceded or followed by any other form of notice specified herein, or (ii) the terms thereof, as understood by the recipient, varied from any confirmation thereof. Borrower shall indemnify Administrative Agent, L/C Issuer, each Lender and the Related Parties of each of them from all losses, costs, expenses and liabilities resulting from the reliance by such Person on each notice purportedly given by or on behalf of Borrower. All telephonic notices to and other telephonic communications with Administrative Agent may be recorded by Administrative Agent, and each of the parties hereto hereby consents to such recording.

12.03 No Waiver; Cumulative Remedies; Enforcement. No failure by any Lender, L/C Issuer or Administrative Agent to exercise, and no delay by any such Person in exercising, any right, remedy, power or privilege hereunder or under any other Loan Document shall operate as a waiver thereof; nor shall any single or partial exercise of any right, remedy, power or privilege hereunder preclude any other or further exercise thereof or the exercise of any other right, remedy, power or privilege. The rights, remedies, powers and privileges herein provided, and provided under each other Loan Document, are cumulative and not exclusive of any rights, remedies, powers and privileges provided by law.

Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained herein or in any other Loan Document, the authority to enforce rights and remedies hereunder and under the other Loan Documents against the Loan Parties or any of them shall be vested exclusively in, and all actions and proceedings at law in connection with such enforcement shall be instituted and maintained exclusively by, Administrative Agent in accordance with **Section 10.02** for the benefit of all the Lenders and L/C Issuer; *provided, however*, that the foregoing shall not prohibit (a) Administrative Agent from exercising on its own behalf the rights and remedies that inure to its benefit (solely in its capacity as Administrative Agent) hereunder and under the other Loan Documents, (b) L/C Issuer or Swing Line Lender from exercising the rights and remedies that inure to its benefit (solely in its capacity as L/C Issuer or Swing Line Lender, as the case may be) hereunder and under the other Loan Documents, (c) any Lender from exercising setoff rights in accordance with **Section 12.08** (subject to the terms of **Section 2.13**), or (d) any Lender from filing proofs of claim or appearing and filing pleadings on its own behalf during the pendency of a proceeding relative to any Loan Party under any Debtor Relief Law; and *provided, further*, that if at any time there is no Person acting as Administrative Agent hereunder and under the other Loan Documents, then (i) Required Lenders shall have the rights otherwise ascribed to Administrative Agent pursuant to **Section 10.02** and (ii) in addition to the matters set forth in **clauses (b), (c) and (d)** of the preceding proviso and subject to **Section 2.13**, any Lender may, with the consent of Required Lenders, enforce any rights and remedies available to it and as authorized by Required Lenders.

12.04 Expenses; Indemnity; Damage Waiver.

(a) **Costs and Expenses.** Borrower shall pay (i) all reasonable and documented direct, out-of-pocket third party expenses incurred by Administrative Agent and its Affiliates (including the reasonable fees, charges and disbursements of a single counsel (and appropriate local counsel) for Administrative Agent), in connection with the syndication of the credit facilities provided for herein, the preparation, negotiation, execution, delivery and administration of this

Agreement and the other Loan Documents or any amendments, modifications or waivers of the provisions hereof or thereof (whether or not the transactions contemplated hereby or thereby shall be consummated), (ii) all reasonable and documented direct, out-of-pocket third party expenses incurred by L/C Issuer in connection with the issuance, amendment, renewal or extension of any Letter of Credit or any demand for payment thereunder and (iii) all reasonable and documented direct, out-of-pocket third party expenses incurred by Administrative Agent, any Lender or L/C Issuer (including the fees, charges and disbursements of any counsel for Administrative Agent, any Lender or L/C Issuer; *provided that* absent a conflict of interest, Borrower shall not be required to pay for more than one (1) counsel (and appropriate local and special counsel)), in connection with the enforcement or protection of the rights (A) in connection with this Agreement and the other Loan Documents, including the rights of Administrative Agent, Lenders and L/C Issuer under this **Section**, or (B) in connection with the Loans made or Letters of Credit issued hereunder, including all such out-of-pocket expenses incurred during any workout, restructuring or negotiations in respect of such Loans or Letters of Credit.

(b) **Indemnification by Loan Parties.** Each Loan Party shall indemnify Administrative Agent (and any sub-agent thereof), each Lender and L/C Issuer, and each Related Party of any of the foregoing Persons (each such Person being called an “*Indemnitee*”) against, and hold each Indemnitee harmless from, any and all losses, claims, damages, liabilities and related expenses (including the reasonable and documented fees, disbursements and other charges of a single counsel to all Indemnified Parties taken as a whole and, if reasonably necessary, a single local counsel for all Indemnified Parties taken as a whole in each relevant jurisdiction, and in the case of an actual or perceived conflict of interest, additional counsel in each relevant jurisdiction to the affected Indemnified Parties), incurred by any Indemnitee or asserted against any Indemnitee by any Person (including Borrower or any other Loan Party) other than such Indemnitee and its Related Parties arising out of, in connection with, or as a result of (i) the execution or delivery of this Agreement, any other Loan Document or any agreement or instrument contemplated hereby or thereby, the performance by the parties hereto of their respective obligations hereunder or thereunder, the consummation of the transactions contemplated hereby or thereby, or, in the case of Administrative Agent (and any sub-agent thereof) and its Related Parties only, the administration of this Agreement and the other Loan Documents (including in respect of any matters addressed in **Section 3.01**), (ii) any Loan or Letter of Credit or the use or proposed use of the proceeds therefrom (including any refusal by L/C Issuer to honor a demand for payment under a Letter of Credit if the documents presented in connection with such demand do not strictly comply with the terms of such Letter of Credit), (iii) any actual or alleged presence or release of Hazardous Materials on or from any property owned or operated by Borrower or any of its Subsidiaries, or any Environmental Claim or Environmental Liability related in any way to any member of the Consolidated Group, or (iv) any actual or prospective claim, litigation, investigation or proceeding relating to any of the foregoing, whether based on contract, tort or any other theory, whether brought by a third party or by any member of the Consolidated Group, and regardless of whether any Indemnitee is a party thereto, **IN ALL CASES, WHETHER OR NOT CAUSED BY OR ARISING, IN WHOLE OR IN PART, OUT OF THE COMPARATIVE, CONTRIBUTORY OR SOLE NEGLIGENCE OF THE INDEMNITEE**; *provided that* such indemnity shall not, as to any Indemnitee, be available to the extent that such losses, claims, damages, liabilities or related expenses are determined by a court of competent jurisdiction by final and nonappealable judgment to have resulted from the gross negligence or willful misconduct of such Indemnitee. Without limiting the provisions of **Section 3.01(c)**, this **Section 12.04(b)** shall not apply with respect to Taxes other than any Taxes that represent losses, claims, damages, etc. arising from any non-Tax claim.

(c) **Reimbursement by Lenders.** To the extent that Borrower for any reason fails to indefeasibly pay any amount required under *subsection (a) or (b)* of this *Section* to be paid by it to Administrative Agent (or any sub-agent thereof), L/C Issuer, Swing Line Lender or any Related Party of any of the foregoing, each Lender severally agrees to pay to Administrative Agent (or any such sub-agent), L/C Issuer, Swing Line Lender or such Related Party, as the case may be, such Lender's pro rata share (determined as of the time that the applicable unreimbursed expense or indemnity payment is sought based on each Lender's share of the Total Credit Exposure at such time) of such unpaid amount (including any such unpaid amount in respect of a claim asserted by such Lender), such payment to be made severally among them based on such Lenders' Applicable Percentage (determined as of the time that the applicable unreimbursed expense or indemnity payment is sought), *provided further* that the unreimbursed expense or indemnified loss, claim, damage, liability or related expense, as the case may be, was incurred by or asserted against Administrative Agent (or any such sub-agent), L/C Issuer or Swing Line Lender in its capacity as such, or against any Related Party of any of the foregoing acting for Administrative Agent (or any such sub-agent), L/C Issuer or Swing Line Lender in connection with such capacity. The obligations of the Lenders under this *subsection (c)* are subject to the provisions of *Section 2.12(d)*.

(d) **Waiver of Consequential Damages, Etc.** To the fullest extent permitted by applicable Law, Borrower shall not assert, and hereby waives, and acknowledges that no other Person shall have, any claim against any Indemnitee, on any theory of liability, for special, indirect, consequential or punitive damages (as opposed to direct or actual damages) arising out of, in connection with, or as a result of, this Agreement, any other Loan Document or any agreement or instrument contemplated hereby, the transactions contemplated hereby or thereby, any Loan or Letter of Credit or the use of the proceeds thereof. No Indemnitee referred to in *subsection (b)* above shall be liable for any damages arising from the use by unintended recipients of any information or other materials distributed to such unintended recipients by such Indemnitee through telecommunications, electronic or other information transmission systems in connection with this Agreement or the other Loan Documents or the transactions contemplated hereby or thereby other than for direct or actual damages resulting from the gross negligence or willful misconduct of such Indemnitee as determined by a final and nonappealable judgment of a court of competent jurisdiction.

(e) **Payments.** All amounts due under this *Section* shall be payable not later than ten (10) Business Days after demand therefor.

(f) **Survival.** The agreements in this *Section 12.04* and the indemnity provisions of *Section 12.02(e)* shall survive the resignation of Administrative Agent, L/C Issuer and Swing Line Lender, the replacement of any Lender, the termination of the Aggregate Commitments and the repayment, satisfaction or discharge of all the other Obligations.

12.05 Payments Set Aside. To the extent that any payment by or on behalf of Borrower is made to Administrative Agent, L/C Issuer or any Lender, or Administrative Agent, L/C Issuer or any Lender exercises its right of setoff, and such payment or the proceeds of such setoff or any part thereof is subsequently invalidated, declared to be fraudulent or preferential, set aside or required (including pursuant to any settlement entered into by Administrative Agent, L/C Issuer or such Lender in its discretion) to be repaid to a trustee, receiver or any other party, in connection with any proceeding under any Debtor Relief Law or otherwise, then (a) to the extent of such recovery, the obligation or part thereof originally intended to be satisfied shall be revived and continued in full force and effect as if such payment had not been made or such setoff had not occurred, and (b) each Lender and L/C Issuer severally agrees to pay to Administrative Agent upon demand its applicable share (without duplication) of any

amount so recovered from or repaid by Administrative Agent, plus interest thereon from the date of such demand to the date such payment is made at a rate per annum equal to the Federal Funds Rate from time to time in effect. The obligations of the Lenders and L/C Issuer under *clause (b)* of the preceding sentence shall survive the payment in full of the Obligations and the termination of this Agreement.

12.06 Successors and Assigns.

(a) **Successors and Assigns Generally.** The provisions of this Agreement shall be binding upon and inure to the benefit of the parties hereto and their respective successors and assigns permitted hereby, except that neither Borrower nor Parent may assign or otherwise transfer any of its rights or obligations hereunder without the prior written consent of Administrative Agent and each Lender and no Lender may assign or otherwise transfer any of its rights or obligations hereunder except (i) to an assignee in accordance with the provisions of *subsection (b)* of this *Section*, (ii) by way of participation in accordance with the provisions of *subsection (d)* of this *Section*, or (iii) by way of pledge or assignment of a security interest subject to the restrictions of *subsection (e)* of this *Section* (and any other attempted assignment or transfer by any party hereto shall be null and void). Nothing in this Agreement, expressed or implied, shall be construed to confer upon any Person (other than the parties hereto, their respective successors and assigns permitted hereby, Participants to the extent provided in *subsection (d)* of this *Section* and, to the extent expressly contemplated hereby, the Related Parties of each of Administrative Agent, L/C Issuer and the Lenders) any legal or equitable right, remedy or claim under or by reason of this Agreement.

(b) **Assignments by Lenders.** Any Lender may at any time assign to one or more assignees all or a portion of its rights and obligations under this Agreement (including all or a portion of its Commitment and the Loans (including for purposes of this *subsection (b)*, participations in L/C Obligations and in Swing Line Loans) at the time owing to it); *provided that* any such assignment shall be subject to the following conditions:

(i) **Minimum Amounts.**

(A) in the case of an assignment of the entire remaining amount of the assigning Lender's Commitment and the Loans at the time owing to it or contemporaneous assignments to related Approved Funds that equal at least the amount specified in *Section 12.06(b)(i)(B)* in the aggregate or in the case of an assignment to a Lender, an Affiliate of a Lender or an Approved Fund, no minimum amount need be assigned; and

(B) in any case not described in *Section 12.06(b)(i)(A)*, the aggregate amount of the Commitment (which for this purpose includes Loans outstanding thereunder) or, if the Commitment is not then in effect, the principal outstanding balance of the Loans of the assigning Lender subject to each such assignment, determined as of the date the Assignment and Assumption with respect to such assignment is delivered to Administrative Agent or, if "Trade Date" is specified in the Assignment and Assumption, as of the Trade Date, shall not be less than \$5,000,000 unless each of Administrative Agent and, so long as no Event of Default has occurred and is continuing, Borrower otherwise consents (each such consent not to be unreasonably withheld or delayed).

(ii) **Proportionate Amounts.** Each partial assignment shall be made as an assignment of a proportionate part of all the assigning Lender's rights and obligations under this Agreement with respect to the Loans or the Commitment assigned, except that this *clause (ii)* shall not apply to Swing Line Lender's rights and obligations in respect of Swing Line Loans;

(iii) **Required Consents.** No consent shall be required for any assignment except to the extent required by *subsection (b)(i)(B)* of this *Section* and, in addition:

(A) the consent of Borrower (such consent not to be unreasonably withheld or delayed) shall be required unless (1) an Event of Default has occurred and is continuing at the time of such assignment or (2) such assignment is to a Lender (other than a Defaulting Lender), an Affiliate of a Lender (other than a Defaulting Lender) or an Approved Fund with respect to such Lender; *provided that* Borrower shall be deemed to have consented to any such assignment unless it shall object thereto by written notice to Administrative Agent within ten (10) Business Days after having received notice thereof;

(B) the consent of Administrative Agent (such consent not to be unreasonably withheld or delayed) shall be required if such assignment is to a Person that is not a Lender (other than a Defaulting Lender), an Affiliate of such Lender (other than a Defaulting Lender) or an Approved Fund with respect to such Lender; and

(C) the consent of L/C Issuer and Swing Line Lender (such consent not to be unreasonably withheld or delayed) shall be required for any assignment.

(iv) **Assignment and Assumption.** The parties to each assignment shall execute and deliver to Administrative Agent an Assignment and Assumption, together with a processing and recordation fee in the amount of \$3,500; *provided, however,* that Administrative Agent may, in its sole discretion, elect to waive such processing and recordation fee in the case of any assignment. The assignee, if it is not a Lender, shall deliver to Administrative Agent an Administrative Questionnaire.

(v) **No Assignment to Certain Persons.** No such assignment shall be made (A) to Borrower or any member of the Consolidated Group, or (B) to any Defaulting Lender or any of its Subsidiaries, or any Person who, upon becoming a Lender hereunder, would constitute any of the foregoing Persons described in this *clause (B)*, or (C) to a natural person.

(vi) **Certain Additional Payments.** In connection with any assignment of rights and obligations of any Defaulting Lender hereunder, no such assignment shall be effective unless and until, in addition to the other conditions thereto set forth herein, the parties to the assignment shall make such additional payments to Administrative Agent in an aggregate amount sufficient, upon distribution thereof as appropriate (which may be outright payment, purchases by the assignee of participations or subparticipations, or other compensating actions, including funding, with the consent of Borrower and Administrative Agent, the applicable pro rata share of Loans previously requested but not funded by the Defaulting Lender, to each of which the applicable assignee and assignor hereby irrevocably consent), to (x) pay and satisfy in full all payment liabilities then owed by such Defaulting Lender to Administrative Agent, L/C Issuer, any Lender or Borrower hereunder (and interest accrued thereon) and (y) acquire (and fund as appropriate) its full pro rata share of all Loans and participations in Letters of Credit and

Swing Line Loans in accordance with its Applicable Percentage. Notwithstanding the foregoing, in the event that any assignment of rights and obligations of any Defaulting Lender hereunder shall become effective under applicable Law without compliance with the provisions of this paragraph, then the assignee of such interest shall be deemed to be a Defaulting Lender for all purposes of this Agreement until such compliance occurs.

Subject to acceptance and recording thereof by Administrative Agent pursuant to **subsection (e)** of this **Section**, from and after the effective date specified in each Assignment and Assumption, the assignee thereunder shall be a party to this Agreement and, to the extent of the interest assigned by such Assignment and Assumption, have the rights and obligations of a Lender under this Agreement, and the assigning Lender thereunder shall, to the extent of the interest assigned by such Assignment and Assumption, be released from its obligations under this Agreement (and, in the case of an Assignment and Assumption covering all of the assigning Lender's rights and obligations under this Agreement, such Lender shall cease to be a party hereto) but shall continue to be entitled to the benefits of **Sections 3.01, 3.04, 3.05, and 12.04** with respect to facts and circumstances occurring prior to the effective date of such assignment; *provided that* except to the extent otherwise expressly agreed by the affected parties, no assignment by a Defaulting Lender will constitute a waiver or release of any claim of any party hereunder arising from that Lender's having been a Defaulting Lender. Upon request, Borrower (at its expense) shall execute and deliver a Note to the assignee Lender. Any assignment or transfer by a Lender of rights or obligations under this Agreement that does not comply with this **subsection** shall be treated for purposes of this Agreement as a sale by such Lender of a participation in such rights and obligations in accordance with **subsection (d)** of this **Section**.

(c) **Register.** Administrative Agent, acting solely for this purpose as an agent of Borrower (and such agency being solely for tax purposes), shall maintain at Administrative Agent's Office a copy of each Assignment and Assumption delivered to it (or the equivalent in electronic form) and a register for the recordation of the names and addresses of the Lenders, and the Commitments of, and principal amounts (and stated interest) of the Loans and L/C Obligations owing to, each Lender pursuant to the terms hereof from time to time (the "**Register**"). The entries in the Register shall be conclusive absent manifest error, and Borrower, Administrative Agent and the Lenders shall treat each Person whose name is recorded in the Register pursuant to the terms hereof as a Lender hereunder for all purposes of this Agreement. The Register shall be available for inspection by Borrower and any Lender, at any reasonable time and from time to time upon reasonable prior notice.

(d) **Participations.** Any Lender may at any time, without the consent of, or notice to, Borrower or Administrative Agent, sell participations to any Person (other than a natural person, a Defaulting Lender or Borrower or any of Borrower's Affiliates or Subsidiaries) (each, a "**Participant**") in all or a portion of such Lender's rights and/or obligations under this Agreement (including all or a portion of its Commitment and/or the Loans (including such Lender's participations in L/C Obligations and/or Swing Line Loans) owing to it); *provided that* (i) such Lender's obligations under this Agreement shall remain unchanged, (ii) such Lender shall remain solely responsible to the other parties hereto for the performance of such obligations and (iii) Borrower, Administrative Agent, the Lenders and L/C Issuer shall continue to deal solely and directly with such Lender in connection with such Lender's rights and obligations under this Agreement. For the avoidance of doubt, each Lender shall be responsible for the indemnity under **Section 12.04(c)** without regard to the existence of any participation.

Any agreement or instrument pursuant to which a Lender sells such a participation shall provide that such Lender shall retain the sole right to enforce this Agreement and to approve any amendment, modification or waiver of any provision of this Agreement; *provided that* such agreement or instrument may provide that such Lender will not, without the consent of the Participant, agree to any amendment, waiver or other modification described in the first proviso to **Section 12.01** that affects such Participant. Subject to **subsection (b)** of this **Section**, Borrower agrees that each Participant shall be entitled to the benefits of, and be subject to the obligations in, **Sections 3.01, 3.04 and 3.05** to the same extent as if it were a Lender and had acquired its interest by assignment pursuant to **subsection (b)** of this **Section** (it being understood that the documentation required under **Section 3.01(e)** shall be delivered to the Lender who sells the participation) to the same extent as if it were a Lender and had acquired its interest by assignment pursuant to **paragraph (b)** of this **Section**; *provided that* such Participant (A) agrees to be subject to the provisions of **Sections 3.06 and 12.13** as if it were an assignee under **paragraph (b)** of this **Section** and (B) shall not be entitled to receive any greater payment under **Sections 3.01 or 3.04**, with respect to any participation, than the Lender from whom it acquired the applicable participation would have been entitled to receive. Each Lender that sells a participation agrees, at Borrower's request and expense, to use reasonable efforts to cooperate with Borrower to effectuate the provisions of **Section 3.06** with respect to any Participant. To the extent permitted by law, each Participant also shall be entitled to the benefits of **Section 12.08** as though it were a Lender; *provided that* such Participant agrees to be subject to **Section 2.13** as though it were a Lender. Each Lender that sells a participation shall, acting solely for this purpose as an agent of Borrower, maintain a register on which it enters the name and address of each Participant and the principal amounts (and stated interest) of each Participant's interest in the Loans or other obligations under the Loan Documents (the "**Participant Register**"); *provided that* no Lender shall have any obligation to disclose all or any portion of the Participant Register (including the identity of any Participant or any information relating to a Participant's interest in any commitments, loans, letters of credit or its other obligations under any Loan Document) to any Person except to the extent that such disclosure is necessary to establish that such commitment, loan, letter of credit or other obligation is in registered form under **Section 5f.103-1(c)** of the United States Treasury Regulations. The entries in the Participant Register shall be conclusive absent manifest error, and such Lender shall treat each Person whose name is recorded in the Participant Register as the owner of such participation for all purposes of this Agreement notwithstanding any notice to the contrary. For the avoidance of doubt, Administrative Agent (in its capacity as Administrative Agent) shall have no responsibility for maintaining a Participant Register.

(e) **Certain Pledges.** Any Lender may at any time pledge or assign a security interest in all or any portion of its rights under this Agreement (including under its Note, if any) to secure obligations of such Lender, including any pledge or assignment to secure obligations to a Federal Reserve Bank; *provided that* no such pledge or assignment shall release such Lender from any of its obligations hereunder or substitute any such pledgee or assignee for such Lender as a party hereto.

(f) **Resignation as L/C Issuer or Swing Line Lender after Assignment.** Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained herein, if at any time Bank of America assigns all of its Commitment and Loans pursuant to **subsection (b)** above, Bank of America may, (i) upon thirty (30) days' notice to Borrower and the Lenders, resign as L/C Issuer and/or upon thirty (30) days' notice to Borrower, resign as Swing Line Lender. In the event of any such resignation as L/C Issuer or Swing Line Lender, Borrower shall be entitled to appoint from among the Lenders a successor L/C Issuer or Swing Line Lender hereunder; *provided, however*, that no failure by Borrower to appoint any such successor shall affect the resignation of Bank of America as L/C Issuer or Swing Line Lender, as the case may be. If Bank of America resigns as L/C Issuer, it shall retain all the rights, powers, privileges and duties of L/C Issuer hereunder with respect to all Letters of Credit outstanding as of the effective date of its resignation as L/C Issuer and all L/C Obligations with respect thereto (including the right to require the Lenders to make Base Rate Committed Loans or fund risk participations in Unreimbursed Amounts pursuant to

Section 2.03(c). If Bank of America resigns as Swing Line Lender, it shall retain all the rights of Swing Line Lender provided for hereunder with respect to Swing Line Loans made by it and outstanding as of the effective date of such resignation, including the right to require the Lenders to make Base Rate Committed Loans or fund risk participations in outstanding Swing Line Loans pursuant to **Section 2.04(c)**. Upon the appointment of a successor L/C Issuer and/or Swing Line Lender, (x) such successor shall succeed to and become vested with all of the rights, powers, privileges and duties of the retiring L/C Issuer or Swing Line Lender, as the case may be, and (y) the successor L/C Issuer shall issue letters of credit in substitution for the Letters of Credit, if any, outstanding at the time of such succession or make other arrangements satisfactory to Bank of America to effectively assume the obligations of Bank of America with respect to such Letters of Credit.

12.07 Treatment of Certain Information; Confidentiality. Each of Administrative Agent, the Lenders and L/C Issuer agrees to maintain the confidentiality of the Information (as defined below), except that Information may be disclosed (a) to its Affiliates and to its and its Related Parties (it being understood that the Persons to whom such disclosure is made will be informed of the confidential nature of such Information and instructed to keep such Information confidential and shall either have a legal obligation or shall agree to keep such information confidential), (b) to the extent required or requested by any regulatory authority purporting to have jurisdiction over such Person or its Related Parties (including any self-regulatory authority, such as the National Association of Insurance Commissioners), (c) to the extent required by applicable Laws or regulations or by any subpoena or similar legal process, (d) to any other party hereto, (e) in connection with the exercise of any remedies hereunder or under any other Loan Document or any action or proceeding relating to this Agreement or any other Loan Document or the enforcement of rights hereunder or thereunder, (f) subject to an agreement containing provisions substantially the same as those of this **Section**, to (i) any assignee of or Participant in, or any prospective assignee of or Participant in, any of its rights or obligations under this Agreement or any Eligible Assignee invited to be a Lender pursuant to **Section 2.15(c)** or (ii) any actual or prospective party (or its Related Parties) to any swap, derivative or other transaction under which payments are to be made by reference to Borrower and its obligations, this Agreement or payments hereunder, (g) on a confidential basis to (i) any rating agency in connection with rating Borrower or its Subsidiaries or the credit facilities provided hereunder or (ii) the CUSIP Service Bureau or any similar agency in connection with the issuance and monitoring of CUSIP numbers or other market identifiers with respect to the credit facilities provided hereunder, (h) with the prior written consent of Borrower or (i) to the extent such Information (x) becomes publicly available other than as a result of a breach of this **Section** or (y) becomes available to Administrative Agent, any Lender, L/C Issuer or any of their respective Affiliates on a nonconfidential basis from a source other than Borrower. For purposes of this **Section**, “**Information**” means all information received from Parent or any Subsidiary relating to Parent or any Subsidiary or any of their respective businesses, other than any such information that is available to Administrative Agent, any Lender or L/C Issuer on a nonconfidential basis prior to disclosure by Parent or any Subsidiary. Any Person required to maintain the confidentiality of Information as provided in this **Section** shall be considered to have complied with its obligation to do so if such Person has exercised the same degree of care to maintain the confidentiality of such Information as such Person would accord to its own confidential information.

Each of Administrative Agent, the Lenders and L/C Issuer acknowledges that (a) the Information may include material non-public information concerning Parent or a Subsidiary, as the case may be, (b) it has developed compliance procedures regarding the use of material non-public information and (c) it will handle such material non-public information in accordance with applicable Law, including United States Federal and state securities Laws.

12.08 Right of Setoff. If an Event of Default shall have occurred and be continuing, each Lender, L/C Issuer and each of their respective Affiliates is hereby authorized at any time and from time to time, to the fullest extent permitted by applicable Law, to set off and apply any and all deposits (general or special, time or demand, provisional or final, in whatever currency) at any time held and other obligations (in whatever currency) at any time owing by such Lender, L/C Issuer or any such Affiliate to or for the credit or the account of Borrower or any other Loan Party against any and all of the obligations of Borrower or such Loan Party now or hereafter existing under this Agreement or any other Loan Document to such Lender or L/C Issuer or their respective Affiliates, irrespective of whether or not such Lender, L/C Issuer or Affiliate shall have made any demand under this Agreement or any other Loan Document and although such obligations of Borrower or such Loan Party may be contingent or unmatured or are owed to a branch, office or Affiliate of such Lender or L/C Issuer different from the branch, office or Affiliate holding such deposit or obligated on such indebtedness; *provided that* in the event that any Defaulting Lender shall exercise any such right of setoff, (x) all amounts so set off shall be paid over immediately to Administrative Agent for further application in accordance with the provisions of **Section 2.17** and, pending such payment, shall be segregated by such Defaulting Lender from its other funds and deemed held in trust for the benefit of Administrative Agent, L/C Issuer and the Lenders, and (y) the Defaulting Lender shall provide promptly to Administrative Agent a statement describing in reasonable detail the Obligations owing to such Defaulting Lender as to which it exercised such right of setoff. The rights of each Lender, L/C Issuer and their respective Affiliates under this **Section** are in addition to other rights and remedies (including other rights of setoff) that such Lender, L/C Issuer or their respective Affiliates may have. Each Lender and L/C Issuer agrees to notify Borrower and Administrative Agent promptly after any such setoff and application, *provided that* the failure to give such notice shall not affect the validity of such setoff and application.

12.09 Interest Rate Limitation. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in any Loan Document, the interest paid or agreed to be paid under the Loan Documents shall not exceed the maximum rate of non-usurious interest permitted by applicable Law (the "**Maximum Rate**"). If Administrative Agent or any Lender shall receive interest in an amount that exceeds the Maximum Rate, the excess interest shall be applied to the principal of the Loans or, if it exceeds such unpaid principal, refunded to Borrower. In determining whether the interest contracted for, charged, or received by Administrative Agent or a Lender exceeds the Maximum Rate, such Person may, to the extent permitted by applicable Law, (a) characterize any payment that is not principal as an expense, fee, or premium rather than interest, (b) exclude voluntary prepayments and the effects thereof, and (c) amortize, prorate, allocate, and spread in equal or unequal parts the total amount of interest throughout the contemplated term of the Obligations hereunder.

12.10 Counterparts; Integration; Effectiveness. This Agreement may be executed in counterparts (and by different parties hereto in different counterparts), each of which shall constitute an original, but all of which when taken together shall constitute a single contract. This Agreement and the other Loan Documents, and any separate letter agreements with respect to fees payable to Administrative Agent or L/C Issuer, constitute the entire contract among the parties relating to the subject matter hereof and supersede any and all previous agreements and understandings, oral or written, relating to the subject matter hereof. Except as provided in **Section 6.01**, this Agreement shall become effective when it shall have been executed by Administrative Agent and when Administrative Agent shall have received counterparts hereof that, when taken together, bear the signatures of each of the other parties hereto. Delivery of an executed counterpart of a signature page of this Agreement by facsimile or other electronic imaging means (e.g. "pdf" or "tif") shall be effective as delivery of a manually executed counterpart of this Agreement.

12.11 Survival of Representations and Warranties. All representations and warranties made hereunder and in any other Loan Document or other document delivered pursuant hereto or thereto or in connection herewith or therewith shall survive the execution and delivery hereof and thereof. Such representations and warranties have been or will be relied upon by Administrative Agent and each Lender, regardless of any investigation made by Administrative Agent or any Lender or on their behalf and notwithstanding that Administrative Agent or any Lender may have had notice or knowledge of any Default at the time of any Credit Extension, and shall continue in full force and effect as long as any Loan or any other Obligation (other than Unmatured Surviving Obligations) hereunder shall remain unpaid or unsatisfied or any Letter of Credit shall remain outstanding.

12.12 Severability. If any provision of this Agreement or the other Loan Documents is held to be illegal, invalid or unenforceable, (a) the legality, validity and enforceability of the remaining provisions of this Agreement and the other Loan Documents shall not be affected or impaired thereby and (b) the parties shall endeavor in good faith negotiations to replace the illegal, invalid or unenforceable provisions with valid provisions the economic effect of which comes as close as possible to that of the illegal, invalid or unenforceable provisions. The invalidity of a provision in a particular jurisdiction shall not invalidate or render unenforceable such provision in any other jurisdiction. Without limiting the foregoing provisions of this **Section 12.12**, if and to the extent that the enforceability of any provisions in this Agreement relating to Defaulting Lenders shall be limited by Debtor Relief Laws, as determined in good faith by Administrative Agent, L/C Issuer or Swing Line Lender, as applicable, then such provisions shall be deemed to be in effect only to the extent not so limited.

12.13 Replacement of Lenders. If Borrower is entitled to replace a Lender pursuant to the provisions of **Section 3.06**, or if any Lender is a Defaulting Lender or a Non-Consenting Lender, then Borrower may, at its sole expense and effort, upon notice to such Lender and Administrative Agent, require such Lender to assign and delegate, without recourse (in accordance with and subject to the restrictions contained in, and consents required by, **Section 12.06**), all of its interests, rights (other than its exiting rights to payments pursuant to **Sections 3.01** and **3.04**) and obligations under this Agreement and the related Loan Documents to an Eligible Assignee that shall assume such obligations (which assignee may be another Lender, if a Lender accepts such assignment), *provided that*:

- (a) Borrower shall have paid, or caused to be paid, to Administrative Agent the assignment fee specified in **Section 12.06(b)**;
- (b) such Lender shall have received payment of an amount equal to the outstanding principal of its Loans and L/C Advances, accrued interest thereon, accrued fees and all other amounts payable to it hereunder and under the other Loan Documents (including any amounts under **Section 3.05**) from the assignee (to the extent of such outstanding principal and accrued interest and fees) or Borrower (in the case of all other amounts);
- (c) in the case of any such assignment resulting from a claim for compensation under **Section 3.04** or payments required to be made pursuant to **Section 3.01**, such assignment will result in a reduction in such compensation or payments thereafter;
- (d) such assignment does not conflict with applicable Laws; and
- (e) in the case of an assignment resulting from a Lender becoming a Non-Consenting Lender, the applicable assignee shall have consented to the applicable amendment, waiver or consent.

A Lender shall not be required to make any such assignment or delegation if, prior thereto, as a result of a waiver by such Lender or otherwise, the circumstances entitling Borrower to require such assignment and delegation cease to apply.

12.14 **Governing Law; Jurisdiction; Etc.**

(a) **GOVERNING LAW.** THIS AGREEMENT AND THE OTHER LOAN DOCUMENTS AND ANY CLAIMS, CONTROVERSY, DISPUTE OR CAUSE OF ACTION (WHETHER IN CONTRACT OR TORT OR OTHERWISE) BASED UPON, ARISING OUT OF OR RELATING TO THIS AGREEMENT OR ANY OTHER LOAN DOCUMENT (EXCEPT, AS TO ANY OTHER LOAN DOCUMENT, AS EXPRESSLY SET FORTH THEREIN) AND THE TRANSACTIONS CONTEMPLATED HEREBY AND THEREBY SHALL BE GOVERNED BY, AND CONSTRUED IN ACCORDANCE WITH, THE LAW OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK.

(b) **SUBMISSION TO JURISDICTION.** PARENT, BORROWER AND EACH OTHER LOAN PARTY IRREVOCABLY AND UNCONDITIONALLY AGREES THAT IT WILL NOT COMMENCE ANY ACTION, LITIGATION OR PROCEEDING OF ANY KIND OR DESCRIPTION, WHETHER IN LAW OR EQUITY, WHETHER IN CONTRACT OR IN TORT OR OTHERWISE, AGAINST ADMINISTRATIVE AGENT, ANY LENDER, L/C ISSUER, OR ANY RELATED PARTY OF THE FOREGOING IN ANY WAY RELATING TO THIS AGREEMENT OR ANY OTHER LOAN DOCUMENT OR THE TRANSACTIONS RELATING HERETO OR THERETO, IN ANY FORUM OTHER THAN THE COURTS OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK SITTING IN NEW YORK COUNTY AND OF THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT OF THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK, AND ANY APPELLATE COURT FROM ANY THEREOF, AND EACH OF THE PARTIES HERETO IRREVOCABLY AND UNCONDITIONALLY SUBMITS TO THE JURISDICTION OF SUCH COURTS AND AGREES THAT ALL CLAIMS IN RESPECT OF ANY SUCH ACTION, LITIGATION OR PROCEEDING MAY BE HEARD AND DETERMINED IN SUCH NEW YORK STATE COURT OR, TO THE FULLEST EXTENT PERMITTED BY APPLICABLE LAW, IN SUCH FEDERAL COURT. EACH OF THE PARTIES HERETO AGREES THAT A FINAL JUDGMENT IN ANY SUCH ACTION, LITIGATION OR PROCEEDING SHALL BE CONCLUSIVE AND MAY BE ENFORCED IN OTHER JURISDICTIONS BY SUIT ON THE JUDGMENT OR IN ANY OTHER MANNER PROVIDED BY LAW. NOTHING IN THIS AGREEMENT OR IN ANY OTHER LOAN DOCUMENT SHALL AFFECT ANY RIGHT THAT ADMINISTRATIVE AGENT, ANY LENDER OR L/C ISSUER MAY OTHERWISE HAVE TO BRING ANY ACTION OR PROCEEDING RELATING TO THIS AGREEMENT OR ANY OTHER LOAN DOCUMENT AGAINST PARENT, BORROWER OR ANY OTHER LOAN PARTY OR ITS PROPERTIES IN THE COURTS OF ANY JURISDICTION.

(c) **WAIVER OF VENUE.** EACH PARTY HERETO IRREVOCABLY AND UNCONDITIONALLY WAIVES, TO THE FULLEST EXTENT PERMITTED BY APPLICABLE LAW, ANY OBJECTION THAT IT MAY NOW OR HEREAFTER HAVE TO THE LAYING OF VENUE OF ANY ACTION OR PROCEEDING ARISING OUT OF OR RELATING TO THIS AGREEMENT OR ANY OTHER LOAN DOCUMENT IN ANY COURT REFERRED TO IN **PARAGRAPH (b)** OF THIS **SECTION**. EACH OF THE PARTIES HERETO HEREBY IRREVOCABLY WAIVES, TO THE FULLEST EXTENT PERMITTED BY APPLICABLE LAW, THE DEFENSE OF AN INCONVENIENT FORUM TO THE MAINTENANCE OF SUCH ACTION OR PROCEEDING IN ANY SUCH COURT.

(d) **SERVICE OF PROCESS.** EACH PARTY HERETO IRREVOCABLY CONSENTS TO SERVICE OF PROCESS IN THE MANNER PROVIDED FOR NOTICES IN **SECTION 12.02**. NOTHING IN THIS AGREEMENT WILL AFFECT THE RIGHT OF ANY PARTY HERETO TO SERVE PROCESS IN ANY OTHER MANNER PERMITTED BY APPLICABLE LAW.

12.15 **Waiver of Jury Trial.** EACH PARTY HERETO HEREBY IRREVOCABLY WAIVES, TO THE FULLEST EXTENT PERMITTED BY APPLICABLE LAW, ANY RIGHT IT MAY HAVE TO A TRIAL BY JURY IN ANY LEGAL PROCEEDING DIRECTLY OR INDIRECTLY ARISING OUT OF OR RELATING TO THIS AGREEMENT OR ANY OTHER LOAN DOCUMENT OR THE TRANSACTIONS CONTEMPLATED HEREBY OR THEREBY (WHETHER BASED ON CONTRACT, TORT OR ANY OTHER THEORY). EACH PARTY HERETO (A) CERTIFIES THAT NO REPRESENTATIVE, AGENT OR ATTORNEY OF ANY OTHER PERSON HAS REPRESENTED, EXPRESSLY OR OTHERWISE, THAT SUCH OTHER PERSON WOULD NOT, IN THE EVENT OF LITIGATION, SEEK TO ENFORCE THE FOREGOING WAIVER AND (B) ACKNOWLEDGES THAT IT AND THE OTHER PARTIES HERETO HAVE BEEN INDUCED TO ENTER INTO THIS AGREEMENT AND THE OTHER LOAN DOCUMENTS BY, AMONG OTHER THINGS, THE MUTUAL WAIVERS AND CERTIFICATIONS IN THIS **SECTION**.

12.16 **No Advisory or Fiduciary Responsibility.** In connection with all aspects of each transaction contemplated hereby (including in connection with any amendment, waiver or other modification hereof or of any other Loan Document), Borrower and each other Loan Party acknowledges and agrees, and acknowledges its Affiliates' understanding, that: (i)(A) the arranging and other services regarding this Agreement provided by Administrative Agent and Arranger, and the Lenders are arm's-length commercial transactions between Borrower, each other Loan Party and their respective Affiliates, on the one hand, and Administrative Agent and Arranger, and the Lenders, on the other hand, (B) each of Borrower and the other Loan Parties has consulted its own legal, accounting, regulatory and tax advisors to the extent it has deemed appropriate, and (C) Borrower and each other Loan Party is capable of evaluating, and understands and accepts, the terms, risks and conditions of the transactions contemplated hereby and by the other Loan Documents; (ii)(A) Administrative Agent and Arranger and each Lender is and has been acting solely as a principal and, except as expressly agreed in writing by the relevant parties, has not been, is not, and will not be acting as an advisor, agent or fiduciary for Borrower, any other Loan Party or any of their respective Affiliates, or any other Person and (B) neither Administrative Agent, Arranger nor any Lender has any obligation to Borrower, any other Loan Party or any of their respective Affiliates with respect to the transactions contemplated hereby except those obligations expressly set forth herein and in the other Loan Documents; and (iii) Administrative Agent, Arranger and the Lenders and their respective Affiliates may be engaged in a broad range of transactions that involve interests that differ from those of Borrower, the other Loan Parties and their respective Affiliates, and neither Administrative Agent, Arranger nor any Lender has any obligation to disclose any of such interests to Borrower, any other Loan Party or any of their respective Affiliates. To the fullest extent permitted by law, each of Borrower and the other Loan Parties hereby waives and releases any claims that it may have against Administrative Agent and Arranger or any Lender with respect to any breach or alleged breach of agency or fiduciary duty in connection with any aspect of any transaction contemplated hereby.

12.17 **Electronic Execution of Assignments and Certain Other Documents.** The words "execute," "execution," "signed," "signature," and words of like import in any Assignment and Assumption or in any amendment or other modification hereof (including waivers and consents) shall be deemed to include electronic signatures, the electronic matching of assignment terms and contract formations on electronic platforms approved by Administrative Agent or the keeping of records in electronic form, each of which shall be of the same legal effect, validity or enforceability as a manually executed signature or the use of a paper-based recordkeeping system, as the case may be, to the extent and as provided for in any applicable Law, including the Federal Electronic Signatures in Global and National Commerce Act, the New York State Electronic Signatures and Records Act, or any other similar state laws based on the Uniform Electronic Transactions Act.

12.18 **USA PATRIOT Act.** Each Lender that is subject to the Act (as hereinafter defined) and Administrative Agent (for itself and not on behalf of any Lender) hereby notifies Borrower that pursuant to the requirements of the USA PATRIOT Act (Title III of Pub. L. 107-56 (signed into law October 26, 2001)) (the “*Act*”), it is required to obtain, verify and record information that identifies the Loan Parties, which information includes the name and address of the Loan Parties and other information that will allow such Lender or Administrative Agent, as applicable, to identify the Loan Parties in accordance with the Act. Borrower shall, and shall cause all other Loan Parties to, promptly following a request by Administrative Agent or any Lender, provide all documentation and other information that Administrative Agent or such Lender requests in order to comply with its ongoing obligations under applicable “know your customer” and anti-money laundering rules and regulations, including the Act.

12.19 **Time of the Essence.** Time is of the essence of the Loan Documents.

12.20 **ENTIRE AGREEMENT. THIS AGREEMENT AND THE OTHER LOAN DOCUMENTS REPRESENT THE FINAL AGREEMENT AMONG THE PARTIES AND MAY NOT BE CONTRADICTED BY EVIDENCE OF PRIOR, CONTEMPORANEOUS, OR SUBSEQUENT ORAL AGREEMENTS OF THE PARTIES. THERE ARE NO UNWRITTEN ORAL AGREEMENTS AMONG THE PARTIES.**

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have caused this Agreement to be duly executed as of the date first above written.

BORROWER:

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, L.P.,
a Maryland limited partnership

By: **REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, INC.**,
a Maryland corporation,
its General Partner

By: /s/ Howard Schwimmer
Name: Howard Schwimmer
Title: Co-Chief Executive Officer

By: /s/ Michael Frankel
Name: Michael Frankel
Title: Co-Chief Executive Officer

PARENT:

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, INC.,
a Maryland corporation,

By: /s/ Howard Schwimmer
Name: Howard Schwimmer
Title: Co-Chief Executive Officer

By: /s/ Michael Frankel
Name: Michael Frankel
Title: Co-Chief Executive Officer

Signature Page to Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P. Credit Agreement

ADMINISTRATIVE AGENT:

BANK OF AMERICA, N.A., as Administrative Agent,
Swing Line Lender and L/C Issuer

By: /s/ Julia Elterman

Name: Julia Elterman

Title: Vice President

Signature Page to Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P. Credit Agreement

LENDERS:

BANK OF AMERICA, N.A., as a Lender

By: /s/ Julia Elterman

Name: Julia Elterman

Title: Vice President

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**WELLS FARGO BANK, NATIONAL
ASSOCIATION, as a Lender**

By: /s/ J. Derek Evans
Name: J. Derek Evans
Title: Senior Vice President

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JPMORGAN CHASE BANK, N.A., as a Lender

By: /s/ Faina Birger

Name: FAINA BIRGER

Title: Authorized Officer

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PNC BANK, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, as a
Lender

By: /s/ Darin Mortimer
Name: Darin Mortimer
Title: Vice President

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RBS CITIZENS, N.A., as a Lender

By: /s/ Samuel A. Bluso

Name: Samuel A. Bluso

Title: Senior Vice President

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CALIFORNIA BANK & TRUST, as a Lender

By: /s/ Daniel J Miltenberger

Name: Daniel J Miltenberger

Title: Vice President

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CITY NATIONAL BANK, as a Lender

By: /s/ Christina Blackwell

Name: Christina Blackwell

Title: Vice President

Signature Page to Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P. Credit Agreement

**COMMITMENTS
AND APPLICABLE PERCENTAGES**

Lender	Commitment	Applicable Percentage
Bank of America, N.A.	\$ 50,000,000	25.000000000%
Wells Fargo Bank, N.A.	40,000,000	20.000000000%
JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A.	35,000,000	17.500000000%
PNC Bank, National Association	22,500,000	11.250000000%
RBS Citizens, N.A.	22,500,000	11.250000000%
California Bank & Trust	15,000,000	7.500000000%
City National Bank, N.A.	15,000,000	7.500000000%
Total	<u>\$200,000,000</u>	<u>100.000000000%</u>

Schedule 2.01

INITIAL BORROWING BASE PROPERTIES

Name	Location	Property Type	NRSF
Mullberry	Whittier	Industrial	153,080
Monrovia	Monrovia	Industrial	67,838
Crocker	Santa Clarita	Industrial	91,788
Pioneer	Vista	Industrial	68,988
Poway	Poway	Industrial	40,022
Bledsoe	Sylmar	Industrial	138,474
Easy Street	Simi Valley	Industrial	102,327
Orangethorpe	Anaheim	Industrial	62,395
La Jolla	San Diego	Industrial	97,967
Santa Fe Springs	Santa Fe Springs	Industrial	106,995
East 157th Street	Gardena	Industrial	60,000
Yarrow Drive II	Carlsbad	Industrial	80,441
Burbank	Burbank	Industrial	44,924
San Gabriel	Pasadena	Industrial	31,619
Grand	Santa Ana	Industrial	27,200
East 46th Street	Vernon	Industrial	190,663
Carson	Carson	Industrial	16,534
Poinsettia	Vista	Industrial	121,892
Central	Riverside	Industrial	63,675
Enfield	Palm Desert	Industrial	21,607
Arrow	Azusa	Industrial	69,592
Campus	Ontario	Industrial	107,861
Vinedo	Pasadena	Industrial	48,381
Arroyo	San Fernando	Industrial	76,993
Golden Valley	City of Industry	Industrial	58,084
Odessa	Van Nuys	Industrial	29,544
Shoemaker	Santa Fe Springs	Industrial	86,010
MacArthur	Santa Ana	Industrial	122,060
Grand Commerce	Santa Ana	Industrial	101,210
Calvert	Van Nuys	Industrial	81,282
Del Norte	Oxnard	Industrial	125,514
Benson	Montclair	Industrial	88,146
Normandie	Torrance	Industrial	49,466
Harbor Wamer	Santa Ana	Industrial	38,570
Paramount	Paramount	Industrial	30,224
Valley	La Puente	Industrial	99,720

Schedule 5.01

LITIGATION

None.

Schedule 7.06

ENVIRONMENTAL MATTERS

None.

Schedule 7.09

SUBSIDIARIES; OTHER EQUITY INVESTMENTS

Part (a) Subsidiaries

<u>Subsidiary</u>	<u>Ownership Percentage</u>	<u>Owner</u>
Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P.	100% General Partnership Interest	Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc.
RIF V—SPE Manager, LLC	100% Membership Interest	Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P.
Rexford Industrial, LLC	100% Membership Interest	Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P.
RIF V—Grand Commerce Center, LLC	100% Membership Interest	Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P.
RIF V—Calle Perfecto, LLC	100% Membership Interest	Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P.
RIF V—Arroyo, LLC	100% Membership Interest	Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P.
RIF V—Vinedo, LLC	100% Membership Interest	Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P.
RIF V—Odessa, LLC	100% Membership Interest	Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P.
RIF V—MacArthur, LLC	100% Membership Interest	Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P.
RIF V—Golden Valley, LLC	100% Membership Interest	Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P.
RIF V—Arrow Business Center, LLC	100% Membership Interest	Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P.
RIF V—Normandie Business Center, LLC	100% Membership Interest	Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P.
RIF V—Shoemaker Business Center, LLC	100% Membership Interest	Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P.
RIF V—Paramount Business Center, LLC	100% Membership Interest	Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P.
RIF V—Jersey, LLC	100% Membership Interest	RIF V—SPE Owner, LLC
RIF V—Campus Avenue, LLC	100% Membership Interest	Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P.
RIF V—Zenith Business Park, LLC	100% Membership Interest	Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P.
RIF V—Mission Oaks, LLC	100% Membership Interest	RIF V—SPE Owner, LLC
RIF V—Calvert, LLC	100% Membership Interest	Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P.
RIF V—Del Norte, LLC	100% Membership Interest	Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P.
RIF V—Glendale Commerce Center, LLC	100% Membership Interest	Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P.
RIF V—3360 San Fernando, LLC	100% Membership Interest	Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P.
RIF V—GGC Alcorn, LLC	100% Membership Interest	Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P.
RIF V—Benson, LLC	100% Membership Interest	Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P.
RIF V—240th Street, LLC	100% Membership Interest	Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P.
RIF I—Walnut, LLC	100% Membership Interest	Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P.
RIF I—Monrovia, LLC	100% Membership Interest	Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P.
RIF I—Don Julian, LLC	100% Membership Interest	Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P.
RIF I—Lewis Road, LLC	100% Membership Interest	Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P.
RIF I—Oxnard, LLC	100% Membership Interest	Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P.
RIF I—Valley Blvd, LLC	100% Membership Interest	Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P.
RIF I—Mulberry, LLC	100% Membership Interest	Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P.

RIF I—Alameda, LLC	100% Membership Interest	Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P.
Rexford Business Center—Fullerton, LLC	100% Membership Interest	Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P.
RIF II—La Jolla Sorrento Business Park, LLC	100% Membership Interest	Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P.
RIF II—Crocker, LLC	100% Membership Interest	Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P.
RIF II—Bledsoe Avenue, LLC	100% Membership Interest	Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P.
RIF II—First American Way, LLC	100% Membership Interest	Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P.
RIF II—Pioneer Avenue, LLC	100% Membership Interest	Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P.
RIF II—Kaiser, LLC	100% Membership Interest	Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P.
RIF II—Easy Street, LLC	100% Membership Interest	Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P.
RIF II—Orangethorpe, LLC	100% Membership Interest	Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P.
RIF II—Orangethorpe TIC, LLC	100% Membership Interest	Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P.
RIF III—157th Street, LLC	100% Membership Interest	Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P.
RIF III—Archibald, LLC	100% Membership Interest	Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P.
RIF III—Avenue Stanford, LLC	100% Membership Interest	Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P.
RIF III—Empire Lakes, LLC	100% Membership Interest	Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P.
RIF III—Impala, LLC	100% Membership Interest	Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P.
RIF III—Irwindale, LLC	100% Membership Interest	Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P.
RIF III—Santa Fe Springs, LLC	100% Membership Interest	Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P.
RIF III—Yarrow, LLC	100% Membership Interest	Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P.
RIF III—Yarrow II, LLC	100% Membership Interest	Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P.
RIF III—Broadway, LLC	100% Membership Interest	Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P.
RIF IV—West 33rd Street, LLC	100% Membership Interest	Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P.
RIF IV—Central, LLC	100% Membership Interest	Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P.
RIF IV—Newton, LLC	100% Membership Interest	Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P.
RIF IV—Long Carson, LLC	100% Membership Interest	Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P.
RIF IV—Burbank, LLC	100% Membership Interest	Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P.
RIF IV—East 46th Street, LLC	100% Membership Interest	Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P.
RIF IV—Glendale, LLC	100% Membership Interest	Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P.
RIF IV—San Gabriel, LLC	100% Membership Interest	Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P.
RIF IV—Poinsettia, LLC	100% Membership Interest	Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P.
RIF IV—Cornerstone, LLC	100% Membership Interest	Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P.
RIF IV—Harbor Warner, LLC	100% Membership Interest	Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P.
RIF IV—Grand, LLC	100% Membership Interest	Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P.
RIF IV—Enfield, LLC	100% Membership Interest	Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P.
RIF V—SPE Owner, LLC	100% Membership Interest	Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P.

Part (b) Other Equity Investments

<u>Subsidiary</u>	<u>Equity Investment</u>	<u>Issuer</u>
RIF V—Mission Oaks, LLC	15% Membership Interests	DR Mission Oaks LLC

EXISTING INVESTMENTS

Subsidiary	Equity Investment	Issuer
RIF V—Mission Oaks, LLC	15% Membership Interests	DR Mission Oaks LLC

Schedule 9.02

**ADMINISTRATIVE AGENT'S OFFICE;
CERTAIN ADDRESSES FOR NOTICES**

BORROWER:

Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P.
11620 Wilshire Boulevard, Suite 300
Los Angeles, California 90025
Attention: Michael Frankel
Telephone: (310) 966-3814
Telecopier: (310) 966-1690
Electronic Mail: mfrankel@rexfordindustrial.com
Taxpayer Identification Number: 46-2024407

GUARANTORS:

c/o Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc.
11620 Wilshire Boulevard, Suite 300
Los Angeles, California 90025
Attention: Michael Frankel
Telephone: (310) 966-3814
Telecopier: (310) 966-1690
Electronic Mail: mfrankel@rexfordindustrial.com

PARENT:

Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc.
11620 Wilshire Boulevard, Suite 300
Los Angeles, California 90025
Attention: Michael Frankel
Telephone: (310) 966-3814
Telecopier: (310) 966-1690
Electronic Mail: mfrankel@rexfordindustrial.com
Taxpayer Identification Number: 80-0894389

ADMINISTRATIVE AGENT:

Administrative Agent's Office
Administrative Agent's Office
(for payments and Requests for Credit Extensions):
Bank of America, N.A.
333 S. Hope Street
Mail Code: CA9-193-11-07
Los Angeles, CA 90071
Attention: Marchell Hilliard

Telephone: (213) 621-4837
Telecopier: (213) 621-4831
Electronic Mail: marchell.hilliard@baml.com

Other Notices as Administrative Agent:

Bank of America, N.A.
333 S. Hope Street
Mail Code: CA9-193-11-07
Los Angeles, CA 90071
Attention: Julie Elterman
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Telecopier: (213) 621-4831
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L/C ISSUER:

Bank of America, N.A.
333 S. Hope Street
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Los Angeles, CA 90071
Attention: Julie Elterman
Telephone: (213) 621-4815
Telecopier: (213) 621-4831
Electronic Mail: julia.elterman@baml.com

SWING LINE LENDER:

Bank of America, N.A.
333 S. Hope Street
Mail Code: CA9-193-11-07
Los Angeles, CA 90071
Attention: Julie Elterman
Telephone: (213) 621-4815
Telecopier: (213) 621-4831
Electronic Mail: julia.elterman@baml.com

FORM OF COMMITTED LOAN NOTICE

Date: _____, ____

To: Bank of America, N.A., as Administrative Agent

Ladies and Gentlemen:

Reference is made to that certain Credit Agreement, dated as of July 24, 2013 (as amended, restated, extended, supplemented or otherwise modified in writing from time to time, the "**Agreement**," the terms defined therein being used herein as therein defined), among Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P., a Maryland limited partnership ("**Borrower**"), Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc., a Maryland corporation, the Lenders from time to time party thereto, and Bank of America, N.A., as Administrative Agent, L/C Issuer and Swing Line Lender.

The undersigned hereby requests (select one):

- .. A Borrowing of Committed Loans
- .. A conversion or continuation of Loans
- 1. On _____ (a Business Day).
- 2. In the amount of \$ _____.
- 3. Comprised of [Base Rate Loans] [Eurodollar Rate Loans].
- 4. For Eurodollar Rate Loans: with an Interest Period of [1] [2] [3] [6] months.

The Committed Borrowing, if any, requested herein complies with the proviso to the first sentence of *Section 2.01* of the Agreement.

[SIGNATURE PAGE FOLLOWS]

BORROWER:

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, L.P.,
a Maryland limited partnership

By: **REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, INC.,**
a Maryland corporation,
its General Partner

By: _____
Name:
Title:

Exhibit A

FORM OF SWING LINE LOAN NOTICE

Date: _____, _____

To: Bank of America, N.A., as Swing Line Lender
Bank of America, N.A., as Administrative Agent

Ladies and Gentlemen:

Reference is made to that certain Credit Agreement, dated as of July 24, 2013 (as amended, restated, extended, supplemented or otherwise modified in writing from time to time, the "**Agreement**," the terms defined therein being used herein as therein defined), Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P., a Maryland limited partnership ("**Borrower**"), Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc., a Maryland corporation, the Lenders from time to time party thereto, and Bank of America, N.A., as Administrative Agent, L/C Issuer and Swing Line Lender.

The undersigned hereby requests a Swing Line Loan:

1. On _____ (a Business Day).
2. In the amount of \$ _____.

The Swing Line Loan requested herein complies with the requirements of the proviso to the first sentence of *Section 2.04(a)* of the Agreement.

[SIGNATURE PAGE FOLLOWS]

Exhibit B

BORROWER:

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, L.P.,
a Maryland limited partnership

By: **REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, INC.,**
a Maryland corporation,
its General Partner

By: _____
Name:
Title:

Exhibit B

FORM OF NOTE

FOR VALUE RECEIVED, the undersigned ("**Borrower**"), hereby promises to pay to [] or registered assigns ("**Lender**"), in accordance with the provisions of the Agreement (as hereinafter defined), the principal amount of each Loan from time to time made by Lender to Borrower under certain that Credit Agreement, dated as of July 24, 2013 (as amended, restated, extended, supplemented or otherwise modified in writing from time to time, the "**Agreement**;" the terms defined therein being used herein as therein defined), among Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P., a Maryland limited partnership ("**Borrower**"), Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc., a Maryland corporation, the Lenders from time to time party thereto, and Bank of America, N.A., as Administrative Agent, L/C Issuer and Swing Line Lender.

Borrower promises to pay interest on the unpaid principal amount of each Loan from the date of such Loan until such principal amount is paid in full, at such interest rates and at such times as provided in the Agreement. Except as otherwise provided in *Section 2.04(f)* of the Agreement with respect to Swing Line Loans, all payments of principal and interest shall be made to Administrative Agent for the account of Lender in Dollars in immediately available funds at Administrative Agent's Office. If any amount is not paid in full when due hereunder, such unpaid amount shall bear interest, to be paid upon demand, from the due date thereof until the date of actual payment (and before as well as after judgment) computed at the per annum rate set forth in the Agreement.

This Note is one of the Notes referred to in the Agreement, is entitled to the benefits thereof and may be prepaid in whole or in part subject to the terms and conditions provided therein. This Note is also entitled to the benefits of the Guarantees of the Guarantors. Upon the occurrence and continuation of one or more of the Events of Default specified in the Agreement, all amounts then remaining unpaid on this Note shall become, or may be declared to be, immediately due and payable all as provided in the Agreement. Loans made by Lender shall be evidenced by one or more loan accounts or records maintained by Lender in the ordinary course of business. Lender may also attach schedules to this Note and endorse thereon the date, amount and maturity of its Loans and payments with respect thereto.

Borrower, for itself, its successors and assigns, hereby waives diligence, presentment, protest and demand and notice of protest, demand, dishonor and non-payment of this Note.

THIS NOTE SHALL BE GOVERNED BY AND CONSTRUED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK.

[SIGNATURE PAGE FOLLOWS]

BORROWER:

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, L.P.,
a Maryland limited partnership

By: **REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, INC.,**
a Maryland corporation,
its General Partner

By: _____
Name:
Title:

LOANS AND PAYMENTS WITH RESPECT THERETO

<u>Date</u>	Type of Loan Made	Amount of Loan Made	End of Interest Period	Amount of Principal or Interest Paid This Date	Outstanding Principal Balance This Date	Notation Made By
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FORM OF COMPLIANCE CERTIFICATE

Financial Statement Date: _____

To: Bank of America, N.A., as Administrative Agent

Ladies and Gentlemen:

Reference is made to that certain Credit Agreement, dated as of July 24, 2013 (as amended, restated, extended, supplemented or otherwise modified in writing from time to time, the "**Agreement**," the terms defined therein being used herein as therein defined), among Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P., a Maryland limited partnership ("**Borrower**"), Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc., a Maryland corporation ("**Parent**"), the Lenders from time to time party thereto, and Bank of America, N.A., as Administrative Agent, L/C Issuer and Swing Line Lender.

The undersigned Responsible Officer hereby certifies as of the date hereof that he/she is the [] of Parent, and that, as such, he/she is authorized to execute and deliver this Certificate to Administrative Agent on the behalf of Parent, for itself and on behalf of Borrower, and that:

[Use following paragraph 1 for fiscal year-end financial statements]

1. Parent has delivered the year-end audited financial statements required by **Section 8.01(a)** of the Agreement for the fiscal year of Parent ended as of the above date, together with the reports and opinions of an independent certified public accountant required by such section.

[Use following paragraph 1 for fiscal quarter-end financial statements]

1. Parent has delivered the unaudited financial statements required by **Section 8.01(b)** of the Agreement for the fiscal quarter of Parent ended as of the above date. Such financial statements fairly present in all material respects the financial condition, results of operations, shareholders' equity and cash flows of the Consolidated Group in accordance with GAAP as at such date and for such period, subject only to normal year-end audit adjustments and the absence of footnotes.

2. The undersigned has reviewed and is familiar with the terms of the Agreement and has made, or has caused to be made under his/her supervision, a detailed review of the transactions and condition (financial or otherwise) of the Consolidated Group during the accounting period covered by such financial statements.

3. A review of the activities of the Consolidated Group during such fiscal period has been made under the supervision of the undersigned with a view to determining whether during such fiscal period Borrower, Parent and each other Loan Party performed and observed all of their respective Obligations under the Loan Documents, and

[select one:]

[to the best knowledge of the undersigned, during such fiscal period Borrower, Parent and each other Loan Party performed and observed each covenant and condition of the Loan Documents applicable to it, and no Default has occurred and is continuing.]

—or—

[to the best knowledge of the undersigned, during such fiscal period the following covenants or conditions have not been performed or observed and the following is a list of each such Default and its nature and status:]

4. The representations and warranties of Borrower, Parent and each other Loan Party contained in *Article VII* of the Agreement, and any representations and warranties of any other Loan Party that are contained in any document furnished at any time under or in connection with the Loan Documents, are true and correct on and as of the date hereof, except to the extent that such representations and warranties specifically refer to an earlier date, in which case they are true and correct as of such earlier date, and except that for purposes of this Compliance Certificate, the representations and warranties contained in *subsections (a) and (b) of Section 7.05* of the Agreement shall be deemed to refer to the most recent statements furnished pursuant to *clauses (a) and (b)*, respectively, of *Section 8.01* of the Agreement, and shall refer to the Consolidated Group rather than to the predecessor of Parent, including the statements in connection with which this Compliance Certificate is delivered.

5. The financial covenant analyses and information set forth on *Schedule I* attached hereto are true and accurate on and as of the date of this Certificate.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has executed this Certificate as of _____,

[SIGNATURE PAGE FOLLOWS]

Exhibit D – Page 2

PARENT:

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, INC.,
a Maryland corporation

By: _____
Name:
Title:

SCHEDULE 1
to the Compliance Certificate
(\$ in 000's)

I. Section 9.15(a) – Maximum Leverage Ratio.		
A. Total Indebtedness as of the Statement Date:		\$ _____
B. Total Asset Value as of the Statement Date:		\$ _____
C. Total Leverage Ratio (Line I.A divided by Line I.B):		_____ %
Maximum permitted:		60%
II. Section 9.15(b) – Maximum Secured Leverage Ratio.		
A. Total Secured Debt as of the Statement Date:		\$ _____
B. Total Asset Value as of the Statement Date:		\$ _____
C. Total Secured Leverage Ratio (Line II.A divided by Line II.B):		_____ %
Maximum permitted:		45%
III. Section 9.15(c) – Maximum Recourse Debt.		
A. Total Recourse Debt as of the Statement Date:		\$ _____
B. Total Asset Value as of the Statement Date:		\$ _____
C. Total Recourse Debt to Total Asset Value (Line III.A divided by Line III.B):		_____ %
Maximum permitted:		15%
IV. Section 9.15(d) – Minimum Tangible Net Worth.		
A. \$259,627,875.00:		\$ _____
B. Net equity proceeds received by Parent after the Closing Date (excluding any such proceeds that are received within 90 days before or after any redemption of equity of Parent or Borrower permitted under the Credit agreement) multiplied by 75%:		\$ _____
C. Minimum Tangible Net Worth (Line IV.A plus Line IV.B):		\$ _____
D. Tangible Net Worth as of the Statement Date:		\$ _____
E. [Excess][Deficiency] for covenant compliance (Line IV.D minus Line IV.C):		\$ _____

V. Section 9.15(e) – Minimum Fixed Charge Coverage Ratio.

- A. Adjusted EBITDA for the four (4) fiscal quarters ending on the Statement Date (the “*Calculation Period*”): \$ _____
- B. Fixed Charges for the Calculation Period: \$ _____
- C. Fixed Charge Coverage Ratio (Line V.A *divided by* Line V.B): _____ to 1.0

Minimum required: 1.50 to 1.0

VI. Section 9.15(f) – Minimum Unencumbered Debt Yield.

- A. Unencumbered NOI as of the Statement Date: \$ _____
- B. Unsecured Debt of the Consolidated Group as of the Statement Date _____
- C. Unencumbered Debt Yield (Line VI.A *divided by* Line VI.B): _____ %

Minimum required: 11%

BORROWING BASE REQUIREMENTS

VII. Borrowing Base Amount.		
A. Aggregate Borrowing Base Amount for all Borrowing Base Properties (See <i>Annex A</i>) ¹ :		\$ _____
B. Mortgageability Amount (See <i>Annex B</i>) ² :		\$ _____
C. Lesser of Lines VII.A and VII.B:		\$ _____
Minimum required:		\$130,000,000

VIII. Borrowing Base Availability.		
A. Borrowing Base Amount (Line VII.A) times 60%:		\$ _____
B. Mortgageability Amount (Line VII.B):		\$ _____
C. Aggregate Commitments:		\$ _____
D. Maximum Availability (Least of Lines VIII.A, VIII.B and VIII.C):		\$ _____
E. Total Outstandings:		\$ _____
F. [Borrowing Base Availability][Borrowing Base Deficiency] (Line VIII.D minus Line VIII.E):		\$ _____

IX. Number of Borrowing Base Properties.		
Number of Borrowing Base Properties		_____
Minimum required:		25

¹ For purposes of determining the “*Borrowing Base Amount*”, (a) no more than twenty percent (20%) of the Borrowing Base Amount shall be attributable to any single Borrowing Base Property, (b) no more than fifteen percent of the Borrowing Base NOI may be from a single tenant, with any excess over such limit being deducted from the Borrowing Base NOI, and (c) no more than fifteen percent (15%) of the Borrowing Base Amount shall be attributable to Borrowing Base Properties that are ground leased pursuant to Acceptable Ground Leases.

² For purposes of determining the “*Mortgageability Amount*”, (a) no more than twenty percent (20%) of the Mortgageability Amount shall be attributable to any single Borrowing Base Property, (b) no more than fifteen percent of the Borrowing Base NOI may be from a single tenant, with any excess over such limit being deducted from the Borrowing Base NOI, and (c) no more than fifteen percent (15%) of the Mortgageability Amount shall be attributable to Borrowing Base Properties that are ground leased pursuant to Acceptable Ground Leases.

X. Occupancy Rate of Borrowing Base Properties.

A. Occupancy Rate for each Borrowing Base Property

<u>Borrowing Base Property</u>	<u>Square Footage</u>	<u>Square Footage Rented</u>	<u>Occupancy Rate</u>
[Property]			
[Property]			
[Property]			
[Property]			
Total:			

B. Aggregate Occupancy Rate for all Borrowing Base Properties (total square footage rented *divided by* total square footage):

_____ %

Minimum required:

80%

ASSIGNMENT AND ASSUMPTION

This Assignment and Assumption (this "Assignment and Assumption") is dated as of the Effective Date set forth below and is entered into by and between [the][each]³ Assignor identified in item 1 below ([the][each, an] "Assignor") and [the][each]⁴ Assignee identified in item 2 below ([the][each, an] "Assignee"). [It is understood and agreed that the rights and obligations of [the Assignors][the Assignees]⁵ hereunder are several and not joint.]⁶ Capitalized terms used but not defined herein shall have the meanings given to them in the Credit Agreement identified below (the "Credit Agreement"), receipt of a copy of which is hereby acknowledged by the Assignee. The Standard Terms and Conditions set forth in Annex I attached hereto are hereby agreed to and incorporated herein by reference and made a part of this Assignment and Assumption as if set forth herein in full.

For an agreed consideration, [the][each] Assignor hereby irrevocably sells and assigns to [the Assignee][the respective Assignees], and [the][each] Assignee hereby irrevocably purchases and assumes from [the Assignor][the respective Assignors], subject to and in accordance with the Standard Terms and Conditions and the Credit Agreement, as of the Effective Date inserted by Administrative Agent as contemplated below (i) all of [the Assignor's][the respective Assignors_] rights and obligations in [its capacity as a Lender][their respective capacities as Lenders] under the Credit Agreement and any other documents or instruments delivered pursuant thereto to the extent related to the amount and percentage interest identified below of all of such outstanding rights and obligations of [the Assignor][the respective Assignors] under the respective facilities identified below (including, without limitation, the Letters of Credit and the Swing Line Loans included in such facilities⁷) and (ii) to the extent permitted to be assigned under applicable law, all claims, suits, causes of action and any other right of [the Assignor (in its capacity as a Lender)][the respective Assignors (in their respective capacities as Lenders)] against any Person, whether known or unknown, arising under or in connection with the Credit Agreement, any other documents or instruments delivered pursuant thereto or the loan transactions governed thereby or in any way based on or related to any of the foregoing, including, but not limited to, contract claims, tort claims, malpractice claims, statutory claims and all other claims at law or in equity related to the rights and obligations sold and assigned pursuant to clause (i) above (the rights and obligations sold and assigned by [the][any] Assignor to [the][any] Assignee pursuant to clauses (i) and (ii) above being referred to herein collectively as [the][an] "Assigned Interest"). Each such sale and assignment is without recourse to [the][any] Assignor and, except as expressly provided in this Assignment and Assumption, without representation or warranty by [the][any] Assignor.

1. Assignor[s]: _____

³ For bracketed language here and elsewhere in this form relating to the Assignor(s), if the assignment is from a single Assignor, choose the first bracketed language. If the assignment is from multiple Assignors, choose the second bracketed language.

⁴ For bracketed language here and elsewhere in this form relating to the Assignee(s), if the assignment is to a single Assignee, choose the first bracketed language. If the assignment is to multiple Assignees, choose the second bracketed language.

⁵ Select as appropriate.

⁶ Include bracketed language if there are either multiple Assignors or multiple Assignees.

⁷ Include all applicable subfacilities.

2. Assignee[s]: _____

[for each Assignee, indicate [Affiliate][Approved Fund] of [*identify Lender*]]

3. Borrower: Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P., a Maryland limited partnership

4. Administrative Agent: Bank of America, N.A., as administrative agent under the Credit Agreement

5. Credit Agreement: Credit Agreement, dated as of July 24, 2013, among Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P., a Maryland limited partnership, Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc., a Maryland corporation, the Lenders from time to time party thereto, and Bank of America, N.A., as Administrative Agent, L/C Issuer and Swing Line Lender

6. Assigned Interest[s]:

<u>Assignor[s]</u> ⁸	<u>Assignee[s]</u> ⁹	<u>Aggregate Amount of Commitment for all Lenders</u> ¹⁰	<u>Amount of Commitment Assigned</u>	<u>Percentage Assigned of Commitment</u> ¹¹	<u>CUSIP Number</u>
		\$ _____	\$ _____	_____ %	
		\$ _____	\$ _____	_____ %	
		\$ _____	\$ _____	_____ %	

[7. Trade Date: _____]¹²

Effective Date: _____, 20__ **[TO BE INSERTED BY ADMINISTRATIVE AGENT AND WHICH SHALL BE THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF RECORDATION OF TRANSFER IN THE REGISTER THEREFOR.]**

8 List each Assignor, as appropriate.

9 List each Assignee, as appropriate.

10 Amounts in this column and in the column immediately to the right to be adjusted by the counterparties to take into account any payments or prepayments made between the Trade Date and the Effective Date.

11 Set forth, to at least 9 decimals, as a percentage of the Commitment/Loans of all Lenders thereunder.

12 To be completed if the Assignor and the Assignee intend that the minimum assignment amount is to be determined as of the Trade Date.

The terms set forth in this Assignment and Assumption are hereby agreed to:

ASSIGNOR
[NAME OF ASSIGNOR]

By: _____
Title: _____

ASSIGNEE
[NAME OF ASSIGNEE]

By: _____
Title: _____

[Consented to and]¹³ Accepted:

BANK OF AMERICA, N.A., as
Administrative Agent

By: _____
Title: _____

[Consented to:]¹⁴

BORROWER:

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, L.P.,
a Maryland limited partnership

By: **REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, INC.**,
a Maryland corporation,
its General Partner

By: _____
Name:
Title:

¹³ To be added only if the consent of Administrative Agent is required by the terms of the Credit Agreement.

¹⁴ To be added only if the consent of Borrower and/or other parties (e.g. Swing Line Lender, L/C Issuer) is required by the terms of the Credit Agreement.

STANDARD TERMS AND CONDITIONS FOR
ASSIGNMENT AND ASSUMPTION1. Representations and Warranties.

1.1. Assignor. [The][Each] Assignor (a) represents and warrants that (i) it is the legal and beneficial owner of [the][the relevant] Assigned Interest, (ii) [the][such] Assigned Interest is free and clear of any lien, encumbrance or other adverse claim and (iii) it has full power and authority, and has taken all action necessary, to execute and deliver this Assignment and Assumption and to consummate the transactions contemplated hereby; and (b) assumes no responsibility with respect to (i) any statements, warranties or representations made in or in connection with the Credit Agreement or any other Loan Document, (ii) the execution, legality, validity, enforceability, genuineness, sufficiency or value of the Loan Documents or any collateral thereunder, (iii) the financial condition of Borrower, any of its Subsidiaries or Affiliates or any other Person obligated in respect of any Loan Document or (iv) the performance or observance by Borrower, any of its Subsidiaries or Affiliates or any other Person of any of their respective obligations under any Loan Document.

1.2. Assignee. [The][Each] Assignee (a) represents and warrants that (i) it has full power and authority, and has taken all action necessary, to execute and deliver this Assignment and Assumption and to consummate the transactions contemplated hereby and to become a Lender under the Credit Agreement, (ii) it meets all the requirements to be an assignee under **Section 12.06(b)(iii)** and (v) of the Credit Agreement (subject to such consents, if any, as may be required under **Section 12.06(b)(iii)** of the Credit Agreement), (iii) from and after the Effective Date, it shall be bound by the provisions of the Credit Agreement as a Lender thereunder and, to the extent of [the][the relevant] Assigned Interest, shall have the obligations of a Lender thereunder, (iv) it is sophisticated with respect to decisions to acquire assets of the type represented by [the][such] Assigned Interest and either it, or the Person exercising discretion in making its decision to acquire [the][such] Assigned Interest, is experienced in acquiring assets of such type, (v) it has received a copy of the Credit Agreement, and has received or has been accorded the opportunity to receive copies of the most recent financial statements delivered pursuant to **Sections 8.01(a)** or **8.01(b)** thereof, as applicable, and such other documents and information as it deems appropriate to make its own credit analysis and decision to enter into this Assignment and Assumption and to purchase [the][such] Assigned Interest, (vi) it has, independently and without reliance upon Administrative Agent or any other Lender and based on such documents and information as it has deemed appropriate, made its own credit analysis and decision to enter into this Assignment and Assumption and to purchase [the][such] Assigned Interest, and (vii) if it is a Foreign Lender, attached hereto is any documentation required to be delivered by it pursuant to the terms of the Credit Agreement, duly completed and executed by [the][such] Assignee; and (b) agrees that (i) it will, independently and without reliance upon Administrative Agent, [the][any] Assignor or any other Lender, and based on such documents and information as it shall deem appropriate at the time, continue to make its own credit decisions in taking or not taking action under the Loan Documents, and (ii) it will perform in accordance with their terms all of the obligations which by the terms of the Loan Documents are required to be performed by it as a Lender.

2. Payments. From and after the Effective Date, Administrative Agent shall make all payments in respect of [the][each] Assigned Interest (including payments of principal, interest, fees and other amounts) to [the][the relevant] Assignor for amounts which have accrued to but excluding the Effective Date and to [the][the relevant] Assignee for amounts which have accrued from and after the Effective Date.

3. General Provisions. This Assignment and Assumption shall be binding upon, and inure to the benefit of, the parties hereto and their respective successors and assigns. This Assignment and Assumption may be executed in any number of counterparts, which together shall constitute one instrument. Delivery of an executed counterpart of a signature page of this Assignment and Assumption by telecopy shall be effective as delivery of a manually executed counterpart of this Assignment and Assumption. This Assignment and Assumption shall be governed by, and construed in accordance with, the law of the State of New York.

FORM OF ADMINISTRATIVE QUESTIONNAIRE

ADMINISTRATIVE DETAILS REPLY FORM – (US DOLLAR ONLY)
CONFIDENTIAL



1. Borrower or Deal Name: Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P.

(i) E-mail this document with your commitment letter to: [_____]

E-mail address of recipient: [_____]

2. Legal Name of Lender of Record for Signature Page:

Markit Entity Identifier (MEI) # _____

Fund Manager Name (if applicable) _____

Legal Address from Tax Document of Lender of Record:

Country _____

Address _____

City _____ State/Province _____ Country _____

3. Domestic Funding Address:

Street Address _____

Suite/ Mail Code _____

City _____

State _____

Postal Code _____

Country _____

4. Eurodollar Funding Address:

Street Address _____

Suite/Mail Code _____

City _____

State _____

Postal Code _____

Country _____

5. Credit Contact Information:

Syndicate level information (which may contain material non-public information about the Borrower and its related parties or their respective securities will be made available to the Credit Contact(s). The Credit Contacts identified must be able to receive such information in accordance with his/her institution's compliance procedures and applicable laws, including Federal and State securities laws.

Primary Credit Contact:

First Name

Middle Name

Last Name

Title

Street Address

Suite/Mail Code

City

State

Postal Code

Country

Office Telephone #

Office Facsimile #

Work E-Mail Address

IntraLinks/SyndTrak
E-Mail Address

Secondary Credit Contact:

First Name

Middle Name

Last Name

Title

Street Address

Suite/Mail Code

City

State

Postal Code

Country

Office Telephone # _____
Office Facsimile # _____
Work E-Mail Address _____
IntraLinks/SyndTrak E-Mail Address _____

Primary Operations Contact:

First _____ MI __ Last _____
Title _____
Street Address _____

Secondary Operations Contact:

First _____ MI __ Last _____
Title _____
Street Address _____

Suite/Mail Code _____ Suite/Mail Code _____

City _____ State _____ City _____ State _____

Postal Code _____ Country _____ Postal Code _____ Country _____

Telephone _____ Facsimile _____ Telephone _____ Facsimile _____

E-Mail Address _____ E-Mail Address _____

IntraLinks/SyndTrak E-Mail Address _____ IntraLinks/SyndTrak E-Mail Address _____

Does Secondary Operations Contact need copy of notices? ____ YES ____ NO

Letter of Credit Contact:

Counsel:
First _____ MI __ Last _____
Title _____
Street Address _____

Draft Documentation Contact or Legal

First _____ MI __ Last _____
Title _____
Street Address _____

Suite/Mail Code _____ Suite/Mail Code _____

City _____ State _____ City _____ State _____
Postal Code _____ Country _____ Postal Code _____ Country _____
Telephone _____ Facsimile _____ Telephone _____ Facsimile _____
E-Mail Address _____ E-Mail Address _____

6. Lender's Fed Wire Payment Instructions:

Pay to:
Bank Name _____

ABA # _____

City _____ State _____

Account # _____

Account Name _____

Attention _____

7. Lender's Standby Letter of Credit, Commercial Letter of Credit, and Bankers' Acceptance Fed Wire Payment Instructions (if applicable):

Pay to:

Bank Name _____

ABA # _____

City _____ State _____

Account # _____

Account Name _____

Attention _____

Can the Lender's Fed Wire Payment Instructions in Section 6 be used? YES NO

8. Lender's Organizational Structure and Tax Status

Please refer to the enclosed withholding tax instructions below and then complete this section accordingly:

Lender Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN): _____ - _____

Tax Withholding Form Delivered to Bank of America (check applicable one):

W-9 W-8BEN W-8ECI W-8EXP W-8IMY

Tax Contact:

First _____ MI ___ Last _____
Title _____
Street Address _____
Suite/ Mail Code _____
City _____ State _____
Postal Code _____ Country _____
Telephone _____ Facsimile _____
E-Mail Address _____

NON-U.S. LENDER INSTITUTIONS

9. Corporations:

If your institution is incorporated outside of the United States for U.S. federal income tax purposes, and is the beneficial owner of the interest and other income it receives, you must complete one of the following three tax forms, as applicable to your institution: a.) Form W-8BEN (Certificate of Foreign Status of Beneficial Owner), b.) Form W-8ECI (Income Effectively Connected to a U.S. Trade or Business), or c.) Form W-8EXP (Certificate of Foreign Government or Governmental Agency).

A U.S. taxpayer identification number is required for any institution submitting a Form W-8 ECI. It is also required on Form W-8BEN for certain institutions claiming the benefits of a tax treaty with the U.S. Please refer to the instructions when completing the form applicable to your institution. In addition, please be advised that U.S. tax regulations do not permit the acceptance of faxed forms. **An original tax form must be submitted.**

9. Flow-Through Entities

If your institution is organized outside the U.S., and is classified for U.S. federal income tax purposes as either a Partnership, Trust, Qualified or Non-Qualified Intermediary, or other non-U.S. flow-through entity, an original Form W-8IMY (Certificate of Foreign Intermediary, Foreign Flow-Through Entity, or Certain U.S. branches for United States Tax Withholding) must be completed by the intermediary together with a withholding statement. Flow-through entities other than Qualified Intermediaries are required to include tax forms for each of the underlying beneficial owners.

Please refer to the instructions when completing this form. In addition, please be advised that U.S. tax regulations do not permit the acceptance of faxed forms. **Original tax form(s) must be submitted.**

U.S. LENDER INSTITUTIONS:

If your institution is incorporated or organized within the United States, you must complete and return Form W-9 (Request for Taxpayer Identification Number and Certification). **Please be advised that we require an original form W-9.**

Pursuant to the language contained in the tax section of the Credit Agreement, the applicable tax form for your institution must be completed and returned on or prior to the date on which your institution becomes a lender under this Credit Agreement. Failure to provide the proper tax form when requested will subject your institution to U.S. tax withholding.

*Additional guidance and instructions as to where to submit this documentation can be found at this link:



Tax Form Tool Kit
2012.docx

9. Bank of America's Payment Instructions:

Pay to: Bank of America, N.A.
ABA # 026009593
New York, NY
Account # [_____]
Attn: Corporate Credit Services
Ref: Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P.

Exhibit E-2

FORM OF BORROWING BASE PROPERTY REPORT

Financial Statement Date: _____,

To: Bank of America, N.A., as Administrative Agent

Ladies and Gentlemen:

Reference is made to that certain Credit Agreement, dated as of July 24, 2013 (as amended, restated, extended, supplemented or otherwise modified in writing from time to time, the "**Agreement**;" the terms defined therein being used herein as therein defined), among Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P., a Maryland limited partnership ("**Borrower**"), Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc., a Maryland corporation ("**Parent**"), the Lenders from time to time party thereto, and Bank of America, N.A., as Administrative Agent, L/C Issuer and Swing Line Lender.

The undersigned Responsible Officer hereby certifies as of the date hereof that he/she is the [] of Parent, and that, as such, he/she is authorized to execute and deliver this Borrowing Base Property Report to Administrative Agent on the behalf of Parent, for itself and on behalf of Borrower, and that:

The information relating to the Borrowing Base Properties set forth on **Schedule I** attached hereto is true and accurate on and as of the date of this Certificate.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has executed this Certificate as of _____, _____.

[SIGNATURE PAGE FOLLOWS]

PARENT:

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, INC.,
a Maryland corporation

By: _____
Name:
Title:

BORROWING BASE PROPERTY REPORT

SCHEDULE I

PREPARED ON [_____]

FOR

THE PERIOD ENDING [_____]

<u>Name of Property</u>	<u>Address</u>	<u>City, State</u>	<u>Property Type</u>	<u>NRSF</u>	<u>Occupancy (Current)</u>	<u>Occupancy (Projected)</u>	<u>NOI (TTM)</u>	<u>NOI (Projected)</u>	<u>Implied Values</u>	<u>Percentage of all Borrowing Base Properties</u>
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Exhibit F – Schedule I

FORM OF U.S. TAX COMPLIANCE CERTIFICATES

(For Foreign Lenders That Are Not Partnerships For U.S. Federal Income Tax Purposes)

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a California limited liability company

RIF I – Oxnard, LLC,
a California limited liability company

RIF I – Walnut, LLC,
a California limited liability company

Rexford Business Center – Fullerton, LLC,
a California limited liability company

RIF II – Kaiser, LLC,
a California limited liability company

and

RIF III – Irwindale, LLC,
a California limited liability company

as Borrower,

and

BANK OF AMERICA, N.A.,
a national banking association,

as Lender,

with respect to

15317 - 15339 & 15241 - 15277 Don Julian Road, City of Industry, CA,

300 South Lewis Road, Camarillo, Los Angeles, CA

2220 - 2260 Camino Del Sol, Oxnard, CA

2300 - 2320, 2340 - 2358 and 2380 - 2386 E. Walnut Avenue, Fullerton, CA

1335 Park Center Drive, Vista, CA

and

15715 E. Arrow Highway, Irwindale, CA

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Recitals

Borrower has applied to Lender for a loan for the purpose of refinancing the real property that will serve as security for the loan. Lender has agreed to make the loan on the terms and conditions set forth in this Agreement and in the other documents evidencing and securing the loan.

Now, therefore, in consideration of the premises, and in further consideration of the mutual covenants and agreements herein set forth, the parties covenant and agree as follows:

Agreements

Article I

General Information.

Section 1.1 Conditions to Closing.

The conditions precedent to closing the Loan and recording the Mortgage are set forth in the Closing Checklist.

Section 1.2 Schedules.

The Schedules attached to this Agreement are incorporated herein and made a part hereof.

Section 1.3 Defined Terms.

Capitalized terms in this Agreement shall have the meanings ascribed to such terms in the Preamble hereto and in Schedule 1.

Article II

Terms of the Loan.

Section 2.1 The Loan.

Borrower agrees to borrow the Loan from Lender, and Lender agrees to lend the Loan to Borrower, subject to the terms and conditions herein set forth, in an amount not to exceed the Loan Amount. Interest shall accrue and be payable in arrears only on sums advanced hereunder for the period of time outstanding. The Loan is not a revolving loan; amounts repaid may not be re-borrowed.

Section 2.2 Initial Advance.

At closing, Lender shall credit Borrower for its \$50,000 good faith deposit against the costs specified in subsection below and shall advance Loan proceeds in the amount of \$60,000,000 as follows:

(a) First, to Lender, the sum of \$300,000.00 for the Loan Fee; and

(b) Second, to the Title Company, an amount equal to \$59,750,000 which shall be used to pay Lender's legal fees and other expenses incurred in connection with the closing of the Loan, to pay certain costs and expenses of the Title Company, to pay a portion of Borrower's cost of refinancing the Property, and to pay or reimburse Borrower for other documented third party costs incurred by Borrower in connection with the closing of the escrow as specified in Borrower's written instructions to the Title Company as shown on the settlement statement approved by Lender in writing.

Section 2.3 Intentionally Omitted.

Section 2.4 Intentionally Omitted.

Section 2.5 Liability of Lender.

Lender shall in no event be responsible or liable to any Person other than Borrower for the disbursement of or failure to disburse the Loan proceeds or any part thereof and no Person other than Borrower shall have any right or claim against Lender under this Agreement or the other Loan Documents.

Section 2.6 Reconveyances.

Upon request of the Borrower to obtain the release and reconveyance of the RIF I - Don Julian Mortgage, the RIF I - Lewis Road Mortgage, the RIF I - Oxnard Mortgage, the RIF I - Walnut Mortgage, the RIF II - Kaiser Mortgage or the RIF III - Irwindale Mortgage to be designated and described at the time of request (the Property to be conveyed being referred to herein as the "Release Parcel"), Lender will grant such release and execute and deliver to Borrower, with respect to the Release Parcel, a Deed of Reconveyance and modifications to the financing statements in connection with the Loan, provided the following conditions are met:

(a) Borrower provides, and Lender will have approved, in its reasonable discretion, any easements, reciprocal easement agreements, covenants, conditions and restrictions or any modification to existing easements, reciprocal easement agreements, covenants, conditions and restrictions or other documents or agreements necessitated by the release for the use, maintenance and operation of the Release Parcel and the remaining portion of the Property which burden or benefit the Release Parcel or the remainder of the Property;

(b) not less than 30 days prior to the proposed date of the reconveyance, Borrower deliver to Lender a notice setting forth (i) the identity of the Release Parcel, (ii) the date of the reconveyance; (iii) the name of the proposed transferee or proposed lender; and (iv) any other information reasonably necessary for Lender to analyze the terms of the reconveyance. The notice will be accompanied by a copy of the documents effecting the transfer of the Release Parcel

(c) on the date Borrower delivers to Lender notice of the proposed reconveyance and on the date of the reconveyance, there is no Default or Event of Default under the Loan Documents on either the notice date or the release date;

(d) Borrower delivers to Lender evidence satisfactory to Lender that Borrower have complied with any applicable requirements of easements, covenants conditions and restrictions affecting the Property or the leases applicable to the reconveyance, that the reconveyance does not violate any of the provisions thereof and, to the extent necessary to comply therewith or the leases, that the transferee has assumed all of Borrower's obligations relating to the Release Parcel thereunder;

(e) Borrower delivers to Lender an endorsement to Lender's title insurance policy or policies satisfactory to Lender that (i) extends the effective date of the policy to the effective date of the reconveyance; (ii) confirms no change in the priority of the Mortgages on the balance of the Property or in the amount of coverage; (iii) consents to the reconveyance; (iv) waives any defense resulting from the reconveyance; (v) to the extent of the value of the Release Parcel, waives any right of subrogation; and (vi) confirms that the Release Parcel and the balance of the Property constitute a separate tax lot;

(f) not less than ten (10) days prior to the date of the reconveyance, Borrower deliver to Lender consents to the reconveyance by and estoppels from entities holding liens affecting the Property or holding any other interests in the Property that would be affected by the reconveyance, including parties to any Leases;

(g) Borrower deliver to Lender evidence satisfactory to Lender that the Release Parcel and the balance of the Property each separately conforms to and is in compliance with all subdivision laws (as evidenced by the issuance of an endorsement to Lender's title insurance policy or policies satisfactory to Lender) and the balance of the Property is a self-contained unit, having direct on-site connection to all utilities or via easements acceptable to Lender in its sole discretion and direct access to one or more public streets, all in a location and configuration acceptable to Lender;

(h) Borrower pay Lender all of Lender's reasonable costs and expenses relating to the reconveyance, including Lender's attorneys' fees, appraisal fees, engineering fees, title fees and Trustee's attorneys' fees;

(i) Borrower deliver to Lender copies of the executed documents evidencing the transfer or refinancing of the Release Parcel;

(j) Borrower deliver to Lender any other information, approvals and documents reasonably required by Lender relating to the reconveyance; and

(k) prior to or concurrently with the reconveyance of the Release Parcel, Lender shall have received a repayment on the Loan in an amount equal to the greatest of (x) the Allocated Loan Amount for such Release Parcel, (y) such amount, as determined by Lender in its sole discretion, as would cause the Debt Service Coverage Ratio (using the definitions set forth in Schedule 8) to equal 1.35 to 1.00 after the reconveyance and after taking into account the paydown required by this subsection, or (z) such amount, as determined by Lender in its sole discretion, as would cause the Loan-to-Value Ratio to equal to sixty-five percent (65%) after taking into account the paydown required by this subsection. "Loan-to-Value Ratio" means the current Net Commitment Amount of the Loan divided by the appraised "As-Is" value of the Property which will remain subject to the lien of the Mortgage following the reconveyance. The appraised "As-Is" value of the Property shall be based upon appraisals prepared by a third-party appraiser acceptable to, and engaged directly by, Lender. Each appraisal shall be satisfactory to Lender in all respects, as reviewed, adjusted and approved by Lender.

Upon the reconveyance of a Mortgage pursuant to this Section 2.6, the obligations of the Grantor named therein under the Loan Documents shall terminate as and to the same extent as said obligations would terminate upon the full repayment of the Loan.

Section 2.7 Substitution of Collateral.

Borrower may from time-to-time request that Lender accept substitute real property collateral in place of all or a portion of the Property then encumbered by the Mortgage. Any proposed substitute property collateral must, in the aggregate, result in the new real property collateral and that portion of the Property which will remain encumbered by the Mortgage following the collateral substitution having:

(a) a combined Debt Service Coverage Ratio equal to or greater than the higher of (i) 1.35 to 1.00 or (ii) the Debt Service Coverage Ratio of that portion of the Property which is encumbered by the Mortgage at the time of Borrower's request; and

(b) a combined Loan-to-Value Ratio equal to or lesser than the lower of (i) sixty-five percent (65%), or (ii) the Loan-to-Value Ratio of that portion of the Property which is encumbered by the Mortgage at the time of Borrower's request.

The applicable Debt Service Coverage Ratios and Loan-to-Value Ratios specified above in this Section 2.7 shall be determined by an appraisal or appraisals prepared by a third-party appraiser acceptable to, and engaged directly by, Lender, which appraisal(s) shall be satisfactory to Lender in all respects, as reviewed, adjusted and approved by Lender. If any of the Debt Service Coverage Ratio or Loan-to-Value Ratio requirements specified above in this Section 2.7 are not met, Borrower may satisfy such requirements by making a voluntary paydown of the Loan, subject to the satisfaction of any conditions to prepayment, including the payment of any prepayment fee or premium, together with a mutually agreed-upon reduction in the committed amount of the Loan.

The acceptance of such substitute collateral shall be in Lender's sole discretion but shall be determined by Lender in good faith based on the factors and criteria upon which Lender, at the time of Borrower's request, bases its determination of whether or not to make loans similar to the Loan and secured by industrial property in Southern California (except that in the case of debt service coverage ratio and loan-to-value ratio underwriting criteria, the Debt Service Coverage Ratio and Loan-to-Value Ratio tests specified above shall control over any current underwriting standards then in place), and if Lender agrees to accept such substitute collateral based on such factors and criteria, then the acceptance of such substitute collateral such shall be subject to all of the underwriting and due diligence requirements and loan documentation as were applicable to the making of the Loan, including the requirements set forth in the closing checklist and in Schedule C to the term sheet for the Loan, and the requirements set forth herein.

Section 2.8 Additional Guarantys.

At any time prior to the Maturity Date (as defined in the Note) one or more of the limited partners of Rexford L.P. and/or other Affiliates of Borrower or Rexford L.P. may, from time to time, elect to execute and deliver a guaranty (such as, by way of example only, bottom dollar guarantys) to Lender in form provided by Borrower and acceptable to Lender. Lender shall accept such guaranty(s) upon the delivery thereof provided that (a) Lender in good faith determines that Lender's rights, remedies and security under the Loan Documents will not be materially and adversely diminished, limited, impaired, restricted or otherwise jeopardized as a result of such acceptance, and (b) Lender is not precluded by Law from doing so (including under all anti-money laundering rules and regulations, including the Act, and the Dodd-Frank Wall Street Reform And Consumer Protection Act).

Article III
Representations and Warranties.

Borrower represents and warrants to Lender that:

Section 3.1 Organization, Power and Authority of Borrower; Loan Documents.

Borrower (a) is a limited liability company duly organized, existing and in good standing under the Laws of the state in which it is organized and is duly qualified to do business and in good standing in the state in which the Land is located (if different from the state of its formation) and in any other state where the nature of Borrower's business or property requires it to be qualified to do business, and (b) has the power, authority and legal right to own its property and carry on the business now being conducted by it and to engage in the transactions contemplated by the Loan Documents. The Loan Documents to which Borrower is a party have been duly executed and delivered by Borrower, and the execution and delivery of, and the carrying out of the transactions contemplated by, such Loan Documents, and the performance and observance of the terms and conditions thereof, have been duly authorized by all necessary organizational action by and on behalf of Borrower. The Loan Documents to which Borrower is a party constitute the valid and legally binding obligations of Borrower and are fully enforceable against Borrower in accordance with their respective terms, except to the extent that such enforceability may be limited by Laws generally affecting the enforcement of creditors' rights.

Section 3.2 Other Documents; Laws.

The execution and performance of the Loan Documents to which Borrower is a party and the consummation of the transactions contemplated thereby will not conflict with, result in any breach of, or constitute a default under, the organizational documents of Borrower, or any contract, agreement, document or other instrument to which Borrower is a party or by which Borrower or any of its properties may be bound or affected, and such actions do not and will not violate or contravene any Law to which Borrower is subject.

Section 3.3 Taxes.

Borrower has filed all federal, state, county and municipal tax returns required to have been filed by Borrower and has paid all Taxes which have become due pursuant to such returns or pursuant to any tax assessments received by Borrower.

Section 3.4 Legal Actions.

There are no Claims or investigations by or before any court or Governmental Authority, pending, or to the best of Borrower's knowledge and belief, threatened against or affecting Borrower, Borrower's business or the Property. Borrower is not in default with respect to any order, writ, injunction, decree or demand of any court or any Governmental Authority affecting Borrower or the Property.

Section 3.5 Nature of Loan.

Borrower is a business or commercial organization. The Loan is being obtained solely for business or investment purposes, and will not be used for personal, family, household or agricultural purposes.

Section 3.6 Trade Names.

Borrower conducts its business solely under the name set forth in the Preamble to this Agreement and makes use of no trade names in connection therewith, unless such trade names have been previously disclosed to Lender in writing.

Section 3.7 Financial Statements.

The financial statements heretofore delivered by Borrower and each Guarantor to Lender are true and correct in all respects, have been prepared in accordance with sound accounting principles consistently applied, and fairly present the respective financial conditions of the subjects thereof as of the respective dates thereof.

Section 3.8 No Material Adverse Change.

No material adverse change has occurred in the financial conditions reflected in the financial statements of Borrower or any Guarantor since the respective dates of such statements, and no material additional liabilities have been incurred by Borrower since the dates of such statements other than the borrowings contemplated herein or as approved in writing by Lender.

Section 3.9 ERISA and Prohibited Transactions.

As of the date hereof and throughout the term of the Loan: (a) Borrower is not and will not be (i) an "employee benefit plan," as defined in Section 3(3) of ERISA, (ii) a "governmental plan" within the meaning of Section 3(32) of ERISA, or (iii) a "plan" within the meaning of Section 4975(e) of the Code; (b) the assets of Borrower do not and will not constitute "plan assets" within the meaning of the United States Department of Labor Regulations set forth in Section 2510.3-101 of Title 29 of the Code of Federal Regulations; (c) transactions by or with Borrower are not and will not be subject to state statutes applicable to Borrower regulating investments of fiduciaries with respect to governmental plans; and (d) Borrower will not engage in any transaction that would cause any Obligation or any action taken or to be taken hereunder (or the exercise by Lender of any of its rights under the Mortgage or any of the other Loan Documents) to be a non-exempt (under a statutory or administrative class exemption) prohibited transaction under ERISA or Section 4975 of the Code. Borrower agrees to deliver to Lender such certifications or other evidence of compliance with the provisions of this Section as Lender may from time to time request.

Section 3.10 Compliance with Laws and Zoning and Other Requirements; Encroachments.

Borrower is in compliance with the requirements of all applicable Laws. To the best of Borrower's knowledge, the use of the Property complies with applicable zoning ordinances, regulations and restrictive covenants affecting the Land. All use and other requirements of any Governmental Authority having jurisdiction over the Property have been satisfied. No violation of any Law exists with respect to the Property. The Improvements are constructed entirely on the Land and do not encroach upon any easement or right-of-way, or upon the land of others. The Improvements comply with all applicable building restriction lines and set-backs, however established, and are in strict compliance with all applicable use or other restrictions and the provisions of all applicable agreements, declarations and covenants and all applicable zoning and subdivision ordinances and regulations.

Section 3.11 Certificates of Occupancy.

To the best of Borrower's knowledge, all certificates of occupancy and other permits and licenses necessary or required in connection with the use and occupancy of the Improvements have been validly issued.

Section 3.12 Utilities; Roads; Access.

To the best of Borrower's knowledge, all utility services necessary for the operation of the Improvements for their intended purposes have been fully installed, including telephone service, cable television, water supply, storm and sanitary sewer facilities, natural gas and electric facilities, including cabling for telephonic and data communication, and the capacity to send and receive wireless communication. All roads and other accesses necessary to serve the Land and Improvements have been completed, are serviceable in all weather, and where required by the appropriate Governmental Authority, have been dedicated to and formally accepted by such Governmental Authority.

Section 3.13 Other Liens.

Except for contracts for labor, materials and services furnished or to be furnished in connection with any construction at the Property, including any construction of tenant improvements, Borrower has made no contract or arrangement of any kind the performance of which by the other party thereto would give rise to a lien on the Property.

Section 3.14 No Defaults.

There is no Default or Event of Default under any of the Loan Documents, and there is no default or event of default under any material contract, agreement or other document related to the construction or operation of the Improvements.

Section 3.15 Representations and Warranties.

Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in Article 3 of this Agreement, Article 3 of the Mortgage, and/or Section 2 of the Environmental Indemnity, all of Borrower's representations and warranties contained therein, as applicable, shall be subject to the condition of the Property as disclosed in:

(i) that certain "Phase I Environmental Site Assessment for Multi-Tenant Office-Warehouse Buildings, 15241-15277 and 15317-15339 East Don Julian Road, City of Industry, California 91745" dated June 17, 2013 prepared by ADR Environmental Group, Inc.,

(ii) that certain "Seismic Damageability Assessment Probable Maximum Loss Assessment, 15241-15277 and 15317-15339 Don Julian Road, City of Industry, California 91745" dated June 11, 2013 (Andersen Environmental Project No. 1305-826) prepared by Andersen Environmental,

(iii) that certain "Phase I Environmental Site Assessment for Multi-Tenant Industrial Building, 300 South Lewis Road, Camarillo, California 93012" dated June 7, 2013 prepared by ADR Environmental Group, Inc.,

(iv) that certain "Seismic Damageability Assessment Probable Maximum Loss Assessment, 300 South Lewis Road, Camarillo, California 93013" dated June 11, 2013 (Andersen Environmental Project No. 1305-826) prepared by Andersen Environmental,

(v) that certain "Phase I Environmental Site Assessment for Multi-Tenant Industrial Building, 2220-2260 Camino Del Sol, Oxnard, California 93030" dated June 7, 2013 prepared by ADR Environmental Group, Inc.,

(vi) that certain "Seismic Damageability Assessment Probable Maximum Loss Assessment:, 2220-2260 Camino Del Sol, Oxnard, California 93030" dated June 11, 2013 (Andersen Environmental Project No. 1305-826) prepared by Andersen Environmental,

(vii) that certain "Phase I Environmental Site Assessment for Fullerton Business Park, 2300-2386 East Walnut Avenue, Fullerton, California 92831" dated June 7, 2013 prepared by ADR Environmental Group, Inc.,

(viii) that certain "Seismic Damageability Assessment Probable Maximum Loss Assessment, 2300-2386 East Walnut Avenue, Fullerton, California 92831" dated June 11, 2013 (Andersen Environmental Project No. 1302-305) prepared by Andersen Environmental;

(ix) that certain "Phase I Environmental Site Assessment for Light Industrial Property, 1335 Park Center Drive, Vista, California 92081" dated June 7, 2013 prepared by ADR Environmental Group, Inc.,

(x) that certain "Seismic Damageability Assessment Probable Maximum Loss Assessment, 1335 Park Center Drive, Vista, California 92081" dated June 11, 2013 (Andersen Environmental Project No. 1305-826) prepared by Andersen Environmental,

(xi) that certain "Phase I Environmental Site Assessment for Biosense Webster, 15715 Arrow Highway, Irwindale, California 91706" dated June 7, 2013 prepared by ADR Environmental Group, Inc., and

(xii) that certain "Seismic Damageability Assessment Probable Maximum Loss Assessment, 15715 East Arrow Highway, Irwindale, California 91706" dated June 11, 2013 (Andersen Environmental Project No. 1305-826) prepared by Andersen Environmental.

Article IV
Affirmative Covenants and Agreements.

Borrower covenants as of the date hereof and until such time as all Obligations shall be indefeasibly paid and performed in full, that:

Section 4.1 Compliance with Laws; Use of Proceeds.

Borrower shall comply with all Laws and all orders, writs, injunctions, decrees and demands of any court or any Governmental Authority affecting Borrower or the Property, provided, however that so long as Lender determines that neither the operation of the Property nor Lender's security for the Loan is diminished or jeopardized thereby, Borrower shall have the right to contest any such laws orders, injunction, decree or demand, provided that Borrower does so diligently and without prejudice to Lender. Borrower shall use all proceeds of the Loan for business purposes which are not in contravention of any Law or any Loan Document.

Section 4.2 Inspections; Cooperation.

Subject to the security requirements of tenants pursuant to applicable leases, Borrower shall permit representatives of Lender to enter upon the Land, to inspect the Improvements and any and all materials to be used in connection with any construction at the Property, including any construction of tenant improvements, to examine all detailed plans and shop drawings and similar materials as well as all records and books of account maintained by or on behalf of Borrower relating thereto and to discuss the affairs, finances and accounts pertaining to the Loan and the Improvements with representatives of Borrower. Borrower shall at all times cooperate and cause each and every one of its contractors, subcontractors and material suppliers to cooperate with the representatives of Lender in connection with or in aid of the performance of Lender's functions under this Agreement. Except in the event of an emergency, Lender shall give Borrower at least one (1) Banking Day's prior notice by telephone in each instance before entering upon the Land and/or exercising any other rights granted in this Section.

Section 4.3 Payment and Performance of Contractual Obligations.

Borrower shall perform in a timely manner all of its obligations under any and all contracts and agreements related to any construction activities at the Property or the maintenance or operation of the Improvements, and Borrower will pay when due all bills for services or labor performed and materials supplied in connection with such construction, maintenance and/or operation. Within sixty (60) days after the filing of any mechanic's lien or other lien or encumbrance against the Property, Borrower will promptly discharge the same by payment or filing a bond or otherwise as permitted by Law. So long as Lender's security has been protected by the filing of a bond or otherwise in a manner satisfactory to Lender in its sole and absolute discretion, Borrower shall have the right to contest in good faith any claim, lien or encumbrance, provided that Borrower does so diligently and without prejudice to Lender or delay in completing construction of any tenant improvements.

Section 4.4 Insurance.

Borrower shall maintain the following insurance at its sole cost and expense:

(a) Insurance against Casualty to the Property under a policy or policies covering such risks as are presently included in "special form" (also known as "all risk") coverage, including such risks as are ordinarily insured against by similar businesses, but in any event including fire, lightning, windstorm, hail, explosion, riot, riot attending a strike, civil commotion, damage from aircraft, smoke, vandalism, malicious mischief and acts of terrorism. Such insurance shall name Lender as mortgagee and loss payee. Unless otherwise agreed in writing by Lender, such insurance shall be for the full insurable value of the Property on a replacement cost basis, with a deductible amount, if any, satisfactory to Lender. No policy of insurance shall be written such that the proceeds thereof will produce less than the minimum coverage required by this Section by reason of co-insurance provisions or otherwise. The term "full insurable value" means one hundred percent (100%) of the actual replacement cost of the Property, including tenant improvements (excluding excavation costs and costs of underground flues, pipes, drains and other uninsurable items).

(b) Comprehensive (also known as commercial) general liability insurance on an "occurrence" basis against claims for "personal injury" liability and liability for death, bodily injury and damage to property, products and completed operations, in limits satisfactory to Lender with respect to any one occurrence and the aggregate of all occurrences during any given annual policy period. Such insurance shall name Lender as an additional insured.

(c) Workers' compensation insurance for all employees of Borrower in such amount as is required by Law and including employer's liability insurance, if required by Lender.

(d) During any period of construction of tenant improvements, Borrower shall maintain, or cause others to maintain, such insurance as may be required by Lender of the type customarily carried in the case of similar construction for one hundred percent (100%) of the full replacement cost of materials stored at or upon the Property. During any period of other construction upon the Property, Borrower shall maintain, or cause others to maintain, builder's risk insurance (non-reporting form) of the type customarily carried in the case of similar construction for one hundred percent (100%) of the full replacement cost of work in place and materials stored at or upon the Property.

(e) If at any time any portion of any structure on the Property is insurable against Casualty by flood and is located in a Special Flood Hazard Area under the Flood Disaster Protection Act of 1973, as amended, a flood insurance policy on the structure and Borrower owned contents in form and amount acceptable to Lender but in no amount less than the amount sufficient to meet the requirements of applicable Law as such requirements may from time to time be in effect. (f) Loss of rental value insurance and business interruption insurance in an amount equal to twelve (12) months of the projected gross income of the Property.

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(g) Such other and further insurance as may be required from time to time by Lender in order to comply with regular requirements and practices of Lender in similar transactions including, if required by Lender, boiler and machinery insurance, pollution liability insurance, wind insurance and earthquake insurance, so long as any such insurance is generally available at commercially reasonable premiums as determined by Lender from time to time and, with respect to earthquake insurance, only if the probably maximum loss for all of the Improvements exceeds 20% of the appraised value of the Improvements, as reasonably determined by Lender.

Each policy of insurance (i) shall be issued by one or more insurance companies each of which must have an A.M. Best Company financial and performance rating of A-IX or better and are qualified or authorized by the Laws of the State to assume the risks covered by such policy, (ii) with respect to the insurance described under the preceding Subsections (a), (d), (e) and (f), shall have attached thereto standard non-contributing, non-reporting mortgagee clauses in favor of and entitling Lender without contribution to collect any and all proceeds payable under such insurance, either as sole payee or as joint payee with Borrower, (iii) shall provide that such policy shall not be canceled or modified without at least thirty (30) days prior written notice to Lender, and (iv) shall provide that any loss otherwise payable thereunder shall be payable notwithstanding any act or negligence of Borrower which might, absent such agreement, result in a forfeiture of all or a part of such insurance payment. Borrower shall promptly pay all premiums when due on such insurance and, not less than ten (10) days prior to the expiration dates of each such policy, Borrower will deliver to Lender acceptable evidence of insurance, such as a renewal policy or policies marked "premium paid" or other evidence satisfactory to Lender reflecting that all required insurance is current and in force. Borrower will immediately give Notice to Lender of any cancellation of, or change in, any insurance policy. Lender shall not, because of accepting, rejecting, approving or obtaining insurance, incur any liability for (A) the existence, nonexistence, form or legal sufficiency thereof, (B) the solvency of any insurer, or (C) the payment of losses. Borrower may satisfy any insurance requirement hereunder by providing one or more "blanket" insurance policies, subject to Lender's approval in each instance as to limits, coverages, forms, deductibles, inception and expiration dates, and cancellation provisions.

Section 4.5 Adjustment of Condemnation and Insurance Claims.

Borrower shall give prompt Notice to Lender of any Casualty or any Condemnation or threatened Condemnation. Lender is authorized, at its sole and absolute option, to commence, appear in and prosecute, in its own or Borrower's name, any action or proceeding relating to any Condemnation or Casualty, and to make proof of loss for and to settle or compromise any Claim in connection therewith. In such case, Lender shall have the right to receive all Condemnation Awards and Insurance Proceeds, and may deduct therefrom any and all of its Expenses. However, so long as no Event of Default has occurred and if any Casualty or Condemnation individually or in the aggregate is less than \$250,000 in Claims, and if Borrower is diligently pursuing its rights and remedies with respect to a Claim, then Lender shall allow Borrower to make proof of loss for or settle or compromise such Claim. Borrower agrees to diligently assert its rights and remedies with respect to each Claim and to promptly pursue the settlement and compromise of each Claim subject to Lender's approval, which approval shall not be unreasonably withheld or delayed. If, prior to the receipt by Lender of any Condemnation Award or Insurance Proceeds, the Property shall have been sold pursuant to the provisions of the Mortgage, Lender shall have the right to receive such funds (a) to the extent of any deficiency found to be due upon such sale with interest thereon (whether or not a deficiency judgment on the Mortgage shall have been sought or recovered or denied), and (b) to the extent necessary to reimburse Lender for its Expenses. If any Condemnation Awards or Insurance Proceeds are paid to Borrower, Borrower shall receive the same in trust for Lender. Within ten (10) days after Borrower's receipt of any Condemnation Awards or Insurance Proceeds, Borrower shall deliver such awards or proceeds to Lender in the form in which they were received, together with any endorsements or documents that may be necessary to effectively negotiate or transfer the same to Lender. Borrower agrees to execute and deliver from time to time, upon the request of Lender, such further instruments or documents as may be requested by Lender to confirm the grant and assignment to Lender of any Condemnation Awards or Insurance Proceeds.

Section 4.6 Utilization of Net Proceeds.

(a) Net Proceeds must be utilized either for payment of the Obligations or for the restoration of the Property. Net Proceeds may be utilized for the restoration of the Property only if no Default or Event of Default shall exist and only if in the reasonable judgment of Lender (i) there has been no material adverse change in the financial viability of the Improvements, (ii) the Net Proceeds, together with other funds deposited with Lender for that purpose, are sufficient to pay the cost of the restoration pursuant to a budget and plans and specifications approved by Lender, (iii) the restoration can be completed prior to the final maturity of the Loan and prior to the date required by any permanent loan commitment or any purchase and sale agreement or by any Lease, and (iv) following restoration, the Property will have a fair market value at least equal to its fair market value immediately prior to the Casualty or Condemnation. Otherwise, Net Proceeds shall be utilized for payment of the Obligations.

(b) If Net Proceeds are to be utilized for the restoration of the Property, the Net Proceeds, together with any other funds deposited with Lender for that purpose, must be deposited in a Borrower's Deposit Account, which shall be an interest-bearing account, with all accrued interest to become part of Borrower's deposit. Borrower agrees that it shall include all interest and earnings on any such deposit as its income (and, if Borrower is a partnership or other pass-through entity, the income of its partners, members or beneficiaries, as the case may be), and shall be the owner of all funds on deposit in the Borrower's Deposit Account for federal and applicable state and local tax purposes. Lender shall have the exclusive right to manage and control all funds in the Borrower's Deposit Account, but Lender shall have no fiduciary duty with respect to such funds. Prior to the advance by Lender of any funds so deposited and the commencement of such restoration, Borrower shall take all steps necessary to avoid the imposition of any mechanics' liens on the Property or the Improvements. Thereafter, Lender will advance the deposited funds from time to time to Borrower for the payment of costs of restoration of the Property upon presentation of evidence acceptable to Lender that such restoration has been completed satisfactorily and lien-free. If at any time Lender determines that there is a deficiency in the funds available in the Borrower's Deposit Account to complete the restoration as contemplated, then Borrower will promptly deposit in the Borrower's Deposit Account additional funds equal to the amount of the deficiency. Any account fees and charges may be deducted from the balance, if any, in the Borrower's Deposit Account. Borrower grants to Lender a security interest in the Borrower's Deposit Account and all funds hereafter deposited to such deposit account, and any proceeds thereof, as security for the Obligations. Such security interest shall be governed by the Uniform Commercial Code of the State, and Lender shall have available to it all of the rights and remedies available to a secured party thereunder. The Borrower's Deposit Account may be established and held in such name or names as Lender shall deem appropriate, including in the name of Lender. Borrower hereby constitutes and appoints Lender and any officer or agent of Lender its true and lawful attorneys-in-fact with full power of substitution to open the Borrower's Deposit Account and to do any and every act that Borrower might do on its own behalf to fulfill the terms of this Section. To the extent permitted by Law, Borrower hereby ratifies all that said attorneys shall lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue hereof. It is understood and agreed that this power of attorney, which shall be deemed to be a power coupled with an interest, cannot be revoked.

Section 4.7 Management.

Borrower at all times shall provide for the competent and responsible management and operation of the Property by an Approved Manager. Any management contract or contracts affecting the Property must be approved in writing by Lender prior to the execution of the same.

Section 4.8 Books and Records; Financial Statements.

Borrower shall provide or cause to be provided to Lender all of the following:

(a) For each calendar quarter (and for the calendar year through the end of that quarter) (A) unaudited property operating reports which include all income and expenses in connection with the Property, and (B) rent rolls, as soon as reasonably practicable but in any event within sixty (60) days after the end of each such calendar quarter. Items provided under this paragraph shall be in form and detail satisfactory to Lender.

(b) Annual Financial Statements of Guarantor for each fiscal year of Guarantor, as soon as reasonably practicable and in any event within one hundred twenty (120) days after the close of each fiscal year.

(c) Compliance certificates evidencing Borrower's compliance with the financial covenants of Borrower set forth in Schedule 8, such certificates to be in such form, and be accompanied by such supporting information, as Lender shall specify and delivered by Borrower within sixty (60) days after each Determination Date.

(d) Compliance certificates evidencing Guarantor's compliance with the financial covenants of Guarantor set forth in Schedule 8, such certificates to be in such form, and be accompanied by such supporting information, as Lender shall specify and delivered by Borrower within one hundred twenty (120) days after the end of each fiscal year of Guarantor.

(e) From time to time promptly after Lender's request, such additional information, reports and statements respecting the Property and the Improvements, or the business operations and financial condition of each reporting party, as Lender may reasonably request.

Borrower will keep and maintain full and accurate books and records administered in accordance with sound accounting principles, consistently applied, showing in detail the earnings and expenses of the Property and the operation thereof. All Financial Statements shall be in form and detail satisfactory to Lender (Lender hereby acknowledging that so long as Guarantor's annual Financial Statements comply with all state and federal securities laws applicable to Guarantor, such form will be satisfactory to Lender) and shall contain or be attached to the signed and dated written certification of the reporting party in form specified by Lender to certify that the Financial Statements are furnished to Lender in connection with the extension of credit by Lender and constitute a true and correct statement of the reporting party's financial position. All certifications and signatures on behalf of corporations, partnerships, limited liability companies or other entities shall be by a representative of the reporting party satisfactory to Lender. All Financial Statements for a reporting party who is an individual shall be on Lender's then-current personal financial statement form or in another form satisfactory to Lender. All fiscal year-end Financial Statements of Guarantor shall be audited and certified, without any qualification or exception not acceptable to Lender, by independent certified public accountants acceptable to Lender, and shall contain all reports and disclosures required by generally accepted accounting principles for a fair presentation. All quarterly Financial Statements may be prepared by the applicable reporting party and shall include a minimum of a balance sheet, income statement, and statement of cash flow. Borrower shall provide, upon Lender's request, convenient facilities for the audit and verification of any such statement. Additionally, Borrower will provide Lender at Borrower's expense with all evidence that Lender may from time to time reasonably request as to compliance with all provisions of the Loan Documents. Borrower shall promptly notify Lender of any event or condition that could reasonably be expected to have a material adverse change in the financial condition of Borrower, of Guarantor (if known by Borrower), or in the construction progress of the Improvements.

Section 4.9 Estoppel Certificates.

Within ten (10) Banking Days after any request by Lender or a proposed assignee or purchaser of the Loan or any interest therein, Borrower shall certify in writing to Lender, or to such proposed assignee or purchaser, the then unpaid balance of the Loan and whether Borrower claims any right of defense or setoff to the payment or performance of any of the Obligations, and if Borrower claims any such right of defense or setoff, Borrower shall give a detailed written description of such claimed right.

Section 4.10 Taxes; Tax Receipts.

Borrower shall pay and discharge all Taxes prior to the date on which penalties are attached thereto unless and to the extent only that such Taxes are contested in accordance with the terms of the Mortgage. If Borrower fails, following demand, to provide Lender the tax receipts required under the Mortgage, without limiting any other remedies available to Lender, Lender may, at Borrower's sole expense, obtain and enter into a tax services contract with respect to the Property with a tax reporting agency satisfactory to Lender.

Section 4.11 Lender's Rights to Pay and Perform.

If, after any required notice, Borrower fails to promptly pay or perform any of the Obligations within any applicable grace or cure periods, Lender, without Notice to or demand upon Borrower, and without waiving or releasing any Obligation or Default, may (but shall be under no obligation to) at any time thereafter make such payment or perform such act for the account and at the expense of Borrower. Lender may enter upon the Property for that purpose and take all action thereon as Lender considers necessary or appropriate.

Section 4.12 Reimbursement; Interest.

If Lender shall incur any Expenses or pay any Claims by reason of the Loan or the rights and remedies provided under the Loan Documents (regardless of whether or not any of the Loan Documents expressly provide for an indemnification by Borrower against such Claims), Lender's payment of such Expenses and Claims shall constitute advances to Borrower which shall be paid by Borrower to Lender on demand, together with interest thereon from the date incurred until paid in full at the rate of interest then applicable to the Loan under the terms of the Note. Each advance arising out of the Environmental Agreement shall be unsecured. All other advances shall be secured by the Mortgage and the other Loan Documents as fully as if made to Borrower, regardless of the disposition thereof by the party or parties to whom such advance is made. Notwithstanding the foregoing, however, in any action or proceeding to foreclose the Mortgage or to recover or collect the Obligations, the provisions of Law governing the recovery of costs, disbursements and allowances shall prevail unaffected by this Section.

Section 4.13 Notification by Borrower.

Borrower will promptly give Notice to Lender of the occurrence of any Default or Event of Default hereunder or under any of the other Loan Documents. Borrower will also promptly give Notice to Lender of any claim of a default by Borrower, or any claim by Borrower of a default by any other party, under any property management contract or any Lease.

Section 4.14 Indemnification by Borrower.

Borrower agrees to indemnify Lender and to hold Lender harmless from and against, and to defend Lender by counsel approved by Lender against, any and all Claims directly or indirectly arising out of or resulting from any transaction, act, omission, event or circumstance in any way connected with the Property or the Loan, including any Claim arising out of or resulting from (a) any construction activity at the Property, including any defective workmanship or materials; (b) any failure by Borrower to comply with the requirements of any Laws or to comply with any agreement that applies or pertains to the Property, including any agreement with a broker or "finder" in connection with the Loan or other financing of the Property; (c) any failure by Borrower to observe and perform any of the obligations imposed upon the landlord under the Leases; (d) any other Default or Event of Default hereunder or under any of the other Loan Documents; or (e) any assertion or allegation that Lender is liable for any act or omission of Borrower or any other Person in connection with the ownership, development, financing, leasing, operation or sale of the Property; provided, however, that Borrower shall not be obligated to indemnify Lender with respect to any Claim arising solely from the gross negligence or willful misconduct of Lender. The agreements and indemnifications contained in this Section shall apply to Claims arising both before and after the repayment of the Loan and shall survive the repayment of the Loan, any foreclosure or deed, assignment or conveyance in lieu thereof and any other action by Lender to enforce the rights and remedies of Lender hereunder or under the other Loan Documents.

Section 4.15 Fees and Expenses.

Borrower shall pay all fees, charges, costs and expenses required to satisfy the conditions of the Loan Documents. Without limitation of the foregoing, Borrower will pay, when due, and if paid by Lender will reimburse Lender on demand for, all fees and expenses of any construction inspector (if any), the title insurer, environmental engineers, appraisers, surveyors and Lender's counsel in connection with the closing, administration, modification or any "workout" of the Loan, or the enforcement of Lender's rights and remedies under any of the Loan Documents; provided that Borrower shall not be obligated for any cost of any construction consultant (a) for any construction project, the reasonably anticipate total cost of which is below \$1,000,000, or (b) in excess of \$15,000 in the aggregate for any single construction project, except to the extent any such excess amounts are a result of (i) the construction consultant in good faith being required by Lender to perform services above and beyond its customary and typical scope of services because of a defect or problem with the construction or (ii) the work of the construction consultant is in connection with or a result of a Default.

Section 4.16 Appraisals.

Lender may obtain from time to time an appraisal of all or any part of the Property, prepared in accordance with written instructions from Lender, from a third-party appraiser satisfactory to, and engaged directly by, Lender. The cost of one such appraisal, including any costs for internal review thereof, obtained by Lender in each calendar year and the cost of each such appraisal obtained by Lender following the occurrence of an Event of Default shall be borne by Borrower and shall be paid by Borrower on demand.

Section 4.17 Leasing and Tenant Matters.

Borrower shall comply with the terms and conditions of Schedule 4 in connection with the leasing of space within the Improvements. In addition, Borrower shall deposit with Lender on the date of Borrower's receipt thereof any and all termination fees or other similar funds paid by tenant in connection with any tenant's election to exercise an early termination option contained in its respective Lease or otherwise at the Property (the "Termination Fee Deposit"). Lender shall have the right, in its sole and absolute discretion, at any time when an uncured Event of Default exists, to either (a) make the Termination Fee Deposit available to reimburse Borrower for Tenant Improvements and Leasing Commissions paid with respect to reletting the vacated space at the Property which shall be disbursed in accordance with the terms and conditions of Schedule 2 attached hereto, or (b) apply the Termination Fee Deposit to repay a portion of the outstanding principal balance of the Loan in accordance with Section 4 of the Note at any time when an unsecured Event of Default exists; provided that if no uncured Event of Default exists Lender shall make the Termination Fee Deposit available for the purposes specified in clause (a).

Section 4.18 Preservation of Rights.

Borrower shall obtain, preserve and maintain in good standing, as applicable, all rights, privileges and franchises necessary or desirable for the operation of the Property and the conduct of Borrower's business thereon or therefrom.

Section 4.19 Income from Property.

Borrower shall first apply all income derived from the Property, including all income from Leases, to pay costs and expenses incurred in connection with the ownership, maintenance, operation and leasing of the Property which are currently due and payable, including all amounts then required to be paid under the Loan Documents, before using or applying such income for any other purpose. No such income shall be distributed or paid to any member, partner, shareholder or, if Borrower is a trust, to any beneficiary or trustee, unless and until all such costs and expenses which are then due shall have been paid in full.

Section 4.20 Representations and Warranties.

Borrower shall take all actions and shall do all things necessary or desirable to cause all of Borrower's representations and warranties in this Agreement to be true and correct at all times.

Section 4.21 Deposit Accounts; Principal Depository.

Borrower shall maintain with Lender all deposit accounts related to the Property at all times that Bank of America, N.A., is the lender hereunder, including all operating accounts, any reserve or escrow accounts, any accounts from which Borrower may from time to time authorize Lender or Swap Counterparty to debit payments due on the Loan and any Swap Contracts, and any lockbox, cash management or other account into which tenants are required from time to time to pay rent. Borrower hereby grants to Lender a security interest in the foregoing accounts and deposit accounts. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, Borrower shall maintain Bank of America, N.A. as its principal depository bank at all times that Bank of America, N.A., is the lender hereunder, including for the maintenance of business, cash management, operating and administrative deposit accounts.

Section 4.22 Intentionally Omitted.

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Section 4.24 Swap Contracts.

In the event that Borrower shall elect to enter into a Swap Contract with Swap Counterparty, Borrower shall comply with all of the terms and conditions of Schedule 7 with respect to all Swap Contracts.

Section 4.25 Financial Covenants

Borrower and Guarantor shall comply with the terms and conditions of Schedule 8 with respect to financial covenants as described therein.

Section 4.26 Intentionally Omitted.

Section 4.27 Separateness.

(a) The sole purpose to be conducted or promoted by Borrower shall be to: (i) engage in the acquisition, ownership, leasing, operation, management, maintenance, redevelopment, renovation, refurbishment, rehabilitation, altering and improvement of the Property, (ii) enter into and perform its obligations under the Loan Documents; (iii) sell, transfer, service, convey, dispose of, pledge, assign, borrow money against, finance, refinance or otherwise deal with the Property to the extent permitted under the Loan Documents; and (iv) engage in any lawful act or activity and to exercise any powers permitted to limited liability companies organized under the laws of Delaware that are related or incidental to and necessary, convenient or advisable for the accomplishment of the above mentioned purposes.

(b) Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the Loan Documents or in any other document governing the formation, management or operation of Borrower, and in addition to the other restrictions on the activities of Borrower set forth in the Loan Documents, Borrower shall not: (i) guarantee any obligation of any person or entity, including any affiliate, or become obligated for the debts of any other person or entity or hold out its credit as being available to pay the obligations of any other person or entity; (ii) engage, directly or indirectly, in any business other than as required or permitted to be performed under this Section; (iii) engage in any dissolution (unless occurring as a matter of Applicable Law), liquidation, consolidation, merger, sale or other transfer of any of its assets outside the ordinary course of Borrower's business; (iv) buy or hold evidence of indebtedness issued by any other person or entity (other than cash or investment-grade securities); (v) form, acquire or hold any subsidiary (whether corporate, partnership, limited liability company or other) or own any equity interest in any other entity; or (vi) own any material asset or property other than the Property and incidental personal and intangible property necessary for or incidental to the ownership or operation of the Property.

(c) In order to maintain its status as a separate entity and to avoid any confusion or potential consolidation with any affiliate, Borrower shall observe the following covenants (collectively, the "Separateness Covenants"): (i) maintain books and records and bank accounts separate from those of any other person or entity; (ii) maintain its assets in such a manner that it is not costly or difficult to segregate, identify or ascertain such assets; (iii) comply with all organizational formalities necessary to maintain its separate existence; (iv) hold itself out to creditors and the public as a legal entity separate and distinct from any other entity; (v) maintain separate financial statements, showing its assets and liabilities separate and apart from those of any other Person and not have its assets listed on any financial statement of any other person or entity except that Borrower's assets may be included in a consolidated financial statement of its' affiliate so long as appropriate notation is made on such consolidated financial statements to indicate the separateness of Borrower from such affiliate and to indicate that Borrower's assets and credit are not available to satisfy the debts and other obligations of such affiliate or any other person or entity; (vii) except to the extent that the Borrower is treated as a disregarded entity, prepare and file its own tax returns separate from those of any person or entity to the extent required by applicable law, and pay any taxes required to be paid by applicable law; (viii) allocate and charge fairly and reasonably any common employee or overhead shared with affiliates; (ix) other than capital contributions and distributions permitted under the terms of its organizational documents, not enter into any transaction with any affiliate, except on an arm's-length basis on terms which are intrinsically fair and no less favorable than would be available for unaffiliated third parties, and pursuant to written, enforceable agreements; (x) conduct business in its own name, and use separate stationery, invoices and checks bearing its own name; (xi) not assume, guarantee or pay the debts or obligations of any other person or entity other than any other entity comprising Borrower; (xii) not permit any affiliate (other than any other entity comprising Borrower) to guarantee or pay its obligations (other than limited guarantees and indemnities pursuant to the Loan Documents and in connection with a sale of the Property); (xiii) not make loans or advances to any other person or entity other than any other entity comprising Borrower; (xiv) pay its liabilities and expenses out of and to the extent of its own funds, provided, however, nothing shall require the funding of any additional capital contributions to such entity; (xv) endeavor to maintain adequate capital for the normal obligations reasonably foreseeable in a business of its size and in light of its contemplated business purpose, transactions and liabilities; provided, however, that the foregoing shall not require any equity owner or other Person to make additional capital contributions to Borrower and there shall be no breach of this clause (xv) solely as a result of insufficient revenues from the Property; and (xviii) endeavor to cause the managers, officers, employees, agents and other representatives of Borrower to act at all times with respect to Borrower consistently and in furtherance of the foregoing and in the best interests of Borrower.

The failure of Borrower to comply with any of the covenants contained in this Section or any other covenants contained in this Agreement shall not affect the status of Borrower as a separate legal entity.

(d) Borrower covenants and agrees to incorporate the provisions contained in this Section into Borrower's organizational documents and Borrower agrees not to amend, modify or otherwise change its organizational documents with respect to the provisions of this Section.

Section 4.28 Post-Closing Covenants.

To the extent not already delivered to Lender as of the date hereof, Borrower shall use commercially reasonable efforts to deliver to Lender, within sixty (60) days after the closing, (a) estoppel certificates from tenants who lease, in the aggregate, eighty percent (80) of the net rentable area of the Improvements, (b) a subordination, non-disturbance and attornment agreement from Biosense Webster Inc. with respect to the RIF I – Irwindale Mortgage, and (iii) copies of amendments to the articles of organization of each Borrower in the form submitted to Lender on the date hereof, each certified to show that they have been filed with and accepted by the California Secretary of State effective as of the date hereof.

Borrower's failure to deliver any such estoppel certificate, such subordination, non-disturbance and attornment agreement or certified amendments to articles of organization within said sixty (60) day period shall constitute an Event of Default hereunder. Borrower shall deliver each estoppel certificate, such subordination, non-disturbance and attornment agreement and each certified amendment to the articles of organization to Lender at the following address: Bank of America, N.A., 333 South Hope Street, 20th Floor, Los Angeles, California 90071, Attention: Julie Elterman.

Article V
Negative Covenants.

Borrower covenants as of the date hereof and until such time as all Obligations shall be paid and performed in full, that:

Section 5.1 Conditional Sales.

Without the prior written consent of Lender (which consent shall not be unreasonably withheld provided no uncured Event of Default then exists), Borrower shall not incorporate in the Improvements any property acquired under a conditional sales contract or lease or as to which the vendor retains title or a security interest, in an amount in excess of \$250,000 in the case of any single contract or lease or \$2,000,000 in the aggregate with respect to all such contracts and leases in effect at any time.

Section 5.2 Insurance Policies and Bonds.

Borrower shall not do or permit to be done anything that would affect the coverage or indemnities provided for pursuant to the provisions of any insurance policy, performance bond, labor and material payment bond or any other bond given in connection with any construction at the Property, including any construction of tenant improvements.

Section 5.3 Commingling.

Neither RIF I – Don Julian, LLC, RIF I – Lewis Road, LLC, RIF I – Oxnard, LLC, RIF I – Walnut, LLC, Rexford Business Center – Fullerton, LLC, RIF II – Kaiser, LLC, nor RIF III – Irwindale, LLC shall commingle their funds and other assets with each other's fund or other assets or with those of any other Affiliate or any other Person.

Section 5.4 Additional Debt.

Borrower shall not incur any debt, secured or unsecured, direct or contingent (including guaranteeing any obligation), other than (a) the Loan, and (b) advances or trade debt or accrued expenses incurred in the ordinary course of business of operating the Property and unsecured indebtedness borrowed from Guarantor in an aggregate amount not to exceed at any time five percent (5%) of the original principal balance of the Loan. No other debt may be secured by the Property, whether senior, subordinate or *pari passu*.

Article VI
Events of Default

The occurrence or happening, from time to time, of any one or more of the following shall constitute an Event of Default under this Agreement:

Section 6.1 Payment Default.

Borrower fails to pay any Obligation under this Agreement when due, whether on the scheduled due date or upon acceleration, maturity or otherwise.

Section 6.2 Default Under Other Loan Documents.

An Event of Default (as defined therein) occurs under the Note or the Mortgage or any other Loan Document, or Borrower or Guarantor fails to promptly pay, perform, observe or comply with any term, obligation or agreement contained in any of the Loan Documents (within any applicable grace or cure period).

Section 6.3 Accuracy of Information; Representations and Warranties.

Any information contained in any financial statement, schedule, report or any other document delivered by Borrower, Guarantor or any other Person to Lender in connection with the Loan proves at any time not to be in all material respects true and accurate, or Borrower, Guarantor or any other Person shall have failed to state any material fact or any fact necessary to make such information not misleading, or any representation or warranty contained in this Agreement or in any other Loan Document or other document, certificate or opinion delivered to Lender in connection with the Loan, proves at any time to be incorrect or misleading in any material respect either on the date when made or on the date when reaffirmed pursuant to the terms of this Agreement; provided that if such statement, representation or warranty was not knowingly or negligently false, misleading or erroneous, then Borrower shall have a thirty (30) day period in which to remedy the underlying condition which caused such statement, representation or warranty to be so false, misleading or erroneous.

Section 6.4 Deposits.

Borrower fails to deposit funds with Lender, in the amount requested by Lender, pursuant to the provisions of Section 4.6, within ten (10) days from the effective date of a Notice from Lender requesting such deposit, or Borrower fails to deliver to Lender any Condemnation Awards or Insurance Proceeds within ten (10) days after Borrower's receipt thereof.

Section 6.5 Insurance Obligations.

Borrower fails to promptly perform or comply with any of the covenants contained in the Loan Documents with respect to maintaining insurance, including the covenants contained in Section 4.4.

Section 6.6 Other Obligations.

Borrower fails to promptly perform or comply with any of the Obligations set forth in this Agreement (other than those expressly described in other Sections of this Article), and such failure continues uncured for a period of thirty (30) days after Notice from Lender to Borrower, unless (a) such failure, by its nature, is not capable of being cured within such period, and (b) within such period, Borrower commences to cure such failure and thereafter diligently prosecutes the cure thereof, and (c) Borrower causes such failure to be cured no later than ninety (90) days after the date of such Notice from Lender.

Section 6.7 Damage to Improvements.

The Improvements are substantially damaged or destroyed by fire or other casualty and Lender determines that the Improvements cannot be restored in accordance with the terms and provisions of this Agreement and the Mortgage.

Section 6.8 Lapse of Permits or Approvals.

Any permit, license, certificate or approval that Borrower is required to obtain with respect to any construction activities at the Property or the operation, leasing or maintenance of the Improvements or the Property lapses or ceases to be in full force and effect and Borrower does not commence efforts to reinstate or replace such permit, license, certificate or approval within five (5) Banking Days after Borrower becomes aware of such lapse or cessation and diligently pursues such reinstatement or replacement to completion

Section 6.9 Mechanic's Lien.

A lien for the performance of work or the supply of materials filed against the Property, or any stop notice served on Borrower, any contractor of Borrower, or Lender, remains unsatisfied or unbonded for a period of sixty (60) days after the date of filing or service.

Section 6.10 Bankruptcy.

Borrower, any manager of Borrower, any Guarantor, Rexford L.P., or any general partner of Rexford L.P., files a bankruptcy petition or makes a general assignment for the benefit of creditors, or a bankruptcy petition is filed against Borrower, Rexford L.P., any manager of Borrower, or any Guarantor and such involuntary bankruptcy petition continues undismissed for a period of sixty (60) days after the filing thereof.

Section 6.11 Appointment of Receiver, Trustee, Liquidator.

Borrower, any manager of Borrower, any Guarantor, Rexford L.P., or any general partner of Rexford L.P., applies for or consents in writing to the appointment of a receiver, trustee or liquidator of Borrower, any manager of Borrower, any Guarantor, Rexford L.P., any general partner of Rexford L.P., the Property, or all or substantially all of the other assets of Borrower, any manager of Borrower, any Guarantor, Rexford L.P., or any general partner of Rexford L.P., or an order, judgment or decree is entered by any court of competent jurisdiction on the application of a creditor appointing a receiver, trustee or liquidator of Borrower, any manager of Borrower, any Guarantor, Rexford L.P., any general partner of Rexford L.P., the Property, or all or substantially all of the other assets of Borrower, any manager of Borrower, any Guarantor, Rexford L.P., or any general partner of Rexford L.P..

Section 6.12 Inability to Pay Debts.

Borrower or any Guarantor becomes unable or admits in writing its inability or fails generally to pay its debts as they become due.

Section 6.13 Judgment.

A final nonappealable judgment for the payment of money involving more than \$250,000 is entered against Borrower or any Guarantor, and Borrower or such Guarantor fails to discharge the same, or fails to cause it to be discharged or bonded off to Lender's satisfaction, within thirty (30) days from the date of the entry of such judgment.

Section 6.14 Dissolution; Change in Business Status.

Unless the written consent of Lender is previously obtained, all or substantially all of the business assets of Borrower or any Guarantor are sold, Borrower or any Guarantor is dissolved, or there occurs any change in the form of business entity through which Borrower or any Guarantor presently conducts its business or any merger or consolidation involving Borrower or any Guarantor.

Section 6.15 Default Under Other Indebtedness.

Borrower or any Guarantor fails to pay any indebtedness (other than the Loan) owed by Borrower or such Guarantor to Lender when and as due and payable (whether by acceleration or otherwise).

Section 6.16 Intentionally Omitted.

Section 6.17 Change in Controlling Interest.

Without the prior written consent of Lender (which consent may be conditioned, among other matters, on the issuance of a satisfactory endorsement to the title insurance policy insuring Lender's interest under the Mortgage), and except as otherwise permitted pursuant to the provisions of Section 8.7(c), the controlling interest in Borrower ceases to be directly or indirectly owned by Guarantor.

Section 6.18 Material Adverse Change.

In the reasonable opinion of Lender, the prospect of payment or performance of all or any part of the Obligations has been materially impaired from that existing on the date of the closing of the Loan because of a material adverse change in the financial condition, results of operations, business or properties of Borrower or Guarantor or any other Person liable for the payment or performance of any of the Obligations when taken as a whole.

Section 6.19 Intentionally Omitted.

Section 6.20 Intentionally Omitted.

Article VII
Remedies on Default.

Section 7.1 Remedies on Default.

Upon the happening of any Event of Default, Lender shall have the right, in addition to any other rights or remedies available to Lender under the Mortgage or any of the other Loan Documents or under applicable Law, to exercise any one or more of the following rights and remedies:

(a) Lender may accelerate all of Borrower's Obligations under the Loan Documents, whether or not matured and regardless of the adequacy of any other collateral securing the Loan, whereupon such Obligations shall become immediately due and payable, without notice of default, acceleration or intention to accelerate, presentment or demand for payment, protest or notice of nonpayment or dishonor, or notices or demands of any kind or character (all of which are hereby waived by Borrower).

(b) Lender may apply to any court of competent jurisdiction for, and obtain appointment without bond of, a receiver for the Property.

(c) Lender may set off the amounts due to Lender under the Loan Documents, whether or not matured and regardless of the adequacy of any other collateral securing the Loan, against any and all accounts, credits, money, securities or other property of Borrower now or hereafter on deposit with, held by or in the possession of Lender to the credit or for the account of Borrower, without notice to or the consent of Borrower.

(d) Lender may enter into possession of the Property and perform any and all work and labor necessary to complete any construction at the Property, including any construction of tenant improvements, and to employ watchmen to protect the Property and the Improvements. All sums expended by Lender for such purposes shall be deemed to have been advanced to Borrower under the Note and shall be secured by the Mortgage. For this purpose, Borrower hereby constitutes and appoints Lender its true and lawful attorney-in-fact with full power of substitution, which power is coupled with an interest and cannot be revoked, to complete the work in the name of Borrower, and hereby empowers said attorney or attorneys, in the name of Borrower or Lender:

(i) To use any funds of Borrower including any balance which may be held by Lender and any funds (if any) which may remain unadvanced hereunder for the purpose of completing any construction, including any construction of tenant improvements, whether or not in the manner called for in the applicable plans and specifications;

(ii) To make such additions and changes and corrections to any plans and specifications as shall be necessary or desirable in the judgment of Lender to complete any construction, including any construction of tenant improvements;

(iii) To employ such contractors, subcontractors, agents, architects and inspectors as shall be necessary or desirable for said purpose;

(iv) To pay, settle or compromise all existing bills and claims which are or may be liens against the Property, or may be necessary or desirable for the completion of the work or the clearance of title to the Property;

(v) To execute all applications and certificates which may be required in the name of Borrower;

(vi) To enter into, enforce, modify or cancel Leases and to fix or modify Rents on such terms as Lender may consider proper;

(vii) To file for record, at Borrower's cost and expense and in Borrower's name, any notices of completion, notices of cessation of labor, or any other notices that Lender in its sole and absolute discretion may consider necessary or desirable to protect its security;

(viii) To prosecute and defend all actions or proceedings in connection with any construction at the Property, including any construction of tenant improvements, and to take such actions and to require such performance as Lender may deem necessary; and

(ix) To do any and every act with respect to any such construction which Borrower may do in its own behalf.

(e) Lender may exercise any and all other rights and remedies under this Agreement, the Loan Documents or at Law, equity or otherwise.

Without limitation of the foregoing, upon the occurrence of an actual or deemed entry of an order for relief with respect to Borrower under the Bankruptcy Code (Title 11 of the United States Code, as in effect from time to time), any obligation of Lender to make advances shall automatically terminate, and the unpaid principal amount of the Loan outstanding and all interest and other amounts payable hereunder and under the Note and other Loan Documents shall automatically become due and payable, in each case without further act of Lender.

Section 7.2 No Release or Waiver; Remedies Cumulative and Concurrent.

Borrower shall not be relieved of any Obligation by reason of the failure of Lender to comply with any request of Borrower or of any other Person to take action to foreclose on the Property under the Mortgage or otherwise to enforce any provision of the Loan Documents, or by reason of the release, regardless of consideration, of all or any part of the Property. No delay or omission of Lender to exercise any right, power or remedy accruing upon the happening of an Event of Default shall impair any such right, power or remedy or shall be construed to be a waiver of any such Event of Default or any acquiescence therein. No delay or omission on the part of Lender to exercise any option for acceleration of the maturity of the Obligations, or for foreclosure of the Mortgage following any Event of Default as aforesaid, or any other option granted to Lender hereunder in any one or more instances, or the acceptance by Lender of any partial payment on account of the Obligations shall constitute a waiver of any such Event of Default and each such option shall remain continuously in full force and effect. No remedy herein conferred upon or reserved to Lender is intended to be exclusive of any other remedies provided for in the Loan Documents, and each and every such remedy shall be cumulative, and shall be in addition to every other remedy given hereunder, or under the Loan Documents, or now or hereafter existing at Law or in equity or by statute. Every right, power and remedy given by the Loan Documents to Lender shall be concurrent and may be pursued separately, successively or together against Borrower or the Property or any part thereof, and every right, power and remedy given by the Loan Documents may be exercised from time to time as often as may be deemed expedient by Lender. All notice and cure periods provided in this Agreement or in any Loan Document shall run concurrently with any notice or cure periods provided by Law.

Article VIII
Miscellaneous.

Section 8.1 Further Assurances; Authorization to File Documents.

At any time, and from time to time, upon request by Lender, Borrower will, at Borrower's expense, (a) correct any defect, error or omission which may be discovered in the form or content of any of the Loan Documents, and (b) make, execute, deliver and record, or cause to be made, executed, delivered and recorded, any and all further instruments, certificates and other documents as may, in the opinion of Lender, be necessary or desirable in order to complete, perfect or continue and preserve the lien of the Mortgage. Upon any failure by Borrower to do so, Lender may make, execute and record any and all such instruments, certificates and other documents for and in the name of Borrower, all at the sole expense of Borrower, and Borrower hereby appoints Lender the agent and attorney-in-fact of Borrower to do so, this appointment being coupled with an interest and being irrevocable. Without limitation of the foregoing, Borrower irrevocably authorizes Lender at any time and from time to time to file any initial financing statements, amendments thereto and continuation statements deemed necessary or desirable by Lender to establish or maintain the validity, perfection and priority of the security interests granted in the Mortgage or hereunder, and Borrower ratifies any such filings made by Lender prior to the date hereof. In addition, at any time, and from time to time, upon request by Lender, Borrower will, at Borrower's expense, provide any and all further instruments, certificates and other documents as may, in the opinion of Lender, be necessary or desirable in order to verify Borrower's identity and background in a manner satisfactory to Lender.

Section 8.2 No Warranty by Lender.

By accepting or approving anything required to be observed, performed or fulfilled by Borrower or to be given to Lender pursuant to this Agreement, including any certificate, Survey, receipt, appraisal or insurance policy, Lender shall not be deemed to have warranted or represented the sufficiency, legality, effectiveness or legal effect of the same, or of any term, provision or condition thereof and any such acceptance or approval thereof shall not be or constitute any warranty or representation with respect thereto by Lender.

Section 8.3 Standard of Conduct of Lender.

Nothing contained in this Agreement or any other Loan Document shall limit the right of Lender to exercise its business judgment or to act, in the context of the granting or withholding of any advance or consent under this Agreement or any other Loan Document, in a subjective manner, whether or not objectively reasonable under the circumstances, so long as Lender's exercise of its business judgment or action is made or undertaken in good faith. Borrower and Lender intend by the foregoing to set forth and affirm their entire understanding with respect to the standard pursuant to which Lender's duties and obligations are to be judged and the parameters within which Lender's discretion may be exercised hereunder and under the other Loan Documents. As used herein, "good faith" means honesty in fact in the conduct and transaction concerned.

Section 8.4 No Partnership.

Nothing contained in this Agreement shall be construed in a manner to create any relationship between Borrower and Lender other than the relationship of borrower and lender and Borrower and Lender shall not be considered partners or co-venturers for any purpose on account of this Agreement.

Section 8.5 Severability.

In the event any one or more of the provisions of this Agreement or any of the other Loan Documents shall for any reason be held to be invalid, illegal or unenforceable, in whole or in part or in any other respect, or in the event any one or more of the provisions of any of the Loan Documents operates or would prospectively operate to invalidate this Agreement or any of the other Loan Documents, then and in either of those events, at the option of Lender, such provision or provisions only shall be deemed null and void and shall not affect the validity of the remaining Obligations, and the remaining provisions of the Loan Documents shall remain operative and in full force and effect and shall in no way be affected, prejudiced or disturbed thereby.

Section 8.6 Authorized Signers.

Lender is authorized to rely upon the continuing authority of the Authorized Signers to bind Borrower with respect to all matters pertaining to the Loan and the Loan Documents, including the submission of draw requests and the selection of interest rates. Such authorization may be changed only upon written notice addressed to Lender accompanied by evidence, reasonably satisfactory to Lender, of the authority of the Person giving such notice. Such notice shall be effective not sooner than five (5) Business Days (as defined in the Note) following receipt thereof by Lender.

Section 8.7 Notices.

All Notices required or which any party desires to give hereunder or under any other Loan Document shall be in writing and, unless otherwise specifically provided in such other Loan Document, shall be deemed sufficiently given or furnished if delivered by personal delivery, by nationally recognized overnight courier service or by certified United States mail, postage prepaid, addressed to the party to whom directed at the applicable address set forth below (unless changed by similar notice in writing given by the particular party whose address is to be changed) or by facsimile. Any Notice shall be deemed to have been given either at the time of personal delivery or, in the case of courier or mail, as of the date of first attempted delivery at the address and in the manner provided herein, or, in the case of facsimile, upon receipt; provided that service of a Notice required by any applicable statute shall be considered complete when the requirements of that statute are met. Notwithstanding the foregoing, no notice of change of address shall be effective except upon actual receipt. This Section shall not be construed in any way to affect or impair any waiver of notice or demand provided in this Agreement or in any other Loan Document or to require giving of notice or demand to or upon any Person in any situation or for any reason.

The address and fax number of Borrower are:

11620 Wilshire Boulevard, Suite 300
Los Angeles, California 90025
Fax Number: (310) 966-1690

The address and fax number of Lender are:

Bank of America, N.A.
333 So. Hope Street, 20th Floor
Los Angeles, California 90071
Attn: CREB Loan Administration
Fax Number: (949) 794-7424

Section 8.8 Permitted Successors and Assigns; Disclosure of Information

(a) Each and every one of the covenants, terms, provisions and conditions of this Agreement and the Loan Documents shall apply to, bind and inure to the benefit of Borrower, its successors and those assigns of Borrower consented to in writing by Lender, and shall apply to, bind and inure to the benefit of Lender and the endorsees, transferees, successors and assigns of Lender, and all Persons claiming under or through any of them.

(b) Borrower agrees not to transfer, assign, pledge or hypothecate any right or interest in any payment or advance due pursuant to this Agreement, or any of the other benefits of this Agreement, without the prior written consent of Lender, which consent may be withheld by Lender in its sole and absolute discretion. Any such transfer, assignment, pledge or hypothecation made or attempted by Borrower without the prior written consent of Lender shall be void and of no effect. No consent by Lender to an assignment shall be deemed to be a waiver of the requirement of prior written consent by Lender with respect to each and every further assignment and as a condition precedent to the effectiveness of such assignment.

(c) Subject to satisfaction of the conditions set forth in Sections 8.8(d) and 8.8(e), Lender may sell or offer to sell the Loan to one or more assignees. Additionally, Lender may (i) sell or offer to sell interests in the Loan by way of syndications, participations, commercial mortgage backed securities sales or similar transactions to one or more purchasers or participants, and (ii) assign the Loan or portions thereof or interests therein to Lender's Affiliates, none of which shall be subject to the procedures or conditions set forth in Sections 8.8(d) and 8.8(e). In connection with any transaction or proposed transaction described in this Section 8.8(c), Borrower shall execute, acknowledge and deliver any and all instruments reasonably requested by Lender in connection therewith, and to the extent, if any, specified in any such assignment, sale or participation, such assignee(s), purchaser(s), transferee(s) or participant(s) shall have the same rights and benefits with respect to the Loan Documents as such Person(s) would have if such Person(s) were Lender hereunder. Lender may disseminate any information it now has or hereafter obtains pertaining to the Loan, including any security for the Loan, any credit or other information on the Property (including environmental reports and assessments), Borrower, any of Borrower's principals or any Guarantor, to any actual or prospective assignee or participant, to Lender's Affiliates, including Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith Incorporated, to any regulatory body having jurisdiction over Lender, to any actual or prospective counterparty (or its advisors) to any swap or derivative transaction relating to Borrower and the Loan, or to any other party as necessary or appropriate in Lender's reasonable judgment.

(d) (i) If Lender intends to sell the Loan, either as a single loan or as part of a sale of a number of loans together (a "Pooled Loan Sale") and no uncured Event of Default then exists, Lender shall give Borrower prior written notice thereof (an "Intent to Sell Notice"). Borrower will have ten (10) Business Days after the giving of the Intent to Sell Notice to submit an irrevocable offer to purchase the Loan (an "Loan Purchase Offer") at a price (the "Loan Purchase Price") specified in the Loan Purchase Offer. If an uncured Event of Default then exists, Lender shall not be required to follow the procedures, and Borrower shall not have the rights, set forth in this Section 8.8(d).

(ii) If Lender desires to accept Borrower's Loan Purchase Offer it may do so by written notice to Borrower given within ten (10) Business Days after the date on which Lender gives the Loan Purchase Offer. Lender's failure to give written notice of its acceptance of the Loan Purchase Offer within such ten (10) Business Day period shall be deemed Lender's rejection of Borrower's Loan Purchase Offer.

(v) If Borrower does not timely make a Loan Purchase Offer, Borrower's right to purchase the Loan pursuant to this Section 8.8(d) shall terminate and (subject to Lender's compliance with the requirements of Section 8.8(e) below) Lender shall have the right to enter into an agreement to sell the Loan at any time during the six (6) month period following the date on which it gives its Loan Sale Notice to Borrower and thereafter close the sale of the Loan pursuant to such agreement free and clear of any rights of Borrower to purchase the Loan.

(vi) If Borrower timely makes a Loan Purchase Offer but Lender does not timely accept such Loan Purchase Offer, Borrower's right to purchase the Loan pursuant to this Section 8.8(d) shall terminate and (subject to Lender's compliance with the requirements of Section 8.8(e) below) Lender shall have the right to enter into an agreement to sell the Loan to a third party at any time during the six (6) month period following the date on which Lender gives its Loan Sale Notice to Borrower and to thereafter close the sale of the Loan pursuant to such agreement free and clear of any rights of Borrower to purchase the Loan; provided, however, that if the Loan is being sold as a single loan and not as part of a Pooled Loan Sale and Lender desires to enter into an agreement to sell the Loan at a price (the "Third Party Loan Purchase Price") which is below the sum of (i) ninety-three percent (93%) of the Loan Purchase Price set forth in Borrower's Loan Purchase Offer minus (ii) the amount of principal payments made by Borrower between the date of Borrower's Loan Purchase Offer and the date on which the sale will be consummated, then before so selling the Loan Lender must give Borrower written notice thereof (which notice shall include the Third Party Loan Purchase Price) and Borrower will have ten (10) Banking Days after Lender's giving of such notice to give Lender irrevocable written notice of its election to purchase the Loan at the Third Party Loan Purchase Price, and if Borrower gives written notice that it so elects to purchase the Loan, Lender shall sell the Loan to Borrower or Borrower's Affiliate for the Third Party Loan Purchase Price but otherwise on the terms specified in Section 8.8(d)(iii).

(vii) If Borrower does not timely make a Loan Purchase Offer, or if Borrower timely makes a Loan Purchase Offer but Lender does not timely accept such Loan Purchase Offer, and Lender does not enter into an agreement to sell the Loan to a third party within the six (6) month period following the date on which it gives its Loan Sale Notice to Borrower, or if Lender enters into such an agreement within such time period but fails to thereafter close such sale, then the requirements of this Section 8.8(d) and Section 8.8(e) will apply to any subsequent sale of the Loan by Lender.

(viii) If Lender enters into an agreement to sell the Loan to a third party in accordance with the provisions of Section 8.8(d)(v) or 8.8(d)(vi), upon the consummation of such sale all of Lender's obligations and all of Borrower's rights under this Section 8.8(d) and under Section 8.8(e) shall terminate and be of no further force or effect. For the avoidance of doubt, the provisions of this Section 8.8(d) and Section 8.8(e) shall not apply to any subsequent sale of the Loan by a party other than Lender.

(e) If Lender intends to sell the Loan, either as a single loan or as part of a Pooled Loan Sale, subject to the Borrower's compliance with all of Lender's requirements applicable to all potential purchasers (including satisfaction of all know-your-customer requirements and the execution of confidentiality agreements), Lender will provide Borrower with all marketing materials regarding the sale of Loan and Borrower will have the right to participate in the bidding process for sale of the Loan. If the Loan is included in a pool of loans to be sold together, any bid made by the Borrower must be for the entire pool being sold (i.e., Borrower shall have no right to bid for or purchase just the Loan). Any sale of the Loan (or pool of loans) to Borrower pursuant to such bidding process shall be consummated on the terms established through such bidding process. If Lender accepts Borrower's bid, Borrower may (subject to Borrower's compliance with and satisfaction of all of Lender's know-your-customer requirements, all anti-money laundering rules and regulations, including the Act, and all similar regulatory requirements), assign its right to purchase the Loan or pool of loans, to an Affiliate of Borrower. The provisions of this Section 8.8(e) shall apply regardless of the presence or absence of an uncured Event of Default and regardless of whether or not Borrower makes a Loan Purchase Offer pursuant to Section 8.8(d).

(f) Lender may at any time pledge or assign all or any portion of its rights under the Loan Documents, which evidence and/or secure the Loan, including under the Note, to any of the twelve (12) Federal Reserve Banks organized under Section 4 of the Federal Reserve Act, 12 U.S.C. Section 341. No such pledge or assignment or enforcement thereof shall release Lender from its obligations under any of the Loan Documents, which evidence and/or secure the Loan, and the provisions Sections 8.8(d) and 8.8(e) shall not apply to any such pledge or assignment or enforcement thereof.

Section 8.9 Modification; Waiver.

None of the terms or provisions of this Agreement may be changed, waived, modified, discharged or terminated except by instrument in writing executed by the party or parties against whom enforcement of the change, waiver, modification, discharge or termination is asserted. None of the terms or provisions of this Agreement shall be deemed to have been abrogated or waived by reason of any failure or failures to enforce the same.

Section 8.10 Third Parties; Benefit.

All conditions to the obligation of Lender to make advances hereunder are imposed solely and exclusively for the benefit of Lender and its assigns and no other Persons shall have standing to require satisfaction of such conditions in accordance with their terms or be entitled to assume that Lender will refuse to make advances in the absence of strict compliance with any or all thereof and no other Person shall, under any circumstances, be deemed to be the beneficiary of such conditions, any or all of which may be freely waived in whole or in part by Lender at any time in the sole and absolute exercise of its discretion. The terms and provisions of this Agreement are for the benefit of the parties hereto and, except as herein specifically provided, no other Person shall have any right or cause of action on account thereof.

Section 8.11 Rules of Construction.

The words "hereof," "herein," "hereunder," "hereto," and other words of similar import refer to this Agreement in its entirety. The terms "agree" and "agreements" mean and include "covenant" and "covenants." The words "include" and "including" shall be interpreted as if followed by the words "without limitation." The captions and headings contained in this Agreement are included herein for convenience of reference only and shall not be considered a part hereof and are not in any way intended to define, limit or enlarge the terms hereof. All references (a) made in the neuter, masculine or feminine gender shall be deemed to have been made in all such genders, (b) made in the singular or plural number shall be deemed to have been made, respectively, in the plural or singular number as well, (c) to the Loan Documents are to the same as extended, amended, restated, supplemented or otherwise modified from time to time unless expressly indicated otherwise, (d) to the Land, the Improvements or the Property shall mean all or any portion of each of the foregoing, respectively, and (e) to Articles, Sections and Schedules are to the respective Articles, Sections and Schedules contained in this Agreement unless expressly indicated otherwise.

Section 8.12 Counterparts.

This Agreement may be executed in any number of counterparts, each of which shall be considered an original for all purposes; provided, however, that all such counterparts shall together constitute one and the same instrument.

Section 8.13 Signs; Publicity.

Borrower expressly authorizes Lender to prepare and to furnish to the news media for publication from time to time news releases with respect to the Property, specifically to include releases detailing Lender's involvement with the financing of the Property.

Section 8.14 Governing Law.

This Agreement shall be governed by and construed, interpreted and enforced in accordance with the Laws of the State.

Section 8.15 Time of Essence.

Time shall be of the essence for each and every provision of this Agreement of which time is an element.

Section 8.16 Electronic Communications.

(a) Electronic Transmission of Data. Lender and Borrower agree that certain data related to the Loan (including confidential information, documents, applications and reports) may be transmitted electronically, including transmission over the Internet. This data may be transmitted to, received from or circulated among agents and representatives of Borrower and/or Lender and their Affiliates and other Persons involved with the subject matter of this Agreement.

(b) Borrower Controlled Websites. Borrower may elect to deliver documentation required pursuant to the Closing Checklist or Schedule 2 hereof electronically, and if so delivered, such documentation shall be deemed to have been delivered on the date (i) on which Borrower posts such documents, or provides a link thereto on Borrower's website on the Internet at the website address listed on Borrower's signature page to this Agreement; or (ii) on which such documents are posted on Borrower's behalf on an Internet or intranet website, if any, to which Lender has access (whether a commercial, third-party website or whether sponsored by Lender; provided that: (i) Borrower shall deliver paper copies of such documents to Lender upon its request to Borrower to deliver such paper copies until a written request to cease delivering paper copies is given by Lender, and (ii) Borrower shall notify Lender (by facsimile or electronic mail) of the posting of any such documents and provide to Lender by electronic mail electronic versions (i.e., soft copies) of such documents. Borrower agrees that in the event that Borrower would like to update or revise a document previously posted to the Borrower controlled website, Borrower shall notify Lender (by facsimile or electronic mail) that such document has been revised and an updated version has been posted.

(c) Assumption of Risks; Indemnification. Borrower acknowledges and agrees that (i) there are risks associated with the use of electronic transmission and Borrower controlled websites and that Lender does not control the method of transmittal, the service providers or the operational or technical issues that could occur; (ii) Lender has no obligation or responsibility whatsoever and assumes no duty or obligation for the security, receipt or third party interception of any such electronic transmission of data or Borrower controlled website, or any operational or technical issues that may occur with the electronic transmission of data or the Borrower controlled website; and (iii) Borrower will release, hold harmless and indemnify Lender from any claim, damage or loss, including that arising in whole or part from Lender's strict liability or sole, comparative or contributory negligence, which is related to the electronic transmission of data or the Borrower controlled website.

Section 8.17 Dispute Resolution Provision.

This Section is referred to as the "Dispute Resolution Provision." Lender and Borrower (and any other party to this Agreement) agree that this Dispute Resolution Provision is a material inducement for their entering into this Agreement.

(a) Scope. This Dispute Resolution Provision concerns the resolution of any disputes, controversies, claims, counterclaims, allegations of liability, theories of damage, or defenses (collectively, a “Claim” or “Claims”) between Lender, on the one hand, and Borrower and/or any obligor, on the other hand (each side being, for the purposes of this Dispute Resolution Provision, a “Party” and the two sides together being the “Parties”), regardless of whether based on federal, state, or local law, statute, ordinance, regulation, contract, common law, or any other source, and regardless of whether foreseen or unforeseen, suspected or unsuspected, or fixed or contingent at the time of this Agreement, including but not limited to Claims that arise out of or relate to: (i) this Agreement (including any renewals, extensions, or modifications); or (ii) any document related to this Agreement. For purposes of this Dispute Resolution Provision only, the terms “Lender” or “Party” or “Parties” (to the extent referring to or including Lender) shall include any parent corporation, subsidiary or affiliate of Lender, and the terms “Borrower” or “Party” or “Parties” (to the extent referring to or including Borrower) shall include any parent corporation, subsidiary or affiliate of Borrower, as applicable.

(b) Judicial Reference. Any Claim brought by any Party in a California state court shall be resolved by a general reference to a referee (or a panel of referees) as provided in California Code of Civil Procedure Section 638. The referee (or presiding referee of the panel) shall be a retired Judge or Justice of the California state court system. The referee(s) shall be selected by mutual written agreement of the Parties. If the Parties do not agree, the referee(s) shall be selected by the Presiding Judge of the Court (or his or her representative) as provided in California Code of Civil Procedure Section 640. The referee(s) shall hear and determine all issues relating to the Claim, whether of fact or of law, and shall do so in accordance with the Laws of the State of California, and shall report a statement of decision. The referee(s) shall be empowered to enter equitable as well as legal relief, provide all temporary or provisional remedies, enter equitable and legal orders that will be binding on the Parties, and rule on any motion which would be authorized in court litigation, including motions to dismiss, for summary judgment, or for summary adjudication. The referee(s) shall award legal fees and costs (including the fees of the referee(s)) relating to the judicial reference proceeding, and to any related litigation or arbitration, in accordance with the terms of this Agreement. The award that results from the decision of the referee(s) shall be entered as a judgment in the court that appointed the referee(s), in accordance with the provisions of California Code of Civil Procedure Sections 644(a). Pursuant to California Code of Civil Procedure Sections 645, the Parties reserve the right to seek appellate review of any judgment or order, including but not limited to, orders pertaining to class certification, to the same extent permitted in a court of law.

(c) Arbitration Provisions. The Parties agree that judicial reference pursuant to Subsection (b) above is the preferred method of dispute resolution of all Claims, when available. The Parties therefore agree that injunctive relief, including a temporary restraining order, without the posting of any bond or security, shall be appropriate to enjoin the prosecution of any arbitration proceeding where the Claims at issue become subject to (and as long as they remain subject to) judicial reference pursuant to Subsection (b) above, provided that, subject to the provisions of Subsection (g) below, a Party moves for such relief within thirty (30) days of its receipt of a demand for arbitration of a Claim. However, with respect to any Claim brought in a forum other than a California state court, or brought in a California state court but judicial reference pursuant to Subsection (b) above is not available or enforced by the court, subject to the provisions of Subsection (g) below, the arbitration provisions in this Subsection (c) (collectively, the “Arbitration Provisions”) shall apply to the Claim. In addition, if either of the Parties serves demand for arbitration of a Claim in accordance with these Arbitration Provisions, and the other Party does not move to enjoin the arbitration proceeding within thirty (30) days of receipt of the demand, the right to judicial reference shall be waived and, subject to the provisions of Subsection (g) below, the Claim shall remain subject to these Arbitration Provisions thereafter. The inclusion of these Arbitration Provisions in this Agreement shall not otherwise be deemed as any limitation or waiver of the judicial reference provisions. The Arbitration Provisions are as follows:

(i) For any Claim for which these Arbitration Provisions apply, the Parties agree that at the request of any Party to this Agreement, such Claim shall be resolved by binding arbitration. The Claims shall be governed by the Laws of the State of California without regard to its conflicts of law principles. The Federal Arbitration Act, 9 U.S.C. §§ 1 et seq. (the “Act”), shall apply to the construction, interpretation, and enforcement of these Arbitration Provisions, as well as to the confirmation of or appeal from any arbitration award.

(ii) Arbitration proceedings will be determined in accordance with the Act, the then-current Commercial Finance rules and procedures of the American Arbitration Association or any successor thereof (“AAA”) (or any successor rules for arbitration of financial services disputes), and the terms of these Arbitration Provisions. In the event of any inconsistency, the terms of these Arbitration Provisions shall control. The arbitration shall be administered by the Parties and not the AAA and shall be conducted, unless otherwise required by Law, at a location selected solely by Lender in any U.S. state where real or tangible personal property collateral for this credit is located or where Borrower has a place of business. If there is no such state, Lender shall select a location in California.

(iii) If aggregate Claims are One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000) or less:

(A) All issues shall be heard and determined by one neutral arbitrator. The arbitrator shall have experience with commercial financial services disputes and, if possible, prior judicial experience, and shall be selected pursuant to the AAA “Arbitrator Select: List and Appointment” process, to be initiated by Lender. If the AAA “Arbitrator Select: List and Appointment” process is unavailable, Lender shall initiate any successor process offered by the AAA or a similar process offered by any other nationally recognized alternative dispute resolution organization.

(B) Unless the arbitrator has a dispositive motion under advisement or unforeseeable and unavoidable conflicts arise (as determined by the arbitrator), all arbitration hearings shall commence within ninety (90) days of the appointment of the arbitrator, and under any circumstances the award of the arbitrator shall be issued within one hundred twenty (120) days of the appointment of the arbitrator.

(C) A Party shall be entitled to take no more than two (2) fact depositions, one or both of which may be taken in accordance with Fed. R. Civ. P. 30(b)(6), plus depositions of any experts designated by the other Party, each of seven (7) hours or less, during pre-hearing discovery.

(D) There shall be no written discovery requests except a Party may serve document requests on the other Party not to exceed twenty (20) in number, including subparts. The requests shall be served within forty-five (45) days of the appointment of the arbitrator and shall be responded to within twenty-one (21) days of service.

(iv) If aggregate Claims exceed One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000):

(A) The issues shall be heard and determined by one neutral arbitrator selected as above unless either Party requests that all issues be heard and determined by three (3) neutral arbitrators. In that event, each Party shall select an arbitrator with experience with commercial financial services disputes, and the two arbitrators shall select a third arbitrator, who shall have prior judicial experience. If the arbitrators cannot agree, the third arbitrator shall be selected pursuant to the AAA “Arbitrator Select: List and Appointment” process, to be initiated by Lender.

(B) Unless the arbitrator(s) have a dispositive motion under advisement or other good cause is shown (as determined by the arbitrator(s)), all arbitration hearings shall commence within one hundred twenty (120) days of the appointment of the arbitrator(s), and under any circumstances the award of the arbitrator(s) shall be issued within one hundred eighty (180) days of the appointment of the arbitrator(s).

(C) A Party shall be entitled to take no more than five (5) fact depositions, one or more of which may be taken in accordance with Fed. R. Civ. P. 30(b)(6), plus depositions of any experts designated by the other Party, each of seven (7) hours or less, during pre-hearing discovery.

(D) There shall be no written discovery requests except a Party may serve document requests on the other Party not to exceed thirty (30) in number, including subparts. The requests shall be served within forty-five (45) days of the appointment of the arbitrator(s) and shall be responded to within twenty-one (21) days of service.

(v) Where a Party intends to rely upon the testimony of an expert on an issue for which the Party bears the burden of proof, the expert(s) must be disclosed within thirty (30) days following the appointment of the arbitrator(s), including a written report in accordance with Fed. R. Civ. P. 26(a)(2)(B). The arbitrator(s) shall exclude any expert not disclosed strictly in accordance herewith. The other Party shall have the right within thirty (30) days thereafter to take the deposition of the expert(s) (upon payment of the expert's reasonable fees for the in-deposition time), and to identify rebuttal expert(s), including a written report in accordance with Fed. R. Civ. P. 26(a)(2)(B).

(vi) The arbitrator(s) shall consider and rule on motions by the Parties to dismiss for failure to state a claim; to compel; and for summary judgment, in a manner substantively consistent with the corresponding Federal Rules of Civil Procedure. The arbitrator(s) shall enforce the "Apex" doctrine with regard to requested depositions of high-ranking executives of both Parties. The arbitrator(s) shall exclude any Claim not asserted within thirty (30) days following the demand for arbitration. This shall not prevent a Party from revising the calculation of damages on any existing theory. All discovery shall close at least one (1) week before any scheduled hearing date, and all hearing exhibits shall have been exchanged by the same deadline or they shall not be given weight by the arbitrator(s).

(vii) The arbitrator(s) will give effect to applicable statutes of limitations in determining any Claim and shall dismiss the Claim if it is barred by the statutes of limitations. For purposes of the application of any statutes of limitations, the service of a written demand for arbitration or counterclaim pursuant to the notice section of this Agreement is the equivalent of the filing of a lawsuit. At the request of any Party made at any time, including at confirmation of an award, the resolution of a statutes of limitations defense to any Claim shall be decided de novo by a court of competent jurisdiction rather than by the arbitrator(s). Otherwise, any dispute concerning these Arbitration Provisions or whether a Claim is arbitrable shall be determined by the arbitrator(s), except as otherwise set forth in this Dispute Resolution Provision.

(viii) The arbitrator(s) shall have the power to award legal fees and costs relating to the arbitration proceeding and any related litigation or arbitration, pursuant to the terms of this Agreement. The arbitrator(s) shall provide a written statement of reasons for the award. The arbitration award may be submitted to any court having jurisdiction to be confirmed and have judgment entered and enforced.

(ix) The filing of a court action is not intended to constitute a waiver of the right of any Party, including the suing Party, thereafter to require submittal of the Claims to arbitration.

(x) The arbitration proceedings shall be private. All documents, transcripts, and filings received by any Party shall not be disclosed by the recipient to any third parties other than attorneys, accountants, auditors, and financial advisors acting in the course of their representation, or as otherwise ordered by a court of competent jurisdiction. Any award also shall be kept confidential, although this specific requirement shall be void once the award must be submitted to a court for enforcement. The Parties agree that injunctive relief, including a temporary restraining order, from a trial court is the appropriate relief for breach of this Subsection, and they waive any security or the posting of a bond as a requirement for obtaining such relief.

(d) Self-Help. This Dispute Resolution Provision does not limit the right of any Party to: (i) exercise self-help remedies, such as but not limited to, setoff; (ii) initiate judicial or non-judicial foreclosure against any real or personal property collateral; (iii) exercise any judicial or power of sale rights; or (iv) act in a court of law to obtain an interim remedy, such as but not limited to, injunctive relief, writ of possession or appointment of a receiver, or additional or supplementary remedies.

(e) Class Action Waiver. Any arbitration or court trial (whether before a judge or jury or pursuant to judicial reference) of any Claim will take place on an individual basis without resort to any form of class or representative action (the "Class Action Waiver"). THE CLASS ACTION WAIVER PRECLUDES ANY PARTY FROM PARTICIPATING IN OR BEING REPRESENTED IN ANY CLASS OR REPRESENTATIVE ACTION REGARDING A CLAIM. Regardless of anything else in this Dispute Resolution Provision, the validity and effect of the Class Action Waiver may be determined only by a court or referee and not by an arbitrator. The Parties to this Agreement acknowledge that the Class Action Waiver is material and essential to the arbitration of any disputes between the Parties and is nonseverable from the agreement to arbitrate Claims. If the Class Action Waiver is limited, voided, or found unenforceable, then the Parties' agreement to arbitrate shall be null and void with respect to such proceeding, subject to the right to appeal the limitation or invalidation of the Class Action Waiver. THE PARTIES ACKNOWLEDGE AND AGREE THAT UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES WILL A CLASS ACTION BE ARBITRATED.

(f) Jury Waiver. By agreeing to judicial reference or binding arbitration, the Parties irrevocably and voluntarily waive any right they may have to a trial by jury as permitted by Law in respect of any Claim. Furthermore, without intending in any way to limit the provisions hereof, to the extent any Claim is not submitted to judicial reference or arbitration, the Parties irrevocably and voluntarily waive any right they may have to a trial by jury to the extent permitted by Law in respect of such Claim. This waiver of jury trial shall remain in effect even if the Class Action Waiver is limited, voided, or found unenforceable. **WHETHER THE CLAIM IS DECIDED BY JUDICIAL REFERENCE, BY ARBITRATION, OR BY TRIAL BY A JUDGE, THE PARTIES AGREE AND UNDERSTAND THAT THE EFFECT OF THIS DISPUTE RESOLUTION PROVISION IS THAT THEY ARE GIVING UP THE RIGHT TO TRIAL BY JURY TO THE EXTENT PERMITTED BY LAW. EACH PARTY HERETO (i) CERTIFIES THAT NO REPRESENTATIVE, AGENT OR ATTORNEY OF ANY OTHER PERSON HAS REPRESENTED, EXPRESSLY OR OTHERWISE, THAT SUCH OTHER PERSON WOULD NOT, IN THE EVENT OF LITIGATION, SEEK TO ENFORCE THE FOREGOING WAIVER, (ii) ACKNOWLEDGES THAT IT AND THE OTHER PARTIES HERETO HAVE BEEN INDUCED TO ENTER INTO THIS AGREEMENT AND THE OTHER DOCUMENTS CONTEMPLATED HEREBY BY, AMONG OTHER THINGS, THE MUTUAL WAIVERS AND CERTIFICATIONS IN THIS SECTION, AND (iii) CERTIFIES THAT THIS WAIVER IS KNOWINGLY, WILLINGLY, AND VOLUNTARILY MADE.**

(g) Real Property Secured Claim. Notwithstanding any provision in this Agreement or any other Loan Document to the contrary, in no event shall the Arbitration Provisions apply to any Claim if the Claim, at the time of the proposed submission to arbitration, arises from or relates to an obligation to Lender secured by real property. In this case, all of the parties to this Agreement, in their sole and absolute discretion, must consent to submission of the Claim to arbitration.

Section 8.18 Forum.

Borrower hereby irrevocably submits generally and unconditionally for itself and in respect of its property to the non-exclusive jurisdiction of any state court or any United States federal court sitting in the State specified in the governing law section of this Agreement and to the non-exclusive jurisdiction of any state court or any United States federal court sitting in the state in which any of the Property is located, over any Dispute. Borrower hereby irrevocably waives, to the fullest extent permitted by Law, any objection that Borrower may now or hereafter have to the laying of venue in any such court and any claim that any such court is an inconvenient forum. Borrower hereby agrees and consents that, in addition to any methods of service of process provided for under applicable Law, all service of process in any such suit, action or proceeding in any state court or any United States federal court sitting in the State specified in the governing law section of this Agreement or in which any of the Property is located may be made by certified or registered mail, return receipt requested, directed to Borrower at its address for notice set forth in this Agreement, or at a subsequent address of which Lender received actual notice from Borrower in accordance with the notice section of this Agreement, and service so made shall be complete five (5) days after the same shall have been so mailed. Nothing herein shall affect the right of Lender to serve process in any manner permitted by Law or limit the right of Lender to bring proceedings against Borrower in any other court or jurisdiction.

Section 8.19 USA Patriot Act Notice.

Lender hereby notifies Borrower that pursuant to the requirements of the USA Patriot Act (Title III of Pub. L. 107-56 (signed into law October 26, 2001)) (the “Act”), Lender is required to obtain, verify and record information that identifies Borrower, which information includes the name and address of Borrower and other information that will allow Lender to identify Borrower in accordance with the Act. Borrower shall, promptly following a request by Lender, provide all documentation and other information that Lender requests in order to comply with its ongoing obligation under “know your customer” and all anti-money laundering rules and regulations, including the Act.

Section 8.20 Entire Agreement.

The Loan Documents constitute the entire understanding and agreement between Borrower and Lender with respect to the transactions arising in connection with the Loan, and supersede all prior written or oral understandings and agreements between Borrower and Lender with respect to the matters addressed in the Loan Documents. In particular, and without limitation, the terms of any commitment by Lender to make the Loan are merged into the Loan Documents. Except as incorporated in writing into the Loan Documents, there are no representations, understandings, stipulations, agreements or promises, oral or written, with respect to the matters addressed in the Loan Documents. If there is any conflict between the terms, conditions and provisions of this Agreement and those of any other instrument or agreement, including any other Loan Document, the terms, conditions and provisions of this Agreement shall prevail.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Borrower and Lender have caused this Agreement to be executed as of the date first above written.

BORROWER:

RIF I – DON JULIAN, LLC,
a California limited liability company

By: /s/ Michael Frankel
Name: Michael Frankel
Title: Authorized Signatory

RIF I – LEWIS ROAD, LLC,
a California limited liability company

By: /s/ Michael Frankel
Name: Michael Frankel
Title: Authorized Signatory

RIF I – OXNARD, LLC,
a California limited liability company

By: /s/ Michael Frankel
Name: Michael Frankel
Title: Authorized Signatory

REXFORD BUSINESS CENTER – FULLERTON, LLC,
a California limited liability company

By: /s/ Michael Frankel
Name: Michael Frankel
Title: Authorized Signatory

RIF I – WALNUT, LLC,
a California limited liability company

By: /s/ Michael Frankel
Name: Michael Frankel
Title: Authorized Signatory

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RIF II – KAISER, LLC,
a California limited liability company

By: /s/ Michael Frankel
Name: Michael Frankel
Title: Authorized Signatory

RIF III – IRWINDALE, LLC,
a California limited liability company

By: /s/ Michael Frankel
Name: Michael Frankel
Title: Authorized Signatory

LENDER:

BANK OF AMERICA, N.A.,
a national banking association

By: /s/ Julia Elterman
Name: Julia Elterman
Title: VP

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Definitions

Unless the context otherwise specifies or requires, the following terms shall have the meanings herein specified, such definitions to be applicable equally to the singular and the plural forms of such terms and to all genders:

“Affiliate” means, with respect to any Person, another Person that directly, or indirectly through one or more intermediaries, Controls or is Controlled by or is under common Control with the Person specified.

Allocated Loan Amount means,

- (a) with respect to the RIF I—Don Julian Property, Fifteen Million Nine Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$15,950,000),
- (b) with respect to the RIF I—Lewis Road Property, Thirteen Million Seven Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$13,750,000),
- (c) with respect to the RIF I—Oxnard Property, Four Million Nine Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$4,950,000),
- (d) with respect to the RIF I—Walnut Property, Twelve Million Seven Hundred Sixty Thousand Dollars (\$12,760,000),
- (e) with respect to the RIF II—Kaiser Property, Eight Three Hundred five Thousand Dollars (\$8,305,000), and
- (f) with respect to the RIF III—Irwindale Property, Ten Million Two Hundred Eighty-Five Thousand Dollars (\$10,285,000).

“Approved Manager” means Borrower, Rexford L.P., Rexford Industrial Realty and Management, Inc., a California corporation, another Affiliate of Manager, or any other reputable and creditworthy property manager, subject to the prior written approval of Lender, which written approval may be evidenced by e-mail confirmation, not to be unreasonably withheld, with a portfolio of properties comparable to the Property under active management.

“Authorized Signer” means each of Howard Schwimmer and Michael Frankel, acting alone, or any other representative of Borrower duly designated and authorized by Borrower to bind Borrower with respect to all matters pertaining to the Loan and the Loan Documents, including the submission of draw requests and the selection of interest rates.

“Banking Day” means any day that is not a Saturday, Sunday or banking holiday in the State.

“Borrower’s Deposit Account” means an account established with Lender pursuant to the terms of Section 4.6.

“Casualty” means any act or occurrence of any kind or nature that results in damage, loss or destruction to the Property.

“Claim” means any liability, suit, action, claim, demand, loss, expense, penalty, fine, judgment or other cost of any kind or nature whatsoever, including fees, costs and expenses of attorneys, consultants, contractors and experts.

“Closing Checklist” means that certain Closing Requirements and Checklist setting forth the conditions for closing the Loan and recording the Mortgage.

“Code” means the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended.

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“Condemnation” means any taking of title to, use of, or any other interest in the Property under the exercise of the power of condemnation or eminent domain, whether temporarily or permanently, by any Governmental Authority or by any other Person acting under or for the benefit of a Governmental Authority.

“Condemnation Awards” means any and all judgments, awards of damages (including severance and consequential damages), payments, proceeds, settlements, amounts paid for a taking in lieu of Condemnation, or other compensation heretofore or hereafter made, including interest thereon, and the right to receive the same, as a result of, or in connection with, any Condemnation or threatened Condemnation.

“Control” means the possession, directly or indirectly, of the power to direct or cause the direction of the management or policies of a Person, whether through the ability to exercise voting power, by contract or otherwise. “Controlling” or “Controlled” have meanings correlative thereto.

“Default” means an event or circumstance that, with the giving of Notice or lapse of time, or both, would constitute an Event of Default under the provisions of this Agreement.

“Dispute”. means any controversy, claim or dispute between or among the parties to this Agreement, including any such controversy, claim or dispute arising out of or relating to (a) this Agreement, (b) any other Loan Document, (c) any related agreements or instruments, or (d) the transaction contemplated herein or therein (including any claim based on or arising from an alleged personal injury or business tort).

“Environmental Agreement” means the Environmental Indemnification and Release Agreement of even date herewith by and between Borrower and Lender pertaining to the Property, as the same may from time to time be extended, amended, restated or otherwise modified. The Environmental Agreement is unsecured.

“ERISA” means the Employee Retirement Security Act of 1974, as amended.

“Event of Default” means any event or circumstance specified in Article VI and the continuance of such event or circumstance beyond the applicable grace and/or cure periods therefor, if any, set forth in Article VI.

“Expenses” means all fees, charges, costs and expenses of any nature whatsoever incurred at any time and from time to time (whether before or after an Event of Default) by Lender in making, funding, administering or modifying the Loan, in negotiating or entering into any “workout” of the Loan, or in exercising or enforcing any rights, powers and remedies provided in the Mortgage or any of the other Loan Documents, including attorneys’ fees, court costs, receiver’s fees, management fees and costs incurred in the repair, maintenance and operation of, or taking possession of, or selling, the Property.

“Financial Statements” means (i) for each reporting party other than an individual, a balance sheet, income statement, statements of cash flow and amounts and sources of contingent liabilities, a reconciliation of changes in equity and liquidity verification, real estate schedules providing details on each individual real property in the reporting party’s portfolio, including, but not limited to raw land, land under development, construction in process and stabilized properties and unless Lender otherwise consents, consolidated and consolidating statements if the reporting party is a holding company or a parent of a subsidiary entity; and (ii) for each reporting party who is an individual, a balance sheet, statements of cash flow and amounts and sources of contingent liabilities, sources and uses of cash and liquidity verification, cash flow projections, real estate schedules providing details on each individual real property in the reporting party’s portfolio, including, but not limited to raw land, land under development, and unless Lender otherwise consents, Financial Statements for each entity owned or jointly owned by the reporting party. For purposes of this definition and any covenant requiring the delivery of Financial Statements, each party for whom Financial Statements are required is a “reporting party” and a specified period to which the required Financial Statements relate is a “reporting period.”

“Governmental Authority” or “Governmental Authorities” means the government of the United States or any other nation, or of any political subdivision thereof, whether state or local, and any agency, authority, instrumentality, regulatory body, court, central bank or other entity exercising executive, legislative, judicial, taxing, regulatory or administrative powers or functions of or pertaining to government (including any supra-national bodies such as the European Union or the European Central Bank).

“Guarantor” means, individually or collectively, Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc., a Maryland corporation, and its successors and assigns.

“Guaranty” means the Guaranty Agreement of even date herewith executed by Guarantor for the benefit of Lender, as the same may from time to time be extended, amended, restated, supplemented or otherwise modified.

“Improvements” means all on-site and off-site improvements to the Land, including a 241,248 square foot warehouse/distribution building situated on the Land encumbered by the RIF I – Don Julian Mortgage, a 213,128 square foot warehouse/distribution building situated on the on the Land encumbered by the RIF I – Lewis Road Mortgage, a 69,891 square foot warehouse/distribution building situated on the on the Land encumbered by the RIF I – Oxnard Mortgage, a 161,286 square foot warehouse/distribution building situated on the on the Land encumbered by the RIF I – Walnut Mortgage, a 124,997 square foot warehouse/distribution building situated on the on the Land encumbered by the RIF II – Kaiser Mortgage, and a 76,000 square foot light manufacturing/flex building situated on the on the Land encumbered by the RIF III – Irwindale Mortgage, together with all fixtures, tenant improvements and appurtenances now or later to be located on the Land and/or in such improvements.

“Insurance Proceeds” means the insurance claims under and the proceeds of any and all policies of insurance covering the Property or any part thereof, including all returned and unearned premiums with respect to any insurance relating to the Property, in each case whether now or hereafter existing or arising.

“Land” means the land described in and encumbered by the Mortgage.

“Law(s)” means all federal, state and local laws, statutes, rules, ordinances, regulations, codes, licenses, authorizations, decisions, injunctions, interpretations, orders or decrees of any court or other Governmental Authority having jurisdiction as may be in effect from time to time.

“Lease(s)” means all leases, license agreements and other occupancy or use agreements (whether oral or written), now or hereafter existing, which cover or relate to the Property or any part thereof, together with all options therefor, amendments thereto and renewals, modifications and guaranties thereof, including any cash or security deposited under the Leases to secure performance by the tenants of their obligations under the Leases, whether such cash or security is to be held until the expiration of the terms of the Leases or applied to one or more of the installments of rent coming due thereunder.

“Loan” means the loan from Lender to Borrower, the repayment obligations in connection with which are evidenced by the Note.

“Loan Amount” means Sixty Million and No/100 Dollars (\$60,000,000).

“Loan Documents” means this Agreement, the Note, the Mortgage, the Environmental Agreement, the Guaranty, any Swap Contract, any application or reimbursement agreement executed in connection with any letter of credit issued by Lender in connection with the Loan, and any and all other documents which Borrower, Guarantor or any other party or parties have executed and delivered, or may hereafter execute and deliver, to evidence, secure or guarantee the Obligations, or any part thereof, as the same may from time to time be extended, amended, restated, supplemented or otherwise modified.

“Mortgage” means, individually and collectively, the RIF I—Don Julian Mortgage, the RIF I—Lewis Road Mortgage, the RIF I—Oxnard Mortgage, the RIF I—Walnut Mortgage, the RIF II—Kaiser Mortgage, and the RIF III—Irwindale Mortgage.

“Net Proceeds” when used with respect to any Condemnation Awards or Insurance Proceeds, means the gross proceeds from any Condemnation or Casualty remaining after payment of all expenses, including attorneys’ fees, incurred in the collection of such gross proceeds.

“Note” means the Promissory Note of even date herewith, in an amount equal to the Loan Amount, made by Borrower to the order of Lender, as the same may from time to time be extended, amended, restated, supplemented or otherwise modified.

“Notice” means a notice, request, consent, demand or other communication given in accordance with the provisions of Section 8.7 of this Agreement.

“Obligations” means all present and future debts, obligations and liabilities of Borrower to Lender arising pursuant to, or on account of, the provisions of this Agreement, the Note or any of the other Loan Documents, including the obligations: (a) to pay all principal, interest, late charges, prepayment premiums (if any) and other amounts due at any time under the Note; (b) to pay all Expenses, indemnification payments, fees and other amounts due at any time under the Mortgage or any of the other Loan Documents, together with interest thereon as provided in the Mortgage or such Loan Document; (c) to pay and perform all obligations of Borrower (or its Affiliate) under any Swap Contract; and (d) to perform, observe and comply with all of the terms, covenants and conditions, expressed or implied, which Borrower is required to perform, observe or comply with pursuant to the terms of this Agreement, the Mortgage or any of the other Loan Documents. Notwithstanding any language contained in the Loan Documents, the Obligations of Borrower to pay and perform under the Environmental Agreement are unsecured.

“Person” means an individual, a corporation, a partnership, a joint venture, a limited liability company, a trust, an unincorporated association, any Governmental Authority or any other entity.

“Property” means, individually and collectively, the real and personal property conveyed and encumbered by the RIF I—Don Julian Mortgage, the RIF I—Lewis Road Mortgage, the RIF I—Oxnard Mortgage, the RIF I—Walnut Mortgage, the RIF II—Kaiser Mortgage, and the RIF III—Irwindale Mortgage.

“RBC – Fullerton” means Rexford Business Center – Fullerton, LLC, a California limited liability company.

“Rents” means all of the rents, royalties, issues, profits, revenues, earnings, income and other benefits of the Property or any part thereof, or arising from the use or enjoyment of the Property or any part thereof, including all such amounts paid under or arising from any of the Leases and all fees, charges, accounts or other payments for the use or occupancy of rooms or other public facilities within the Property or any part thereof.

“Rexford L.P.” means Borrower’s sole owner, Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P., a Maryland limited partnership.

“RIF I—Don Julian” means RIF I – Don Julian, LLC, a California limited liability company.

“RIF I—Don Julian Mortgage” means the Deed of Trust, Assignment, Security Agreement and Fixture Filing of even date herewith given by RIF I – Don Julian to Lender to secure the Obligations, except for Obligations arising out of the Environmental Agreement, as the same may from time to time be extended, amended, restated, supplemented or otherwise modified.

“RIF I—Don Julian Property” means the real and personal property conveyed and encumbered by the RIF I—Don Julian Mortgage.

“RIF I—Lewis Road” means RIF I – Lewis Road, LLC, a California limited liability company.

“RIF I—Lewis Road Mortgage” means the Deed of Trust, Assignment, Security Agreement and Fixture Filing of even date herewith given by RIF I – Lewis Road to Lender to secure the Obligations, except for Obligations arising out of the Environmental Agreement, as the same may from time to time be extended, amended, restated, supplemented or otherwise modified.

“RIF I—Lewis Road Property” means the real and personal property conveyed and encumbered by the RIF I—Lewis Road Mortgage

“RIF I—Oxnard” means RIF I – Oxnard, LLC, a California limited liability company.

“RIF I—Oxnard Mortgage” means the Deed of Trust, Assignment, Security Agreement and Fixture Filing of even date herewith given by RIF I – Oxnard to Lender to secure the Obligations, except for Obligations arising out of the Environmental Agreement, as the same may from time to time be extended, amended, restated, supplemented or otherwise modified.

“RIF I—Oxnard Property” means the real and personal property conveyed and encumbered by the RIF I—Oxnard Mortgage.

“RIF I—Walnut” means RIF I – Walnut, LLC, a California limited liability company.

“RIF I—Walnut Mortgage” means the Deed of Trust, Assignment, Security Agreement and Fixture Filing of even date herewith given by RIF I – Walnut and RBC – Fullerton to Lender to secure the Obligations, except for Obligations arising out of the Environmental Agreement, as the same may from time to time be extended, amended, restated, supplemented or otherwise modified.

“RIF I—Walnut Property” means the real and personal property conveyed and encumbered by the RIF I—Walnut Mortgage.

“RIF II—Kaiser” means RIF II – Kaiser, LLC, a California limited liability company.

“RIF II—Kaiser Mortgage” means the Deed of Trust, Assignment, Security Agreement and Fixture Filing of even date herewith given by RIF II – Kaiser to Lender to secure the Obligations, except for Obligations arising out of the Environmental Agreement, as the same may from time to time be extended, amended, restated, supplemented or otherwise modified.

“RIF II—Kaiser Property” means the real and personal property conveyed and encumbered by the RIF I—Kaiser Mortgage.

“RIF III—Irwindale” means RIF III – Irwindale, LLC, a California limited liability company.

“RIF III—Irwindale Mortgage” means the Deed of Trust, Assignment, Security Agreement and Fixture Filing of even date herewith given by RIF III – Irwindale to Lender to secure the Obligations, except for Obligations arising out of the Environmental Agreement, as the same may from time to time be extended, amended, restated, supplemented or otherwise modified.

“RIF III—Irwindale Property” means the real and personal property conveyed and encumbered by the RIF I—Irwindale Mortgage.

“State” means the State of California.

“Survey” means a map or plat of survey of the Land which conforms with Lender’s survey requirements set forth in the Closing Checklist.

“Swap Contract” means any agreement, whether or not in writing, relating to any Swap Transaction, including, unless the context otherwise clearly requires, any agreement or contract that constitutes a “swap” within the meaning of Section 1a(47) of the Commodity Exchange Act (7 U.S.C. § 1 et seq.), as amended from time to time, and any successor statute, and CFTC Regulation 1.3(xxx), any form of master agreement (the “Master Agreement”) published by the International Swaps and Derivatives Association, Inc., and any other master agreement, entered into prior to the date hereof or any time after the date hereof, between Swap Counterparty and Borrower (or its Affiliate), together with any related schedule and confirmation, as amended, supplemented, superseded or replaced from time to time.

“Swap Counterparty” means Lender or an Affiliate of Lender, in its capacity as counterparty under any Swap Contract.

“Swap Transaction” means any transaction that is a rate swap, basis swap transaction, forward rate transaction, commodity swap, commodity option, equity or equity index swap or option, bond option, note or bill option, interest rate option, forward foreign exchange transaction, cap transaction, spot or floor transaction, collar transaction, currency swap transaction, cross-currency rate swap transaction, swap option, currency option, credit swap or default transaction, T-lock, or any other similar transaction (including any option to enter into the foregoing) or any combination of the foregoing, entered into prior to the date hereof or anytime after the date hereof between Swap Counterparty and Borrower (or its Affiliate) so long as a writing, such as a Swap Contract, evidences the parties’ intent that such obligations shall be secured by the Mortgage in connection with the Loan.

“Taxes” means all taxes and assessments whether general or special, ordinary or extraordinary, or foreseen or unforeseen, which at any time may be assessed, levied, confirmed or imposed by any Governmental Authority or any communities facilities or other private district on Borrower or on any of its properties or assets or any part thereof or in respect of any of its franchises, businesses, income or profits.

“Termination Fee Deposit” shall have the meaning set forth in Section 4.17.

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Leasing and Tenant Matters

1. Representations and Warranties of Borrower Regarding Leases.

Borrower represents and warrants that Borrower has delivered to Lender Borrower's standard form of tenant lease and a true and correct copy of all Leases and any guaranty(ies) thereof, affecting any part of the Improvements, together with an accurate and complete rent roll for the Property, and no such Lease or guaranty contains any option or right of first refusal to purchase all or any portion of the Property or any present or future interest therein except for that certain Standard Industrial Commercial Multi-Tenant Lease – Net dated February 15, 2013 between RIF II – Kaiser and All One God Faith, Inc., a California corporation doing business as Dr. Bronner's Magic Soaps, for a portion of the RIF II – Kaiser property.

2. Covenants of Borrower Regarding Leases and Rents.

Borrower covenants that Borrower (a) will observe and perform all of the obligations imposed upon the landlord in the Leases and will not do or permit to be done anything to impair the security thereof; (b) will use its best efforts to enforce or secure, or cause to be enforced or secured, the performance of each and every obligation and undertaking of the respective tenants under the Leases and will appear in and defend, at Borrower's sole cost and expense, any action or proceeding arising under, or in any manner connected with, the Leases; (c) will not collect any of the Rents in advance of the time when the same become due under the terms of the Leases; (d) will not discount any future accruing Rents; (e) without the prior written consent of Lender, will not execute any assignment of the Leases or the Rents; (f) will not modify the rent, the term, the demised premises or the common area maintenance charges under any of the Leases, or add or modify any option or right of first refusal to purchase all or any portion of the Property or any present or future interest therein, or surrender, cancel or terminate any Lease, without the prior written consent of Lender; and (g) will execute and deliver, at the request of Lender, all such assignments of the Leases and Rents in favor of Lender as Lender may from time to time require.

3. Leasing Guidelines.

Borrower shall not enter into any lease of tenant space in the Improvements covering more than 20,000 square feet unless approved by Lender prior to execution. Borrower's standard form of tenant lease, and any revisions thereto, must have the prior written approval of Lender. Lender shall be "deemed" to have approved any Lease, except any Lease of more than 80,000 square feet (which are not subject to being "deemed" approved), that: (a) is on the standard form lease approved by Lender with no material deviations except as approved by Lender; (b) is entered into in the ordinary course of business with a bona fide unrelated third party tenant, and Borrower, acting in good faith and exercising due diligence, has determined that the tenant is financially capable of performing its obligations under the Lease; (c) is received by Lender, together with any guaranty(ies) and financial information received by Borrower regarding the tenant and any guarantor(s), within fifteen (15) days after execution; (d) reflects an arms' length transaction at then-current market rate for comparable space; (e) contains no option or right of first refusal to purchase all or any portion of the Property or any present or future interest therein; (f) requires the tenant to execute and deliver to Lender an estoppel certificate in form and substance acceptable to Lender within thirty (30) days after notice from Lender; and (g) in the case of those premises identified on Exhibit A to this Schedule 4, provides for an effective rental rate no less than applicable rate specified on said Exhibit A. Borrower shall provide to Lender a correct and complete copy of each Lease, including any exhibits, and any guaranty(ies) thereof, prior to execution unless the Lease meets the foregoing requirements for "deemed" approval by Lender. Borrower shall pay all reasonable costs incurred by Lender in reviewing and approving Leases and any guaranties thereof, and also in negotiating subordination agreements and subordination, nondisturbance and attornment agreements with tenants, including reasonable attorneys' fees and costs. Lender shall use commercially reasonable efforts to respond to any request for approval within ten (10) Banking Days after receipt of such request. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this Schedule 4, to the extent Lender has approval rights with respect

to any lease or revisions thereto, Lender shall be deemed to approve any terms of such lease or revisions thereto which the Borrower believes, upon the advice of counsel, are reasonably necessary to ensure that the Rents received pursuant to such lease qualify as "rents from real property" within the meaning of Section 856(d) of the Code.

4. Delivery of Leasing Information and Documents.

From time to time upon Lender's request, Borrower shall promptly deliver to Lender (a) complete executed originals of each Lease, including any exhibits thereto and any guaranty(ies) thereof, (b) a complete rent roll of the Property in such detail as Lender may require, together with such operating statements and leasing schedules and reports as Lender may require, (c) any and all financial statements of the tenants, subtenants and any lease guarantors to the extent available to Borrower, (d) such other information regarding tenants and prospective tenants and other leasing information as Lender may request, and (e) such estoppel certificates, subordination agreements and/or subordination, nondisturbance and attornment agreements executed by such tenants, subtenants and guarantors, if any, in such forms as Lender may require.

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Minimum Rental Rates

<u>Building Address</u>	<u>Minimum Effective Rent (per square foot)</u>
Don Julian 15241-15277 & 15317-15339 Don Julian Road	\$ 7.56
Lewis Road 300 S. Lewis Road	\$ 6.36
Walnut Avenue Building 1 2300-2320 E. Walnut Avenue	\$ 7.56
Walnut Avenue Building 2 2380-2386 E. Walnut Avenue	\$ 8.16
Walnut Avenue Building 3 2340-2358 E. Walnut Avenue	\$ 5.76
Irwindale 15715 East Arrow Highway	\$ 12.36
Kaiser 1335 Park Center Drive	\$ 6.24
Oxnard 2220-2260 Camino Del Sol	\$ 6.96

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Swap Contracts

1. Swap Documentation. Within the timeframes required by Lender and Swap Counterparty, Borrower shall deliver to Swap Counterparty the following documents and other items, executed and acknowledged as appropriate, all in form and substance satisfactory to Lender and Swap Counterparty: (a) Master Agreement in the form published by the International Swaps and Derivatives Association, Inc. and related schedule in the form agreed upon between Borrower (or its Affiliate) and Swap Counterparty; (b) a confirmation under the foregoing, if applicable; (c) the Guaranty; (d) if Borrower (or its Affiliate) is anything other than a natural person, evidence of due authorization to enter into transactions under the foregoing Swap Contract with Swap Counterparty, together with evidence of due authorization and execution of any Swap Contract; and such other title endorsements, documents, instruments and agreements as Lender and Swap Counterparty may require to evidence satisfaction of the conditions set forth in this Section, including a swap endorsement to Lender's title insurance policies in form and substance satisfactory to Lender.

2. Conveyance and Security Interest. To secure Borrower's Obligations, Borrower hereby transfers, assigns and transfers to Lender, and grants to Lender a security interest in, all of Borrower's right, title and interest, but not its obligations, duties or liabilities for any breach, in, under and to the Swap Contract, any and all amounts received by Borrower in connection therewith or to which Borrower is entitled thereunder, and all proceeds of the foregoing. All amounts payable to Borrower under the Swap Contract shall be paid to Lender and shall be applied to pay interest or other amounts under the Loan.

3. Cross-Default. It shall be an Event of Default under this Agreement if any Event of Default occurs as defined under any Swap Contract as to which Borrower (or its Affiliate) is the Defaulting Party, or if any Termination Event occurs under any Swap Contract as to which Borrower (or its Affiliate) is an Affected Party. As used in this Section, the terms "Defaulting Party," "Termination Event" and "Affected Party" have the meanings ascribed to them in the Swap Contract.

4. Remedies; Cure Rights. In addition to any and all other remedies to which Lender and Swap Counterparty are entitled at Law or in equity, Swap Counterparty shall have the right, to the extent so provided in any Swap Contract or any Master Agreement relating thereto, (a) to declare an event of default, termination event or other similar event thereunder and to designate an Early Termination Date as defined under the Master Agreement, and (b) to determine net termination amounts in accordance with the Swap Contract and to setoff amounts between Swap Contracts. Lender shall have the right at any time (but shall have no obligation) to take in its name or in the name of Borrower (or its Affiliate) such action as Lender may at any time determine to be necessary or advisable to cure any default under any Swap Contract or to protect the rights of Borrower (or its Affiliate) or Swap Counterparty thereunder; provided, however, that before the occurrence of an Event of Default under this Agreement, Lender shall give prior written notice to Borrower before taking any such action. For this purpose, Borrower hereby constitutes Lender its true and lawful attorney-in-fact with full power of substitution, which power of attorney is coupled with an interest and irrevocable, to exercise, at the election of Lender, any and all rights and remedies of Borrower (or its Affiliate) under the Swap Contract, including making any payments thereunder and consummating any transactions contemplated thereby, and to take any action that Lender may deem proper in order to collect, assert or enforce any claim, right or title, in and to the Swap Contract hereby assigned and conveyed, and generally to take any and all such action in relation thereto as Lender shall deem advisable. Lender shall not incur any liability if any action so taken by Lender or on its behalf shall prove to be inadequate or invalid. Borrower expressly understands and agrees that Lender is not hereby assuming any duties or obligations of Borrower (or its Affiliate) to make payments to Swap Counterparty under any Swap Contract or under any other Loan Document. Such payment duties and obligations remain the responsibility of Borrower (or its Affiliate) notwithstanding any language in this Agreement.

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5. Automatic Deduction and Credit.

(a) At all times when any Swap Contract is in effect, Borrower shall maintain the Checking Account in good standing with Lender. Borrower hereby grants to Lender and Swap Counterparty a security interest in the Checking Account, and any other accounts and deposit accounts from which Borrower may from time to time authorize Lender to debit payments due on the Loan and the Swap Contracts. Borrower is granting this security interest to Lender and Swap Counterparty for the purpose of securing the Obligations.

(b) At all times when any Swap Contract is in effect, all monthly payments owed by Borrower under the Note will be automatically deducted on their due dates from the Checking Account. Lender is hereby authorized to apply the amounts so debited to Borrower's obligations under the Loan. Notwithstanding the foregoing, Lender will not automatically deduct the principal payment at maturity from the Checking Account.

(c) At all times when any Swap Contract is in effect, all payments owed by Borrower (or its Affiliate) under any Swap Contract will be automatically deducted on their due dates from the Checking Account. The preceding sentence includes Borrower's authorization for Lender to debit from the Checking Account any monetary obligation owed by Borrower (or its Affiliate) to Swap Counterparty following any Early Termination Date, as defined under the Master Agreement. Swap Counterparty is hereby authorized to apply the amounts so debited to the obligations of Borrower (or its Affiliate) under the applicable Swap Contract.

(d) Lender will debit the Checking Account on the dates the foregoing payments become due; provided, however, that if a due date does not fall on a Banking Day, Lender will debit the Checking Account on the first Banking Day following such due date.

(e) Borrower shall maintain sufficient funds on the dates when Lender enters debits authorized by this Agreement. If there are insufficient funds in the Checking Account on any date when Lender enters any debit authorized by this Agreement, without limiting Lender's other remedies in such an event, the debit will be reversed in whole or in part, in Lender's sole and absolute discretion, and such amount not debited shall be deemed to be unpaid and shall be immediately due and payable in accordance with the terms of the Note and/or the Swap Contract, as applicable.

(f) So long as there is no Event of Default existing under this Agreement or any Swap Contract, Lender will automatically credit the Checking Account for payments owed by Swap Counterparty under the Swap Contract. Lender will credit the Checking Account on the dates the foregoing payments become due; provided, however, that if a due date does not fall on a Banking Day, Lender will credit the Checking Account on the first Banking Day following such due date.

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Financial Covenants

Debt Service Coverage Ratio. Borrower shall maintain a Debt Service Coverage Ratio as of any Determination Date of at least 1.10 to 1.00. This ratio will be tested as of each Determination Date. The Debt Service Coverage Ratio may be satisfied by a voluntary paydown of the Loan by Borrower, subject to the satisfaction of any conditions to prepayment, including the payment of any prepayment fee or premium, together with a mutually agreed-upon reduction in the committed amount of the Loan.

If, as of the Initial Determination Date or any Determination Date thereafter, the Actual Debt Service Coverage Ratio is less than 1.10 to 1.00 but equal to or greater than 1.05 to 1.00, Borrower shall, within fifteen (15) days after the end of each month thereafter until the next Determination Date on which the Actual Debt Service Coverage Ratio has been 1.10 to 1.00 or greater for two consecutive calendar quarters, deposit all cash flow from the Property in an interest-bearing account (the "Sweep Account") maintained with Lender in Borrower's name but under Lender's sole dominion and control (and which shall be an "Account", as such term is defined in the Mortgage). The Sweep Account and all funds on deposit therein shall be additional collateral for the Loan. Any funds which have been on deposit in the Sweep Account for a period of twelve (12) months shall be immediately applied by Lender against the then-outstanding principal balance of the Loan; and any funds on deposit in the Sweep Account on the date which is ninety (90) days before the then current Maturity Date (as defined in the Note) shall be applied by Lender against the then-outstanding Obligations in such order and against such of the Obligations as Lender shall determine in its sole discretion. If, as of any Determination Date after Borrower's obligation to so deposit cash flow with Lender in the Sweep Account ceases, the Debt Service Coverage Ratio once again becomes less than 1.10 to 1.00 but 1.05 to 1.00 or greater, Borrower's obligation to so deposit cash flow with Lender in the Sweep Account shall resume until the next Determination Date on which the Actual Debt Service Coverage Ratio is 1.10 to 1.00 or greater for two consecutive calendar quarters. Any cash flow so paid to Lender shall be held by Lender and, provided that no Event of Default then exists, released by Lender to Borrower promptly following the next Determination Date on which the Debt Service Coverage Ratio equals or exceeds 1.10 to 1.00 for two consecutive calendar quarters. Borrower covenants and agrees to execute a pledge and security agreement with respect to such account in form and substance acceptable to Lender.

If, as of any Determination Date, the Actual Debt Service Coverage Ratio is less than 1.05 to 1.00 Borrower shall, within thirty (30) days after written demand from Lender, pay to Lender, for application against the outstanding principal balance of the Loan, such amount as is required to achieve an Actual Debt Service Coverage Ratio of 1.10 to 1.00 and shall satisfy any conditions to prepayment provided for in the Loan Documents, and there shall be a reduction in the committed amount of the Loan by the amount of such principal payment.

"Actual Operating Revenue" means, with respect to any Calculation Period, all income, computed on an annualized basis in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles, collected from the ownership and operation of the Property from whatever source (other than any source affiliated with Borrower or any Guarantor), including Rents, utility charges, escalations, service fees or charges, license fees, parking fees, and other required pass-throughs, but excluding sales, use and occupancy or other taxes on receipts required to be accounted for by Borrower to any Governmental Authority, refunds from tenants, uncollectible accounts, sales of furniture, fixtures and equipment, interest income, Condemnation Awards, Insurance Proceeds (other than business interruption or other loss of income insurance), unforfeited security deposits, utility and other similar deposits, income from tenants not paying rent, income from tenants in bankruptcy unless such tenant shall have affirmed its lease, and non-recurring or extraordinary income, including lease termination payments. Actual Operating Revenue shall be net of rent concessions and credits. Actual Operating Revenue shall be subject to appropriate adjustments in Lender's reasonable discretion. Notwithstanding the foregoing, Lender may include as a part of Actual Operating Revenue, in its sole discretion, rents for newly executed Leases pursuant to which the obligation of the tenant thereunder to pay rent will commence within six (6) months after the Calculation Date.

“Assumed Interest Rate” means the annual yield payable on the last day of the applicable Calculation Period on ten (10) year United States Treasury obligations in amounts approximating the Net Commitment Amount at the inception of the Calculation Period plus two hundred fifty (250) basis points per annum; provided, however, that the Assumed Interest Rate shall be not less than six percent (6.0%) per annum.

“Calculation Period” means the six (6) month period ending on the day preceding any Determination Date.

“Debt Service” means the payments of principal and interest that would have been payable under a hypothetical loan during the Calculation Period, assuming (i) an initial loan balance equal to the Net Commitment Amount at the inception of the Calculation Period, (ii) an interest rate equal to the Assumed Interest Rate, and (iii) amortization of the aggregate principal indebtedness over a thirty (30) year amortization period.

“Debt Service Coverage Ratio” means, as of any Determination Date, for the applicable Calculation Period the ratio, as determined by Lender, of Net Operating Income to Debt Service.

“Determination Date” means the first day of each calendar quarter of each year, beginning with the Initial Determination Date.

“Initial Determination Date” means September 1, 2013.

“Net Commitment Amount” means, as of any date, the total obtained by adding the amount of the outstanding principal balance of the Loan to the amount of the available undisbursed Loan proceeds.

“Net Operating Income” means, with respect to any Calculation Period, the amount obtained by subtracting Operating Expenses from Actual Operating Revenue as such amount may be adjusted by Lender in its reasonable discretion based on Lender’s underwriting standards, including adjustments for vacancy allowance and other concessions. As used herein, “vacancy allowance” means an allowance for reductions in potential income attributable to vacancies, tenant turnover, and nonpayment of rent.

“Operating Expenses” means, with respect to any Calculation Period, the total of all expenses actually paid or payable, computed on an annualized basis in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles, of whatever kind relating to the ownership, operation, maintenance or management of the Property, including utilities, ordinary repairs and maintenance, insurance premiums, ground rents, if any, license fees, Taxes, advertising expenses, payroll and related taxes, management fees equal to the greater of 4% of Actual Operating Revenue or the management fees actually paid under any management agreement, operational equipment or other lease payments as approved by Lender, normalized capital expenditures equal to \$0.07 per square foot of the buildings on the Property per year, but specifically excluding depreciation and amortization, income taxes, debt service on the Loan, and any item of expense that would otherwise be covered by the provisions hereof but which is paid by any tenant under such tenant’s Lease or other agreement provided such reimbursement by tenant is not included in the calculation of Actual Operating Revenue. Operating Expenses shall be subject to appropriate seasonal and other adjustments in Lender’s reasonable discretion. Any expense which in accordance with accrual basis income tax accounting is depreciated or amortized over a period which exceeds one (1) year shall be treated as an expense, for the purposes of the foregoing calculations, ratably over the period of depreciation or amortization.

Unencumbered Liquid Assets. Guarantor, together with its subsidiaries which are directly or indirectly wholly owned by Guarantor, shall collectively maintain Unencumbered Liquid Assets having an aggregate market value of (a) not less than Five Million Dollars (\$5,000,000) or, (b) if Guarantor elects to have Line of Credit Availability included in the calculation of Unencumbered Liquid Assets, not less than Eight Million Dollars (\$8,000,000), Two Million Dollars (\$2,000,000) of which must be cash or cash equivalents. This covenant will be calculated as of December 31 of each year.

“Unencumbered Liquid Assets” means the following assets (excluding assets of any retirement plan) which (i) are not the subject of any lien, pledge, security interest, financing statement or other arrangement with any creditor to have its claim satisfied out of the asset (or proceeds thereof) prior to the general creditors of the owner of the asset, (ii) are held solely in the name of Guarantor or any subsidiary of Guarantor which is directly or indirectly wholly owned by Guarantor (with no other Persons having ownership rights in such assets), (iii) may be converted to cash within five (5) days, and (iv) are otherwise acceptable to Lender in its reasonable discretion:

- (a) Cash or cash equivalents held in the United States and denominated in United States dollars;
- (b) United States Treasury or governmental agency obligations which constitute full faith and credit of the United States of America;
- (c) Commercial paper rated P-1 or A1 by Moody’s or S&P, respectively;
- (d) Medium and long-term securities rated investment grade by one of the rating agencies described in (c) above;
- (e) Eligible Stocks; and
- (f) Mutual funds quoted in The Wall Street Journal which invest primarily in the assets described in (a) – (e) above.

Additionally, Guarantor shall have the right, exercised by Guarantor by so stating on its compliance certificate to include Line of Credit Availability in the calculation of Unencumbered Liquid Assets (the failure of Guarantor to so state shall be deemed Guarantor’s election to not include Line of Credit Availability in the calculation of Unencumbered Liquid Assets). As used herein, the term “Line of Credit Availability” mean the amount, as of the date on which Unencumbered Liquid Assets is calculated, which is available for borrowing by Rexford L.P. under any line of credit. For purposes of this covenant, the Line of Credit Availability shall be zero at any time an uncured default (beyond any applicable notice or cure period) exists under the loan documents for such line of credit.

“Eligible Stocks” includes any common or preferred stock which (i) is not control or restricted stock under Rule 144 of the General Rules and Regulations promulgated by the Securities and Exchange Commission under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or subject to any other regulatory or contractual restrictions on sales, (ii) is traded on a U.S. national stock exchange, including NASDAQ, with a liquidity on such exchange for such stock acceptable to Lender and (iii) has, as of the close of trading on the applicable exchange (excluding after hours trading), a per share price of at least Fifteen Dollars (\$15).

Fair Market Net Worth. Guarantor shall maintain a Fair Market Net Worth of at least Seventy-Five Million Dollars (\$75,000,000). This covenant will be calculated as of December 31 of each year.

“Fair Market Net Worth” means the fair market value, determined in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles, of total assets of Guarantor (including leaseholds and leasehold improvements and reserves against assets but excluding goodwill, patents, trademarks, trade names, organization expense, unamortized debt discount and expense, capitalized or deferred research and development costs, deferred marketing expenses, and other like intangibles, and monies due from affiliates, officers, directors, employees, shareholders, members or managers) less total liabilities, including but not limited to accrued and deferred income taxes, but excluding the non-current portion of Subordinated Liabilities.

“Subordinated Liabilities” means liabilities subordinated to Borrower’s obligations to Lender in a manner acceptable to Lender in its sole discretion.

CONSENT AGREEMENT

THIS CONSENT AGREEMENT (this “**Agreement**”) is made as of this 24th day of July, 2013 (“**Effective Date**”), by and between:

RIF V-JERSEY, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company (“**Borrower**”);

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, INC., a Maryland corporation (the “**REIT**”);

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, L.P., a Maryland limited partnership (“**Rexford LP**”, and together with the REIT, “**New Guarantor**”); and

U.S. BANK NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, AS TRUSTEE, SUCCESSOR-IN-INTEREST TO BANK OF AMERICA, N. A., AS TRUSTEE, SUCCESSOR BY MERGER TO LASALLE BANK, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, AS TRUSTEE FOR MORGAN STANLEY CAPITAL I INC., COMMERCIAL MORTGAGE PASS-THROUGH CERTIFICATES, SERIES 2005cTOPI7 (“**Noteholder**”), whose Master Servicer is Wells Fargo Bank, National Association.

BACKGROUND

A. On or about November 29, 2004, WELLS FARGO BANK, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION (“**Original Lender**”) made a certain loan and extended credit in the amount of SIX MILLION AND N0/100 DOLLARS (\$6,000,000.00) (the “**Loan**”) to JERSEY BUSINESS PARK, a California general partnership (“**Original Borrower**”), as evidenced by those certain documents, including, but not limited to, the Loan Documents (the “**Loan Documents**”) more specifically described in **Exhibit A** attached hereto and incorporated herein for all purposes, in connection with I 0700 Jersey Boulevard, Rancho Cucamonga, California (the “**Property**”).

B. Pursuant to that certain Assumption Agreement dated November 8, 2011, Original Borrower transferred to Borrower all of its right, title and interest in and to the Loan and the Loan Documents.

C. The parties hereto (other than Noteholder) have requested that Noteholder consent to: (i) the merger of each of Rexford Industrial Fund V, LP, a Delaware limited partnership (“**Rexford Fund**”) with and into Rexford LP (with Rexford LP being the surviving entity) (the “**Rexford Fund Merger**”); (ii) the merger of Rexford Industrial Fund V REIT, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company (“**Rexford Fund V REIT**”) with and into the REIT (with the REIT being the surviving entity) (the “**Rexford Fund V Merger**,” and together with the Rexford Fund Merger, each a “**Merger**” and collectively the “**Mergers**”); (iii) the initial public offering of Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc., a Maryland limited partnership (the “**REIT**”), the sole general partner of Rexford LP (the “**IPO**”); and (iv) the assumption by Rexford LP of all of the obligations of Rexford Fund and the assumption by the REIT of all of the obligations of Rexford Fund V REIT, in each case as guarantor under the Loan by operation of law as a result of the applicable Merger.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual promises and agreements set forth below, and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, and intending to be legally bound, Borrower, New Guarantor and Noteholder agree as follows:

1. **Defined Terms**. All capitalized terms not otherwise defined herein shall have the meanings given to them in the Deed of Trust (as defined in Exhibit A attached hereto).

2. **Ownership of Borrower**.

Prior to the Effective Date, Borrower was owned:

- a) 100% by RIP V - SPE Owner, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company (“**SPE Owner**”) and managed by RIF V- SPE Manager, LLC, a California limited liability company (“**Manager**”);
- b) SPE owner was owned 100% by Rexford Fund; and
- c) Rexford Fund was owned 99.13% by Rexford Fund V REIT and 0.87% by Rexford Fund V Manager, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company.

From and after the Effective Date (but subject to Section 6.15(c)(ii) of the Deed of Trust, as amended), Borrower is owned:

- d) 100% by SPE Owner and managed by Manager;
- e) SPE Owner is owned 100% by Rexford LP; and
- f) The REIT is the sole general partner of Rexford LP.

3. **Consent by Noteholder**. Subject to the terms and conditions contained herein, Noteholder hereby consents to the following: (i) the Mergers; (ii) the IPO; (iii) the assumption by Rexford LP of all of the obligations of the Rexford Fund as guarantor under the Loan by operation of law as a result of the Rexford Fund Merger; and (iv) the assumption by the REIT of all of the obligations of Rexford Fund V REIT as guarantor under the loan by operation of law as a result of the Rexford Fund V REIT Merger. The transfers described in paragraphs 2 and 3 are hereinafter referred to as the “**Transaction**”. Noteholder consents to the Transaction subject to the terms and conditions set forth herein.

4. **No Release of Borrower; Ratification**. As a further condition to Noteholder entering into this Agreement and giving its consent to the Transaction, Noteholder has required Borrower to ratify its liabilities and obligations under Loan Documents. Borrower hereby ratifies and confirms all of its obligations and liabilities under the Note and the Loan Documents.

5. **No Release of Guarantor; Ratification**. As a further condition to Noteholder entering into this Agreement and giving its consent to the Transaction, Noteholder has required Rexford LP, as successor of Rexford Fund, and the REIT, as successor of Rexford Fund V REIT, in each case by operation of law as a result of the applicable Merger, to ratify and confirm that it

has assumed all liabilities and obligations of Rexford Fund and Rexford Fund V REIT, as applicable, under the Existing Guaranty (as defined in Exhibit A attached hereto). Rexford LP hereby ratifies and confirms that, as a result of the Rexford Fund Merger, Rexford LP has assumed liabilities and obligations of the Rexford Fund under the Existing Guaranty, as amended pursuant to Section 9 below. The REIT hereby ratifies and confirms that, as a result of the Rexford Fund V REIT Merger, the REIT has assumed the liabilities and obligations of Rexford Fund V REIT under the Existing Guaranty, as amended pursuant to Section 9 below.

6. **Borrower's Representation and Warranties.** To induce the Noteholder to enter into this Agreement, the Borrower hereby represents and warrants to the Noteholder that:

(a) Borrower is validly existing under the laws of the state of its organization and has full power and authority to enter into this Agreement, to execute and deliver all documents and instruments required hereunder, and to incur and perform the obligations provided for herein and therein, and to perform and carry out the terms of the Loan Documents, all of which have been duly authorized by all necessary entity action of the Borrower, and no consent or approval of any third party (other than the Noteholder, whose consent and approval is given pursuant to the terms of this Agreement) is required as a condition to the validity or enforceability hereof or thereof; except for the amendments set forth in Section 8 below, this Agreement has not affected any obligations and liabilities of Borrower under the Loan Documents;

(b) the current financial position of Borrower has not materially, or adversely changed from that reflected in the financial statements most recently provided to Noteholder;

(c) [intentionally omitted];

(d) this Agreement has been duly executed and delivered by the Borrower;

(e) this Agreement will constitute the valid and legally binding obligation of the Borrower, enforceable against the Borrower in accordance with its terms, except as may be limited by bankruptcy, insolvency, reorganization, moratorium and other similar Laws and equitable principles relating to or limiting creditors' rights generally;

(f) the execution, delivery and performance by the Borrower of this Agreement will not violate (i) any provision of law or any order, rule or regulation of any court or governmental authority, or (ii) any instrument, contract, agreement, indenture, mortgage, deed of trust or other material document or obligation to which the Borrower is a party or by which the Property is bound;

(g) there is no action, suit, proceeding or investigation pending or, to Borrower's knowledge, threatened that challenges the validity or enforceability of this Agreement or any of the Loan Documents, or any action required to be taken pursuant hereto or thereto;

(h) no Default has occurred and is continuing under the Note and/or the Loan Documents; and

(i) Borrower further represents and warrants to Noteholder that Borrower is not, and none of the principals, affiliates or, to Borrower's knowledge, other persons holding direct or indirect interests in Borrower are "**Non-Qualified Persons**" or "**Embargoed Persons**" as those terms are more particularly defined on **Exhibit "B"** attached hereto and made a part hereof.

7. **REIT's and Rexford LP's Representation and Warranties.** To induce the Noteholder to enter into this Agreement, each of the REIT and Rexford LP hereby represents and warrants to the Noteholder that:

(a) Such entity is or on the Effective Date will be validly existing under the laws of the state of its organization and has full power and authority to enter into this Agreement, to execute and deliver all documents and instruments required hereunder, and to incur and perform the obligations provided for herein and therein, and to perform and carry out the terms of the Loan Documents to which it is a party, all of which have been duly authorized by all necessary entity action of such party, and no consent or approval of any third party (other than the Noteholder, whose consent and approval is given pursuant to the terms of this Agreement) is required as a condition to the validity or enforceability hereof or thereof;

(b) after giving effect to the Mergers and the IPO, the financial position of such party shall not be materially and adversely different from that reflected in the proforma financial statements most recently provided to Noteholder;

(c) [intentionally omitted];

(d) this Agreement has been duly executed and delivered by such party;

(e) this Agreement will constitute the valid and legally binding obligation of Rexford LP, enforceable against the Rexford LP in accordance with its terms, except as may be limited by bankruptcy, insolvency, reorganization, moratorium and other similar Laws and equitable principles relating to or limiting creditors' rights generally;

(f) the execution, delivery and performance by such party of this Agreement will not violate (i) any provision of law or any order, rule or regulation of any court or governmental authority, or (ii) any instrument, contract, agreement, indenture, mortgage, deed of trust or other material document or obligation to which such party is a party or by which such party, or any of such party's property, is bound;

(g) there is no action, suit, proceeding or investigation pending or, to such party's knowledge, threatened that challenges the validity or enforceability of this Agreement or any of the Loan Documents to which it is a party, or any action required to be taken pursuant hereto or thereto;

(h) no Default has occurred and is continuing under the Note and/or the Loan Documents; and

(i) such party is not, and none of the principals, affiliates or, to such party's knowledge, persons holding direct or indirect interests in such party are "**Non-Qualified Persons**" or "**Embargoed Persons**" as those terms are more particularly defined on **Exhibit "B"** attached hereto and made a part hereof.

8. **Amendments to Loan Documents.** From and after the Effective Date, the Loan Documents are amended as follows:

The Deed of Trust

The following new definitions shall be added:

“**Affiliate**” shall mean any Person that, directly or indirectly (including through one or more intermediaries), Controls, is Controlled by or is under common Control with the Operating Partnership.

“**Control**” shall mean the possession, directly or indirectly, of the power to direct or cause the direction of the management or policies of an entity, whether through the ability to exercise voting power, by contract or otherwise.

“**Operating Partnership**” shall mean Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P., a Maryland limited partnership.

“**Person**” shall mean any individual, corporation, partnership, joint venture, association, joint-stock company, limited liability company, trust, unincorporated organization, government or any agency or political subdivision thereof or any other form of entity.”

“**REIT**” shall mean Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc., a Maryland corporation.

Add to the following to the end of the definition of “**Restricted Party**”:

“... provided, however, that the term ‘Restricted Party’ shall not include any limited partner of the Operating Partnership or any holder of securities of the REIT, or any Person owning direct or indirect interests in or through such limited partners of the Operating Partnership or such holders of securities of the REIT.”

Section 6.15(c)(ii) Permitted Equity Transfers

Delete provision added at the end of Section 6.15(c)(ii) pursuant to Section 22 of the Assumption Agreement.

Add the following after subsection (D) that was added to Section 6.15(c)(ii) pursuant to Section 8(b) of the Assumption Agreement:

“(E) Transfers of direct or indirect interests in Borrower to the Operating Partnership and any Affiliate, provided that the REIT shall continue to Control the Operating Partnership and Borrower; (F) issuances and Transfers of securities, options, warrants or other interests in the REIT, whether directly or indirectly; (G) issuances and Transfers of partnership interests and other interests in the Operating Partnership (including, without limitation, the adjustment of partnership units held by partners in the Operating Partnership to reflect redemptions pertaining to the limited partner interests in the Operating Partnership), whether directly or indirectly, provided that the REIT shall continue to Control the Operating Partnership; and (H) a merger, consolidation or exchange of securities to which the REIT or the Operating Partnership is a party, as applicable, provided that the surviving entity shall be the REIT or the Operating Partnership, as applicable, and that the REIT shall continue to Control the Operating Partnership and Borrower.”

Section 7.1(a) Optional Default

Delete Section 7.1(a)(vi)

9. **Management.** Noteholder acknowledges and approves, effective as of the closing date (and conditioned upon the closing) of the Transaction, (i) the termination of that certain Property Management Agreement dated as of August 11, 2011 by and between Borrower and Rexford Industrial Realty and Management, Inc., a California corporation, and (ii) Rexford LP or any wholly-owned subsidiary thereof as the new property manager. The form and substance of the new property management agreement shall be subject to Noteholder's prior reasonable approval.

10. **Releases, Covenants Not to Litigate, and Assignments.** For the period from the inception of the Loan to and including the Effective Date, and in consideration for Noteholder's consent given herein, Borrower, the REIT and Rexford LP (Borrower, the REIT and Rexford LP are sometimes collectively referred to as "**Releasing Parties**") hereby :

(a) fully and finally acquit, quitclaim, release and discharge each of the Released Parties (the term "**Released Parties**" shall be defined as Original Lender, Noteholder, and Wells Fargo, and their respective officers, directors, shareholders, representatives, employees, servicers, agents and attorneys) of and from any and all obligations, claims, liabilities, damages, demands, debts, liens, deficiencies or cause or causes of action (including claims and causes of action for usury), to, of or for the benefit (whether directly or indirectly) of the Releasing Parties, or any or all of them, at law or in equity, known or unknown, contingent or otherwise, whether asserted or unasserted, whether now known or hereafter discovered, whether statutory, in contract or in tort, as well as any other kind or character of action now held, owned or possessed (whether directly or indirectly) by the Releasing Parties or any or all of them on account of, arising out of, related to or concerning, whether directly or indirectly, proximately or remotely (x) the Note or any of the Loan Documents, or (y) this Agreement (except for the extent of the Released Parties obligations under this Agreement);

(b) waives any and all defenses to payment of the Note for any reason; and

(c) waives any and all defenses, counterclaims or offsets to the Loan Documents ((i), (ii), and (iii) above are collectively referred to as the "**Released Claims**").

11. **Conditions.** It shall be a condition to the effectiveness of this Agreement that on or before the Effective Date, Noteholder shall have approved and be in receipt of:

(a) executed and filed organizational documents of Rexford LP and the REIT;

(b) the final, fully-executed merger agreement by and between Rexford Fund and Rexford LP, and the final, fully-executed merger agreement by and between Rexford Fund V REIT and the REIT;

(c) [intentionally omitted];

(d) confirmation that Borrower's insurance policies (and insurance carriers) comply with any applicable requirements in the Loan Documents, including, without limitation, amounts and types of insurance, loss payee and applicable insurance certificates;

(e) a preliminary title report;

(f) a new title insurance policy or title insurance policy update and endorsements;

(g) property management contract between Borrower, as owner, and Rexford LP, as manager, and assignment thereof to Noteholder;

(h) an opinion of counsel, satisfactory to Noteholder as to form, substance and rendering attorney, opining to the validity and enforceability of this Agreement and the terms and provisions hereof, and any other Loan Documents contemplated hereby, the due execution and authority of Borrower, Rexford LP and the REIT, to execute and deliver this Agreement and perform their obligations under the Note and other Loan Documents, corporate and such other matters as reasonably requested by Noteholder;

(i) all credit, litigation, anti-terrorism, anti-money laundering and other searches, as Noteholder may require;

(j) certification from (i) Borrower certifying, among other things reasonably requested by Noteholder, that the current financial position of Borrower has not materially and adversely changed from that reflected in the financial statements most recently provided to Noteholder, and (ii) the REIT certifying, among other things reasonably requested by Noteholder, that after giving effect to the Mergers and the IPO, the financial position of the REIT and its consolidated subsidiaries shall not be materially and adversely different from that reflected in the pro forma financial statements most recently provided to Noteholder;

(k) Borrower shall have paid Noteholder all fees and all costs and expenses of Noteholder relative to this Agreement and the other Loan Documents and/or other documents executed pursuant hereto and any and all amendments, modifications and supplements thereto, and

(l) Borrower, the REIT and Rexford LP shall execute and/or deliver to Noteholder such other documents as Noteholder shall reasonably request.

12. **Counterparts.** It is understood and agreed that this Agreement may be executed in a number of identical counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original for all purposes. It is understood and agreed that photostatic, facsimile or .pdf signatures of the original signatures of this Agreement, and/or photostatic, facsimile or .pdf copies of this Agreement fully executed, shall be deemed an original for all purposes. Any parties submitting a facsimile or pdf signature shall be estopped from denying that an original signature was required, and such parties hereby agree to provide original signatures upon demand by the other parties. The parties hereto waive the "best evidence" rule or any similar law or rule in any proceeding in which this Agreement shall be presented as evidence.

13. **Binding Effect**. This Agreement shall be binding upon and inure to the benefit of the parties hereto and their respective successors and assigns.

14. **APPLICABLE LAW**. THIS CONSENT AGREEMENT SHALL BE GOVERNED BY AND CONSTRUED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE LAWS OF THE STATE WHICH THE LOAN DOCUMENTS PROVIDE THAT THE. LOAN DOCUMENTS ARE TO BE GOVERNED BY AND CONSTRUED WITH.

[SIGNATURE PAGES FOLLOW)

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have caused this instrument to be signed and sealed the day and year first above written.

NOTEHOLDER:

U.S. BANK NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, AS TRUSTEE,
SUCCESSOR-IN-INTEREST TO BANK OF AMERICA, N. A., AS
TRUSTEE, SUCCESSOR BY MERGER TO LASALLE BANK,
NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, AS TRUSTEE FOR MORGAN
STANLEY CAPITAL I INC., COMMERCIAL MORTGAGE PASS-
THROUGH CERTIFICATES, SERIES 2005-TOPI7

By: Wells Fargo Bank, National Association, as Master Servicer
under the Pooling and Servicing Agreement dated as of
January 1, 2005, among Morgan Stanley Capital I Inc., Wells
Fargo Bank, National Association, C-III Asset Management
(f/k/a Centerline Servicing, Inc.), Bank of America, National
Association, as successor by merger to LaSalle Bank, National
Association, Wells Fargo Bank, National Association, and
ABN AMRO Bank N.V.

By: /s/ Wayne Ventus, Jr.
Name: Wayne Ventus, Jr.
Title: Assistant Vice President

THE UNDERSIGNED HEREBY CONSENTS TO THE TRANSACTION DESCRIBED HEREIN.

MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION
SYSTEMS, INC., a Delaware corporation

By: /s/ Wayne Ventus, Jr.
Name: Wayne Ventus, Jr.
Title: Assistant Secretary

[Signature page to Consent Agreement]

BORROWER:

RIF V - JERSEY, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company

By: /s/ Michael Frankel

Name: Michael Frankel

Title: Authorized Signatory

[Signature page to Consent Agreement - RIF V - Jersey, LLC]

REIT:

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, INC., a Maryland corporation

By: /s/ Michael Frankel
Name: Michael Frankel
Title: Co-Chief Executive Officer

REXFORD LP:

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, LP, a Maryland limited partnership

By: Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc., a Maryland corporation, its general partner

By: /s/ Michael Frankel
Name: Michael Frankel
Title: Co-Chief Executive Officer

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ACKNOWLEDGMENT FOR NOTEHOLDER

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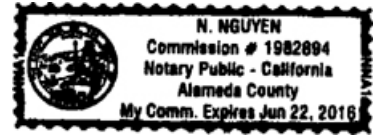
On July 22, 2013, before me, N. NGUYEN, the undersigned Notary Public in and for said County and State, personally appeared Wayne Ventus, Jr. , who proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he executed the same in his authorized capacity, and that by his signature on the instrument the person, or the entity upon behalf of which the person acted, executed the instrument.

I certify under PENALTY OF PERJURY under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing paragraph is true and correct.

WITNESS my hand and official seal.

/s/ N. Nguyen
Notary Public

My Commission Expires:
June 22, 2016



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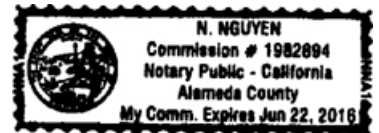
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WITNESS my hand and official seal.

/s/ N. Nguyen
Notary Public

My Commission Expires:
June 22, 2016



ACKNOWLEDGMENT FOR BORROWER

STATE OF CALIFORNIA)
) ss
COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES)

On July 22, 2013 before me, Adriane Harper, the undersigned Notary Public in and for said County and State, personally appeared Michael Frankel, who proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person(s) whose name(s) is/are subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their authorized capacity(ies), and that by his/her/their signature(s) on the instrument the person(s), or the entity upon behalf of which the person(s) acted, executed the instrument.

WITNESS my hand and official seal.

/s/ Adriane Harper
Notary Public

My Commission Expires:
11/16/16



ACKNOWLEDGMENT FOR REIT

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) ss
COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES)

On July 22, 2013 before me, Adriane Harper, the undersigned Notary Public in and for said County and State, personally appeared Michael Frankel, who proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person(s) whose name(s) is/are subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their authorized capacity(ies), and that by his/her/theirsignature(s) on the instrument the person(s), or the entity upon behalf of which the person(s)acted, executed the instrument.

WITNESS my hand and official seal.

/s/ Adriane Harper
Notary Public

My Commission Expires:
11/16/16



ACKNOWLEDGMENT FOR REXFORD LP

STATE OF CALIFORNIA)
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/s/ Adriane Harper
Notary Public

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EXHIBIT A

To

Consent and Assumption Agreement

1. Promissory Note Secured by Security Instrument, dated as of November 29, 2004, in the original principal amount of \$6,000,000.00 from Original Borrower payable to the order of Original Lender (the "**Note**").

2. Deed of Trust, Absolute Assignment of Rents and Leases and Security Agreement (and Fixture Filing), dated as of November 29, 2004 (the "**Deed of Trust**"), executed by Original Borrower to MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC., a Delaware corporation ("**MERS**") as Beneficiary and nominee for Original Lender, which was recorded in the Official Records of the San Bernardino County Recorder, State of California (the "**Official Records**") on December 10, 2004 as Document Number 2004-911545, covering the property commonly known as 10700 Jersey Boulevard, Rancho Cucamonga, CA 91730 and more particularly described in the Deed of Trust (collectively, the "**Property**").

3. Assumption Agreement (the "**Assumption Agreement**"), dated as of November 8, 2011, by and between Original Borrower, Borrower, Guarantor and Noteholder.

4. Memorandum of Assumption Agreement (the "**Memorandum of Assumption**") dated as of November 8, 2011, by and between Original Borrower, Borrower, Guarantor and Noteholder and recorded November 9, 2011, as Document Number 2011-0465795, with the Official Records.

5. Financing Statement from Borrower in favor of Noteholder which was filed with the Delaware Secretary of State on November 9, 2011 as Initial Filing Number 20114328970.

6. Limited Guaranty (the "**Existing Guaranty**"), dated as of November 8, 2011, executed by the Existing Guarantor in favor of Noteholder.

7. Assignment of Management Contracts (the "**Assignment of Contracts**") dated as of November 8, 2011, executed by Borrower in favor of Noteholder.

CERTIFICATION PURSUANT TO SECTION 302 OF THE SARBANES-OXLEY ACT OF 2002

I, Michael S. Frankel, certify that:

1. I have reviewed this quarterly report on Form 10-Q of Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc.;
2. Based on my knowledge, this report does not contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact necessary to make the statements made, in light of the circumstances under which such statements were made, not misleading with respect to the period covered by this report;
3. Based on my knowledge, the financial statements, and other financial information included in this report, fairly present in all material respects the financial condition, results of operations and cash flows of the registrant as of, and for, the periods presented in this report;
4. The registrant's other certifying officers and I are responsible for establishing and maintaining disclosure controls and procedures (as defined in Exchange Act Rules 13a-15(e) and 15d-15(e)) and internal control over financial reporting (as defined in Exchange Act Rules 13a-15(f) and 15d-15(f)) for the registrant and have:
 - (a) Designed such disclosure controls and procedures, or caused such disclosure controls and procedures to be designed under our supervision, to ensure that material information relating to the registrant, including its consolidated subsidiaries, is made known to us by others within those entities, particularly during the period in which this report is being prepared;
 - (b) Designed such internal control over financial reporting, or caused such internal control over financial reporting to be designed under our supervision, to provide reasonable assurance regarding the reliability of financial reporting and the preparation of financial statements for external purposes in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles;
 - (c) Evaluated the effectiveness of the registrant's disclosure controls and procedures and presented in this report our conclusions about the effectiveness of the disclosure controls and procedures, as of the end of the period covered by this report based on such evaluation; and
 - (d) Disclosed in this report any change in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting that occurred during the registrant's most recent fiscal quarter (the registrant's fourth fiscal quarter in the case of an annual report) that has materially affected, or is reasonably likely to materially affect, the registrant's internal control over financial reporting; and
5. The registrant's other certifying officers and I have disclosed, based on our most recent evaluation of internal control over financial reporting, to the registrant's auditors and the audit committee of the registrant's board of directors (or persons performing the equivalent functions):
 - (a) All significant deficiencies and material weaknesses in the design or operation of internal control over financial reporting which are reasonably likely to adversely affect the registrant's ability to record, process, summarize and report financial information; and
 - (b) Any fraud, whether or not material, that involves management or other employees who have a significant role in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting.

September 3, 2013

By: /s/ Michael S. Frankel

Michael S. Frankel
Co-Chief Executive Officer

CERTIFICATION PURSUANT TO SECTION 302 OF THE SARBANES-OXLEY ACT OF 2002

I, Howard Schwimmer, certify that:

1. I have reviewed this quarterly report on Form 10-Q of Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc.;
2. Based on my knowledge, this report does not contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact necessary to make the statements made, in light of the circumstances under which such statements were made, not misleading with respect to the period covered by this report;
3. Based on my knowledge, the financial statements, and other financial information included in this report, fairly present in all material respects the financial condition, results of operations and cash flows of the registrant as of, and for, the periods presented in this report;
4. The registrant's other certifying officers and I are responsible for establishing and maintaining disclosure controls and procedures (as defined in Exchange Act Rules 13a-15(e) and 15d-15(e)) and internal control over financial reporting (as defined in Exchange Act Rules 13a-15(f) and 15d-15(f)) for the registrant and have:
 - (a) Designed such disclosure controls and procedures, or caused such disclosure controls and procedures to be designed under our supervision, to ensure that material information relating to the registrant, including its consolidated subsidiaries, is made known to us by others within those entities, particularly during the period in which this report is being prepared;
 - (b) Designed such internal control over financial reporting, or caused such internal control over financial reporting to be designed under our supervision, to provide reasonable assurance regarding the reliability of financial reporting and the preparation of financial statements for external purposes in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles;
 - (c) Evaluated the effectiveness of the registrant's disclosure controls and procedures and presented in this report our conclusions about the effectiveness of the disclosure controls and procedures, as of the end of the period covered by this report based on such evaluation; and
 - (d) Disclosed in this report any change in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting that occurred during the registrant's most recent fiscal quarter (the registrant's fourth fiscal quarter in the case of an annual report) that has materially affected, or is reasonably likely to materially affect, the registrant's internal control over financial reporting; and
5. The registrant's other certifying officers and I have disclosed, based on our most recent evaluation of internal control over financial reporting, to the registrant's auditors and the audit committee of the registrant's board of directors (or persons performing the equivalent functions):
 - (a) All significant deficiencies and material weaknesses in the design or operation of internal control over financial reporting which are reasonably likely to adversely affect the registrant's ability to record, process, summarize and report financial information; and
 - (b) Any fraud, whether or not material, that involves management or other employees who have a significant role in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting.

September 3, 2013

By: /s/ Howard Schwimmer

Howard Schwimmer
Co-Chief Executive Officer

CERTIFICATION PURSUANT TO SECTION 302 OF THE SARBANES-OXLEY ACT OF 2002

I, Adeel Khan, certify that:

1. I have reviewed this quarterly report on Form 10-Q of Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc.;
2. Based on my knowledge, this report does not contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact necessary to make the statements made, in light of the circumstances under which such statements were made, not misleading with respect to the period covered by this report;
3. Based on my knowledge, the financial statements, and other financial information included in this report, fairly present in all material respects the financial condition, results of operations and cash flows of the registrant as of, and for, the periods presented in this report;
4. The registrant's other certifying officers and I are responsible for establishing and maintaining disclosure controls and procedures (as defined in Exchange Act Rules 13a-15(e) and 15d-15(e)) and internal control over financial reporting (as defined in Exchange Act Rules 13a-15(f) and 15d-15(f)) for the registrant and have:
 - (a) Designed such disclosure controls and procedures, or caused such disclosure controls and procedures to be designed under our supervision, to ensure that material information relating to the registrant, including its consolidated subsidiaries, is made known to us by others within those entities, particularly during the period in which this report is being prepared;
 - (b) Designed such internal control over financial reporting, or caused such internal control over financial reporting to be designed under our supervision, to provide reasonable assurance regarding the reliability of financial reporting and the preparation of financial statements for external purposes in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles;
 - (c) Evaluated the effectiveness of the registrant's disclosure controls and procedures and presented in this report our conclusions about the effectiveness of the disclosure controls and procedures, as of the end of the period covered by this report based on such evaluation; and
 - (d) Disclosed in this report any change in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting that occurred during the registrant's most recent fiscal quarter (the registrant's fourth fiscal quarter in the case of an annual report) that has materially affected, or is reasonably likely to materially affect, the registrant's internal control over financial reporting; and
5. The registrant's other certifying officers and I have disclosed, based on our most recent evaluation of internal control over financial reporting, to the registrant's auditors and the audit committee of the registrant's board of directors (or persons performing the equivalent functions):
 - (a) All significant deficiencies and material weaknesses in the design or operation of internal control over financial reporting which are reasonably likely to adversely affect the registrant's ability to record, process, summarize and report financial information; and
 - (b) Any fraud, whether or not material, that involves management or other employees who have a significant role in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting.

September 3, 2013

By: /s/ Adeel Khan

Adeel Khan
Chief Financial Officer

**CERTIFICATION PURSUANT TO
18 U.S.C. SECTION 1350,
AS ADOPTED PURSUANT TO
SECTION 906 OF THE SARBANES-OXLEY ACT OF 2002**

In connection with the Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q of Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc. (the "Company") for the period ended June 30, 2013 as filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on the date hereof (the "Report"), I, Michael S. Frankel, Co-Chief Executive Officer of the Company, hereby certify, pursuant to 18 U.S.C §1350, as adopted pursuant to §906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002, that to my knowledge:

- (1) the Report fully complies with the requirements of section 13(a) or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended; and
- (2) the information contained in the Report fairly presents, in all material respects, the financial condition and results of operations of the Company.

/s/ Michael S. Frankel

Michael S. Frankel
Co-Chief Executive Officer
September 3, 2013

**CERTIFICATION PURSUANT TO
18 U.S.C. SECTION 1350,
AS ADOPTED PURSUANT TO
SECTION 906 OF THE SARBANES-OXLEY ACT OF 2002**

In connection with the Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q of Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc. (the "Company") for the period ended June 30, 2013 as filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on the date hereof (the "Report"), I, Howard Schwimmer, Co-Chief Executive Officer of the Company, hereby certify, pursuant to 18 U.S.C §1350, as adopted pursuant to §906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002, that to my knowledge:

- (1) the Report fully complies with the requirements of section 13(a) or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended; and
- (2) the information contained in the Report fairly presents, in all material respects, the financial condition and results of operations of the Company.

/s/ Howard Schwimmer

Howard Schwimmer

Co-Chief Executive Officer

September 3, 2013

**CERTIFICATION PURSUANT TO
18 U.S.C. SECTION 1350,
AS ADOPTED PURSUANT TO
SECTION 906 OF THE SARBANES-OXLEY ACT OF 2002**

In connection with the Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q of Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc. (the "Company") for the period ended June 30, 2013 as filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on the date hereof (the "Report"), I, Adeel Khan, Chief Financial Officer of the Company, hereby certify, pursuant to 18 U.S.C §1350, as adopted pursuant to §906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002, that to my knowledge:

- (1) the Report fully complies with the requirements of section 13(a) or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended; and
- (2) the information contained in the Report fairly presents, in all material respects, the financial condition and results of operations of the Company.

/s/ Adeel Khan

Adeel Khan
Chief Financial Officer
September 3, 2013