UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT

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

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): October 21, 2024

REXFORD INDUSTRIAL REALTY, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Maryland (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) 001-36008 (Commission File Number) 46-2024407 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

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

90025 (Zip Code)

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

N/A (Former name or former address, if changed since last report.)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

□ Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)

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□ Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))

D Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:

Title of each class	Trading symbols	Name of each exchange on which registered
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value	REXR	New York Stock Exchange
5.875% Series B Cumulative Redeemable Preferred Stock	REXR-PB	New York Stock Exchange
5.625% Series C Cumulative Redeemable Preferred Stock	REXR-PC	New York Stock Exchange

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

Emerging growth company \square

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

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

On October 21, 2024 the Board of Directors (the "Board") of Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc., a Maryland corporation (the "Company"), appointed Michael P. Fitzmaurice, age 45, to serve as the Chief Financial Officer of the Company and Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P., a Maryland limited partnership (the "Operating Partnership") effective as of November 18, 2024. Mr. Fitzmaurice will succeed Laura Clark as Chief Financial Officer. As previously disclosed, in connection with Mr. Fitzmaurice's appointment as the Chief Financial Officer, Ms. Clark will be appointed to serve as the Chief Operating Officer of the Company and the Operating Partnership and will continue to serve the Company in a transitional role to assist in the transition of her prior responsibilities to Mr. Fitzmaurice.

From June 2018 to January 2024, Mr. Fitzmaurice served as the Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer of the real estate investment trust RPT Realty, which was acquired by Kimco Realty Corporation in January 2024. Prior to his employment with RPT Realty, Mr. Fitzmaurice was employed with Retail Properties of America, Inc., an NYSE-listed retail shopping center REIT, as Senior Vice President of Finance from September 2017 to June 2018, Vice President of Capital Markets & Investor Relations from January 2017 to September 2017 and Vice President of Finance from August 2012 to January 2017. Prior to Retail Properties of America, Inc., Mr. Fitzmaurice spent 11 years at General Growth Properties, a publicly-traded retail REIT that was taken private in 2018, in various finance, capital markets and accounting roles. In addition, Mr. Fitzmaurice spent two years with Equity Office Properties as a Manager with the Investments/Due Diligence team. Mr. Fitzmaurice received his B.S. in finance from the University of Illinois at Chicago.

There are no arrangements or understandings between Mr. Fitzmaurice and any other persons pursuant to which he was appointed as Chief Financial Officer, no family relationships among any of the Company's directors or executive officers and Mr. Fitzmaurice, and he has no direct or indirect material interest in any transaction required to be disclosed pursuant to Item 404(a) of Regulation S-K.

Employment Agreement with Michael P. Fitzmaurice

In connection with Mr. Fitzmaurice's appointment as Chief Financial Officer, on October 21, 2024, the Company and the Operating Partnership entered into an Employment Agreement, effective as of November 18, 2024 (the "Employment Agreement"), with Mr. Fitzmaurice pursuant to which Mr. Fitzmaurice will serve as Chief Financial Officer of the Company and the Operating Partnership beginning on November 18, 2024, and will report to the co-Chief Executive Officers of the Company or their designee. The initial term of the Employment Agreement will end on the third anniversary of Mr. Fitzmaurice's start date, and will renew automatically for successive one-year periods thereafter unless notice of non-renewal is provided at least 120 days prior to expiration.

Under the Employment Agreement, Mr. Fitzmaurice will receive an annual base salary of \$600,000, which is subject to review and increase at the discretion of the compensation committee of the Company's board of directors (the "Compensation Committee"). Beginning with fiscal year 2025, Mr. Fitzmaurice will be eligible to receive annual cash performance bonuses targeted at 150% of base salary, with a maximum of 200% base salary, in any case, based on attainment of applicable performance objectives. Additionally, the Company expects to grant Mr. Fitzmaurice an initial restricted stock award with a grant date value of approximately \$550,000, subject to a three-year, annual incremental vesting period.

Mr. Fitzmaurice is eligible to participate in customary health, welfare, and fringe benefit plans, and, subject to certain restrictions, healthcare benefits will be provided to him and his eligible dependents at the Company's sole expense. In addition, the Company will reimburse him for up to \$225,000 of expenses related to his relocation from Connecticut to the greater Los Angeles area.

Pursuant to the terms of the Employment Agreement, if Mr. Fitzmaurice's employment is terminated by the Company without "cause," or by Mr. Fitzmaurice for "good reason" (each, as defined in the Employment Agreement) then, subject to Mr. Fitzmaurice's execution of a release, he will be entitled to receive the following:

• a lump-sum payment in an amount equal to one times the sum of (i) Mr. Fitzmaurice's annual base salary then in effect, and (ii) the average annual cash incentive award earned by him for the three prior fiscal years, except that if such termination occurs within eighteen months following a change of control of the Company, this component of severance will be determined using a multiple of one and one-half (rather than one);

- a pro-rata portion of Mr. Fitzmaurice's annual bonus, based on the achievement of any applicable performance goals or objectives (the "Bonus Severance");
- · accelerated vesting of all outstanding equity awards that vest based solely on continued services to the Company; and
- Company-paid healthcare continuation coverage for up to 18 months after the termination date.

Pursuant to the terms of the Employment Agreement, if Mr. Fitzmaurice's employment is terminated by reason of death or disability, Mr. Fitzmaurice or his estate will be entitled to the following payments and benefits (in addition to any accrued amounts): (i) accelerated vesting of all outstanding equity awards that vest based solely on continued services to the Company and that are held by Mr. Fitzmaurice as of the termination date, (ii) the Bonus Severance, payable in a lump sum on the date on which annual bonuses are paid to the Company's senior executives generally for such year, and (iii) subject to his or his estate's delivery and non-revocation of an effective general release of claims in favor of the Company, Company-paid continuation healthcare coverage for up to 18 months after the termination date.

In addition, if Mr. Fitzmaurice remains employed upon a "change in control" of the Company, he will be entitled to accelerated vesting of all his outstanding equity awards that vest based solely on continued services to the Company.

The Employment Agreement contains customary confidentiality and non-solicitation provisions.

Under the Employment Agreement, to the extent that any change in control payments or benefits would be subject to an excise tax imposed in connection with the "parachute payment" rules under Section 4999 of the Internal Revenue Code, such payments and/or benefits may be subject to a "best pay cap" reduction to the extent necessary so that Mr. Fitzmaurice receives the greater of the (i) net amount of the change in control payments and benefits reduced such that these payments and benefits will not be subject to any excise tax and (ii) net amount of the change in control payments and benefits without such reduction.

The foregoing summary of the Employment Agreement does not purport to be complete and is qualified in its entirety by reference to the Employment Agreement, a copy of which is filed as Exhibit 10.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K and is incorporated herein by reference.

Amendment to Employment Agreement with Laura Clark

In connection with Ms. Clark's appointment as Chief Operating Officer, on October 21, 2024, the Company and the Operating Partnership entered into an amendment, effective as of November 18, 2024 (the "Amendment"), with Ms. Clark to her employment agreement with the Company and the Operating Partnership (the "Prior Employment Agreement"). The Amendment updates the Prior Employment Agreement to reflect Ms. Clark's new title and responsibilities as Chief Operating Officer.

The foregoing summary of the Amendment does not purport to be complete and is qualified in its entirety by reference to the Amendment, a copy of which is filed as Exhibit 10.2 to this Current Report on Form 8-K and is incorporated herein by reference.

Item 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure.

As discussed in Item 5.02 above, the Company issued a press release on October 21, 2024, announcing the appointment of Mr. Fitzmaurice, a copy of which is attached to this Form 8-K as Exhibit 99.1.

The information included in this Current Report on Form 8-K under this Item 7.01 (including Exhibit 99.1 hereto) is being "furnished" and shall not be deemed to be "filed" for the purposes of the Exchange Act, or otherwise subject to the liabilities of the Exchange Act, nor shall it be incorporated by reference into a filing under the Securities Act or the Exchange Act, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such filing. The information included in this Current Report on Form 8-K under this Item 7.01 (including Exhibit 99.1 hereto) will not be deemed an admission as to the materiality of any information required to be disclosed solely to satisfy the requirements of Regulation FD.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

Exhibit Number	Description
10.1	Employment Agreement, effective November 18, 2024, between Michael P. Fitzmaurice, Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc. and Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P.
10.2	Second Amendment to Employment Agreement, effective November 18, 2024, between Laura E. Clark, Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc. and Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P.
99.1	Press Release, dated October 21, 2024
104	Cover Page Interactive Data File (embedded within the Inline XBRL document)

SIGNATURES

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

Date: October 21, 2024

Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc.

By: /s/ Michael S. Frankel

Michael S. Frankel Co-Chief Executive Officer (Principal Executive Officer)

By: /s/ Howard Schwimmer

Howard Schwimmer Co-Chief Executive Officer (Principal Executive Officer)

Date: October 21, 2024

EMPLOYMENT AGREEMENT

THIS EMPLOYMENT AGREEMENT (this "*Agreement*"), effective as of November 18, 2024 (the "*Effective Date*"), 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 P. Fitzmaurice (the "*Executive*").

WHEREAS, the Executive shall be employed as Chief Financial Officer of the REIT and the Operating Partnership (collectively, the "*Company*");

WHEREAS, the Company desires to employ the Executive and to enter into an agreement embodying the terms of such employment; and

WHEREAS, the Executive desires to accept such employment with the Company, subject to the terms and conditions of this Agreement.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY AGREED AS FOLLOWS:

1. <u>Employment Period</u>. Subject to the provisions for earlier termination hereinafter provided, the Executive's employment hereunder shall be for a term (the "*Employment Period*") commencing on your first day of employment approximately November 18, 2024 (the "*Start Date*") and ending on the third anniversary of the Start 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 one-hundred twenty (120) 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. <u>Terms of Employment</u>.

(a) <u>Position and Duties</u>.

(i) <u>Role and Responsibilities</u>. During the Employment Period, the Executive shall serve as Chief Financial 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 co-Chief Executive Officers of the Company (or their designee). 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 Chief Financial 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; provided, that with respect to the activities in subclauses (A) and/or (B), the Executive receives prior written approval from the co-Chief Executive Officers.

(iii) <u>Principal Location</u>. During the Employment Period, the Executive shall perform the services required by this Agreement at the Company's headquarters at 11620 Wilshire Boulevard, 10th Floor, 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) <u>Base Salary</u>. During the Employment Period, the Executive shall receive a base salary (as may be increased from time to time by the Compensation Committee in its sole discretion, the "*Base Salary*") at an annual rate of \$600,000 (less applicable taxes and withholding). The Base Salary shall be reviewed annually by the Compensation Committee (the "*Compensation Committee*") of the Board of Directors of the REIT (the "*Board*") 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) <u>Annual Cash Bonus</u>. 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 (in the Executive's case, the first bonus for his 2025 performance is estimated to be paid in January 2026, with no bonus for 2024 performance), 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 100% (threshold) / 150% (target) / 200% (maximum) of your Base Salary actually paid for such year (as such percentage may be increased or decreased from time to time by the Compensation Committee in its sole discretion) (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, and may be greater or less than the Target Bonus (or zero). Subject to Section 4(a)(i) hereof, 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 named executive officers.

(iii) 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 employees 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 or the Patient Protection and Affordable Care 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)(iii) 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.

(iv) <u>Expenses</u>. 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 employees of the Company.

(v) <u>Fringe Benefits</u>. During the Employment Period, the Executive shall be eligible to receive such fringe benefits and perquisites as are provided by the Company to its employees 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.

(vi) <u>Flexible Time Off</u>. During the Employment Period, the Executive shall be entitled to take paid time off as needed, in accordance with the Company's Flexible Time Off Policy implemented on August 1, 2022.

(vii) <u>Relocation Expenses</u>. The Company shall reimburse you for up to \$225,000 of expenses related to your relocation from Connecticut to the greater Los Angeles area, as more particularly described in your offer letter dated October 17, 2024.

3. <u>Termination of Employment</u>.

(a) <u>Death or Disability</u>. 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, as determined in the reasonable discretion of the Board.

(b) <u>Termination by the Company</u>. 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 willful failure to substantially perform 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 or the co-Chief Executive Officers of the Company, which demand specifically identifies the manner in which the Board or the co-Chief Executive Officers of the Company believe(s) that the Executive has not performed his duties;

(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) <u>Termination by the Executive</u>. 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 the 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; or

(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 Date of Termination (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) <u>Termination of Offices and Directorships; Return of Property</u>. 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. <u>Obligations of the Company upon Termination</u>. Upon a termination of the Executive's employment for any reason, the Company shall pay to the Executive in cash in a single lump-sum payment within thirty (30) days after the Date of Termination (as defined below), or by such earlier date as may be required by applicable law, 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) <u>Without Cause or For Good Reason</u>. If the Executive's employment with the Company is terminated during the Employment Period (x) by the Company without Cause (other than by reason of the Executive's Disability or due to the expiration of the Employment Period) or (y) by the Executive for Good Reason (in either 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:

Cash Severance. The Executive shall be paid, in a single lump-sum payment on the sixtieth (60th) day after the Date (i) of Termination (except as otherwise provided with respect to the payment timing of the Pro-Rata Bonus Severance below), an amount equal to one (1) times the sum of (x) the Executive's 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) (clauses (x) and (y) together, the "Salary/Bonus Severance"), plus (z) a pro-rata Annual Bonus to which the Executive would have become entitled (if any) for the fiscal year of the Company during which the Date of Termination occurs, had the Executive remained employed through the payment date and based on the achievement of any applicable performance goals or objectives, pro-rated based on the number of days during such fiscal year that the Executive was employed by the Company (such cash severance described in this subsection (z) is referred to as the "Pro-Rata Bonus Severance"). The Pro-Rata Bonus Severance shall be payable in a single lump-sum payment on the date on which annual bonuses are paid to the Company's senior executives generally for the year in which the Date of Termination occurs, but in no event later than March 15th of the calendar year immediately following the calendar year in which the Date of Termination occurs, with the actual date within such period determined by the Company in its sole discretion. For the avoidance of doubt, for purposes of this Section 4(a)(i), "Annual Bonus" shall include any portion of the Executive's Annual Bonus received in the form of equity rather than cash. Notwithstanding the foregoing or anything contained herein to the contrary, if the Qualifying Termination occurs within eighteen (18) months following the consummation of a Change in Control (as defined in the Company's 2013 Incentive Award Plan (as

amended) as in effect on the Effective Date), then the Salary/Bonus Severance shall be determined using a multiple of "1.5 (one and onehalf)" (rather than "1 (one)"). For purposes of this Section 4(a)(i), 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 calculation of the three-year average Annual Bonus portion of the Salary/Bonus Severance amount in this Section 4(a)(i) 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, annualized for any such partial fiscal year.

(ii) *Equity Award Acceleration*. Any outstanding equity award, or any portion thereof, that vests based solely on continued service to the Company and that is 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, each such equity award (or portion thereof) 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 (as defined below).

(iii) *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 dependents 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, <u>provided</u>, <u>however</u>, that (A) if any plan pursuant to which such benefits are provided is not, or ceases prior to the expiration of the COBRA Period 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 or the Patient Protection and Affordable Care 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 COBRA Period (or the remaining portion thereof).

Notwithstanding the foregoing, it shall be a condition to the Executive's right to receive the amounts provided for in Sections 4(a)(i), 4(a)(ii) and 4(a)(iii) hereof that the Executive execute and deliver to the Company an effective release of claims in substantially the form attached hereto as <u>Exhibit A</u> (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 the Executive not revoke such Release during any applicable revocation period.

(b) <u>Death or Disability</u>. 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, then in addition to the Accrued Obligations, subject to the Executive's or the Executive's estate's (as applicable) execution, delivery to the Company and non-revocation of an effective Release within sixty (60) days following the Date of Termination, (i) the Executive (or the Executive's estate, if applicable) shall be entitled to the Pro-Rata Bonus Severance, payable in a single lump-sum payment on the date on which annual bonuses are paid to the Company's senior executives generally for such year, but in no event later than March 15th of the calendar year immediately following the calendar year in which the Date of Termination occurs (with the actual date within such period determined by the Company in its sole discretion), and (ii) any outstanding equity award, or any portion thereof, that yests based solely on continued service to the Company and that is held by the Executive on the Date of Termination shall immediately become fully vested and, as applicable, exercisable. In addition, subject to the Executive's or the Executive's estate's (as applicable) execution, delivery to the Company and non-revocation of an effective Release within sixty (60) days following the Date of Termination and further subject to the Executive's (or the Executive's estate's, if the Executive has died) valid election to continue healthcare coverage under Section 4980B of the Code and the regulations thereunder, during the COBRA Period, the Company shall continue to provide the Executive (if applicable) and the Executive's eligible dependents with coverage under its group health plans at the same levels and the same cost to the Executive (or the Executive's estate, if applicable) 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 if the Company is or becomes unable to continue to cover the Executive under its group health plans without incurring or causing the Executive to incur penalties or other adverse tax consequences (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 (or the Executive's estate, as applicable) in substantially equal monthly installments over the continuation coverage period (or the remaining portion thereof).

(c) For Cause, Without Good Reason, Non-Renewal or Other Terminations. If the Company terminates the Executive's employment for Cause, the Executive terminates the Executive's employment without Good Reason, the Executive's employment terminates due to a Non-Renewal election made in accordance with Section 1 above, 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, then, in any case, the Company shall pay to the Executive the Accrued Obligations in cash in a single lump-sum payment 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) <u>Six-Month Delay</u>. 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) <u>Exclusive Benefits</u>. 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. <u>Change in Control</u>. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in this Agreement, in the event of a Change in Control (as defined in the Company's 2013 Incentive Award Plan, as amended, or any successor plan thereto), any outstanding Company equity award, or any portion thereof, that vests based solely on continued service to the Company and that is held by the Executive as of such date shall immediately become fully vested and, as applicable, exercisable.

6. <u>Non-Exclusivity of Rights</u>. 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) 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 reduced Total Payments) is greater than or equal to (ii) the net amount of 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 and after taking into account the phase out of itemized deductions and personal exemptions attributable to such unreduced Total Payments.

(b) <u>Certain Exclusions</u>. 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. <u>Confidential Information and Non-Solicitation</u>.

(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; <u>provided</u>, <u>however</u>, 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 is on the Company. Notwithstanding anything herein to the contrary, nothing herein is intended to interfere with the Executive's right to communicate directly with, cooperate with, or provide information to, any federal, state or local government regulator.

(b) While employed by the Company and, for a period of eighteen (18) 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. <u>Representations</u>. 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. <u>Successors</u>.

(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. <u>Payment of Financial Obligations</u>. 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; <u>provided</u>, <u>however</u>, that the Operating Partnership and the REIT shall be jointly and severally liable for such obligations.

12. <u>Miscellaneous</u>.

(a) <u>Governing Law</u>. 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) <u>Notices</u>. 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., Suite 1000

Los Angeles, CA 90025

Attn: Co-CEOs

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) <u>Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002</u>. 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) <u>Section 409A of the Code</u>.

(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; <u>provided</u>, <u>however</u>, 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) <u>Severability</u>. 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) <u>Withholding</u>. 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) <u>No Waiver</u>. 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) <u>Entire Agreement</u>. As of the Start Date, this 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 or affiliates, or representative thereof, including without limitation that certain offer letter dated October 16, 2024.

(i) <u>Amendment</u>. No amendment or other modification of this Agreement shall be effective unless made in writing and signed by the parties hereto.

(j) <u>Counterparts</u>. 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.

[SIGNATURES APPEAR ON FOLLOWING PAGE]

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

"EXECUTIVE" /s/ Michael P. Fitzmaurice Michael P. Fitzmaurice

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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 _____, 2024, between Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc., Rexford Industrial Realty, L.P. and certain Employment Agreement, effective as of 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)(iv) 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 THAT THE CREDITOR OR RELEASING PARTY DOES NOT KNOW OR SUSPECT TO EXIST IN HIS OR HER FAVOR AT THE TIME OF EXECUTING THE

RELEASE, WHICH IF KNOWN BY HIM OR HER, WOULD HAVE MATERIALLY AFFECTED HIS OR HER SETTLEMENT WITH THE DEBTOR OR RELEASED PARTY."

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 ______, ____.



SECOND AMENDMENT TO EMPLOYMENT AGREEMENT

THIS SECOND AMENDMENT TO EMPLOYMENT AGREEMENT (this "Amendment"), effective as of November 18, 2024 (the "Amendment Effective Date"), 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 Laura E. Clark (the "Executive").

WHEREAS, the Executive is currently employed as Chief Financial Officer of the REIT and the Operating Partnership (the "*Company*") pursuant to that certain Employment Agreement, effective as of July 3, 2020, as amended by that certain First amendment to Employment Agreement dated November 8, 2022, by and between the Executive, the REIT and the Operating Partnership (collectively, the "*Employment Agreement*");

WHEREAS, pursuant to that certain Unanimous Written Consent of Members in Lieu of Meeting of the Board of Directors dated June 12, 2024, the Executive was appointed to serve as the Chief Operating Officer ("COO") of the Company, effective upon the date that the new Chief Financial Officer is appointed by the Board;

WHEREAS, pursuant to that certain Unanimous Written Consent of Members in Lieu of Meeting of the Board of Directors dated October 21, 2024, Michael P. Fitzmaurice was appointed to serve as the new Chief Financial Officer for the Company and Operating Partnership commencing on November 18, 2024; and

WHEREAS, the Executive desires to accept appointment and commencement of the COO position and shall vacate the position of the Chief Financial Officer as of November 18, 2024, subject to the terms and conditions of the Employment Agreement, as amended by this Amendment.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY AGREED AS FOLLOWS:

1. The first three (3) full sentences of Section 2(a)(i) of the Employment Agreement are hereby deleted and replaced in their entirety with the following:

"(i) <u>Role and Responsibilities</u>. During the Employment Period prior to November 18, 2024, the Executive served as Chief Financial Officer, and during the Employment Period commencing November 18, 2024, the Executive shall serve as Chief Operating 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 co-Chief Executive Officers of the Company (or their designee). 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 Chief Operating Officer of the Company."

2. The Company and the Executive hereby agree and acknowledge that all other terms and conditions within the Employment Agreement previously referencing the Executive's role as Chief Financial Officer shall as of the Amendment Effective Date thereafter refer

and apply to Executive's new role and capacity as Chief Operating Officer, all of which terms and conditions are ratified and reaffirmed herein.

- 3. This Amendment shall be and is hereby incorporated in and forms a part of the Employment Agreement. Except as expressly provided herein, all terms and conditions of the Employment Agreement shall remain in full force and effect.
- 4. This Amendment and your rights hereunder shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the State of California, without reference to principles of conflict of laws.
- 5. This Amendment 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.

[Signature Page Follows]

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.

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"EXECUTIVE"

/s/ Laura E. Clark

Laura E. Clark



Rexford Industrial Announces New CFO Hire & Promotion of Laura Clark to COO

Los Angeles – October 21, 2024 – Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc. (the "Company" or "Rexford Industrial") (NYSE: REXR), a real estate investment trust focused on creating value by investing in and operating industrial properties located throughout infill Southern California, today announced the appointment of Michael Fitzmaurice as Chief Financial Officer (CFO) and the promotion of Laura Clark, the Company's current CFO, to the role of Chief Operating Officer (COO), effective November 18, 2024.

"We are very pleased to welcome Michael Fitzmaurice to the Rexford Industrial team. Michael is a strategic, results-driven and team-focused leader who we are excited to partner with as we capitalize upon Rexford's significant forward growth opportunity," stated Michael Frankel and Howard Schwimmer, Co-Chief Executive Officers of the Company. "We are also pleased to elevate Laura Clark to COO and are grateful for Laura's substantial contributions as CFO over the last four years. Laura's promotion to COO will enable her to drive substantial value creation through the operational and growth segments of our business."

Mr. Fitzmaurice brings 25 years of experience in the public REIT sector to Rexford Industrial. He most recently served as Executive Vice President, CFO of RPT Realty, where he joined in 2018, and was instrumental in the successful merger with Kimco Realty in January 2024. Prior to joining RPT, Mr. Fitzmaurice served as Vice President and then Senior Vice President of Finance for Retail Properties of America, Inc. from 2012 to 2018. Earlier in his career, Mr. Fitzmaurice held positions of growing responsibility at General Growth Properties and Equity Office Properties. Mr. Fitzmaurice received his B.S. in finance from the University of Illinois at Chicago.

Russell Reynolds Associates (RRA), a leading executive search and leadership advisory firm, partnered with Rexford Industrial on this important mandate. Deb Barbanel and Nick Roberts led the effort on behalf of RRA.

About Rexford Industrial

Rexford Industrial creates value by investing in, operating and redeveloping industrial properties throughout infill Southern California, the world's fourth largest industrial market and consistently the highest-demand with lowest-supply major market in the nation. The Company's highly differentiated strategy enables internal and external growth opportunities through its proprietary value creation and asset management capabilities. Rexford Industrial's high-quality, irreplaceable portfolio comprises 424 properties with approximately 50.3 million rentable square feet occupied by a stable and diverse tenant base. Structured as a real estate investment trust (REIT) listed on the New York Stock Exchange under the ticker "REXR," Rexford Industrial is an S&P MidCap 400 Index member. For more information, please visit <u>www.rexfordindustrial.com</u>.

Forward-Looking Statements

This press release may contain forward-looking statements within the meaning of the federal securities laws, which are based on current expectations, forecasts and assumptions that involve risks and uncertainties that could cause actual outcomes and results to differ materially. Forward-looking statements relate to expectations, beliefs, projections, future plans and strategies, anticipated events or

trends and similar expressions concerning matters that are not historical facts. In some cases, you can identify forward-looking statements by the use of forward-looking terminology such as "may," "will," "should," "expects," "intends," "plans," "anticipates," "believes," "estimates," "predicts," or "potential" or the negative of these words and phrases or similar words or phrases which are predictions of or indicate future events or trends and which do not relate solely to historical matters. While forward-looking statements reflect the Company's good faith beliefs, assumptions and expectations, they are not guarantees of future performance. For a further discussion of these and other factors that could cause the Company's future results to differ materially from any forward-looking statements, see the reports and other filings by the Company with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission, including the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2023. The Company disclaims any obligation to publicly update or revise any forward-looking statement to reflect changes in underlying assumptions or factors, of new information, data or methods, future events or other changes.

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