PANAMA CANAL AUTHORITY	VARIATION	PAGE 1 OF 2
1. REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL No.:	2. CONTRACT No.:	3. DATE:
RFP-76161	CMC-221427	October 2, 2017
		4. VARIATION No.:
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5. ISSUED BY:		
PANAMA CANAL AUTHORITY		
Employer's Representative		
Locks Project Management Division Building 740, Corozal		
Panama, Republic of Panama		
6. NAME AND ADDRESS OF CONTRACTOR (INCLUDE	7. CONTRACTOR'S TELEPHONE NUMBER:	
PHYSICAL & POSTAL ADDRESS)	507-316-9900	
Grupo Unidos por el Canal, S.A.	307-310-9900	
Building 22B, Brujas Road	8. CONTRACTOR'S FACSIMILE NUM	IBER:
Cocoli, Republic of Panama		
9. VARIATION:		
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This Variation Agreement Number. 194, dated as of the 2th day of October and made

Between:

Autoridad del Canal de Panama, Building 740, Corozal, Panama, Republic of Panama (hereinafter called the "**Employer**") on the one part,

And

Grupo Unidos por el Canal S.A., of Building 22B, Brujas Road, Cocoli, Panama, Republic of Panama, a corporation organized under the laws of the Republic of Panama, registered under microjacket number 682266, document number 1683284 of the Mercantile Section of the Public Registry Office of the Republic of Panama (hereinafter called the "Contractor" and together with the Employer, the "Parties") on the other part.

Whereas:

- (a) The Employer and the Contractor are party to Contract CMC-221427 for the Design and Construction of the Third Set of Locks, dated August 11, 2009 (as the same has been or may be varied, amended, supplemented or otherwise modified (the"Contract")).
- (b) The Employer took over the whole of the Works pursuant to Sub-Clause 10.1 [Taking over of the Works] on June 24, 2016.
- (c) By Request for Variation (RFV) No. 0347 dated August 04, 2017 in which the Contractor seeks to modify the Employer's Requirements in relation to the method for securing cables entering the PLC and RIO cabinets.
- (d) By letter IAE-UPC- 3293 dated August 18, 2017 the Employer indicated that it has reviewed the RFV and would be willing to modify the Employer's Requirements as set out below subject to the parties entering into a variation agreement, to be drafted by the Employer, in this Variation Agreement No. 194, but subject always to the Parties agreeing a formal variation to reflect such revised arrangements.
- (e) Therefore, subject to the terms of this Variation No. 194, the Parties have agreed to a variation to the Contract as hereinafter stated, but not further or otherwise.

THE PARTIES HEREBY AGREE AS FOLLOWS:

The Employer and the Contractor agree to vary the Contract as follows:

1. In this Variation Agreement No. 194, the words and expressions shall have the same meanings as are respectively assigned to them in the Contract, save as

amended below or as expressly stated.

- 2. It is agreed that this Variation Agreement No. 194 and the modifications contained herein are approved and dated in writing by the authorized representatives of the Contractor and the Employer and in doing so the Parties acknowledge and identify that this is done in accordance with Sub-Clause 1.16 [Entire Agreement of the Contract.
- The Parties acknowledge and agree that this Variation Agreement No. 194 shall 3. not be deemed to settle any outstanding issues, claims, demands, actions, disputes or proceedings between the Parties including but not limited to those in relation to any delay to the Works (both as to time and costs) and all such issues, claims, demands, actions, disputes or proceedings remain in contention between the Parties and all respective rights, remedies, claims and defenses of the Parties including but not limited to those concerning and arising out of any delay and/or responsibility for delay and the consequences thereof remain fully reserved. The Parties expressly agree that no Party is waiving, making an admission with respect to, or intending to prejudice any claims, defenses, arguments or remedies that any of them has or may have arising out of events up to and including the date of this Variation Agreement No. 190 or in the future concerning their respective performance under and in relation to the Contract. For the avoidance of doubt, all delay-related issues between the Contractor and the Employer, and their respective rights and remedies regarding responsibility for delay and the consequences thereof, remain fully reserved. Nothing in this Variation Agreement No. 194 will have the effect of changing or extending the Time for Completion or any Milestone Dates under the Contract or entitle the Contractor to Excusable Delay. For the avoidance of doubt, this Variation Agreement No. 194 is without prejudice to each Party's position in any current or future DAB and/or arbitration proceedings pursuant to Sub-Clauses 20.4 [Obtaining Dispute Adjudication Board's Decision] and/or 20.6 [Arbitration] respectively (including but not limited to ICC References 20911 /ASM, 20911/ASM and 19962/ASM).
- 4. Save in relation to breaches of, or failure by either Party to comply with, the terms of this Variation Agreement No. 194, the Parties agree that:
 - a. they shall have no claims for additional time or money or any other relief or entitlement of any kind as a direct consequence of this Variation Agreement No. 194; and
 - b. nothing in this Variation Agreement No. 194 is intended to or does increase the Contract Price or the Time for Completion.
- 5. Further, the Contractor's obligations to comply with the Contract remain in all respects unaffected and nothing within this Variation Agreement No. 194 is intended to be a waiver or relaxation of the Contractor's obligations under the Contract, save only as expressly stated herein and the Contract shall remain fully effective as varied herein and the Contract shall have effect as though the

provisions contained in this Variation Agreement No. 194 had been originally contained in the Contract.

- 6. The Parties hereby agree to amend Sub-Clause 1.1 [Definitions] of the Contract by adding the following definition to Sub-Clause 1.1.6 [Other Definitions] (which shall be added in proper alphabetical order but without any number):
 - "Variation Agreement No. 194" means Variation Agreement Number 194, dated October 2, 2017, between the Employer and the Contractor.
- 7. The parties hereby agree to amend Volume II, Part 2, Paragraph 1.03.B.6.b.) [PLC and RIO Cabinets] of Section 01 86 13 [Plant Mech. Systems and Equipment] by deleting the words:
 - "b. Cabinets shall include gland plates for the securing of cables as they enter the cabinet. NEMA 4X requirements shall be preserved."

and replacing them with the following:

"b. Cabinets shall include gland plates for the securing of cables as they enter the cabinet. NEMA 4X requirements shall be preserved. Where gland plates cannot be installed, then alternative cable entries may be used as long as NEMA 4X requirements are preserved. Any alternative cable entries shall be submitted by the Contractor to the Employer's Representative for review pursuant to Sub-Clause 5.2 [Contractor's Documents] of the Conditions of Contract before being used."

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- 8. All of the Contractor's other existing and ongoing obligations pursuant to the Contract remain unaffected and nothing within this Variation Agreement No. 194 is intended to be a waiver or relaxation of the Contractor's obligations under the Contract, save only as expressly stated herein.
- 9. The Parties agree that, save as expressly stated in this Variation Agreement No. 194 the Contractor shall have no claims for additional time or any other relief or entitlement of any kind as a direct consequence of this Variation Agreement No. 194 or arising out of it or in any way in connection with it.
- 10. This Variation Agreement No. 194 shall be governed by the Laws of the Republic of Panama and is deemed to be incorporated into and form an integral part of the Contract.
- 11. Each Party shall from time to time (at its own cost) do, perform, sign, execute and deliver all such acts, deeds, documents and things (or procure the doing, performance, signing, execution or delivery of them) to give full effect to this Variation Agreement No. 194 and secure the full benefit of the rights, powers and remedies conferred upon it in this Variation Agreement No. 194.

In Witness whereof the Parties hereto have caused this Variation Agreement No. 194 to the Contract to be executed on October 2, 2017 by their duly authorized representatives.

For ACP

Jorge A. Fernández A.

Employer's Representative

For GUPCSA

José Pelaez

Contractor's Representative
