## Resolution Authorizing A Payment Pursuant to the Employee Benefits Handbook

A regular meeting of the Nassau County Industrial Development Agency (the "Agency") was convened in public session, <u>electronically</u>, pursuant to Executive Order No. 202.11, 202.28, 202.48, 202.55, 202.60, 202.67, 202.72, 202.79, 202.87, 202.91 and 202.96 - Continuing Temporary Suspension And Modification Of Laws Relating To The Disaster Emergency - by Governor Andrew M. Cuomo of the State of New York on March 18, 2021 at 6:30 p.m., local time.

The meeting was called to order by the Chair and, upon roll being called, the following members of the Agency were:

#### PRESENT:

Richard Kessel Chairman
Lewis M. Warren Vice Chairman
Anthony Simon 2nd Vice Chairman

Amy Flores Treasurer
John Coumatos Asst. Treasurer
Chris Fusco Asst. Secretary
Timothy Williams Secretary

### THE FOLLOWING ADDITIONAL PERSONS WERE PRESENT:

Harry Coghlan Chief Executive Officer / Executive Director

Danielle Oglesby Chief Operating Officer/ Deputy Executive Director

Anne LaMorte Chief Financial Officer

Catherine Fee Director of Business Development/Chief Marketing Officer

Colleen Pereira Administrative Director
Carlene Wynter Compliance Assistant
Nicole Gil Administrative Assistant

Thomas D. Glascock, Esq. General Counsel

Andrew D. Komaromi, Esq. Bond/Transactional Counsel

The attached resolution no. 2021-19 was offered by Anthony Simon, seconded by Chris Fusco:

#### Resolution No. 2021 – 19

# RESOLUTION OF THE NASSAU COUNTY INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AGENCY ("THE AGENCY") AUTHORIZING A PAYMENT PURSUANT TO ITS EMPLOYEE BENEFITS HANDBOOK

WHEREAS, the Nassau County Industrial Development Agency (the "Agency") is authorized and empowered by the provisions of Chapter 1030 of the 1969 Laws of New York, constituting Title I of Article 18-A of the General Municipal Law, Chapter 24 of the Consolidated Laws of New York, as amended (the "Enabling Act"), and Chapter 674 of the 1975 Laws of New York, as amended, constituting Section 922 of said General Municipal Law (said Chapter and the Enabling Act being hereinafter collectively referred to as the "Act") to promote, develop, encourage and assist in the acquiring, constructing, reconstructing, improving, maintaining, equipping and furnishing of manufacturing, industrial and commercial facilities, among others, for the purpose of promoting, attracting, and developing economically sound commerce and industry to advance the job opportunities, health, general prosperity and economic welfare of the people of the State of New York, to improve their prosperity and standard of living, and to prevent unemployment and economic deterioration; and

WHEREAS, by resolution, the members of the Agency have adopted an Employee Benefits Handbook, first effective on or as of October 1, 2010 and subsequently amended (hereinafter, the "Employee Benefits Handbook"); and

WHEREAS, the Employee Benefits Handbook provides that, unless terminated for cause, upon termination of service an Officer and Employee of the Agency (as each term is defined or otherwise used in the Employee Benefits Handbook) shall be entitled to receive cash payment for accumulated unused sick leave, which payment amount is to be computed pursuant to a specific methodology described within the Employee Benefits Handbook; and

WHEREAS, the Agency's then Chief Financial Officer (Joseph F. Foarile) retired from the Agency effective September 28, 2019, and he has subsequently asserted that he is owed moneys by the Agency for accumulated unused sick time pursuant to the Employee Benefits Handbook; and

WHEREAS, whether Mr. Foarile is entitled to payment for accumulated unused sick time is disputed by the Agency, and if he is, in what amount; and

WHEREAS, to resolve the matter, the Agency and Mr. Foarile have reached a settlement of this dispute;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MEMBERS OF THE NASSAU COUNTY INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AGENCY, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. The members of the Agency authorize a payment to Mr. Foarile in the sum of \$22,000, for accumulated unused sick leave, and they authorize the making of an agreement with

Mr. Foarile setting forth terms acceptable to the Chief Executive Officer / Executive Director of the Agency for the payment of said amount.

Section 2. The Agency hereby determines that the proposed action is a Type II Action pursuant to Article 8 of the New York Environmental Conservation Law (including the regulations thereunder, "SEQRA") involving "continuing agency administration" which does not involve "new programs or major reordering of priorities that may affect the environment" (6 NYCRR Section 6.17.5 (c)(26)) and therefore no findings or determination of significance are required under SEQRA.

Section 3. This Resolution shall take effect immediately.

The question of the adoption of the foregoing Resolution was duly put to a vote on roll call, which resulted as follows:

Richard Kessel	VOTING	Aye
Lewis M. Warren	VOTING	Aye
Anthony Simon	VOTING	Aye
Timothy Williams	VOTING	Aye
Chris Fusco	VOTING	Aye
Amy Flores	VOTING	Aye
John Coumatos	VOTING	Aye

The foregoing Resolution was thereupon declared duly adopted.

**COUNTY OF NASSAU** 

We, the undersigned [Vice] Chairman and [Assistant] Secretary of the Nassau County Industrial Development Agency (the "Agency"), do hereby certify that we have compared the foregoing extract of the minutes of the meeting of the members of the Agency, including the Resolution contained therein, held on March 18, 2021 with the original thereof on file in our office, and that the same is a true and correct copy of said original and of such Resolution set forth therein and of the whole of said original so far as the same relates to the subject matters therein referred to.

WE FURTHER CERTIFY that (A) all members of the Agency had due notice of said meeting; (B) said meeting was in all respects duly held; (C) pursuant to Article 5 of the Public Officers Law (the "Open Meetings Law") as modified pursuant to Executive Order No. 202.11, 202.28, 202.48, 202.55, 202.60, 202.67, 202.72, 202.79, 202.87, 202.91 and 202.96 - Continuing Temporary Suspension And Modification Of Laws Relating To The Disaster Emergency - by Governor Andrew M. Cuomo of the State of New York, said meeting was open to the general public, and due notice of the time and place of said meeting was duly given in accordance with such Open Meetings Law; and (D) there was a quorum of the members of the Agency present throughout said meeting.

WE FURTHER CERTIFY that, as of the date hereof, the attached Resolution is in full force and effect and has not been amended, repealed or rescinded.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our respective hands and affixed the seal of the Agency this <u>18th</u> day of March, 2021.

[Assistant] Secretary

[Vice] Chairman

(SEAL)

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[Assistant] Secretary

[Vice] Chairman

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