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- 14. This Agreement shall inure to the benefit of and be binding upon the successors and assigns of SEGJ and the successors and assigns of SEG.
- 15. This Agreement shall be construed in accordance with the laws of the State of Oklahoma, United States of America

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the parties have executed this Agreement on the date first above written.

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