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STOCKHOLDERS AGREEMENT

by and among

General Motors Holding Company (to be renamed General Motors Company),

United States Department of the Treasury,

7176384 Canada Inc.,

UAW Retiree Medical Benefits Trust

and

solely for purposes of Section 6.20,

General Motors Company (to be converted to General Motors LLC)

Dated as of October 15, 2009

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STOCKHOLDERS AGREEMENT

This STOCKHOLDERS AGREEMENT (this "<u>Agreement</u>") is entered into as of October 15, 2009 by and among General Motors Holding Company (to be renamed General Motors Company), a Delaware corporation (the "<u>Corporation</u>"), the United States Department of the Treasury (together with its Permitted Transferees, "<u>UST</u>"), 7176384 Canada Inc., a corporation organized under the laws of Canada (together with its Permitted Transferees, "<u>Canada</u>"), the UAW Retiree Medical Benefits Trust, a voluntary employees' beneficiary association (together with its Permitted Transferees, the "<u>VEBA</u>"), and solely for purposes of **Section 6.20**, General Motors Company (formerly known as NGMCO, Inc.), a Delaware corporation and successor-in-interest to Vehicle Acquisition Holdings LLC (to be converted to General Motors LLC, the "<u>Operating Company</u>").

WHEREAS, each of the Government Holders (as defined below), the VEBA and the Operating Company are parties to that certain Stockholders Agreement, dated as of July 10, 2009 (the "Operating Company Stockholders Agreement");

WHEREAS, in connection with a reorganization involving the Operating Company, an indirect wholly-owned subsidiary of the Corporation has merged with and into the Operating Company, with the Operating Company continuing as the surviving corporation and becoming an indirect wholly-owned subsidiary of the Corporation (the "Merger");

WHEREAS, as a result of the Merger, each of the Government Holders and the VEBA has been issued that number of shares of common stock, par value \$0.01 per share, of the Corporation (the "Common Stock") and that number of shares of Series A Fixed Rate Cumulative Perpetual Preferred Stock, par value \$0.01 per share, of the Corporation, set forth opposite such Holder's name on **Annex I** hereto, in each case, in exchange for the shares of common stock, par value \$0.01 per share, and Series A fixed rate cumulative perpetual preferred stock, par value \$0.01 per share, of the Operating Company previously held by it;

WHEREAS, as a result of the Merger, the VEBA has been issued a warrant to acquire 15,151,515 shares of Common Stock (the "Warrant") in exchange for the warrant to acquire shares of common stock of the Operating Company previously held by it; and

WHEREAS, the parties hereto desire to terminate the Operating Company Stockholders Agreement and wish to enter into this Agreement to govern the rights and obligations of the parties with respect to certain matters relating to the Corporation and the Holders' ownership and voting of the Common Stock.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the foregoing and the mutual covenants contained in this Agreement and for other good and valuable consideration, the value, receipt and sufficiency of which are acknowledged, the parties hereby agree as follows:

ARTICLE I DEFINITIONS

Section 1.1 Certain Defined Terms. As used in this Agreement, the following terms have the following meanings set forth below or in the Sections set forth below:

"Affiliate" means, with respect to any Person, any other Person which directly or indirectly Controls or is Controlled by or is under common Control with such Person. For the avoidance of doubt, for purposes of this Agreement, the UAW and its Affiliates shall be deemed to be Affiliates of the VEBA.

"Agreement" shall have the meaning set forth in the Preamble.

"Beneficial Ownership" or "Beneficially Owned" have the meanings given to such terms in Rule 13d-3 of the Exchange Act.

"Board" means the board of directors of the Corporation.

"Business Day" means any day that is not a Saturday, Sunday or any other day on which banks are required or authorized by Law to be closed in New York City, New York.

"Canada" shall have the meaning set forth in the Preamble.

"Canada Director" shall have the meaning set forth in Section 2.2(a)(ii).

"Canada Nominee" shall have the meaning set forth in Section 2.4.

"<u>Canada Owned Shares</u>" means the shares of Common Stock Beneficially Owned by Canada as of the relevant time.

"Change of Control" means (A) any acquisition or purchase of capital stock of the Corporation, or of all or substantially all of the assets of the Corporation or (B) any merger, consolidation, business combination, recapitalization, reorganization or other extraordinary business transaction involving or otherwise relating to the Corporation, in each case, which would require the vote of the stockholders of the Corporation pursuant to the DGCL or the Certificate of Incorporation of the Corporation.

"Chief Executive Officer" means the duly appointed Chief Executive Officer of the Corporation.

"Common Stock" shall have the meaning set forth in the Recitals.

"Compelled Sale" shall have the meaning set forth in Section 5.2.

"Compelled Sale Notice" shall have the meaning set forth in Section 5.2.

"Consent" means any consent, approval, authorization, waiver, grant, franchise, concession, agreement, license, exemption or other permit or order of, registration, declaration or filing with, or report or notice to, any Person.

"Control" means the direct or indirect power to direct or cause the direction of management or policies of a Person, whether through the ownership of voting securities, general partnership interests or management member interests, by contract or trust agreement, pursuant to a voting trust or otherwise. "Controlling" and "Controlled" have the correlative meanings.

"Corporation" shall have the meaning set forth in the Preamble.

"Co-Sale Holders" shall have the meaning set forth in Section 5.1.

"Co-Sale Notice" shall have the meaning set forth in Section 5.1.

"<u>Debtor</u>" means Motors Liquidation Company, a Delaware corporation formerly known as General Motors Corporation.

"DGCL" means the Delaware General Corporation Law, as amended from time to time.

"Drag-Along Buyer" shall have the meaning set forth in Section 5.2.

"Electing Holder" shall have the meaning set forth in Section 5.2.

"Equity Registration Rights Agreement" means the Equity Registration Rights Agreement, dated as of the date hereof, by and among the Corporation, the VEBA, UST, Canada and Debtor.

"Exchange Act" means the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, and the rules and regulations thereunder.

"Executive Officer" means any officer who (i) is subject to Section 16(a) of the Exchange Act or (ii) would be subject to Section 16(a) of the Exchange Act if the Common Stock was registered under Section 12 of the Exchange Act.

"Fiscal Year" means the fiscal year of the Corporation. Each Fiscal Year shall commence on the day immediately following the last day of the immediately preceding Fiscal Year.

"GAAP" means accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America as in effect from time to time, consistently applied and maintained throughout the applicable periods both as to classification of items and amounts.

"Government Holders" means UST and Canada.

"Governmental Approval" means any Consent of, with or to any Governmental Authority, and includes any applicable waiting periods associated with any Governmental Approvals.

"Governmental Authority" means any United States or non-United States federal, provincial, state or local government or other political subdivision thereof, any entity, authority, agency or body exercising executive, legislative, judicial, regulatory or administrative functions

of any such government or political subdivision, and any supranational organization of sovereign states exercising such functions for such sovereign states.

"Governmental Order" means any Order, stipulation, agreement, determination or award entered or issued by or with any Governmental Authority and binding on a Person.

"Group" has the meaning given to such term in Section 13(d)(3) of the Exchange Act.

"<u>Holder</u>" or "<u>Holders</u>" means, individually or collectively as the context may require, UST, Canada, and the VEBA.

"Independent" shall have the meaning set forth in Section 2.2(b).

"Initial Shares" means, with respect to any Holder, that number of shares of Common Stock, set forth opposite such Holder's name on **Annex I** hereto.

"IPO" means the earlier to occur of (i) the initial public offering of the Common Stock, (whether such offering is primary or secondary) that is underwritten by a nationally recognized investment bank, pursuant to an effective registration statement filed under the Securities Act (other than a registration effected solely to implement an employee benefit plan or a transaction to which Rule 145 under the Securities Act is applicable, or a registration statement on Form S-4, Form S-8 or a successor to one of those forms) or (ii) the later of (A) the date on which a Corporation registration statement filed under Section 12(b) or 12(g) of the Exchange Act shall have been declared effective by the SEC or otherwise become effective under the Exchange Act and (B) the date of distribution of the shares of Common Stock Beneficially Owned by Debtor pursuant to its plan of reorganization.

"IPO Date" means the effective date of the registration statement relating to the IPO.

"Joint Slate Procedure" shall mean the following process by which the Government Holders select nominees for directors: In the event that UST intends to propose a slate of candidates for election (whether at an annual meeting of the Corporation's stockholders, a special meeting of the Corporation's stockholders called for the purpose of electing directors of the Corporation or at any adjournment or postponement thereof), UST shall provide Canada with written notice of its intent to propose a competing slate of candidates, in the case of an annual meeting, not less than 150 days prior to the one-year anniversary of the date of the annual meeting held in the prior year (or no later than January 2, 2010 in the case of the Corporation's initial annual meeting), and, in the case of a special meeting, not more than five days after notice of the meeting was first mailed to the Government Holders, in the case of a special meeting; provided that in either case UST shall use commercially reasonable efforts to give Canada as much advance notice of its intent to propose a competing slate of candidates as reasonably possible. Within ten Business Days, in the case of an annual meeting, and five days, in the case of a special meeting, of receiving UST's written notice, Canada shall indicate in writing to UST whether or not Canada intends to participate in the slate. If Canada provides written notice of its intent to participate, such notice must include a list of Canada's nominees. The number of nominees that Canada may select shall be determined based on Canada's proportional ownership interest in shares of Common Stock Beneficially Owned by the Government Holders in the aggregate at the time of such nominee selection. If Canada provides timely written notice of its intent to participate (including a list of its nominees), each Government Holder agrees to vote "for" the joint slate of candidates nominated by the Government Holders. If Canada does not provide timely written notice of its intent to participate (including a list of its nominees) or notifies UST that it does not wish to participate, UST may propose a slate of candidates for election composed entirely of its own nominees, but Canada is under no obligation to vote "for" the candidates nominated by UST. Neither Government Holder shall propose a slate of candidates, or any individual candidate, for election other than in compliance with this Joint Slate Procedure.

"<u>Law</u>" means any and all applicable United States or non-United States federal, provincial, state or local laws, rules, regulations, directives, decrees, treaties, statutes, provisions of any constitution and principles (including principles of common law) of any Governmental Authority, as well as any applicable Governmental Order.

"Merger" shall have the meaning set forth in the Recitals.

"New UST Director" shall have the meaning set forth in Section 2.2(a)(i).

"Nominee" shall have the meaning set forth in Section 4.4.

"Non-Electing Holders" shall have the meaning set forth in Section 5.2.

"Operating Company" shall have the meaning set forth in the Preamble.

"Operating Company Stockholders Agreement" shall have the meaning set forth in the Recitals.

"Order" means any writ, judgment, decree, injunction or similar order of any Governmental Authority, whether temporary, preliminary or permanent.

"Owned Shares" means UST Owned Shares, the Canada Owned Shares, and the VEBA Owned Shares, as applicable.

"Permitted Transferees" shall mean for each Holder, any Affiliate of such Holder.

"Person" means any individual, partnership, firm, corporation, association, trust, unincorporated organization, joint venture, limited liability company, Governmental Authority or other entity.

"Preemptive Rights Period" shall have the meaning set forth in Section 5.3.

"Preemptive Rights Shares" shall have the meaning set forth in Section 5.3.

"Proxy" or "Proxies" has the meaning given to such term in Rule 14a-1 of the Exchange Act.

"SEC" means the United States Securities and Exchange Commission.

"Securities Act" means the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, and the rules and regulations thereunder.

"Selling Holder" shall have the meaning set forth in Section 5.1

"Sold Shares" shall have the meaning set forth in Section 5.1.

"Transfer" means, directly or indirectly, to sell, transfer, distribute, assign, pledge, hedge, encumber, hypothecate or similarly dispose of, or to enter into any contract, option or other arrangement or understanding with respect to the sale, transfer, distribution, assignment, pledge, hedge, encumbrance, hypothecation or similar disposition with or without consideration, voluntarily or by operation of Law.

"<u>UAW</u>" means the International Union, United Automobile, Aerospace and Agricultural Implement Workers of America.

"<u>UST</u>" shall have the meaning set forth in the Preamble.

"<u>UST Owned Shares</u>" means the shares of Common Stock Beneficially Owned by UST as of the relevant time.

"<u>UST Secured Credit Agreement</u>" means the Second Amended and Restated Secured Credit Agreement, dated as of August 12, 2009, as may be amended from time to time, by and among the Operating Company, as the initial borrower, the Guarantors (as defined therein), and UST, as the lender.

"<u>VEBA</u>" shall have the meaning set forth in the Preamble.

"VEBA Nominee" shall have the meaning set forth in Section 2.3.

"VEBA Owned Shares" shall have the meaning set forth in Section 4.3.

"VEBA Secured Note Agreement" means the Amended and Restated Secured Note Agreement, dated as of August 14, 2009, as may be amended from time to time, by and among the Operating Company, as the initial issuer, the Guarantors (as defined therein), and the VEBA, as the noteholder.

"<u>Voting Securities</u>" means securities of the Corporation, including the Common Stock, with the power to vote with respect to the election of directors of the Corporation generally and all securities convertible into or exchangeable for securities of the Corporation with the power to vote with respect to the election of directors of the Corporation generally.

"Warrant" shall have the meaning set forth in the Recitals.

Section 1.2 Terms Generally. The definitions in **Section 1.1** shall apply equally to both 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," unless the context expressly provides otherwise. All references herein to Articles, Sections, paragraphs, subparagraphs or clauses shall be deemed references to Articles, Sections, paragraphs, subparagraphs or clauses of this Agreement, unless the context requires otherwise. Unless otherwise specified, the words "this Agreement," "herein," "hereof," "hereto" and "hereunder" and other words of similar import refer to this Agreement as a whole and not to any particular provision of this Agreement. The word "extent" in the phrase "to the extent" shall mean the degree to which a subject or other thing extends, and such phrase shall not mean simply "if." Unless expressly stated otherwise, any Law defined or referred to herein means such Law as from time to time amended, modified or supplemented, including by succession of comparable successor Laws and references to all attachments thereto and instruments incorporated therein.

ARTICLE II BOARD OF DIRECTORS

- Section 2.1 Size of Initial Board. The Board shall initially consist of thirteen (13) directors. The number of directors may be changed only by vote of the Board in accordance with the charter, certificates of designations and bylaws of the Corporation.
- Section 2.2 Composition of Board. (a) The initial members of the Board shall be constituted as follows:
- (i) the Board agrees to nominate and the Holders agree to take all action to cause the election or appointment of ten (10) directors designated by UST, no more than five of whom shall have been directors of the Debtor immediately prior to July 10, 2009, provided that all directors who have not been directors of the Debtor immediately prior to July 10, 2009 (such directors, the "New UST Directors") shall be Independent, or if any New UST Director is not Independent, UST and Canada shall consult with each other in good faith prior to the election or appointment of such non-Independent New UST Director;
- (ii) the Board agrees to nominate and the Holders agree to take all action to cause the election or appointment of one director designated by Canada (the "Canada Director"), which Canada Director shall be Independent, or if such Canada Director is not Independent, UST and Canada shall consult with each other in good faith prior to the election or appointment of such non-Independent Canada Director;
- (iii) the Board agrees to nominate and the Holders agree to take all action to cause the election or appointment of one director designated by the VEBA with the prior written consent of the UAW (which director shall be Independent or, if not Independent, approved by UST, which approval shall not be unreasonably withheld); and
- (iv) the Board agrees to nominate and the Holders agree to take all action to cause the election or appointment of the Chief Executive Officer as a director of the Corporation.

- (b) Notwithstanding anything to the contrary herein, the Holders agree that at all times prior to the termination of this Agreement, at least two-thirds of the directors of the Corporation shall be required to be determined by the Board to be independent of the Corporation within the meaning of Rule 303A.02 of New York Stock Exchange Listed Company Manual (or any successor provision) ("Independent"), whether or not any of the shares of Common Stock are then listed on the New York Stock Exchange.
- (c) The nominees to stand for election at any time at which the Corporation's stockholders shall have the right to, or shall, vote for or consent in writing to the election of directors of the Corporation (whether at an annual meeting of the Corporation's stockholders, a special meeting of the Corporation's stockholders called for the purpose of electing directors of the Corporation or at any adjournment or postponement thereof) shall be nominated by the Board in accordance with the bylaws of the Corporation and **Sections 2.3** and **2.4** hereof.
- Section 2.3 Agreement to Nominate VEBA Nominee. So long as the VEBA holds at least 50% of its Initial Shares, at any time at which the Corporation's stockholders shall have the right to, or shall, vote for or consent in writing to the election of directors of the Corporation (whether at an annual meeting of the Corporation's stockholders, a special meeting of the Corporation's stockholders called for the purpose of electing directors of the Corporation or at any adjournment or postponement thereof), then, and in each such event, the VEBA shall have the right to designate one nominee, which designation shall be subject to the prior written consent of the UAW and if the designated nominee is not Independent, to the prior written consent of UST, which consent of UST shall not be unreasonably withheld (the "VEBA Nominee"), to serve as a director.
- (a) From and after the date hereof to and including the IPO Date, the Board agrees to nominate and the Holders agree to appoint such director.
- (such approval not to be unreasonably withheld) the Board shall (i) nominate the VEBA Nominee to be elected a member of the Board and (ii) include the VEBA Nominee in any proxy statement and related materials used by the Corporation in respect of the election to which such nomination pertains. In the event that the Board does not approve such nominee (or any subsequent nominee), the VEBA shall have the right to designate a replacement VEBA Nominee (and further replacement nominees for any subsequent nominees), which nominee shall be subject to the prior written consent of the UAW, who shall be subject to approval of the Board in accordance with this **Section 2.3**.
- Section 2.4 Agreement to Nominate Canada Nominee. So long as Canada holds at least 50% of its Initial Shares, at any time at which the Corporation's stockholders shall have the right to, or shall, vote for or consent in writing to the election of directors of the Corporation (whether at an annual meeting of the Corporation's stockholders, a special meeting of the Corporation's stockholders called for the purpose of electing directors of the Corporation or at each adjournment or postponement thereof), then, and in each such event, from and after the date hereof to and including the IPO Date, Canada shall have the right to designate one nominee, which nominee shall be Independent (the "Canada Nominee") (or if such Canada Nominee is not Independent, UST and Canada shall consult with each other in good faith prior to the election or

appointment of such non-Independent Canada Nominee), to serve as a director and the Board agrees to nominate and the Holders agree to appoint such director; provided, however, that the right of Canada to designate a Canada Nominee at any election pursuant to this **Section 2.4** shall only apply in the event that if Canada were not to designate a Canada Nominee at such election, no member of the Board after such election would have been a Canada Nominee. In the event that the Board nominates a former Canada Nominee for re-election not pursuant to a designation by Canada with respect to such election, such former Canada Nominee shall not be considered a Canada Nominee for the purpose of determining Canada's right to designate a nominee at such election.

ARTICLE III CERTAIN COVENANTS AND RESTRICTIONS

Section 3.1 Initial Public Offering. The Government Holders shall use their reasonable best efforts to exercise their demand registration rights under the Equity Registration Rights Agreement and cause an IPO to occur no later than July 10, 2010, unless the Corporation is already taking steps and proceeding with reasonable diligence to effect an IPO.

Section 3.2 Reserved.

- Section 3.3 Transfer Restrictions. Subject to the restrictions set forth in this Section 3.3 (which restrictions shall not apply with respect to sales made in an underwritten offering pursuant to a registration statement of the Corporation), the Holders shall have the right to Transfer all or any portion of their respective Owned Shares, subject to compliance with applicable law.
- (a) Without the prior written consent of the Board, no Holder shall Transfer any shares of Common Stock or any options or warrants to acquire Common Stock, or any interest therein, to any one Person or Group if such Person or Group Beneficially Owns or would as a result of such Transfer Beneficially Own (to the knowledge of the Holder after reasonable inquiry) in excess of 10% of the Common Stock. Notwithstanding the foregoing, any Holder may Transfer any or all of its shares of Common Stock or any options or warrants to acquire Common Stock to any Permitted Transferee or pursuant to an exchange offer, a tender offer (or a request for invitation for tenders to the extent not prohibited pursuant to Section 3.3(b)), merger or consolidation.
- (b) Without the prior written consent of the Board, no Holder shall Transfer any shares of Common Stock or any options or warrants to acquire Common Stock to any automotive vehicle manufacturer or any Affiliate thereof; provided, however, that the VEBA, UST, Canada and their respective Permitted Transferees (which shall not include Chrysler Group LLC or any Affiliate thereof) shall not be regarded as Affiliates of Chrysler Group LLC for purposes of this provision.
- (c) No Transfer of any shares of Common Stock or any options or warrants to acquire Common Stock in violation of this Agreement or in violation of any restrictive legend on the Common Stock certificates of any Holder shall be made or recorded on the books of the Corporation and any such Transfer shall be void and of no effect.

- (d) Upon the Corporation's request, any Holder shall promptly notify the Corporation in writing of the number of shares of Common Stock then Beneficially Owned by such Holder.
- Section 3.4 Restrictions on Certain Corporate Actions. From and after the date hereof to the IPO Date, the Corporation agrees that, so long as Canada Beneficially Owns at least 5% of the aggregate number of shares of Common Stock then issued and outstanding, without the prior written consent of Canada, the Corporation will not take any action to effectuate any of the following:
- (a) a sale of all or substantially all of the assets of the Corporation (by merger or otherwise);
 - (b) any voluntary liquidation, dissolution or winding up of the Corporation; or
- (c) an issuance of Common Stock at a price per share less than fair market value, as determined in good faith by the Board of Directors (other than pursuant to an employee benefit plan).
- Section 3.5 Certificate Legends. Each Holder covenants and agrees that it will cooperate with the Corporation and take all action necessary to ensure that each certificate representing such Holder's shares of Common Stock and the Warrant shall conspicuously bear a legend in substantially the following form in addition to any other legend that may be required by the Corporation:

THIS INSTRUMENT IS ISSUED SUBJECT TO THE RESTRICTIONS ON TRANSFER AND OTHER PROVISIONS OF A STOCKHOLDERS AGREEMENT, DATED OCTOBER 15, 2009, AMONG THE ISSUER OF THESE SECURITIES AND THE INVESTORS REFERRED TO THEREIN, COPIES OF WHICH ARE ON FILE WITH THE ISSUER. THE SECURITIES REPRESENTED BY THIS INSTRUMENT MAY NOT BE SOLD OR OTHERWISE TRANSFERRED EXCEPT IN COMPLIANCE WITH SAID AGREEMENT. ANY SALE OR OTHER TRANSFER NOT IN COMPLIANCE WITH SAID AGREEMENT WILL BE VOID.

ARTICLE IV VOTING AGREEMENT

Section 4.1 Government Holder Participation to Establish Quorum. From and after the date hereof to and including the date of termination of this Agreement with respect to each Government Holder in accordance with Section 6.2, at any meeting (whether annual or special and each adjournment or postponement thereof) of the Corporation's stockholders, however called, to the extent required to establish a quorum at such meeting, such Government Holder will appear at such meeting or otherwise cause all shares of Common Stock Beneficially Owned by such Government Holder as of the relevant time to be counted as present thereat for purposes of calculating a quorum.

- Section 4.2 Government Holder Agreement to Vote. Each Government Holder hereby irrevocably and unconditionally agrees that:
- (a) from and after the date hereof to and including the earlier to occur of (i) the IPO Date or (ii) the date of termination of this Agreement with respect to such Government Holder in accordance with Section 6.2, at any meeting (whether annual or special and each adjournment or postponement thereof) of the Corporation's stockholders, however called, or in connection with any proposed action by written consent of the Corporation's stockholders, such Government Holder may vote or cause to be voted (including by written consent, if applicable) its Owned Shares on each matter presented to the stockholders of the Corporation, including the election of directors, in such manner as such Government Holder determines (i.e., "for," "against," "withheld" or otherwise), provided that each Government Holder agrees to vote "for" any VEBA Nominee or Canada Nominee standing for election in accordance with Section 2.3 and Section 2.4, respectively;
- (b) from and after the IPO Date to and including the date of termination of this Agreement with respect to such Government Holder in accordance with **Section 6.2**, at any meeting (whether annual or special and each adjournment or postponement thereof) of the Corporation's stockholders, however called, such Government Holder shall not vote and shall cause its Owned Shares not to be voted, provided, however, that such Government Holder shall be permitted to vote or cause to be voted its Owned Shares:
- (i) in a vote with respect to any removal of directors only "for," "against" or "withhold" with respect to such removal;
- (ii) in a vote with respect to any election of directors of the Corporation (whether at an annual meeting of the Corporation's stockholders, a special meeting of the Corporation's stockholders called for the purpose of electing directors of the Corporation or at any adjournment or postponement thereof) only "for," "against" or "withhold" with respect to the election of any candidates or directors, as the case may be, that are (A) nominated by the Board, (B) nominated by third parties, or (C) nominated by either Government Holder pursuant to the Joint Slate Procedure, provided that each Government Holder agrees to vote "for" the nominees jointly nominated pursuant to the Joint Slate Procedure, and provided further, that each Government Holder agrees to vote "for" any VEBA Nominee standing for election in accordance with Section 2.3;
- (iii) in a vote with respect to any Change of Control to be voted on by the Corporation's stockholders, "for" or "against" such Change of Control transaction;
- (iv) in a vote with respect to any amendment or modification to the Certificate of Incorporation or bylaws of the Corporation which would or may effect any of the matters set forth in **Section 4.2(b)(i)**, (ii) or (iii), "for" or "against" such amendment or modification; and
- (v) on each other matter presented to the stockholders of the Corporation, solely to the extent that the vote of the Government Holder is required for the

stockholders to take action at a meeting at which a quorum is present, in the same proportionate manner (either "for," "against," "withheld" or otherwise) as the holders of Common Stock (other than UST, Canada, the VEBA and its Affiliates and the directors and Executive Officers of the Corporation) that were present and entitled to vote on such matter voted in connection with each such matter.

VEBA Agreement to Vote. Notwithstanding anything else contained in this Agreement, the VEBA hereby irrevocably and unconditionally agrees that from and after the date hereof and to and including the date of termination of this Agreement with respect to the VEBA in accordance with Section 6.2, at any meeting (whether annual or special and each adjournment or postponement thereof) of the Corporation's stockholders, however called, or in connection with any proposed action by written consent of the Corporation's stockholders, the VEBA will (i) appear at such meeting or otherwise cause all shares of Common Stock Beneficially Owned by the VEBA as of the relevant time ("VEBA Owned Shares") to be counted as present thereat for purposes of calculating a quorum and (ii) vote or cause to be voted (including by written consent, if applicable) such VEBA Owned Shares on each matter presented to the stockholders of the Corporation in the same proportionate manner (either "for," "against," "withheld" or otherwise) as (x) in the case of any proposed stockholder action at a meeting of the Corporation's stockholders, the holders of Common Stock (other than the VEBA and its Affiliates, and the directors and Executive Officers of the Corporation) that were present and entitled to vote on such matter voted in connection with each such matter and (y) in the case of any proposed stockholder action by written consent taken prior to an IPO, all the holders of Common Stock (other than the VEBA and its Affiliates, and the directors and Executive Officers of the Corporation) consented or did not consent in connection with each such matter.

Section 4.4 Irrevocable Proxy. This Section 4.4 is effective from and after the IPO Date to and including the date of termination of this Agreement. Each of UST, Canada and the VEBA hereby revokes any and all previous Proxies or similar rights granted with respect to its Owned Shares. Subject to the last two sentences of this Section 4.4, upon the request of the Corporation and subject to applicable Law, each of UST, Canada and the VEBA shall, or shall use its reasonable best efforts to cause any Person serving as the nominee (each, a "Nominee") of such Holder with respect to its Owned Shares to, irrevocably appoint the Corporation or its designee as its proxy to vote (or cause to be voted) its Owned Shares in accordance with Section 4.2(b)(v) or Section 4.3 hereof (as applicable). Such Proxy shall be irrevocable and coupled with an interest. In the event that any such Nominee for any reason fails to irrevocably appoint the Corporation or its designee as UST's, Canada's or the VEBA's Proxy in accordance with this Section 4.4, such Holder shall cause such Nominee to vote its Owned Shares in accordance with Section 4.2(b)(v) or Section 4.3 hereof (as applicable). In the event that UST, Canada, the VEBA or any of their respective Nominees fails for any reason to vote its Owned Shares in accordance with the applicable requirements of Section 4.2(b)(v) or Section 4.3 hereof (as applicable), then the Corporation or its designee shall have the right to vote such Holder's Owned Shares (and withdraw any previous vote) in accordance with Section 4.2(b)(v) or Section 4.3 hereof (as applicable). Subject to applicable Law, the vote of the Corporation or its designee shall control in the event of any conflict between the vote by the Corporation or its designee of UST's, Canada's or the VEBA's Owned Shares and a vote by such Holder (or any Nominee on behalf of such Holder) of its Owned Shares. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the proxy granted by UST, Canada, the VEBA or any of their respective Nominees shall be automatically revoked upon termination of this Agreement with respect to such Holder in accordance with its terms.

Section 4.5 Inconsistent Voting Agreements. Each of UST, Canada and the VEBA hereby agrees that it shall not enter into any agreement, contract or understanding with any Person (prior to the termination of this Agreement with respect to such Holder) directly or indirectly to vote, grant a Proxy or power of attorney or give instructions with respect to the voting of such its Owned Shares in any manner that is inconsistent with this Agreement.

ARTICLE V OTHER AGREEMENTS

- Section 5.1 Tag-Along Rights. (a) If at any time prior to the IPO, UST (for purposes of this Section 5.1, the "Selling Holder") desires to sell any or all of its shares of Common Stock (other than a Transfer to a Permitted Transferee), each of VEBA and Canada (for purposes of this Section 5.1, the "Co-Sale Holders") which is not then in breach of this Agreement shall have the right to include a number of such Co-Sale Holder's shares of Common Stock in such contemplated sale, at the same price per share and upon the same terms and conditions to be paid and given to the Selling Holder, equal to the product (rounded up to the nearest whole number) obtained by multiplying (i) the maximum number of shares of Common Stock that can be included in the contemplated sale and (ii) a fraction (A) the numerator of which is equal to the number of shares of Common Stock held by such Co-Sale Holder and (B) the denominator of which is equal to the number of shares of Common Stock held, in the aggregate, by the Selling Holder and all Co-Sale Holders which elect to include their shares of Common Stock in such sale, in each case exclusive of any shares of Common Stock that are subject to a previously executed binding sale agreement.
- The Selling Holder shall give notice to each of the Co-Sale Holders of each proposed sale giving rise to the rights of the Co-Sale Holders set forth in Section 5.1(a) at least 20 Business Days prior to the proposed consummation of any such sale, setting forth the number of shares of Common Stock proposed to be so sold (the "Sold Shares"), the name and address of the proposed transferee or transferees, the proposed amount and form of consideration and the terms and conditions of payment offered by such proposed transferee or transferees, and a representation that the proposed transferee or transferees have been informed of the rights of co-sale provided for in this Section 5.1 (the "Co-Sale Notice"). The rights of co-sale provided pursuant to this Section 5.1 must be exercised by any Co-Sale Holder within ten Business Days following receipt of the notice required by the preceding sentence, by delivery of a written notice to the Selling Holder indicating such Co-Sale Holder's desire to exercise its rights and specifying the number of shares of Common Stock (up to the maximum number of shares of Common Stock as provided in Section 5.1(a)). If the proposed transferee or transferees fail to purchase shares of Common Stock from any Co-Sale Holder that has properly exercised its rights of cosale under Section 5.1(a) on the terms specified above, then the Selling Holder shall not be permitted to make the proposed sale. If none of the Co-Sale Holders gives such notice prior to the expiration of the ten Business Day period for giving such notice, then the Selling Holder may sell the Sold Shares to any Person on terms and conditions that are no more favorable to the Selling Holder than those set forth in the Co-Sale Notice at any time within a period ending on

the later to occur of (x) 120 days following the expiration of such period for giving notice or (y) if a definitive agreement to sell the Sold Shares is entered into by the Selling Holder within such 120-day period, the date on which all applicable approvals and consents of Governmental Authorities with respect to such proposed sale have been obtained and any applicable waiting period under Law have expired or been terminated. If the Selling Holder has not consummated the proposed sale within the time period set forth in the immediately preceding sentence, then the Selling Holder shall not sell any such shares of Common Stock without again complying with this **Section 5.1**.

- (c) If any of the Co-Sale Holders exercise their rights under Section 5.1(a), the closing of the purchase of the shares of Common Stock with respect to which such rights have been exercised shall take place concurrently with the closing of the sale of the Selling Holder's interests.
- (d) The provisions of this **Section 5.1** shall not apply to any proposed sale by any Holder effected pursuant to the demand registration or piggyback provisions of the Equity Registration Rights Agreement.

Section 5.2 Drag-Along Rights.

- (a) At any time prior to the IPO, if UST (for purposes of this Section 5.2, the "Electing Holder"), determines to sell, in a single transaction or a series of related transactions, to an independent third party or parties (the "Drag-Along Buyer"), greater than 25% of the Initial Shares of Common Stock held by the Electing Holder, the Electing Holder may require each of the VEBA and Canada (the "Non-Electing Holders") to sell or cause to be sold up to a number of their shares of Common Stock as of such date in such transaction (by merger or otherwise), equal to the product (rounded up to the nearest whole number) obtained by multiplying (i) the maximum number of shares of Common Stock to be included in the contemplated sale and (ii) a fraction (A) the numerator of which is equal to the number of shares of Common Stock held by such Non-Electing Holder and (B) the denominator of which is equal to the number of shares of Common Stock held, in the aggregate, by the Electing Holder and all Non-Electing Holders, to the Drag-Along Buyer, for the same consideration per share of Common Stock and on the same terms and conditions as the Electing Holder, subject to the provisions of this Section 5.2 (the "Compelled Sale") and to take such other actions with respect thereto as set forth in Section 5.2(b) below.
- (b) The Corporation, if instructed in writing by the Electing Holder, shall send written notice (the "Compelled Sale Notice") of the exercise of the rights pursuant to this Section 5.2 to each of the Non-Electing Holders setting forth the consideration per share of Common Stock to be paid pursuant to the Compelled Sale and the other terms and conditions of the transaction. Each Non-Electing Holder, upon receipt of the Compelled Sale Notice, will be obligated to (i) except in the case of the VEBA, vote its shares of Common Stock in favor of such Compelled Sale at any meeting of stockholders of the Corporation called to vote on or approve such Compelled Sale (or any written consent solicited for such purpose), (ii) sell the requisite number of its shares of Common Stock, and participate in the Compelled Sale and (iii) otherwise take all necessary action, including, without limitation, expressly waiving any dissenter's rights or rights of appraisal or similar rights, providing access to documents and

records of the Corporation, entering into an agreement reflecting the terms of the Compelled Sale (although Non-Electing Holders shall not be required to provide representations, warranties and indemnities other than concerning each such Holder's valid ownership of its shares of Common Stock free of all liens, and each such Holder's authority, power and right to enter into and consummate the Compelled Sale without violating any other agreement), surrendering certificates or other instruments representing the shares of Common Stock, duly authorized for transfer or accompanied by a duly executed stock power, cooperating in obtaining any applicable Governmental Approval and otherwise to cause the Corporation to consummate such Compelled Sale. Any such Compelled Sale Notice may be rescinded by the Electing Holder at any time prior to the execution of any agreement with respect to a Compelled Sale by delivering written notice thereof to the Corporation and all of the Non-Electing Holders.

- (c) The obligations of the Non-Electing Holders pursuant to this **Section 5.2** are subject to the satisfaction of the following conditions:
- (i) in the event that the Non-Electing Holders are required to provide the representations, warranties or indemnities in connection with the Compelled Sale described in **Section 5.2(b)** above, then, each such Holder (A) will not be liable for more than the lesser of (x) its pro rata share of such indemnification payments (based upon the total consideration received by such Holder divided by the total consideration received by all sellers in such Compelled Sale) and (y) the total proceeds actually received by such Holder as consideration for its shares of Common Stock in such Compelled Sale, and (B) such liability shall be several and not joint with any other Person; and
- (ii) if any Holder is given an option as to the form and amount of consideration to be received, each other Holder shall be given the same option.
- (d) Each Holder shall be obligated to pay his, her or its pro rata share of the expenses incurred in connection with a consummated Compelled Sale (based upon the total consideration received by such Holder divided by the total consideration received by all sellers in such Compelled Sale) to the extent such costs are incurred for the benefit of all Holders and are not otherwise paid by the Corporation or the acquiring party (costs incurred by or on behalf of a Holder for his, her or its sole benefit will not be considered costs of the transaction hereunder).
- (e) If any Holder fails to sell to the Drag-Along Buyer its shares of Common Stock to be sold pursuant to this **Section 5.2**, each Holder agrees that the Board shall cause such shares of Common Stock to be sold to the Drag-Along Buyer on the Corporation's books in consideration of the purchase price, and such Drag-Along Holder's pro rata portion of the purchase price may be held in escrow, without interest, until such time as he, she or it takes such actions as the Board may reasonably request in connection with the transaction.

Section 5.3 Preemptive Rights.

(a) At any time prior to the IPO (and not including the IPO itself), the Corporation shall not issue any shares of Common Stock unless, prior to such issuance, the Corporation offers such shares of Common Stock to each Holder at the same price per share and upon the same terms and conditions.

- (b) Not less than 20 Business Days prior to the closing of such offering (the "<u>Preemptive Rights Period</u>"), the Corporation shall send a written notice to each Holder stating the number of shares of Common Stock to be offered (the "<u>Preemptive Rights Shares</u>"), the proposed closing date and the price and terms on which it proposes to offer such shares of Common Stock.
- (c) Within 10 Business Days after the receipt of the notice pursuant to **Section 5.3(b)**, each Holder may elect, by written notice to the Corporation to purchase shares of Common Stock of the Corporation, at the price and on the terms specified in such notice, up to an amount equal to the product obtained by multiplying (x) the total number of shares of Common Stock to be issued by (y) a fraction, (A) the numerator of which is the number of shares of Common Stock held by such Holder and (B) the denominator of which is the number of total outstanding shares of Common Stock.
- (d) The closing of any such purchase of shares of Common Stock by such Holder pursuant to this **Section 5.3(d)** shall occur concurrently with the closing of the proposed issuance, as applicable, subject to adjustment to obtain any necessary Governmental Approval.
- (e) Upon the expiration of the Preemptive Rights Period, the Corporation shall be entitled to sell such Preemptive Rights Shares that the Holders have not elected to purchase for a period ending 120 days following the expiration of the Preemptive Rights Period on terms and conditions not materially more favorable to the purchasers thereof than those offered to the Holders. Any Preemptive Rights Shares to be sold by the Corporation following the expiration of such period must be reoffered to the Holders pursuant to the terms of this **Section 5.3** or if any such agreement to Transfer is terminated.
- (f) The provisions of this **Section 5.3** shall not apply to the following issuances of shares of Common Stock:
- (i) incentive shares of Common Stock issued to or for the benefit of employees, officers, directors and other service providers of or to the Corporation or any subsidiary of the Corporation in accordance with the terms hereof or any applicable incentive plan of the Corporation;
- (ii) securities issued upon conversion of convertible or exchangeable securities (including warrants) of the Corporation or any of its subsidiaries that are outstanding as of the date of this Agreement or were not issued in violation of this **Section 5.3**; and
- (iii) a subdivision of shares of Common Stock (including any share distribution or split), any combination of shares of Common Stock (including any reverse share split), shares issued as a dividend or other distribution on the shares of Common Stock or any recapitalization, reorganization, reclassification or conversion of the Corporation or any of its subsidiaries.

Section 5.4 Information Rights.

- (a) For so long as UST Beneficially Owns at least ten percent (10%) of the aggregate number of shares of Common Stock then issued and outstanding, the Corporation shall deliver to UST:
- (i) all financial statements, budgets, reports, liquidity statements, materials, data and other information required to be delivered to UST pursuant to Section 5 of the UST Secured Credit Agreement (provided that, if and for so long as the Corporation has complied with the applicable covenants under Section 5 of the UST Secured Credit Agreement, the Corporation shall be deemed to have satisfied this Section 5.4(a)(i));
- (ii) a monthly report in form and substance reasonably satisfactory to UST, the contents of which shall be reasonably specified by UST to the Corporation from time to time;
- (iii) from time to time such other information regarding the financial condition, operations, or business of the Corporation as UST may reasonably request; and
- (iv) copies of all other information that the Corporation delivers to the Debtor, in its capacity as a shareholder of the Corporation.

provided that, for so long as Canada Beneficially Owns at least ten percent (10%) of the aggregate number of shares of Common Stock then issued and outstanding, the Corporation shall deliver to Canada copies of all information that the Corporation delivers to UST pursuant to Section 5.4(a)(i), (ii), (iii) and (iv) hereof.

- (b) Prior to the IPO Date, the Corporation shall deliver to the VEBA (whether or not the notes issued pursuant to the VEBA Secured Note Agreement are then outstanding):
- (i) all financial statements, budgets, reports, liquidity statements, materials, data and other information required to be delivered to the VEBA pursuant to Section 5.1 of the VEBA Secured Note Agreement (provided that, if and for so long as the Corporation has complied with the applicable covenants under Section 5.1 of the VEBA Secured Note Agreement, the Corporation shall be deemed to have satisfied this Section 5.4(b)(i)); and
- (ii) copies of all other information that the Corporation delivers to the Debtor, in its capacity as a shareholder of the Corporation.

ARTICLE VI MISCELLANEOUS

Section 6.1 Notices. Any notice, request, instruction, consent, document or other communication required or permitted to be given under this Agreement shall be in writing and shall be deemed to have been sufficiently given or served for all purposes (a) upon delivery when personally delivered; (b) on the later of the scheduled delivery date or the first Business Day following such delivery date (if scheduled for delivery on a day that is not a Business Day) after having been sent by a nationally or internationally recognized overnight courier service (charges

prepaid); (c) at the time received when sent by registered or certified mail, return receipt requested, postage prepaid; or (d) at the time when confirmation of successful transmission is received (or the first Business Day following such receipt if the date of such receipt is not a Business Day) if sent by facsimile, in each case, to the recipient at the address or facsimile number, as applicable, indicated below:

If to the Corporation or the Operating Company:

General Motors Holding Company (to be renamed General Motors Company)
300 Renaissance Center

Detroit, MI 48265-3000

482-C25-A36

Attention: Anne T. Larin Fax: (248) 267-4331

with a copy to:

Cadwalader, Wickersham & Taft LLP

One World Financial Center New York, New York 10281 Attention: John J. Rapisardi

R. Ronald Hopkinson

Fax: (212) 504-6666

If to UST:

The United States Department of the Treasury

1500 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW

Washington, D.C. 20220

Attention: Chief Counsel Office of Financial Stability

Facsimile: (202) 927-9225

Email: OFSChiefCounselNotices@do.treas.gov

If to Canada:

7176384 Canada Inc. 1235 Bay Street, Suite 400 Toronto, ON M5R 3K4

Attention: Mr. Michael Carter

Fax: (416) 934-5009

with a copy to:

Torys LLP 79 Wellington Street, West, Suite 3000 Toronto, ON M5K 1N2 Attention: Patrice S. Walch-Watson

Fax: (416) 865-7380

Email: PWalch-Watson@torys.com

If to the VEBA:

UAW Retiree Medical Benefits Trust P.O. Box 14309 Detroit, MI 48214 Attention: Bob Naftaly Fax: (313) 926-4065

with a copy to:

Cleary Gottlieb Steen & Hamilton LLP One Liberty Plaza New York, NY 10006 Attention: Richard S. Lincer

David I. Gottlieb

Fax: (212) 225-3999

provided, however, if any party shall have designated a different addressee and/or contact information by notice in accordance with this **Section 6.1**, then to the last addressee as so designated.

Section 6.2 Termination. All rights, restrictions and obligations hereunder shall terminate with respect to a Holder, and this Agreement shall have no further force and effect upon such Holder, when such Holder Beneficially Owns less than 2% of the aggregate number of shares of Common Stock then issued and outstanding; provided, that all rights and obligations under this **Article VI** shall continue in perpetuity.

Section 6.3 Authority. Each of the parties hereto represents to the other that (a) it has the corporate or other organizational power and authority to execute, deliver and perform this Agreement, (b) the execution, delivery and performance of this Agreement by it has been duly authorized by all necessary corporate or organizational action and no such further action is required, (c) it has duly and validly executed and delivered this Agreement, and (d) this Agreement is a legal, valid and binding obligation, enforceable against it in accordance with its terms subject to applicable bankruptcy, insolvency, reorganization, moratorium or other similar laws affecting creditors' rights generally and general equity principles.

Section 6.4 No Third Party Beneficiaries. This Agreement shall be for the sole and exclusive benefit of (i) the Corporation and its successors and permitted assigns, (ii) each Holder (including any trustee thereof) and any other investment manager or managers acting on behalf of such Holder with respect to the Common Stock and their respective successors and permitted

assigns, and (iii) the UAW. Nothing in this Agreement shall be construed to give any other Person any legal or equitable right, remedy or claim under this Agreement.

Section 6.5 No Personal Liability by the VEBA Signatory. It is expressly understood and agreed by the parties hereto that this Agreement is being executed and delivered by the signatory on behalf of the VEBA not individually or personally but solely in his capacity as Chairman of the Committee of the VEBA in the exercise of the powers and authority conferred and vested in him in such capacity and under no circumstances shall the signatory have any personal liability in an individual capacity in connection with this Agreement or any transaction contemplated hereby.

Section 6.6 Cooperation. Each party hereto shall take such further action, and execute such additional documents, as may be reasonably requested by any other party hereto in order to carry out the purposes of this Agreement.

Section 6.7 Governing Law; Forum Selection. This Agreement shall be governed by and construed and interpreted in accordance with the laws of the State of Delaware. Any action or proceeding against the parties relating in any way to this Agreement may be brought and enforced exclusively in the courts of the State of New York located in the Borough of Manhattan or (to the extent subject matter jurisdiction exists therefor) the U.S. District Court for the Southern District of New York, and the parties irrevocably submit to the jurisdiction of both courts in respect of any such action or proceeding.

Section 6.8 WAIVER OF JURY TRIAL. EACH PARTY WAIVES THE RIGHT TO A TRIAL BY JURY IN ANY DISPUTE IN CONNECTION WITH OR RELATING TO THIS AGREEMENT OR ANY MATTERS DESCRIBED OR CONTEMPLATED HEREIN, AND AGREES TO TAKE ANY AND ALL ACTION NECESSARY OR APPROPRIATE TO EFFECT SUCH WAIVER.

Section 6.9 Assignment; Successors and Assigns. Neither this Agreement nor any of the rights, interests or obligations provided by this Agreement may be assigned by any party (whether by operation of law or otherwise), other than an assignment to a Permitted Transferee in connection with a Transfer made in accordance with this Agreement, without the prior written consent of the other parties, and any such assignment without such prior written consent shall be null and void. Subject to the preceding sentence and except as otherwise expressly provided herein, this Agreement shall be binding upon and benefit the Corporation and each Holder. Except for a Permitted Transferee, no purchaser or recipient of shares of Common Stock from a Holder shall have any rights under this Agreement.

Section 6.10 After Acquired Securities. All of the provisions of this Agreement shall apply to all of the Voting Securities now Beneficially Owned or that may be issued or Transferred hereafter to any Holder hereto in consequence of any additional issuance, purchase, exchange or reclassification of any of the Voting Securities, corporate reorganization, or any other form or recapitalization, consolidation, merger, share split or share divide, or that are acquired by a Holder in any other manner.

Section 6.11 Entire Agreement. This Agreement (together with the Annex) contains the final, exclusive and entire agreement and understanding of the parties with respect to the subject matter hereof and thereof and supersedes all prior and contemporaneous agreements and understandings, whether written or oral, among the parties with respect to the subject matter hereof and thereof. This Agreement shall not be deemed to contain or imply any restriction, covenant, representation, warranty, agreement or undertaking of any party with respect to the transactions contemplated hereby or thereby other than those expressly set forth herein or therein, and none shall be deemed to exist or be inferred with respect to the subject matter hereof.

Section 6.12 Severability. Whenever possible, each term and provision of this Agreement will be interpreted in such manner as to be effective and valid under law. If any term or provision of this Agreement, or the application thereof to any Person or any circumstance, is held to be illegal, invalid or unenforceable, (a) a suitable and equitable provision shall be substituted therefor in order to carry out, so far as may be legal, valid and enforceable, the intent and purpose of such illegal, invalid or unenforceable provision and (b) the remainder of this Agreement or such term or provision and the application of such term or provision to other Persons or circumstances shall remain in full force and effect and shall not be affected by such illegality, invalidity or unenforceability, nor shall such invalidity or unenforceability affect the legality, validity or enforceability of such term or provision, or the application thereof, in any jurisdiction.

Section 6.13 Enforcement of this Agreement. The parties agree that irreparable damage would occur in the event that any provision of this Agreement were not performed in accordance with its specific terms or were otherwise breached. It is accordingly agreed that the parties shall, without the posting of a bond, be entitled, subject to a determination by a court of competent jurisdiction, to an injunction or injunctions to prevent any such failure of performance under, or breaches of, this Agreement, and to enforce specifically the terms and provisions hereof and thereof, this being in addition to all other remedies available at law or in equity, and each party agrees that it will not oppose the granting of such relief on the basis that the requesting party has an adequate remedy at law.

Section 6.14 Amendment. This Agreement may not be amended, modified or supplemented except upon the execution and delivery of a written agreement executed by a duly authorized representative or officer of each of the parties.

Section 6.15 Headings. The descriptive headings of the Articles, Sections and paragraphs of, and the Annex to, this Agreement are included for convenience only, do not constitute a part of this Agreement and shall not be deemed to limit, modify or affect any of the provisions hereof.

Section 6.16 Counterparts; Facsimiles. This Agreement may be executed in one or more counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original, and all of which taken together shall constitute one and the same Agreement. All signatures of the parties may be transmitted by facsimile or electronic delivery, and each such facsimile signature or electronic delivery signature (including a pdf signature) will, for all purposes, be deemed to be the original signature of the party whose signature it reproduces and be binding upon such party.

Section 6.17 UST. Notwithstanding anything in this Agreement to the contrary, UST shall only be bound by this Agreement in its capacity as stockholder and nothing in this Agreement shall be binding on or create any obligation on the part of UST in any other capacity or any branch or agency of the United States Government or subdivision thereof.

Section 6.18 Canada. Notwithstanding anything in this Agreement to the contrary, Canada shall only be bound by this Agreement in its capacity as stockholder and nothing in this Agreement shall be binding on or create any obligation on the part of Canada in any other capacity or any branch or agency of the Canadian Government or subdivision thereof.

Section 6.19 Time Periods. Unless otherwise specified in this Agreement, an action required under this Agreement to be taken within a certain number of days shall be taken within that number of calendar days (and not Business Days); provided, however, that if the last day for taking such action falls on a day that is not a Business Day, the period during which such action may be taken shall be automatically extended to the next Business Day.

Section 6.20 Termination of Operating Company Stockholders Agreement; Waiver. The Operating Company, each of the Government Holders and the VEBA acknowledges and agrees that, simultaneously with the execution of this Agreement, the Operating Company Stockholders Agreement is terminated in all respects, all the claims, remedies, rights and privileges granted therein are relinquished and surrendered, and all obligations and duties owed or required to be performed thereunder are waived and released.

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Name: Niharika Ramdev

Title: Assistant Treasurer

Annex I

Holder	Number of Initial Shares of Common Stock	Number of Initial Shares of Series A Preferred Stock
UST	304,131,356	83,898,305
Canada	58,368,644	16,101,695
VEBA	87,500,000	260,000,000
Total:	450,000,000	360,000,000

Holder	Number of Shares of Common	
	Stock for which Warrant is	
	Exercisable	
VEBA	15,151,515	

EQUITY REGISTRATION RIGHTS AGREEMENT

This EQUITY REGISTRATION RIGHTS AGREEMENT (this "Agreement") is entered into as of October 15, 2009 by and among GENERAL MOTORS HOLDING COMPANY (to be renamed General Motors Company), a Delaware corporation (the "Corporation"), THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY (the "UST"), 7176384 CANADA INC., a corporation organized under the laws of Canada ("Canada"), the UAW RETIREE MEDICAL BENEFITS TRUST, a voluntary employees' beneficiary association (the "VEBA"), MOTORS LIQUIDATION COMPANY (formerly known as General Motors Corporation), a Delaware corporation (the "Debtor"), and solely for purposes of Section 4.18, General Motors Company (formerly known as NGMCO, Inc.), a Delaware corporation and successor-in-interest to Vehicle Acquisition Holdings LLC (to be converted to General Motors LLC, the "Operating Company").

WHEREAS, each of the Government Holders (as defined below), the VEBA, the Debtor and the Operating Company were parties to that certain Equity Registration Rights Agreement, dated as of July 10, 2009 (the "Operating Company Registration Rights Agreement");

WHEREAS, in connection with a reorganization involving the Operating Company, an indirect wholly-owned subsidiary of the Corporation has been merged with and into the Operating Company, with the Operating Company continuing as the surviving corporation and becoming an indirect wholly-owned subsidiary of the Corporation (the "Merger");

WHEREAS, as a result of the Merger, each Holder has been issued that number of shares of common stock, par value \$0.01 per share, of the Corporation (the "Common Stock") set forth opposite such Holder's name on Annex I hereto in exchange for the shares of common stock, par value \$0.01 per share, of the Operating Company previously held by it;

WHEREAS, as a result of the Merger, each of the VEBA and the Debtor has been issued one or more warrants initially exercisable for that number of shares of Common Stock set forth opposite such Holder's name on <u>Annex I</u> hereto (collectively, the "<u>Warrants</u>") in exchange for the warrants to acquire shares of common stock, par value \$0.01 per share, of the Operating Company previously held by it;

WHEREAS, as a result of the Merger, each of the Government Holders and the VEBA has been issued that number of shares of Series A Fixed Rate Cumulative Perpetual Preferred Stock, par value \$0.01 per share of the Corporation (the "Preferred Stock"), set forth opposite such Holder's name on Annex I hereto in exchange for the shares of Series A fixed rate cumulative perpetual preferred stock, par value \$0.01 per share, of the Operating Company previously held by it;

WHEREAS, concurrently with the execution of this Agreement, the Corporation, the Government Holders and the VEBA have executed that certain Stockholders Agreement, dated as of the date hereof; and

WHEREAS, the parties hereto desire to terminate the Operating Company Registration Rights Agreement and the Corporation desires to provide the Government Holders, the VEBA

and the Debtor with registration rights with respect to such shares of Common Stock, Warrants and Preferred Stock held by such Holders and their permitted assigns, on the terms and conditions set forth herein.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the foregoing and the mutual agreements contained in this Agreement, and for other good and valuable consideration, the value, receipt and sufficiency of which are acknowledged, the parties hereby agree as follows:

ARTICLE 1 DEFINITIONS

Section 1.1 Certain Defined Terms. As used in this Agreement, the following terms have the following meanings set forth below or in the sections set forth below:

"Adverse Disclosure" means public disclosure of material non-public information that, in the Corporation's good faith judgment, after consultation with independent outside counsel to the Corporation, (a) would be required to be made in any registration statement or report filed with the SEC by the Corporation so that such registration statement or report would not be materially misleading; (b) would not be required to be made at such time but for the filing of such registration statement; and (c) the Corporation has a *bona fide* business purpose for not disclosing publicly.

"Adverse Effect" shall have the meaning set forth in Section 2.1.6.

"Advice" shall have the meaning set forth in Section 2.7.

"Affiliate" means, with respect to any Person, any other Person who Controls, is Controlled by or is under common Control with, such Person.

"Agreement" shall have the meaning set forth in the Preamble.

"Canada" shall have the meaning set forth in the Preamble.

"Co-Managers" shall have the meaning set forth in Section 2.1.4(a).

"Common Stock" shall have the meaning set forth in the Recitals.

"Control" means the direct or indirect power to direct or cause the direction of management or policies of a Person, whether through the ownership of voting securities, general partnership interests or management member interests, by contract or trust agreement, pursuant to a voting trust or otherwise. "Controlling" and "Controlled" have the correlative meanings.

"Corporation" shall have the meaning set forth in the Preamble.

"Corporation Shelf Registration" shall have the meaning set forth in Section 2.2.1.

"Debtor" shall have the meaning set forth in the Preamble.

"Demand Registration" shall have the meaning set forth in Section 2.1.1(a).

"Demand Request" shall have the meaning set forth in Section 2.1.1(a).

"Exchange Act" means the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, and the rules and regulations thereunder.

"Excluded Registration" means a registration under the Securities Act of (a) securities pursuant to one or more Demand Registrations pursuant to **Article 2** hereof, (b) securities registered on Form S-4 or S-8 or any similar successor forms, (c) securities convertible into or exercisable or exchangeable for Common Stock and (d) securities registered on Form S-3 or any successor form covering solely securities issued under a dividend reinvestment program.

"FINRA" shall have the meaning set forth in Section 2.5(a)(xvii).

"Government Holders" means the UST and Canada.

"Governmental Authority" means any United States or non-United States federal, provincial, state or local government or other political subdivision thereof, any entity, authority, agency or body exercising executive, legislative, judicial, regulatory or administrative functions of any such government or political subdivision, and any supranational organization of sovereign states exercising such functions for such sovereign states.

"Holder" means each of (a) the UST, Canada, the VEBA and the Debtor and (b) any direct or indirect transferee of any such Holder who shall become a party to this Agreement in accordance with **Section 2.10**.

"Indemnitee" shall have the meaning set forth in Section 2.9.1.

"Indemnitor" shall have the meaning set forth in Section 2.9.3(a) but shall, for the avoidance of doubt, exclude the Government Holders and the VEBA for purposes of providing indemnification hereunder.

"Initial Sale Time" shall have the meaning set forth in Section 2.9.1.

"Inspectors" shall have the meaning set forth in Section 2.5(a)(xiii).

"IPO" means the Corporation's first public offering of Common Stock (whether such offering is primary or secondary) that is underwritten by a nationally recognized investment bank, pursuant to a registration statement filed under the Securities Act and declared effective by the SEC (other than a registration effected solely to implement an employee benefit plan or a transaction to which Rule 145 under the Securities Act is applicable, or a registration statement on Form S-4, Form S-8 or a successor to one of those forms).

"Issuer Free Writing Prospectus" shall have the meaning set forth in Section 2.6.

"Lead Underwriters" shall have the meaning set forth in Section 2.1.4(a).

"Losses" shall have the meaning set forth in Section 2.9.1.

"Market Value" shall mean with respect to any particular class or type of Registrable Securities (a) at any time securities of the same class or type as the applicable Registrable Securities are listed on a national securities exchange, the closing price of such class or type of securities on the trading day immediately preceding the date of the Demand Request or Transfer Notice, (b) at any time that the Warrants are not listed on a national securities exchange but the Common Stock is listed on a national securities exchange, for each Warrant, the closing price of one share of Common Stock multiplied by the number of shares of Common Stock for which such Warrant is then exercisable (assuming cashless exercise), or (c) other than in the case of clause (a) or clause (b), the estimated market value determined in good faith by the Corporation based upon the advice of a nationally recognized independent investment banking firm retained by the Corporation (at the sole expense of the Corporation) for this purpose (which investment banking firm shall be reasonably acceptable to the UST or if the UST is not the Requesting Holder, the Holders of a majority of the Registrable Securities covered by the Demand Request or Transfer Notice).

"Master Sale and Purchase Agreement" means the Amended and Restated Master Sale and Purchase Agreement, dated as of June 26, 2009 and as amended from time to time, by and among the Debtor, Saturn LLC, Saturn Distribution Corporation, Chevrolet-Saturn of Harlem, Inc. and the Operating Company.

"Material Adverse Change" means (a) any general suspension of trading in, or limitation on prices for, securities on any national securities exchange or over-the-counter market in the United States of America; (b) the declaration of a banking moratorium or any suspension of payments in respect of banks in the United States of America; (c) a material outbreak or escalation of armed hostilities or other international or national calamity (including an act of terrorism) involving the United States of America or the declaration by the United States of a national emergency or war or a change in national or international financial, political or economic conditions; or (d) any material adverse change in the business, assets or condition (financial or otherwise) of the Corporation and its subsidiaries, taken as a whole.

"Merger" shall have the meaning set forth in the Recitals.

"MSPA Letter Agreement" means that certain letter agreement, dated as of the date hereof, among the Corporation, the Debtor and the Operating Company, in respect of the Adjustment Shares (as defined in the Master Sale and Purchase Agreement).

"Operating Company" shall have the meaning set forth in the Preamble.

"Operating Company Registration Rights Agreement" shall have the meaning set forth in the Recitals.

"Person" means any individual, partnership, firm, corporation, association, trust, unincorporated organization, joint venture, limited liability company, Governmental Authority or other entity.

"Piggyback Offering" shall have the meaning set forth in Section 2.2.1.

"Preferred Stock" shall have the meaning set forth in the Recitals.

"Records" shall have the meaning set forth in Section 2.5(a)(xiii).

"register," "registered" and "registration" refer to a registration effected by preparing and filing a registration statement in compliance with the Securities Act, and the declaration or ordering of the effectiveness (or automatic effectiveness) of such registration statement.

"Registrable Securities" means (a) Warrants and the shares of Common Stock and/or Preferred Stock owned from time to time by the UST, Canada, the VEBA and the Debtor as of the date hereof and set forth on Annex I hereto, (b) the shares of Common Stock issued or issuable to any Holder upon exercise of a Warrant, (c) any additional securities of the Corporation issued to the Debtor pursuant to Section 3.2 of the Master Sale and Purchase Agreement and the MSPA Letter Agreement and (d) any equity security issued in exchange for or with respect to any shares of Common Stock referred to in clauses (a), (b) or (c) above by way of a stock dividend or stock split or in connection with a combination of shares, recapitalization, merger, consolidation or other reorganization or similar transaction, or otherwise. As to any particular Registrable Securities, such securities shall cease to be Registrable Securities on the earliest of the date on which such securities: (i) have been registered under the Securities Act and disposed of in accordance with a registration statement; (ii) have been sold pursuant to Rule 144 under the Securities Act (or any successor provision); (iii) are held by a Holder that may sell all such Registrable Securities held by it in a single day pursuant to, and in accordance with, Rule 144 under the Securities Act (or any successor provision); (iv) cease to be outstanding (whether as a result of exercise, redemption, repurchase, conversion or otherwise); or (v) are held by any Person who is not a Holder. For purposes hereof, "a majority of the Registrable Securities" and "on the basis of the number of Registrable Securities" shall be determined assuming the exercise of the Warrants in full.

"Representatives" means, with respect to any Person, any of such Person's officers, directors, employees, agents, attorneys, accountants, actuaries, consultants or financial advisors or any other Person acting on behalf of such Person.

"Requesting Holders" shall have the meaning set forth in Section 2.1.1(a).

"SEC" means the United States Securities and Exchange Commission.

"Securities Act" means the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, and the rules and regulations thereunder.

"Shelf Registration" shall have the meaning set forth in Section 2.1.2(a).

"Suspension Notice" shall have the meaning set forth in Section 2.7.

"Take-Down" shall have the meaning set forth in Section 2.1.2(b).

"Transfer Notice" shall have the meaning set forth in Section 2.1.2(b).

"UST" shall have the meaning set forth in the Preamble.

"VEBA" shall have the meaning set forth in the Preamble.

"<u>VEBA Designee</u>" shall mean the person(s) authorized by the Committee (as defined in the UAW Retiree Medical Benefits Trust Agreement, entered into and effective on October 16, 2008, by and between the Committee (as defined therein) and State Street Bank and Trust Company) to execute this Agreement and/or carry out the transactions contemplated hereby.

"Warrants" shall have the meaning set forth in the Recitals.

Section 1.2 Terms Generally. The definitions in Section 1.1 shall apply equally to both 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," unless the context expressly provides otherwise. All references herein to Articles, Sections, paragraphs, subparagraphs or clauses shall be deemed references to Articles, Sections, paragraphs, subparagraphs or clauses of this Agreement, unless the context requires otherwise. Unless otherwise specified, the words "this Agreement," "herein," "hereof," "hereto" and "hereunder" and other words of similar import refer to this Agreement as a whole and not to any particular provision of this Agreement. The word "extent" in the phrase "to the extent" shall mean the degree to which a subject or other thing extends, and such phrase shall not mean simply "if." Unless expressly stated otherwise, any law defined or referred to herein means such law as from time to time amended, modified or supplemented, including by succession of comparable successor laws and references to all attachments thereto and instruments incorporated therein.

ARTICLE 2 REGISTRATION RIGHTS

Section 2.1 Demand Registration.

Section 2.1.1 Request for Registration.

- have the right to require the Corporation to file a registration statement under the Securities Act for a public offering of all or part of its or their Registrable Securities (a "<u>Demand Registration</u>"), by delivering to the Corporation written notice stating that such right is being exercised, naming, if applicable and to the extent known by such Holder or Holders, any other Holders whose Registrable Securities are to be included in such registration (collectively, the "<u>Requesting Holders</u>"), specifying the number and type of each such Holder's Registrable Securities to be included in such registration, specifying whether the Registrable Securities to be included by the Requesting Holder are all of the Registrable Securities then held by such Requesting Holder and, subject to **Section 2.1.4** hereof, describing the intended method of distribution thereof (a "<u>Demand Request</u>"). Subject to **Section 2.1.3**, after receipt of any Demand Request, the Corporation shall comply with the applicable notice requirements set forth in **Section 2.1.5**.
- (b) Subject to Section 2.1.3 and Section 2.1.7, the Corporation shall file the registration statement in respect of a Demand Registration as promptly as practicable and, in any event, (i) with respect to the filing of a Form S-3, within forty-five (45) days and (ii) with respect to the filing of any other type of registration statement, within ninety (90) days after receiving a

Demand Request, and shall use reasonable best efforts to cause the same to be declared effective by the SEC as promptly as practicable after such filing.

Section 2.1.2 Shelf Registration; Take-Downs.

- (a) Subject to Section 2.1.3, with respect to any Demand Registration, at any time that the Corporation is eligible to use Form S-3 or an automatic shelf registration statement (as defined in Rule 405 under the Securities Act) on Form S-3 (or any successor forms) with respect to the Registrable Securities, the Requesting Holders may request that the Corporation (i) file a registration statement pursuant to Rule 415 under the Securities Act (or any successor rule) to effect such Demand Registration, or (ii) at any time that a registration statement pursuant to Rule 415 covering Registrable Securities is effective, register additional Registrable Securities of the Requesting Holders pursuant to such shelf registration statement to effect such Demand Registration (in either case, a "Shelf Registration"). For the avoidance of doubt, a Shelf Registration shall be deemed a "Demand Registration" for all purposes under this Agreement except as otherwise provided in Section 2.1.3.
- Subject to Section 2.1.3, any Holder or Holders with Registrable Securities registered pursuant to a Shelf Registration that intends to effect an underwritten offering with respect to such Registrable Securities shall deliver a notice to the Corporation at least fifteen (15) days prior to the commencement of such underwritten offering, stating (i) that such Holder or Holders intend to effect an underwritten offering of all or part of the Registrable Securities included by such Holder or Holders in the Shelf Registration, (ii) if applicable and to the extent known by such Holder, any other Holders whose Registrable Securities are to be included in the underwritten offering, (iii) the number and type of each such Holder's Registrable Securities to be included in such underwritten offering, (iv) whether the Registrable Securities to be included by such Holder are all of the Registrable Securities then held by such Holder, and (v) the proposed timetable for such underwritten offering. Any Holder with Registrable Securities registered pursuant to a Shelf Registration that intends to effect any other sale or transfer of such Registrable Securities (each a "Take-Down") shall deliver a notice to the Corporation at least five (5) days prior to effecting such non-underwritten sale or transfer, stating (i) that such Holder intends to effect a non-underwritten sale or transfer of all or part of the Registrable Securities included by such Holder in the Shelf Registration, (ii) the number and type of the Registrable Securities to be included in such sale or transfer and (iii) the proposed manner and timetable for such sale or transfer. A notice provided by any Requesting Holder pursuant to the first two sentences of this Section 2.1.2(b) is referred to herein as a "Transfer Notice." Subject to Section 2.1.3, after receipt of any Transfer Notice, the Corporation shall comply with the applicable notice requirements set forth in Section 2.1.5. For the avoidance of doubt, a Take-Down shall not be deemed to be a Demand Registration and shall not be subject to Section 2.1.3.
- (c) Subject to Section 2.1.3, the Corporation shall use its reasonable best efforts to keep any Shelf Registration requested pursuant to Section 2.1.2(a) continuously effective under the Securities Act in order to permit the prospectus forming a part thereof to be usable by the Holders until the earlier of (i) the date as of which all Registrable Securities have been sold pursuant to the Shelf Registration or another registration statement filed under the Securities Act (but in no event prior to the applicable period referred to in Section 4(3) of the Securities Act and Rule 174 thereunder) and (ii) the date as of which all of such Requesting Holders are permitted

to sell their Registrable Securities without registration pursuant to Rule 144 under the Securities Act without volume limitation or other restrictions on transfer thereunder.

(d) The Corporation shall, from time to time, supplement and amend the Shelf Registration if required by the Securities Act, including the rules, regulations or instructions applicable to the registration form used by the Corporation for such Shelf Registration.

Section 2.1.3 Limitations.

- (a) Notwithstanding anything to the contrary herein, a Holder shall not be permitted to request a Demand Registration prior to January 6, 2010, unless prior thereto the Corporation has a class of equity securities registered under Section 12(b) of the Exchange Act.
- (b) A Holder (other than the UST) shall not be permitted to request a Demand Registration prior to the time the Corporation has registered a class of equity securities under Section 12(b) of the Exchange Act.
- (c) A Holder shall not be permitted to request a Demand Registration, or submit a Transfer Notice with respect to an underwritten offering pursuant to a Shelf Registration, within one hundred eighty (180) days after either (i) the effective date of a previous Demand Registration (other than a Shelf Registration) or (ii) the completion of any underwritten offering pursuant to a Shelf Registration.
- (d) A Holder shall not be permitted to submit a Demand Request, or a Transfer Notice for an underwritten offering, or effect any such Demand Registration or underwritten offering unless such Demand Request or Transfer Notice for an underwritten offering is for either (i) a number of Registrable Securities having a Market Value equal to or exceeding \$400 million in the aggregate, (ii) at least 15 million shares of Common Stock and/or Warrants exercisable for at least 15 million shares of Common Stock in the aggregate, or (iii) all of the Registrable Securities then held by the Requesting Holder, if following the disposition of such Registrable Securities by the Requesting Holder pursuant to a Demand Request, or a Transfer Notice for an underwritten offering, such Requesting Holder would own no further Registrable Securities.
- (e) The Corporation shall not be required to effect, (i) until (but excluding) July 10, 2012, more than two (2) Demand Registrations (which shall include for this purpose any underwritten offering pursuant to a Shelf Registration but shall exclude a Shelf Registration) in the aggregate during any consecutive twelve (12) month period, and (ii) from and including July 10, 2012, more than one (1) Demand Registration (which shall include for this purpose any underwritten offering pursuant to a Shelf Registration but shall exclude a Shelf Registration) in the aggregate during any consecutive twelve (12) month period. Notwithstanding the foregoing, (i) the VEBA shall have the right, from and including July 10, 2012, to request one additional Demand Registration (which shall include for this purpose any underwritten offering pursuant to a Shelf Registration but shall exclude a Shelf Registration) during any consecutive twelve (12) month period, and (ii) for the avoidance of doubt, the limitations set forth in this Section 2.1.3 shall not apply to any non-underwritten Take-Down by any Holder under a Shelf Registration.

Section 2.1.4 Demand Registrations for Underwritten Offerings.

- (a) At the request of the UST or Canada, or if the UST or Canada is not participating in the proposed offering, the Holders of a majority of the Registrable Securities submitting a Demand Request or Transfer Notice for an underwritten offering of Registrable Securities, the Corporation shall direct the applicable underwriter to conduct such offering in the form of a "firm commitment." With respect to any such underwritten offering, (i) the UST, or if the UST is not participating in the proposed offering, the Holders of a majority of the Registrable Securities to be registered or included in such underwritten offering shall select the investment banking firm or firms to lead the underwritten offering (the "Lead Underwriters"); provided that such Lead Underwriters shall be reasonably acceptable to the Corporation, and (ii) the Corporation shall select the other investment banking firms, if any, to co-manage such underwritten offering (the "Co-Managers"), provided that such Co-Managers shall be reasonably acceptable to the UST or Canada, or if the UST or Canada is not participating in the proposed offering, the Holders of a majority of the Registrable Securities to be registered or included in such underwritten offering.
- (b) If a Demand Registration is for an underwritten offering or a transfer pursuant to a Shelf Registration involves an underwritten offering, no Holder may participate in any such underwritten offering unless such Holder (i) agrees to sell such Holder's Registrable Securities on the basis provided in any underwriting arrangements approved by the Corporation; provided that such arrangements are subject to the consent of the UST, or if the UST is not participating in the proposed offering, the Holders of a majority of the Registrable Securities to be registered or included in such underwritten offering, and (ii) completes and executes all questionnaires, powers of attorney, indemnities, underwriting agreements and other documents reasonably required under the terms of such underwriting arrangements; provided, however, that no such Holder shall be required to make any representations or warranties in connection with any such underwritten offering other than representations and warranties as to (A) such Holder's ownership of its Registrable Securities to be transferred free and clear of all liens, claims, and encumbrances, (B) such Holder's power and authority to effect such transfer, and (C) such matters pertaining to compliance with securities laws as may be reasonably requested; provided, further, however, that (i) any obligation (if agreed to) of each such Holder to indemnify the Lead Underwriters and any Co-Managers pursuant to any such underwriting arrangements shall (1) only be with respect to information it provides to the Corporation in writing for use in such underwritten offering, (2) be several, not joint and several, and (3) be limited to the net amount received by such Holder from the sale of its Registrable Securities pursuant to such offering and (ii) neither the Government Holders nor the VEBA shall be required to indemnify any Indemnitee pursuant to this Agreement.

Section 2.1.5 Rights of Nonrequesting Holders and the Corporation. Subject to Section 2.1.3, after receipt of any Demand Request or any Transfer Notice relating to an underwritten offering pursuant to a Shelf Registration, the Corporation shall promptly (but in any event within five (5) days) give written notice of (i) such proposed Demand Registration to all other Holders or (ii) such Transfer Notice to such other Holders whose securities are covered by such Shelf Registration, who shall have the right, exercisable by written notice to the Corporation within five (5) days of their receipt of the Corporation's notice, to elect to include in such Demand Registration or underwritten offering such portion of their Registrable Securities as

they may request. All Holders requesting to have their Registrable Securities included in a Demand Registration or underwritten offering shall be deemed to be "Requesting Holders" for purposes of this **Section 2.1**. For the avoidance of doubt, subject to **Section 2.1.6**, the Corporation may register in any Demand Registration any equity securities of the Corporation.

Section 2.1.6 Priority on Demand Registrations. With respect to any underwritten offering based on a Demand Registration (including an underwritten offering pursuant to a Shelf Registration), if the Lead Underwriters (after consultation with the Co-Managers) advise that the inclusion of the securities proposed to be included in such registration would adversely affect the price, timing or distribution of the offering or otherwise adversely affect its success (an "Adverse Effect"), the Corporation shall include in such underwritten offering (a) first, the Registrable Securities, pro rata among the Requesting Holders on the basis of the number of Registrable Securities owned by each such Requesting Holder, and (b) second, any other securities requested to be included in such underwritten offering (including securities to be sold for the account of the Corporation); provided, however, that if more than 25% of the Registrable Securities of any Holder subject to a Demand Request or Transfer Notice for an underwritten offering are excluded pursuant to the terms of this Section 2.1.6 from the applicable Demand Registration or underwritten offering pursuant to a Shelf Registration, the offering shall not be deemed to constitute a Demand Registration for the purposes of Section 2.1.3.

Section 2.1.7 Deferral of Filing; Suspension of Use. The Corporation may defer the filing (but not the preparation) or the effectiveness, or suspend the use, of any registration statement required by or filed pursuant to Section 2.1, at any time if (a) the Corporation determines, in its sole discretion, that such action or use (or proposed action or use) would require the Corporation to make an Adverse Disclosure, or (b) prior to receiving the Demand Request or Transfer Notice, as applicable, the board of directors of the Corporation had determined to effect a registered underwritten public offering of Company equity securities or Company securities convertible into or exchangeable for Company equity securities for the Corporation's account and the Corporation had taken substantial steps (such as selecting a managing underwriter for such offering) and is proceeding with reasonable diligence to effect such offering; provided, however, that the Corporation shall not exercise its rights to deferral or suspension pursuant to this Section 2.1.7, and shall not so effect any such deferral or suspension, for more than a total of one hundred eighty (180) days (which need not be consecutive) in any consecutive twelve (12) month period. In making any such determination to defer the filing or effectiveness, or suspend the use, of a registration statement required by Section 2.1, the Corporation shall not be required to consult with or obtain the consent of any Holder or any investment manager therefor, and any such determination shall be in the sole discretion of the Corporation, and neither the Holders nor any investment manager for any Holder shall be responsible or have any liability therefor. The Corporation shall promptly notify the Holders of any deferral or suspension pursuant to this Section 2.1.7 and the Corporation agrees that it will terminate any such deferral or suspension as promptly as reasonably practicable and will promptly notify each Holder in writing of the termination of any such deferral or suspension.

Section 2.1.8 Withdrawal from Demand Registration. Any Holder may withdraw its Registrable Securities from a Demand Registration or underwritten offering at any time (prior to a sale thereunder) by providing the Corporation with written notice. Upon receipt of such written notice, the Corporation shall continue all efforts to secure registration or effect

the underwritten offering of the remaining Registrable Securities not requested to be withdrawn, unless the remaining Registrable Securities would not meet the requirements of Section 2.1.3(b) or Section 2.1.3(d), in which case, the Corporation may in its sole discretion cease all efforts to proceed with registration or the underwritten offering. If the Corporation ceases all efforts to secure registration or effect the underwritten offering pursuant to this Section 2.1.8, then such registration or underwritten offering shall nonetheless be deemed an effective or completed Demand Registration or completed underwritten offering pursuant to a Shelf Registration for all purposes hereunder unless (i) the withdrawal is made following the occurrence of a Material Adverse Change not known to the Requesting Holders at the time of the Demand Request or Transfer Notice or (ii) the Requesting Holders pay or reimburse the Corporation for all out-ofpocket fees and expenses reasonably incurred in connection with such Demand Registration or underwritten offering; provided that if, after a Demand Registration has become effective or an underwritten offering of Registrable Securities has been commenced, it is interfered with by any stop order, injunction or other order or requirement of the SEC or other governmental agency or court, it shall be deemed not to have been effected and shall not count as a Demand Registration or underwritten offering for the purposes of Section 2.1.3.

Section 2.2 Piggyback Offerings.

Section 2.2.1 Right to Piggyback. Each time the Corporation proposes to offer any of its equity securities in a registered underwritten offering (other than pursuant to an Excluded Registration) under the Securities Act (whether for the account of the Corporation or the account of any equity holder of the Corporation other than a Holder) (a "Piggyback Offering"), the Corporation shall give prompt written notice to each Holder of Registrable Securities (which notice shall be given not less than twenty (20) days prior to (i) the offering in the case of an underwritten offering pursuant to Rule 415 under the Securities Act (or any successor rule) (a "Corporation Shelf Registration") or (ii) the anticipated filing date of the Corporation's registration statement in a registration other than a Corporation Shelf Registration), which notice shall offer each such Holder the opportunity to include any or all of its Registrable Securities in such underwritten offering, subject to the limitations contained in Section 2.2.2 hereof. Each Holder who desires to have its Registrable Securities included in such underwritten offering shall so advise the Corporation in writing (stating the number and type of Registrable Securities desired to be registered or included) within fifteen (15) days after the date of such notice from the Corporation. Any Holder shall have the right to withdraw such Holder's request for inclusion of such Holder's Registrable Securities in any underwritten offering pursuant to this Section 2.2.1 by giving written notice to the Corporation of such withdrawal. Subject to Section 2.2.2 below, the Corporation shall include in such underwritten offering all such Registrable Securities so requested to be included therein. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the Corporation may at any time withdraw or cease proceeding with any such offering if it shall at the same time withdraw or cease proceeding with the offering of all other equity securities originally proposed to be included in such offering.

Section 2.2.2 Priority on Piggyback Offerings.

(a) If a Piggyback Offering was initiated by the Corporation, and if the managing underwriter advises that the inclusion of the securities proposed to be included in such Piggyback Offering would cause an Adverse Effect, the Corporation shall include in such Piggyback

- Offering (i) first, the securities the Corporation proposes to sell, (ii) second, the Registrable Securities requested to be included in such Piggyback Offering, pro rata among the Holders of such Registrable Securities on the basis of the number of Registrable Securities owned by each such Holder, and (iii) third, any other securities requested to be included in such Piggyback Offering. If as a result of the provisions of this **Section 2.2.2(a)**, any Holder shall not be entitled to include all Registrable Securities in such Piggyback Offering that such Holder has requested to be so included, such Holder may withdraw its request to include its Registrable Securities in such Piggyback Offering.
- (b) If a Piggyback Offering was initiated by a security holder of the Corporation (other than a Holder), and if the managing underwriter advises that the inclusion of the securities proposed to be included in such Piggyback Offering would cause an Adverse Effect, the Corporation shall include in such Piggyback Offering (i) first, the securities requested to be included therein by the security holders requesting such Piggyback Offering and the Registrable Securities requested to be included in such Piggyback Offering, pro rata among the holders of such securities on the basis of the number of securities owned by each such holder, and (ii) second, any other securities requested to be included in such Piggyback Offering (including securities to be sold for the account of the Corporation). If as a result of the provisions of this Section 2.2.2(b) any Holder shall not be entitled to include all Registrable Securities in such Piggyback Offering that such Holder has requested to be so included, such Holder may withdraw such Holder's request to include Registrable Securities in such Piggyback Offering.
- No Holder may participate in a Piggyback Offering unless such Holder (c) (i) agrees to sell such Holder's Registrable Securities on the basis provided in any underwriting arrangements approved by the Corporation and (ii) completes and executes all questionnaires, powers of attorney, indemnities, underwriting agreements and other documents, each in customary form and reasonably satisfactory to the Holders, reasonably required under the terms of such underwriting arrangements; provided, however, that no such Holder shall be required to make any representations or warranties in connection with any such registration other than representations and warranties as to (A) such Holder's ownership of its Registrable Securities to be sold or transferred free and clear of all liens, claims, and encumbrances, (B) such Holder's power and authority to effect such transfer, and (C) such matters pertaining to compliance with securities laws as may be reasonably requested; provided, further, however, that (i) any obligation, if agreed to, of each such Holder to indemnify the underwriters pursuant to any such underwriting arrangements shall (1) only be with respect to information it provides to the Corporation in writing for use in such underwritten offering, (2) be several, not joint and several, and (3) be limited to the net amount received by such Holder from the sale of its Registrable Securities pursuant to such registration and (ii) neither the Government Holders nor the VEBA shall be required to indemnify any Indemnitee pursuant to this Agreement.
- Section 2.2.3 Selection of Underwriters. The Corporation shall select the investment banking firm or firms to manage the Piggyback Offering.
- Section 2.2.4 No registration of Registrable Securities effected pursuant to this Section 2.2 shall be deemed to have been effected pursuant to Section 2.1.1 or Section 2.1.2 or shall relieve the Corporation of its obligations under Section 2.1.1 or Section 2.1.2.

Section 2.3 SEC Form S-3. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary herein, the Corporation shall use its reasonable best efforts to cause Demand Registrations to be registered on Form S-3 or an automatic shelf registration statement (as defined in Rule 405 under the Securities Act) on Form S-3 (or any successor forms) once the Corporation becomes eligible to use such form, and if the Corporation is not then eligible under the Securities Act to use such form, Demand Registrations shall be registered on the form for which the Corporation then qualifies. After becoming eligible to use Form S-3 or an automatic shelf registration statement (as defined in Rule 405 under the Securities Act) on Form S-3, the Corporation shall use its reasonable best efforts to remain so eligible.

Section 2.4 Holdback Agreements.

- The Corporation shall not effect any public sale or distribution of its equity securities or any securities convertible into or exchangeable or exercisable for its equity securities, except in each case as part of the offering pursuant to a Demand Registration, during the sixty (60) day period (or such lesser period as the Lead Underwriters or managing underwriters may permit) beginning on the effective date of any registration statement in connection with an underwritten Demand Registration (other than a Shelf Registration), except for (i) sales or distributions pursuant to registrations on Form S-4 or Form S-8 or any successor form, (ii) the issuance of shares of Common Stock upon the conversion, exercise or exchange, by the holder thereof, of options, warrants or other securities convertible into or exercisable or exchangeable for Common Stock pursuant to the terms of such options, warrants or other securities, (iii) sales or distributions pursuant to the terms of any other agreement to issue shares of Common Stock (or any securities convertible into or exchangeable or exercisable for Common Stock) in effect on the date of the Demand Request, including any such agreement in connection with any previously disclosed acquisition, merger, consolidation or other business combination and (iv) the issuance of shares of Common Stock in connection with transfers to dividend reinvestment plans or to employee benefit plans in order to enable any such employee benefit plan to fulfill its funding obligations in the ordinary course.
- If any Holders of Registrable Securities provide a Transfer Notice relating to an underwritten offering of Registrable Securities registered pursuant to a Shelf Registration, the Corporation shall not effect any public sale or distribution of its equity securities or any securities convertible into or exchangeable or exercisable for its equity securities, except in each case as part of such underwritten offering, during the sixty (60) day period (or such lesser period as the Lead Underwriters or managing underwriters may permit) beginning on the pricing date for such underwritten offering, except for (i) sales or distributions pursuant to registrations on Form S-4 or Form S-8 or any successor form, (ii) the issuance of shares of Common Stock upon the conversion, exercise or exchange, by the holder thereof, of options, warrants or other securities convertible into or exercisable or exchangeable for Common Stock pursuant to the terms of such options, warrants or other securities, (iii) sales or distributions pursuant to the terms of any other agreement to issue shares of Common Stock (or any securities convertible into or exchangeable or exercisable for Common Stock) in effect on the date of the Transfer Notice, including any such agreement in connection with any previously disclosed acquisition, merger, consolidation or other business combination and (iv) the issuance of shares of Common Stock in connection with transfers to dividend reinvestment plans or to employee benefit plans in order to enable any such employee benefit plan to fulfill its funding obligations in the ordinary course.

securities by the Corporation (whether for the account of the Corporation or otherwise), not to offer, sell, contract to sell or otherwise dispose of any Preferred Stock, Warrants, Common Stock or any securities convertible into or exchangeable or exercisable for Common Stock, including any sale pursuant to Rule 144 under the Securities Act (except as part of such underwritten offering), during the sixty (60) day period (or such lesser period in each case as the Lead Underwriters or managing underwriters may permit) beginning on the effective date of the registration statement for such underwritten offering (or, in the case of an offering pursuant to an effective shelf registration statement pursuant to Rule 415, the pricing date for such underwritten offering); provided, however, that (i) any applicable period shall terminate on such earlier date as the Corporation gives notice to the Holders that the Corporation declines to proceed with any such offering and (ii) the sum of all holdback periods applicable to the Holders shall not exceed one hundred twenty (120) days (which need not be consecutive) in any given twelve (12) month period.

Section 2.5 Registration Procedures.

- (a) If and whenever the Corporation is required to effect the registration of any Registrable Securities pursuant to this Agreement, subject to the terms and conditions of this Agreement, the Corporation shall use its reasonable best efforts to effect the registration and the sale, as applicable, of such Registrable Securities in accordance with the intended method of disposition thereof, and pursuant thereto the Corporation shall as expeditiously as possible:
- (i) prepare and file with the SEC, pursuant to **Section 2.1** with respect to any Demand Registration, a registration statement on any appropriate form under the Securities Act with respect to such Registrable Securities and use its reasonable best efforts to cause such registration statement to become effective as promptly as practicable; <u>provided</u> that as far in advance as practicable before filing such registration statement or any amendment thereto, the Corporation shall furnish to the selling Holders copies of reasonably complete drafts of all such documents prepared to be filed (including exhibits), and any such selling Holder shall have the opportunity to object to any information contained therein and the Corporation shall make corrections reasonably requested by such selling Holder with respect to such information prior to filing any such registration statement or amendment; <u>provided</u>, <u>further</u>, that the Corporation shall not file any such registration statement, and any amendment thereto, to which a Holder shall reasonably object in writing on a timely basis, unless in the Corporation's judgment such filing is necessary to comply with applicable law;
- (ii) except in the case of a Shelf Registration, prepare and file with the SEC such amendments, post-effective amendments, and supplements to such registration statement and the prospectus used in connection therewith as may be necessary to keep such registration statement effective for a period of not less than one hundred eighty (180) days (or such lesser period as is necessary for the underwriters in an underwritten offering to sell unsold allotments) and comply with the provisions of the Securities Act with respect to the disposition of all securities covered by such registration statement during such period in accordance with the intended methods of disposition by the selling Holders thereof set forth in such registration statement;

- (iii) in the case of a Shelf Registration, comply with the provisions of Section 2.1.2(c) and Section 2.1.2(d);
- (iv) furnish to each selling Holder of Registrable Securities and the underwriters of the securities being registered, without charge, such number of copies of such registration statement, each amendment and supplement thereto, the prospectus included in such registration statement (including each preliminary prospectus), any documents incorporated by reference therein and such other documents as such selling Holders or underwriters may reasonably request in order to facilitate the disposition of the Registrable Securities owned by such selling Holders or the sale of such securities by such underwriters (it being understood that, subject to Section 2.1.7, Section 2.4(c), Section 2.6 and Section 2.7 and the requirements of the Securities Act and applicable state securities laws, the Corporation consents to the use of the prospectus and any amendment or supplement thereto by each selling Holder and the underwriters in connection with the offering and sale of the Registrable Securities covered by the registration statement of which such prospectus, amendment or supplement is a part);
- (v) use its reasonable best efforts to register or qualify such Registrable Securities under such other securities or "blue sky" laws of such jurisdictions as the Lead Underwriters or managing underwriters reasonably request (or, in the event the registration statement does not relate to an underwritten offering, as the selling Holders of a majority of such Registrable Securities being offered may reasonably request); use its reasonable best efforts to keep each such registration or qualification (or exemption therefrom) effective during the period in which such registration statement is required to be kept effective; and do any and all other acts and things which may be reasonably necessary or advisable to enable each selling Holder to consummate the disposition of the Registrable Securities owned by such selling Holder in such jurisdictions; provided, however, that the Corporation shall 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 subparagraph, (B) consent to general service of process in any such jurisdiction or (C) take any action that would subject it to taxation in respect of doing business in any jurisdiction in which it is not otherwise so subject;
- (vi) promptly notify each selling Holder and each underwriter and (if requested by any such Person) confirm such notice in writing (A) when a prospectus or any prospectus supplement or post-effective amendment has been filed and, with respect to a registration statement or any post-effective amendment, when the same has become effective, (B) of the issuance by any state securities or other regulatory authority of any order suspending the qualification or exemption from qualification of any of the Registrable Securities under state securities or "blue sky" laws or the initiation, or threatened initiation, of any proceedings for that purpose, or (C) of the happening of any event which makes any statement made in a registration statement or related prospectus untrue or which requires the making of any changes in such registration statement, prospectus or documents so that they shall not contain any 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 not misleading, and, as promptly as practicable thereafter, prepare and file with the SEC and furnish a supplement or amendment to such prospectus so that, as thereafter deliverable to the purchasers of such Registrable Securities, such prospectus shall not contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit a material fact

necessary to make the statements therein, in light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading;

- (vii) permit any selling Holder that might reasonably be deemed to be an underwriter or a Controlling Person of the Corporation to participate in the preparation of such registration or comparable statement and to require the insertion therein of material, furnished to the Corporation in writing, which in the reasonable judgment of such Holder and its counsel should be included:
- (viii) make available members of the management of the Corporation or the applicable Corporation subsidiaries for reasonable assistance in the selling efforts relating to any offering of Registrable Securities covered by a registration statement filed pursuant to this Agreement, to the extent customary for such offering (including, without limitation, to the extent customary, senior management attendance at due diligence meetings with prospective investors or underwriters and their counsel and road shows); provided, however, that management need only be made available for one such offering for each of the UST, Canada and the VEBA in any twelve (12) month period;
- (ix) otherwise use its reasonable best efforts to comply with all applicable rules and regulations of the SEC, including the Securities Act and the Exchange Act and the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder, and make generally available to the Corporation's security holders an earnings statement satisfying the provisions of Section 11(a) of the Securities Act no later than thirty (30) days after the end of the twelve (12) month period beginning with the first day of the Corporation's first fiscal quarter commencing after the effective date of a registration statement, which earnings statement shall cover said twelve (12) month period, and which requirement shall be deemed to be satisfied if the Corporation timely files complete and accurate information on Forms 10-K, 10-Q and 8-K under the Exchange Act and otherwise complies with Rule 158 under the Securities Act;
- (x) if requested by the Lead Underwriters, managing underwriters or any selling Holder, promptly incorporate in a prospectus supplement or post-effective amendment such information as the Lead Underwriters, managing underwriters or any selling Holder reasonably requests to be included therein, including, with respect to the Registrable Securities being sold by the selling Holders, the purchase price being paid therefor by the underwriters and with respect to any other terms of the underwritten offering of the Registrable Securities to be sold in such offering, and promptly make all required filings of such prospectus supplement or post-effective amendment;
- (xi) as promptly as practicable after filing with the SEC of any document which is incorporated by reference into a registration statement (in the form in which it was incorporated), deliver a copy of each such document to each selling Holder;
- (xii) cooperate with the selling Holders and Lead Underwriters or the managing underwriters to facilitate the timely preparation and delivery of certificates (which shall not bear any restrictive legends unless required under applicable law) representing securities sold under any registration statement, and enable such securities to be in such denominations and registered in such names as the Lead Underwriters, managing underwriters or such selling Holders may

request at least two (2) business days prior to any sale of the Registrable Securities and keep available and make available to the Corporation's transfer agent prior to the effectiveness of such registration statement a supply of such certificates;

- (xiii) promptly make available for inspection by any selling Holder, any underwriter participating in any disposition pursuant to any registration statement, and any attorney, accountant or other agent or Representative retained by any such selling Holder or underwriter (collectively, the "Inspectors"), all financial and other records and pertinent corporate documents (collectively, the "Records") and properties of the Corporation, as shall be reasonably necessary to enable them to exercise their due diligence responsibility, and cause the Corporation's officers, directors and employees to supply all information reasonably requested by any such Inspector in connection with such registration statement; provided, however, that, unless the disclosure of such Records is necessary to avoid or correct a misstatement or omission in the registration statement or the release of such Records is ordered pursuant to a subpoena or other order from a court of competent jurisdiction, the Corporation shall not be required to provide any information under this subparagraph (xiii) if (A) the Corporation believes, after consultation with counsel for the Corporation, that to do so would cause the Corporation to forfeit an attorney-client privilege that was applicable to such information or (B) if either (1) the Corporation has requested and been granted from the SEC confidential treatment of such information contained in any filing with the SEC or documents provided supplementally or otherwise or (2) the Corporation reasonably determines in good faith that such Records are confidential and so notifies the Inspectors in writing, unless prior to furnishing any such information with respect to clause (B) such selling Holder of Registrable Securities requesting such information agrees to enter into a confidentiality agreement in a form acceptable to the Corporation; and provided, further, that each selling Holder of Registrable Securities agrees that it shall, upon learning that disclosure of such Records is sought in a court of competent jurisdiction, give notice to the Corporation and allow the Corporation, at its expense, to undertake appropriate action and to prevent disclosure of the Records deemed confidential;
- (xiv) furnish to each selling Holder and underwriter a signed counterpart of (A) an opinion or opinions of counsel to the Corporation (which may be in-house counsel) provided that such counsel is reasonably acceptable to such Holders and the underwriter, and (B) a comfort letter or comfort letters from the Corporation's independent public accountants, each in customary form and covering such matters of the type customarily covered by opinions or comfort letters, as the case may be, as the selling Holders, Lead Underwriters or managing underwriters reasonably requests;
- (xv) cause the Registrable Securities included in any registration to be (A) in the case of an IPO, listed on a securities exchange or exchanges or an inter-dealer quotation system, as determined by the Corporation, or (B) in the case of a registration other than an IPO, (1) listed on each securities exchange, if any, on which similar securities issued by the Corporation are then listed or (2) quoted on an inter-dealer quotation system if similar securities issued by the Corporation are quoted thereon, as applicable;
- (xvi) provide a transfer agent and registrar for all Registrable Securities registered hereunder and provide a CUSIP number for all such Registrable Securities, in each case not later than the effective date of such registration;

- (xvii) cooperate with each selling Holder and each underwriter participating in the disposition of such Registrable Securities and their respective counsel in connection with any filings required to be made with the Financial Industry Regulatory Authority ("FINRA");
- (xviii) during the period when the prospectus is required to be delivered under the Securities Act, promptly file all documents required to be filed with the SEC pursuant to Sections 13(a), 13(c), 14 or 15(d) of the Exchange Act;
- (xix) notify each selling Holder of Registrable Securities promptly of any request by the SEC for the amending or supplementing of such registration statement or prospectus or for additional information;
- (xx) subject to **Section 2.1.4(b)** and **Section 2.2.2(c)**, enter into such agreements (including underwriting agreements) as are customary in connection with an underwritten registration; and
- (xxi) advise each selling Holder of such Registrable Securities, promptly after it receives notice or obtains knowledge thereof, of the issuance of any stop order by the SEC suspending the effectiveness of such registration statement or the initiation or threatening of any proceeding for such purpose and promptly use its reasonable best efforts to prevent the issuance of any stop order or to obtain its withdrawal at the earliest possible moment if such stop order should be issued.
- (b) The selling Holders shall reasonably cooperate with the Corporation in the preparation and filing of any registration statement under the Securities Act pursuant to this Agreement and provide the Corporation with all information reasonably necessary to complete such preparation as the Corporation may, from time to time, reasonably request in writing, and the Corporation may exclude from such registration the Registrable Securities of any selling Holder (or not proceed with such registration) if such selling Holder unreasonably fails to furnish such information within a reasonable time after receiving such request. Promptly following any sale or other transfer of any Registrable Securities, each Holder shall notify the Corporation in writing thereof, which notice shall specify the amount and type of securities involved, the date of the sale or transfer and whether the sale or transfer was effected under a registration statement or otherwise.
- (c) Each of the parties shall treat all notices of proposed transfers and registrations, and all information relating to any blackout periods under **Section 2.1.7** received from another party with the strictest confidence (and in accordance with the terms of any applicable confidentiality agreement among the Corporation and the Holder) and shall not disseminate such information.
- Section 2.6 Issuer Free Writing Prospectuses. The Corporation represents and agrees that, unless it obtains the prior consent of the Holders of a majority of the Registrable Securities participating in a registration or offering or the approval of the counsel for such Holders, and each of the Holders represents and agrees that, unless it obtains the prior consent of the Corporation, it shall not make any offer relating to the Registrable Securities that would constitute an "issuer free writing prospectus," as defined in Rule 433 under the Securities Act (an

"Issuer Free Writing Prospectus"), or that would otherwise constitute a "free writing prospectus," as defined in Rule 405 under the Securities Act, required to be filed with the SEC. The Corporation represents that any Issuer Free Writing Prospectus shall not include any information that conflicts with the information contained in a registration statement or prospectus and that any Issuer Free Writing Prospectus, when taken together with the information in the registration statement and the prospectus, shall not include any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state any material fact necessary in order to make the statements therein, in light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading.

Suspension of Dispositions. Each Holder agrees that upon receipt of any Section 2.7 notice (a "Suspension Notice") from the Corporation of the happening of any event of the kind described in Section 2.5(a)(vi)(B) or (C) or Section 2.5(a)(xxi) such Holder shall forthwith discontinue disposition of Registrable Securities until such Holder's receipt of the copies of the supplemented or amended prospectus, or until it is advised in writing (the "Advice") by the Corporation that the use of the prospectus may be resumed, and has received copies of any additional or supplemental filings which are incorporated by reference in the prospectus, and, if so directed by the Corporation, such Holder shall deliver to the Corporation all copies, other than permanent file copies then in such Holder's possession, of the prospectus covering such Registrable Securities current at the time of receipt of such notice. In the event the Corporation shall give any such notice, the time period regarding the effectiveness of registration statements set forth in Section 2.5(a)(ii) hereof, if applicable, shall be extended by the number of days during the period from and including the date of the giving of the Suspension Notice to and including the date when each seller of Registrable Securities covered by such registration statement shall have received the copies of the supplemented or amended prospectus or the The Corporation shall use its reasonable best efforts and take such actions as are reasonably necessary to render the Advice as promptly as practicable.

Section 2.8 Registration Expenses. The Corporation shall pay all reasonable fees and expenses incident to the performance of or compliance with its obligations under this Article 2, including (a) all registration and filing fees, including fees and expenses (i) with respect to filings required to be made with all applicable securities exchanges and/or FINRA and (ii) of compliance with securities or "blue sky" laws including any fees and disbursements of counsel for the underwriter(s) in connection with "blue sky" qualifications of the Registrable Securities pursuant to Section 2.5(a)(v), (b) printing expenses, including expenses of printing certificates for Registrable Securities in a form eligible for deposit with The Depository Trust Company and of printing prospectuses if the printing of prospectuses is requested by the Lead Underwriters or managing underwriter(s), if any, or by the Holder, (c) messenger, telephone and delivery expenses of the Corporation, (d) fees and disbursements of counsel for the Corporation, (e) expenses of the Corporation incurred in connection with any "road show" or other marketing efforts, (f) fees and disbursements of all independent certified public accountants (including, without limitation, the expenses of any special audit and "cold comfort" letters required by or incident to this Agreement) and any other Persons, including special experts, retained by the Corporation, and (g) fees up to \$250,000 plus reasonable disbursements of one legal counsel for the Requesting Holders in connection with each registration or offering of their Registrable Securities or sale (including, for the avoidance of doubt, a Take-Down) of their Registrable Securities under a Shelf Registration but only if such registration, offering or sale either is effected or, pursuant to Section 2.7, is postponed. For the avoidance of doubt, the Corporation shall not be required to pay any, and each Holder shall pay its own, underwriting discounts and commissions and transfer taxes, if any, relating to the sale or disposition of Registrable Securities pursuant to any registration statement, or any other expenses of any Holder. In addition, the Corporation shall bear all of its internal expenses (including all salaries and expenses of its officers and employees performing legal or accounting duties), the expense of any annual audit, the fees and expenses incurred in connection with the listing of the securities to be registered on any securities exchange or inter-dealer quotation system on which similar securities issued by the Corporation are then listed and the fees and expenses of any Person, including special experts, retained by the Corporation.

Section 2.9 Indemnification.

Section 2.9.1 Indemnification by the Corporation. The Corporation agrees to indemnify and hold harmless, to the fullest extent permitted by law, each Holder, the trustees of any Holder, the investment manager or managers acting on behalf of any Holder with respect to the Registrable Securities, Persons, if any, who Control any of them, and each of their respective Representatives (each, an "Indemnitee"), from and against any and all losses, penalties, judgments, suits, costs, claims, damages, liabilities and expenses, joint or several (including reasonable costs of investigation and legal expenses) ("Losses") arising out of or caused by any untrue statement or alleged untrue statement of a material fact contained in any registration statement described herein or any related prospectus or Issuer Free Writing Prospectus relating to the Registrable Securities (as amended or supplemented if the Corporation shall have furnished any amendments or supplements thereto), or arising out of 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 in the case of the prospectus, in light of the circumstances in which they were made, not misleading, except insofar as such Losses arise out of or are caused by any such untrue statement or omission included or omitted in conformity with information furnished to the Corporation in writing by such Indemnitee or any Person acting on behalf of such Indemnitee expressly for use therein; provided, however, that the foregoing indemnity agreement with respect to any preliminary prospectuses or Issuer Free Writing Prospectuses shall not inure to the benefit of such Indemnitee if the Person asserting any Losses against such Indemnitee purchased Registrable Securities and (a) prior to the time of sale of the Registrable Securities to such Person (the "Initial Sale Time") the Corporation shall have notified the respective Holder that the preliminary prospectus or Issuer Free Writing Prospectus (as it existed prior to the Initial Sale Time) contains an untrue statement of material fact or omits to state therein a material fact required to be stated therein in order to make the statements therein not misleading, (b) such untrue statement or omission of a material fact was corrected in a preliminary prospectus or, where permitted by law, Issuer Free Writing Prospectus and such corrected preliminary prospectus or Issuer Free Writing Prospectus was provided to such Holder a reasonable amount of time in advance of the Initial Sale Time such that the corrected preliminary prospectus or Issuer Free Writing Prospectus could have been provided to such Person prior to the Initial Sale Time, (c) such corrected preliminary prospectus or Issuer Free Writing Prospectus (excluding any document then incorporated or deemed incorporated therein by reference) was not conveyed to such Person at or prior to the Initial Sale Time and (d) such Losses would not have occurred had the corrected preliminary prospectus or Issuer Free Writing Prospectus (excluding any document then incorporated or deemed incorporated therein by reference) been conveyed to such Person as provided for in clause (c) above. This indemnity shall be in addition to any liability the Corporation may otherwise have under this Agreement or otherwise. Such indemnity shall remain in full force and effect regardless of any investigation made by or on behalf of any Holder or any indemnified party and shall survive the transfer of Registrable Securities by any Holder.

Section 2.9.2 Indemnification by the Holders. Each Holder (other than the Government Holders, the VEBA and the Debtor) agrees, to the fullest extent permitted under applicable law severally and not jointly, to indemnify and hold harmless each of the Corporation, its directors, officers, employees and agents, and each Person, if any, who Controls the Corporation, to the same extent as the foregoing indemnity from the Corporation, but only with respect to Losses arising out of or caused by an untrue statement or omission included or omitted in conformity with information furnished in writing by or on behalf of the respective Holder expressly for use in any registration statement described herein or any related prospectus relating to the Registrable Securities (as amended or supplemented if the Corporation shall have furnished any amendments or supplements thereto). No claim against the assets of any Holder shall be created by this Section 2.9.2, except as and to the extent permitted by applicable law. Notwithstanding the foregoing, no Holder shall be liable to the Corporation or any such Person for any amount in excess of the net amount received by the Holder from the sale of Registrable Securities in the offering giving rise to such liability.

Section 2.9.3 Indemnification Procedures.

In case any claim is asserted or any proceeding (including any (a) governmental investigation) shall be instituted where indemnity may be sought by an Indemnitee pursuant to any of the preceding paragraphs of this Section 2.9, such Indemnitee shall promptly notify in writing the Person against whom such indemnity may be sought (the "Indemnitor"); provided, however, that the omission so to notify the Indemnitor shall not relieve the Indemnitor of any liability which it may have to such Indemnitee except to the extent that the Indemnitor was prejudiced by such failure to notify. The Indemnitor, upon request of the Indemnitee, shall retain counsel reasonably satisfactory to the Indemnitee to represent (subject to the following sentences of this Section 2.9.3(a)) the Indemnitee and any others the Indemnitor may designate in such proceeding and shall pay the fees and disbursements of such counsel related to such proceeding. In any such proceeding, any Indemnitee shall have the right to retain its own counsel, but the fees and expenses of such counsel shall be at the expense of such Indemnitee unless (a) the Indemnitor and the Indemnitee shall have mutually agreed to the retention of such counsel, (b) the Indemnitor fails to take reasonable steps necessary to defend diligently any claim within ten calendar days after receiving written notice from the Indemnitee that the Indemnitee believes the Indemnitor has failed to take such steps, or (c) the named parties to any such proceeding (including any impleaded parties) include both the Indemnitor and the Indemnitee and representation of both parties by the same counsel would be inappropriate due to actual or potential differing interests or legal defenses between them and, in all such cases, the Indemnitor shall only be responsible for the reasonable fees and expenses of such counsel. It is understood that the Indemnitor 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 law firm (in addition to any local counsel) for all such Indemnitees not having actual or potential differing interests or legal defenses among them, and that all such fees and expenses shall be reimbursed as they are incurred. The Indemnitor shall not be liable for any settlement of any proceeding affected without its written consent.

If the indemnification provided for in this Section 2.9 is unavailable to an Indemnitee in respect of any Losses referred to herein, then the Indemnitor, in lieu of indemnifying such Indemnitee hereunder, shall contribute to the amount paid or payable by such Indemnitee as a result of such Losses in such proportion as is appropriate to reflect the relative fault of the Indemnitor and the Indemnitee and Persons acting on behalf of or Controlling the Indemnitor or the Indemnitee in connection with the statements or omissions or violations which resulted in such Losses, as well as any other relevant equitable considerations. indemnification described in Section 2.9.1 or Section 2.9.2 is unavailable to an Indemnitee, the relative fault of the Corporation, any Holder and Persons acting on behalf of or Controlling the Corporation or any such Holder 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 the Corporation, a Holder or by Persons acting on behalf of the Corporation or any Holder and the parties' relative intent, knowledge, access to information and opportunity to correct or prevent such statement or omission. The Indemnitor shall not be required to contribute pursuant to this Section 2.9.3(b) if there has been a settlement of any proceeding affected without its written consent. No claim against the assets of any Holder shall be created by this Section 2.9.3(b), except as and to the extent permitted by applicable law. Notwithstanding the foregoing, no Holder shall be required to make a contribution in excess of the net amount received by such Holder from the sale of Registrable Securities in the offering giving rise to such liability. For the avoidance of doubt, none of the Government Holders, the VEBA or the Debtor shall be required to make any contribution to any Indemnitee under this Section 2.9.3(b).

Section 2.9.4 Survival. The indemnification contained in this **Section 2.9** shall remain operative and in full force and effect regardless of any termination of this Agreement.

Section 2.10 Transfer of Registration Rights. The rights and obligations of a Holder under this Agreement may be assigned to any transferee or assignee that directly acquires Registrable Securities from such Holder (including, without limitation, in connection with any such assignment by either Government Holder or the VEBA to an affiliate Controlled by such Government Holder or the VEBA, as applicable (provided that Canada may also effect such assignment to an affiliate Controlled by Canada Development Investment Corporation, a Crown corporation and the sole shareholder of Canada, or to an affiliate Controlled by the federal government of Canada, and any of its respective departments, or any corporation or other entity wholly owned by one or more of them), and in connection with any such assignment by the Debtor to any successor in interest, including any liquidating trust established under a plan of reorganization or liquidation that has been confirmed by any bankruptcy court of competent jurisdiction), but only if (a) the respective Holder agrees in writing with the transferee or assignee to assign such rights, and a copy of such agreement is furnished to the Corporation concurrent with such transfer or assignment and (b) concurrent with such transfer or assignment, such transferee or assignee furnishes the Corporation with written notice of the name and address of such transferee or assignee and the securities with respect to which such registration rights are being transferred or assigned, and the transferee or assignee agrees in writing with the Corporation to be bound by all the provisions and obligations contained herein as a Holder hereunder. Notwithstanding the foregoing, (x) any transferee or assignee who becomes bound by the provisions of this Agreement pursuant to the first sentence of this Section 2.10 shall have all rights and obligations as a "Holder" hereunder but, unless such transferee or assignee is either (1) an Affiliate of the UST, Canada, the VEBA or the Debtor or (2) a successor in interest of the Debtor, including any liquidating trust established under a plan of reorganization or liquidation that has been confirmed by any bankruptcy court of competent jurisdiction, such transferee or assignee shall not have any of the rights hereunder that are specific to the UST, Canada, the VEBA or the Debtor, as applicable, and (y) the rights of the Debtor under this Agreement shall not be assigned by the Debtor in connection with the distribution of any Registrable Securities from the Debtor as part of any plan of reorganization or liquidation that has been confirmed by any bankruptcy court of competent jurisdiction other than any distribution of any Registrable Securities that may be deemed to have been made from the Debtor to any successor in interest, including any liquidating trust established under a plan of reorganization or liquidation that has been confirmed by any bankruptcy court of competent jurisdiction.

Section 2.11 Rule 144. After such time as the Corporation has registered a class of equity securities under Section 12(b) or Section 12(g) of the Exchange Act, or otherwise is required to report under Section 15(d) of the Exchange Act, the Corporation shall file the reports required to be filed by it under the Securities Act and the Exchange Act and the rules and regulations adopted by the SEC thereunder and shall take such further action as the Holders may reasonably request, all to the extent required from time to time to enable the Holders to sell Common Stock without registration under the Securities Act within the limitation of the exemptions provided by (a) Rule 144 under the Securities Act, as such rule may be amended from time to time, or (b) any similar rule or regulation hereafter adopted by the SEC. The Corporation shall promptly upon the request of any Holder furnish to such Holder evidence of the number of shares of Common Stock then outstanding, as of the most recent date practicable. Any sale or transfer by a Holder of Registrable Securities that could have been effected either as a sale of securities pursuant to, and in accordance with, Rule 144 under the Securities Act (or any successor provision) or a sale covered by a Shelf Registration shall be deemed for all purposes under this Agreement to be a sale or transfer by such Holder pursuant to, and in accordance with, Rule 144 under the Securities Act.

Section 2.12 Preservation of Rights.

- (a) The Corporation will not (x) grant any registration rights to third parties which are inconsistent with the rights granted hereunder or (y) enter into any agreement, take any action, or permit any change to occur, with respect to its securities that violates the rights expressly granted to the Holders in this Agreement.
- (b) If the Corporation grants any registration rights to a third party that are more favorable to such party than the rights granted to any of the UST, Canada, the VEBA and the Debtor hereunder, the UST, Canada, the VEBA and the Debtor shall be entitled to have their registration rights improved to the level of the registration rights of such third party, and all of the parties hereto shall execute an amendment to this Agreement reflecting such more favorable rights.
- Section 2.13 Registration of Common Stock under Exchange Act; Listing. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary herein, the Corporation shall use its reasonable best efforts to (i) file with the SEC a registration statement to register its Common Stock under Section 12 of the Exchange Act and cause such registration statement to be declared effective no

later than July 31, 2010 and (ii) cause its Common Stock to be approved for listing on the New York Stock Exchange or any other national securities exchange in connection with a distribution, if any, of Registrable Securities by the Debtor pursuant to a plan of reorganization or liquidation that has been confirmed by any bankruptcy court of competent jurisdiction.

ARTICLE 3 TERMINATION

Section 3.1 Termination. Other than Sections 2.8 and 2.9 and Article 4, this Agreement and the obligations of the Corporation hereunder shall terminate upon the time when there are no Registrable Securities remaining. With respect to each Holder, other than Sections 2.8 and 2.9 and Article 4, this Agreement and the rights and obligations of such Holder hereunder shall terminate when such Holder no longer holds any Registrable Securities and, with respect to the Debtor, has no further right to receive additional securities of the Corporation pursuant to Section 3.2 of the Master Sale and Purchase Agreement and the MSPA Letter Agreement. Notwithstanding the foregoing, all liabilities or obligations under Sections 2.8 and 2.9 and Article 4 shall remain in effect in accordance with the terms of such provisions.

ARTICLE 4 MISCELLANEOUS

Section 4.1 Notices. Any notice, request, instruction, consent, document or other communication required or permitted to be given under this Agreement shall be in writing and shall be deemed to have been sufficiently given or served for all purposes (a) upon delivery when personally delivered; (b) on the delivery date after having been sent by a nationally or internationally recognized overnight courier service (charges prepaid); (c) at the time received when sent by registered or certified mail, return receipt requested, postage prepaid; or (d) at the time when confirmation of successful transmission is received (or the first business day following such receipt if the date of such receipt is not a business day) if sent by facsimile, in each case, to the recipient at the address or facsimile number, as applicable, indicated below:

If to the Corporation or the Operating Company:

General Motors Holding Company (to be renamed General Motors Company)
300 Renaissance Center
Detroit, MI 48265-3000
Facsimile: 313-667-4605

If to the UST:

The United States Department of the Treasury 1500 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW Washington, D.C. 20220

Attention: Chief Counsel Office of Financial Stability

Facsimile: 202-927-9225

with a copy to:

Cadwalader, Wickersham & Taft LLP

One World Financial Center New York, New York 10281

Attention: John J. Rapisardi

R. Ronald Hopkinson

Telephone: 212-504-6000 Facsimile: 212-504-6666

If to Canada:

7176384 Canada Inc. 1235 Bay Street, Suite 400 Toronto, ON M54 3K4

Attention: Mr. Michael Carter Facsimile: 416-934-5009

with a copy to:

Patrice S. Walch-Watson, Esq. Torys LLP 79 Wellington Street West Suite 3000 Toronto, ON M5K 1N2 Facsimile: 416-865-7380

If to the VEBA:

UAW Retiree Medical Benefits Trust P.O. Box 14309 Detroit, Michigan 48214

with a copy to:

Daniel W. Sherrick
General Counsel
International Union, United Automobile, Aerospace and
Agricultural Implement Workers of America
8000 East Jefferson Avenue
Detroit, Michigan 48214
Facsimile: 313-822-4844

and

Cleary Gottlieb Steen & Hamilton LLP

One Liberty Plaza

New York, New York 10006 Attention: Richard S. Lincer

David I. Gottlieb

Telephone: 212-225-2000 Facsimile: 212-225-3999

If to the Debtor:

Motors Liquidation Company

2000 Town Center

Suite 2400

Southfield, MI 48075

Attention: Albert Koch Telephone: 248-262-8430 Facsimile: 248-203-0337

with a copy to:

Weil, Gotshal & Manges LLP

767 Fifth Avenue

New York, New York 10153

Attention: Harvey R. Miller

Stephen Karotkin

Raymond Gietz

Telephone: 212-310-8000 Facsimile: 212-310-8007

<u>provided</u>, <u>however</u>, if any party shall have designated a different addressee and/or contact information by notice in accordance with this **Section 4.1**, then to the last addressee as so designated.

Section 4.2 Authority. Each of the parties hereto represents to the other that (a) it has the corporate or other organizational power and authority to execute, deliver and perform this Agreement, (b) the execution, delivery and performance of this Agreement by it has been duly authorized by all necessary corporate or organizational action and no such further action is required, (c) it has duly and validly executed and delivered this Agreement, and (d) this Agreement is a legal, valid and binding obligation, enforceable against it in accordance with its terms subject to applicable bankruptcy, insolvency, reorganization, moratorium or other similar laws affecting creditors' rights generally and general equity principles.

Section 4.3 No Third Party Beneficiaries. This Agreement shall be for the sole and exclusive benefit of (a) the Corporation and its successors and permitted assigns, (b) each Holder (including any trustee thereof) and any other investment manager or managers acting on behalf of such Holder with respect to the Common Stock, Preferred Stock, or the Warrants and their

respective successors and permitted assigns and (c) each of the Persons entitled to indemnification under **Section 2.9** hereof. Nothing in this Agreement shall be construed to give any other Person any legal or equitable right, remedy or claim under this Agreement.

Section 4.4 No Personal Liability by Trustees. It is expressly understood and agreed by the parties hereto that this Agreement is being executed and delivered by the UST managers and the VEBA Designee not individually or personally but solely in their respective capacities as managers and trustees in the exercise of the powers and authority conferred and vested in them as such trustees and under no circumstances shall any trustee or former trustee have any personal liability in the trustee's individual capacity in connection with this Agreement or any transaction contemplated hereby.

Section 4.5 Cooperation. Each party hereto shall take such further action, and execute such additional documents, as may be reasonably requested by any other party hereto in order to carry out the purposes of this Agreement.

Section 4.6 Governing Law; Forum Selection. This Agreement shall be governed by and construed and interpreted in accordance with the laws of the State of New York irrespective of the choice of laws principles of the State of New York other than Section 5-1401 of the General Obligations Law of the State of New York. Any action or proceeding against the parties relating in any way to this Agreement may be brought and enforced exclusively in the courts of the State of New York located in the Borough of Manhattan or (to the extent subject matter jurisdiction exists therefor) the U.S. District Court for the Southern District of New York, and the parties irrevocably submit to the jurisdiction of both courts in respect of any such action or proceeding.

Section 4.7 WAIVER OF JURY TRIAL. EACH PARTY WAIVES THE RIGHT TO A TRIAL BY JURY IN ANY DISPUTE IN CONNECTION WITH OR RELATING TO THIS AGREEMENT OR ANY MATTERS DESCRIBED OR CONTEMPLATED HEREIN, AND AGREES TO TAKE ANY AND ALL ACTION NECESSARY OR APPROPRIATE TO EFFECT SUCH WAIVER.

Section 4.8 Successors and Assigns. Except as otherwise expressly provided herein, including pursuant to Section 2.10, neither this Agreement nor any of the rights, interests or obligations provided by this Agreement may be assigned by any party (whether by operation of law or otherwise) without the prior written consent of the other parties, and any such assignment without such prior written consent shall be null and void. Subject to the preceding sentence and except as otherwise expressly provided herein, this Agreement shall be binding upon and benefit the Corporation, each Holder, and their respective successors and permitted assigns; provided, that, for the avoidance of doubt, any Person who receives securities of the Corporation as a distribution from the Debtor as part of any plan of reorganization or liquidation that has been confirmed by any bankruptcy court of competent jurisdiction (other than any such Person that is a successor in interest to the Debtor, including any liquidating trust established under a plan of reorganization or liquidation that has been confirmed by any bankruptcy court of competent jurisdiction) shall not be bound by or have any rights pursuant to this Agreement.

Section 4.9 Entire Agreement. This Agreement (together with the Annex) contains the final, exclusive and entire agreement and understanding of the parties with respect to the subject matter hereof and thereof and supersedes all prior and contemporaneous agreements and understandings, whether written or oral, among the parties with respect to the subject matter hereof and thereof. This Agreement shall not be deemed to contain or imply any restriction, covenant, representation, warranty, agreement or undertaking of any party with respect to the transactions contemplated hereby or thereby other than those expressly set forth herein or therein, and none shall be deemed to exist or be inferred with respect to the subject matter hereof.

Section 4.10 Severability. Whenever possible, each term and provision of this Agreement will be interpreted in such manner as to be effective and valid under law. If any term or provision of this Agreement, or the application thereof to any Person or any circumstance, is held to be illegal, invalid or unenforceable, (a) a suitable and equitable provision shall be substituted therefor in order to carry out, so far as may be legal, valid and enforceable, the intent and purpose of such illegal, invalid or unenforceable provision and (b) the remainder of this Agreement or such term or provision and the application of such term or provision to other Persons or circumstances shall remain in full force and effect and shall not be affected by such illegality, invalidity or unenforceability, nor shall such invalidity or unenforceability affect the legality, validity or enforceability of such term or provision, or the application thereof, in any jurisdiction.

Section 4.11 Enforcement of this Agreement. The parties agree that irreparable damage would occur in the event that any provision of this Agreement were not performed in accordance with its specific terms or were otherwise breached. It is accordingly agreed that the parties shall, without the posting of a bond, be entitled, subject to a determination by a court of competent jurisdiction, to an injunction or injunctions to prevent any such failure of performance under, or breaches of, this Agreement, and to enforce specifically the terms and provisions hereof and thereof, this being in addition to all other remedies available at law or in equity, and each party agrees that it will not oppose the granting of such relief on the basis that the requesting party has an adequate remedy at law.

Section 4.12 Amendment. This Agreement may not be amended, modified or supplemented except upon the execution and delivery of a written agreement executed by a duly authorized representative or officer of each of the parties.

Section 4.13 Headings. The descriptive headings of the Articles, Sections and paragraphs of, and the Annex to, this Agreement are included for convenience only, do not constitute a part of this Agreement and shall not be deemed to limit, modify or affect any of the provisions hereof.

Section 4.14 Counterparts; Facsimiles. This Agreement may be executed in one or more counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original, and all of which taken together shall constitute one and the same Agreement. All signatures of the parties may be transmitted by facsimile or electronic delivery, and each such facsimile signature or electronic delivery signature (including a pdf signature) will, for all purposes, be deemed to be the original signature of the party whose signature it reproduces and be binding upon such party.

Section 4.15 Time Periods. Unless otherwise specified in this Agreement, an action required under this Agreement to be taken within a certain number of days shall be taken within that number of calendar days (and not business days); provided, however, that if the last day for taking such action falls on a day that is not a business day, the period during which such action may be taken shall be automatically extended to the next business day.

Section 4.16 No Binding Effect on U.S. Government. Notwithstanding anything in this Agreement to the contrary, no provision of this Agreement shall be binding on or create any obligation on the part of the United States Department of the Treasury or any other department or any agency or branch of the United States Government, or any political subdivision thereof.

Section 4.17 Canada. Notwithstanding anything in this Agreement to the contrary, Canada shall be bound by this Agreement only in its capacity as a Holder and nothing in this Agreement shall be binding on or create any obligation on the part of Canada in any other capacity or any branch of the Government of Canada or subdivision thereof.

Section 4.18 Termination of Operating Company Registration Rights Agreement; Waiver. The Operating Company, each of the Government Holders, the VEBA and the Debtor acknowledges and agrees that, simultaneously with the execution of this Agreement, the Operating Company Registration Rights Agreement is terminated in all respects, all the claims, remedies, rights and privileges granted therein are relinquished and surrendered, and all obligations and duties owed or required to be performed thereunder are waived and released.

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Annex I

Holder	Number of Shares of Common Stock
UST	304,131,356
Canada	58,368,644
VEBA	87,500,000
Debtor	50,000,000
Total:	500,000,000

Holder	Number of Shares of Common Stock for Which Warrants Are Initially Exercisable
VEBA	15,151,515
Debtor	90,909,090
Total:	106,060,605

Holder	Number of Shares of Preferred Stock
UST	83,898,305
Canada	16,101,695
VEBA	260,000,000
Total:	360,000,000

UST CONTRIBUTION & SUBSCRIPTION AGREEMENT

Between

VEHICLE ACQUISITION HOLDINGS LLC

And

THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

DATED AS OF JUNE 1, 2009

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UST CONTRIBUTION & SUBSCRIPTION AGREEMENT

UST CONTRIBUTION & SUBSCRIPTION AGREEMENT (as amended or otherwise modified from time to time, this "Agreement") dated as of June 1, 2009, between VEHICLE ACQUISITION HOLDINGS LLC, a Delaware limited liability company (together with its successors and permitted assigns, the "Company"), and THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY (together with its successors and permitted assigns and designees, including any vehicle formed to hold the Company Securities, the "Subscriber"). Capitalized terms used in this Agreement and not otherwise defined shall have the meanings set forth in the Master Sale and Purchase Agreement, dated June 1, 2009 between the Company, General Motors Corporation and the other Sellers identified therein (the "Master Sale and Purchase Agreement").

RECITALS:

WHEREAS, the Company, a wholly-owned subsidiary of Subscriber, has been formed under the laws of the State of Delaware and, promptly following the execution of this Agreement, intends to convert to a Delaware corporation pursuant to Section 265 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware ("Section 265"). Unless the context otherwise requires, all references to the Company will refer to a Delaware corporation;

WHEREAS, the Company will issue and offer for subscription 304,131,356 shares of common stock, par value \$0.01 per share, of the Company (the "Shares") and 83,898,305 shares of Series A Fixed Rate Cumulative Perpetual Preferred Stock, par value \$0.01 per share, of the Company with the terms set forth in Exhibit X to the Master Sale and Purchase Agreement (the "Company Securities"); and

WHEREAS, the Company wishes to issue the Company Securities to the Subscriber in exchange for Subscriber contributing the UST Instruments (as defined below) such that the Company can exercise all rights and remedies under the Instruments.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the premises and of the mutual covenants contained herein and the Master Sale and Purchase Agreement, and for other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the parties hereto agree as follows:

ARTICLE I

ISSUANCE AND CONTRIBUTION

- Section 1.1 <u>Contribution</u>. On the Contribution Date (as defined below), Subscriber agrees that it will contribute, convey, assign and transfer to the Company all of the following in exchange for the Company Securities (collectively, the "<u>UST Instruments</u>"):
 - 1. the UST Credit Facilities;
 - 2. the DIP Facilities provided by the Subscriber (other than Purchaser Assumed Debt or the Wind Down Facility) and all of the rights and obligations as lender thereunder;
 - 3. the UST Warrant; and
 - 4. with respect to each of the foregoing UST credit facilities, to the extent that Subscriber loans additional amounts to General Motors Corporation prior to the Closing Date, any such amounts shall be deemed to have been contributed hereunder.
- Section 1.2 <u>Contribution Date</u>. "<u>Contribution Date</u>" shall mean the date selected by the Subscriber prior to the Closing Date, as selected by the Subscriber.
- Section 1.3 <u>Consideration</u>. In consideration of the aforesaid contribution, conveyance, assignment and transfer to the Company of the UST Instruments and subject to the terms and conditions of this Agreement, on the Closing Date, the Company shall issue and deliver to the Subscriber and the Subscriber shall acquire, the Company Securities.
- (a) On the Closing Date, the Company shall record the Subscriber as the holder of the Company Securities in the books and records of the Company.
- Section 1.4 <u>Deliveries by the Company to the Subscriber</u>. On the Closing Date, the Company shall deliver to the Subscriber a written confirmation evidencing the number of Company Securities acquired by the Subscriber pursuant to this Agreement.

ARTICLE II

REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES OF THE COMPANY

- Section 2.1 <u>Capitalization</u>. The Company hereby represents and warrants to the Subscriber that immediately following the consummation of the transactions contemplated under the Master Sale and Purchase Agreement it will have the capitalization structure as set forth in Section 5.4 of the Master Sale and Purchase Agreement.
- Section 2.2 <u>Additional Representations</u>. (a) This Agreement has been duly authorized, executed and delivered by the Company and constitutes a valid and binding agreement of the Company, enforceable against it in accordance with its terms, subject as to

enforcement, to bankruptcy, insolvency, fraudulent transfer, reorganization, moratorium and other similar laws of general applicability relating to or affecting creditors' rights and to general equity principles.

- (b) The execution, delivery and performance by the Company of this Agreement, and the consummation by it of the transactions contemplated thereby, do not and will not conflict with, or result in a breach or violation of or default under, any applicable law or any note, indenture, contract, agreement or instrument to which the Company (or any of its properties) is a party or is otherwise subject.
- (c) The Company has not taken any action, nor have any other steps been taken or legal proceedings been started or (to the best of the Company's knowledge and belief) threatened against the Company for its winding-up, dissolution, administration or reorganization or for the appointment of a custodian, receiver, administrator, administrative receiver, liquidator, trustee or similar officer of it or of any or all of its assets or revenues.
- (d) When issued, the Company Securities will be duly authorized, validly issued, fully paid and non-assessable and the Subscriber will receive all right, title and interest in and to the Company Securities, free and clear of any liens.
- (e) The Company is not, and immediately after giving effect to the issuance of the Company Securities pursuant hereto the Company will not be, an "investment company", or a company "controlled" by a Person required to register as an "investment company", within the meaning of the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended.
- (f) The Company is a validly existing limited liability Company and is in good standing under the laws of Delaware and, as of the Closing Date, will be a validly existing corporation in good standing under the laws of Delaware having full right, power and authority to enter into this Agreement and to perform its obligations hereunder.

ARTICLE III

CONDITIONS PRECEDENT

- Section 3.1 <u>Conditions Precedent to the Obligation of the Subscriber</u>. The Subscriber's obligation to contribute the UST Instruments and acquire the Company Securities is subject to the fulfillment on or before the Contribution Date of the following conditions, unless waived by the Subscriber:
- (a) each representation and warranty made by the Company contained herein shall be true and correct in all material respects, except to the extent such representations and warranties specifically relate to an earlier date thereto, in which case, such representations and warranties shall be true and correct as of such earlier date;
- (b) the Master Sale and Purchase Agreement shall be in full force and effect and Subscriber shall have reasonably determined that the conditions to closing under the Master Sale and Purchase Agreement will be satisfied or irrevocably waived on the Closing Date;

- (c) a stockholders agreement consistent with the governance term sheet circulated to the parties thereto on May 31, 2009 shall have been executed and delivered by the parties thereto; and
- (d) the Subscriber's portion of the DIP Facilities shall have been funded by the Subscriber as provided therein.

ARTICLE IV

MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS

Section 4.1 <u>Notices</u>. Any notice, request, instruction, consent, document or other communication required or permitted to be given under this Agreement shall be in writing and shall be deemed to have been sufficiently given or served for all purposes (a) upon delivery when personally delivered; (b) on the delivery date after having been sent by a nationally or internationally recognized overnight courier service (charges prepaid); (c) at the time received when sent by registered or certified mail, return receipt requested, postage prepaid; or (d) at the time when confirmation of successful transmission is received (or the first Business Day following such receipt if the date of such receipt is not a Business Day) if sent by facsimile, in each case, to the recipient at the address or facsimile number, as applicable, indicated below:

To the Company:

Vehicle Acquisition Holdings LLC c/o Cadwalader, Wickersham & Taft LLP One World Financial Center New York, New York 10281

To the Subscriber:

The United States Department of the Treasury 1500 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW Washington, D.C. 20220 Attention: Chief Counsel Office of Financial Stability

Facsimile: (202) 927-9225

Email: OFSChiefCounselNotices@do.treas.gov

Section 4.2 <u>GOVERNING LAW</u>. THIS AGREEMENT SHALL BE GOVERNED BY AND CONSTRUED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK (SUBJECT TO ANY MANDATORY PROVISIONS OF THE DELAWARE GENERAL CORPORATION LAW), EXCLUDING (TO THE EXTENT PERMISSIBLE BY LAW) ANY RULE OF LAW THAT WOULD CAUSE THE APPLICATION OF THE LAWS OF A JURISDICTION OTHER THAN THE STATE OF NEW YORK.

Section 4.3 <u>Assignment</u>. Neither this Agreement nor any of the rights granted herein, nor any of the other interests and obligations created hereunder, shall be assigned or

delegated by either of the parties hereto without prior written consent of the other, provided, however, that the Subscriber may, without the consent of the Company, freely effect such assignment or delegation if made to an Affiliate Controlled by the Subscriber.

Section 4.4 <u>Entire Agreement</u>. This Agreement contains the entire understanding of the parties hereto with respect to the subject matter contained herein and therein, and supersede and cancel all prior agreements, negotiations, correspondence, undertakings and communications of the parties, oral or written, regarding such subject matter.

Section 4.5 <u>Amendments</u>. This Agreement may be amended only by a written instrument executed by the parties hereto or their respective successors or permitted assigns.

Section 4.6 <u>Counterparts</u>. This Agreement may be executed and delivered (including by facsimile transmission) in one or more counterparts, and by the different parties hereto in separate counterparts, each of which when executed and delivered shall be deemed to be an original but all of which taken together shall constitute one and the same agreement.

Section 4.7 <u>Severability; Enforcement</u>. If any term or other provision of this Agreement is invalid, illegal or incapable of being enforced by any rule of Law, or public policy, all other conditions and provisions of this Agreement shall nevertheless remain in full force and effect so long as the economic or legal substance of the transactions contemplated by this Agreement are not affected in any manner materially adverse to any party. Upon such determination that any term or other provision is invalid, illegal or incapable of being enforced, the parties hereto shall negotiate in good faith to modify this Agreement so as to effect the original intent of the parties as closely as possible in a mutually acceptable manner to the fullest extent possible.

Section 4.8 <u>WAIVER OF TRIAL BY JURY</u>. EACH PARTY HERETO HEREBY IRREVOCABLY WAIVES ALL RIGHT TO TRIAL BY JURY IN ANY ACTION, PROCEEDING OR COUNTERCLAIM (WHETHER BASED ON CONTRACT, TORT OR OTHERWISE) ARISING OUT OF OR RELATING TO THIS AGREEMENT OR THE ACTIONS OF ANY PARTY IN THE NEGOTIATION, ADMINISTRATION, PERFORMANCE AND ENFORCEMENT THEREOF.

Section 4.9 <u>Waiver</u>. The failure of any party hereto to enforce at any time any of the provisions of this Agreement shall in no way be construed to be a waiver of any such provision, nor in any way to affect the validity of this Agreement or any part hereof or the right of such party thereafter to enforce each and every such provision. No waiver of any breach hereof or non-compliance herewith shall be held to be a waiver of any other or subsequent breach hereof or non-compliance herewith.

Section 4.10 <u>Agreements in Writing</u>. Any agreement between the parties with respect to the subject matter hereof, or any amendment, waiver, discharge or termination, shall be invalid unless it is in writing and signed by the parties hereto or their respective successors or permitted assigns.

Section 4.11 <u>Expenses</u>. Except as otherwise specified in this Agreement all costs and expenses incurred in connection with this Agreement and the transactions

contemplated by this Agreement shall be borne by the party incurring such costs and expenses, whether or not the Closing shall have occurred.

Section 4.12 <u>Binding Effect; No Third-Party Beneficiaries</u>. This Agreement shall be binding upon and inure to the benefit of the Parties hereto and their respective successors, legal representatives and permitted assigns. Nothing express or implied in this Agreement is intended or shall be construed to confer upon or give to any Person, other than the Parties, their Affiliates and their respective permitted successors or assigns, any legal or equitable Claims, benefits, rights or remedies of any nature whatsoever under or by reason of this Agreement. Nothing express or implied in this Agreement shall be construed to create an obligation of the Subscriber to provide funds under the UST Financing. This Agreement is only being executed to permit the Subscriber to exercise its rights under the UST Financing. Notwithstanding anything in this Agreement to the contrary, the Subscriber shall only be bound by this Agreement in its capacity as a Subscriber and nothing in this Agreement shall be binding on or create any obligation on the part of the Subscriber in any other capacity or on any, agency, branch of the United States Government or political subdivision or instrumentality thereof. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary herein, nothing in this agreement shall obligate the Subscriber to make any loans or otherwise advance any funds pursuant to the UST Instruments.

Section 4.13 <u>Return of Subscriber Contribution</u>. Upon any termination under the Master Sale and Purchase Agreement all UST Instruments, to the extent such instruments have been contributed under this Agreement, shall, at Subscriber's election, be immediately returned to the Subscriber without any action by any party hereto.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned, intending to be legally bound hereby, has duly executed this Agreement as of the day and year first above written.

VEHICLE ACQUISITION HOLDINGS LLC BY: THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY, ITS SOLE MEMBER

By: When All I'm

Name: Duane Morse

Title: Chief Risk and Compliance Officer

THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

Name: Duane Morse

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CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION

OF

GENERAL MOTORS HOLDING COMPANY

- 1. The name of the corporation is General Motors Holding Company.
- 2. The address of the Corporation's registered office in the State of Delaware is Corporation Trust Center, 1209 Orange Street, Wilmington, New Castle County, Delaware 19801. The name of its registered agent at such address is The Corporation Trust Company.
- 3. The nature of the business or purposes to be conducted or promoted is to engage in any lawful act or activity for which corporations may be organized under the General Corporation Law of Delaware.
- 4. The total number of shares of stock which the corporation shall have authority to issue is 1,000 and the par value of each of such shares is \$0.01.
- 5. The board of directors is authorized to make, alter or repeal the bylaws of the corporation. Election of directors need not be by written ballot.
- 6. The name and mailing address of the sole incorporator is:

Michael L. Whitchurch 330 North Wabash Avenue, Suite 4000 Chicago, IL 60611

I, THE UNDERSIGNED, being the incorporator herein before named, for the purpose of forming a corporation pursuant to the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware, do make this certificate, hereby declaring and certifying that this is my act and deed and the facts herein stated are true, and accordingly have hereunto set my hand this 11th day of August, 2009.

/s/ Michael L. Whitchurch
Michael L. Whitchurch
Sole Incorporator

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AMENDED AND RESTATED CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION

OF

GENERAL MOTORS HOLDING COMPANY

Pursuant to Sections 242 and 245 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware

General Motors Holding Company, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware, hereby certifies as follows:

- 1. The name of the corporation is General Motors Holding Company. The date of filing of its original Certificate of Incorporation with the Secretary of State was August 11, 2009.
- 2. This Amended and Restated Certificate of Incorporation amends and restates the provisions of the Certificate of Incorporation of this corporation, as heretofore amended or supplemented.
- 3. The text of the Certificate of Incorporation is hereby amended and restated to read in its entirety as follows:
- FIRST. The name of the corporation is General Motors Holding Company (the "Corporation").
- SECOND. The address of the Corporation's registered office in the State of Delaware is 1209 Orange Street, in the City of Wilmington, County of New Castle. The name of its registered agent at such address is The Corporation Trust Company.
- THIRD. The purpose of the Corporation is to engage in any lawful act or activity for which corporations may be organized under the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware.

FOURTH. The total number of shares of capital stock which the Corporation shall have authority to issue is 3,500,000,000, consisting of 1,000,000,000 shares of Preferred Stock, par value \$0.01 per share (hereinafter referred to as "Preferred Stock"), and 2,500,000,000 shares of Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share (hereinafter referred to as "Common Stock").

The Preferred Stock may be issued from time to time in one or more series. The Board of Directors is hereby authorized to provide for the issuance of shares of Preferred Stock in one or more series and, by filing a certificate pursuant to the applicable law of the State of Delaware (hereinafter referred to as "Preferred Stock Designation"), to establish from time to

time the number of shares to be included in each such series, and to fix the designation, powers, preferences and rights of the shares of each such series and the qualifications, limitations and restrictions thereof. The authority of the Board of Directors with respect to each series shall include, but not be limited to, determination of the following:

- (a) The designation of the series, which may be by distinguishing number, letter or title.
- (b) The number of shares of the series, which number the Board of Directors may thereafter (except where otherwise provided in the Preferred Stock Designation) increase or decrease (but not below the number of shares thereof then outstanding).
- (c) The amounts payable on, and the preferences, if any, of shares of the series in respect of dividends, and whether such dividends, if any, shall be cumulative or noncumulative.
 - (d) Dates at which dividends, if any, shall be payable.
 - (e) The redemption rights and price or prices, if any, for shares of the series.
- (f) The terms and amount of any sinking fund provided for the purchase or redemption of shares of the series.
- (g) The amounts payable on, and the preferences, if any, of shares of the series in the event of any voluntary or involuntary liquidation, dissolution or winding up of the affairs of the Corporation.
- (h) Whether the shares of the series shall be convertible into or exchangeable for shares of any other class or series, or any other security, of the Corporation or any other corporation and, if so, the specification of such other class or series or such other security, the conversion or exchange price or prices or rate or rates, any adjustments thereof, the date or dates at which such shares shall be convertible or exchangeable and all other terms and conditions upon which such conversion or exchange may be made.
- (i) Restrictions on the issuance of shares of the same series or of any other class or series.
 - (j) The voting rights, if any, of the holders of shares of the series.

The Common Stock shall be subject to the express terms of the Preferred Stock and any series thereof. Except as may otherwise be provided in this Certificate of Incorporation, in a Preferred Stock Designation or by applicable law, the holders of shares of Common Stock shall be entitled to one vote for each such share upon each matter presented to the stockholders, the Common Stock shall have the exclusive right to vote for the election of directors and for all other purposes, and holders of Preferred Stock shall not be entitled to vote at or receive notice of any meeting of stockholders.

The Corporation shall be entitled to treat the person in whose name any share of its stock is registered as the owner thereof for all purposes and shall not be bound to recognize any equitable or other claim to, or interest in, such share on the part of any other person, whether or not the Corporation shall have notice thereof, except as expressly provided by applicable law.

FIFTH. Unless and except to the extent that the bylaws of the Corporation shall so require, the election of directors of the Corporation need not be by written ballot. The business and affairs of the Corporation shall be managed by, or under the direction of, the Board of Directors. The total number of directors constituting the entire Board of Directors shall be not more than 17, except as otherwise provided in a Preferred Stock Designation, with the thenauthorized number of directors being fixed from time to time by resolution of the Board of Directors. Other than as set forth in the bylaws of the Corporation, vacancies and newly created directorships shall be filled exclusively pursuant to a resolution adopted by the Board of Directors.

SIXTH. In furtherance and not in limitation of the powers conferred by the laws of the State of Delaware, the Board of Directors is expressly authorized to adopt, amend or repeal the bylaws of the Corporation. The stockholders may also adopt, amend, or repeal the bylaws of the Corporation, whether adopted by them or otherwise, but only upon the affirmative vote of the holders of a majority of the voting power of the shares entitled to vote thereon.

SEVENTH. No director shall be personally liable to the Corporation or its stockholders for monetary damages for breach of fiduciary duty as a director, except for liability (i) for any breach of the director's duty of loyalty to the Corporation or its stockholders, (ii) for acts or omissions not in good faith or which involve intentional misconduct or a knowing violation of law, (iii) under Section 174, or any successor provision thereto, of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware, or (iv) for any transaction from which the director derived an improper personal benefit. Any amendment, modification or repeal of the foregoing sentence shall not adversely affect any right or protection of a director of the Corporation hereunder in respect of any act or omission occurring prior to the time of such amendment, modification, or repeal.

EIGHTH. The Corporation reserves the right at any time, and from time to time, to amend, alter, change, or repeal any provision contained in this Certificate of Incorporation and other provisions authorized by the laws of the State of Delaware at the time in force may be added or inserted, in the manner now or hereafter prescribed by law; and all rights, preferences, and privileges of any nature conferred upon stockholders, directors, or any other persons by and pursuant to this Certificate of Incorporation in its present form or as hereafter amended are granted subject to the rights reserved in this article.

NINTH. Following the time of the Initial Public Offering (as defined below) of the Corporation, no action that is required or permitted to be taken by the stockholders of the Corporation at any annual or special meeting of stockholders may be effected by written consent of stockholders in lieu of a meeting of stockholders except where such consent is signed by the holders of all shares of stock of the Corporation then outstanding and entitled to vote thereon.

"Initial Public Offering" means the earlier to occur of (i) the initial public offering of the Common Stock (whether such offering is primary or secondary) that is underwritten by a nationally recognized investment bank, pursuant to an effective registration statement filed under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (other than a registration effected solely to implement an employee benefit plan or a transaction to which Rule 145 under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, is applicable, or a registration statement on Form S-4, Form S-8 or a successor to one of those forms) or (ii) the later of (x) the date on which a Corporation registration statement filed under Section 12(b) or 12(g) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (the "Exchange Act"), as amended, shall have been declared effective by the Securities and Exchange Commission or otherwise became effective under the Exchange Act and (y) the date of distribution of the shares of Common Stock beneficially owned (within the meaning given in Rule 13d-3 of the Exchange Act) by Motors Liquidation Company, a Delaware corporation, pursuant to its plan of reorganization.

4. This Amended and Restated Certificate of Incorporation was duly adopted in accordance with the provisions of Sections 242 and 245 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware and by the written consent of the sole stockholder of the Corporation in accordance with the provisions of Section 228 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware.

[signature page follows]

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, said General Motors Holding Company has caused this Amended and Restated Certificate of Incorporation to be signed by Niharika Ramdev, its President, and attested by Elizabeth J. Shaffer, its Vice President and Secretary, this 6 day of October, 2009.

Name: Niharita Ramdev

Title: President

Attest:

Name: Elizabeth J. Shaffer

Title: Vice President and Secretary

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CERTIFICATE OF AMENDMENT OF AMENDED AND RESTATED CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION OF GENERAL MOTORS HOLDING COMPANY

General Motors Holding Company, a corporation organized and existing under and by virtue of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware (the "Corporation"),

DOES HEREBY CERTIFY:

FIRST: The name of the Corporation is General Motors Holding Company.

SECOND: The date of filing of the Corporation's original Certificate of Incorporation with the Secretary of State of the State of Delaware was August 11, 2009.

THIRD: The date of filing of the Corporation's Amended and Restated Certificate of Incorporation with the Secretary of State of the State of Delaware was October 15, 2009.

FOURTH: Article First of the Amended and Restated Certificate of Incorporation of the Corporation be, and it hereby is, amended to read as follows:

"The name of the Corporation is General Motors Company (the "Corporation")."

FIFTH: That the amendment was duly adopted in accordance with the provisions of Section 242 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware.

SIXTH: That this Certificate of Amendment shall be effective upon filing.

[signature page to follow]

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has signed this Certificate of Amendment as of this <u>day</u> of October, 2009.

GENERAL MOTORS HOLDING COMPANY

Name: Niharika Ramdev

Title: Assistant Treasurer

General Motors Company

AMENDED AND RESTATED BYLAWS

As of March 2, 2010

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GENERAL MOTORS COMPANY AMENDED AND RESTATED BYLAWS

ARTICLE I MEETINGS OF STOCKHOLDERS

1.1 Annual Meetings.

The annual meeting of stockholders for the election of directors, ratification or rejection of the selection of auditors, and the transaction of such other business as may properly be brought before the meeting shall be held on the first Tuesday in June in each year, or on such other date and at such place and time as the chairman of the board or the board of directors shall designate. If any annual meeting shall not be held on the day designated or the directors shall not have been elected thereat or at any adjournment thereof, thereafter the board shall cause a special meeting of the stockholders to be held as soon as practicable for the election of directors. At such special meeting, the stockholders may elect directors and transact other business with the same force and effect as at an annual meeting of the stockholders duly called and held.

1.2 Special Meetings.

<u>Call of Special Meeting</u>. Special meetings of stockholders (a) may be called at any time by the chairman of the board of directors or by a majority of the members of the board of directors or as otherwise provided by Delaware law, the certificate of incorporation or these bylaws. Any such special meeting shall be held on the date and at the time and place and for the purposes that are designated by the chairman or board in calling the meeting. Subject to paragraph (b) of this section, the board shall call a special meeting upon the written request (the "Meeting Request") of the record holders of at least 15 percent of the voting power of the outstanding shares of all classes of stock entitled to vote at such a meeting, delivered to the secretary of the Corporation, and shall designate a date for such special meeting not more than 90 days after the date that the secretary received the Meeting Request (the "Request Delivery Date"). In fixing a date and time for any special meeting requested by stockholders, the board may consider such factors as it deems relevant, including without limitation, the nature of the matters to be considered, the facts and circumstances related to any request for a meeting, and any plan of the board to call an annual meeting or special meeting.

(b) Stockholder Request for Special Meeting.

(1) Any Meeting Request shall be signed by one or more stockholders, or their duly authorized agent, that request the special meeting and shall set forth: (A) a statement of the specific purpose of the meeting and the matters proposed to be acted on at the meeting and the reasons for conducting such business at the meeting; (B) the name and address of each signing

stockholder and date of signature; (C) the number of shares of each class of voting stock owned of record and beneficially by each such stockholder; (D) a description of all arrangements or understandings between any signing stockholder and any other person regarding the meeting and the matters proposed to be acted on at the meeting; (E) all information relating to each signing stockholder that would be required to be disclosed in solicitations of proxies for election of directors in an election contest (even if an election contest is not the subject of the Meeting Request) or would otherwise be required, in each case pursuant to Section 14 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), and the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder (or any successor provision of the Exchange Act or the rules or regulations promulgated thereunder), whether or not Section 14 of the Exchange Act is then applicable to the Corporation; and (F) the information that would be required by section 1.11 of these bylaws if the stockholder were intending to make a nomination or to bring any other matter before a stockholder meeting. A stockholder may revoke its request for a special meeting at any time by written revocation delivered to the secretary of the Corporation.

- (2) The board shall have the authority to determine not to call a special meeting requested by stockholders if (A) the board has called or calls an annual or special meeting of stockholders to be held not more than 90 days after the Request Delivery Date and the purpose of such stockholder meeting includes (among any other matters properly brought before the meeting) the purpose specified in the Meeting Request; (B) within 12 months prior to the Request Delivery Date, an annual or special meeting was held that considered the purpose specified in the Meeting Request, except for the election of one or more directors; (C) the Meeting Request relates to an item of business that is not a proper subject for stockholder action under applicable law; or (D) such request was made in violation of Regulation 14A under the Exchange Act, to the extent applicable, or other applicable law. The board is authorized to determine in good faith the purpose of a stockholder meeting.
- (c) <u>Conduct of Special Meeting</u>. Business transacted at a special meeting requested by stockholders shall be limited to the purpose stated in the Meeting Request; provided, however, that the board shall be able to submit additional matters to stockholders at any such special meeting.
- (d) <u>Pre-IPO Special Meetings</u>. Notwithstanding the foregoing provisions of this section 1.2, prior to an Initial Public Offering (as defined

below) of the Corporation, the board shall call a special meeting at the request of the record holders of at least 15 percent of the voting power of the outstanding shares of all classes of stock entitled to vote at such a meeting. Such request shall state the purpose or purposes of the proposed meeting. The time of any such special meeting shall be stated in the notice of such meeting, which notice shall specify the purpose or purposes thereof. Business transacted at any special meeting shall be confined to the purposes stated in the notice of meeting and matters germane thereto.

"Initial Public Offering" means the earlier to occur of (i) the initial public offering of the Common Stock, (whether such offering is primary or secondary) that is underwritten by a nationally recognized investment bank, pursuant to an effective registration statement filed under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (other than a registration effected solely to implement an employee benefit plan or a transaction to which Rule 145 under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, is applicable, or a registration statement on Form S-4, Form S-8 or a successor to one of those forms) or (ii) the later of (x) the date on which a Corporation registration statement filed under Section 12(b) or 12(g) of the Exchange Act shall have been declared effective by the Securities and Exchange Commission or otherwise became effective under the Exchange Act and (y) the date of distribution of the shares of Common Stock beneficially owned (within the meaning given in Rule 13d-3 of the Exchange Act) by Motors Liquidation Company (formerly known as General Motors Corporation), a Delaware corporation pursuant to its plan of reorganization.

1.3 Notice of Meetings.

Written notice of each meeting of stockholders shall be given by the chairman of the board and/or the secretary in compliance with the provisions of Delaware law and these bylaws.

1.4 List of Stockholders Entitled to Vote.

The secretary shall prepare or have prepared before every meeting of stockholders a complete list of the stockholders entitled to vote at the meeting in compliance with the provisions of Delaware law and the certificate of incorporation.

1.5 Quorum.

- (a) At each annual or special meeting of stockholders, except where otherwise provided by law or the certificate of incorporation or these bylaws, the holders of a majority of the voting power of the outstanding shares of stock entitled to vote at the meeting, present in person or by proxy, shall constitute a quorum. Where a separate vote by a class or classes or series of stock is required, the holders of a majority of the voting power of the shares of such class or classes or series of stock present in person or represented by proxy shall constitute a quorum for the purposes of such matter on which a separate vote is required.
- (b) In the absence of a quorum pursuant to this section of the bylaws, a majority of the voting power of the outstanding shares of stock

entitled to vote and present in person or by proxy, or in absence of any stockholders, any officer, may adjourn the meeting from time to time in the manner and to the extent provided in section 1.9 of these bylaws until a quorum shall attend.

(c) Shares of the Corporation's stock belonging to the Corporation or to another entity, a majority of whose ownership interests entitled to vote in the election of directors of such other entity is held, directly or indirectly, by the Corporation, shall neither be entitled to vote nor be counted for quorum purposes; provided, however, that the foregoing shall not limit the right of the Corporation to vote shares of its own stock that it is entitled to vote in a fiduciary capacity.

1.6 Conduct of Meeting.

The chairman of the board or, if he so designates, the chief executive officer, the president, the vice chairman or a vice president of the Corporation shall preside at each meeting of the stockholders; provided, however, that if the chairman of the board does not preside and has not designated an officer of the Corporation to preside, the holders of a majority of the voting power of the outstanding shares of stock entitled to vote and present in person or by proxy at such meeting may designate any person to preside over the meeting. The secretary of the Corporation shall record the proceedings of meetings of the stockholders, but in the absence of the secretary, the person presiding over the meeting shall designate any person to record the proceedings. The person presiding over any meeting of stockholders shall determine the order of business and the procedure at the meeting, including such regulation of the manner of voting and the conduct of discussion. The date and time of the opening and closing of the polls for each matter upon which the stockholders will vote at the meeting shall be announced at the meeting.

1.7 *Voting*; *Proxies*.

Each stockholder entitled to vote shall be entitled to vote in accordance with the number of shares and voting powers of the voting shares held of record by him. Each stockholder entitled to vote at a meeting of stockholders may authorize another person or persons to act for him at such meeting by proxy, but such proxy, whether revocable or irrevocable, shall comply with the applicable requirements of Delaware law. Voting at meetings of stockholders, on matters other than the election of directors, need not be by written ballot unless the holders of a majority of the voting power of the outstanding shares of stock entitled to vote at the meeting present in person or by proxy at such meeting shall so determine. All elections and questions shall, unless otherwise provided by law, rule or regulation, including any stock exchange rule or regulation, applicable to the Corporation, the certificate of incorporation, or section 2.2 or any other provision of these bylaws, be decided by the vote of the holders of a majority of the voting power of the shares of stock entitled to vote thereon present in person or by proxy at the meeting. Votes cast "for" or "against" and "abstentions" with respect to a matter shall be counted as shares of stock of the Corporation entitled to vote on such matter, while "broker nonvotes" (or other shares of stock of the Corporation similarly not entitled to vote) shall not be counted as shares entitled to vote on such matter.

1.8 Fixing Date for Determination of Stockholders of Record.

To determine the stockholders of record for any purpose, the board of directors may fix a record date; provided that the record date shall not precede the date upon which the board adopts the resolution fixing the record date; and provided further that the record date shall be: (a) in the case of determination of stockholders entitled to receive notice of or to vote at any meeting of stockholders or adjournment thereof, not more than 60 nor less than ten days before the date of such meeting; (b) in the case of determination of stockholders entitled to express consent to corporate action in writing without a meeting, in accordance with section 1.12 of these bylaws; and (c) in the case of any other action, not more than 60 days prior to such other action. A determination of stockholders of record entitled to notice of or to vote at a meeting of stockholders shall apply to any adjournment of the meeting; provided, however, that the board may choose to fix a new record date for the adjourned meeting.

1.9 Adjournments.

The person presiding over any meeting of stockholders, annual or special (other than a special meeting requested by stockholders in accordance with section 1.2(a) of these bylaws in the absence of a quorum), may adjourn the meeting from time to time to reconvene at the same or some other place. At the adjourned meeting, the Corporation may transact any business which might have been transacted at the original meeting. Notice need not be given of any such adjourned meeting if the time and place, if any, thereof, and the means of remote communication, if any, by which stockholders and proxy holders may be deemed to be present and vote at such adjourned meeting are announced at the meeting at which the adjournment is taken, except that if the adjournment is for more than 30 days or if, after the adjournment, a new record date is fixed for the adjourned meeting, a notice of the adjourned meeting shall be given to each stockholder of record entitled to vote at the meeting.

1.10 Judges.

All votes by ballot at any meeting of stockholders shall be conducted by one or more judges appointed for the purpose, either by the board of directors or by the person presiding over the meeting. The judges shall decide upon the qualifications of voters, count the votes, and report the result in writing to the secretary of the meeting.

1.11 Notice of Stockholder Nomination and Stockholder Business.

At a meeting of the stockholders, only such business shall be conducted as shall have been properly brought before the meeting. Prior to the Initial Public Offering, nominations for the election of directors may be made only by the board of directors, which nominations shall be consistent with the Stockholders Agreement dated October 15, 2009 among the Corporation, the United States Department of the Treasury, 7176384 Canada Inc., and UAW Retiree Medical Benefits Trust and, for the limited purposes set forth therein, General Motors LLC (the "Stockholders Agreement"). Following the Initial Public Offering, nominations for the election of directors may be made by the board of directors in accordance with the Stockholders Agreement or by any stockholder entitled to vote for the election of directors who complies with the notice requirements set forth in this section. Other matters to be properly brought before the

meeting (whether prior to or following the Initial Public Offering) must be: (a) specified in the notice of meeting (or any supplement thereto) given by or at the direction of the board, including, as applicable, matters covered by Rule 14a-8 under the Exchange Act; (b) otherwise properly brought before the meeting by or at the direction of the board; or (c) otherwise properly brought before the meeting by a stockholder pursuant to the notice requirements of this section.

Prior to the Initial Public Offering, a stockholder need not give notice of his intent to bring any matter before a meeting of stockholders. Following the Initial Public Offering, a stockholder who intends to make a nomination for the election of directors or to bring any other matter before a meeting of stockholders must give notice of his intent in writing or by electronic transmission. Such notice must be received by the secretary, in the case of an annual meeting not more than 180 days and not less than 120 days before the date of the meeting, or in the case of a special meeting, not more than 15 days after the day on which notice of the special meeting is first mailed to stockholders. Notwithstanding the preceding sentence, requests for inclusion of proposals in the Corporation's proxy statement made pursuant to Rule 14a-8 under the Exchange Act, if applicable, shall be deemed to have been delivered in a timely manner if delivered in accordance with such Rule.

As to matters sought to be included in any proxy statement of the Corporation, stockholders shall comply with Rule 14a-8 under the Exchange Act, if applicable, rather than this section 1.11.

As to matters not sought to be included in any proxy statement of the Corporation, a stockholder's notice (if required) shall state:

- (a) the name and address of the stockholder of the Corporation who intends to make a nomination or bring up any other matter and the name and address of any Stockholder Associated Person covered by clauses (c), (d), or (e) below;
- (b) a representation that the stockholder is a holder of the Corporation's voting stock and intends to appear in person or by proxy at the meeting to make the nomination or bring up the matter specified in the notice;
- (c) as to the stockholder and any Stockholder Associated Person of the stockholder,
- (i) the class, series, number and principal amount, as applicable, of all securities of the Corporation which are owned of record by such stockholder or by any such Stockholder Associated Person as of the date of the notice,
- (ii) the class, series, number and principal amount, as applicable, of, and the nominee holder for, all securities of the Corporation owned beneficially but not of record by such stockholder or by any such Stockholder Associated Person as of the date of the notice, and
- (iii) a description of all Derivative Interests that have been entered into as of the date of the notice by, or on behalf of, such stockholder or by any such Stockholder

Associated Person, such description to include (1) the class, series, and actual or notional number, principal amount or dollar amount of all securities of the Corporation underlying or subject to such Derivative Interests, (2) the material economic terms of such Derivative Interests, and (3) the contractual counterparty for such Derivative Interests;

- (d) if the stockholder intends to make a nomination for the election of directors,
- (i) the name, age, business address and residence address of each nominee proposed by such stockholder (a "Proposed Nominee") and the name and address of any Proposed Nominee Associated Person covered by any of subclauses (ii) through (v) of this paragraph,
- (ii) the class, series, number and principal amount, as applicable, of all securities of the Corporation that are beneficially owned or owned of record by such Proposed Nominee and by any such Proposed Nominee Associated Person,
- (iii) a description of all Derivative Interests that have been entered into, as of the date of the notice, by or on behalf of such Proposed Nominee or any such Proposed Nominee Associated Person, such description to include (1) the class, series, and actual or notional number, principal amount or dollar amount of all securities of the Corporation underlying or subject to such Derivative Interests, (2) the material economic terms of such Derivative Interests, and (3) the contractual counterparty for such Derivative Interests,
- (iv) a description of all arrangements or understandings between the stockholder or any Stockholder Associated Person, on the one hand, and any Proposed Nominee or any other person or persons (naming such person or persons), on the other hand, pursuant to which the nomination or nominations are to be made by the stockholder, and
- (v) all other information relating to any Proposed Nominee, any Proposed Nominee Associated Person, the stockholder or any Stockholder Associated Person that would be required to be disclosed in filings with the SEC in connection with the solicitation of proxies by the stockholder pursuant to Section 14 of the Exchange Act and the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder (or any successor provision of the Exchange Act or the rules or regulations promulgated thereunder), whether or not Section 14 of the Exchange Act is then applicable to the Corporation;
 - (e) if the stockholder intends to make a proposal other than a nomination,
 - (i) a description of the matter,
 - (ii) the reasons for proposing such matter at the meeting,

- (iii) a description of any material interest of the stockholder or any Stockholder Associated Person, individually or in the aggregate, in the matter, including any anticipated benefit to the stockholder or any Stockholder Associated Person therefrom,
- (iv) a description of all arrangements or understandings between the stockholder or any Stockholder Associated Person, on the one hand, and any other person or persons (naming such person or persons), on the other hand, regarding the proposal, and
- (v) all other information relating to the proposal, the stockholder or any Stockholder Associated Person that would be required to be disclosed in filings with the SEC in connection with the solicitation of proxies by the stockholder pursuant to Section 14 of the Exchange Act and the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder (or any successor provision of the Exchange Act or the rules or regulations promulgated thereunder), whether or not Section 14 of the Exchange Act is then applicable to the Corporation; and
 - (f) to the extent known by the stockholder, the name and address of any other securityholder of the Corporation who owns, beneficially or of record, any securities of the Corporation and who supports any nominee proposed by such stockholder or any other matter such stockholder intends to propose.

Notice of intent to make a nomination shall be accompanied by the written consent of each Proposed Nominee to serve as director of the Corporation if elected.

If, after the submission of a stockholder's notice, any material change occurs in the information set forth in the stockholder's notice to the Corporation required by this section 1.11, including, but not limited to, any material increase or decrease in the percentage of the class or series of securities of the Corporation held or beneficially owned (including actual or notional number, principal amount or dollar amount of any securities underlying or subject to Derivative Interests), the stockholder shall promptly provide further written notice to the Corporation of that change and a statement updating all changed information as of the date of the further written notice. An acquisition or disposition of beneficial ownership of any number or principal amount of any securities of the Corporation (including an increase or decrease in actual or notional number, principal amount or dollar amount of any securities underlying or subject to Derivative Interests) in an aggregate amount equal to one percent or more of the class or series of securities outstanding shall be deemed "material" for purposes of this section 1.11; acquisitions or dispositions or increases or decreases of less than those amounts may be material, depending upon the facts and circumstances.

At the meeting of stockholders, the presiding officer may declare out of order and disregard any nomination or other matter not presented in accordance with this section.

Notwithstanding the foregoing provisions of this section 1.11, unless otherwise required by law, if the stockholder (or a qualified representative of the stockholder) does not appear at the annual or special meeting of stockholders of the Corporation to make its nomination or propose any

other matter, such nomination shall be disregarded and such other proposed matter shall not be transacted, even if proxies in respect of such vote have been received by the Corporation. For purposes of this section 1.11, to be considered a "qualified representative" of the stockholder, a person must be a duly authorized officer, manager or partner of such stockholder or must be authorized by a writing executed by such stockholder or an electronic transmission delivered by such stockholder to act for such stockholder as proxy at the meeting of stockholders and such person must produce such writing or electronic transmission, or a reliable reproduction of the writing or electronic transmission, at the commencement of the meeting of stockholders.

For purposes of this section 1.11:

- (1) "Stockholder Associated Person" of any stockholder shall mean (i) any person acting in concert with such stockholder, (ii) any beneficial owner of securities of the Corporation owned of record or beneficially by such stockholder and (iii) any person directly or indirectly controlling, controlled by or under common control with such stockholder or a Stockholder Associated Person;
- (2) "Proposed Nominee Associated Person" of any Proposed Nominee shall mean (i) any person acting in concert with such Proposed Nominee, (ii) any beneficial owner of securities of the Corporation owned of record or beneficially by such Proposed Nominee and (iii) any person directly or indirectly controlling, controlled by or under common control with such Proposed Nominee or a Proposed Nominee Associated Person; and
- (3) "Derivative Interest" shall mean (i) any option, warrant, convertible security, appreciation right or similar right with an exercise, conversion or exchange privilege, or a settlement payment or mechanism, related to any security of the Corporation, or any similar instrument with a value derived in whole or in part from the value of any security of the Corporation, in any such case whether or not it is subject to settlement in any security of the Corporation or otherwise and (ii) any arrangement, agreement or understanding (including any short position or any borrowing or lending of any securities) which includes an opportunity for the stockholder, Stockholder Associated Person, Proposed Nominee, or Proposed Nominee Associated Person (as applicable), directly or indirectly, to profit or share in any profit derived from any increase or decrease in the value of any security of the Corporation, to mitigate any loss or manage any risk associated with any increase or decrease in the value of any security of the Corporation or to increase or decrease the number of securities of the Corporation which such person is or will be entitled to vote or direct the vote, in any case whether or not it is subject to settlement in any security of the Corporation or

otherwise; provided, however, that Derivative Interests shall not include: (a) rights of a pledgee under a bona fide pledge of any security of the Corporation; (b) rights applicable to all holders of a class or series of securities of the Corporation to receive securities of the Corporation pro rata, or obligations to dispose of securities of the Corporation, as a result of a merger, exchange offer or consolidation involving the Corporation; (c) rights or obligations to surrender any number or principal amount of securities of the Corporation, or have any number or principal amount of securities of the Corporation withheld, upon the receipt or exercise of a derivative security or the receipt or vesting of any securities, in order to satisfy the exercise price or the tax withholding consequences of receipt, exercise, or vesting; (d) interests in broadbased index options, broad-based index futures, and broad-based publicly traded market baskets of stocks approved for trading by the appropriate federal governmental authority; (e) interests or rights to participate in employee benefit plans of the Corporation held by current or former directors, employees, consultants or agents of the Corporation; or (f) options granted to an underwriter in a registered public offering for the purpose of satisfying overallotments in such offering.

1.12 Stockholder Action by Written Consent.

Request for Record Date. The record date for determining (a) stockholders entitled to express consent to corporate action in writing without a meeting shall be as fixed by the board of directors or as otherwise established under this section. Any person seeking to have the stockholders authorize or take corporate action by written consent without a meeting shall, by written notice addressed to the secretary of the Corporation and delivered to the Corporation and signed by a stockholder of record, request that a record date be fixed for such purpose. The written notice must contain the information set forth in paragraph (b) of this section. Following receipt of the notice, the board shall have ten days to determine the validity of the request, and if appropriate, adopt a resolution fixing the record date for such purpose. The record date for such purpose shall be no more than ten days after the date upon which the resolution fixing the record date is adopted by the board and shall not precede the date such resolution is adopted. If the board fails within ten days after the Corporation receives such notice to fix a record date for such purpose, the record date shall be the day on which the first written consent is delivered to the Corporation in the manner described in paragraph (d) of this section; except that, if prior action by the board is required under the provisions of Delaware law, the record date shall be at the close of business on the day on which the board adopts the resolution taking such prior action.

(b) Notice Requirements. Any stockholder's notice required by paragraph (a) of this section must describe the action that the stockholder proposes to take by consent. Following the Initial Public Offering, for each such proposal, every notice by a stockholder must state (i) the information required by section 1.11 as though such stockholder was intending to make a nomination or to bring any such other matter before a meeting of stockholders, and as though such stockholder was not seeking to include any such nomination or other matter in the proxy statement of the Corporation and (ii) the text of the proposal (including the text of any resolutions to be effected by consent and the language of any proposed amendment to the bylaws of the Corporation).

In addition to the foregoing, the notice must state as to the stockholder giving the notice and the beneficial owner, if any, on whose behalf the notice is given a representation whether the stockholder or the beneficial owner, if any, intends or is part of a group which intends to (i) deliver a proxy statement and/or consent solicitation statement to stockholders of at least the percentage of the Corporation's outstanding capital stock required to effect the action by consent either to solicit consents or to solicit proxies to execute consents, and/or (ii) otherwise solicit proxies or consents from stockholders in support of the action to be taken by consent. The Corporation may require the stockholder of record and/or beneficial owner requesting a record date for proposed stockholder action by consent to furnish such other information as it may reasonably require to determine the validity of the request for a record date.

- (c) <u>Date of Consent</u>. Every written consent purporting to take or authorize the taking of corporate action (each such written consent is referred to in this paragraph and in paragraph (d) as a "Consent") must bear the date of signature of each stockholder who signs the Consent, and no Consent shall be effective to take the corporate action referred to therein unless, within 60 days of the earliest dated Consent delivered in the manner required by this section, Consents signed by a sufficient number of stockholders to take such action are so delivered to the Corporation.
- (d) <u>Delivery of Consent</u>. Consent must be delivered to the Corporation by delivery to its registered office in the State of Delaware or its principal place of business. Delivery must be made by hand or by certified or registered mail, return receipt requested.

In the event of the delivery to the Corporation of Consents, the secretary of the Corporation, or such other officer of the Corporation as the board of directors may designate, shall provide for the safe-keeping of such Consents and any related revocations and shall promptly conduct such ministerial review of the sufficiency of all Consents and any related revocations and of the validity of the action to be taken by stockholder consent as the secretary of the Corporation, or such other officer of the Corporation as the board may designate, as the case may be, deems necessary or appropriate, including, without limitation, whether the stockholders of a number of shares having the requisite voting power to authorize or take the action specified in Consents have given consent; provided, however, that if the corporate action to which the Consents relate

is the removal or replacement of one or more members of the board, the secretary of the Corporation, or such other officer of the Corporation as the board may designate, as the case may be, shall promptly designate two persons, who shall not be members of the board, to serve as inspectors ("Inspectors") with respect to such Consent and such Inspectors shall discharge the functions of the secretary of the Corporation, or such other officer of the Corporation as the board may designate, as the case may be, under this section. If after such investigation the secretary of the Corporation, such other officer of the Corporation as the board may designate or the Inspectors, as the case may be, shall determine that the action purported to have been taken is duly authorized by the Consents, that fact shall be certified on the records of the Corporation kept for the purpose of recording the proceedings of meetings of stockholders and the Consents shall be filed in such records.

In conducting the investigation required by this section, the secretary of the Corporation, such other officer of the Corporation as the board may designate or the Inspectors, as the case may be, may, at the expense of the Corporation, retain special legal counsel and any other necessary or appropriate professional advisors as such person or persons may deem necessary or appropriate and shall be fully protected in relying in good faith upon the opinion of such counsel or advisors.

- (e) <u>Effectiveness of Consent</u>. No action by written consent without a meeting shall be effective until such date as the secretary of the Corporation, such other officer of the Corporation as the board may designate, or the Inspectors, as applicable, certify to the Corporation that the consents delivered to the Corporation in accordance with paragraph (d) of this section, represent at least the minimum number of votes that would be necessary to take the corporate action in accordance with Delaware law and the certificate of incorporation, which, following an Initial Public Offering, will be all the outstanding shares entitled to vote thereon.
- (f) <u>Challenge to Validity of Consent</u>. Nothing contained in this section 1.12 shall in any way be construed to suggest or imply that the board of directors of the Corporation or any stockholder shall not be entitled to contest the validity of any Consent or related revocations, whether before or after such certification by the secretary of the Corporation, such other officer of the Corporation as the board may designate or the Inspectors, as the case may be, or to take any other action (including, without limitation, the commencement, prosecution, or defense of any litigation with respect thereto, and the seeking of injunctive relief in such litigation).

ARTICLE II BOARD OF DIRECTORS

2.1 Responsibility and Number.

The business and affairs of the Corporation shall be managed by, or under the direction of, a board of directors. Subject to the provisions of the certificate of incorporation and any certificates of designation for preferred stock, the board of directors shall consist of such number

of directors as may be determined from time to time by resolution adopted by a vote of a majority of the entire board of directors. No board vacancy shall exist as long as the number of directors in office is equal to the number of directors designated by the board in a resolution in accordance with the certificate of incorporation and this bylaw.

2.2 Election; Resignation; Vacancies.

- (a) <u>Term</u>. At each annual meeting of stockholders, each nominee elected by the stockholders to serve as a director shall hold office for a term commencing on the date of the annual meeting, or such later date as shall be determined by the board of directors, and ending on the next annual meeting of stockholders. Each elected director shall hold office until his successor is elected and qualified or until such director's earlier death, resignation or removal.
- (b) <u>Majority Voting</u>. Except as provided in paragraph (d) below, each nominee shall be elected a director by the vote of the majority of the votes cast by holders of shares entitled to vote with respect to that director's election at any meeting for the election of directors at which a quorum is present. For purposes of this section 2.2, a majority of votes cast means that the number of votes "for" a director must exceed 50 percent of the votes cast with respect to that director. Votes "against" will count as a vote cast with respect to that director, but "abstentions" will not count as a vote cast with respect to that director.
- (c) <u>Election of Directors</u>. Nominations of candidates for election as directors at any stockholder meeting at which directors will be elected may be made (i) by the board, or (ii) by any stockholder entitled to vote at such meeting only in accordance with the procedures established by section 1.11.
- (d) <u>Contested Elections</u>. If with respect to any stockholder meeting at which directors will be elected, the secretary receives proper notice under section 1.11 that a stockholder intends to make a nomination at such meeting such that the number of nominees would exceed the number of directors to be elected and such notice has not been withdrawn on or prior to the fourteenth day before the date that the Corporation begins mailing its notice of such meeting to the stockholders, the nominees who receive a plurality of the votes cast by holders of shares entitled to vote in the election at a meeting at which a quorum is present shall be elected. This provision shall not apply, however, if the stockholder providing notice of an intended nomination under section 1.11 nominated one or more candidates for election at a stockholder meeting within the last 18 months, and no candidate nominated pursuant to such notice received 0.01 percent or more of the votes cast at such meeting.

- (e) <u>Resignation and Replacement of Unsuccessful Incumbents.</u>
 Following an Initial Public Offering:
- (i) In order for any incumbent director to become a nominee of the board for further service on the board, such person must submit an irrevocable resignation, contingent (i) on that person not receiving more than 50% of the votes cast, and (ii) acceptance of that resignation by the board in accordance with policies and procedures adopted by the board for such purposes.
- (ii) A resignation that becomes effective if and when the director fails to receive a specified vote for re-election as a director shall provide that it is irrevocable.
- (iii) The board of directors, acting on the recommendation of the directors and corporate governance committee, shall within 90 days of receiving the certified vote pertaining to such election, determine whether to accept the resignation of the unsuccessful incumbent. Absent a determination by the board of directors that a compelling reason exists for concluding that it is in the best interests of the Corporation for an unsuccessful incumbent to remain as a director, no such person shall be elected by the board to serve as a director, and the board shall accept that person's resignation.
- (iv) If the board determines to accept the resignation of an unsuccessful incumbent, the directors and corporate governance committee shall promptly recommend a candidate to the board of directors to fill the office formerly held by the unsuccessful incumbent.
- (v) The board of directors shall promptly consider and act upon the directors and corporate governance committee's recommendation. The committee, in making this recommendation and the board, in acting on such recommendation, may consider any factors or other information that they determine appropriate and relevant.
- (vi) The directors and corporate governance committee and the board of directors shall take the actions required under this paragraph (e) without the participation of any unsuccessful incumbent except that:
- a. If every member of the directors and corporate governance committee is an unsuccessful incumbent, the Independent Directors (as defined in section 2.10) who are not unsuccessful incumbents shall name a committee comprised of some or all of the Independent Directors to make recommendations under this subsection to the board; and
- b. If the number of Independent Directors who are not unsuccessful incumbents is three or fewer, all directors may participate in the decisions under this paragraph (e).
 - (f) <u>Acceptance of a Director's Resignation</u>. If the board of directors accepts the resignation of a director who is an unsuccessful incumbent pursuant to this bylaw, or if a nominee for director who is not an incumbent director does not receive more than 50 percent of the votes cast, then subject to the certificate of incorporation and any certificate of

designations for preferred stock, the board of directors at its discretion may decrease the size of the board of directors pursuant to the provisions of section 2.1.

- (g) <u>Resignation</u>. Any director may resign at any time upon notice given in writing or by electronic transmission to the chairman of the board or to the secretary. A resignation is effective when the resignation is delivered unless the resignation specifies (i) a later effective date or (ii) an effective date determined upon the happening of an event or events.
- (h) Removal. Prior to the Initial Public Offering, any director may be removed from office, with or without cause, by the affirmative vote of the holders of at least a majority of the voting power of the outstanding shares of all classes of stock entitled to vote at the election of directors, except as otherwise provided by the General Corporation Law of Delaware. Following the Initial Public Offering, any director may be removed from office, only with cause, by the affirmative vote of the holders of at least a majority of the voting power of the outstanding shares of all classes of stock entitled to vote at the election of directors. Prior to an Initial Public Offering, if any Required Director (as defined in section 2.5) is removed from office pursuant to this section 2.2(h), the stockholder who had the right to nominate such director shall have the right to nominate a director to replace such removed director, subject to, and in accordance with, the terms set forth in the Stockholders Agreement.
- (i) <u>Filling a Vacancy</u>. Subject to section 2.2(e) and the last sentence of section 2.2(h), any vacancy occurring in the board for any reason may be filled by a majority of the members of the board then in office, even if such majority is less than a quorum. Each director so elected shall hold office for a term expiring at the time of the expiration of the term of the other directors. Each such director shall hold office until his successor is elected and qualified or until such director's earlier death, resignation or removal.

2.3 Regular Meetings.

Unless otherwise determined by resolution of the board of directors, a meeting of the board for the election of officers and the transaction of such other business as may come before it shall be held as soon as practicable following the annual meeting of stockholders, and other regular meetings of the board shall be held either on the first Tuesday of each month designated by the chairman of the board, or if that is a legal holiday, then on the next Tuesday that is not a legal holiday, or such other days as may from time to time be designated by the chairman of the board.

2.4 Special Meetings.

Special meetings of the board of directors may be called by the chairman of the board, or the chairman of the board may by written designation appoint the chief executive officer, the

president, the vice chairman, or a vice president of the Corporation to call such meeting. Special meetings may also be called by the lead director, or if there is no lead director, the chairman of the directors and corporate governance committee or by written request of one-third of the directors then in office. The place, date, and time of a special meeting shall be fixed by the person or persons calling the special meeting. Notice of a special meeting of the board of directors shall be sent by the secretary of the Corporation to each director who does not waive written notice (either in writing or by attendance at such meeting) either by first class United States mail at least four days before such meeting, or by overnight mail, courier service, electronic transmission, or hand delivery at least 24 hours before the special meeting. Unless such notice indicates otherwise, any business may be transacted at a special meeting.

2.5 Quorum; Vote Required for Action.

- (a) Following an Initial Public Offering, at all meetings of the board of directors, one-third of the total number of directors then in office, shall be necessary to constitute a quorum for the transaction of business. Except in cases in which applicable law, the certificate of incorporation, or these bylaws provide otherwise, the vote of a majority of the directors present at a meeting at which a quorum is present shall be the act of the board.
- Prior to an Initial Public Offering, at all meetings of the (b) board of directors, one-third of the total number of directors then in office, including the Required Directors, shall be necessary to constitute a quorum for the transaction of business. If such quorum is not present within 60 minutes after the time appointed for such meeting, such meeting shall be adjourned and the chairman of the board shall reschedule the meeting to be held not fewer than two nor more than 10 Business Days thereafter. If such meeting is rescheduled and one-third of the total number of directors then in office, including the Required Directors, are not present at the rescheduled meeting, then those directors who are present or represented by proxy at the rescheduled meeting shall constitute a valid quorum for all purposes hereunder; provided that written notice by overnight mail, courier service, electronic transmission, or hand delivery of any rescheduled meeting shall have been delivered to all directors at least one Business Day prior to the date of such rescheduled meeting; and provided further, that the directors present determine, in good faith, that any absent Required Director's absence was motivated by an intention to delay or impede the meeting. Except in cases in which applicable law, the certificate of incorporation, or these bylaws provide otherwise, the vote of a majority of the directors present at a meeting at which a quorum is present shall be the act of the board.

The term "Required Director" shall mean, with respect to any stockholder who has a then-current right to designate for nomination, and has designated for nomination, one or more directors pursuant to the Stockholders Agreement, one director so designated for nomination by such stockholder.

2.6 Election of Chairman; Conduct of Board Meeting.

The board of directors shall annually elect one of its members to be chairman of the board and shall fill any vacancy in the position of chairman of the board with a director at such time and in such manner as the board shall determine. A director may be removed from the position of chairman of the board at any time by the affirmative vote of a majority of the board. The chairman of the board may but need not be an officer or employed in an executive or any other capacity by the Corporation. If the chairman of the board is not an Independent Director, the board of directors shall designate one of its Independent Directors to be lead director, with such responsibilities as the board may determine.

The chairman of the board shall preside at meetings of the board and lead the board in fulfilling its responsibilities as defined in section 2.1.

In the absence of the chairman of the board, the lead director or, if there is no lead director, the chairman of the directors and corporate governance committee or, in his absence, a member of the board selected by the members present, shall preside at meetings of the board. The secretary of the Corporation shall act as secretary of the meetings of the board but, in his absence, the presiding director may appoint a secretary for the meeting.

2.7 Ratification.

Any transaction questioned in any stockholders' derivative suit on the grounds of lack of authority, defective or irregular execution, adverse interest of director, officer or stockholder, non-disclosure, miscomputation, or the application of improper principles or practices of accounting may be ratified before or after judgment, by the board of directors or by the stockholders in case less than a quorum of directors are qualified; and, if so ratified, shall have the same force and effect as if the questioned transaction had been originally duly authorized, and said ratification shall be binding upon the Corporation and its stockholders and shall constitute a bar to any claim or execution of any judgment in respect of such questioned transaction.

2.8 Written Action by Directors.

Unless otherwise restricted by the certificate of incorporation or these bylaws, any action required or permitted to be taken at any meeting of the board of directors, or of any committee thereof, may be taken without a meeting if all members of the board or such committee, as the case may be, consent thereto in writing or by electronic transmission, and written evidence of such consent is filed with the minutes of proceedings of the board or committee.

2.9 Telephonic Meetings Permitted.

Members of the board of directors, or any committee of the board, may participate in a meeting of such board or committee by means of conference telephone or other communications equipment by means of which all persons participating in the meeting can hear each other, and participation in a meeting pursuant to this bylaw shall constitute presence in person at such meeting.

2.10 Independent Directors.

Two-thirds of the individuals nominated by the board of directors as candidates for election to the board by the stockholders at the next annual meeting of stockholders shall qualify to be Independent Directors (as defined in this section).

If the board elects directors between annual meetings of stockholders, two-thirds of all directors holding office immediately after such election shall be Independent Directors.

For purposes of this section 2.10, the term "Independent Director" shall mean a director who qualifies as independent within the meaning of Rule 303A.02 of the New York Stock Exchange's Listed Company Manual (or any successor provision), whether or not any of the shares of Common Stock are then listed on the New York Stock Exchange.

2.11 Access to Books and Records

The records, books, and accounts of the Corporation maintained by or under the supervision of the chief financial officer, the secretary, or any other officer shall be open, during the usual hours for business of the Corporation, to the examination of any director for any purpose reasonably related to his role as a director.

ARTICLE III COMMITTEES

3.1 Committees of the Board of Directors.

The board of directors may, by resolution passed by a majority of the total number of directors then in office (and not by a committee thereof), designate one or more committees, consisting of one or more of the directors of the Corporation, to be committees of the board. To the extent provided in any resolution of the board, these bylaws, or any charter adopted by such committee and approved by the board, and to the extent permissible under Delaware law and the certificate of incorporation, any such committee shall have and may exercise all the powers and authority of the board in the management of the business and affairs of the Corporation.

The standing committees of the board shall include the audit committee, the directors and corporate governance committee, the executive compensation committee, the investment funds committee, and the public policy committee. The board (but not a committee thereof) may designate additional committees of the board and may prescribe for each committee such powers and authority as may properly be granted to such committees in the management of the business and affairs of the Corporation. The board of directors may establish by resolution, adopted by a majority of the whole board, an administrative committee with the authority and responsibility to act on behalf of the board with regard to matters submitted to the board that, pursuant to any statement of delegation of authority adopted by the board from time to time, do not constitute issues within the sole jurisdiction of the board or any committee thereof and are not otherwise significant.

3.2 Election; Vacancies.

The members and the chairman of each committee described in sections 3.4 through 3.8 shall be elected annually by the board at its first meeting after each annual meeting of stockholders or at any other time the board shall determine. The members of other committees of the board may be designated at such time as the board may determine. Vacancies in any committee may be filled at such time and in such manner as the board shall determine.

3.3 Procedure; Quorum.

Except to the extent otherwise provided in these bylaws or any resolution of the board of directors, each committee of the board may fix its own rules and procedures.

At all meetings of any committee of the board, one-third of the members thereof shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business. The vote of a majority of the members present at a meeting of a committee of the board at which a quorum is present shall be the act of the committee unless the certificate of incorporation, these bylaws, or a resolution of the board requires the vote of a greater number.

3.4 Investment Funds Committee.

The investment funds committee shall be responsible for assisting the board of directors with its general oversight responsibility for the investment funds of the Corporation and its subsidiaries. The committee shall serve, where it is designated by the governing documents, as a named fiduciary of the defined benefit employee benefit plans of the Corporation and any subsidiary of the Corporation that are covered by the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA) where and to the extent that it is designated by the plan's governing documents. In addition, the committee shall report annually to the board regarding the performance of the named fiduciaries and administrators of such plans of their responsibilities under ERISA, and the investment activity of the defined benefit plans among such plans. The board and management of the Corporation and its subsidiaries shall retain all authority to determine the amount and timing of any future funding of such plans.

3.5 Audit Committee.

The audit committee shall have and may exercise the powers, authority, and responsibilities that are normally appropriate for the functions of an audit committee. The committee shall also annually select the independent accountants for the following calendar year, and that selection shall be submitted to the board of directors for their concurrence and to the stockholders for their ratification or rejection at the annual meeting of stockholders.

3.6 Executive Compensation Committee.

The executive compensation committee shall be responsible for matters related to executive compensation and all other equity-based incentive compensation plans of the Corporation. The committee shall determine the compensation of: (a) employees of the Corporation who are directors of the Corporation; and (b) upon the recommendation of the chief executive officer, all senior officers of the Corporation and any other employee of the Corporation who occupies such

other position as may be designated by the committee from time to time. The committee shall review the compensation of any director, officer or other employee of any direct or indirect subsidiary of the Corporation as may be designated by the committee from time to time to determine if it has any objection to such compensation. The committee shall have and may exercise the powers and authority granted to it by any incentive compensation plan for employees of the Corporation.

In the case of any employee benefit or incentive compensation plan that affects employees of the Corporation or its subsidiaries if the compensation of such employees is determined or subject to review by the committee, such plan shall be submitted to the committee for its review before adoption by the Corporation or its subsidiary. Any such plan or amendment or modification shall be made effective with respect to employees of the Corporation only if and to the extent approved by the committee.

3.7 Public Policy Committee.

The public policy committee shall, upon its own initiative or otherwise, inquire into all phases of the Corporation's business activities that relate to matters of public policy. The committee may make recommendations to the board of directors to assist it in formulating and adopting basic policies calculated to promote the best interests of the Corporation and the community.

3.8 Directors and Corporate Governance Committee.

The directors and corporate governance committee shall be responsible for matters related to service on the board of directors of the Corporation, and associated issues of corporate governance. The committee from time to time shall conduct studies of the size and composition of the board. Prior to each annual meeting of stockholders, the committee shall recommend to the board (in accordance with the terms of the Stockholders Agreement) the individuals to constitute the nominees of the board, so that the board may solicit proxies for their election. The committee shall review the qualifications of individuals for consideration as director candidates and shall recommend to the board, for its consideration, the names of individuals for election by the board. In addition, the committee shall from time to time conduct studies and make recommendations to the board regarding compensation of directors.

ARTICLE IV OFFICERS

4.1 Election of Officers.

The board of directors shall elect such officers of the Corporation with the titles and duties that it designates, provided that the Corporation shall have at least two officers at any time. There may be a chief executive officer, a president, one or more vice chairmen of the Corporation, one or more vice presidents (which may include one or more executive vice presidents and/or group vice presidents), a chief financial officer, a secretary, a treasurer, a controller, a general counsel, a general auditor and a chief tax officer. The officers, other than the chief executive officer and the president, shall each have the powers, authority and responsibilities of those officers provided by the bylaws or as the board or the chief executive officer may determine. One person

may hold any number of offices. Each officer shall hold his office until his successor is elected and qualified or until his earlier resignation or removal.

4.2 Chief Executive Officer.

The chief executive officer shall have the general executive responsibility for the conduct of the business and affairs of the Corporation. He shall exercise such other powers, authority and responsibilities as the board of directors may determine.

In the absence of or during the physical disability of the chief executive officer, the board may designate an officer who shall have and exercise the powers, authority, and responsibilities of the chief executive officer.

4.3 President.

The president shall, subject to the direction and control of the board of directors and the chief executive officer, participate in the supervision of the business and affairs of the Corporation. He shall perform all duties incident to the office of president and shall have and exercise such powers, authority and responsibilities as the board of directors may determine.

4.4 Vice Chairman of the Corporation.

The vice chairman shall, subject to the direction and control of the board of directors and the chief executive officer, participate in the supervision of the business and affairs of the Corporation. He shall have and exercise such powers, authority, and responsibilities as the board of directors may determine.

4.5 Chief Financial Officer.

The chief financial officer shall be the principal financial officer of the Corporation. He shall render such accounts and reports as may be required by the board of directors or any committee of the board. The financial records, books and accounts of the Corporation shall be maintained subject to his direct or indirect supervision.

4.6 Treasurer.

The treasurer shall have direct or indirect custody of all funds and securities of the Corporation and shall perform all duties incident to the position of treasurer.

4.7 Secretary.

The secretary shall keep the minutes of all meetings of stockholders and directors and shall give all required notices and have charge of such books and papers as the board of directors may require. He shall perform all duties incident to the office of secretary and shall submit such reports to the board or to any committee as the board or such committee may request. Any action or duty required to be performed by the secretary may be performed by an assistant secretary.

4.8 Controller.

The controller shall exercise general supervision of the accounting staff of the Corporation. He shall perform all duties incident to the position of controller and shall submit reports from time to time relating to the general financial condition of the Corporation.

4.9 General Counsel.

The general counsel shall be the chief legal officer of the Corporation and shall have general control of all matters of legal import concerning the Corporation. He shall perform all duties incident to the position of general counsel.

4.10 General Auditor.

The general auditor shall have such duties as are incident to the position of general auditor in the performance of an internal audit activity of the Corporation and shall have direct access to the audit committee.

4.11 Chief Tax Officer.

The chief tax officer shall have responsibility for all tax matters involving the Corporation, with authority to sign, and to delegate to others authority to sign, all returns, reports, agreements and documents involving the administration of the Corporation's tax affairs.

4.12 Subordinate Officers.

The board of directors may from time to time appoint one or more assistant officers to the officers of the Corporation and such other subordinate officers as the board of directors may deem advisable. Such subordinate officers shall have such powers, authority and responsibilities as the board or the chief executive officer may from time to time determine. The board may grant to any committee of the board or the chief executive officer the power and authority to appoint subordinate officers and to prescribe their respective terms of office, powers, authority, and responsibilities. Each subordinate officer shall hold his position at the pleasure of the board, the committee of the board appointing him, the chief executive officer and any other officer to whom such subordinate officer reports.

4.13 Resignation; Removal; Suspension; Vacancies.

Any officer may resign at any time by giving written notice to the chief executive officer or the secretary. Unless stated in the notice of resignation, the acceptance thereof shall not be necessary to make it effective. It shall take effect at the time specified therein or, in the absence of such specification, it shall take effect upon the receipt thereof.

Any officer elected by the board of directors may be suspended or removed at any time by the affirmative vote of a majority of the board. Any subordinate officer of the Corporation appointed by the board, a committee of the board, or the chief executive officer may be suspended or removed at any time by the board, the committee that appointed such subordinate officer, the chief executive officer or any other officer to whom such subordinate officer reports.

Subject to any contractual limitations, the chief executive officer may suspend the powers, authority, responsibilities and compensation of any employee, including any elected officer or appointed subordinate officer, for a period of time sufficient to permit the board or the appropriate committee of the board a reasonable opportunity to consider and act upon a resolution relating to the reinstatement, further suspension or removal of such person.

As appropriate, the board, a committee of the board and/or the chief executive officer may fill any vacancy created by the resignation, death, retirement, or removal of an officer in the same manner as provided for the election or appointment of such person.

ARTICLE V INDEMNIFICATION

5.1 Right to Indemnification of Directors and Officers.

Subject to the other provisions of this article, the Corporation shall indemnify and advance expenses to every director and officer of the Corporation in the manner and to the fullest extent permitted by applicable law as it presently exists or may hereafter be amended, against any and all amounts (including judgments, fines, payments in settlement, attorneys' fees and other expenses) reasonably incurred by or on behalf of such person in connection with any threatened, pending, or completed investigation, action, suit or proceeding, whether civil, criminal, administrative or investigative ("a proceeding"), in which such director or officer was or is made or is threatened to be made a party or called as a witness or is otherwise involved by reason of the fact that such person is or was a director or officer of the Corporation, or is or was serving at the request of the Corporation as a director, officer, employee, fiduciary or member of any other corporation, partnership, joint venture, trust, organization or other enterprise, whether the basis of such proceeding is an alleged action in an official capacity as a director, officer, employee, fiduciary or member or in any other capacity while serving as a director, officer, employee, fiduciary or member. The Corporation shall not be required to indemnify a person in connection with a proceeding initiated by such person if the proceeding was not authorized by the board of directors of the Corporation.

5.2 Advancement of Expenses of Directors and Officers.

The Corporation shall pay the expenses of directors and officers incurred in defending any proceeding in advance of its final disposition ("advancement of expenses"); provided, however, that the payment of expenses incurred by a director or officer in advance of the final disposition of the proceeding shall be made only upon receipt of an undertaking by the director or officer to repay all amounts advanced if it should be ultimately determined that by final judicial decision from which there is no further right of appeal the director or officer is not entitled to be indemnified under this article or otherwise.

5.3 Claims by Officers or Directors.

If a claim for indemnification or advancement of expenses by a director or officer under this article is not paid in full within 90 days after a written claim therefor has been received by the Corporation, the claimant may file suit to recover the unpaid amount of such claim and, if successful in whole or in part, shall be entitled to be paid the expense of prosecuting such claim.

In any such action, the Corporation shall have the burden of proving that the claimant was not entitled to the requested indemnification or advancement of expenses under applicable law.

5.4 Indemnification of Employees.

- Subject to the other provisions of this article, the Corporation may indemnify and advance expenses to every employee or agent of the Corporation who is not a director or officer of the Corporation in the manner and to the fullest extent permitted by applicable law as it presently exists or may hereafter be amended, against any and all amounts (including judgments, fines, payments in settlement, attorneys' fees and other expenses) reasonably incurred by or on behalf of such person in connection with any proceeding, in which such employee or agent was or is made or is threatened to be made a party or called as a witness or is otherwise involved by reason of the fact that such person is or was an employee or agent of the Corporation. Except as set forth in paragraph (b) below, the ultimate determination of entitlement to indemnification of employees or agents who are not officers and directors shall be made in such manner as is provided by applicable law. The Corporation shall not be required to indemnify a person in connection with a proceeding initiated by such person if the proceeding was not authorized by the board of the Corporation.
- Subject to the other provisions of this article, the Corporation shall indemnify and advance expenses to every employee or agent of the Corporation who is not a director or officer of the Corporation in the manner and to the fullest extent permitted by applicable law as it presently exists or may hereafter be amended, against any and all amounts (including judgments, fines, payments in settlement, attorneys' fees and other expenses) reasonably incurred by or on behalf of such person in connection with any proceeding, in which such employee or agent was or is made or is threatened to be made a party or called as a witness or is otherwise involved by reason of the fact that such person is or was serving at the request of the Corporation as a director, officer, employee, fiduciary or member of any other corporation, partnership, joint venture, trust, organization or other enterprise, whether the basis of such proceeding is alleged action in an official capacity as a director, officer, employee, fiduciary or member or in any other capacity while serving as a director, officer, employee, fiduciary or member. The Corporation shall not be required to indemnify a person in connection with a proceeding initiated by such person if the proceeding was not authorized by the board of the Corporation.

5.5 Advancement of Expenses of Employees.

The advancement of expenses of an employee or agent who is not a director or officer shall be made by or in the manner provided by resolution of the board of directors or by a committee of the board; provided, however, that the advancement of expenses required under section 5.4(b) of these bylaws shall be paid by the Corporation in advance of its final disposition; provided, further that the payment of expenses incurred by an employee or agent pursuant to section 5.4(a) and (b) of these bylaws in advance of the final disposition of the proceeding shall be made only upon receipt of an undertaking by the employee or agent to repay all amounts advanced if it should be ultimately determined by final judicial decision from which there is no further right of appeal the employee or agent is not entitled to be indemnified under this article or otherwise.

5.6 Claims by Employees.

If a claim for indemnification or advancement of expenses by an employee or agent pursuant to section 5.4(b) of these bylaws is not paid in full within 90 days after a written claim therefor has been received by the Corporation, the claimant may file suit to recover the unpaid amount of such claim and, if successful in whole or in part, shall be entitled to be paid the expense of prosecuting such claim. In any such action, the Corporation shall have the burden of proving that the claimant was not entitled to the requested indemnification or advancement of expenses under applicable law.

5.7 Non Exclusivity of Rights.

The rights conferred on any person by this article shall not be exclusive of any other rights which such person may have or hereafter acquire under any statute, any provision of the certificate of incorporation or of these bylaws or of any agreement, any vote of stockholders or disinterested directors or otherwise.

5.8 Other Indemnification.

The Corporation's obligation, if any, to indemnify any person who was or is serving at its request as a director, officer or employee of another corporation, partnership, joint venture, trust, organization, or other enterprise shall be reduced by any amount such person collects as indemnification from such other corporation, partnership, joint venture, trust, organization or other enterprise.

5.9 Insurance.

The board of directors may, to the fullest extent permitted by applicable law as it presently exists, or may hereafter be amended from time to time, authorize an appropriate officer or officers to purchase and maintain at the Corporation's expense insurance: (a) to reimburse the Corporation for any obligation which it incurs under the provisions of this article as a result of the indemnification of past, present or future directors, officers, employees, agents and any persons who have served in the past, are now serving or in the future will serve at the request of the Corporation as a director, officer, employee or agent of another corporation, partnership, joint venture, trust or other enterprise; and (b) to pay on behalf of or to indemnify such persons against liability in instances in which they may not otherwise be indemnified by the Corporation under the provisions of this article, whether or not the Corporation would have the power to indemnify such persons against such liability under this article or under applicable law.

5.10 Nature of Rights; Amendment or Repeal.

The rights conferred in this article V shall be contract rights that shall continue as to an indemnitee who has ceased to be a director, officer or employee and shall inure to the benefit of such person's heirs, executors, administrators, or other legal representatives. Any repeal or modification of the foregoing provisions of this article shall be prospective only and shall not adversely affect any right or protection hereunder of any person in respect of any act or omission occurring prior to the time of such repeal or modification.

ARTICLE VI MISCELLANEOUS

6.1 *Seal*.

The corporate seal shall have inscribed upon it the name of the Corporation, the year of its organization and the words "Corporate Seal," and "Delaware." The seal and any duplicate of the seal shall be in the charge of the secretary or an assistant secretary.

6.2 Fiscal Year.

The fiscal year of the Corporation shall begin on January 1 and end on December 31 of each year.

6.3 *Notice*.

Unless otherwise required by applicable law or elsewhere in these bylaws, any notice required to be given by these bylaws must be given in writing delivered in person, by first class United States mail, overnight mail or courier service, or by facsimile, electronic mail, or other electronic transmission followed by a paper copy of such notice delivered by overnight mail or courier service.

6.4 Waiver of Notice.

Whenever any notice is required to be given, a waiver thereof in writing, signed by the person or persons entitled to the notice, whether before or after the time stated therein, shall be deemed equivalent thereto. Such written notice of waiver need not specify the business to be transacted at or the purpose of any regular or special meeting of the stockholders, board of directors, or committee of the board. Attendance of a person at a meeting shall constitute a waiver of notice of such meeting, except attendance for the express purpose of objecting at the beginning of the meeting to the transaction of any business because the meeting is not lawfully called or convened.

6.5 Voting of Stock Owned by the Corporation.

The board of directors, the investment funds committee, or the chairman of the board may authorize any person and delegate to one or more officers or subordinate officers the authority to authorize any person to vote or to grant proxies to vote in behalf of the Corporation at any meeting of stockholders or in any solicitation of consent of any corporation or other entity in which the Corporation may hold stock or other voting securities.

6.6 Form of Records.

Any records maintained by the Corporation in the regular course of its business, including its stock ledger, books of account and minute books, may be kept on, or by means of, or be in the form of, any information storage device or method, provided that the records so kept can be converted into clearly legible paper form within a reasonable time. Upon the request of any person entitled to inspect records, the Corporation shall so convert such records.

6.7 Offices.

The Corporation shall maintain a registered office inside the State of Delaware and may also have other offices outside or inside the State of Delaware. The books of the Corporation may be kept outside or inside the State of Delaware.

6.8 Amendment of Bylaws.

Unless otherwise provided in the certificate of incorporation or these bylaws, (with the consent of the Required Directors with respect to any amendment to section 2.5(b) of these bylaws (or any successor provision)), the board of directors shall have power to adopt, amend, or repeal the bylaws at any regular or special meeting of the board. The stockholders shall also have power to adopt, amend, or repeal the bylaws at any annual or special meeting, subject to compliance with the notice provisions provided in section 1.11 of these bylaws.

6.9 Gender Pronouns.

Whenever the masculine pronoun is used in these bylaws, it shall be deemed to refer to either the masculine or the feminine gender.