

**INVESTMENT ADVISORY AGREEMENT (“AGREEMENT”)
BETWEEN
DRIEHAUS CAPITAL MANAGEMENT LLC (“DRIEHAUS”)
AND
CITY OF CLEARWATER EMPLOYEES’ PENSION PLAN (“CLIENT”)**

The Client, City of Clearwater Employees’ Pension Plan, hereby employs Driehaus, a Delaware limited liability company, and Driehaus hereby accepts its appointment by Client as investment adviser with respect to such assets of the Client as the Client designates from time to time (which, together with all additions and withdrawals of assets, all income earned by those assets and all realized and unrealized capital appreciation related to those assets, are hereinafter called the “Account”) under the following terms and conditions:

1. **Driehaus Representations** Driehaus hereby represents that: (i) it is duly registered with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the “SEC”) as an investment adviser under the Investment Advisers Act of 1940 (the “Advisers Act”); (ii) it will act in conformity with all written instructions and directions of the Client; and (iii) it will comply with and conform in all material respects to the requirements of the Advisers Act and all other applicable federal and state laws, regulations and rulings. Driehaus acknowledges that it is a fiduciary with respect to the management of the assets of the Client and that it is subject to and shall be governed by the “prudent investor rule” as those terms are defined and interpreted under the provisions of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act, and under the provisions of the law of Florida, including Florida Statutes §112.656 and Florida Statutes Chapter 518.

2. **Client Representations** (a) The Client represents that: (i) it has the requisite authority to appoint an investment adviser to manage (including the power to acquire and dispose of) the assets the Client may designate to the Account; (ii) the person executing this Agreement on behalf of the Client has the requisite authority required to do so; (iii) this Agreement does not cover other assets of the Client which are not specifically designated by the Client to be advised by Driehaus; (iv) all individuals named below are authorized by the Client to give instructions and otherwise act on behalf of the Client (the “Authorized Persons”); (v) it will deliver to Driehaus such evidence of its authority and the authority of the Authorized Persons as Driehaus may reasonably require; (vi) it shall notify Driehaus in the event that the identity of one or more of the Authorized Persons changes; (vii) it has received and reviewed Driehaus’ Form ADV Part 2A; (viii) the terms of this Agreement do not violate any provision of the Client’s governing instruments or any agreement or other obligation by which the Client is bound; and (ix) it has not received from Driehaus, or any person acting on Driehaus’ behalf, any guarantee or representation that any specific investment result or objective will be achieved by the Client with regard to the Account.

(b) The Client represents and warrants that (i) the Client is, and at all times while this Agreement is in effect shall remain, excepted from the definition of “investment company” in Section 3 of the Investment Company Act of 1940; (ii) the offer and sale of interests in the Client have been and will continue to be made in compliance with a valid exemption from the registration requirements of federal and state securities laws; and (iii) the Client will continue to comply in all material respects with the requirements of all other applicable federal and state laws.

Compliance with the continuing obligations set forth in Section 2(b) shall be the sole responsibility of the Client, which the Client will periodically confirm upon Driehaus’ reasonable request.

(c) The Client represents, warrants and covenants that it is not, and during the term of this Agreement, it will not be, any of the following: (i) an “employee benefit plan” as defined in, and subject to the fiduciary responsibility provisions of, the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974, as amended (“ERISA”), (ii) a “plan” as defined in and subject to Section 4975 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (the “Code”), or (iii) an entity deemed for any purpose of ERISA or Section 4975 of the Code to hold assets of any such employee benefit plan or plan due to investments made in such entity by already described benefit plan investors.

(d) Client agrees to immediately notify Driehaus, in writing, upon any change to any representation or warranty made by Client in this Agreement.

3. **Investment Advisory Powers** Driehaus is authorized to act for the Client with respect to the acquisition, retention, management and disposition of such assets the Client may designate to the Account. Subject to the written instructions and directions of the Client, the provisions of this Agreement and all schedules hereto, the Client hereby grants Driehaus full and unrestricted power and discretion to supervise and direct the investment and reinvestment of the assets in the Account and to place orders for the execution of securities transactions as Driehaus deems appropriate, without prior consultation with or notification to the Client.

4. **Investment Objectives & Restrictions** The Client's specific investment objectives for the Account, as well as any specific investment restrictions which are to be observed by Driehaus, are set forth on the Schedule of Investment Objectives and Restrictions attached hereto as Schedule A, which is specifically incorporated herein by this reference. The Client represents that it has no investment restrictions or objectives which apply to the Account or Driehaus other than those set forth in Schedule A. In the event that Client restricts a security or securities, Client understands that such restriction(s) may affect the Account's performance as compared to other accounts of Driehaus that invest in the strategy described in Schedule A.

5. **Compensation** The Client shall pay Driehaus for the services to be rendered by Driehaus under this Agreement in accordance with the Schedule of Compensation attached hereto as Schedule B and specifically incorporated herein by this reference. Driehaus reserves the right to change the Schedule of Compensation on sixty (60) days' written notice.

6. **Brokerage Placement Practices** (a) Driehaus will place the Account's orders for the execution of securities transactions with or through such brokers, dealers or trading venues as Driehaus in its discretion determines will provide best execution.

(b) Driehaus may execute brokerage transactions for the Account through brokers or dealers that also provide brokerage and research services, as defined in Section 28(e)(3) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. The commission paid to such brokers or dealers may be in excess of the amount of commission another broker would charge for the same transaction. Such services, moreover, may be available to Driehaus on a cash basis. Before effecting any such transaction, Driehaus will determine in good faith that the amount of such commission is reasonable in relation to the value of the brokerage and research services provided by such broker, viewed in terms of either that particular transaction or overall responsibilities of Driehaus to all of its clients.

(c) Because Driehaus frequently buys and sells the same securities at about the same time for a number of client accounts, bunched orders are used in seeking timely executions that are consistent with our order allocation practices. When the Account's orders are aggregated with orders for other accounts in the same securities, the securities acquired or the proceeds received are allocated among all participating accounts in accordance with the order allocation policy of Driehaus at the same average price.

7. **Allocation of Transactions** (a) Driehaus renders investment advisory services to other clients and, as such, may effect securities transactions for the accounts of such other clients which are identical or similar to those which Driehaus may effect for the Account at the same or different times. In a manner consistent with the policy of Driehaus to use its best efforts to treat all clients and classes of clients comparably, Driehaus may also give advice or take action with respect to other clients which may differ from the advice given or action taken with respect to the Account. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, Driehaus may also allocate transactions in securities among clients on such basis as Driehaus determines to be reasonable, including a determination that some clients may not purchase or sell the securities at the same time or same price as others.

(b) As more fully set forth in Driehaus' Form ADV Part 2A, which has been provided to the Client, the Client acknowledges that the officers, employees, principals and affiliates of Driehaus may directly or indirectly buy and sell securities for their own account, including those securities recommended to clients. Such purchases or sales may be at the same or different times or prices as Client's purchases or sales.

(c) Driehaus shall have no obligation to acquire or sell any position on behalf of the Account which Driehaus, its officers, employees, principals or affiliates may acquire or sell for their own accounts or for the accounts of other clients.

8. **Proxy Voting** Driehaus shall not be required to take any action or render any advice with respect to the voting of the stocks held in the Account and the Client shall retain the responsibility for voting proxies on all stocks held in the Account.

9. **Class Actions** Driehaus shall not be required to take any action, render any advice or act for the Client in any legal proceedings, including securities class actions and related claims or bankruptcies, involving the stocks held in the Account and the Client shall retain the responsibility to pursue, file and take all action related to any such legal proceedings or claims.

10. **Custodian** Driehaus shall not be responsible for the custody or safekeeping of the Account. The Account shall be held by a bank, trust company, broker-dealer or other entity acceptable to Driehaus and appointed by the Client (the "Custodian"). The Custodian shall at all times be responsible for the physical custody and safekeeping of the Account and for the collection of interest, dividends and other income attributable to the Account, and for settling transactions therein. Driehaus shall not be responsible for the accuracy of information furnished to the Client by the Custodian or any third party. At Driehaus' request, the Client agrees to instruct the Custodian to (a) provide Driehaus with reports regarding the amount of cash and cash equivalents in the Account available for investment, (b) settle all transactions as directed by Driehaus, and (c) provide confirmation in writing to Driehaus of all completed transactions. The Client may make additions to or withdrawals from the Account at any time, provided that the Client and/or Custodian gives Driehaus one (1) business day's prior notice of additions and withdrawals.

11. **Indemnification** Driehaus, its officers, employees, principals and affiliates and the Client, its officers, employees, principals and affiliates shall be mutually indemnified for all reasonable expenses, including reasonable attorneys' fees, incurred in the course of any threatened or actual litigation or administrative proceedings and for any losses, claims, damages or liabilities resulting directly or indirectly from any breaches by the other party of the representations made in Paragraphs 1 and 2 above or from the action or inaction of the other party, or any other representative under the other party's control or acting pursuant to the other party's direction.

12. **Termination** The Client may terminate this Agreement at any time during the first five (5) days of this Agreement without owing any fees. In addition, this Agreement may be terminated by the Client at any time without penalty by giving one (1) business day's prior written notice to Driehaus, or by Driehaus at any time, without penalty, by giving thirty (30) days' written notice to the Client. Any termination of this Agreement shall not, in any case, have an effect on or prevent consummation of any transaction initiated prior to the receipt of notice by Driehaus regarding such termination, and shall not affect Client's obligation to pay advisory fees (prorated through the date of termination). Notwithstanding the preceding sentence, in the event that the Client materially breaches any of its representations or obligations hereunder, Driehaus may terminate this Agreement immediately upon notice to the Client.

13. **Assignment** No assignment (as that term is defined in the Advisers Act) of this Agreement shall be made, in whole or in part, without the prior written consent of the Client. Nonetheless, Driehaus, at its own cost, may hire consultants, accountants, attorneys, service bureaus and other outside third parties to assist Driehaus in the performance of its duties hereunder. In addition, Driehaus, at its own cost, may retain, and delegate the requisite authority to affiliates of Driehaus to perform some or all of the investment advisory powers under this Agreement.

14. **Bonding** Driehaus shall not provide a bond in connection with its activities as an investment adviser under this Agreement unless required by law.

15. **Liability for Error** In making investment decisions for the Account and carrying out its other functions under this Agreement, Driehaus or its officers or employees may make errors in judgment or take or omit to take action that results in losses to the Client. In addition, Driehaus may rely on unrelated third parties, including broker-dealers and custodians, to provide certain services to the Client for the Account.

The federal securities laws, state laws and ERISA, as applicable, impose liability, in certain circumstances, on persons who act in good faith. These laws may give the Client the right to compensation for damages resulting from good faith acts or omissions by Driehaus or its officers or employees in carrying out their responsibilities under this Agreement. These rights are not waived or limited. With the foregoing exception, however, the Client agrees that Driehaus and each of its officers or employees shall be liable to the Client only for their own acts or omissions and not those of unrelated third parties not subject to Driehaus' supervision or control and only where their acts or omissions were negligent, reckless, in violation of applicable law, in breach of fiduciary duty, or involved deliberate intent to harm.

16. **Confidentiality** The Client consents to the disclosure by Driehaus of the performance of the Client's Account as part of a composite presentation of all similar strategy accounts. The Client additionally consents to the inclusion of its name on a partial list of Driehaus' clients that may be provided to current or prospective clients of Driehaus and their related third parties. All other information and advice relating to the Account furnished by any party to any other party hereunder, including their respective agents and employees, shall be treated as confidential and shall not be disclosed to third parties except as required by law or as demanded by any regulatory or taxing authority having jurisdiction, it being understood that specific investment information and advice provided by Driehaus shall be solely for the benefit of the Account and shall not be used by Client or its agents and employees for another investment purpose.

17. **Notices** Any notices required hereunder shall be deemed effective when delivered in person or upon receipt if sent by recognized courier, registered mail, email or facsimile.

18. **Amendments** This Agreement can be amended only by written document signed by Driehaus and the Client.

19. **Severability** Each of the provisions of this Agreement is severable, and the invalidity, inapplicability or waiver of one or more provisions, in whole or in part, shall not affect any other provision.

20. **Counterparts** The parties may execute and deliver this Agreement in one or more counterparts (including by facsimile or other electronic means, including PDF transmission), each of which constitutes an original, and all of which, collectively, constitute only one agreement between the parties. A facsimile signature or electronically scanned copy of a signature shall constitute and shall be deemed to be sufficient evidence of a party's execution of this Agreement, without necessity of further proof.

21. **Entire Agreement; Governing Law** This Agreement is in substitution of all prior agreements, if any, relating to the Account, and shall be governed by the laws of the State of Florida (without giving effect to any choice of law provisions). In the event of any dispute arising out of the terms and conditions of this Agreement, the parties hereto consent and submit to the jurisdiction of the courts of Pinellas County, State of Florida and of the United States District Court for the Middle District of Florida.

22. **Florida Law.**

- (a) Section 448.095 Florida Statutes. Driehaus agrees to register and use the E-Verify system to verify the work authorization status of all employees hired on and after the date of this agreement.
- (b) Public Entity Crimes Bill Section 287.133, Florida Statutes, provides that a person or affiliate who has been placed on the convicted vendor list following a conviction for a public entity crime may not submit a bid on a contract to provide any goods or services to a public entity, may not submit a bid on a contract with a public entity for the construction or repair of a public building or public work, may not submit bids on leases of real property to a public entity, may not be awarded or perform work as a contractor, supplier, subcontractor, or consultant under a contract with any public entity, and may not transact business with any public entity in excess of the threshold amount provided in Section 287.017, Florida Statutes, for CATEGORY TWO for a period of 36 months from the date of being placed on the convicted vendor list. Adviser confirms that it is not a convicted vendor subject to these restrictions.
- (c) Section 287.135, Florida Statutes. In accordance with Section 287.135(3)(b), Florida Statutes, this Agreement may be immediately terminated, at no cost to the Plan, in the event that Driehaus is found to have been placed on the Scrutinized Companies or Other Entities that Boycott Israel List or is engaged in the prohibited boycott of Israel.
- (d) Required Affidavits.
 - (1) Section 787.06, Florida Statutes. In accordance with Florida law, Driehaus hereby represents that they do not use coercion for labor or services as defined in Section 787.06, Florida Statutes as certified by the attached Human Trafficking affidavit (Schedule C).
 - (2) Section 237.138, Florida Statutes. In accordance with Florida law, Driehaus hereby represents that they are not an entity owned by a government of a foreign country of concern; no government of a foreign country of concern has a controlling interest in the entity; and the entity is not organized under the laws of or has its principal place of business in a "foreign country of concern", as defined in Section 287.138. Florida Statutes, and as certified by the attached Company Not an Entity of a Foreign Country of Concern Affidavit (Schedule D).

23. **Public Records.** In accordance with the provisions of Chapter 119.0701(2), Florida Statutes, Driehaus must comply with public records laws, specifically to:

- (a) Keep and maintain public records required by the Client to perform the service.
- (b) Upon request from the Client's custodian of public records, provide the Client with a copy of the requested records or allow the records to be inspected or copied within a reasonable time at a cost that does not exceed the cost provided in Chapter 119, Florida Statutes or as otherwise provided by law.
- (c) Ensure that the public records that are exempt or confidential and exempt from public records disclosure requirements are not disclosed except as authorized by law for the duration of the term of the Agreement and following completion of the Agreement if the Driehaus does not transfer the records to the Client.
- (d) Upon completion of the Agreement, transfer, at no cost to the Client, all public records in possession of Driehaus or keep and maintain public records required by the Client to perform the service. If Driehaus transfers all public records to the Client upon completion of the Agreement, Driehaus shall destroy any duplicate public records that are exempt or

confidential and exempt from public records disclosures requirements. If Driehaus keeps and maintain public records upon completion of the Agreement, Driehaus shall meet all applicable requirements for retaining public records. All records stored electronically must be provided to the Client, upon request from the Client's custodian of public records, in a format that is compatible with the information technology systems of the Client.

IF DRIEHAUS HAS QUESTIONS REGARDING THE APPLICATION OF CHAPTER 119, FLORIDA STATUTES, TO DRIEHAUS'S DUTY TO PROVIDE PUBLIC RECORDS RELATING TO THIS CONTRACT, CONTACT THE CUSTODIAN OF PUBLIC RECORDS AT:

Alyssa Gagliardi, Plan Administrator
City of Clearwater Employees' Pension Plan
100 South Myrtle Avenue
Clearwater, FL 33756
Phone: 727-562-4600
E-Mail: Alyssa.Gagliardi@myclearwater.com

Accepted and Agreed to this 15th day of April, 2026.

DRIEHAUS CAPITAL MANAGEMENT LLC

Signature: Janet McWilliams

Name and Title : Janet McWilliams, General Counsel

Address: 25 East Erie Street
Chicago, Illinois 60611

Client: CITY OF CLEARWATER EMPLOYEES' PENSION PLAN

Signature: _____

Name and Title : _____

Address: 100 South Myrtle Ave
Clearwater, FL 33756

In addition to the above signatory, the Client designates the following "Authorized Persons" to act on its behalf in matters related to the Agreement:

Brian Jay Ravins, Finance Director/Plan Treasurer

Name and Title

Brian Jay Ravins

Signature

Monica Mitchell, Assistant Finance Director

Name and Title

Monica Mitchell

Signature

Name and Title

Signature

**SCHEDULE A TO
INVESTMENT ADVISORY AGREEMENT
BETWEEN
DRIEHAUS CAPITAL MANAGEMENT LLC ("DRIEHAUS")
AND
CITY OF CLEARWATER EMPLOYEES' PENSION PLAN ("CLIENT")**

SMALL CAP GROWTH STRATEGY ACCOUNT

STATEMENT OF INVESTMENT OBJECTIVES AND RESTRICTIONS

The Client's investment objective with respect to the Account is to invest the Account pursuant to an aggressive, long-term program which maximizes capital appreciation by seeking superior investment returns over each full market cycle. To achieve this objective, the Client's Account will be invested in an unleveraged portfolio of equity securities and cash or cash equivalents. The Client's Account will consist primarily of equity securities traded in the U.S. listed or over-the-counter markets of high growth companies with outstanding aggregate market capitalizations within the same market capitalization range at the time of investment as those included in the Russell 2000 Growth Index, although Driehaus may, however, from time to time cause the Account to invest in companies with higher or lower market capitalizations. Driehaus may invest the Account in American Depository Receipts and American Depository Shares.

The Client's portfolio will be invested as similarly as possible to that of a model account of this investment strategy (the "Small Cap Growth Model Portfolio"), as will the portfolios of other clients of Driehaus. All of the accounts following the Small Cap Growth Model will generally purchase and sell the same securities at the same time and at the same average price as the Small Cap Model. In addition to the securities transactions resulting from the portfolio manager's investment decisions, there may be purchases or sales in the Account due to the Client's addition or withdrawal of funds. Purchases or sales of equity securities in the Account occasioned by the addition or withdrawal of funds will be allocated and executed in a manner intended to keep the Account invested as closely as possible to the Small Cap Model. As more specifically set forth in Part 2A of Driehaus' Form ADV, companies in which the Account invests will generally have accelerating sales and earnings growth rates, perceived high earnings quality and market timeliness (*i.e.*, the likelihood of an upward price movement in the near future). Investments may also be made in the equity securities of companies which have experienced fundamental improvements that are not fully reflected in the securities' market prices. The Account may be invested in stocks of companies that demonstrate several of the above characteristics or, in some instances, in stocks that do not necessarily fall within any specific category.

Although diversification is not a mandatory criteria used by Driehaus in its selection of investments, Driehaus does not intend to cause the Account to invest more than five percent (5%) of the Account, as of the date of purchase, in any one stock. Exceptions to that limitation will be made as necessary, upon the initial investment of the Client's funds or the investment of subsequent additional funds contributed by the Client, in order to create or maintain a portfolio for the Client which as closely as possible simulates the Small Cap Growth Model Portfolio. In addition, Driehaus may cause the Account to invest more than five percent (5%) of the Account in one stock from time to time and stocks will not necessarily be sold merely because they have appreciated to become higher than five percent (5%) of the value of the Account if Driehaus determines such holdings to be in the best interests of the Account. Similarly, stocks will not necessarily be sold because the market capitalizations of the underlying companies have grown to exceed the market capitalization range of the Russell 2000 Growth Index.

Driehaus does not intend to engage in "market timing" by shifting the Account in or out of securities in anticipation of future market direction changes and, as such, the Account will generally be fully (*i.e.*, ninety percent [90%] or more) invested in equity securities. There may be times, however, when, due to current market conditions or other factors, Driehaus may cause a greater portion of the

Account to be invested in cash, money market mutual funds or other generally similar cash equivalent accounts.

The Client understands that it is anticipated that the Client's Account will have a high rate of portfolio turnover due to the active nature of Driehaus' investment style. Higher portfolio turnover will result in above-average transaction costs, including greater brokerage commissions than equity investment styles whose turnover rate is lower. Accounts with significant additions or withdrawals of funds during any period may have higher portfolio turnover rates.

The Client understands that some negative years in the Account are inevitable in this type of investment program, based on past stock market performance. Accordingly, the Client acknowledges that it has a long-term investment time horizon and the ability and capability to experience considerable volatility in the return on investment - both positive and negative - over short periods of time.

Unless approved in writing by the Client, Driehaus will not cause the Client to:


- (a) make investments for the purpose of exercising control or management over any company;
- (b) purchase securities on margin, participate in a joint trading account, sell securities short and/or cover such short sales, lend money (except by purchasing publicly traded debt securities or entering into repurchase agreements), purchase or sell commodities, commodities futures or real estate investments (although the Account may purchase marketable securities of entities whose assets consist of such interests) or invest in futures;
- (c) purchase an interest in any oil, gas or other mineral exploration or development program, although the Account may invest in marketable securities of companies whose assets consist substantially of such interests;
- (d) borrow money for the Account or based upon the Account's assets; or
- (e) Purchase private placements other than Rule 144A or Regulation S securities.

ACKNOWLEDGED AND AGREED:

**CITY OF CLEARWATER EMPLOYEES'
PENSION PLAN**

DRIEHAUS CAPITAL MANAGEMENT LLC

Signature



Signature

Name & Title

Janet McWilliams, General Counsel
Name & Title

Date

April 15, 2026
Date

**SCHEDULE B TO
INVESTMENT ADVISORY AGREEMENT
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AND
CITY OF CLEARWATER EMPLOYEES' PENSION PLAN ("CLIENT")**

SMALL CAP GROWTH STRATEGY ACCOUNT

SCHEDULE OF COMPENSATION

1. The Client shall pay annual investment advisory fees of 0.60%. The Client shall pay these fees on a quarterly basis (to be prorated for any period of less than a quarter) based upon the average net market value of the Account, including cash and securities, determined, on a trade date basis, as of the close of business on the last business day of each month during such quarter. Securities listed on a national securities exchange will be valued at the last quoted sale price (or if no sales occurred, the mean between the last "bid" and "asked" prices on the largest national securities exchange on which the securities are listed) on the valuation date. Any other security or asset will be valued in such manner as determined by Driehaus in good faith.
2. By executing Schedule B, the Client agrees that it will pay Driehaus' fee, calculated as described in Item 1 above of this Schedule of Compensation, within ten (10) days of receipt of Driehaus' invoice following the end of each calendar quarter. The invoice will set forth the amount of the fee, how it was calculated and the value of the Account on which the fee is based.
3. This Schedule of Compensation can be amended from time to time by Driehaus upon sixty (60) days' prior written notice to the Client.
4. As used herein, all terms have the meaning ascribed to them in the Investment Advisory Agreement to which it is attached.

ACKNOWLEDGED AND AGREED:

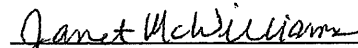
**CITY OF CLEARWATER EMPLOYEES'
PENSION PLAN**

Signature

Name & Title

Date

DRIEHAUS CAPITAL MANAGEMENT LLC



Signature

Janet McWilliams, General Counsel
Name & Title

April 15, 2026
Date

**SCHEDULE C
Human Trafficking Affidavit**

The undersigned, on behalf of Driehaus, hereby attests as follows:

- A. Driehaus understands and affirms that Section 787.06(13), Florida Statutes, prohibits the Board from executing, renewing, or extending a contract to entities that use coercion for labor or services.
- B. Driehaus hereby attests, under penalty of perjury, that Driehaus does not use coercion for labor or services as defined in Section 787.06(2), Florida Statutes.

I, the undersigned, am an officer or representative of the nongovernmental entity named below, and hereby represent that I: make the above attestation based upon personal knowledge; am over the age of 18 years and otherwise competent to make the above attestation; and am authorized to legally bind, and make the above attestation on behalf of, the Trustee. **Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have read the forgoing document and that the facts stated in it are true.** Further Affiant sayeth naught.

Driehaus Capital Management LLC

Authorized Signature: Janet McWilliams

Date: April 15, 2026

Printed Name: Janet McWilliams

Title: General Counsel

STATE OF ILLINOIS
COUNTY OF COOK

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me by means of physical presence or online notarization, this 15th day of April, 2026, by Janet McWilliams, as General Counsel on behalf of the company/corporation. They are personally known to me or have produced _____ as identification.

Kathleen R. Hanrahan
Signature of Notary Public

Kathleen R. Hanrahan
Name of Notary Typed, Printed or Stamped
My Commission Expires: 2/2/2027



**SCHEDULE D
COMPANY NOT AN ENTITY OF A FOREIGN COUNTRY OF CONCERN**

For purposes of this affidavit, "foreign country of concern" means the People's Republic of China, the Russian Federation, the Islamic Republic of Iran, the Democratic People's Republic of Korea, the Republic of Cuba, the Venezuelan regime of Nicolás Maduro, or the Syrian Arab Republic, including any agency of or any other entity of significant control of such foreign country of concern.

The undersigned, on behalf of the entity listed below hereby attests under penalty of perjury as follows:

1. I am over the age of 18 and I have personal knowledge of the matters set forth herein.
2. I am an officer or representative of Driehaus Capital Management LLC (herein after "Entity"), and I am authorized to provide this affidavit on its behalf.
3. Entity is not owned by the government of a foreign country of concern.
4. No government of a foreign country of concern has a controlling interest in Entity.
5. Entity is not organized under the laws of or has its principal place of business in a foreign country of concern.
6. If, at any time in the future, Entity does become owned by a foreign country of concern, if a foreign country of concern acquires a controlling interest in Entity, or Entity becomes organized under the laws of or relocated to a foreign country of concern, Entity will immediately notify the Pension Fund and no contracts may be executed, renewed, or extended between the parties.
7. I have read the foregoing affidavit and confirm that the facts stated in it are true, and are made for the benefit of, and reliance by Pension Fund.

Company: Driehaus Capital Management LLC

Authorized Signature: Janet McWilliams

Date: April 15, 2026

Printed Name: Janet McWilliams

Title: General Counsel

STATE OF ILLINOIS
COUNTY OF COOK

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me by means of physical presence or online notarization, this 15th day of April, 2026, by Janet McWilliams, as General Counsel on behalf of the company/corporation. They are personally known to me or have produced _____ as identification.

Kathleen R. Hanrahan
Notary Public Signature
Print, Type or Stamp Name of Notary: Kathleen R. Hanrahan
My commission expires: 2/2/2027

(Affix Notary Stamp or Seal)

