AUTHORIZING RESOLUTION

At a meeting of the Herkimer County Industrial Development Agency, Herkimer County, New York (the "Agency"), held at 420 E. German Street, Herkimer, New York on the 26th day of January, 2021 at 8:00 a.m., the following members of the Agency were:

Present:

Vincent J. Bono, David Chlus, John Scarano, Michael Werenczak, Catherine

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Present Electronically: Ann Gaworecki

Absent: Cory Albrecht

Also Present: John Piseck, Stacey Holleran, Victoria Adams, Brian Mula

After the meeting had been duly called to order, the Chairman announced that amongst the purposes of the meeting was to consider and take action on certain matters pertaining to K&K Lodging Development, LLC (the "Company").

The following resolution was duly moved, seconded, discussed and adopted with the following members voting:

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NAY

ABSTAINED

*ALL

*NONE

*Ann Gaworecki

AUTHORIZING THE **AGENCY** TO RESOLUTION EXECUTE ALL RELEVANT CLOSING DOCUMENTS WITH RESPECT TO THE FINANCING OF A NON-REVOLVING COMMERCIAL REAL ESTATE LINE OF CREDIT UPON REAL PROPERTY SITUATE IN THE TOWN OF OLD FORGE, COUNTY OF HERKIMER AND STATE OF NEW YORK AND THE PERSONAL PROPERTY ACOUIRED AND LOCATED THEREAT (the "Facility") PROJECT ORIGINALLY RESPECT TO Α WITH AUTHORIZED ON DECEMBER 20, 2012 AND THE AGREEMENT BETWEEN SUBJECT OF Α LEASE COMPANY AND THE AGENCY DATED DECEMBER 20. 2012 AND A LEASE AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE COMPANY AND AGENCY DATED DECEMBER 20, 2012.

WHEREAS, the Agency maintains an interest in the Facility, and

WHEREAS, K&K Lodging Development, LLC, on behalf of itself and/or the principals of the Company has requested the Herkimer County Industrial Development Agency (the "Agency") to consent to a line of credit to be extended by Adirondack Bank in an amount up to One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000.00) relating to renovations, off season expenditures and business operations to the Facility, on a parcel of land located at 3188 State Route 28, Old Forge, New York 13420, Herkimer County (the "Land"), and the acquisition and installation of equipment in the Improvements, all to be used by the Company in connection with providing a complete facility in support of K&K Lodging Development, LLC (the Land, Improvements and Equipment) are referred to collectively as the "Facility" and the construction and equipping of the Improvements is referred to as (the "Project"); and

WHEREAS, the Company leases the Facility to the Agency, pursuant to Article 18-A of the General Municipal Law of the State of New York, and Chapter 372 of the Laws on 1970 of the State of New York, as may be amended from time to time (collectively the "Act") and the Agency leases the Facility back to the Company pursuant to a Leaseback Agreement (the "Leaseback Agreement"); and

WHEREAS, the Company will construct, renovate, equip and operate the Project; and

WHEREAS, the Company will construct, renovate, equip and operate a Recreation, Tourism and Lodging Destination Facility under the Act; and

WHEREAS, the Act authorizes and empowers the Agency to promote, develop, encourage and assist projects such as the Facility and to advance the job opportunities, health, general prosperity and economic welfare of the people of the State of New York; and

WHEREAS, the Agency has given due consideration to the operation of a lodging facility and the economic conditions of the area in which the Project is situated; and

WHEREAS, the Agency has given due consideration to the request of the Company and to representations by the Company that the proposed Commercial Real Estate Line of Credit Mortgage transaction is either an inducement to the Company to maintain and expand the Facility in the County or is necessary to maintain the competitive position of the Company in its industry; and

<u>Section 1</u>. The Agency hereby finds and determines:

- (a) By virtue of the Act, the Agency has been vested with all powers necessary and convenient to carry out and effectuate the purposes of the Act and to exercise all powers granted to it under the Act; and
- (b) The Facility constitutes a "project," such as that term is defined in the Act; and
- (c) The acquisition, construction, equipping and financing of the Facility, and the leasing of the Facility to the Company will promote and maintain the job opportunities, health, general prosperity and economic welfare of the citizens of

- Herkimer County and the State of New York and improve their standard of living and thereby serve the public purposes of the Act; and
- (d) The acquisition, construction and equipping of the Facility is reasonably necessary to induce the Company to maintain and expand its business operations in the State of New York; and
- (e) Based upon representations of the Company, the Facility conforms with the local zoning laws and planning regulations of Herkimer County and all regional and local use plans for the area in which the Facility is located; and
- (f) It is desirable and in the public interest for the Agency to maintain a leasehold interest in the Facility and lease the Facility back to the Company.

<u>Section 2</u>. In consequence of the foregoing, and subject to the receipt and approval by the Agency of pre-closing documents deemed reasonably necessary by counsel to the Agency, the Agency hereby determines consent to the financing of Facility from the Company and to execute and deliver all related documents (collectively the "Closing Documents").

Section 3.

- (a) The Chairman, Vice Chairman, Secretary or any member of the Agency and the Executive Director, John J. Piseck, are hereby authorized, on behalf of the Agency, to execute and deliver the Closing Documents, all in substantially the forms thereof presented to this meeting with such changes, variations, omissions and insertions as the Chairman, Vice Chairman, Secretary, Executive Director or any member of the Agency shall approve, and such other related documents as may be, in the judgment of the Chairman and Agency Counsel, necessary or appropriate to effect the transactions contemplated by this resolution. The execution thereof by the Chairman, Vice Chairman, Executive Director or any member of the Agency shall constitute conclusive evidence of such approval.
- (b) The Chairman, Vice Chairman, Secretary or member of the Agency and the Executive Director, John J. Piseck, are further hereby authorized, on behalf of the Agency, to designate any additional Authorized Representatives of the Agency (as defined in and pursuant to the Lease Agreement).

Section 4. The officers, employees and agents of the Agency are hereby authorized and directed for and in the name and on behalf of the Agency to do all acts and things required or provided for by the provisions of the Closing Documents, and to execute and deliver all such additional certificates, instruments and documents, pay all such fees, charges and expenses and to do all such further acts and things as may be necessary or, in the opinion of the officer, employee or agent acting, desirable and proper to effect the purposes of the foregoing resolution and to cause compliance by the Agency with all of the terms, covenants and provisions of the Closing Documents binding upon the Agency.

STATE OF NEW YORK)
) ss.:
COUNTY OF HERKIMER)

I, Stacey Holleran, the undersigned Assistant Secretary of the Herkimer County Industrial Development Agency, DO HEREBY CERTIFY:

That I have compared the annexed extract of the minutes of the meeting of the Herkimer County Industrial Development Agency (the "Agency"), including the resolutions contained therein, held on the 26th day of January, 2021 with the original thereof on file in my office, and that the same is a true and correct copy of the proceedings of the Agency and of such resolutions set forth therein and of the whole of said original insofar as the same related to the subject matters therein referred to.

That the Closing Documents contained in this transcript of proceedings are each in substantially the substance presented to the Agency and/or approved by said meeting.

I FURTHER CERTIFY that (i) all members of the Agency had due notice of said meeting, (ii) pursuant to Sections 103a and 104 of the Public Officers Law (Open Meetings Law), said meeting was open to the general public and public notice of the time and place of said meeting was duly given in accordance with such Sections, (iii) the meeting in all respects was duly held, and (iv) there was a quorum present throughout.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand as of this 26th day of January, 2021.

HERKIMER COUNTY INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AGENCY

Stacey Holleran, Assistant Secretary