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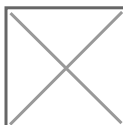
**UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549**

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 OR 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): **March 28, 2016**



Lucas Energy, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Nevada

(State or other jurisdiction of
incorporation)

001-32508

(Commission File Number)

20-2660243

(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

450 Gears Road, Suite 780, Houston, Texas

(Address of principal executive offices)

77067

(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code (713) 528-1881

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Item 1.01 Entry into a Material Definitive Agreement.

To date, Lucas Energy, Inc. (the “Company”, “we” or “us”), has had difficulty in obtaining the funding required from Silver Star Oil Company (“Silver Star”), pursuant to that certain Non-Revolver Line of Credit Agreement entered into with Silver Star effective on August 28, 2015, pursuant to which Silver Star is required to purchase up to \$2.4 million in convertible promissory notes, at the rate of not more than \$200,000 in notes per month, of which \$1 million in notes have been sold to date.

In an effort to raise funding for ongoing expenses and as a replacement for the amounts previously sought from Silver Star, the Company entered into the Convertible Note Purchase Agreement and Short Term Promissory Note described below.

Short Term Promissory Note

On March 28, 2016, we borrowed \$250,000 from Alan Dreeben, who is one of the sellers of the assets we plan to acquire pursuant to the Asset Purchase Agreement, pursuant to a Short Term Promissory Note (the “Short Term Note”). The Short Term Note has a principal balance of \$275,000 (the \$250,000 borrowed plus a 10% original issue discount), does not accrue interest unless an event of default occurs thereunder, at which time the note accrues interest at 15% per annum, has a maturity date of June 28, 2016 and contains standard and customary events of default. The Short Term Note may be prepaid at any time without penalty. As additional consideration for Mr. Dreeben agreeing to make the loan we agreed to issue Mr. Dreeben 15,000 restricted shares of common stock, subject to the additional listing of such shares on the NYSE MKT.

The foregoing description of the Short Term Note does not purport to be complete and is qualified in its entirety by reference to the Short Term Note, a copy of which is filed as Exhibit 10.6, to this Current Report on Form 8-K and incorporated herein by reference.

Convertible Promissory Note Purchase Agreement and Convertible Promissory Notes

On March 29, 2016, and effective March 11, 2016, the Company entered into a Convertible Promissory Note Purchase Agreement with HFT Enterprises, LLC (“HFT” and the “Note Purchase Agreement”). Pursuant to the Note Purchase Agreement, we agreed to sell and HFT agreed to purchase, an aggregate of \$600,000 in Convertible Promissory Notes (the “Convertible Notes”), including \$300,000 in Convertible Notes purchased on March 29, 2016, to be effective on March 11, 2016, \$150,000 in Convertible Notes purchased on March 29, 2016, to be effective on March 25, 2016, and \$150,000 in Convertible Notes required to be purchased by HFT or its assigns on or prior to April 30, 2016. We also agreed to grant HFT warrants to purchase 124,285 shares of common stock with an exercise price of \$1.50 per share, at such time as an aggregate of \$600,000 in Convertible Notes have been sold (the “Warrants”).

Each Convertible Note is due and payable on the one year anniversary of its issuance date, accrues interest at the rate of 6% per annum (15% upon the occurrence of an event of default), and allows the holder thereof the right to convert the principal and interest due thereunder into common stock of the Company at a conversion price of \$1.50 per share, provided that any conversion is subject to us first receiving approval for the issuance of shares of our common stock under the Convertible Notes under applicable NYSE MKT rules and regulations (“NYSE Approval”), which we have not sought or obtained to date, and to the extent such conversion(s) would exceed 19.9% of our total shares of outstanding common stock on the date of our entry into the Note Purchase Agreement or would otherwise require stockholder approval under applicable NYSE MKT rules, stockholder approval for such issuances (“Stockholder Approval”).

The Warrants allow for cashless exercise rights, to the extent that such shares of common stock issuable upon exercise thereof are not registered under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the “Securities Act”), and include anti-dilutive rights, for the first 12 months following the grant date of such Warrants, which automatically reduce the exercise price of the Warrants to any lower priced security sold, granted or issued by us during such anti-dilutive period, subject to certain exceptions, including officer and director grants and the transactions contemplated by that certain Asset Purchase Agreement (the “Asset Purchase Agreement”) discussed and described in greater detail in our Form 8-K Current Report filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the “SEC”) on December 30, 2015, pursuant to which we agreed to acquire certain assets from twenty-one separate sellers in consideration for \$31.35 million of commercial bank debt; 552,000 shares of a newly designated form of redeemable convertible preferred stock (convertible into 3,941,280 shares of common stock); 13,009,664 shares of common stock; and \$4,975,000 in cash, the closing of which transaction is subject to various closing conditions and anticipated to close, subject to the satisfaction of such closing conditions, during the first quarter of fiscal 2017 (the “Asset Purchase”).

We have the right to prepay the Convertible Notes at any time, provided we provide the holder at least 10 days prior notice of our intention to prepay such notes, provided further that if the third tranche note is not timely paid on April 30, 2016, we can repay such notes at any time without notice. The Convertible Notes include customary events of default for facilities of similar nature and size, including in the event we fail to comply with the reporting requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended.

At no time may the Convertible Notes be converted, or the Warrants be exercised, into shares of our common stock if such conversion or exercise, as applicable, would result in the holder of such security and its affiliates owning an aggregate of in excess of 9.99% of the then outstanding shares of our common stock, subject to the ability of holder to modify such limitation with 61 days prior written notice to us (the “Beneficial Ownership Limitation”).

The Note Purchase Agreement included standard and customary representations and warranties of the parties and we agreed to comply with certain customary negative and positive covenants during the period the Convertible Notes are outstanding.

We also agreed pursuant to the Note Purchase Agreement (a) to seek Stockholder Approval for the issuance of all of the shares of common stock issuable upon conversion of the Convertible Notes and exercise of the Warrants (collectively, the “Transaction Shares”), at such time as the Company seeks shareholder approval for the issuance of shares of common stock in connection with the Asset Purchase, provided that in the event the proxy associated with the Asset Purchase is not filed by June 30, 2016, we are required to file a separate proxy statement to seek shareholder approval for the issuance of the Transaction Shares within thirty (30) days of such date; and (b) that at such time as we have raised a minimum of \$1,000,000 in equity and/or convertible debt funding after the date of the Note Purchase Agreement, that within thirty (30) days of such date, we would prepare and file with the SEC a registration statement under the Securities Act to register such Transaction Shares.

The foregoing description of the Note Purchase Agreement, Convertible Notes and Warrants do not purport to be complete and are qualified in its entirety by reference to the Note Purchase Agreement, form of Convertible Notes, March 29, 2016 Convertible Notes (\$300,000 dated March 29, 2016 and effective March 11, 2016 and \$150,000 dated March 29, 2016 and effective March 25, 2016), and form of Warrants, copies of which are attached as Exhibits 10.1, 10.2, 10.4, 10.5 and 10.3, respectively, to this Current Report on Form 8-K and incorporated herein by reference.

Item 2.03 Creation of a Direct Financial Obligation or an Obligation under an Off-Balance Sheet Arrangement of a Registrant.

As described above in Item 1.01, under “Convertible Promissory Note Purchase Agreement and Convertible Promissory Notes”, which information is incorporated by reference in this Item 2.03, we sold HFT Convertible Notes in the aggregate principal amount of (a) \$300,000 on March 29, 2016 and effective on March 11, 2016; and (b) \$150,000 on March 29, 2016 and effective on March 25, 2016.

As described above in Item 1.01, under “Short Term Promissory Note”, which information is incorporated by reference in this Item 2.03, we sold Alan Dreeben the Short Term Note in the aggregate principal amount of \$275,000 (including a 10% original issue discount on the \$250,000 loan) on March 28, 2016.

Item 3.02 Unregistered Sales of Equity Securities.

As described above in Item 1.01, under “Convertible Promissory Note Purchase Agreement and Convertible Promissory Notes”, we sold HFT Convertible Notes in the aggregate principal amount of (a) \$300,000 on March 29, 2016 and effective on March 11, 2016; and (b) \$150,000 on March 29, 2016 and effective on March 25, 2016. If fully converted by HFT (without factoring in any accrued and unpaid interest thereon, which is also convertible into our common stock as provided in the notes), notwithstanding the requirement for NYSE Approval (as discussed above) or the Beneficial Ownership Limitation, and subject where applicable to the Stockholder Approval, a total of 300,000 shares of common stock would be required to be issued to HFT (representing approximately 19.4% of our then outstanding shares of common stock) and if fully converted at maturity, when factoring in accrued interest thereon through maturity, a total of 318,504 shares of common stock would be required to be issued to HFT in connection with such Convertible Notes (i.e., without factoring in the conversion of any other outstanding Convertible Notes).

As described above in Item 1.01, under “Short Term Promissory Note”, in connection with the sale of the Short Term Note, we agreed to issue Mr. Dreeben 15,000 shares of restricted common stock (“Short Term Note Shares”).

The Company claims an exemption from the registration requirements of the Securities Act for the sales and issuances of the Convertible Notes and Short Term Note Shares pursuant to (a) Section 4(a)(2) of the Securities Act; and/or (b) Rule 506 of the Securities Act, and the regulations promulgated thereunder. With respect to the transactions described above, no general solicitation was made either by us or by any person acting on our behalf. The transactions were privately negotiated, and did not involve any kind of public solicitation. No underwriters or agents were involved in the foregoing sales and issuances and the Company paid no underwriting discounts or commissions. The securities sold are subject to transfer restrictions, and the certificate(s) evidencing the securities will contain an appropriate legend stating that such securities have not been registered under the Securities Act and may not be offered or sold absent registration or pursuant to an exemption therefrom. The recipients made various representations to us regarding its suitability to purchase the securities and knowledge of the risks involved in such purchase pursuant to the Note Purchase Agreement and Short Term Note, including confirming that each were an “accredited investor”.

On March 28, 2016, Rockwell Capital Partners, Inc., who was previously assigned \$300,000 of convertible promissory notes by Silver Star on February 2, 2016, converted \$205,999.50 of the principal and interest due on such convertible notes into shares of our common stock at a conversion price of \$1.50 per share, for an aggregate of 137,333 shares. The convertible promissory notes were originally acquired by Silver Star pursuant to that certain August 30, 2015, Non-Revolver Line of Credit Agreement with Silver Star, and which convertible promissory notes are due and payable on October 1, 2016, accrue interest at the rate of 6% per annum (15% upon the occurrence of an event of default), and allow the holder thereof the right to convert the principal and interest due thereunder into common stock of the Company at a conversion price of \$1.50 per share, provided that any conversion is subject to us first receiving approval for the issuance of shares of our common stock under the convertible promissory notes and line of credit under applicable NYSE MKT rules and regulations (“NYSE Approval”)(provided that we have received NYSE MKT approval for conversion of a portion of such notes equal to 243,853 shares), and to the extent such conversion(s) (together with certain other shares aggregated therewith in the determination of the NYSE MKT) would exceed 19.9% of our total shares of outstanding common stock on the date of our entry into the line of credit (totaling 243,853 shares of common stock), stockholder approval for such issuances. We claim an exemption from registration provided by Section 3(a)(9) of the Securities Act, as the security was exchanged by us with our existing security holder in a transaction where no commission or other remuneration was paid or given directly or indirectly for soliciting such exchange.

Item 5.02 Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.

(e) Stockholder Approval of an Amendment to the Lucas Energy, Inc. 2014 Stock Incentive Plan

The Annual Meeting of Shareholders of the Company was held on March 29, 2016 (the “Meeting”). At the Meeting, the stockholders of the Company approved an amendment to the Company’s 2014 Stock Incentive Plan (the “Plan”) to (a) increase by 45,000, the number of shares reserved for issuance under such Plan; and (b) amend the definition of “Eligible Person” under the Plan to exclude “instances where services are in connection with the offer or sale of securities in a capital-raising transaction, or they directly or indirectly promote or maintain a market for the Company’s securities”. The Company’s stockholders approved the amendment to the Plan in accordance with the voting results set forth below under Item 5.07. The increase to the Plan was originally approved by the Board of Directors of the Company on February 8, 2016, subject to stockholder approval.

The Plan was originally adopted in 2014. The material terms of the Plan were described in the Company’s Definitive Schedule 14A Proxy Statement filed with the SEC on February 18, 2016 (the “Proxy”) under the caption “Proposal 2 – Ratification of An Amendment to the 2014 Stock Incentive Plan”. The Plan provides an opportunity for any employee, officer, director or consultant of the Company, except for instances where services are in connection with the offer or sale of securities in a capital-raising transaction, or they directly or indirectly promote or maintain a market for the Company’s securities, subject to any other limitations provided by federal or state securities laws, to receive (i) incentive stock options (to eligible employees only); (ii) nonqualified stock options; (iii) restricted stock; (iv) stock awards; (v) shares in performance of services; or (vi) any combination of the foregoing.

The above description of the Plan does not purport to be complete, and is qualified in its entirety by the full text of the Plan as amended and restated, set forth in Exhibit 10.7, and incorporated herein by reference.

Item 5.03 Amendments to Articles of Incorporation or Bylaws; Change in Fiscal Year.

Effective on March 29, 2016, the Board of Directors of the Company approved an amendment to the Company's Amended and Restated Bylaws to amend the quorum needed at any meeting of stockholders from a majority of all of the shares of the stock entitled to vote at the meeting, present in person or by proxy, to 33% of all of the shares of the stock entitled to vote at the meeting, present in person or by proxy. The Board of Directors believes that the amendment is necessary and warranted due to the fact that the Company's voting stock is thinly held and the Company has in the past had difficulty in getting stockholders holding a majority of the Company's outstanding voting stock to vote their shares at meetings of the stockholders.

Filed herewith as Exhibit 3.1 are the Amended and Restated Bylaws of the Company after affecting the amendment described above, and additional minor changes to the bylaws associated therewith for consistency.

Item 5.07 Submission of Matters to a Vote of Security Holders.

At the Meeting, an aggregate of 793,463 shares of common stock, or 54.1% of our 1,467,891 total outstanding shares of common stock as of February 8, 2016, the record date for the Meeting (the "Record Date"), were present at or were voted at the Meeting, constituting a quorum. The following proposals were voted on at the Meeting (as described in greater detail in the Proxy), with the results of such voting as follows:

Proposal		For	Against*	
1) The election of three (3) Directors to the Company’s Board of Directors (the “Board”), each to serve a term of one year and until their respective successors have been elected and qualified, or until their earlier resignation or removal				
a)	Anthony C. Schnur	754,913	38,550	
b)	J. Fred Hofheinz	753,389	40,074	
c)	Fred S. Zeidman	750,549	42,914	
		For	Against	Abstain*
		741,435	50,024.8	2,003.2
2) The ratification of an amendment to the Company’s 2014 Stock Incentive Plan, to (a) increase by 45,000 (to 95,000) the number of shares of common stock reserved for issuance under the plan; and (b) amend the definition of “Eligible Person” under the plan				
		For	Against	Abstain
		755,689	35,209	2,565
3) To ratify the appointment of GBH CPAs, PC, as the Company’s independent auditors for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2016				
		For	Against	Abstain*
		750,762	42,660	41
4) To approve the adjournment of the Annual Meeting, if necessary or appropriate, to solicit additional proxies if there are insufficient votes at the time of the Annual Meeting for a quorum or to approve any of the proposals above				

* There were no Broker Non-Votes on these proposals.

As such, each of the three (3) director nominees were duly appointed to the Board of Directors by a plurality of the votes cast (there was no solicitation in opposition to management's nominees as listed in its proxy statement), each to serve a term of one year and until their respective successors have been elected and qualified, or until their earlier resignation or removal, and proposals 2 through 4 were separately approved and ratified by the affirmative vote of a majority of the shares present in person or represented by proxy at the Meeting and entitled to vote on, and who voted for, against, or expressly abstained with respect to, each such proposal.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

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10.2	Form of Convertible Promissory Note (attached as Exhibit A to the Convertible Promissory Note Purchase Agreement filed herewith as <u>Exhibit 10.1</u>)
10.3	Form of Common Stock Purchase Warrant (attached as Exhibit B to the Convertible Promissory Note Purchase Agreement filed herewith as <u>Exhibit 10.1</u>)
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10.6*	Short Term Promissory Note (\$275,000) by Lucas Energy, Inc. in favor of Alan Dreeben dated March 28, 2016
10.7*	Lucas Energy, Inc.'s Amended and Restated 2014 Stock Incentive Plan

* Filed herewith.

SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

LUCAS ENERGY, INC.

By: /s/ Anthony C. Schnur

Name: Anthony C. Schnur

Title: Chief Executive Officer

Date: April 1, 2016

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**AMENDED AND RESTATED BYLAWS
OF
LUCAS ENERGY, INC.
a Nevada corporation**

**In Effect as of
March 29, 2016**

**ARTICLE 1.
DEFINITIONS**

1.1 Definitions. Unless the context clearly requires otherwise, in these Amended and Restated Bylaws:

- (a) “**Articles of Incorporation**” means the Articles of Incorporation of Lucas Energy, Inc., as filed with the Secretary of State of the State of Nevada and includes all amendments thereto and restatements thereof subsequently filed.
- (b) “**Board**” means the board of directors of the Company and/or an authorized Committee of the Board.
- (c) “**Bylaws**” means these Amended and Restated Bylaws as adopted by the Board and includes amendments subsequently adopted by the Board or by the Stockholders.
- (d) “**Company**” means Lucas Energy, Inc., a Nevada corporation.
- (e) “**Nevada Law**” means the Nevada Revised Statutes, as amended from time to time.
- (f) “**Section**” refers to sections of these Bylaws.
- (g) “**Stockholder**” means stockholders of record of the Company.

1.2 Offices. The title of an office refers to the person or persons who at any given time perform the duties of that particular office for the Company.

**ARTICLE 2.
OFFICES**

2.1 Principal Office. The Company may locate its principal office within or without the state of incorporation as the Board may determine.

2.2 Registered Office. The registered office of the Company required by law to be maintained in the state of incorporation may be, but need not be, the same as the principal place of business of the Company. The Board may change the address of the registered office from time to time.

2.3 Other Offices. The Company may have offices at such other places, either within or without the state of incorporation, as the Board may designate or as the business of the Company may require from time to time.

ARTICLE 3. MEETINGS OF STOCKHOLDERS

3.1 Annual Meetings. The Stockholders of the Company shall hold their annual meetings for the purpose of electing directors and for the transaction of such other proper business as may come before such meetings at such time, date and place as the Board shall determine by resolution.

3.2 Special Meetings. The Board, the Chairman of the Board, the President or a committee of the Board duly designated and whose powers and authority include the power to call meetings may call special meetings of the Stockholders of the Company at any time for any purpose or purposes. Special meetings of the Stockholders of the Company may also be called by the holders of at least 10% of all shares entitled to vote at the proposed special meeting.

If any person(s) other than the Board or the Chairman call a special meeting, the request shall:

- (i) be in writing;
- (ii) specify the general nature of the business proposed to be transacted; and
- (iii) be delivered personally or sent by registered mail or by facsimile transmission to the Secretary of the Company.

Upon receipt of such a request, the Board shall determine the date, time and place of such special meeting, which must be scheduled to be held on a date that is within ninety (90) days of receipt by the Secretary of the request therefor, and the Secretary of the Company shall prepare a proper notice thereof. No business may be transacted at such special meeting other than the business specified in the notice to stockholders of such meeting.

3.3 Place of Meetings. The Stockholders shall hold all meetings at such places, within or without the State of Nevada, as the Board or a committee of the Board shall specify in the notice or waiver of notice for such meetings.

3.4 Notice of Meetings. Except as otherwise required by law, the Board or a committee of the Board shall give notice of each meeting of Stockholders, whether annual or special, not less than 10 nor more than 60 days before the date of the meeting. The Board or a committee of the Board shall deliver a notice to each Stockholder entitled to vote at such meeting by delivering a typewritten or printed notice thereof to him personally, or by depositing such notice in the United States mail, in a postage prepaid envelope, directed to him at his address as it appears on the records of the Company, or by transmitting a notice thereof to him at such address by telegraph, telecopy, cable or wireless. If mailed, notice is given on the date deposited in the United States mail, postage prepaid, directed to the Stockholder at his address as it appears on the records of the Company. An affidavit of the Secretary or an Assistant Secretary or of the Transfer Agent of the Company that he has given notice shall constitute, in the absence of fraud, prima facie evidence of the facts stated therein.

Every notice of a meeting of the Stockholders shall state the place, date and hour of the meeting and, in the case of a special meeting, also shall state the purpose or purposes of the meeting. Furthermore, if the Company will maintain the list at a place other than where the meeting will take place, every notice of a meeting of the Stockholders shall specify where the Company will maintain the list of Stockholders entitled to vote at the meeting.

3.5 Stockholder Notice. Subject to the Articles of Incorporation, the Stockholders who intend to nominate persons to the Board of Directors or propose any other action at an annual meeting of Stockholders must timely notify the Secretary of the Company of such intent. To be timely, a Stockholder's notice must be delivered to or mailed and received at the principal executive offices of the Company not earlier than the close of business on the day which falls 120 days prior to the one year anniversary of the Company's last annual meeting of Stockholders and not later than the close of business on the day which falls 90 days prior to the one year anniversary of the Company's last annual meeting of Stockholders, together with written notice of the shareholder's intention to present a proposal for action at the meeting, unless the Company's annual meeting date occurs more than 30 days before or 30 days after the one year anniversary of the Company's last annual meeting of Stockholders. In that case, the Company must receive proposals not earlier than the close of business on the 120th day prior to the date of the annual meeting and not later than the close of business on the later of the 90th day prior to the date of the annual meeting or, if the first public announcement of the date of the annual meeting is less than 100 days prior to the date of the meeting, the 10th day following the day on which the Company first makes a public announcement of the date of the annual meeting. Such notice must be in writing and must include a (i) a brief description of the business desired to be brought before the annual meeting and the reasons for conducting such business at the meeting; (ii) the name and record address of the Stockholder proposing such business; (iii) the class, series and number of shares of capital stock of the Company which are beneficially owned by the Stockholder; and (iv) any material interest of the Stockholder in such business. The Board of Directors reserves the right to refuse to submit any such proposal to Stockholders at an annual meeting if, in its judgment, the information provided in the notice is inaccurate or incomplete.

3.6 Waiver of Notice. Whenever these Bylaws require written notice, a written waiver thereof, signed by the person entitled to notice, whether before or after the time stated therein, shall constitute the equivalent of notice. Attendance of a person at any meeting shall constitute a waiver of notice of such meeting, except when the person attends the meeting 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. No written waiver of notice need specify either the business to be transacted at, or the purpose or purposes of any regular or special meeting of the Stockholders, directors or members of a committee of the Board.

3.7 Adjournment of Meeting. When the Stockholders adjourn a meeting to another time or place, notice need not be given of the adjourned meeting if the time and place thereof are announced at the meeting at which the adjournment is taken. At the adjourned meeting, the Stockholders may transact any business which they may have transacted at the original meeting. If the adjournment is for more than 30 days or, if after the adjournment, the Board or a committee of the Board fixes a new record date for the adjourned meeting, the Board or a committee of the Board shall give notice of the adjourned meeting to each Stockholder of record entitled to vote at the meeting.

3.8 Quorum. Except as otherwise required by law, the holders of 33% of all of the shares of the stock entitled to vote at the meeting, present in person or by proxy, shall constitute a quorum for all purposes at any meeting of the Stockholders. In the absence of a quorum at any meeting or any adjournment thereof, the holders of a majority of the shares of stock entitled to vote who are present, in person or by proxy, or, in the absence thereof of all the Stockholders, any officer entitled to preside at, or to act as secretary of, such meeting may adjourn such meeting to another place, date or time.

If the chairman of the meeting gives notice of any adjourned special meeting of Stockholders to all Stockholders entitled to vote thereat, stating that the minimum percentage of Stockholders for a quorum as provided by Nevada Law shall constitute a quorum, then, except as otherwise required by law, that percentage at such adjourned meeting shall constitute a quorum and a majority of the votes cast at such meeting shall determine all matters.

Votes cast shall include votes cast against any proposal and shall exclude abstentions and broker non-votes, provided that votes cast against any proposal, abstentions and broker non-votes shall be counted in determining a quorum at any meeting.

3.9 Organization. Such person as the Board may have designated or, in the absence of such a person, the highest ranking officer of the Company who is present shall call to order any meeting of the Stockholders, determine the presence of a quorum, and act as chairman of the meeting. In the absence of the Secretary or an Assistant Secretary of the Company, the chairman shall appoint someone to act as the secretary of the meeting.

3.10 Conduct of Business. The chairman of any meeting of Stockholders shall determine the order of business and the procedure at the meeting, including such regulations of the manner of voting and the conduct of discussion as he deems in order.

3.11 List of Stockholders. At least 10 days before every meeting of Stockholders, the Secretary shall prepare a list of the Stockholders entitled to vote at the meeting or any adjournment thereof, arranged in alphabetical order, showing the address of each Stockholder and the number of shares registered in the name of each Stockholder. The Company shall make the list available for examination by any Stockholder for any purpose germane to the meeting, during ordinary business hours, for a period of at least 10 days prior to the meeting, either at a place within the city where the meeting will take place or at the place designated in the notice of the meeting.

The Secretary shall produce and keep the list at the time and place of the meeting during the entire duration of the meeting, and any Stockholder who is present may inspect the list at the meeting. The list shall constitute presumptive proof of the identity of the Stockholders entitled to vote at the meeting and the number of shares each Stockholder holds.

A determination of Stockholders entitled to vote at any meeting of Stockholders pursuant to this Section shall apply to any adjournment thereof.

3.12 Fixing of Record Date. For the purpose of determining Stockholders entitled to notice of or to vote at any meeting of Stockholders or any adjournment thereof, or Stockholders entitled to receive payment of any dividend, or in order to make a determination of Stockholders for any other proper purpose, the Board or a committee of the Board may fix in advance a date as the record date for any such determination of Stockholders. However, the Board shall not fix such date, in any case, more than 60 days nor less than 10 days prior to the date of the particular action.

If the Board or a committee of the Board does not fix a record date for the determination of Stockholders entitled to notice of or to vote at a meeting of Stockholders, the record date shall be at the close of business on the day next preceding the day on which notice is given or if notice is waived, at the close of business on the day next preceding the day on which the meeting is held or the date on which the Board adopts the resolution declaring a dividend.

3.13 Voting of Shares. Except as otherwise required by Nevada Law, the Articles or the Bylaws, (i) at all meetings of stockholders for the election of directors, a plurality of votes cast shall be sufficient to elect such directors; (ii) any other action taken by shareholders voting a majority of the votes cast on such matter at a meeting at which a quorum is present shall be valid and binding upon the Company, except that adoption, amendment or repeal of the Bylaws by Stockholders will require the vote of a majority of the shares entitled to vote; and (iii) broker non-votes and abstentions are considered for purposes of establishing a quorum but not considered as votes cast for or against a proposal or director nominee. Each Stockholder shall have one vote for every share of stock having voting rights registered in his name on the record date for the meeting, except as otherwise provided in any preferred stock designation setting forth the right of preferred stock shareholders. The Company shall not have the right to vote treasury stock of the Company, nor shall another corporation have the right to vote its stock of the Company if the Company holds, directly or indirectly, a majority of the shares entitled to vote in the election of directors of such other corporation. Persons holding stock of the Company in a fiduciary capacity shall have the right to vote such stock. Persons who have pledged their stock of the Company shall have the right to vote such stock unless in the transfer on the books of the Company the pledgor expressly empowered the pledgee to vote such stock. In that event, only the pledgee, or his proxy, may represent such stock and vote thereon.

Where a separate vote by a class or classes is required, except as required by Nevada Law, the Company's Articles of Incorporation, or any designation of preferred stock, 33% of the outstanding shares of such class or classes, present in person or represented by proxy, shall constitute a quorum entitled to take action with respect to that vote on that matter and the affirmative vote of the majority of shares of such class or classes present in person or represented by proxy at the meeting shall be the act of such class.

3.14 Inspectors. At any meeting in which the Stockholders vote by ballot, the chairman may appoint one or more inspectors. Each inspector shall take and sign an oath to execute the duties of inspector at such meeting faithfully, with strict impartiality, and according to the best of his ability. The inspectors shall ascertain the number of shares outstanding and the voting power of each; determine the shares represented at a meeting and the validity of proxies and ballots; count all votes and ballots; determine and retain for a reasonable period a record of the disposition of any challenges made to any determination by the inspectors; and certify their determination of the number of shares represented at the meeting, and their count of all votes and ballots. The certification required herein shall take the form of a subscribed, written report prepared by the inspectors and delivered to the Secretary of the Company. An inspector need not be a Stockholder of the Company, and any officer of the Company may be an inspector on any question other than a vote for or against a proposal in which he has a material interest.

3.15 Proxies. A Stockholder may exercise any voting rights in person or by his proxy appointed by an instrument in writing, which he or his authorized attorney-in-fact has subscribed and which the proxy has delivered to the Secretary of the meeting pursuant to the manner prescribed by law.

A proxy is not valid after the expiration of 11 months after the date of its execution, unless the person executing it specifies thereon the length of time for which it is to continue in force (which length may exceed 11 months) or limits its use to a particular meeting. Each proxy is irrevocable if it expressly states that it is irrevocable and if, and only as long as, it is coupled with an interest sufficient in law to support an irrevocable power.

The attendance at any meeting of a Stockholder who previously has given a proxy shall not have the effect of revoking the same unless he notifies the Secretary in writing prior to the voting of the proxy.

3.16 Action by Consent. Any action required to be taken at any annual or special meeting of Stockholders of the Company or any action which may be taken at any annual or special meeting of such Stockholders, may be taken without a meeting, without prior notice and without a vote, if a consent or consents in writing setting forth the action so taken, shall be signed by the holders of outstanding stock having not less than the minimum number of votes that would be necessary to authorize or take such action at a meeting at which all shares entitled to vote thereon were present and voted and shall be delivered to the Company by delivery to its registered office, its principal place of business, or an officer or agent of the Company having custody of the book in which proceedings of meetings of Stockholders are recorded. Delivery made to the Company's registered office shall be by hand or by certified or registered mail, return receipt requested.

Every written consent shall bear the date of signature of each stockholder who signs the consent, and no written consent shall be effective to take the corporate action referred to therein unless, within 60 days (or such other period as provided by applicable law) of the earliest dated consent delivered in the manner required by this section to the Company, written consents signed by a sufficient number of holders to take action are delivered to the Company by delivery to its registered office, its principal place of business or an officer or agent of the Company having custody of the book in which proceedings of meetings of stockholders are recorded. Delivery made to the Company's registered office shall be by hand or by certified or registered mail, return receipt requested.

Prompt notice of the taking of the corporate action without a meeting by less than unanimous written consent shall be given to those stockholders who have not consented in writing. In the event the Company is a reporting company which files periodic and current reports with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "Commission"), the filing of a Report on Form 8-K with the Commission describing the items approved by the shareholders in the Consent to Action shall constitute "notice" to those shareholders who have not consented to such action in writing.

3.17 Cumulative Voting. Cumulative voting is expressly forbidden.

ARTICLE 4. BOARD OF DIRECTORS

4.1 General Powers. The Board shall manage the property, business and affairs of the Company.

4.2 Number. The number of directors who shall constitute the Board shall equal not less than 1 nor more than 10, as the Board or majority stockholders may determine by resolution from time to time.

4.3 Election of Directors and Term of Office. The Stockholders of the Company shall elect the directors at the annual or adjourned annual meeting (except as otherwise provided herein for the filling of vacancies). Each director shall hold office until his death, resignation, retirement, removal, or disqualification, or until his successor shall have been elected and qualified.

4.4 Resignations. Any director of the Company may resign at any time by giving written notice to the Board or to the Secretary of the Company. Any resignation shall take effect upon receipt or at the time specified in the notice. Unless the notice specifies otherwise, the effectiveness of the resignation shall not depend upon its acceptance.

4.5 Removal. Stockholders holding 2/3 of the outstanding shares entitled to vote at an election of directors may remove any director or the entire Board of Directors at any time, with or without cause.

4.6 Vacancies. Any vacancy on the Board, whether because of death, resignation, disqualification, an increase in the number of directors, or any other cause may be filled by a majority of the remaining directors, a sole remaining director, or the majority stockholders. Any director elected to fill a vacancy shall hold office until his death, resignation, retirement, removal, or disqualification, or until his successor shall have been elected and qualified.

4.7 Chairman of the Board. At the initial and annual meeting of the Board, the directors may elect from their number a Chairman of the Board of Directors. The Chairman shall preside at all meetings of the Board and shall perform such other duties as the Board may direct. The Board also may elect a Vice Chairman and other officers of the Board, with such powers and duties as the Board may designate from time to time.

4.8 Compensation. The Board may compensate directors for their services and may provide for the payment of all expenses the directors incur by attending meetings of the Board or otherwise.

4.9 Insuring Directors, Officers, and Employees. The Company may purchase and maintain insurance on behalf of any director, officer, employee, or agent of the Company, or on behalf of any person serving at the request of the Company as a director, officer, employee, or agent of another Company, partnership, joint venture, trust, or other enterprise, against any liability asserted against that person and incurred by that person in any such Company, whether or not the Company has the power to indemnify that person against liability for any of those acts.

ARTICLE 5. MEETINGS OF DIRECTORS

5.1 Regular Meetings. The Board may hold regular meetings at such places, dates and times as the Board shall establish by resolution. If any day fixed for a meeting falls on a legal holiday, the Board shall hold the meeting at the same place and time on the next succeeding business day. The Board need not give notice of regular meetings.

5.2 Place of Meetings. The Board may hold any of its meetings in or out of the State of Nevada, at such places as the Board may designate, at such places as the notice or waiver of notice of any such meeting may designate, or at such places as the persons calling the meeting may designate.

5.3 Meetings by Telecommunications. The Board or any committee of the Board may hold meetings by means of conference telephone or similar telecommunications equipment that enable all persons participating in the meeting to hear each other. Such participation shall constitute presence in person at such meeting.

5.4 Special Meetings. The Chairman of the Board, the President (or any Vice President if the President is absent or unable or refuses to act), or any two directors then in office (not including the Chairman) may call a special meeting of the Board. The person or persons authorized to call special meetings of the Board may fix any place, either in or out of the State of Nevada as the place for the meeting.

5.5 Notice of Special Meetings. The person or persons calling a special meeting of the Board shall give written notice to each director of the time, place, date and purpose of the meeting of not less than three business days if by mail and not less than 24 hours if by facsimile (with confirmation of delivery), email or in person before the date of the meeting, or as otherwise provided by law. If mailed, notice is given on the date deposited in the United States mail, postage prepaid, to such director. A director may waive notice of any special meeting, and any meeting shall constitute a legal meeting without notice if all the directors are present or if those not present sign either before or after the meeting a written waiver of notice, a consent to such meeting, or an approval of the minutes of the meeting. A notice or waiver of notice need not specify the purposes of the meeting or the business which the Board will transact at the meeting. Generally, a tentative agenda will be included, but the meeting shall not be confined to any agenda included with the notice.

Upon providing notice, the Secretary or other officer sending notice shall sign and file in the Corporate Record Book a statement of the details of the notice given to each director. If such statement should later not be found in the Corporate Record Book, due notice shall be presumed.

5.6 Waiver by Presence. Except when expressly for the purpose of objecting to the legality of a meeting, a director's presence at a meeting shall constitute a waiver of notice of such meeting.

5.7 Quorum. A majority of the directors then in office shall constitute a quorum for all purposes at any meeting of the Board. In the absence of a quorum, a majority of directors present at any meeting may adjourn the meeting to another place, date or time without further notice. No proxies shall be given by directors to any person for purposes of voting or establishing a quorum at a directors' meetings.

5.8 Conduct of Business. The Board shall transact business in such order and manner as the Board may determine. Except as the law requires otherwise, the Board shall determine all matters by the vote of a majority of the directors present at a meeting at which a quorum is present. The directors shall act as a Board, and the individual directors shall have no power as such. At every meeting of the Board of Directors, the Chairman of the Board, if there is such an officer, and if not, the President, or in the President's absence, a Vice President designated by the President, or in the absence of such designation, a Chairman chosen by a majority of the Directors present, shall preside. The Secretary of the Corporation shall act as Secretary of the Board of Directors' meetings. When the Secretary is absent from any meeting, the Chairman may appoint any person to act as Secretary of that meeting.

5.9 Action by Consent. The Board or a committee of the Board may take any required or permitted action without a meeting if all members of the Board or committee consent thereto in writing and file such consent with the minutes of the proceedings of the Board or committee.

5.10 Transactions With Interested Directors. Any contract or other transaction between the Company and any of its directors (or any corporation or firm in which any of its directors are directly or indirectly interested) shall be valid for all purposes notwithstanding the presence of that director at the meeting during which the contract or transaction was authorized, and notwithstanding the directors' participation in that meeting. This section shall apply only if the contract or transaction is just and reasonable to the Company at the time it is authorized and ratified, the interest of each director is known or disclosed to the Board of Directors, and the Board nevertheless authorizes or ratifies the contract or transaction by a majority of the disinterested directors present. Each interested director is to be counted in determining whether a quorum is present, but shall not vote and shall not be counted in calculating the majority necessary to carry the vote. This section shall not be construed to invalidate contracts or transactions that would be valid in its absence.

ARTICLE 6. COMMITTEES

6.1 Committees of the Board. The Board may designate, by a vote of a majority of the directors then in office, committees of the Board. The committees shall serve at the pleasure of the Board and shall possess such lawfully delegable powers and duties as the Board may confer.

6.2 Selection of Committee Members. The Board shall elect by a vote of a majority of the directors then in office a director or directors to serve as the member or members of a committee. By the same vote, the Board may designate other directors as alternate members who may replace any absent or disqualified member at any meeting of a committee. In the absence or disqualification of any member of any committee and any alternate member in his place, the member or members of the committee present at the meeting and not disqualified from voting, whether or not he or they constitute a quorum, may appoint by unanimous vote another member of the Board to act at the meeting in the place of the absent or disqualified member.

6.3 Conduct of Business. Each committee may determine the procedural rules for meeting and conducting its business and shall act in accordance therewith, except as the law or these Bylaws require otherwise. Each committee shall make adequate provision for notice of all meetings to members. A majority of the members of the committee shall constitute a quorum, unless the committee consists of one or two members. In that event, one member shall constitute a quorum. A majority vote of the members present shall determine all matters. A committee may take action without a meeting if all the members of the committee consent in writing and file the consent or consents with the minutes of the proceedings of the committee.

6.4 Authority. Any committee, to the extent the Board provides, shall have and may exercise all the powers and authority of the Board in the management of the business and affairs of the Company, and may authorize the affixation of the Company's seal to all instruments which may require or permit it. However, no committee shall have any power or authority with regard to amending the Articles of Incorporation, adopting an agreement of merger or consolidation, recommending to the Stockholders the sale, lease or exchange of all or substantially all of the Company's property and assets, recommending to the Stockholders a dissolution of the Company or a revocation of a dissolution of the Company, or amending these Bylaws of the Company. Unless a resolution of the Board expressly provides, no committee shall have the power or authority to declare a dividend, to authorize the issuance of stock, or to adopt a certificate of ownership and merger.

6.5 Minutes. Each committee shall keep regular minutes of its proceedings and report the same to the Board when required.

6.6 Committees. All Committees and all powers provided to such Committees shall be consistent with Nevada Law, the Articles and the rules and regulations of the principal market or exchange on which the Company's capital stock then trades.

ARTICLE 7. OFFICERS

7.1 Officers of the Company. The officers of the Company shall consist of a President, a Secretary, a Treasurer and such Vice Presidents, Assistant Secretaries, Assistant Treasurers, and other officers as the Board may designate and elect from time to time. The same person may hold at the same time any two or more offices.

7.2 Election and Term. The Board shall elect the officers of the Company. Each officer shall hold office until his death, resignation, retirement, removal or disqualification, or until his successor shall have been elected and qualified.

7.3 Compensation of Officers. The Board shall fix the compensation of all officers of the Company. No officer shall serve the Company in any other capacity and receive compensation, unless the Board authorizes the additional compensation.

7.4 Removal of Officers and Agents. The Board may remove any officer or agent it has elected or appointed at any time, with or without cause.

7.5 Resignation of Officers and Agents. Any officer or agent the Board has elected or appointed may resign at any time by giving written notice to the Board, the Chairman of the Board, the President, or the Secretary of the Company. Any such resignation shall take effect at the date of the receipt of such notice or at any later time specified. Unless otherwise specified in the notice, the Board need not accept the resignation to make it effective.

7.6 Bond. The Board may require by resolution any officer, agent, or employee of the Company to give bond to the Company, with sufficient sureties conditioned on the faithful performance of the duties of his respective office or agency. The Board also may require by resolution any officer, agent or employee to comply with such other conditions as the Board may require from time to time.

7.7 President. The President shall be the chief operating officer of the Company and, subject to the Board's control, shall supervise and direct all of the business and affairs of the Company. When present, he shall sign (with or without the Secretary, an Assistant Secretary, or any other officer or agent of the Company which the Board has authorized) deeds, mortgages, bonds, contracts or other instruments which the Board has authorized an officer or agent of the Company to execute. However, the President shall not sign any instrument which the law, these Bylaws, or the Board expressly require some other officer or agent of the Company to sign and execute. In general, the President shall perform all duties incident to the office of President and such other duties as the Board may prescribe from time to time.

7.8 Vice Presidents. In the absence of the President or in the event of his death, inability or refusal to act, the Vice Presidents in the order of their length of service as Vice Presidents, unless the Board determines otherwise, shall perform the duties of the President. When acting as the President, a Vice President shall have all the powers and restrictions of the Presidency. A Vice President shall perform such other duties as the President or the Board may assign to him from time to time.

7.9 Chief Financial Officer. The Chief Financial Officer shall keep and maintain, or cause to be kept and maintained, adequate and correct books and records of accounts of the properties and business transactions of the Company, including accounts of its assets, liabilities, receipts, disbursements, gains, losses, capital, retained earnings and shares. The books of account shall at all reasonable times be open to inspection by any director.

The Chief Financial Officer shall deposit all moneys and other valuables in the name and to the credit of the Company with such depositories as the Board may designate. The Chief Financial Officer shall disburse the funds of the Company as may be ordered by the Board, shall render to the Chief Executive Officer or, in the absence of a Chief Executive Officer, any president and directors, whenever they request it, an account of all his or her transactions as Chief Financial Officer and of the financial condition of the Company, and shall have other powers and perform such other duties as may be prescribed by the Board or these Bylaws.

The Chief Financial Officer may be the Treasurer of the Company.

7.10 Secretary. The Secretary shall (a) keep the minutes of the meetings of the Stockholders and of the Board in one or more books for that purpose, (b) give all notices which these Bylaws or the law requires, (c) serve as custodian of the records and seal of the Company, (d) affix the seal of the Company to all documents which the Board has authorized execution on behalf of the Company under seal, (e) maintain a register of the address of each Stockholder of the Company, (f) sign, with the President, a Vice President, or any other officer or agent of the Company which the Board has authorized, certificates for shares of the Company, (g) have charge of the stock transfer books of the Company, and (h) perform all duties which the President or the Board may assign to him from time to time.

7.11 Assistant Secretaries. In the absence of the Secretary or in the event of his death, inability or refusal to act, the Assistant Secretaries in the order of their length of service as Assistant Secretary, unless the Board determines otherwise, shall perform the duties of the Secretary. When acting as the Secretary, an Assistant Secretary shall have the powers and restrictions of the Secretary. An Assistant Secretary shall perform such other duties as the President, Secretary or Board may assign from time to time.

7.12 Treasurer. The Treasurer shall (a) have responsibility for all funds and securities of the Company, (b) receive and give receipts for moneys due and payable to the Company from any source whatsoever, (c) deposit all moneys in the name of the Company in depositories which the Board selects, and (d) perform all of the duties which the President or the Board may assign to him from time to time.

7.13 Assistant Treasurers. In the absence of the Treasurer or in the event of his death, inability or refusal to act, the Assistant Treasurers in the order of their length of service as Assistant Treasurer, unless the Board determines otherwise, shall perform the duties of the Treasurer. When acting as the Treasurer, an Assistant Treasurer shall have the powers and restrictions of the Treasurer. An Assistant Treasurer shall perform such other duties as the Treasurer, the President, or the Board may assign to him from time to time.

7.13 Delegation of Authority. Notwithstanding any provision of these Bylaws to the contrary, the Board may delegate the powers or duties of any officer to any other officer or agent.

7.14 Action with Respect to Securities of Other Corporations. Unless the Board directs otherwise, the President shall have the power to vote and otherwise act on behalf of the Company, in person or by proxy, at any meeting of stockholders of or with respect to any action of stockholders of any other corporation in which the Company holds securities. Furthermore, unless the Board directs otherwise, the President shall exercise any and all rights and powers which the Company possesses by reason of its ownership of securities in another corporation.

7.15 Vacancies. The Board may fill any vacancy in any office because of death, resignation, removal, disqualification or any other cause in the manner which these Bylaws prescribe for the regular appointment to such office.

7.16 Corporate Governance Compliance. Without otherwise limiting the powers of the Board set forth herein and provided that shares of capital stock of the Company are listed for trading on either the NASDAQ Stock Market ("**NASDAQ**") or the New York Stock Exchange ("**NYSE**") (including the NYSE MKT.), the Company shall comply with the corporate governance rules and requirements of the NASDAQ or the NYSE, as applicable.

ARTICLE 8.
CONTRACTS, LOANS, DRAFTS,
DEPOSITS AND ACCOUNTS

8.1 Contracts. The Board may authorize any officer or officers, agent or agents, to enter into any contract or execute and deliver any instrument in the name and on behalf of the Company. The Board may make such authorization general or special.

8.2 Loans. Unless the Board has authorized such action, no officer or agent of the Company shall contract for a loan on behalf of the Company or issue any evidence of indebtedness in the Company's name.

8.3 Drafts. The President, any Vice President, the Treasurer, any Assistant Treasurer, and such other persons as the Board shall determine shall issue all checks, drafts and other orders for the payment of money, notes and other evidences of indebtedness issued in the name of or payable by the Company.

8.4 Deposits. The Treasurer shall deposit all funds of the Company not otherwise employed in such banks, trust companies, or other depositories as the Board may select or as any officer, assistant, agent or attorney of the Company to whom the Board has delegated such power may select. For the purpose of deposit and collection for the account of the Company, the President or the Treasurer (or any other officer, assistant, agent or attorney of the Company whom the Board has authorized) may endorse, assign and deliver checks, drafts and other orders for the payment of money payable to the order of the Company.

8.5 General and Special Bank Accounts. The Board may authorize the opening and keeping of general and special bank accounts with such banks, trust companies, or other depositories as the Board may select or as any officer, assistant, agent or attorney of the Company to whom the Board has delegated such power may select. The Board may make such special rules and regulations with respect to such bank accounts, not inconsistent with the provisions of these Bylaws, as it may deem expedient.

ARTICLE 9.
CERTIFICATES FOR SHARES AND THEIR TRANSFER

9.1 Certificates for Shares. Shares of the capital stock of the Company may be certificated or uncertificated, as provided under Nevada Law. Each stockholder, upon written request to the transfer agent or registrar of the Company, shall be entitled to a certificate of the capital stock of the Company in such form as may from time to time be prescribed by the Board of Directors. The Secretary, transfer agent, or registrar of the Company shall number the certificates representing shares of the stock of the Company in the order in which the Company issues them. The President or any Vice President and the Secretary or any Assistant Secretary shall sign the certificates in the name of the Company. Any or all certificates may contain facsimile signatures. In case any officer, transfer agent, or registrar who has signed a certificate, or whose facsimile signature appears on a certificate, ceases to serve as such officer, transfer agent, or registrar before the Company issues the certificate, the Company may issue the certificate with the same effect as though the person who signed such certificate, or whose facsimile signature appears on the certificate, was such officer, transfer agent, or registrar at the date of issue. The Secretary, transfer agent, or registrar of the Company shall keep a record in the stock transfer books of the Company of the names of the persons, firms or corporations owning the stock represented by the certificates, the number and class of shares represented by the certificates and the dates thereof and, in the case of cancellation, the dates of cancellation. The Secretary, transfer agent, or registrar of the Company shall cancel every certificate surrendered to the Company for exchange or transfer. Except in the case of a lost, destroyed, stolen or mutilated certificate, the Secretary, transfer agent, or registrar of the Company shall not issue a new certificate in exchange for an existing certificate until he has canceled the existing certificate.

9.2 Transfer of Shares. A holder of record of shares of the Company's stock, or his attorney-in-fact authorized by power of attorney duly executed and filed with the Secretary, transfer agent or registrar of the Company, may transfer his shares only on the stock transfer books of the Company. Such person shall furnish to the Secretary, transfer agent, or registrar of the Company proper evidence of his authority to make the transfer and shall properly endorse and surrender for cancellation his existing certificate or certificates for such shares. Whenever a holder of record of shares of the Company's stock makes a transfer of shares for collateral security, the Secretary, transfer agent, or registrar of the Company shall state such fact in the entry of transfer if the transferor and the transferee request. When a transfer of shares is requested and there is reasonable doubt as to the right of the person seeking the transfer, the Company or its transfer agent, before recording the transfer of the shares on its books or issuing any certificate there for, may require from the person seeking the transfer reasonable proof of that person's right to the transfer. If there remains a reasonable doubt of the right to the transfer, the Company may refuse a transfer unless the person gives adequate security or a bond of indemnity executed by a corporate surety or by two individual sureties satisfactory to the Company as to form, amount, and responsibility of sureties. The bond shall be conditioned to protect the Company, its officers, transfer agents, and registrars, or any of them, against any loss, damage, expense, or other liability for the transfer or the issuance of a new certificate for shares.

9.3 Lost Certificates. The Board may direct the Secretary, transfer agent, or registrar of the Company to issue a new certificate to any holder of record of shares of the Company's stock claiming that he has lost such certificate, or that someone has stolen, destroyed or mutilated such certificate, upon the receipt of an affidavit from such holder to such fact. When authorizing the issue of a new certificate, the Board, in its discretion may require as a condition precedent to the issuance that the owner of such certificate give the Company a bond of indemnity in such form and amount as the Board may direct.

9.4 Regulations. The Board may make such rules and regulations, not inconsistent with these Bylaws, as it deems expedient concerning the issue, transfer and registration of certificates for shares of the stock of the Company. The Board may appoint or authorize any officer or officers to appoint one or more transfer agents, or one or more registrars, and may require all certificates for stock to bear the signature or signatures of any of them.

9.5 Holder of Record. The Company may treat as absolute owners of shares the person in whose name the shares stand of record as if that person had full competency, capacity and authority to exercise all rights of ownership, despite any knowledge or notice to the contrary or any description indicating a representative, pledge or other fiduciary relation, or any reference to any other instrument or to the rights of any other person appearing upon its record or upon the share certificate. However, the Company may treat any person furnishing proof of his appointment as a fiduciary as if he were the holder of record of the shares.

9.6 Treasury Shares. Treasury shares of the Company shall consist of shares which the Company has issued and thereafter acquired but not canceled. Treasury shares shall not carry voting or dividend rights.

9.7 Consideration For Shares. Shares may be issued for such consideration as may be fixed from time to time by the Board of Directors, but not less than the par value stated in the Articles.

ARTICLE 10. INDEMNIFICATION

10.1 Definitions. In this Article:

(a) ***“Indemnitee”*** means (i) any present or former director, advisory director or officer of the Company, (ii) any person who while serving in any of the capacities referred to in clause (i) hereof served at the Company’s request as a director, officer, partner, venturer, proprietor, trustee, employee, agent or similar functionary of another foreign or domestic corporation, partnership, joint venture, trust, employee benefit plan or other enterprise, and (iii) any person nominated or designated by (or pursuant to authority granted by) the Board of Directors or any committee thereof to serve in any of the capacities referred to in clauses (i) or (ii) hereof.

(b) ***“Official Capacity”*** means (i) when used with respect to a director, the office of director of the Company, and (ii) when used with respect to a person other than a director, the elective or appointive office of the Company held by such person or the employment or agency relationship undertaken by such person on behalf of the Company, but in each case does not include service for any other foreign or domestic corporation or any partnership, joint venture, sole proprietorship, trust, employee benefit plan or other enterprise.

(c) **“Proceeding”** means any threatened, pending or completed action, suit or proceeding, whether civil, criminal, administrative, arbitral or investigative, any appeal in such an action, suit or proceeding, and any inquiry or investigation that could lead to such an action, suit or proceeding.

10.2 **Indemnification.** The Company shall indemnify every Indemnitee against all judgments, penalties (including excise and similar taxes), fines, amounts paid in settlement and reasonable expenses actually incurred by the Indemnitee in connection with any Proceeding in which he was, is or is threatened to be named defendant or respondent, or in which he was or is a witness without being named a defendant or respondent, by reason, in whole or in part, of his serving or having served, or having been nominated or designated to serve, in any of the capacities referred to in Section 10.1, if it is determined in accordance with Section 10.4 that the Indemnitee (a) conducted himself in good faith, (b) reasonably believed, in the case of conduct in his Official Capacity, that his conduct was in the Company’s best interests and, in all other cases, that his conduct was at least not opposed to the Company’s best interests, and (c) in the case of any criminal proceeding, had no reasonable cause to believe that his conduct was unlawful; provided, however, that in the event that an Indemnitee is found liable to the Company or is found liable on the basis that personal benefit was improperly received by the Indemnitee the indemnification (i) is limited to reasonable expenses actually incurred by the Indemnitee in connection with the Proceeding and (ii) shall not be made in respect of any Proceeding in which the Indemnitee shall have been found liable for willful or intentional misconduct in the performance of his duty to the Company. Except as provided in the immediately preceding proviso to the first sentence of this Section 10.2, no indemnification shall be made under this Section 10.2 in respect of any Proceeding in which such Indemnitee shall have been (a) found liable on the basis that personal benefit was improperly received by him, whether or not the benefit resulted from an action taken in the Indemnitee’s Official Capacity, or (b) found liable to the Company. The termination of any Proceeding by judgment, order, settlement or conviction, or on a plea of nolo contendere or its equivalent, is not of itself determinative that the Indemnitee did not meet the requirements set forth in clauses (a), (b) or (c) in the first sentence of this Section 10.2. An Indemnitee shall be deemed to have been found liable in respect of any claim, issue or matter only after the Indemnitee shall have been so adjudged by a court of competent jurisdiction after exhaustion of all appeals therefrom. Reasonable expenses shall, include, without limitation, all court costs and all fees and disbursements of attorneys for the Indemnitee. The indemnification provided herein shall be applicable whether or not negligence or gross negligence of the Indemnitee is alleged or proven.

10.3 **Successful Defense.** Without limitation of Section 10.2 and in addition to the indemnification provided for in Section 10.2, the Company shall indemnify every Indemnitee against reasonable expenses incurred by such person in connection with any Proceeding in which he is a witness or a named defendant or respondent because he served in any of the capacities referred to in Section 10.1, if such person has been wholly successful, on the merits or otherwise, in defense of the Proceeding.

10.4 Determinations. Any indemnification under Section 10.2 (unless ordered by a court of competent jurisdiction) shall be made by the Company only upon a determination that indemnification of the Indemnitee is proper in the circumstances because he has met the applicable standard of conduct. Such determination shall be made (a) by the Board of Directors by a majority vote of a quorum consisting of directors who, at the time of such vote, are not named defendants or respondents in the Proceeding; (b) if such a quorum cannot be obtained, then by a majority vote of a committee of the Board of Directors, duly designated to act in the matter by a majority vote of all directors (in which designated directors who are named defendants or respondents in the Proceeding may participate), such committee to consist solely of two (2) or more directors who, at the time of the committee vote, are not named defendants or respondents in the Proceeding; (c) by special legal counsel selected by the Board of Directors or a committee thereof by vote as set forth in clauses (a) or (b) of this Section 10.4 or, if the requisite quorum of all of the directors cannot be obtained therefor and such committee cannot be established, by a majority vote of all of the directors (in which directors who are named defendants or respondents in the Proceeding may participate); or (d) by the shareholders in a vote that excludes the shares held by directors that are named defendants or respondents in the Proceeding. Determination as to reasonableness of expenses shall be made in the same manner as the determination that indemnification is permissible, except that if the determination that indemnification is permissible is made by special legal counsel, determination as to reasonableness of expenses must be made in the manner specified in clause (c) of the preceding sentence for the selection of special legal counsel. In the event a determination is made under this Section 10.4 that the Indemnitee has met the applicable standard of conduct as to some matters but not as to others, amounts to be indemnified may be reasonably prorated.

10.5 Advancement of Expenses. Reasonable expenses (including court costs and attorneys' fees) incurred by an Indemnitee who was or is a witness or was, is or is threatened to be made a named defendant or respondent in a Proceeding shall be paid by the Company at reasonable intervals in advance of the final disposition of such Proceeding, and without making any of the determinations specified in Section 10.4, after receipt by the Company of (a) a written affirmation by such Indemnitee of his good faith belief that he has met the standard of conduct necessary for indemnification by the Company under this Article and (b) a written undertaking by or on behalf of such Indemnitee to repay the amount paid or reimbursed by the Company if it shall ultimately be determined that he is not entitled to be indemnified by the Company as authorized in this Article. Such written undertaking shall be an unlimited obligation of the Indemnitee but need not be secured and it may be accepted without reference to financial ability to make repayment. Notwithstanding any other provision of this Article, the Company may pay or reimburse expenses incurred by an Indemnitee in connection with his appearance as a witness or other participation in a Proceeding at a time when he is not named a defendant or respondent in the Proceeding.

10.6 Employee Benefit Plans. For purposes of this Article, the Company shall be deemed to have requested an Indemnitee to serve an employee benefit plan whenever the performance by him of his duties to the Company also imposes duties on or otherwise involves services by him to the plan or participants or beneficiaries of the plan. Excise taxes assessed on an Indemnitee with respect to an employee benefit plan pursuant to applicable law shall be deemed fines. Action taken or omitted by an Indemnitee with respect to an employee benefit plan in the performance of his duties for a purpose reasonably believed by him to be in the interest of the participants and beneficiaries of the plan shall be deemed to be for a purpose which is not opposed to the best interests of the Company.

10.7 Other Indemnification and Insurance. The indemnification provided by this Article shall (a) not be deemed exclusive of, or to preclude, any other rights to which those seeking indemnification may at any time be entitled under the Company's Articles of Incorporation, any law, agreement or vote of shareholders or disinterested directors, or otherwise, or under any policy or policies of insurance purchased and maintained by the Company on behalf of any Indemnitee, both as to action in his Official Capacity and as to action in any other capacity, (b) continue as to a person who has ceased to be in the capacity by reason of which he was an Indemnitee with respect to matters arising during the period he was in such capacity, (c) inure to the benefit of the heirs, executors and administrators of such a person and (d) not be required if and to the extent that the person otherwise entitled to payment of such amounts hereunder has actually received payment therefor under any insurance policy, contract or otherwise.

10.8 Notice. Any indemnification of or advance of expenses to an Indemnitee in accordance with this Article shall be reported in writing to the shareholders of the Company with or before the notice or waiver of notice of the next shareholders' meeting or with or before the next submission to shareholders of a consent to action without a meeting and, in any case, within the 12-month period immediately following the date of the indemnification or advance.

10.9 Construction. The indemnification provided by this Article shall be subject to all valid and applicable laws, including, without limitation, the Nevada General Corporation Law, and, in the event this Article or any of the provisions hereof or the indemnification contemplated hereby are found to be inconsistent with or contrary to any such valid laws, the latter shall be deemed to control and this Article shall be regarded as modified accordingly, and, as so modified, to continue in full force and effect.

10.10 Continuing Offer, Reliance, etc. The provisions of this Article (a) are for the benefit of, and may be enforced by, each Indemnitee of the Company, the same as if set forth in their entirety in a written instrument duly executed and delivered by the Company and such Indemnitee and (b) constitute a continuing offer to all present and future Indemnitees. The Company, by its adoption of these Bylaws, (a) acknowledges and agrees that each Indemnitee of the Company has relied upon and will continue to rely upon the provisions of this Article in becoming, and serving in any of the capacities referred to in Section 10.1 of this Article, (b) waives reliance upon, and all notices of acceptance of, such provisions by such Indemnitees and (c) acknowledges and agrees that no present or future Indemnitee shall be prejudiced in his right to enforce the provisions of this Article in accordance with its terms by any act or failure to act on the part of the Company.

10.11 Effect of Amendment. No amendment, modification or repeal of this Article or any provision hereof shall in any manner terminate, reduce or impair the right of any past, present or future Indemnitees to be indemnified by the Company, nor the obligation of the Company to indemnify any such Indemnitees, under and in accordance with the provisions of the Article as in effect immediately prior to such amendment, modification or repeal with respect to claims arising from or relating to matters occurring, in whole or in part, prior to such amendment, modification or repeal, regardless of when such claims may arise or be asserted.

ARTICLE 11.
TAKEOVER OFFERS; ACQUISITION OF CONTROLLING INTEREST

11.1 Takeover Offers. In the event the Company receives a takeover offer, the Board of Directors shall consider all relevant factors in evaluating such offer, including, but not limited to, the terms of the offer, and the potential economic and social impact of such offer on the Company's stockholders, employees, customers, creditors and community in which it operates.

11.2 Nevada Controlling Interest Statutes. Pursuant to Nevada Revised Statutes ("**NRS**") Section 78.378, the Company shall not be governed by the provisions of NRS 78.378 to 78.3793, inclusive, of the NRS, and such sections shall not apply to the Company or to an acquisition of a controlling interest by any shareholder of the Company.

ARTICLE 12.
DIVIDENDS

12.1 General. The Board, subject to any restrictions contained in either (i) Nevada Law, or (ii) the Articles, may declare and pay dividends upon the shares of its capital stock. Dividends may be paid in cash, in property, or in shares of the Company's capital stock.

12.2 Dividend Reserve. The Board may set apart out of any of the funds of the Company available for dividends a reserve or reserves for any proper purpose and may abolish any such reserve.

ARTICLE 13.
NOTICES

13.1 General. Whenever these Bylaws require notice to any Stockholder, director, officer or agent, such notice does not mean personal notice. A person may give effective notice under these Bylaws in every case by depositing a writing in a post office or letter box in a postpaid, sealed wrapper, or by dispatching a prepaid telegram addressed to such Stockholder, director, officer or agent at his address on the books of the Company. Unless these Bylaws expressly provide to the contrary, the time when the person sends notice shall constitute the time of the giving of notice.

13.2 Waiver of Notice. Whenever the law or these Bylaws require notice, the person entitled to said notice may waive such notice in writing, either before or after the time stated therein.

13.3 Electronic Notice. Without limiting the manner by which notice otherwise may be given effectively to Stockholders pursuant to the Nevada Law, the Articles or these Bylaws, any notice to Stockholders given by the Company under any provision of the Nevada Law, the Articles or these Bylaws shall be effective if given by a form of electronic transmission consented to by the Stockholder to whom the notice is given. Any such consent shall be revocable by the Stockholder by written notice to the Company. Any such consent shall be deemed revoked if:

- (i) the Company is unable to deliver by electronic transmission two consecutive notices given by the Company in accordance with such consent; and
- (ii) such inability becomes known to the Secretary or an Assistant Secretary of the Company or to the transfer agent, or other person responsible for the giving of notice.

However, the inadvertent failure to treat such inability as a revocation shall not invalidate any meeting or other action.

Any notice given pursuant to the preceding paragraph shall be deemed given:

- (i) if by facsimile telecommunication, when directed to a number at which the Stockholder has consented to receive notice;
- (ii) if by electronic mail, when directed to an electronic mail address at which the Stockholder has consented to receive notice;
- (iii) if by a posting on an electronic network together with separate notice to the Stockholder of such specific posting, upon the later of (A) such posting and (B) the giving of such separate notice; and
- (iv) if by any other form of electronic transmission, when directed to the Stockholder.

An affidavit of the Secretary or an Assistant Secretary or of the transfer agent or other agent of the Company that the notice has been given by a form of electronic transmission shall, in the absence of fraud, be prima facie evidence of the facts stated therein.

13.4 Undeliverable Notices. Whenever notice is required to be given, under any provision of the Nevada Law, the Articles or these Bylaws, to any stockholder to whom (a) notice of two (2) consecutive annual meetings, or (b) all, and at least two (2) payments (if sent by first-class mail) of dividends or interest on securities during a twelve (12) month period, have been mailed addressed to such person at such person's address as shown on the records of the Company and have been returned undeliverable, the giving of such notice to such person shall not be required. Any action or meeting which shall be taken or held without notice to such person shall have the same force and effect as if such notice had been duly given. If any such person shall deliver to the Company a written notice setting forth such person's then current address, the requirement that notice be given to such person shall be reinstated. In the event that the action taken by the Company is such as to require the filing of an amendment to the Articles with the Secretary of State of Nevada, the amendment need not state that notice was not given to persons to whom notice was not required to be given pursuant to Nevada Law.

ARTICLE 14.
MISCELLANEOUS

14.1 Facsimile Signatures. In addition to the use of facsimile signatures which these Bylaws specifically authorize, the Company may use such facsimile signatures of any officer or officers, agents or agent, of the Company as the Board or a committee of the Board may authorize.

14.2 Corporate Seal. The Board may provide for a suitable seal containing the name of the Company, of which the Secretary shall be in charge. The Treasurer, any Assistant Secretary, or any Assistant Treasurer may keep and use the seal or duplicates of the seal if and when the Board or a committee of the Board so directs.

14.3 Fiscal Year. The Board shall have the authority to fix and change the fiscal year of the Company.

14.4 Invalid Provisions. If any provision of these Bylaws is held to be illegal, invalid or unenforceable under any present or future law, and if the rights or obligations of the Stockholders would not be materially and adversely affected thereby, such provision shall be fully separable, and these Bylaws shall be construed and enforced as if such illegal, invalid or unenforceable provision had never comprised a part hereof, the remaining provisions of these Bylaws shall remain in full force and effect and shall not be affected by the illegal, invalid or unenforceable provision or by its severance herefrom, and in lieu of such illegal, invalid or unenforceable provision, there shall be added automatically as a part of these Bylaws, a legal, valid and enforceable provision as similar in terms to such illegal, invalid or unenforceable provision as may be possible.

ARTICLE 15.
AMENDMENTS

15.1 Subject to the provisions of the Articles, the Stockholders or the Board may amend or repeal these Bylaws at any shareholders or directors meeting, subject to the voting and approval requirements of the shareholders and the directors, as applicable, set forth herein for general Company matters. All amendments shall be upon advice of counsel as to legality, except in emergency. Bylaw changes shall take effect upon adoption unless otherwise specified.

**CONVERTIBLE PROMISSORY NOTE
PURCHASE AGREEMENT**

This Convertible Promissory Note Purchase Agreement (this “**Agreement**”) is entered into on March 29, 2016, to be effective March 11, 2016 (the “**Effective Date**”), by and among Lucas Energy, Inc., a Nevada corporation (the “**Company**”) and HFT Enterprises, LLC, a Nevada limited liability company (the “**Purchaser**”).

WHEREAS, on the terms and subject to the conditions set forth in this Agreement, the Company desires to issue and sell to the Purchaser, and the Purchaser wishes to purchase from the Company, convertible promissory notes substantially in the form attached hereto as Exhibit A (each a “**Note**” and collectively, the “**Notes**”); and

WHEREAS, such purchases will be made in reliance upon the provisions of Regulation D (“**Regulation D**”) of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, and the regulations promulgated thereunder, and or upon such other exemption from the registration requirements of the Securities Act as may be available with respect to any or all of the investments to be made hereunder.

NOW, THEREFORE, the parties hereto agree as follows:

**ARTICLE I.
DEFINITIONS AND OTHER MATTERS**

1.1. Incorporation of Recitals. It is expressly agreed that the recitals to this Agreement are incorporated herein and made an operative part of this Agreement.

1.2. Defined Terms. As used in this Agreement, the following terms shall have the following meanings. Other capitalized terms are defined elsewhere herein.

1.2.1 “**Affiliate**” of any specified Person means any other Person directly or indirectly Controlling or Controlled by or under direct or indirect common Control with such specified Person.

1.2.2 “**Business Day**” shall mean any day except Saturday, Sunday or any other day on which commercial banks located in Houston, Texas are closed for business.

1.2.3 “**Common Stock**” shall mean the Company’s common stock, par value \$0.001 per share.

1.2.4 “**Control**” means, when used with respect to any specified Person, the power to direct the management and policies of such Person, directly or indirectly, whether through the ownership of voting securities, by contract or otherwise.

1.2.5 “**Conversion Shares**” shall mean those shares of Common Stock (or equity securities of any successor to the Company, as the case may be), which may be received by the Purchaser upon conversion of the Notes in accordance with the terms hereof and the Notes.

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1.2.6 “**Exchange Act**” shall mean the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, and the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder.

1.2.7 “**GAAP**” means generally accepted accounting principles in the United States of America as applied consistently with the past practices of the Company.

1.2.8 “**Governmental Authority**” shall mean any government or any state, department or other political subdivision thereof, or any governmental body, agency, authority or instrumentality in any jurisdiction exercising executive, legislative, regulatory or administrative functions of or pertaining to government.

1.2.9 “**Material Adverse Effect**” means any event, circumstance, change or effect, individually or in the aggregate, is or would be materially adverse: (i) to the business, results of operations, condition (financial or otherwise), assets or liabilities of the Company; (ii) to the Company’s ability to perform any of its material obligations under this Agreement, the Notes or the Warrant; or (iii) the ability of Purchaser to exercise any rights provided to the Purchaser under this Agreement, the Notes or Warrants.

1.2.10 “**NYSE Approval**” means the approval of the NYSE MKT of the additional listing of the Conversion Shares and Warrant Shares.

1.2.11 “**Person**” shall mean an individual, a corporation, limited liability company, a general or limited partnership, an association, a trust or other entity or organization, including any Governmental Authority.

1.2.12 “**Purchaser’s Assigns**” means one or more Persons which have been assigned the right to acquire the Third Tranche Note by Purchaser. No Person shall become a Purchaser’s Assigns unless or until such Person has signed a joinder agreement in form and substance approved by the Company agreeing to be bound by the terms and conditions of this Agreement, as if an original party hereto and making the same representations and warranties to the Company in connection with such purchase as made by the Purchaser herein, including, but not limited to pursuant to ARTICLE IV hereof. At such time as Purchaser has assigned its rights to acquire the Third Tranche Note to any Purchaser’s Assigns hereunder, all applicable references to Purchaser herein (except in connection with the purchase of the Initial Tranche Note and Second Tranche Note and except for in Section 2.3 hereof) shall automatically refer to Purchaser and Purchaser’s Assigns.

1.2.13 “**Registrable Securities**” means all of the Conversion Shares and all of the Warrant Shares.

1.2.14 “**SEC**” shall mean the Securities and Exchange Commission.

1.2.15 “**Shareholder Approval**” means the approval by the shareholders of the Company, as required pursuant to applicable rules and regulations of the NYSE MKT, of the issuance of the Conversion Shares upon the conversion of the Notes; the issuance of the Warrant Shares upon the exercise of the Warrants, and such other terms and conditions as may be required by the NYSE MKT or the SEC in connection therewith.

1.2.16 “**Warrant Shares**” means shares of Common Stock issuable upon exercise of the Warrants.

1.2.17 “**Written Notice**” means any representation of words, letters, symbols, numbers, or figures, whether (i) printed in or inscribed on a tangible medium or (ii) stored in an electronic form or other medium, retrievable in a perceivable form, and regardless of whether an electronic signature is authorized or attached thereto.

**ARTICLE II.
SALE AND PURCHASE OF NOTES; GRANT OF WARRANTS;
CLOSING; CLOSING CONDITIONS.**

2.1. Initial Tranche; Second Tranche and Third Tranche.

2.1.1 (a) Initial Tranche Issuance and Sale. On the terms and subject to the conditions set forth herein, on or prior to March 11, 2016 (the “**Initial Tranche Closing**” and the “**Initial Tranche Closing Date**”), the Purchaser shall purchase from the Company a Note in the principal amount of \$300,000, and the Company shall issue and sell to the Purchaser such Note (the “**Initial Tranche Note**” and such amount, the “**Initial Tranche Purchase Price**”). The Company acknowledges that the Initial Tranche Purchase Price was paid on the Initial Tranche Closing Date.

2.1.2 Second Tranche Issuance and Sale. On the terms and subject to the conditions set forth herein, on or prior to March 25, 2016 (the “**Second Tranche Closing**” and the “**Second Tranche Closing Date**”), the Purchaser shall purchase from the Company a Note in the principal amount of \$150,000, and the Company shall issue and sell to the Purchaser such Note (the “**Second Tranche Note**” and such amount, the “**Second Tranche Purchase Price**”). The Company acknowledges that the Second Tranche Purchase Price was paid on the Second Tranche Closing Date.

2.1.3 Third Tranche Issuance and Sale. On the terms and subject to the conditions set forth herein, on or prior to April 30, 2016 (unless such date is extended with the mutual consent of the Parties)(the “**Third Tranche Closing**” and the “**Third Tranche Closing Date**”), the Purchaser or if applicable, the Purchaser’s Assigns, shall purchase from the Company a Note in the principal amount of \$150,000, and the Company shall issue and sell to the Purchaser or the Purchaser’s Assigns such Note (the “**Third Tranche Note**” and such amount, the “**Third Tranche Purchase Price**”).

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2.2. Sales and Purchase of Notes. The aggregate purchase price paid by the Purchaser for the Notes purchased by the Purchaser and issued by the Company at the Initial Tranche Closing shall be \$300,000; the aggregate purchase price paid by the Purchaser for the Notes purchased by the Purchaser and issued by the Company at the Second Tranche Closing shall be \$150,000 and the aggregate purchase price paid by the Purchaser (or Purchaser's Assigns) for the Notes purchased by the Purchaser (or Purchaser's Assigns) and issued by the Company at the Third Tranche Closing shall be \$150,000 (collectively, the \$600,000 payable for all the Notes, the "**Aggregate Principal Amount**").

2.3. Grant of Warrants. In consideration for the Purchaser (or Purchaser's Assigns) purchasing the Aggregate Principal Amount of the Notes, the Company agrees to grant to the Purchaser, upon receipt of the Aggregate Principal Amount, warrants to purchase 124,285 shares of the Company's common stock, with a five year term and an exercise price of \$1.50 per share, in the form of Common Stock Purchase Warrant attached hereto as Exhibit B (the "**Warrants**"). Until or unless the Aggregate Principal Amount of Notes has been purchased by the Purchaser (and/or the Purchaser's Assigns), no Warrants shall be granted.

2.4. Closing; Delivery. The closing of the sale and purchase of each of the Notes under this Agreement at each of the Initial Tranche Closing, Second Tranche Closing and Third Tranche Closing (each a "**Closing**" and collectively, the "**Closings**") shall take place at the offices of The Loev Law Firm, PC, 6300 West Loop South, Suite 280, Bellaire, Texas 77401, or remotely by mail, facsimile, e-mail and/or wire transfer, in each case to the extent acceptable to the parties hereto, on the Initial Tranche Closing Date, Second Tranche Closing Date and Third Tranche Closing Date, as applicable (such dates, as applicable, the "**Closing Dates**" and each a "**Closing Date**"). At each of the Closings, on the terms and subject to the conditions hereof, the Company shall deliver to the Purchaser (or the Purchaser's Assigns, if applicable, in connection with the sale of the Third Tranche Note) a Note in the principal amount set forth in Section 2.1 above, in each case, against payment of the aggregate consideration therefor as set forth in Section 2.1.3, in the form of immediately available funds, certified or official bank check and/or by another method acceptable to the Company, provided that the Parties agree that the Initial Tranche Note and Second Tranche Note are being delivered to the Purchaser concurrently with the Parties entry into this Agreement. Additionally, on the Third Tranche Closing Date, the Company shall deliver to the Purchaser a Common Stock Purchase Warrant evidencing the Warrants due to the Purchaser as discussed in Section 2.3 above.

2.5. Conditions to Closings. Each Closing shall be subject to the following conditions, each of which may be waived in the discretion of the Purchaser:

2.5.1 no Event of Default (as defined in the Notes) shall have occurred or be continuing, nor shall have any event occurred or condition existed which, with the giving of notice or passing of time or both, would constitute an Event of Default;

2.5.2 the Conversion Shares underlying the Notes issued in connection with such Closing have been duly reserved for future issuance on the books and records of the Company (and in the case of the Third Tranche Closing, the shares of Common Stock issuable upon exercise of the Warrants have been reserved for future issuance); and

2.5.3 No Material Adverse Effect effecting the Company shall have occurred since the date of this Agreement;
and

2.5.4 each of the representations and warranties made by the Company pursuant to this Agreement (or in any amendment, modification or supplement hereto or thereto) shall, except to the extent that they relate to a particular date, be true and correct in all material respects on and as of such date as if made on and as of the applicable Closing Date.

ARTICLE III. REPRESENTATIONS OF THE COMPANY

As a material inducement to the Purchaser to enter into this Agreement and consummate the transactions contemplated hereby, including, without limitation, to purchase the Notes, the Company hereby represents and warrants to the Purchaser (or in the event the Purchaser assigns its rights to the Third Tranche Note as provided herein, the Purchaser's Assigns) as follows:

3.1. The Company is a corporation duly organized, validly existing and in good standing under the laws of the jurisdiction of its organization and has the corporate power and authority and the legal right to own and operate its properties and to conduct the business in which it is currently engaged.

3.2. The Company has the power and authority and the legal right to execute and deliver, and to perform its obligations under, this Agreement, the Notes and Warrants and has taken all necessary corporate action to authorize such execution, delivery and performance.

3.3. This Agreement, the Notes and Warrants constitute or will constitute, as applicable, a legal, valid and binding obligation of the Company enforceable in accordance with its terms, except as enforceability may be limited by applicable bankruptcy, insolvency, reorganization, moratorium or similar laws affecting the enforcement of creditors' rights generally and by general equitable principles (whether enforcement is sought by proceedings in equity or at law).

3.4. The execution, delivery and performance of this Agreement, the Notes and Warrants will not (i) violate any provision of any law, statute, rule or regulation or any order, writ, judgment, injunction, decree, determination or award of any court, governmental agency or arbitrator presently in effect having applicability to the Company, (ii) violate or contravene any provision of the Articles of Incorporation or bylaws of the Company, or (iii) result in a breach of or constitute a default under any indenture, loan or credit agreement or any other agreement, lease or instrument to which the Company is a party or by which it or any of its properties may be bound or result in the creation of any lien thereunder, subject in all cases to the NYSE Approval.

3.5. No order, consent, approval, license, authorization or validation of, or filing, recording or registration with, or exemption by, any governmental or public body or authority is required on the part of the Company to authorize, or is required in connection with the execution, delivery and performance of, or the legality, validity, binding effect or enforceability of, the Notes and Warrants, except for filings pursuant to Regulation D of the Securities Act, and the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder, applicable state securities laws, and the NYSE Approval.

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3.6. There are no actions, suits or proceedings pending or, to the knowledge of the Company, threatened against or affecting the Company or any of its properties before any court or arbitrator, or any governmental department, board, agency or other instrumentality which, if determined adversely to the Company, would have a Material Adverse Effect.

3.7. There are no claims for and no Person is entitled to any brokerage commissions, finder's fees or similar compensation from the Company or based on any arrangement or agreement made by or on behalf of the Company in connection with the transactions contemplated by this Agreement.

**ARTICLE IV.
REPRESENTATIONS OF PURCHASER;
LIMITATIONS ON DISPOSITION.**

4.1. Investment Representations. As a material inducement to the Company to enter into this Agreement and consummate the transactions contemplated hereby, including, without limitation, to sell the Notes to the Purchaser and grant the Warrants to Purchaser, the Purchaser, hereby represents and warrants to the Company that:

4.1.1 The Purchaser is duly organized, validly existing and in good standing under the laws of the jurisdiction of its organization and has the corporate power and authority and the legal right to own and operate its properties and to conduct the business in which it is currently engaged;

4.1.2 The Purchaser has the power and authority and the legal right to execute and deliver, and to perform its obligations under this Agreement and has taken all necessary corporate action to authorize such execution, delivery and performance;

4.1.3 This Agreement constitutes a legal, valid and binding obligation of the Purchaser enforceable in accordance with its terms, except as enforceability may be limited by applicable bankruptcy, insolvency, reorganization, moratorium or similar laws affecting the enforcement of creditors' rights generally and by general equitable principles (whether enforcement is sought by proceedings in equity or at law);

4.1.4 The execution, delivery and performance of this Agreement will not (i) violate any provision of any law, statute, rule or regulation or any order, writ, judgment, injunction, decree, determination or award of any court, governmental agency or arbitrator presently in effect having applicability to the Purchaser, or (ii) violate or contravene any provision of the organizational documents of the Purchaser;

4.1.5 No order, consent, approval, license, authorization or validation of, or filing, recording or registration with, or exemption by, any governmental or public body or authority is required on the part of the Purchaser to authorize, or is required in connection with the execution, delivery and performance of, or the legality, validity, binding effect or enforceability of this Agreement;

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4.1.6 There are no actions, suits or proceedings pending or, to the knowledge of the Purchaser, threatened against or affecting the Purchaser, if determined adversely to the Company, would have a material adverse effect on the business, operations, property or condition (financial or otherwise) of the Purchaser or on the ability of the Purchaser to perform its obligations hereunder;

4.1.7 The Notes, the Conversion Shares (as applicable), the Warrants, and the Warrant Shares (if applicable) (collectively the “**Securities**”) are and will be acquired by the Purchaser for such Purchaser’s own account for purposes of investment, not as a nominee or agent, and not with a view to or in connection with the distribution or resale of all or any part thereof, and that such Purchaser does not have any (i) present intention of selling, transferring granting any participation in, or otherwise distributing the same, or (ii) contract, undertaking, agreement or arrangement with any Person to sell, transfer, grant any participation in or otherwise distribute all or any part of the Securities;

4.1.8 The Purchaser understands that the Securities will not be registered under the Securities Act or applicable state securities laws, by reason of specific exemptions therefrom, which exemptions depend upon, among other things, Purchaser’s representations set forth herein;

4.1.9 The Purchaser (i) has sufficient knowledge and experience in financial or business matters that it is capable of evaluating the merits and risks of its investment in the Securities; (ii) is able to protect its interests and fend for itself in the transactions contemplated by this Agreement; and (iii) has the ability to bear the economic risks of its investment;

4.1.10 The Purchaser is an “**accredited investor**” as such term is defined in Rule 501(a) of Regulation D promulgated under the Securities Act;

4.1.11 The Purchaser understands that the Securities are characterized as “**restricted securities**” under the federal securities laws inasmuch as they are being acquired from the Company in a transaction not involving a public offering and that under such laws and applicable regulations such Securities may be resold without registration under the Securities Act only in certain limited circumstances. In this connection, the Purchaser represents that it is familiar with Rule 144, as presently in effect, and understands the resale limitations imposed thereby and by the Securities Act;

4.1.12 The Purchaser has satisfied itself as to the full observance by it of the laws of its jurisdiction in connection with the purchase of the Securities including the tax consequences, if any, which may be relevant to the acquisition, holding, conversion, sale or transfer of the Securities;

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4.1.13 Purchaser has not been offered the Notes or Warrants by any form of general solicitation or advertising, including, but not limited to, advertisements, articles, notices or other communications published in any newspaper, magazine, or other similar media or television or radio broadcast or any seminar or meeting where, to Purchaser's knowledge, those individuals that have attended have been invited by any such or similar means of general solicitation or advertising;

4.1.14 Purchaser has had an opportunity to ask questions of and receive satisfactory answers from the Company, or persons acting on behalf of the Company, concerning the terms and conditions of the Securities and the Company, and all such questions have been answered to the full satisfaction of Purchaser. The Company has not supplied Purchaser any information regarding the Securities or an investment in the Securities other than as contained in this Agreement, and Purchaser is relying on its own investigation and evaluation of the Company and the Securities and not on any other information;

4.1.15 Purchaser is aware that the anti-manipulation rules of Regulation M under the Exchange Act may apply to sales of the Securities and other activities with respect to the Securities by Purchaser; and

4.1.16 Purchaser agrees to sell all Registrable Securities registered under any Registration Statement (as defined in ARTICLE VII below) and sold in connection therewith, in compliance with the plan of distribution set forth in such Registration Statement and any and all applicable prospectus delivery requirements.

4.2. Limitations on Disposition.

4.2.1 Without in any way limiting the representations set forth in Section 4.1 hereof, the Purchaser hereby further agrees not to make any sale, transfer or other disposition of all or any portion of the Securities unless and until:

(i) There is then in effect a registration statement under the Securities Act covering such proposed sale, transfer or other disposition and such sale, transfer or other disposition is made in accordance with such registration statement;

(ii) (A) The Purchaser shall have notified the Company of the proposed disposition and shall have furnished the Company with a statement of the circumstances surrounding the proposed disposition, and (B) if requested by the Company, such Purchaser shall have furnished the Company with an opinion of counsel, reasonably satisfactory to the Company, that such sale, transfer or other disposition will not require registration of such shares under the Securities Act, provided, however, that the Company will not require such an opinion of counsel for transactions made pursuant to Rule 144, as currently in existence, except in unusual circumstances; or

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(iii) The submission to the Company of such other evidence, as may be satisfactory to the Company, that such proposed sale, transfer or other disposition will not be in violation of the Securities Act and any applicable state securities laws or regulations.

4.2.2 Notwithstanding the provisions of Section 4.2.1 immediately above, no such registration statement or opinion of counsel shall be required for a transfer to (i) any affiliate of such Purchaser as defined under Rule 144 of the Securities Act; (ii) Purchaser's partners, stockholders, members or other equity holders; (iii) any immediate family member of a Purchaser; (iv) Purchaser's executors or legal representatives; or (v) trustees of an intervivos trust or testamentary trust for the benefit of members of a Purchaser's immediate family, provided that, in the case of the foregoing clauses (i) through (v), the transferee makes in writing the representations and warranties in favor of the Company contained in, and agrees in writing to the terms of, ARTICLE IV hereof as if such transferee were the original Purchaser hereunder, all in form and substance reasonably satisfactory to the Company.

4.2.3 The Purchaser understands and agrees that any sale, transfer or other disposition of all or any portion of the Securities in violation of the provisions of this Section 4.2 shall be null and void and prohibited, and that the Company shall not be required to recognize the same on its books and records any such purported sale, transfer or other disposition.

4.2.4 It is understood that the certificates evidencing the Securities may bear the following legend:

THE SECURITIES REPRESENTED BY THIS CERTIFICATE HAVE NOT BEEN REGISTERED UNDER THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933, AS AMENDED (THE "**1933 ACT**"), OR UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF ANY APPLICABLE STATE SECURITIES LAWS, BUT HAVE BEEN ISSUED AND SOLD IN RELIANCE UPON EXEMPTIONS FROM THE REGISTRATION REQUIREMENTS OF SUCH ACTS. THE SECURITIES HAVE BEEN ACQUIRED FOR INVESTMENT ONLY AND MAY NOT BE SOLD, PLEDGED, TRANSFERRED OR ASSIGNED, EXCEPT (i) PURSUANT TO AN EFFECTIVE REGISTRATION STATEMENT UNDER THE 1933 ACT AND ANY APPLICABLE STATE SECURITIES ACTS; OR (ii) UPON THE ISSUANCE TO THE COMPANY OF AN OPINION OF COUNSEL, OR THE SUBMISSION TO THE COMPANY OF SUCH OTHER EVIDENCE, AS MAY BE SATISFACTORY TO THE COMPANY, THAT SUCH PROPOSED SALE, TRANSFER, PLEDGE OR OTHER DISPOSITION WILL NOT BE IN VIOLATION OF THE 1933 ACT AND ANY APPLICABLE STATE SECURITIES ACTS.

4.2.5 The Securities may also bear any other legend required by the securities laws of states or other jurisdictions to the extent such laws are applicable to the securities represented by the instrument so legended.

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4.3. Brokerage. There are no claims for and no Person is entitled to any brokerage commissions, finder's fees or similar compensation from the Purchaser or based on any arrangement or agreement made by or on behalf of the Purchaser in connection with the transactions contemplated by this Agreement.

4.4. Principal Place of Business. The office or offices of the Purchaser in which its principal place of business is located at is set forth in Section 8.4.

**ARTICLE V.
CONDITIONS TO THE OBLIGATIONS OF
THE COMPANY TO SELL THE NOTES**

The obligations of the Company to sell the Notes and grant the Warrants to the Purchaser at each of the Closings are subject to fulfillment, or the waiver, of each of the following conditions on or before each of the Closings:

5.1. Securities Laws Approvals. The Company shall have received the requisite approvals for the sale by the Company of the Notes and grant of the Warrants pursuant hereto, if any, of the federal and/or state securities authorities of each jurisdiction in which such approval is required to have been obtained prior to each Closing and such approvals shall be in full force and effect on the date of each Closing.

5.2. Payment of Purchase Price. In connection with each Closing, the Purchaser (or in connection with the Third Tranche Note, the Purchaser's Assigns) shall have delivered to the Company the purchase price for the Notes purchased in accordance with Section 2.1.3.

**ARTICLE VI.
AFFIRMATIVE COVENANTS**

6.1. Conduct of Business; Maintenance of Existence; Compliance with Laws. From and after the date hereof and so long as any Notes remain outstanding, the Company shall continue to engage in business of the same general type as conducted by the Company on the Effective Date, and preserve, renew and keep in full force and effect its corporate existence and take all reasonable action to maintain all rights, privileges and franchises necessary or desirable in the normal conduct of the business of the Company. From and after the date hereof and so long as any Notes remain outstanding, the Company shall do or cause to be done all things necessary to ensure compliance by the Company in all material respects with all creditors, applicable statutes, regulations and orders of, and all applicable restrictions imposed by, any Governmental Authority (including those with jurisdiction over matters pertaining to the environment and hazardous materials).

6.2. Maintenance of Properties and Books and Records. From and after the date hereof and so long as any Notes remain outstanding, the Company shall: (a) maintain, preserve, protect and keep its material properties in good repair, working order and condition (ordinary wear and tear excepted), and make reasonable, necessary and proper repairs, renewals and replacements so that its business carried on in connection therewith may be properly conducted at all times consistent with its past practices, and (b) maintain a standard system of accounting that enables it to timely produce financial statements in accordance with GAAP.

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6.3. Maintenance of Insurance. From and after the date hereof and so long as any Notes remain outstanding, the Company shall maintain insurance with responsible and reputable insurance companies or associations in such amounts and covering such risks as is usually carried by companies of similar size engaged in similar businesses and owning similar properties in the same general areas in which the Company operates.

6.4. Noncircumvention. From and after the date hereof and so long as any Notes remain outstanding, the Company shall not, by amendment of its Articles of Incorporation, bylaws or through any reorganization, transfer of assets, consolidation, merger, scheme of arrangement, dissolution, issuance or sale of securities, or any other voluntary action, avoid or seek to avoid the observance or performance of any of the terms of this Agreement, any Notes or the Warrants, and will at all times in good faith carry out all of the provisions of this Agreement, the Notes and Warrants. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, the Company shall take all such actions as may be necessary or appropriate in order that the Company may validly and legally issue fully paid and nonassessable shares of Common Stock upon the conversion of the Notes and exercise of the Warrants, and shall, so long as any of the Notes or Warrants are outstanding, take all action necessary to reserve and keep available out of its authorized and unissued shares of Common Stock, solely for the purpose of effecting the conversion of the Notes and exercise of the Warrants, the maximum number of shares of Common Stock as shall from time to time be necessary to effect the conversion of the Notes then outstanding (without regard to any limitations on conversion) and exercise of the Warrants then outstanding (without regard to any limitations on exercise).

6.5. Change in Nature of Business. From and after the date hereof and so long as any Notes remain outstanding, the Company shall not, and the Company shall cause each of its subsidiaries to not, directly or indirectly, engage in any material line of business substantially different from those lines of business conducted by the Company and each of its subsidiaries on the Effective Date or any business substantially related or incidental thereto.

6.6. Preservation of Existence. From and after the date hereof and so long as any Notes remain outstanding, the Company shall maintain and preserve, and cause each of its subsidiaries to maintain and preserve, its existence, rights and privileges, and become or remain, and cause each of its subsidiaries to become or remain, duly qualified and in good standing in each jurisdiction in which the character of the properties owned or leased by it or in which the transaction of its business makes such qualification necessary.

6.7. Transactions with Affiliates. From and after the date hereof and so long as any Notes remain outstanding, the Company shall not, nor shall it permit any of its subsidiaries to, enter into, renew, extend or be a party to, any transaction or series of related transactions (including, without limitation, the purchase, sale, lease, transfer or exchange of property or assets of any kind or the rendering of services of any kind) with any affiliate, except in the ordinary course of business in a manner and to an extent consistent with past practice and necessary or desirable for the prudent operation of its business, for fair consideration and on terms no less favorable to it or its subsidiaries than would be obtainable in a comparable arm's length transaction with a Person that is not an affiliate thereof.

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6.8 . Distributions on Common Stock. From and after the date hereof and so long as any Notes remain outstanding, the Company shall not without the Purchaser's written consent (a) pay, declare or set apart for such payment, any dividend or other distribution (whether in cash, property or other securities) on shares of capital stock other than dividends on shares of Common Stock solely in the form of additional shares of Common Stock or (b) directly or indirectly or through any subsidiary make any other payment or distribution in respect of its capital stock except for distributions pursuant to any shareholders' rights plan which is approved by a majority of the Company's disinterested directors.

6.9. Restriction on Stock Repurchases. The Company hereby agrees that, from and after the date hereof and so long as any Notes remain outstanding, the Company shall not, without the Purchaser's written consent, redeem, repurchase or otherwise acquire (whether for cash or in exchange for property or other securities or otherwise) in any one transaction or series of related transactions any shares of capital stock of the Company or any warrants, rights or options to purchase or acquire any such shares, except that the Company shall be authorized to and shall be able to repurchase the outstanding Series A Convertible Preferred Stock without prior notice to or approval of the Purchaser.

6.10. Advances and Loans. From and after the date hereof and so long as any Notes remain outstanding, the Company shall not, without the Purchaser's written consent, lend money, give credit or make advances to any person, firm, joint venture or corporation, including, without limitation, officers, directors, employees, subsidiaries and affiliates of the Company, except loans, credits or advances (a) in existence or committed on the date hereof and which the Company has informed Purchaser by Written Notice prior to the date hereof, or (b) made in the ordinary course of business in an arm's-length transaction.

6.11. Notices of Record Date. Notwithstanding the other requirements of this Agreement or the Notes, in the event that the Company shall propose at any time:

6.11.1 To declare any distribution upon its Common Stock, whether in cash, property, stock or other securities, whether or not a regular cash dividend and whether or not out of earnings or earned surplus;

6.11.2 To effect any reclassification or recapitalization of its Common Stock outstanding involving a change in the Common Stock; or

6.11.3 To voluntarily liquidate or dissolve or to enter into any transaction deemed to be a liquidation, dissolution or winding up of the Company;

then, in connection with each such event, this Company shall send to the Purchaser at least ten (10) days' prior Written Notice of a record date for such transaction described above (and specifying the date on which the holders of Common Stock shall be entitled thereto and, if applicable, the amount and character of any distribution provided for above) or for determining rights to vote in respect of the matters referred to above.

6.12. Requirement to Seek Shareholder Approval. The Company agrees to seek Shareholder Approval for the issuance of all of the Conversion Shares issuable upon conversion of the Notes and all of the Warrant Shares issuable upon exercise of the Warrants (collectively, the “**Transaction Shares**”), at such time as the Company seeks shareholder approval for the issuance of shares of Common Stock pursuant to the December 30, 2015, Asset Purchase Agreement, entered into by the Company with twenty-one separate sellers and Segundo Resources, LLC, as a seller and as a representative of the sellers named therein (the “**Segundo Transaction**” and the “**Segundo Proxy**”), provided that in the event the Segundo Proxy is not filed by June 30, 2016, the Company shall file a separate proxy statement to seek shareholder approval for the issuance of the Transaction Shares within thirty (30) days of such date.

6.13. Additional Listing of Shares. Within ten Business Days of the Initial Closing Date, the Company shall seek the additional listing of shares of Common Stock issuable upon conversion of the Notes equal to the aggregate Share Cap (as defined in the Notes) on the NYSE MKT. Assuming the Shareholder Approval is received, the Company shall promptly seek the additional listing of the remaining shares of Common Stock issuable upon conversion of the Notes and exercise of the Warrants on the NYSE MKT.

ARTICLE VII. REGISTRATION RIGHTS

7.1. Registration Statement. At such time as the Company has raised a minimum of \$1,000,000 in equity and/or convertible debt funding, the Company shall, within thirty (30) days prepare and file with the SEC a registration statement under the Securities Act on Form S-1 (or if available, on Form S-3)(together with the prospectus and any amendments, including post-effective amendments, or supplements thereto, and all exhibits and all material incorporated by reference therein as applicable, the “**Registration Statement**”) providing for the registration for resale by the Purchaser, under the Securities Act of all of the Registrable Securities. The Registration Statement shall comply in all material respects with the requirements of the Securities Act and the applicable SEC form and shall include all information, financial statements, financial statement schedules, and exhibits required by the SEC to be included therein. Purchaser shall provide the Company with such information to be included in the Registration Statement as the Company may reasonably request. The Company shall use its commercially reasonable efforts to obtain the effectiveness of the Registration Statement in a reasonable timeframe, subject to any delay resulting from a review by the SEC or SEC comments received by the Company. The Company shall furnish, without charge, and on a timely basis, to each holder of Registrable Securities such number of copies of the Registration Statement (including the prospectus), each amendment and supplement thereto, and such other documents as such holder may reasonably request in order to facilitate the disposition of the Registrable Securities included therein owned by such holder. In the event that the SEC does not permit the Company to register all of the Registrable Securities, the Company shall promptly notify Purchaser and thereafter register in the initial registration statement the maximum number of Registrable Securities as permitted by the SEC. Thereafter, the Company shall prepare and file subsequent registration statements to register the Registrable Securities that were not registered in the initial registration statement as promptly as practicable and in a manner permitted by the SEC (each registration statement filed after the initial registration statement to register the Registrable Securities, if any, shall be included in the definition of “**Registration Statement**” used herein).

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7.2. Registration Indemnification Rights. The Company agrees to indemnify and reimburse and hold harmless, to the extent permitted by law, each holder of shares of the Common Stock named as a selling shareholder in the Registration Statement against all losses, claims, damages, liabilities and expense (including reasonable legal expenses and any expenses incurred in investigating any claims) caused by any untrue or alleged untrue statement of material fact contained in the Registration Statement or prospectus or any amendment thereof or supplement thereto or any omission or alleged omission of a material fact required to be stated therein or necessary to make the statements therein, in light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading, or any other violation or breach of the Securities Act, the Exchange Act, or any state securities or blue sky laws ("**Blue Sky Laws**") by the Company or any other Person acting on its behalf, except, as to the holder of Registrable Securities, insofar as the same are caused by or contained in any information furnished by Written Notice to the Company by such holder of Registrable Securities specifically for use in the preparation of the Registration Statement, by such holder's failure to deliver a copy of the Registration Statement or prospectus after the Company has furnished a sufficient number of copies of the same or by such holder's failure to comply with the rules and regulations of the Securities Act, the Exchange Act, or any Blue Sky Laws applicable to it.

7.3. Amendments to Registration Statement. In connection with the Registration Statement, the Company shall use its reasonable best efforts to: (i) promptly prepare and file with the SEC any such amendments to the Registration Statement and supplements to the prospectus contained therein as may be necessary to keep the Registration Statement effective for a reasonable period of time after the filing date thereof, provided that the Registration Statement shall not be required to be filed, updated or supplemented after the earlier of such time as all of such Registrable Securities have been disposed of in accordance with the intended methods of disposition by the sellers thereof set forth in such Registration Statement or until such Registrable Securities have been sold or may be sold without the requirement to be in compliance with Rule 144(c)(1) and otherwise without volume or other restriction pursuant to Rule 144 of the Securities Act; and (ii) prepare and promptly file with the SEC and promptly notify the selling shareholders named in the Registration Statement of the filing of such amendment or supplement to the Registration Statement or prospectus that is part of the Registration Statement as may be necessary to correct any statements or omissions if, at the time when a prospectus relating to such securities is required to be delivered under the Securities Act, any event shall have occurred as the result of which any such prospectus or any other prospectus as then in effect would include an untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state any material fact necessary to make the statements therein, in the light of the circumstances in which they were made, not misleading.

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7.4. Costs of Registration. The Company shall pay all of their own expenses incident to their performance of or compliance with this ARTICLE VII, including all registration and filing fees, printing, messenger, telephone and delivery expenses, fees and disbursements of counsel for them and fees and disbursements of all independent auditors of the Company. Each holder of shares of the Company Common Stock named as a selling shareholder in the Registration Statement shall pay all of its own expenses, including, but not limited to, fees and disbursements of its counsel and any broker fees and commissions.

7.5. Notice to Purchaser. the Company shall advise Purchaser, promptly after it shall receive notice or obtain knowledge of the issuance of any stop order by the SEC delaying or suspending the effectiveness of the Registration Statement or of the initiation of any proceeding for that purpose; and it will promptly use its commercially 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.

7.6. Cease Trading. Purchaser agrees that if it is notified by the Company by Written Notice at any time that any Registration Statement registering the resale of the Registrable Securities is not effective, contains any misstatements or omissions, that the prospectus included in such Registration Statement no longer complies with the requirements of Section 10 of the Securities Act, or that the prospectus or Registration Statement can no longer be relied upon for any reason, Purchaser will refrain from selling such Registrable Securities covered thereby until such time as Purchaser is notified by the Company that such Registration Statement is effective or such prospectus is compliant with Section 10 of the Securities Act, unless Purchaser is able to, and does, sell the Company Common Stock pursuant to an available exemption from the registration requirements of Section 5 of the Securities Act.

ARTICLE VIII.
GENERAL PROVISIONS.

8.1. Construction. Unless the context of this Agreement clearly requires otherwise, (a) references to the plural include the singular, and references to the singular include the plural; (b) references to any gender include the other genders; (c) the words “**include,**” “**includes**” and “**including**” do not limit the preceding terms or words and shall be deemed to be followed by the words “**without limitation**”; (d) the terms “**hereof**”, “**herein**”, “**hereunder**”, “**hereto**” and similar terms in this Agreement refer to this Agreement as a whole and not to any particular provision of this Agreement; (e) the terms “**day**” and “**days**” mean and refer to calendar day(s); (f) the terms “**year**” and “**years**” mean and refer to calendar year(s); and (g) all references in this Agreement to “**dollars**” or “**\$**” shall mean United States Dollars. Unless otherwise set forth herein, references in this Agreement to (i) any document, instrument or agreement (including this Agreement) (A) includes and incorporates all exhibits, schedules and other attachments thereto, (B) includes all documents, instruments or agreements issued or executed in replacement thereof and (C) means such document, instrument or agreement, or replacement or predecessor thereto, as amended, modified or supplemented from time to time in accordance with its terms and in effect at any given time, and (ii) a particular law means such law as amended, modified, supplemented or succeeded, from time to time and in effect at any given time. All Article, Section, Exhibit and Schedule references herein are to Articles, Sections, Exhibits and Schedules of this Agreement, unless otherwise specified.

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8.2. Entire Agreement. This Agreement, and the documents referred to herein constitute the entire agreement between the parties hereto pertaining to the subject matter hereof, and any and all other written or oral agreements relating to the subject matter hereof existing between the parties hereto are expressly canceled.

8.3. Amendments. This Agreement and any terms hereof may not be amended, supplemented or modified except pursuant to a writing signed by both the Purchaser and the Company.

8.4. Notices. All notices, requests and demands to or upon the respective parties hereto shall be sent to the addresses set forth on the signature page hereof (as such may be revised by the parties from time to time with not less than ten (10) days prior Written Notice) and shall be by Written Notice (including by facsimile transmission), and, unless otherwise expressly provided herein, shall be deemed to have been duly given or made when delivered: (a) by hand, upon receipt or (b) three (3) days after being deposited in the mail, certified mail postage prepaid, or (c) in the case of a facsimile transmission notice or electronic transmission, upon confirmation by the recipient of receipt, or (d) in the case of delivery by a nationally recognized overnight courier, when received, in each case addressed to such addresses or fax number as may be hereafter notified by the respective parties hereto.

8.5. Remedies, Characterizations, Other Obligations, Breaches and Injunctive Relief. The remedies provided in this Agreement and the Notes shall be cumulative and in addition to all other remedies available under this Agreement and the Notes at law or in equity (including a decree of specific performance and/or other injunctive relief), and nothing herein shall limit the Purchaser's (or any holder of the Notes) right to pursue actual and consequential damages for any failure by the Company to comply with the terms of this Agreement or the Notes. The Company acknowledges that a breach by it of its obligations under this Agreement or the Notes will cause irreparable harm to the Purchaser and that the remedy at law for any such breach may be inadequate. The Company therefore agrees that, in the event of any such breach or threatened breach, the Purchaser shall be entitled, in addition to all other available remedies, to an injunction restraining any such breach or any such threatened breach, without the necessity of showing economic loss and without any bond or other security being required.

8.6. No Third Party Beneficiaries. This Agreement does not create, and shall not be construed as creating, any rights enforceable by any person or entity not a party hereto.

8.7. Waiver. Any waiver or any breach of any of the terms or conditions of this Agreement shall not operate as a waiver of any other breach of such terms or conditions or of any other term or condition, nor shall any failure to insist upon strict performance or to enforce any provision hereof on any one occasion operate as a waiver of such provision or of any other provision hereof or a waiver of the right to insist upon strict performance or to enforce such provision or any other provision on any subsequent occasion. Any waiver must be by Written Notice.

8.8. Successors and Assigns. Neither the Company nor the Purchaser may assign its rights or obligations under this Agreement without the consent of the other party. This Agreement shall be binding upon and inure to the benefit of the Company and the Purchaser and their respective successors and permitted assigns.

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8.9. Further Assurances. Each party hereto, at the reasonable request of the other party hereto, shall execute and deliver such other instruments and do and perform such other acts and things as may be necessary or desirable for effecting completely the consummation of this Agreement and the transactions contemplated hereby.

8.10. Captions. The captions of the Sections and Articles of this Agreement have been inserted for convenience only and shall have no substantive effect.

8.11. Severability. Any provision of this Agreement which is prohibited or unenforceable in any jurisdiction shall, as to such jurisdiction, be ineffective to the extent of such prohibition or unenforceability without invalidating the remaining provisions hereof, and any such prohibition or unenforceability in any jurisdiction shall not invalidate or render unenforceable such provision in any other jurisdiction.

8.12. Governing Law. This Agreement and any note and the rights and obligations of the parties under this Agreement shall be governed by, and construed and interpreted in accordance with, the internal laws of the State of Texas without regard to any conflicts of law provisions thereof. The parties hereby consent and agree that, in any actions predicated upon this Agreement or any Note, venue is properly laid in Texas and that the Circuit Court in and for Houston, Texas, shall have full subject matter and personal jurisdiction over the parties to determine all issues arising out of or in connection with the execution and enforcement of this Agreement and any Note.

8.13. Waiver of Jury Trial. To the extent not prohibited by applicable law which cannot be waived, each of the Company and the Purchaser hereby waives, and covenants that it will not assert (whether as plaintiff, defendant or otherwise), any right to trial by jury in any forum in respect of any issue, claim, demand, action, or cause of action arising out of or based upon this Agreement, the subject matter hereof, any note or the subject matter thereof, in each case whether now existing or hereafter arising and whether in contract or tort or otherwise. Each of the Company and the Purchaser acknowledge that it has been informed by the other parties hereto that the provisions of this section constitute a material inducement upon which such other parties have relied, are relying and will rely in entering into this Agreement. Any party may file an original counterpart or a copy of this section with any court as written evidence of the consent of the Company and the Purchaser to the waiver of its rights to trial by jury.

8.14. No Presumption from Drafting. This Agreement has been negotiated at arm's-length between persons knowledgeable in the matters set forth within this Agreement. Accordingly, given that all parties have had the opportunity to draft, review and/or edit the language of this Agreement, no presumption for or against any party arising out of drafting all or any part of this Agreement will be applied in any action relating to, connected with or involving this Agreement. In particular, any rule of law, legal decisions, or common law principles of similar effect that would require interpretation of any ambiguities in this Agreement against the party that has drafted it, is of no application and is hereby expressly waived. The provisions of this Agreement shall be interpreted in a reasonable manner to affect the intentions of the parties.

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8.15. Review and Construction of Documents. Each party herein expressly represents and warrants to all other parties hereto that (a) before executing this Agreement, said party has fully informed itself of the terms, contents, conditions and effects of this Agreement; (b) said party has relied solely and completely upon its own judgment in executing this Agreement; (c) said party has had the opportunity to seek and has obtained the advice of its own legal, tax and business advisors before executing this Agreement; (d) said party has acted voluntarily and of its own free will in executing this Agreement; and (e) this Agreement is the result of arm's length negotiations conducted by and among the parties and their respective counsel.

8.16. Waiver. The waiver by either party to this Agreement of a breach or violation or any provision hereof shall not operate as or be construed to be a waiver of any subsequent breach hereof.

8.17. Counterparts, Effect of Facsimile, Emailed and Photocopied Signatures. This Agreement and any signed agreement or instrument entered into in connection with this Agreement, and any Addendums hereto or thereto, may be executed in one or more counterparts, all of which shall constitute one and the same instrument. Any such counterpart, to the extent delivered by means of a facsimile machine or by .pdf, .tif, .gif, .peg or similar attachment to electronic mail (any such delivery, an "**Electronic Delivery**") shall be treated in all manner and respects as an original executed counterpart and shall be considered to have the same binding legal effect as if it were the original signed version thereof delivered in person. No party shall raise the use of Electronic Delivery to deliver a signature or the fact that any signature or agreement or instrument was transmitted or communicated through the use of Electronic Delivery as a defense to the formation of a contract, and each such party forever waives any such defense, except to the extent such defense relates to lack of authenticity.

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The parties hereto have executed this Convertible Note Purchase Agreement as of the day and year first set forth above.

THE COMPANY:

LUCAS ENERGY, INC.

By: /s/ Anthony C. Schnur

Name: Anthony C. Schnur

Title: CEO

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Convertible Promissory Note
Purchase Agreement

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By: */s/ Michael Herman*

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Title: Mgr

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EXHIBIT A

THIS NOTE, AND THE SHARES OF COMMON STOCK ISSUABLE UPON CONVERSION OF THIS NOTE (THE “SECURITIES”) HAVE BEEN ACQUIRED FOR INVESTMENT PURPOSES ONLY AND MAY NOT BE TRANSFERRED UNTIL (i) A REGISTRATION STATEMENT UNDER THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933, AS AMENDED (THE “ACT” OR THE “SECURITIES ACT”) SHALL HAVE BECOME EFFECTIVE WITH RESPECT THERETO OR (ii) RECEIPT BY THE COMPANY OF AN OPINION OF COUNSEL REASONABLY SATISFACTORY TO THE COMPANY TO THE EFFECT THAT REGISTRATION UNDER THE ACT IS NOT REQUIRED IN CONNECTION WITH SUCH PROPOSED TRANSFER NOR IS IN VIOLATION OF ANY APPLICABLE STATE SECURITIES LAWS. THIS LEGEND SHALL BE ENDORSED UPON ANY NOTE ISSUED IN EXCHANGE FOR THIS NOTE AND ANY SECURITIES ISSUABLE UPON CONVERSION OF THIS NOTE (EXCEPT AS OTHERWISE PROVIDED BELOW).

FORM OF CONVERTIBLE PROMISSORY NOTE

[\$ _____] [_____] to be Effective [_____]
[Initial/Second/Third] Tranche Note

FOR VALUE RECEIVED, Lucas Energy, Inc., a Nevada corporation (the “Company”), hereby promises to pay to the order of HFT Enterprises, LLC, a Nevada limited liability company, and/or permitted assigns (the “Holder”), the aggregate principal amount of [_____] dollars (\$ _____)(“Principal”), together with interest on the unpaid principal amount hereof, upon the terms and conditions hereinafter set forth.

1. **Note Amount.** This Convertible Promissory Note (this “Note”, “Promissory Note” or “Agreement”) evidences amounts payable by the Company to the Holder in connection with that certain Convertible Promissory Note Purchase Agreement dated on or around March 29, 2016, to be effective March 11, 2016, by and between the Company and the Holder, and specifically [Initial/Second/Third] Tranche Note thereunder (the “Note Purchase Agreement”). Certain capitalized terms used herein, but not otherwise defined shall have the meanings given to such terms in the Note Purchase Agreement and this Note shall be subject in all cases to the terms and conditions of the Note Purchase Agreement.
2. **Payment Terms.** The Company promises to pay to Holder the balance of Principal, together with accrued and unpaid interest (which shall accrue until the Maturity Date) on the date twelve months from the effective date set forth above (the “Maturity Date”), unless this Note is earlier prepaid as herein provided or earlier converted into Common Stock (as hereinafter defined) of the Company pursuant to Section 4 hereof. All payments hereunder shall be made in lawful money of the United States of America. Payment shall be credited first to the accrued interest then due and payable and the remainder to Principal.

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[Initial/Second/Third] Tranche Note

3. **Interest.** Interest on the outstanding portion of Principal of this Note shall accrue at a rate of six percent (6%) per annum. All past-due principal and interest (which failure to pay such amounts shall be defined herein as an “**Event of Default**”) shall bear interest at the rate of fifteen percent (15%) per annum until paid in full (the “**Default Rate**”). All computations of interest shall be made on the basis of a 360-day year for actual days elapsed.
- a. Notwithstanding any provision in this Note, the total liability for payments of interest and payments in the nature of interest, including all charges, fees, exactions, or other sums which may at any time be deemed to be interest, shall not exceed the limit imposed by the usury laws of the State of Texas or the applicable laws of the United States of America, whichever shall be higher (the “**Maximum Rate**”).
 - b. In the event the total liability for payments of interest and payments in the nature of interest, including, without limitation, all charges, fees, exactions or other sums which may at any time be deemed to be interest, which for any month or other interest payment period exceeds the Maximum Rate, all sums in excess of those lawfully collectible as interest for the period in question (and without further agreement or notice by, among or to the Holder the undersigned) shall be applied to the reduction of the principal balance, with the same force and effect as though the undersigned had specifically designated such excess sums to be so applied to the reduction of the principal balance and the Holder had agreed to accept such sums as a premium-free prepayment of principal; provided, however, that the Holder may, at any time and from time to time, elect, by notice in writing to the undersigned, to waive, reduce or limit the collection of any sums in excess of those lawfully collectible as interest rather than accept such sums as a prepayment of the principal balance. The undersigned does not intend or expect to pay nor does the Holder intend or expect to charge, accept or collect any interest under this Note greater than the Maximum Rate.
 - c. If any payment of principal or interest on this Note shall become due on a Saturday, Sunday or any other day on which national banks are not open for business, such payment shall be made on the next succeeding Business Day.
4. **Holder’s Option to Convert this Note.**
- a. At any time prior to the payment in full by the Company of this Note, and after the approval of the additional listing of the applicable Shares by the NYSE MKT and subject to Section 4(l) and Section 4(m) below, the Holder shall have the option to convert the unpaid balance (Principal and accrued and unpaid interest) on this Note (or any portion thereof) into shares of Common Stock (the “**Shares**” and the “**Common Stock**”) of the Company (the “**Conversion Option**”) at the Conversion Price (each a “**Conversion**”). The “**Conversion Price**” shall equal \$1.50 per Share;

- b. In order to exercise this Conversion Option, the Holder shall surrender this Promissory Note to the Company, accompanied by written notice of its intentions to exercise this Conversion Option, which notice shall set forth the amount of this Promissory Note to be converted, and the Shares due, which shall be in the form of Exhibit A, attached hereto ("**Notice of Conversion**"). The date that the Company receives the Notice of Conversion shall be defined as the "**Conversion Date**." Within ten (10) Business Days of the Company's receipt of the Notice of Conversion and this Note, the Company shall deliver or cause to be delivered to the Holder, written confirmation that the Shares have been issued in the name of the Holder (the "**Share Delivery Deadline**"). Notwithstanding anything to the contrary set forth in this Section 4, following conversion of any portion of this Note in accordance with the terms hereof, the Holder shall not be required to physically surrender this Note to the Company unless (A) the full amount of the Note is being converted (in which event this Note shall be delivered to the Company following conversion thereof) or (B) the Holder has provided the Company with prior written notice (which notice may be included in a Notice of Conversion) requesting reissuance of this Note upon physical surrender of this Note. The Holder and the Company shall maintain records showing the principal and interest converted and/or paid and/or adjusted (as the case may be) and the dates of such conversions and/or payments and/or adjustments (as the case may be) or shall use such other method, reasonably satisfactory to the Holder and the Company, so as not to require physical surrender of this Note upon conversion;
- c. If for any reason (including the operation of the adjustment provisions set forth in this Note), the Conversion Price on any date of Conversion of this Note shall not be lawful and adequate consideration for the issuance of the relevant Shares, then the Company shall take such steps as are necessary (including the amendment of its certificate of incorporation so as to reduce the par value of the Common Stock) to cause such Conversion Price to be adequate and lawful consideration on the date the payment thereof is due, but if the Company shall fail to take such steps, then the Company acknowledges that the Holder shall have been damaged by the Company in an amount equal to an amount, which, when added to the total Conversion Price for the relevant Shares, would equal lawful and adequate consideration for the issuance of such Shares, and the Company irrevocably agrees that if the Holder shall then forgive the right to recover such damages from the Company, such forgiveness shall constitute, and Company shall accept such forgiveness as, additional lawful consideration for the issuance of the relevant Shares;

- d. The Company shall at all times take any and all additional actions as are necessary to maintain the required authority to issue the Shares to the Holder, in the event the Holder exercises its rights under the Conversion Option;
- e. Payment of the Note in full by the Company prior to Holder's delivery of a Notice of Conversion shall terminate Holder's option to convert;
- f. Conversion calculations pursuant to this Section 4, shall be rounded to the nearest whole share of Common Stock, and no fractional shares shall be issuable by the Company upon conversion of this Note. Conversion of this Note in full shall be deemed payment in full of this Note and this Note shall thereupon be cancelled;
- g. If the Company at any time or from time to time on or after the effective date of the issuance of this Note (the "**Original Issuance Date**") effects a subdivision of its outstanding Common Stock, the Conversion Price then in effect immediately before that subdivision shall be proportionately decreased, and conversely, if the Company at any time or from time to time on or after the Original Issuance Date combines its outstanding shares of Common Stock into a smaller number of shares, the Conversion Price then in effect immediately before the combination shall be proportionately increased;
- h. All Shares of Common Stock which may be issued upon Conversion of this Note will, upon issuance by the Company in accordance with the terms of this Note, be validly issued, free from all taxes and liens with respect to the issuance thereof (other than those created by the holders), free from all pre-emptive or similar rights and be fully paid and non-assessable;
- i. On the date of any Conversion, all rights of any Holder with respect to the amount of this Note converted, will terminate, except only for the rights of any such Holder to receive certificates (if applicable) for the number of Shares of Common Stock which this Note has been Converted;
- j. Unless the Shares are eligible to be issued as free trading shares pursuant to the requirements of Rule 144 or otherwise, which shall be determined by the Company in its reasonable discretion, prior to the issuance date of such Shares, such Shares shall be issued as restricted shares of Common Stock; and

- k. The Company shall not be required to pay any tax allocated or attributed to Holder which may be payable in respect to any transfer involved in the issue and delivery of shares of Common Stock upon Conversion in a name other than that in which the shares of the Note so converted were registered, and no such issue or delivery shall be made unless and until the person requesting such issue or delivery has paid to the Company the amount of any such tax, or has established, to the satisfaction of the Company, that such tax has been paid. The Company shall withhold from any payment due whatsoever in connection with the Note any and all required withholdings and/or taxes the Company, in its sole discretion, deems reasonable or necessary, absent an opinion from Holder's accountant or legal counsel, acceptable to the Company in its sole determination, that such withholdings and/or taxes are not required to be withheld by the Company.
- l. The applicable portion of this Note shall not be convertible during any time that, and only to the extent that, the number of Shares to be issued to Holder upon such Conversion, when added to the number of shares of Common Stock, if any, that the Holder otherwise beneficially owns (outside of this Note, and not including any other securities of the Company held by Holder having a provision substantially similar to this paragraph) at the time of such Conversion, would exceed 9.99% (the "**Maximum Percentage**") of the number of shares of Common Stock of the Company outstanding immediately after giving effect to the issuance of shares of Common Stock issuable upon Conversion of this Note held by the Holder, as determined in accordance with Section 13(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "**Beneficial Ownership Limitation**"). The Beneficial Ownership Limitation provisions of this Section 4(l) may be waived by Holder, at the election of such Holder, upon not less than sixty-one (61) days prior written notice to the Company, to change the Beneficial Ownership Limitation to any other percentage of the number of shares of the Common Stock outstanding immediately after giving effect to the issuance of shares of Common Stock upon Conversion of the Note held by the Holder. The provisions of this paragraph shall not be construed and implemented in a manner otherwise than in strict conformity with the terms of this Section 4(l) to correct this paragraph (or any portion hereof) which may be defective or inconsistent with the intended Beneficial Ownership Limitation herein contained or to make changes or supplements necessary or desirable to properly give effect to such limitation.
- m. Notwithstanding anything herein to the contrary, the maximum number of shares of Common Stock to be issued in connection with (a) the Conversion of this Note, and any other Notes issued in connection with the Note Purchase Agreement ("**Other Notes**"); and (b) the exercise of the Warrants granted pursuant to the Note Purchase Agreement, shall not (i) exceed 19.9% of the outstanding shares of Common Stock immediately prior to the date of the Note Purchase Agreement, (ii) exceed 19.9% of the combined voting power of the then outstanding voting securities of the Company immediately prior to the date of the Note Purchase Agreement, in each of subsections (i) and (ii) before the issuance of the Common Stock upon conversion of this Note or the Other Notes or exercise of the Warrants, or (iii) otherwise exceed such number of shares of Common Stock that would violate applicable listing rules of the NYSE MKT in the event the Company's shareholders do not approve the issuance of the Common Stock upon the conversion of this Note or the Other Notes and exercise of the Warrants, in each of (i) through (iii), only to the extent required by applicable NYSE MKT rules and guidance (the "**Share Cap**"). In the event the number of shares of Common Stock to be issued upon conversion of this Note or the Other Notes and/or exercise of the Warrants exceeds the Share Cap, then this Note and the Other Notes, or applicable portions thereof shall cease being convertible, the Warrants or applicable portions thereof shall cease being exercisable, and the Company shall instead repay such Note and Other Notes (or portions thereof) in cash, and such Warrants shall have no further rights, or if required, the Company shall first obtain the Stockholder Approval (as defined in the Note Purchase Agreement).

5. **Redemption.** This Note may be redeemed by the Company by payment of the entire Principal and interest outstanding under this Note in cash to Holder.
- a. This Note may be prepaid in whole or in part at any time without penalty with ten days' notice to the Holder (provided no notice shall be required in the event the Holder doesn't timely purchase the Third Tranche Note as defined in the Note Purchase Agreement).
 - b. Any partial prepayment shall be applied first to any accrued interest and then to any principal Loan amount outstanding.
6. **Events of Default.** If an Event of Default (as defined herein or below) occurs (unless all Events of Default have been cured or waived by Holder), Holder may, by written notice to the Company, declare the principal amount then outstanding of, and the accrued interest and all other amounts payable on, this Note to be immediately due and payable. The following events shall constitute Events of Default ("**Events of Default**") under this Note, and/or any other Event of Default defined elsewhere in this Note shall occur:
- (a) the Company shall fail to pay, when and as due, the Principal or interest payable hereunder (or under any other outstanding Convertible Note issued by the Company and held by Holder); or
 - (b) If there shall exist final judgments against the Company aggregating in excess of One Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$100,000) and if any one of such judgments shall have been outstanding for any period of forty-five (45) days or more from the date of its entry and shall not have been discharged in full, released or stayed pending appeal; or
 - (c) the Company shall have breached in any respect any term, condition, warrant, representation or covenant in this Note or the Note Purchase Agreement, and, with respect to breaches capable of being cured, such breach shall not have been cured within fifteen (15) days following the receipt of written notice of such breach by the Holder to the Company; or

- (d) the Company shall fail to comply with the reporting requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the “**Exchange Act**”), at any time the Company is subject to the Exchange Act; or
- (e) the Company shall cease to be subject to the reporting requirements of the Exchange Act; or
- (f) the Company shall: (i) make an assignment for the benefit of creditors, file a petition in bankruptcy, petition or apply to any tribunal for the appointment of a custodian, receiver or a trustee for it or a substantial portion of its assets; (ii) commence any proceeding under any bankruptcy, reorganization, arrangement, readjustment of debt, dissolution or liquidation or statute of any jurisdiction, whether now or hereafter in effect; (iii) have filed against it any such petition or application in which an order for relief is entered or which remains undismissed for a period of ninety (90) days or more; (iv) indicate its consent to, approval of or acquiescence in any such petition, application, proceeding or order for relief or the appointment of a custodian, receiver or trustee for it or a substantial portion of its assets; or (v) suffer any such custodianship, receivership or trusteeship to continue undischarged for a period of ninety (90) days or more; or
- (g) the Company shall take any action authorizing, or in furtherance of, any of the foregoing.

In case any one or more Events of Default shall occur and be continuing, Holder may proceed to protect and enforce its rights by an action at law, suit in equity or other appropriate proceeding, whether for the specific performance of any agreement contained herein or for an injunction against a violation of any of the terms hereof, or in aid of the exercise of any power granted hereby or thereby or by law or otherwise. In case of a default in the payment of any principal of or premium, if any, or interest on this Note, the Company will pay to Holder such further amount as shall be sufficient to cover the reasonable cost and expenses of collection, including, without limitation, reasonable attorneys’ fees, expenses and disbursements. No course of dealing and no delay on the part of Holder in exercising any right, power or remedy shall operate as a waiver thereof or otherwise prejudice Holder’s rights, powers or remedies. No right, power or remedy conferred by this Note upon Holder shall be exclusive of any other right, power or remedy referred to herein or therein or now or hereafter available at law, in equity, by statute or otherwise.

7. **Certain Waivers by the Company.** Except as expressly provided otherwise in this Note, the Company and every endorser or guarantor, if any, of this Note waive presentment, demand, notice, protest and all other demands and notices in connection with the delivery, acceptance, performance, default or enforcement of this Note, and assent to any extension or postponement of the time of payment or any other indulgence, to any substitution, exchange or release of collateral available to Holder, if any, and to the addition or release of any other party or person primarily or secondarily liable.
8. **Assignment by Holder.** If and whenever this Note shall be assigned and transferred, or negotiated, including transfers to substitute or successor trustees, in each case subject to applicable law and an exemption from registration for such transfer, which shall be reasonably approved, and not unreasonably delayed or conditioned by the Company. Notwithstanding the above, the Holder may assign any of its rights under this Note (subject where applicable to federal securities laws), to any Person (including, but not limited to Affiliates or related parties of the Holder), with written notice to the Company and the Company shall have no ability to restrict or condition such assignment (subject where applicable to compliance with applicable federal securities laws).
9. **Amendment.** This Note may not be changed orally, but only by an agreement in writing, signed by the party against whom enforcement of any waiver, change, modification or discharge is sought.
10. **Costs and Fees.** Anything else in this Note to the contrary notwithstanding, in any action arising out of this Agreement, the prevailing party shall be entitled to collect from the non-prevailing party all of its attorneys' fees. For the purposes of this Note, the party who receives or is awarded a substantial portion of the damages or claims sought in any proceeding shall be deemed the "**prevailing**" party and attorneys' fees shall mean the reasonable fees charged by an attorney or a law firm for legal services and the services of any legal assistants, and costs of litigation, including, but not limited to, fees and costs at trial and appellate levels.
11. **Governing Law.** It is the intention of the parties hereto that the terms and provisions of this Note are to be construed in accordance with and governed by the laws of the State of Texas, except as such laws may be preempted by any federal law controlling the rate of interest which may be charged on account of this Note.
12. **No Third Party Benefit.** The provisions and covenants set forth in this Agreement are made solely for the benefit of the parties to this Agreement and are not for the benefit of any other person.
13. **Jurisdiction, Venue and Jury Trial Waiver.** The parties hereby consent and agree that, in any actions predicated upon this Note, venue is properly laid in Texas and that the Circuit Court in and for Houston, Texas, shall have full subject matter and personal jurisdiction over the parties to determine all issues arising out of or in connection with the execution and enforcement of this Note.

14. **Interpretation.** The term “**Company**” as used herein in every instance shall include the Company’s successors, legal representatives and assigns, including all subsequent grantees, either voluntarily by act of the Company or involuntarily by operation of law and shall denote the singular and/or plural and the masculine and/or feminine and natural and/or artificial persons, whenever and wherever the contexts so requires or properly applies. The term “**Holder**” as used herein in every instance shall include the Holder’s successors, legal representatives and assigns, as well as all subsequent assignees, endorsees and holders of this Note (subject to the provisions of this Note providing for transfers and assignments by Holder), either voluntarily by act of the parties or involuntarily by operation of law. Captions and paragraph headings in this Note are for convenience only and shall not affect its interpretation. In this Agreement words importing the singular number include the plural and vice versa; words importing the masculine gender include the feminine and neuter genders and visa versa. The word “**person**” includes an individual, body corporate, partnership, trustee or trust or unincorporated association, executor, administrator or legal representative.
15. **WAIVER OF JURY TRIAL.** THE COMPANY AND HOLDER HEREBY KNOWINGLY, VOLUNTARILY AND INTENTIONALLY WAIVE THE RIGHT EITHER MAY HAVE TO TRIAL BY JURY IN RESPECT TO ANY LITIGATION BASED HEREON, OR ARISING OUT OF, UNDER OR IN CONNECTION WITH THIS NOTE AND ANY AGREEMENT CONTEMPLATED TO BE EXECUTED IN CONJUNCTION HERewith, OR ANY COURSE OF CONDUCT, COURSE OF DEALING, STATEMENTS, (WHETHER VERBAL OR WRITTEN) OR ACTIONS OF EITHER PARTY. THE COMPANY ACKNOWLEDGES THAT THIS WAIVER OF JURY TRIAL IS A MATERIAL INDUCEMENT TO THE HOLDER IN EXTENDING CREDIT TO THE COMPANY, THAT THE HOLDER WOULD NOT HAVE EXTENDED SUCH CREDIT WITHOUT THIS JURY TRIAL WAIVER, AND THAT THE COMPANY HAS BEEN REPRESENTED BY AN ATTORNEY OR HAS HAD AN OPPORTUNITY TO CONSULT WITH AN ATTORNEY IN CONNECTION WITH THIS JURY TRIAL WAIVER AND UNDERSTANDS THE LEGAL EFFECT OF THIS WAIVER.
16. **Entire Agreement.** This Agreement and the Note Purchase Agreement constitutes the sole and only agreement of the parties hereto and supersedes any prior understanding or written or oral agreements between the parties respecting the subject matter hereof.
17. **Effect of Facsimile and Photocopied Signatures.** This Agreement may be executed in several counterparts, each of which is an original. It shall not be necessary in making proof of this Agreement or any counterpart hereof to produce or account for any of the other counterparts. A copy of this Agreement signed by one Party and faxed or scanned and emailed to another Party (as a PDF or similar image file) shall be deemed to have been executed and delivered by the signing Party as though an original. A photocopy or PDF of this Agreement shall be effective as an original for all purposes.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Company has caused this Convertible Promissory Note to be executed and delivered by a duly authorized officer as of the date first above written, to be effective as of the effective date set forth above.

LUCAS ENERGY, INC.

By: _____
Anthony C. Schnur
Chief Executive Officer

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Conversion Election Form

_____, 20__

Lucas Energy, Inc.

Re: Conversion of Promissory Note

Gentlemen:

You are hereby notified that, pursuant to, and upon the terms and conditions of that certain Convertible Promissory Note [Initial/Second/Third] Tranche Note] of Lucas Energy, Inc. (the “**Company**”), in the initial principal amount of [_____] (the “**Note**”), held by us, we hereby elect to exercise our Conversion Option (as such term is defined in the Note), in connection with \$_____ of the amount currently owed under the Note (including \$_____ of accrued interest), effective as of the date of this writing, which amount will convert into _____ shares of the Company’s Common Stock (the “**Conversion**”), based on the Conversion Price (as defined and described in the Note). In connection with the Conversion, we hereby re-certify, re-confirm and re-warrant the Representations as set forth in that certain Convertible Promissory Note Purchase Agreement dated on or around March 29, 2016, to be effective as of March 11, 2016, by and between the Company and HFT Enterprises, LLC and further confirm and acknowledge that conversion will not result in us exceeding the Beneficial Ownership Percentage or Share Cap set forth in the Note.

Please issue certificate(s) for the applicable shares of the Company’s Common Stock issuable upon the Conversion, in the name of the person provided below.

Very truly yours,

Name:

If on behalf of Entity:

Entity Name: _____

Signatory’s Position with Entity:

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Please issue certificate(s) for Common Stock as follows:

Name

Address

Social Security No./EIN of Shareholder

Please send the certificate(s) evidencing the Common Stock to:

Attn: _____

Address: _____

EXHIBIT B

NEITHER THIS SECURITY NOR THE SECURITIES FOR WHICH THIS SECURITY IS EXERCISABLE HAVE BEEN REGISTERED WITH THE SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION OR THE SECURITIES COMMISSION OF ANY STATE IN RELIANCE UPON AN EXEMPTION FROM REGISTRATION UNDER THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933, AS AMENDED (THE "SECURITIES ACT"), AND, ACCORDINGLY, MAY NOT BE OFFERED OR SOLD EXCEPT PURSUANT TO AN EFFECTIVE REGISTRATION STATEMENT UNDER THE SECURITIES ACT OR PURSUANT TO AN AVAILABLE EXEMPTION FROM, OR IN A TRANSACTION NOT SUBJECT TO, THE REGISTRATION REQUIREMENTS OF THE SECURITIES ACT AND IN ACCORDANCE WITH APPLICABLE STATE SECURITIES LAWS. THIS SECURITY AND THE SECURITIES ISSUABLE UPON EXERCISE OF THIS SECURITY MAY BE PLEDGED IN CONNECTION WITH A BONA FIDE MARGIN ACCOUNT OR OTHER LOAN SECURED BY SUCH SECURITIES.

Warrant No. N-1

COMMON STOCK PURCHASE WARRANT

LUCAS ENERGY, INC.

Warrant Shares: 124,285

Initial Exercise Date: _____, 2016

THIS COMMON STOCK PURCHASE WARRANT (the "**Warrant**") certifies that, for value received, HFT Enterprises, LLC, a Nevada limited liability company, or its assigns (the "**Holder**") is entitled, upon the terms and subject to the limitations on exercise and the conditions hereinafter set forth, at any time on or after _____, 2016 (the "**Initial Exercise Date**") and on or prior to the close of business on the five year anniversary of the Initial Exercise Date (the "**Termination Date**") but not thereafter, to subscribe for and purchase from Lucas Energy, Inc., a Nevada corporation (the "**Company**"), up to 124,285 shares (as subject to adjustment hereunder, the "**Warrant Shares**") of Common Stock. The purchase price of one share of Common Stock under this Warrant shall be equal to the Exercise Price, as defined in Section 2.2.

ARTICLE I. Definitions.

Capitalized terms used and not otherwise defined herein shall have the meanings set forth in that certain Convertible Promissory Note Purchase Agreement dated on or around March 29, 2016, to be effective as of March 11, 2016, by and between the Company and HFT Enterprises, LLC (the "**Purchase Agreement**").

For purposes of this Warrant, the following terms shall have the following meanings:

1.1. **“Adjustment Right”** means any right granted with respect to any securities issued in connection with, or with respect to, any issuance or sale (or deemed issuance or sale in accordance with Section 3) of shares of Common Stock that could result in a decrease in the net consideration received by the Company in connection with, or with respect to, such securities (including, without limitation, any cash settlement rights, cash adjustment or other similar rights).

1.2. **“Approved Stock Plan”** means any employee benefit plan or agreement which has been approved by the board of directors of the Company prior to or subsequent to the date hereof pursuant to which shares of Common Stock and standard options to purchase Common Stock may be issued to any employee, officer, consultant or director for services provided to the Company in their capacity as such.

1.3. **“Black Scholes Consideration Value”** means the value of the applicable Option, Convertible Security or Adjustment Right (as the case may be) as of the date of issuance thereof calculated using the Black Scholes Option Pricing Model obtained from the **“OV”** function on Bloomberg utilizing (i) an underlying price per share equal to the Closing Sale Price of the Common Stock on the Trading Day immediately preceding the public announcement of the execution of definitive documents with respect to the issuance of such Option or Convertible Security (as the case may be), (ii) a risk-free interest rate corresponding to the U.S. Treasury rate for a period equal to the remaining term of such Option, Convertible Security or Adjustment Right (as the case may be) as of the date of issuance of such Option, Convertible Security or Adjustment Right (as the case may be), (iii) a zero cost of borrow and (iv) an expected volatility equal to the greater of 100% and the 30 day volatility obtained from the **“HVT”** function on Bloomberg (determined utilizing a 365 day annualization factor) as of the Trading Day immediately following the date of issuance of such Option, Convertible Security or Adjustment Right (as the case may be).

1.4. **“Black Scholes Value”** means the value of the unexercised portion of this Warrant remaining on the date of the Holder’s request, which value is calculated using the Black Scholes Option Pricing Model obtained from the **“OV”** function on Bloomberg utilizing (i) an underlying price per share equal to the greater of (1) the highest Closing Sale Price of the Common Stock during the period beginning on the Trading Day immediately preceding the announcement of the applicable Fundamental Transaction (or the consummation of the applicable Fundamental Transaction, if earlier) and ending on the Trading Day of such determination and (2) the sum of the price per share being offered in cash in the applicable Fundamental Transaction (if any) plus the value of the non-cash consideration being offered in the applicable Fundamental Transaction (if any), (ii) a strike price equal to the Exercise Price in effect on such date, (iii) a risk-free interest rate corresponding to the U.S. Treasury rate for a period equal to the greater of (1) the remaining term of this Warrant as of the applicable date and (2) the remaining term of this Warrant as of the date of consummation of the applicable Fundamental Transaction or as of the date of the Holder’s request as applicable pursuant to the terms of this Warrant if such request is prior to the date of the consummation of the applicable Fundamental Transaction, (iv) a zero cost of borrow and (v) an expected volatility equal to the greater of 100% and the 30 day volatility obtained from the **“HVT”** function on Bloomberg (determined utilizing a 365 day annualization factor) as of the Trading Day immediately following the earliest to occur of (A) the public disclosure of the applicable Fundamental Transaction, (B) the consummation of the applicable Fundamental Transaction and (C) the date on which the Holder first became aware of the applicable Fundamental Transaction.

1.5. **“Bloomberg”** means Bloomberg, L.P.

1.6. **“Closing Sale Price”** means, for any security as of any date, last closing trade price, for such security on the Principal Market, as reported by Bloomberg, or, if the Principal Market begins to operate on an extended hours basis and does not designate the closing trade price, as the case may be, then the last trade price, of such security prior to 4:00:00 p.m., New York time, as reported by Bloomberg, or, if the Principal Market is not the principal securities exchange or trading market for such security, the last trade price, of such security on the principal securities exchange or trading market where such security is listed or traded as reported by Bloomberg, or if the foregoing do not apply, the last trade price of such security on the OTCQB or OTCQX for such security as reported by Bloomberg, or, if no last trade price is reported for such security by Bloomberg, the average of the ask prices, of any market makers for such security as reported in the **“pink sheets”**. If the Closing Sale Price cannot be calculated for a security on a particular date on any of the foregoing bases, the Closing Sale Price of such security on such date shall be the fair market value as mutually determined by the Company and the Holder.

1.7. **“Convertible Securities”** means any stock or other security (other than Options) that is at any time and under any circumstances, directly or indirectly, convertible into, exercisable or exchangeable for, or which otherwise entitles the holder thereof to acquire, any shares of Common Stock.

1.8. **“Excluded Securities”** means (i) shares of Common Stock or standard options or restricted stock units to purchase Common Stock issued to directors, officers, employees, consultants or advisors of the Company for services rendered to the Company in their capacity as such pursuant to an Approved Stock Plan (as defined above) or any shares of Common Stock issuable upon conversion or exercise of any standard option, provided that the exercise price of any such options is not lowered, none of such options are amended to increase the number of shares issuable thereunder and none of the terms or conditions of any such options are otherwise materially changed in any manner that adversely affects the Purchaser; (ii) shares of Common Stock issued upon the conversion or exercise of Convertible Securities (other than standard options to purchase Common Stock issued pursuant to an Approved Stock Plan that are covered by clause (i) above) issued prior to the date hereof, provided that the conversion price of any such Convertible Securities (other than standard options to purchase Common Stock issued pursuant to an Approved Stock Plan that are covered by clause (i) above) is not lowered (other than in accordance with the terms thereof in effect as of the date hereof) from the conversion price in effect as of the date hereof (whether pursuant to the terms of such Convertible Securities or otherwise), none of such Convertible Securities (other than standard options to purchase Common Stock issued pursuant to an Approved Stock Plan that are covered by clause (i) above) are amended to increase the number of shares issuable thereunder and none of the terms or conditions of any such Convertible Securities (other than standard options to purchase Common Stock issued pursuant to an Approved Stock Plan that are covered by clause (i) above) are otherwise materially changed in any manner that adversely affects any of the Purchasers; (iii) the shares of Common Stock issuable upon conversion of or otherwise pursuant to the terms of the Company’s Certificate of Designations filed prior to the date hereof; provided, that the terms of the Certificate of Designations are not amended, modified or changed on or after the date hereof (other than anti-dilution adjustments pursuant to the terms thereof in effect as of the date hereof), (v) the shares of Common Stock issuable upon exercise of the Warrants, (vi) shares of Common Stock or Convertible Securities issued or issuable to banks, equipment lessors or other similar financial institutions, pursuant to a non-convertible debt financing or equipment leasing transaction approved by the Board of Directors (the **“Board”**) of the Company, and (vii) shares of Common Stock or Convertible Securities issued or issuable in connection with strategic alliances, acquisitions, mergers, joint venture, strategic partnerships, material contracts and licenses provided, that (x) the primary purpose of such issuance is not to raise capital, and (y) the purchaser or acquirer of the securities in such issuance solely consists of either (I) the actual operating participants in such strategic alliance or strategic partnership or joint venture, (II) the actual owners of such assets or securities acquired in such acquisition or merger or (III) the stockholders, partners or members of the foregoing Persons, for the sake of clarity, the issuance of Common Stock and preferred stock (and Common Stock upon the conversion of Preferred Stock) to the sellers as part of the Company’s December 30, 2015, Asset Purchase Agreement (as amended from time to time), entered into by the Company with twenty-one separate sellers and Segundo Resources, LLC, as a seller and as a representative of the sellers named therein (the **“Segundo Transaction”**), shall fall under Section (vii) hereof.

1.9. **“Options”** means any rights, warrants or options to subscribe for or purchase shares of Common Stock or Convertible Securities.

1.10. **“Principal Market”** means initially the NYSE MKT and shall also include the NASDAQ Capital Market, New York Stock Exchange, OTCQB, OTCQX or the NASDAQ National Market, whichever is at the time the principal trading exchange or market for the Common Stock, based upon share volume.

1.11. **“Trading Day”** means any day on which the Common Stock is traded on the Principal Market, provided that **“Trading Day”** shall not include any day on which the Common Stock is scheduled to trade on the Principal Market for less than 4.5 hours or any day that the Common Stock is suspended from trading during the final hour of trading on the Principal Market (or if the Principal Market does not designate in advance the closing time of trading on the Principal Market, then during the hour ending at 4:00:00 p.m., New York City time).

ARTICLE II.

Exercise.

2.1. **Exercise of Warrant.** Exercise of the purchase rights represented by this Warrant may be made, in whole or in part, at any time or times on or after the Initial Exercise Date and on or before the Termination Date by delivery to the Company (or such other office or agency of the Company as it may designate by notice in writing to the registered Holder at the address of the Holder appearing on the books of the Company) of a duly executed facsimile copy (or e-mail attachment) of the Notice of Exercise in the form annexed hereto and within three (3) Trading Days of the date said Notice of Exercise is delivered to the Company, the Company shall have received payment of the aggregate Exercise Price of the shares thereby purchased by wire transfer or cashier's check drawn on a United States bank or, if available, pursuant to the cashless exercise procedure specified in Section 2.4 below. No ink-original Notice of Exercise shall be required, nor shall any medallion guarantee (or other type of guarantee or notarization) of any Notice of Exercise form be required. Notwithstanding anything herein to the contrary, the Holder shall not be required to physically surrender this Warrant to the Company until the Holder has purchased all of the Warrant Shares available hereunder and the Warrant has been exercised in full, in which case, the Holder shall surrender this Warrant to the Company for cancellation within three (3) Trading Days of the date the final Notice of Exercise is delivered to the Company. Partial exercises of this Warrant resulting in purchases of a portion of the total number of Warrant Shares available hereunder shall have the effect of lowering the outstanding number of Warrant Shares purchasable hereunder in an amount equal to the applicable number of Warrant Shares purchased. The Holder and the Company shall maintain records showing the number of Warrant Shares purchased and the date of such purchases. The Company shall deliver any objection to any Notice of Exercise within one (1) Business Day of receipt of such notice. **The Holder and any assignee, by acceptance of this Warrant, acknowledge and agree that, by reason of the provisions of this paragraph, following the purchase of a portion of the Warrant Shares hereunder, the number of Warrant Shares available for purchase hereunder at any given time may be less than the amount stated on the face hereof.**

2.2. Exercise Price. The exercise price per share of the Common Stock under this Warrant shall be **\$1.50**, subject to adjustment hereunder (the “**Exercise Price**”).

2.3. Cashless Exercise. If (1) the VWAP of one share of Common Stock is greater than the Exercise Price (as the dates of calculation as set forth below) and (2) there is no effective Registration Statement registering, or no current prospectus available for, the resale of the Warrant Shares by the Holder, then this Warrant may also be exercised, in whole or in part, at such time by means of a “**cashless exercise**” in which the Holder shall be entitled to receive a number of Warrant Shares equal to the quotient obtained by dividing [(A-B) (X)] by (A), where:

(A) = the VWAP on the Trading Day immediately preceding the date on which Holder elects to exercise this Warrant by means of a “**cashless exercise**,” as set forth in the applicable Notice of Exercise;

(B) = the Exercise Price of this Warrant, as adjusted hereunder; and

(X) = the number of Warrant Shares that would be issuable upon exercise of this Warrant in accordance with the terms of this Warrant if such exercise were by means of a cash exercise rather than a cashless exercise.

If Warrant Shares are issued in such a cashless exercise, the parties acknowledge and agree that in accordance with Section 3(a)(9) of the Securities Act, the Warrant Shares shall take on the registered characteristics of the Warrants being exercised, and the holding period of the Warrants being exercised may be tacked on to the holding period of the Warrant Shares. The Company agrees not to take any position contrary to this Section 2.3.

“**VWAP**” means, for any date, the price determined by the first of the following clauses that applies: (a) if the Common Stock is then listed or quoted on a Principal Market, the daily volume weighted average price of the Common Stock for such date (or the nearest preceding date) on the Principal Market on which the Common Stock is then listed or quoted as reported by Bloomberg (based on a Trading Day from 9:30 a.m. (New York City time) to 4:02 p.m. (New York City time)), (b) if OTCQB or OTCQX is not a Principal Market, the volume weighted average price of the Common Stock for such date (or the nearest preceding date) on OTCQB or OTCQX as applicable, (c) if the Common Stock is not then listed or quoted for trading on OTCQB or OTCQX and if prices for the Common Stock are then reported in the “**Pink Sheets**” published by OTC Markets, Inc. (or a similar organization or agency succeeding to its functions of reporting prices), the most recent bid price per share of the Common Stock so reported, or (d) if the Company and the Holder are unable to agree upon the fair market value of such security, then such dispute shall be resolved in accordance with the procedures in Section 5.16.

2.4. Mechanics of Exercise.

2.4.1 Delivery of Warrant Shares Upon Exercise. Warrant Shares purchased hereunder shall be transmitted by the Transfer Agent to the Holder by crediting the account of the Holder's or its designee's balance account with The Depository Trust Company through its Deposit or Withdrawal at Custodian system ("**DWAC**") if the Company is then a participant in such system and either (A) there is an effective registration statement permitting the issuance of the Warrant Shares to or resale of the Warrant Shares by the Holder or (B) the Warrant Shares are eligible for resale by the Holder pursuant to Rule 144, and otherwise by physical delivery of a certificate, registered in the Company's share register in the name of the Holder or its designee, for the number of Warrant Shares to which the Holder is entitled pursuant to such exercise to the address specified by the Holder in the Notice of Exercise by the date that is three (3) Trading Days after the delivery to the Company of the Notice of Exercise (such date, the "**Warrant Share Delivery Date**"). The Warrant Shares shall be deemed to have been issued, and Holder or any other person so designated to be named therein shall be deemed to have become a holder of record of such shares for all purposes, as of the date the Warrant has been exercised, with payment to the Company of the Exercise Price (or by cashless exercise, if permitted) and all taxes required to be paid by the Holder, if any, pursuant to Section 2.4.6 prior to the issuance of such shares, having been paid.

2.4.2 Delivery of New Warrants Upon Exercise. If this Warrant shall have been exercised in part, the Company shall, at the request of a Holder and upon surrender of this Warrant certificate, at the time of delivery of the Warrant Shares, deliver to the Holder a new Warrant evidencing the rights of the Holder to purchase the unpurchased Warrant Shares called for by this Warrant, which new Warrant shall in all other respects be identical with this Warrant.

2.4.3 Rescission Rights. If the Company fails to cause the Transfer Agent to transmit to the Holder the Warrant Shares pursuant to Section 2.4.1 by the Warrant Share Delivery Date, then the Holder will have the right to rescind such exercise.

2.4.4 Compensation for Buy-In on Failure to Timely Deliver Warrant Shares Upon Exercise. In addition to any other rights available to the Holder, if the Company fails to cause the Transfer Agent to transmit to the Holder the Warrant Shares in accordance with the provisions of Section 2.4.1 above pursuant to an exercise on or before the Warrant Share Delivery Date (a "**Delivery Failure**"), and if after such date the Holder is required by its broker to purchase (in an open market transaction or otherwise) or the Holder's brokerage firm otherwise purchases, shares of Common Stock to deliver in satisfaction of a sale by the Holder of the Warrant Shares which the Holder anticipated receiving upon such exercise (a "**Buy-In**"), then the Company shall (A) pay in cash to the Holder the amount, if any, by which (x) the Holder's total purchase price (including brokerage commissions, if any) for the shares of Common Stock so purchased exceeds (y) the amount obtained by multiplying (1) the number of Warrant Shares that the Company was required to deliver to the Holder in connection with the exercise at issue times (2) the price at which the sell order giving rise to such purchase obligation was executed, and (B) at the option of the Holder, either reinstate the portion of the Warrant and equivalent number of Warrant Shares for which such exercise was not honored (in which case such exercise shall be deemed rescinded) or deliver to the Holder the number of shares of Common Stock that would have been issued had the Company timely complied with its exercise and delivery obligations hereunder. For example, if the Holder purchases Common Stock having a total purchase price of \$11,000 to cover a Buy-In with respect to an attempted exercise of shares of Common Stock with an aggregate sale price giving rise to such purchase obligation of \$10,000, under clause (A) of the immediately preceding sentence the Company shall be required to pay the Holder \$1,000. The Holder shall provide the Company written notice indicating the amounts payable to the Holder in respect of the Buy-In and, upon request of the Company, evidence of the amount of such loss. Nothing herein shall limit a Holder's right to pursue any other remedies available to it hereunder, at law or in equity including, without limitation, a decree of specific performance and/or injunctive relief with respect to the Company's failure to timely deliver shares of Common Stock upon exercise of the Warrant as required pursuant to the terms hereof.

2.4.5 No Fractional Shares or Scrip. No fractional shares or scrip representing fractional shares shall be issued upon the exercise of this Warrant. As to any fraction of a share which the Holder would otherwise be entitled to purchase upon such exercise, the Company shall, at its election, either pay a cash adjustment in respect of such final fraction in an amount equal to such fraction multiplied by the Exercise Price or round up to the next whole share.

2.4.6 Charges, Taxes and Expenses. Issuance of Warrant Shares shall be made without charge to the Holder for any issue or transfer tax or other incidental expense in respect of the issuance of Warrant Shares, all of which taxes and expenses shall be paid by the Company, and such Warrant Shares shall be issued in the name of the Holder or in such name or names as may be directed by the Holder; provided, however, that in the event that Warrant Shares are to be issued in a name other than the name of the Holder, this Warrant when surrendered for exercise shall be accompanied by the Assignment Form attached hereto duly executed by the Holder and the Company may require, as a condition thereto, the payment of a sum sufficient to reimburse it for any transfer tax incidental thereto. The Company shall pay all Transfer Agent fees required for same-day processing of any Notice of Exercise and all fees to the Depository Trust Company (or another established clearing corporation performing similar functions) required for same-day electronic delivery of the Warrant Shares.

2.4.7 Closing of Books. The Company will not close its stockholder books or records in any manner which prevents the timely exercise of this Warrant, pursuant to the terms hereof.

2.4.8 Disputes. In the case of a dispute as to the determination of the Exercise Price or the arithmetic calculation of the number of Warrant Shares to be issued pursuant to the terms hereof, the Company shall promptly issue to the Holder the number of Warrant Shares that are not disputed and resolve such dispute in accordance with Section 5.16.

2.5. Holder's Exercise Limitations. The Company shall not effect any exercise of this Warrant, and a Holder shall not have the right to exercise any portion of this Warrant, pursuant to Section 2 or otherwise, to the extent that after giving effect to such issuance after exercise as set forth on the applicable Notice of Exercise, the Holder (together with the Holder's Affiliates, and any other Persons acting as a group together with the Holder or any of the Holder's Affiliates), would beneficially own in excess of the Beneficial Ownership Limitation (as defined below). For purposes of the foregoing sentence, the number of shares of Common Stock beneficially owned by the Holder and its Affiliates shall include the number of shares of Common Stock issuable upon exercise of this Warrant with respect to which such determination is being made, but shall exclude the number of shares of Common Stock which would be issuable upon (i) exercise of the remaining, nonexercised portion of this Warrant beneficially owned by the Holder or any of its Affiliates and (ii) exercise or conversion of the unexercised or nonconverted portion of any other securities of the Company (including, without limitation, any other Common Stock equivalents) subject to a limitation on conversion or exercise analogous to the limitation contained herein beneficially owned by the Holder or any of its Affiliates. Except as set forth in the preceding sentence, for purposes of this Section 2.5, beneficial ownership shall be calculated in accordance with Section 13(d) of the Exchange Act and the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder, it being acknowledged by the Holder that the Company is not representing to the Holder that such calculation is in compliance with Section 13(d) of the Exchange Act and the Holder is solely responsible for any schedules required to be filed in accordance therewith. To the extent that the limitation contained in this Section 2.5 applies, the determination of whether this Warrant is exercisable (in relation to other securities owned by the Holder together with any Affiliates) and of which portion of this Warrant is exercisable shall be in the sole discretion of the Holder, and the submission of a Notice of Exercise shall be deemed to be the Holder's determination of whether this Warrant is exercisable (in relation to other securities owned by the Holder together with any Affiliates) and of which portion of this Warrant is exercisable, in each case subject to the Beneficial Ownership Limitation, and the Company shall have no obligation to verify or confirm the accuracy of such determination. In addition, a determination as to any group status as contemplated above shall be determined in accordance with Section 13(d) of the Exchange Act and the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder. For purposes of this Section 2.5, in determining the number of outstanding shares of Common Stock, a Holder may rely on the number of outstanding shares of Common Stock as reflected in (A) the Company's most recent periodic or annual report filed with the Commission, as the case may be, (B) a more recent public announcement by the Company or (C) a more recent written notice by the Company or the Transfer Agent setting forth the number of shares of Common Stock outstanding. Upon the written or oral request of a Holder, the Company shall within two Trading Days confirm orally and in writing to the Holder the number of shares of Common Stock then outstanding. In any case, the number of outstanding shares of Common Stock shall be determined after giving effect to the conversion or exercise of securities of the Company, including this Warrant, by the Holder or its Affiliates since the date as of which such number of outstanding shares of Common Stock was reported. The "**Beneficial Ownership Limitation**" shall be 9.99% of the number of shares of the Common Stock outstanding immediately after giving effect to the issuance of shares of Common Stock issuable upon exercise of this Warrant. The provisions of this paragraph shall be construed and implemented in a manner otherwise than in strict conformity with the terms of this Section 2.5 to correct this paragraph (or any portion hereof) which may be defective or inconsistent with the intended Beneficial Ownership Limitation herein contained or to make changes or supplements necessary or desirable to properly give effect to such limitation. The limitations contained in this paragraph shall apply to a successor holder of this Warrant. The Holder shall have been deemed to confirm that any conversion set forth in a notice of conversion complies with the Beneficial Ownership Limitation and the Company shall not be required to independently verify such compliance.

2.6. Issuance Restrictions. The Company shall not issue any shares of Common Stock upon exercise of this Warrant if the issuance of such shares of Common Stock (taken together with the issuance of all other shares of Common Stock upon conversion of the Notes) would exceed the aggregate number of shares of Common Stock which the Company may issue upon exercise or conversion (as the case may be) of the Warrants, the Notes or otherwise pursuant to the respective terms thereof without breaching the Company's obligations under the rules or regulations of the Principal Market (the number of shares which may be issued without violating such rules and regulations, the "**Exchange Cap**"), except that such limitation shall not apply in the event that the Company (A) obtains the approval of its stockholders as required by the applicable rules of the Principal Market for issuances of shares of Common Stock in excess of such amount or (B) obtains a written opinion from outside counsel to the Company that such approval is not required, which opinion shall be reasonably satisfactory to the Holder. Until such approval or such written opinion is obtained, no initial purchaser of Notes on the Initial Issuance Date (each, a "**Buyer**") shall be issued in the aggregate, upon conversion or exercise (as the case may be) of any Notes, or any of the Warrants or otherwise pursuant to the terms of the Warrants or the Notes, shares of Common Stock in an amount greater than the product of (i) the Exchange Cap as of the Issuance Date multiplied by (ii) the quotient of (1) the aggregate principal amount of Notes issued to such Buyer pursuant to the Purchase Agreement on the date such Purchase Agreement was agreed to divided by (2) the aggregate amount of Notes sold to all of the Buyers pursuant to the Purchase Agreement (with respect to each Buyer, the "**Exchange Cap Allocation**"). In the event that any Buyer shall sell or otherwise transfer any of such Buyer's Notes, the transferee shall be allocated a pro rata portion of such Buyer's Exchange Cap Allocation with respect to such portion of such Notes so transferred, and the restrictions of the prior sentence shall apply to such transferee with respect to the portion of the Exchange Cap Allocation so allocated to such transferee. Upon conversion and exercise in full of a holder's Notes and Warrants, the difference (if any) between such holder's Exchange Cap Allocation and the number of shares of Common Stock actually issued to such holder upon such holder's conversion in full of such Notes and such holder's exercise in full of such Warrants shall be allocated, to the respective Exchange Cap Allocations of the remaining holders of Notes and related Warrants on a pro rata basis in proportion to the shares of Common Stock underlying the Notes and related Warrants then held by each such holder of Notes and related Warrants.

ARTICLE III. **Certain Adjustments.**

3.1. Stock Dividends and Splits. If the Company, at any time while this Warrant is outstanding: (i) pays a stock dividend or otherwise makes a distribution or distributions on shares of its Common Stock or any other equity or equity equivalent securities payable in shares of Common Stock (which, for avoidance of doubt, shall not include any shares of Common Stock issued by the Company upon exercise of this Warrant), (ii) subdivides outstanding shares of Common Stock into a larger number of shares, (iii) combines (including by way of reverse stock split) outstanding shares of Common Stock into a smaller number of shares or (iv) issues by reclassification of shares of the Common Stock any shares of capital stock of the Company, then in each case the Exercise Price shall be multiplied by a fraction of which the numerator shall be the number of shares of Common Stock (excluding treasury shares, if any) outstanding immediately before such event and of which the denominator shall be the number of shares of Common Stock outstanding immediately after such event, and the number of shares issuable upon exercise of this Warrant shall be proportionately adjusted such that the aggregate Exercise Price of this Warrant shall remain unchanged. Any adjustment made pursuant to this Section 3.1 shall become effective immediately after the record date for the determination of stockholders entitled to receive such dividend or distribution and shall become effective immediately after the effective date in the case of a subdivision, combination or re-classification.

3.2. Subsequent Equity Sales. If and whenever on or after the date hereof and prior to the 12-month anniversary of the Initial Issuance date, the Company issues or sells, or in accordance with this Section 3 is deemed to have issued or sold, any shares of Common Stock (including the issuance or sale of shares of Common Stock owned or held by or for the account of the Company, but excluding any Excluded Securities issued or sold or deemed to have been issued or sold) for a consideration per share (the “**Base Share Price**”) less than a price equal to the Exercise Price in effect immediately prior to such issuance or sale or deemed issuance or sale (such Exercise Price then in effect is referred to herein as the “**Applicable Price**”) (the foregoing a “**Dilutive Issuance**”), then immediately after such Dilutive Issuance, the Exercise Price then in effect shall be reduced to an amount equal to the Base Share Price. No such adjustment shall cause the number of Warrant Shares to increase proportionately. For all purposes of the foregoing (including, without limitation, determining the adjusted Exercise Price and the Base Share Price under this Section 3.2), the following shall be applicable:

3.2.1 Issuance of Options. If the Company in any manner grants or sells any Options and the lowest price per share for which one share of Common Stock is at any time issuable upon the exercise of any such Option or upon conversion, exercise or exchange of any Convertible Securities issuable upon exercise of any such Option or otherwise pursuant to the terms thereof is less than the Applicable Price, then such share of Common Stock shall be deemed to be outstanding and to have been issued and sold by the Company at the time of the granting or sale of such Option for such price per share. For purposes of this Section 3.2.1, the “**lowest price per share for which one share of Common Stock is at any time issuable upon the exercise of any such Options or upon conversion, exercise or exchange of any Convertible Securities issuable upon exercise of any such Option or otherwise pursuant to the terms thereof**” shall be equal to (1) the lower of (x) the sum of the lowest amounts of consideration (if any) received or receivable by the Company with respect to any one share of Common Stock upon the granting or sale of such Option, upon exercise of such Option and upon conversion, exercise or exchange of any Convertible Security issuable upon exercise of such Option or otherwise pursuant to the terms thereof and (y) the lowest exercise price set forth in such Option for which one share of Common Stock is issuable upon the exercise of any such Options or upon conversion, exercise or exchange of any Convertible Securities issuable upon exercise of any such Option or otherwise pursuant to the terms thereof minus (2) the sum of all amounts paid or payable to the holder of such Option (or any other Person) upon the granting or sale of such Option, upon exercise of such Option and upon conversion, exercise or exchange of any Convertible Security issuable upon exercise of such Option or otherwise pursuant to the terms thereof plus the value of any other consideration received or receivable by, or benefit conferred on, the holder of such Option (or any other Person). Except as contemplated below, no further adjustment of the Exercise Price shall be made upon the actual issuance of such shares of Common Stock or of such Convertible Securities upon the exercise of such Options or otherwise pursuant to the terms of or upon the actual issuance of such shares of Common Stock upon conversion, exercise or exchange of such Convertible Securities.

3.2.2 Issuance of Convertible Securities. If the Company in any manner issues or sells any Convertible Securities and the lowest price per share for which one share of Common Stock is at any time issuable upon the conversion, exercise or exchange thereof or otherwise pursuant to the terms thereof is less than the Applicable Price, then such share of Common Stock shall be deemed to be outstanding and to have been issued and sold by the Company at the time of the issuance or sale of such Convertible Securities for such price per share. For the purposes of this Section 3.2.2, the **“lowest price per share for which one share of Common Stock is at any time issuable upon the conversion, exercise or exchange thereof or otherwise pursuant to the terms thereof”** shall be equal to (1) the lower of (x) the sum of the lowest amounts of consideration (if any) received or receivable by the Company with respect to one share of Common Stock upon the issuance or sale of the Convertible Security and upon conversion, exercise or exchange of such Convertible Security or otherwise pursuant to the terms thereof and (y) the lowest conversion price set forth in such Convertible Security for which one share of Common Stock is issuable upon conversion, exercise or exchange thereof or otherwise pursuant to the terms thereof minus (2) the sum of all amounts paid or payable to the holder of such Convertible Security (or any other Person) upon the issuance or sale of such Convertible Security plus the value of any other consideration received or receivable by, or benefit conferred on, the holder of such Convertible Security (or any other Person). Except as contemplated below, no further adjustment of the Exercise Price shall be made upon the actual issuance of such shares of Common Stock upon conversion, exercise or exchange of such Convertible Securities or otherwise pursuant to the terms thereof, and if any such issuance or sale of such Convertible Securities is made upon exercise of any Options for which adjustment of this Warrant has been or is to be made pursuant to other provisions of this Section 3.2, except as contemplated below, no further adjustment of the Exercise Price shall be made by reason of such issuance or sale.

3.2.3 Change in Option Price or Rate of Conversion. If the purchase or exercise price provided for in any Options, the additional consideration, if any, payable upon the issue, conversion, exercise or exchange of any Convertible Securities, or the rate at which any Convertible Securities are convertible into or exercisable or exchangeable for shares of Common Stock increases or decreases at any time (other than proportional changes in conversion or exercise prices, as applicable, in connection with an event referred to in Section 3.1), the Exercise Price in effect at the time of such increase or decrease shall be adjusted to the Exercise Price which would have been in effect at such time had such Options or Convertible Securities provided for such increased or decreased purchase price, additional consideration or increased or decreased conversion rate, as the case may be, at the time initially granted, issued or sold. For purposes of this Section 3.2.3, if the terms of any Option or Convertible Security that was outstanding as of the date hereof are increased or decreased in the manner described in the immediately preceding sentence, then such Option or Convertible Security and the shares of Common Stock deemed issuable upon exercise, conversion or exchange thereof shall be deemed to have been issued as of the date of such increase or decrease. No adjustment pursuant to this Section 3.2 shall be made if such adjustment would result in an increase of the Exercise Price then in effect.

3.2.4 Calculation of Consideration Received. If any Option and/or Convertible Security and/or Adjustment Right is issued in connection with the issuance or sale or deemed issuance or sale of any other securities of the Company (as determined by the Holder, the “**Primary Security**”, and such Option and/or Convertible Security and/or Adjustment Right, the “**Secondary Securities**”), together comprising one integrated transaction, (or one or more transactions if such issuances or sales or deemed issuances or sales of securities of the Company either (A) have at least one investor or purchaser in common, (B) are consummated in reasonable proximity to each other and/or (C) are consummated under the same plan of financing) the aggregate consideration per share of Common Stock with respect to such Primary Security shall be deemed to be equal to the difference of (x) the lowest price per share for which one share of Common Stock was issued (or was deemed to be issued pursuant to Section 3.2.1 or 2.2.2 above, as applicable) in such integrated transaction solely with respect to such Primary Security, minus (y) with respect to such Secondary Securities, the sum of (I) the Black Scholes Consideration Value of each such Option, if any, (II) the fair market value (as determined by the Holder in good faith) or the Black Scholes Consideration Value, as applicable, of such Adjustment Right, if any, and (III) the fair market value (as determined by the Holder) of such Convertible Security, if any, in each case, as determined on a per share basis in accordance with this Section 3.2.4. If any shares of Common Stock, Options or Convertible Securities are issued or sold or deemed to have been issued or sold for cash, the consideration received therefor (for the purpose of determining the consideration paid for such Common Stock, Option or Convertible Security, but not for the purpose of the calculation of the Black Scholes Consideration Value) will be deemed to be the net amount of consideration received by the Company therefor. If any shares of Common Stock, Options or Convertible Securities are issued or sold for a consideration other than cash, the amount of such consideration received by the Company (for the purpose of determining the consideration paid for such Common Stock, Option or Convertible Security, but not for the purpose of the calculation of the Black Scholes Consideration Value) will be the fair value of such consideration, except where such consideration consists of publicly traded securities, in which case the amount of consideration received by the Company for such securities will be the arithmetic average of the VWAPs of such security for each of the five (5) Trading Days immediately preceding the date of receipt. If any shares of Common Stock, Options or Convertible Securities are issued to the owners of the non-surviving entity in connection with any merger in which the Company is the surviving entity, the amount of consideration therefor (for the purpose of determining the consideration paid for such Common Stock, Option or Convertible Security, but not for the purpose of the calculation of the Black Scholes Consideration Value) will be deemed to be the fair value of such portion of the net assets and business of the non-surviving entity as is attributable to such shares of Common Stock, Options or Convertible Securities (as the case may be). The fair value of any consideration other than cash or publicly traded securities will be determined jointly by the Company and the Holder. If such parties are unable to reach agreement within ten (10) days after the occurrence of an event requiring valuation (the “**Valuation Event**”), the fair value of such consideration will be determined within five (5) Trading Days after the tenth (10th) day following such Valuation Event by an independent, reputable appraiser jointly selected by the Company and the Holder. The determination of such appraiser shall be final and binding upon all parties absent manifest error and the fees and expenses of such appraiser shall be borne by the Company.

3.2.5 Record Date. If the Company takes a record of the holders of shares of Common Stock for the purpose of entitling them (A) to receive a dividend or other distribution payable in shares of Common Stock, Options or in Convertible Securities or (B) to subscribe for or purchase shares of Common Stock, Options or Convertible Securities, then such record date will be deemed to be the date of the issuance or sale of the shares of Common Stock deemed to have been issued or sold upon the declaration of such dividend or the making of such other distribution or the date of the granting of such right of subscription or purchase (as the case may be).

3.3. Number of Warrant Shares. Simultaneously with any adjustment to the Exercise Price pursuant to Section 3.1, the number of Warrant Shares that may be purchased upon exercise of this Warrant shall be increased or decreased proportionately, so that after such adjustment the aggregate Exercise Price payable hereunder for the adjusted number of Warrant Shares shall be the same as the aggregate Exercise Price in effect immediately prior to such adjustment (without regard to any limitations on exercise contained herein).

3.4. Other Events. In the event that the Company (or any Subsidiary) shall take any action to which the provisions hereof are not strictly applicable, or, if applicable, would not operate to protect the Holder from dilution or if any event occurs of the type contemplated by the provisions of this Section 3 but not expressly provided for by such provisions (including, without limitation, the granting of stock appreciation rights, phantom stock rights or other rights with equity features), then the Company's board of directors shall in good faith determine and implement an appropriate adjustment in the Exercise Price and the number of Warrant Shares (if applicable) so as to protect the rights of the Holder, provided that no such adjustment pursuant to this Section 3.4 will increase the Exercise Price or decrease the number of Warrant Shares as otherwise determined pursuant to this Section 3, provided further that if the Holder does not accept such adjustments as appropriately protecting its interests hereunder against such dilution, then the Company's board of directors and the Holder shall agree, in good faith, upon an independent investment bank of nationally recognized standing to make such appropriate adjustments, whose determination shall be final and binding absent manifest error and whose fees and expenses shall be borne by the Company.

3.5. Voluntary Adjustment By Company. The Company may at any time during the term of this Warrant, with the prior written consent of the Holder, reduce the then current Exercise Price to any amount and for any period of time deemed appropriate by the board of directors of the Company, subject to the rules and regulations of the Principal Market.

3.6. Notice. The Company shall notify the Holder, in writing, no later than the Trading Day following the issuance or deemed issuance of any Common Stock or Common Stock equivalents subject to Section 3.2, indicating therein the applicable issuance price, or applicable reset price, exchange price, conversion price and other pricing terms (such notice, the “**Dilutive Issuance Notice**”). For purposes of clarification, whether or not the Company provides a Dilutive Issuance Notice pursuant to Section 3.2, upon the occurrence of any Dilutive Issuance, the Holder is entitled to receive a number of Warrant Shares based upon the Base Share Price regardless of whether the Holder accurately refers to the Base Share Price in the Notice of Exercise.

3.7. Subsequent Rights Offerings. In addition to any adjustments pursuant to Section 3.1 above, if at any time the Company grants, issues or sells any Common Stock equivalents or rights to purchase stock, warrants, securities or other property pro rata to the record holders of any class of shares of Common Stock (the “**Purchase Rights**”), then the Holder will be entitled to acquire, upon the terms applicable to such Purchase Rights, the aggregate Purchase Rights which the Holder could have acquired if the Holder had held the number of shares of Common Stock acquirable upon complete exercise of this Warrant (without regard to any limitations on exercise hereof, including without limitation, the Beneficial Ownership Limitation) immediately before the date on which a record is taken for the grant, issuance or sale of such Purchase Rights, or, if no such record is taken, the date as of which the record holders of shares of Common Stock are to be determined for the grant, issue or sale of such Purchase Rights (provided, however, to the extent that the Holder’s right to participate in any such Purchase Right would result in the Holder exceeding the Beneficial Ownership Limitation, then the Holder shall not be entitled to participate in such Purchase Right to such extent (or beneficial ownership of such shares of Common Stock as a result of such Purchase Right to such extent) and such Purchase Right to such extent shall be held in abeyance for the Holder until such time, if ever, as its right thereto would not result in the Holder exceeding the Beneficial Ownership Limitation).

3.8. Pro Rata Distributions. During such time as this Warrant is outstanding, if the Company shall declare or make any dividend or other distribution of its assets (or rights to acquire its assets) to holders of shares of Common Stock, by way of return of capital or otherwise (including, without limitation, any distribution of cash, stock or other securities, property or options by way of a dividend, spin off, reclassification, corporate rearrangement, scheme of arrangement or other similar transaction) (a “**Distribution**”), at any time after the issuance of this Warrant, then, in each such case, the Holder shall be entitled to participate in such Distribution to the same extent that the Holder would have participated therein if the Holder had held the number of shares of Common Stock acquirable upon complete exercise of this Warrant (without regard to any limitations on exercise hereof, including without limitation, the Beneficial Ownership Limitation) immediately before the date of which a record is taken for such Distribution, or, if no such record is taken, the date as of which the record holders of shares of Common Stock are to be determined for the participation in such Distribution (provided, however, to the extent that the Holder’s right to participate in any such Distribution would result in the Holder exceeding the Beneficial Ownership Limitation, then the Holder shall not be entitled to participate in such Distribution to such extent (or in the beneficial ownership of any shares of Common Stock as a result of such Distribution to such extent) and the portion of such Distribution shall be held in abeyance for the benefit of the Holder until such time, if ever, as its right thereto would not result in the Holder exceeding the Beneficial Ownership Limitation).

3.9. Fundamental Transaction. If, at any time while this Warrant is outstanding, except as contemplated by the Segundo Transaction, (i) the Company, directly or indirectly, in one or more related transactions effects any merger or consolidation of the Company with or into another Person, whereby such other Person or group acquires more than 50% of the outstanding shares of Common Stock of the Company, (ii) the Company, directly or indirectly, effects any sale, lease, license, assignment, transfer, conveyance or other disposition of all or substantially all of its assets in one or a series of related transactions, (iii) any, direct or indirect, purchase offer, tender offer or exchange offer (whether by the Company or another Person) is completed pursuant to which holders of Common Stock are permitted to sell, tender or exchange their shares for other securities, cash or property and has been accepted by the holders of 50% or more of the outstanding Common Stock, (iv) the Company, directly or indirectly, in one or more related transactions effects any reclassification, reorganization or recapitalization of the Common Stock or any compulsory share exchange pursuant to which the Common Stock is effectively converted into or exchanged for other securities, cash or property, or (v) the Company, directly or indirectly, in one or more related transactions consummates a stock or share purchase agreement or other business combination (including, without limitation, a reorganization, recapitalization, spin-off or scheme of arrangement) with another Person or group of Persons whereby such other Person or group acquires more than 50% of the outstanding shares of Common Stock (not including any shares of Common Stock held by the other Person or other Persons making or party to, or associated or affiliated with the other Persons making or party to, such stock or share purchase agreement or other business combination) (each a “**Fundamental Transaction**”), then, upon any subsequent exercise of this Warrant, the Holder shall have the right to receive, for each Warrant Share that would have been issuable upon such exercise immediately prior to the occurrence of such Fundamental Transaction, at the option of the Holder (without regard to any limitation in Section 2.5 or Section 2.6 on the exercise of this Warrant), the number of shares of Common Stock of the successor or acquiring corporation or of the Company, if it is the surviving corporation, and any additional consideration (the “**Alternate Consideration**”) receivable as a result of such Fundamental Transaction by a holder of the number of shares of Common Stock for which this Warrant is exercisable immediately prior to such Fundamental Transaction (without regard to any limitation in Section 2.5 or Section 2.6 on the exercise of this Warrant). For purposes of any such exercise, the determination of the Exercise Price shall be appropriately adjusted to apply to such Alternate Consideration based on the amount of Alternate Consideration issuable in respect of one share of Common Stock in such Fundamental Transaction, and the Company shall apportion the Exercise Price among the Alternate Consideration in a reasonable manner reflecting the relative value of any different components of the Alternate Consideration. If holders of Common Stock are given any choice as to the securities, cash or property to be received in a Fundamental Transaction, then the Holder shall be given the same choice as to the Alternate Consideration it receives upon any exercise of this Warrant following such Fundamental Transaction. The Company shall cause any successor entity in a Fundamental Transaction in which the Company is not the survivor (the “**Successor Entity**”) to assume in writing all of the obligations of the Company under this Warrant in accordance with the provisions of this Section 3.9 pursuant to written agreements in form and substance reasonably satisfactory to the Holder and approved by the Holder (without unreasonable delay) prior to such Fundamental Transaction and shall, at the option of the Holder, deliver to the Holder in exchange for this Warrant a security of the Successor Entity evidenced by a written instrument substantially similar in form and substance to this Warrant which is exercisable for a corresponding number of shares of capital stock of such Successor Entity (or its parent entity) equivalent to the shares of Common Stock acquirable and receivable upon exercise of this Warrant (without regard to any limitations on the exercise of this Warrant) prior to such Fundamental Transaction, and with an exercise price which applies the exercise price hereunder to such shares of capital stock (but taking into account the relative value of the shares of Common Stock pursuant to such Fundamental Transaction and the value of such shares of capital stock, such number of shares of capital stock and such exercise price being for the purpose of protecting the economic value of this Warrant immediately prior to the consummation of such Fundamental Transaction), and which is reasonably satisfactory in form and substance to the Holder. Upon the occurrence of any such Fundamental Transaction, the Successor Entity shall succeed to, and be substituted for (so that from and after the date of such Fundamental Transaction, the provisions of this Warrant referring to the “**Company**” shall refer instead to the Successor Entity), and may exercise every right and power of the Company and shall assume all of the obligations of the Company under this Warrant with the same effect as if such Successor Entity had been named as the Company herein.

3.10. Holder's Right of Alternative Exercise Price Following Issuance of Certain Options or Convertible Securities. In addition to and not in limitation of the other provisions of this Section 3, excluding any Excluded Securities if after the date hereof and prior to the 12-month anniversary of the Initial Issuance Date, the Company in any manner issues or sells or enters into any agreement to issue or sell, any Common Stock, Options or Convertible Securities (any such securities, "**Variable Price Securities**") that are issuable pursuant to such agreement or convertible into or exchangeable or exercisable for shares of Common Stock at a price which varies or may vary with the market price of the Common Shares, including by way of one or more reset(s) to a fixed price, but exclusive of such formulations reflecting customary anti-dilution provisions (such as share splits, share combinations, share dividends and similar transactions) (each of the formulations for such variable price being herein referred to as, the "**Variable Price**"), the Company shall provide written notice thereof via facsimile and overnight courier to the Holder on the date of such agreement and the issuance of such Convertible Securities or Options. From and after the date the Company enters into such agreement or issues any such Variable Price Securities, the Holder shall have the right, but not the obligation, in its sole discretion to substitute the Variable Price for the Exercise Price upon exercise of this Warrant by designating in the Exercise Notice delivered upon any exercise of this Warrant that solely for purposes of such exercise the Holder is relying on the Variable Price rather than the Exercise Price then in effect. The Holder's election to rely on a Variable Price for a particular exercise of this Warrant shall not obligate the Holder to rely on a Variable Price for any future exercises of this Warrant.

3.11. Calculations. All calculations under this Section 3 shall be made to the nearest cent or the nearest 1/100th of a share, as the case may be. For purposes of this Section 3, the number of shares of Common Stock deemed to be issued and outstanding as of a given date shall be the sum of the number of shares of Common Stock (excluding treasury shares, if any) issued and outstanding.

3.12. Notice to Holder.

3.12.1 Adjustment to Exercise Price. Whenever the Exercise Price is adjusted pursuant to any provision of this Section 3, the Company shall promptly provide the Holder a notice setting forth the Exercise Price after such adjustment and any resulting adjustment to the number of Warrant Shares and setting forth a brief statement of the facts requiring such adjustment.

3.12.2 Notice to Allow Exercise by Holder. If (A) the Company shall declare a dividend (or any other distribution in whatever form) on the Common Stock, (B) the Company shall declare a special nonrecurring cash dividend on or a redemption of the Common Stock, (C) the Company shall authorize the granting to all holders of the Common Stock rights or warrants to subscribe for or purchase any shares of capital stock of any class or of any rights, (D) the approval of any stockholders of the Company shall be required in connection with any reclassification of the Common Stock, any consolidation or merger to which the Company is a party, any sale or transfer of all or substantially all of the assets of the Company, or any compulsory share exchange whereby the Common Stock is converted into other securities, cash or property, except for the Segundo Transaction, or (E) the Company shall authorize the voluntary or involuntary dissolution, liquidation or winding up of the affairs of the Company, then, in each case, the Company shall cause to be provided to the Holder at its last address as it shall appear upon the Warrant Register of the Company, at least 20 calendar days prior to the applicable record or effective date hereinafter specified, a notice stating (x) the date on which a record is to be taken for the purpose of such dividend, distribution, redemption, rights or warrants, or if a record is not to be taken, the date as of which the holders of the Common Stock of record to be entitled to such dividend, distributions, redemption, rights or warrants are to be determined or (y) the date on which such reclassification, consolidation, merger, sale, transfer or share exchange is expected to become effective or close, and the date as of which it is expected that holders of the Common Stock of record shall be entitled to exchange their shares of the Common Stock for securities, cash or other property deliverable upon such reclassification, consolidation, merger, sale, transfer or share exchange; provided that the failure to provide such notice or any defect therein shall not affect the validity of the corporate action required to be specified in such notice. To the extent that any notice provided in this Warrant constitutes, or contains, material, non-public information regarding the Company or any of the Subsidiaries, the Company shall simultaneously file such notice with the Commission pursuant to a Current Report on Form 8-K. The Holder shall remain entitled to exercise this Warrant during the period commencing on the date of such notice to the effective date of the event triggering such notice except as may otherwise be expressly set forth herein.

ARTICLE IV. **Transfer of Warrant.**

4.1. Transferability. Subject to compliance with any applicable securities laws and the conditions set forth in Section 4.1 hereof and to the provisions of Section 4.1 of the Purchase Agreement, this Warrant and all rights hereunder (including, without limitation, any registration rights) are transferable, in whole or in part, upon surrender of this Warrant at the principal office of the Company or its designated agent, together with a written assignment of this Warrant substantially in the form attached hereto duly executed by the Holder or its agent or attorney and funds sufficient to pay any transfer taxes payable upon the making of such transfer. Upon such surrender and, if required, such payment, the Company shall execute and deliver a new Warrant or Warrants in the name of the assignee or assignees, as applicable, and in the denomination or denominations specified in such instrument of assignment, and shall issue to the assignor a new Warrant evidencing the portion of this Warrant not so assigned, and this Warrant shall promptly be cancelled. Notwithstanding anything herein to the contrary, the Holder shall not be required to physically surrender this Warrant to the Company unless the Holder has assigned this Warrant in full, in which case, the Holder shall surrender this Warrant to the Company within three (3) Trading Days of the date the Holder delivers an assignment form to the Company assigning this Warrant full. The Warrant, if properly assigned in accordance herewith, may be exercised by a new holder for the purchase of Warrant Shares without having a new Warrant issued.

4.2. New Warrants. This Warrant may be divided or combined with other Warrants upon presentation hereof at the aforesaid office of the Company, together with a written notice specifying the names and denominations in which new Warrants are to be issued, signed by the Holder or its agent or attorney. Subject to compliance with Section 4.1, as to any transfer which may be involved in such division or combination, the Company shall execute and deliver a new Warrant or Warrants in exchange for the Warrant or Warrants to be divided or combined in accordance with such notice. All Warrants issued on transfers or exchanges shall be dated the Initial Exercise Date and shall be identical with this Warrant except as to the number of Warrant Shares issuable pursuant thereto.

4.3. Warrant Register. The Company shall register this Warrant, upon records to be maintained by the Company for that purpose (the “**Warrant Register**”), in the name of the record Holder hereof from time to time. The Company may deem and treat the registered Holder of this Warrant as the absolute owner hereof for the purpose of any exercise hereof or any distribution to the Holder, and for all other purposes, absent actual notice to the contrary.

4.4. Transfer Restrictions. This Warrant may be offered for sale, sold, transferred or assigned without the consent of the Company, subject to applicable law.

4.5. Representation by the Holder. The Holder, by the acceptance hereof, represents and warrants that it is acquiring this Warrant and, upon any exercise hereof, will acquire the Warrant Shares issuable upon such exercise, for its own account and not with a view to or for distributing or reselling such Warrant Shares or any part thereof in violation of the Securities Act or any applicable state securities law, except pursuant to sales registered or exempted under the Securities Act.

ARTICLE V.

Miscellaneous.

5.1. No Rights as Stockholder Until Exercise. This Warrant does not entitle the Holder to any voting rights, dividends or other rights as a stockholder of the Company prior to the exercise hereof as set forth in Section 2.5.1, except as expressly set forth in Section 3.

5.2. Loss, Theft, Destruction or Mutilation of Warrant. The Company covenants that upon receipt by the Company of evidence reasonably satisfactory to it of the loss, theft, destruction or mutilation of this Warrant or any stock certificate relating to the Warrant Shares, and in case of loss, theft or destruction, of indemnity or security reasonably satisfactory to it (which, in the case of the Warrant, shall not include the posting of any bond), and upon surrender and cancellation of such Warrant or stock certificate, if mutilated, the Company will make and deliver a new Warrant or stock certificate of like tenor and dated as of such cancellation, in lieu of such Warrant or stock certificate.

5.3. Saturdays, Sundays, Holidays, etc. If the last or appointed day for the taking of any action or the expiration of any right required or granted herein shall not be a Business Day, then, such action may be taken or such right may be exercised on the next succeeding Business Day.

5.4. Authorized Shares.

5.4.1 The Company covenants that, during the period the Warrant is outstanding, it will reserve from its authorized and unissued Common Stock a sufficient number of shares to provide for the issuance of the Warrant Shares upon the exercise of any purchase rights under this Warrant (the “**Required Reserve Amount**”). The Company further covenants that its issuance of this Warrant shall constitute full authority to its officers who are charged with the duty of issuing the necessary Warrant Shares upon the exercise of the purchase rights under this Warrant. The Company will take all such reasonable action as may be necessary to assure that such Warrant Shares may be issued as provided herein without violation of any applicable law or regulation, or of any requirements of the Principal Market upon which the Common Stock may be listed. The Company covenants that all Warrant Shares which may be issued upon the exercise of the purchase rights represented by this Warrant will, upon exercise of the purchase rights represented by this Warrant and payment for such Warrant Shares in accordance herewith, be duly authorized, validly issued, fully paid and nonassessable and free from all taxes, liens and charges created by the Company in respect of the issue thereof (other than taxes in respect of any transfer occurring contemporaneously with such issue).

5.4.2 If, notwithstanding the foregoing, and not in limitation thereof, at any time while the Warrant remains outstanding, the Company does not have a sufficient number of authorized and unreserved shares of Common Stock to satisfy its obligation to reserve the Required Reserve Amount (an “**Authorized Share Failure**”), then the Company shall immediately take all action necessary to increase the Company’s authorized shares of Common Stock to an amount sufficient to allow the Company to reserve the Required Reserve Amount for all the Warrants then outstanding. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing sentence, as soon as practicable after the date of the occurrence of an Authorized Share Failure, but in no event later than ninety (90) days after the occurrence of such Authorized Share Failure, the Company shall hold a meeting of its stockholders for the approval of an increase in the number of authorized shares of Common Stock. In connection with such meeting, the Company shall provide each stockholder with a proxy statement and shall use its reasonable best efforts to solicit its stockholders’ approval of such increase in authorized shares of Common Stock and to cause its board of directors to recommend to the stockholders that they approve such proposal.

5.4.3 Except and to the extent as waived or consented to by the Holder, the Company shall not by any action, including, without limitation, amending its certificate of incorporation or through any reorganization, transfer of assets, consolidation, merger, dissolution, issue or sale of securities or any other voluntary action, avoid or seek to avoid the observance or performance of any of the terms of this Warrant, but will at all times in good faith assist in the carrying out of all such terms and in the taking of all such actions as may be necessary or appropriate to protect the rights of Holder as set forth in this Warrant against impairment. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, the Company will (i) not increase the par value of any Warrant Shares above the amount payable therefor upon such exercise immediately prior to such increase in par value, (ii) take all such action as may be necessary or appropriate in order that the Company may validly and legally issue fully paid and nonassessable Warrant Shares upon the exercise of this Warrant and (iii) use reasonable best efforts to obtain all such authorizations, exemptions or consents from any public regulatory body having jurisdiction thereof, as may be, necessary to enable the Company to perform its obligations under this Warrant.

5.4.4 Promptly upon taking any action which would result in an adjustment in the number of Warrant Shares for which this Warrant is exercisable or in the Exercise Price, the Company shall obtain all such authorizations or exemptions thereof, or consents thereto, as may be necessary from any public regulatory body or bodies having jurisdiction thereof.

5.5. Jurisdiction. All questions concerning the construction, validity, enforcement and interpretation of this Warrant shall be determined in accordance with the provisions of the Purchase Agreement.

5.6. Restrictions. The Holder acknowledges that the Warrant Shares acquired upon the exercise of this Warrant, if not registered and the Holder does not utilize cashless exercise (subject to the applicability of Rule 144), will have restrictions upon resale imposed by state and federal securities laws.

5.7. Nonwaiver and Expenses. No course of dealing or any delay or failure to exercise any right hereunder on the part of Holder shall operate as a waiver of such right or otherwise prejudice the Holder's rights, powers or remedies, notwithstanding the fact that all rights hereunder terminate on the Termination Date. If the Company willfully and knowingly fails to comply with any provision of this Warrant, which results in any material damages to the Holder, the Company shall pay to the Holder such amounts as shall be sufficient to cover any costs and expenses including, but not limited to, reasonable attorneys' fees, including those of appellate proceedings, incurred by the Holder in collecting any amounts due pursuant hereto or in otherwise enforcing any of its rights, powers or remedies hereunder..

5.8. Notices. Any notice, request or other document required or permitted to be given or delivered to the Holder by the Company shall be delivered in accordance with the notice provisions of the Purchase Agreement.

5.9. Limitation of Liability. No provision hereof, in the absence of any affirmative action by the Holder to exercise this Warrant to purchase Warrant Shares, and no enumeration herein of the rights or privileges of the Holder, shall give rise to any liability of the Holder for the purchase price of any Common Stock or as a stockholder of the Company, whether such liability is asserted by the Company or by creditors of the Company.

5.10. Remedies. The Holder, in addition to being entitled to exercise all rights granted by law, including recovery of damages, will be entitled to specific performance of its rights under this Warrant. The Company agrees that monetary damages may not be adequate compensation for any loss incurred by reason of a breach by it of the provisions of this Warrant and hereby agrees to waive and not to assert the defense in any action for specific performance that a remedy at law would be adequate.

5.11. Successors and Assigns. Subject to applicable securities laws, this Warrant and the rights and obligations evidenced hereby shall inure to the benefit of and be binding upon the successors and permitted assigns of the Company and the successors and permitted assigns of Holder. The provisions of this Warrant are intended to be for the benefit of any Holder from time to time of this Warrant and shall be enforceable by the Holder or holder of Warrant Shares.

5.12. Amendment. This Warrant (other than Section 2.5 and 2.6) may be modified or amended or the provisions hereof waived with the written consent of the Company and the Holder. No waiver shall be effective unless it is in writing and signed by an authorized representative of the waiving party.

5.13. Severability. If any provision of this Warrant is prohibited by law or otherwise determined to be invalid or unenforceable by a court of competent jurisdiction, the provision that would otherwise be prohibited, invalid or unenforceable shall be deemed amended to apply to the broadest extent that it would be valid and enforceable, and the invalidity or unenforceability of such provision shall not affect the validity of the remaining provisions of this Warrant so long as this Warrant as so modified continues to express, without material change, the original intentions of the parties as to the subject matter hereof and the prohibited nature, invalidity or unenforceability of the provision(s) in question does not substantially impair the respective expectations or reciprocal obligations of the parties or the practical realization of the benefits that would otherwise be conferred upon the parties. The parties will endeavor in good faith negotiations to replace the prohibited, invalid or unenforceable provision(s) with a valid provision(s), the effect of which comes as close as possible to that of the prohibited, invalid or unenforceable provision(s).

5.14. Headings. This Warrant shall be deemed to be jointly drafted by the Company and the Holder and shall not be construed against any Person as the drafter hereof. The headings of this Warrant are for convenience of reference and shall not form part of, or affect the interpretation of, this Warrant.

5.15. Governing Law. This Warrant shall be governed by and construed and enforced in accordance with, and all questions concerning the construction, validity, interpretation and performance of this Warrant shall be governed by, the internal laws of the State of Texas, without giving effect to any choice of law or conflict of law provision or rule (whether of the State of Texas or any other jurisdictions) that would cause the application of the laws of any jurisdictions other than the State of Texas. The Company hereby irrevocably waives personal service of process and consents to process being served in any such suit, action or proceeding by providing a copy thereof to the Company at the address set forth in the Purchase Agreement and agrees that such service shall constitute good and sufficient service of process and notice thereof. The Company hereby irrevocably submits to the exclusive jurisdiction of the state and federal courts sitting in Harris County, Texas, for the adjudication of any dispute hereunder or in connection herewith or with any transaction contemplated hereby or discussed herein, and hereby irrevocably waives, and agrees not to assert in any suit, action or proceeding, any claim that it is not personally subject to the jurisdiction of any such court, that such suit, action or proceeding is brought in an inconvenient forum or that the venue of such suit, action or proceeding is improper. Nothing contained herein shall be deemed to limit in any way any right to serve process in any manner permitted by law. Nothing contained herein shall be deemed or operate to preclude the Holder from bringing suit or taking other legal action against the Company in any other jurisdiction to collect on the Company's obligations to the Holder, to realize on any collateral or any other security for such obligations, or to enforce a judgment or other court ruling in favor of the Holder. **THE COMPANY HEREBY IRREVOCABLY WAIVES ANY RIGHT IT MAY HAVE TO, AND AGREES NOT TO REQUEST, A JURY TRIAL FOR THE ADJUDICATION OF ANY DISPUTE HEREUNDER OR IN CONNECTION WITH OR ARISING OUT OF THIS WARRANT OR ANY TRANSACTION CONTEMPLATED HEREBY.**

5.16. DISPUTE RESOLUTION

5.16.1 Submission to Dispute Resolution.

(i) In the case of a dispute relating to the Exercise Price, the Closing Sale Price, Black Scholes Consideration Value, Black Scholes Value or fair market value or the arithmetic calculation of the number of Warrant Shares (as the case may be) (including, without limitation, a dispute relating to the determination of any of the foregoing), the Company or the Holder (as the case may be) shall submit the dispute to the other party via facsimile (A) if by the Company, within two (2) Business Days after the occurrence of the circumstances giving rise to such dispute or (B) if by the Holder, at any time after the Holder learned of the circumstances giving rise to such dispute. If the Holder and the Company are unable to promptly resolve such dispute relating to such Exercise Price, such Closing Sale Price, such Black Scholes Consideration Value, Black Scholes Value or such fair market value or such arithmetic calculation of the number of Warrant Shares (as the case may be), at any time after the second (2nd) Business Day following such initial notice by the Company or the Holder (as the case may be) of such dispute to the Company or the Holder (as the case may be), then the Holder may, at its sole option, select an independent, reputable investment bank to resolve such dispute.

(ii) The Holder and the Company shall each deliver to such investment bank (A) a copy of the initial dispute submission so delivered in accordance with the first sentence of this Section 5.16 and (B) written documentation supporting its position with respect to such dispute, in each case, no later than 5:00 p.m. (Texas time) by the fifth (5th) Business Day immediately following the date on which the Holder selected such investment bank (the “**Dispute Submission Deadline**”) (the documents referred to in the immediately preceding clauses (A) and (B) are collectively referred to herein as the “**Required Dispute Documentation**”) (it being understood and agreed that if either the Holder or the Company fails to so deliver all of the Required Dispute Documentation by the Dispute Submission Deadline, then the party who fails to so submit all of the Required Dispute Documentation shall no longer be entitled to (and hereby waives its right to) deliver or submit any written documentation or other support to such investment bank with respect to such dispute and such investment bank shall resolve such dispute based solely on the Required Dispute Documentation that was delivered to such investment bank prior to the Dispute Submission Deadline). Unless otherwise agreed to in writing by both the Company and the Holder or otherwise requested by such investment bank, neither the Company nor the Holder shall be entitled to deliver or submit any written documentation or other support to such investment bank in connection with such dispute (other than the Required Dispute Documentation).

(iii) The Company and the Holder shall cause such investment bank to determine the resolution of such dispute and notify the Company and the Holder of such resolution no later than ten (10) Business Days immediately following the Dispute Submission Deadline. The fees and expenses of such investment bank shall be borne equally by the Company and a Holder, and such investment bank’s resolution of such dispute shall be final and binding upon all parties absent manifest error.

5.16.2 Miscellaneous. The Company expressly acknowledges and agrees that (i) this Section 5.16 constitutes an agreement to arbitrate between the Company and the Holder (and constitutes an arbitration agreement), (ii) a dispute relating to the Exercise Price includes, without limitation, disputes as to (A) whether an issuance or sale or deemed issuance or sale of Common Stock occurred under Section 3.2, (B) the consideration per share at which an issuance or deemed issuance of Common Stock occurred, (C) whether any issuance or sale or deemed issuance or sale of Common Stock was an issuance or sale or deemed issuance or sale of Excluded Securities, (D) whether an agreement, instrument, security or the like constitutes and Option or Convertible Security and (E) whether a Dilutive Issuance occurred, (iii) the terms of this Warrant and each other applicable Transaction Document shall serve as the basis for the selected investment bank's resolution of the applicable dispute, such investment bank shall be entitled (and is hereby expressly authorized) to make all findings, determinations and the like that such investment bank determines are required to be made by such investment bank in connection with its resolution of such dispute (including, without limitation, determining (A) whether an issuance or sale or deemed issuance or sale of Common Stock occurred under Section 3.2, (B) the consideration per share at which an issuance or deemed issuance of Common Stock occurred, (C) whether any issuance or sale or deemed issuance or sale of Common Stock was an issuance or sale or deemed issuance or sale of Excluded Securities, (D) whether an agreement, instrument, security or the like constitutes and Option or Convertible Security and (E) whether a Dilutive Issuance occurred) and in resolving such dispute such investment bank shall apply such findings, determinations and the like to the terms of this Warrant, (iv) the Holder (and only the Holder), in its sole discretion, shall have the right to submit any dispute described in this Section 5.16 to any state or federal court sitting in Harris County, Texas, in lieu of utilizing the procedures set forth in this Section 5.16 and (v) nothing in this Section 5.16 shall limit the Holder from obtaining any injunctive relief or other equitable remedies (including, without limitation, with respect to any matters described in this Section 5.16).

(Signature Page Follows)

Common Stock Purchase Warrant # N-1

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Company has caused this Warrant to be executed by its officer thereunto duly authorized as of the date first above indicated.

LUCAS ENERGY, INC.

By: _____
Name: Anthony C. Schnur
Title: CEO

Common Stock Purchase Warrant # N-1

NOTICE OF EXERCISE

TO BE EXECUTED BY THE REGISTERED HOLDER TO EXERCISE THIS
WARRANT TO PURCHASE COMMON STOCK

LUCAS ENERGY, INC.

The undersigned holder hereby exercises the right to purchase _____ of the shares of Common Stock (“**Warrant Shares**”) of Lucas Energy, Inc., a Nevada corporation (the “**Company**”), evidenced by Warrant to Purchase Common Stock No. _____ (the “**Warrant**”). Capitalized terms used herein and not otherwise defined shall have the respective meanings set forth in the Warrant.

1. Form of Exercise Price. The Holder intends that payment of the Aggregate Exercise Price shall be made as:

a “**Cash Exercise**” with respect to _____ Warrant Shares; and/or

a “**Cashless Exercise**” with respect to _____ Warrant Shares.

2. Payment of Exercise Price. In the event that the Holder has elected a Cash Exercise with respect to some or all of the Warrant Shares to be issued pursuant hereto, the Holder shall pay the Aggregate Exercise Price in the sum of \$ _____ to the Company in accordance with the terms of the Warrant.

3. Delivery of Warrant Shares. The Company shall deliver to Holder, or its designee or agent as specified below, _____ Warrant Shares in accordance with the terms of the Warrant. Delivery shall be made to Holder, or for its benefit, as follows:

? Check here if requesting delivery as a certificate to the following name and to the following address:

Issue to: _____

? Check here if requesting delivery by Deposit/Withdrawal at Custodian as follows:

DTC Participant: _____

DTC Number: _____

Account Number: _____

Dated: _____, _____, _____

Name of Registered Holder

By: _____

Name: _____

Title: _____

Tax ID: _____

Facsimile: _____

E-mail Address: _____

ASSIGNMENT FORM

(To assign the foregoing Warrant, execute this form and supply required information. Do not use this form to purchase shares.)

FOR VALUE RECEIVED, the foregoing Warrant and all rights evidenced thereby are hereby assigned to

Name: _____
(Please Print)

Address: _____
(Please Print)

Dated: _____, _____, _____

Holder’s Signature: _____

Holder’s Address: _____

THIS NOTE, AND THE SHARES OF COMMON STOCK ISSUABLE UPON CONVERSION OF THIS NOTE (THE “SECURITIES”) HAVE BEEN ACQUIRED FOR INVESTMENT PURPOSES ONLY AND MAY NOT BE TRANSFERRED UNTIL (i) A REGISTRATION STATEMENT UNDER THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933, AS AMENDED (THE “ACT” OR THE “SECURITIES ACT”) SHALL HAVE BECOME EFFECTIVE WITH RESPECT THERETO OR (ii) RECEIPT BY THE COMPANY OF AN OPINION OF COUNSEL REASONABLY SATISFACTORY TO THE COMPANY TO THE EFFECT THAT REGISTRATION UNDER THE ACT IS NOT REQUIRED IN CONNECTION WITH SUCH PROPOSED TRANSFER NOR IS IN VIOLATION OF ANY APPLICABLE STATE SECURITIES LAWS. THIS LEGEND SHALL BE ENDORSED UPON ANY NOTE ISSUED IN EXCHANGE FOR THIS NOTE AND ANY SECURITIES ISSUABLE UPON CONVERSION OF THIS NOTE (EXCEPT AS OTHERWISE PROVIDED BELOW).

CONVERTIBLE PROMISSORY NOTE

\$300,000

March 29, 2016 to be Effective March 11, 2016

Initial Tranche Note

FOR VALUE RECEIVED, Lucas Energy, Inc., a Nevada corporation (the “**Company**”), hereby promises to pay to the order of HFT Enterprises, LLC, a Nevada limited liability company, and/or permitted assigns (the “**Holder**”), the aggregate principal amount of three hundred thousand dollars (\$300,000)(“**Principal**”), together with interest on the unpaid principal amount hereof, upon the terms and conditions hereinafter set forth.

1. **Note Amount.** This Convertible Promissory Note (this “**Note**”, “**Promissory Note**” or “**Agreement**”) evidences amounts payable by the Company to the Holder in connection with that certain Convertible Promissory Note Purchase Agreement dated on or around March 29, 2016, to be effective March 11, 2016, by and between the Company and the Holder, and specifically Initial Tranche Note thereunder (the “**Note Purchase Agreement**”). Certain capitalized terms used herein, but not otherwise defined shall have the meanings given to such terms in the Note Purchase Agreement and this Note shall be subject in all cases to the terms and conditions of the Note Purchase Agreement.
2. **Payment Terms.** The Company promises to pay to Holder the balance of Principal, together with accrued and unpaid interest (which shall accrue until the Maturity Date) on the date twelve months from the effective date set forth above (the “**Maturity Date**”), unless this Note is earlier prepaid as herein provided or earlier converted into Common Stock (as hereinafter defined) of the Company pursuant to Section 4 hereof. All payments hereunder shall be made in lawful money of the United States of America. Payment shall be credited first to the accrued interest then due and payable and the remainder to Principal.
3. **Interest.** Interest on the outstanding portion of Principal of this Note shall accrue at a rate of six percent (6%) per annum. All past-due principal and interest (which failure to pay such amounts shall be defined herein as an “**Event of Default**”) shall bear interest at the rate of fifteen percent (15%) per annum until paid in full (the “**Default Rate**”). All computations of interest shall be made on the basis of a 360-day year for actual days elapsed.

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- a. Notwithstanding any provision in this Note, the total liability for payments of interest and payments in the nature of interest, including all charges, fees, exactions, or other sums which may at any time be deemed to be interest, shall not exceed the limit imposed by the usury laws of the State of Texas or the applicable laws of the United States of America, whichever shall be higher (the “**Maximum Rate**”).
- b. In the event the total liability for payments of interest and payments in the nature of interest, including, without limitation, all charges, fees, exactions or other sums which may at any time be deemed to be interest, which for any month or other interest payment period exceeds the Maximum Rate, all sums in excess of those lawfully collectible as interest for the period in question (and without further agreement or notice by, among or to the Holder the undersigned) shall be applied to the reduction of the principal balance, with the same force and effect as though the undersigned had specifically designated such excess sums to be so applied to the reduction of the principal balance and the Holder had agreed to accept such sums as a premium-free prepayment of principal; provided, however, that the Holder may, at any time and from time to time, elect, by notice in writing to the undersigned, to waive, reduce or limit the collection of any sums in excess of those lawfully collectible as interest rather than accept such sums as a prepayment of the principal balance. The undersigned does not intend or expect to pay nor does the Holder intend or expect to charge, accept or collect any interest under this Note greater than the Maximum Rate.
- c. If any payment of principal or interest on this Note shall become due on a Saturday, Sunday or any other day on which national banks are not open for business, such payment shall be made on the next succeeding Business Day.

4. **Holder’s Option to Convert this Note.**

- a. At any time prior to the payment in full by the Company of this Note, and after the approval of the additional listing of the applicable Shares by the NYSE MKT and subject to Section 4(l) and Section 4(m) below, the Holder shall have the option to convert the unpaid balance (Principal and accrued and unpaid interest) on this Note (or any portion thereof) into shares of Common Stock (the “**Shares**” and the “**Common Stock**”) of the Company (the “**Conversion Option**”) at the Conversion Price (each a “**Conversion**”). The “**Conversion Price**” shall equal \$1.50 per Share;

- b. In order to exercise this Conversion Option, the Holder shall surrender this Promissory Note to the Company, accompanied by written notice of its intentions to exercise this Conversion Option, which notice shall set forth the amount of this Promissory Note to be converted, and the Shares due, which shall be in the form of Exhibit A, attached hereto (“**Notice of Conversion**”). The date that the Company receives the Notice of Conversion shall be defined as the “**Conversion Date.**” Within ten (10) Business Days of the Company’s receipt of the Notice of Conversion and this Note, the Company shall deliver or cause to be delivered to the Holder, written confirmation that the Shares have been issued in the name of the Holder (the “**Share Delivery Deadline**”). Notwithstanding anything to the contrary set forth in this Section 4, following conversion of any portion of this Note in accordance with the terms hereof, the Holder shall not be required to physically surrender this Note to the Company unless (A) the full amount of the Note is being converted (in which event this Note shall be delivered to the Company following conversion thereof) or (B) the Holder has provided the Company with prior written notice (which notice may be included in a Notice of Conversion) requesting reissuance of this Note upon physical surrender of this Note. The Holder and the Company shall maintain records showing the principal and interest converted and/or paid and/or adjusted (as the case may be) and the dates of such conversions and/or payments and/or adjustments (as the case may be) or shall use such other method, reasonably satisfactory to the Holder and the Company, so as not to require physical surrender of this Note upon conversion;
- c. If for any reason (including the operation of the adjustment provisions set forth in this Note), the Conversion Price on any date of Conversion of this Note shall not be lawful and adequate consideration for the issuance of the relevant Shares, then the Company shall take such steps as are necessary (including the amendment of its certificate of incorporation so as to reduce the par value of the Common Stock) to cause such Conversion Price to be adequate and lawful consideration on the date the payment thereof is due, but if the Company shall fail to take such steps, then the Company acknowledges that the Holder shall have been damaged by the Company in an amount equal to an amount, which, when added to the total Conversion Price for the relevant Shares, would equal lawful and adequate consideration for the issuance of such Shares, and the Company irrevocably agrees that if the Holder shall then forgive the right to recover such damages from the Company, such forgiveness shall constitute, and Company shall accept such forgiveness as, additional lawful consideration for the issuance of the relevant Shares;
- d. The Company shall at all times take any and all additional actions as are necessary to maintain the required authority to issue the Shares to the Holder, in the event the Holder exercises its rights under the Conversion Option;
- e. Payment of the Note in full by the Company prior to Holder’s delivery of a Notice of Conversion shall terminate Holder’s option to convert;
- f. Conversion calculations pursuant to this Section 4, shall be rounded to the nearest whole share of Common Stock, and no fractional shares shall be issuable by the Company upon conversion of this Note. Conversion of this Note in full shall be deemed payment in full of this Note and this Note shall thereupon be cancelled;

- g. If the Company at any time or from time to time on or after the effective date of the issuance of this Note (the “**Original Issuance Date**”) effects a subdivision of its outstanding Common Stock, the Conversion Price then in effect immediately before that subdivision shall be proportionately decreased, and conversely, if the Company at any time or from time to time on or after the Original Issuance Date combines its outstanding shares of Common Stock into a smaller number of shares, the Conversion Price then in effect immediately before the combination shall be proportionately increased;
- h. All Shares of Common Stock which may be issued upon Conversion of this Note will, upon issuance by the Company in accordance with the terms of this Note, be validly issued, free from all taxes and liens with respect to the issuance thereof (other than those created by the holders), free from all pre-emptive or similar rights and be fully paid and non-assessable;
- i. On the date of any Conversion, all rights of any Holder with respect to the amount of this Note converted, will terminate, except only for the rights of any such Holder to receive certificates (if applicable) for the number of Shares of Common Stock which this Note has been Converted;
- j. Unless the Shares are eligible to be issued as free trading shares pursuant to the requirements of Rule 144 or otherwise, which shall be determined by the Company in its reasonable discretion, prior to the issuance date of such Shares, such Shares shall be issued as restricted shares of Common Stock; and
- k. The Company shall not be required to pay any tax allocated or attributed to Holder which may be payable in respect to any transfer involved in the issue and delivery of shares of Common Stock upon Conversion in a name other than that in which the shares of the Note so converted were registered, and no such issue or delivery shall be made unless and until the person requesting such issue or delivery has paid to the Company the amount of any such tax, or has established, to the satisfaction of the Company, that such tax has been paid. The Company shall withhold from any payment due whatsoever in connection with the Note any and all required withholdings and/or taxes the Company, in its sole discretion, deems reasonable or necessary, absent an opinion from Holder’s accountant or legal counsel, acceptable to the Company in its sole determination, that such withholdings and/or taxes are not required to be withheld by the Company.

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- l. The applicable portion of this Note shall not be convertible during any time that, and only to the extent that, the number of Shares to be issued to Holder upon such Conversion, when added to the number of shares of Common Stock, if any, that the Holder otherwise beneficially owns (outside of this Note, and not including any other securities of the Company held by Holder having a provision substantially similar to this paragraph) at the time of such Conversion, would exceed 9.99% (the “**Maximum Percentage**”) of the number of shares of Common Stock of the Company outstanding immediately after giving effect to the issuance of shares of Common Stock issuable upon Conversion of this Note held by the Holder, as determined in accordance with Section 13(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the “**Beneficial Ownership Limitation**”). The Beneficial Ownership Limitation provisions of this Section 4(l) may be waived by Holder, at the election of such Holder, upon not less than sixty-one (61) days prior written notice to the Company, to change the Beneficial Ownership Limitation to any other percentage of the number of shares of the Common Stock outstanding immediately after giving effect to the issuance of shares of Common Stock upon Conversion of the Note held by the Holder. The provisions of this paragraph shall not be construed and implemented in a manner otherwise than in strict conformity with the terms of this Section 4(l) to correct this paragraph (or any portion hereof) which may be defective or inconsistent with the intended Beneficial Ownership Limitation herein contained or to make changes or supplements necessary or desirable to properly give effect to such limitation.
- m. Notwithstanding anything herein to the contrary, the maximum number of shares of Common Stock to be issued in connection with (a) the Conversion of this Note, and any other Notes issued in connection with the Note Purchase Agreement (“**Other Notes**”); and (b) the exercise of the Warrants granted pursuant to the Note Purchase Agreement, shall not (i) exceed 19.9% of the outstanding shares of Common Stock immediately prior to the date of the Note Purchase Agreement, (ii) exceed 19.9% of the combined voting power of the then outstanding voting securities of the Company immediately prior to the date of the Note Purchase Agreement, in each of subsections (i) and (ii) before the issuance of the Common Stock upon conversion of this Note or the Other Notes or exercise of the Warrants, or (iii) otherwise exceed such number of shares of Common Stock that would violate applicable listing rules of the NYSE MKT in the event the Company’s shareholders do not approve the issuance of the Common Stock upon the conversion of this Note or the Other Notes and exercise of the Warrants, in each of (i) through (iii), only to the extent required by applicable NYSE MKT rules and guidance (the “**Share Cap**”). In the event the number of shares of Common Stock to be issued upon conversion of this Note or the Other Notes and/or exercise of the Warrants exceeds the Share Cap, then this Note and the Other Notes, or applicable portions thereof shall cease being convertible, the Warrants or applicable portions thereof shall cease being exercisable, and the Company shall instead repay such Note and Other Notes (or portions thereof) in cash, and such Warrants shall have no further rights, or if required, the Company shall first obtain the Stockholder Approval (as defined in the Note Purchase Agreement).

5. **Redemption.** This Note may be redeemed by the Company by payment of the entire Principal and interest outstanding under this Note in cash to Holder.
- a. This Note may be prepaid in whole or in part at any time without penalty with ten days' notice to the Holder (provided no notice shall be required in the event the Holder doesn't timely purchase the Third Tranche Note as defined in the Note Purchase Agreement).
 - b. Any partial prepayment shall be applied first to any accrued interest and then to any principal Loan amount outstanding.
6. **Events of Default.** If an Event of Default (as defined herein or below) occurs (unless all Events of Default have been cured or waived by Holder), Holder may, by written notice to the Company, declare the principal amount then outstanding of, and the accrued interest and all other amounts payable on, this Note to be immediately due and payable. The following events shall constitute Events of Default ("Events of Default") under this Note, and/or any other Event of Default defined elsewhere in this Note shall occur:
- (a) the Company shall fail to pay, when and as due, the Principal or interest payable hereunder (or under any other outstanding Convertible Note issued by the Company and held by Holder); or
 - (b) If there shall exist final judgments against the Company aggregating in excess of One Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$100,000) and if any one of such judgments shall have been outstanding for any period of forty-five (45) days or more from the date of its entry and shall not have been discharged in full, released or stayed pending appeal; or
 - (c) the Company shall have breached in any respect any term, condition, warrant, representation or covenant in this Note or the Note Purchase Agreement, and, with respect to breaches capable of being cured, such breach shall not have been cured within fifteen (15) days following the receipt of written notice of such breach by the Holder to the Company; or
 - (d) the Company shall fail to comply with the reporting requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), at any time the Company is subject to the Exchange Act; or
 - (e) the Company shall cease to be subject to the reporting requirements of the Exchange Act; or
 - (f) the Company shall: (i) make an assignment for the benefit of creditors, file a petition in bankruptcy, petition or apply to any tribunal for the appointment of a custodian, receiver or a trustee for it or a substantial portion of its assets; (ii) commence any proceeding under any bankruptcy, reorganization, arrangement, readjustment of debt, dissolution or liquidation or statute of any jurisdiction, whether now or hereafter in effect; (iii) have filed against it any such petition or application in which an order for relief is entered or which remains undismissed for a period of ninety (90) days or more; (iv) indicate its consent to, approval of or acquiescence in any such petition, application, proceeding or order for relief or the appointment of a custodian, receiver or trustee for it or a substantial portion of its assets; or (v) suffer any such custodianship, receivership or trusteeship to continue undischarged for a period of ninety (90) days or more; or
 - (g) the Company shall take any action authorizing, or in furtherance of, any of the foregoing

In case any one or more Events of Default shall occur and be continuing, Holder may proceed to protect and enforce its rights by an action at law, suit in equity or other appropriate proceeding, whether for the specific performance of any agreement contained herein or for an injunction against a violation of any of the terms hereof, or in aid of the exercise of any power granted hereby or thereby or by law or otherwise. In case of a default in the payment of any principal of or premium, if any, or interest on this Note, the Company will pay to Holder such further amount as shall be sufficient to cover the reasonable cost and expenses of collection, including, without limitation, reasonable attorneys' fees, expenses and disbursements. No course of dealing and no delay on the part of Holder in exercising any right, power or remedy shall operate as a waiver thereof or otherwise prejudice Holder's rights, powers or remedies. No right, power or remedy conferred by this Note upon Holder shall be exclusive of any other right, power or remedy referred to herein or therein or now or hereafter available at law, in equity, by statute or otherwise.

7. **Certain Waivers by the Company.** Except as expressly provided otherwise in this Note, the Company and every endorser or guarantor, if any, of this Note waive presentment, demand, notice, protest and all other demands and notices in connection with the delivery, acceptance, performance, default or enforcement of this Note, and assent to any extension or postponement of the time of payment or any other indulgence, to any substitution, exchange or release of collateral available to Holder, if any, and to the addition or release of any other party or person primarily or secondarily liable.
8. **Assignment by Holder.** If and whenever this Note shall be assigned and transferred, or negotiated, including transfers to substitute or successor trustees, in each case subject to applicable law and an exemption from registration for such transfer, which shall be reasonably approved, and not unreasonably delayed or conditioned by the Company. Notwithstanding the above, the Holder may assign any of its rights under this Note (subject where applicable to federal securities laws), to any Person (including, but not limited to Affiliates or related parties of the Holder), with written notice to the Company and the Company shall have no ability to restrict or condition such assignment (subject where applicable to compliance with applicable federal securities laws).
9. **Amendment.** This Note may not be changed orally, but only by an agreement in writing, signed by the party against whom enforcement of any waiver, change, modification or discharge is sought.

10. **Costs and Fees.** Anything else in this Note to the contrary notwithstanding, in any action arising out of this Agreement, the prevailing party shall be entitled to collect from the non-prevailing party all of its attorneys' fees. For the purposes of this Note, the party who receives or is awarded a substantial portion of the damages or claims sought in any proceeding shall be deemed the "**prevailing**" party and attorneys' fees shall mean the reasonable fees charged by an attorney or a law firm for legal services and the services of any legal assistants, and costs of litigation, including, but not limited to, fees and costs at trial and appellate levels.
11. **Governing Law.** It is the intention of the parties hereto that the terms and provisions of this Note are to be construed in accordance with and governed by the laws of the State of Texas, except as such laws may be preempted by any federal law controlling the rate of interest which may be charged on account of this Note.
12. **No Third Party Benefit.** The provisions and covenants set forth in this Agreement are made solely for the benefit of the parties to this Agreement and are not for the benefit of any other person.
13. **Jurisdiction, Venue and Jury Trial Waiver.** The parties hereby consent and agree that, in any actions predicated upon this Note, venue is properly laid in Texas and that the Circuit Court in and for Houston, Texas, shall have full subject matter and personal jurisdiction over the parties to determine all issues arising out of or in connection with the execution and enforcement of this Note.
14. **Interpretation.** The term "**Company**" as used herein in every instance shall include the Company's successors, legal representatives and assigns, including all subsequent grantees, either voluntarily by act of the Company or involuntarily by operation of law and shall denote the singular and/or plural and the masculine and/or feminine and natural and/or artificial persons, whenever and wherever the contexts so requires or properly applies. The term "**Holder**" as used herein in every instance shall include the Holder's successors, legal representatives and assigns, as well as all subsequent assignees, endorsees and holders of this Note (subject to the provisions of this Note providing for transfers and assignments by Holder), either voluntarily by act of the parties or involuntarily by operation of law. Captions and paragraph headings in this Note are for convenience only and shall not affect its interpretation. In this Agreement words importing the singular number include the plural and vice versa; words importing the masculine gender include the feminine and neuter genders and visa versa. The word "**person**" includes an individual, body corporate, partnership, trustee or trust or unincorporated association, executor, administrator or legal representative.

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15. **WAIVER OF JURY TRIAL.** THE COMPANY AND HOLDER HEREBY KNOWINGLY, VOLUNTARILY AND INTENTIONALLY WAIVE THE RIGHT EITHER MAY HAVE TO TRIAL BY JURY IN RESPECT TO ANY LITIGATION BASED HEREON, OR ARISING OUT OF, UNDER OR IN CONNECTION WITH THIS NOTE AND ANY AGREEMENT CONTEMPLATED TO BE EXECUTED IN CONJUNCTION HERewith, OR ANY COURSE OF CONDUCT, COURSE OF DEALING, STATEMENTS, (WHETHER VERBAL OR WRITTEN) OR ACTIONS OF EITHER PARTY. THE COMPANY ACKNOWLEDGES THAT THIS WAIVER OF JURY TRIAL IS A MATERIAL INDUCEMENT TO THE HOLDER IN EXTENDING CREDIT TO THE COMPANY, THAT THE HOLDER WOULD NOT HAVE EXTENDED SUCH CREDIT WITHOUT THIS JURY TRIAL WAIVER, AND THAT THE COMPANY HAS BEEN REPRESENTED BY AN ATTORNEY OR HAS HAD AN OPPORTUNITY TO CONSULT WITH AN ATTORNEY IN CONNECTION WITH THIS JURY TRIAL WAIVER AND UNDERSTANDS THE LEGAL EFFECT OF THIS WAIVER.
16. **Entire Agreement.** This Agreement and the Note Purchase Agreement constitutes the sole and only agreement of the parties hereto and supersedes any prior understanding or written or oral agreements between the parties respecting the subject matter hereof.
17. **Effect of Facsimile and Photocopied Signatures.** This Agreement may be executed in several counterparts, each of which is an original. It shall not be necessary in making proof of this Agreement or any counterpart hereof to produce or account for any of the other counterparts. A copy of this Agreement signed by one Party and faxed or scanned and emailed to another Party (as a PDF or similar image file) shall be deemed to have been executed and delivered by the signing Party as though an original. A photocopy or PDF of this Agreement shall be effective as an original for all purposes.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Company has caused this Convertible Promissory Note to be executed and delivered by a duly authorized officer as of the date first above written, to be effective as of the effective date set forth above.

LUCAS ENERGY, INC.

By: /s/ Anthony C. Schnur
Anthony C. Schnur
Chief Executive Officer

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Conversion Election Form

_____, 20__

Lucas Energy, Inc.

Re: Conversion of Promissory Note

Gentlemen:

You are hereby notified that, pursuant to, and upon the terms and conditions of that certain Convertible Promissory Note Initial Tranche Note of Lucas Energy, Inc. (the “**Company**”), in the initial principal amount of \$300,000 (the “**Note**”), held by us, we hereby elect to exercise our Conversion Option (as such term is defined in the Note), in connection with \$_____ of the amount currently owed under the Note (including \$_____ of accrued interest), effective as of the date of this writing, which amount will convert into _____ shares of the Company’s Common Stock (the “**Conversion**”), based on the Conversion Price (as defined and described in the Note). In connection with the Conversion, we hereby re-certify, re-confirm and re-warrant the Representations as set forth in that certain Convertible Promissory Note Purchase Agreement dated on or around March 29, 2016, to be effective March 11, 2016, by and between the Company and HFT Enterprises, LLC and further confirm and acknowledge that conversion will not result in us exceeding the Beneficial Ownership Percentage or Share Cap set forth in the Note.

Please issue certificate(s) for the applicable shares of the Company’s Common Stock issuable upon the Conversion, in the name of the person provided below.

Very truly yours,

Name:

If on behalf of Entity:

Entity Name: _____

Signatory’s Position with Entity:

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Please issue certificate(s) for Common Stock as follows:

Name

Address

Social Security No./EIN of Shareholder

Please send the certificate(s) evidencing the Common Stock to:

Attn: _____

Address: _____

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THIS NOTE, AND THE SHARES OF COMMON STOCK ISSUABLE UPON CONVERSION OF THIS NOTE (THE “SECURITIES”) HAVE BEEN ACQUIRED FOR INVESTMENT PURPOSES ONLY AND MAY NOT BE TRANSFERRED UNTIL (i) A REGISTRATION STATEMENT UNDER THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933, AS AMENDED (THE “ACT” OR THE “SECURITIES ACT”) SHALL HAVE BECOME EFFECTIVE WITH RESPECT THERETO OR (ii) RECEIPT BY THE COMPANY OF AN OPINION OF COUNSEL REASONABLY SATISFACTORY TO THE COMPANY TO THE EFFECT THAT REGISTRATION UNDER THE ACT IS NOT REQUIRED IN CONNECTION WITH SUCH PROPOSED TRANSFER NOR IS IN VIOLATION OF ANY APPLICABLE STATE SECURITIES LAWS. THIS LEGEND SHALL BE ENDORSED UPON ANY NOTE ISSUED IN EXCHANGE FOR THIS NOTE AND ANY SECURITIES ISSUABLE UPON CONVERSION OF THIS NOTE (EXCEPT AS OTHERWISE PROVIDED BELOW).

CONVERTIBLE PROMISSORY NOTE

\$150,000

March 29, 2016 to be Effective March 25, 2016

Second Tranche Note

FOR VALUE RECEIVED, Lucas Energy, Inc., a Nevada corporation (the “Company”), hereby promises to pay to the order of HFT Enterprises, LLC, a Nevada limited liability company, and/or permitted assigns (the “Holder”), the aggregate principal amount of one hundred and fifty thousand dollars (\$150,000)(“Principal”), together with interest on the unpaid principal amount hereof, upon the terms and conditions hereinafter set forth.

1. **Note Amount.** This Convertible Promissory Note (this “Note”, “Promissory Note” or “Agreement”) evidences amounts payable by the Company to the Holder in connection with that certain Convertible Promissory Note Purchase Agreement dated on or around March 29, 2016, to be effective March 11, 2016, by and between the Company and the Holder, and specifically Second Tranche Note thereunder (the “Note Purchase Agreement”). Certain capitalized terms used herein, but not otherwise defined shall have the meanings given to such terms in the Note Purchase Agreement and this Note shall be subject in all cases to the terms and conditions of the Note Purchase Agreement.
2. **Payment Terms.** The Company promises to pay to Holder the balance of Principal, together with accrued and unpaid interest (which shall accrue until the Maturity Date) on the date twelve months from the effective date set forth above (the “Maturity Date”), unless this Note is earlier prepaid as herein provided or earlier converted into Common Stock (as hereinafter defined) of the Company pursuant to Section 4 hereof. All payments hereunder shall be made in lawful money of the United States of America. Payment shall be credited first to the accrued interest then due and payable and the remainder to Principal.
3. **Interest.** Interest on the outstanding portion of Principal of this Note shall accrue at a rate of six percent (6%) per annum. All past-due principal and interest (which failure to pay such amounts shall be defined herein as an “Event of Default”) shall bear interest at the rate of fifteen percent (15%) per annum until paid in full (the “Default Rate”). All computations of interest shall be made on the basis of a 360-day year for actual days elapsed.

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- a. Notwithstanding any provision in this Note, the total liability for payments of interest and payments in the nature of interest, including all charges, fees, exactions, or other sums which may at any time be deemed to be interest, shall not exceed the limit imposed by the usury laws of the State of Texas or the applicable laws of the United States of America, whichever shall be higher (the “**Maximum Rate**”).
- b. In the event the total liability for payments of interest and payments in the nature of interest, including, without limitation, all charges, fees, exactions or other sums which may at any time be deemed to be interest, which for any month or other interest payment period exceeds the Maximum Rate, all sums in excess of those lawfully collectible as interest for the period in question (and without further agreement or notice by, among or to the Holder the undersigned) shall be applied to the reduction of the principal balance, with the same force and effect as though the undersigned had specifically designated such excess sums to be so applied to the reduction of the principal balance and the Holder had agreed to accept such sums as a premium-free prepayment of principal; provided, however, that the Holder may, at any time and from time to time, elect, by notice in writing to the undersigned, to waive, reduce or limit the collection of any sums in excess of those lawfully collectible as interest rather than accept such sums as a prepayment of the principal balance. The undersigned does not intend or expect to pay nor does the Holder intend or expect to charge, accept or collect any interest under this Note greater than the Maximum Rate.
- c. If any payment of principal or interest on this Note shall become due on a Saturday, Sunday or any other day on which national banks are not open for business, such payment shall be made on the next succeeding Business Day.

4. **Holder’s Option to Convert this Note.**

- a. At any time prior to the payment in full by the Company of this Note, and after the approval of the additional listing of the applicable Shares by the NYSE MKT and subject to Section 4(l) and Section 4(m) below, the Holder shall have the option to convert the unpaid balance (Principal and accrued and unpaid interest) on this Note (or any portion thereof) into shares of Common Stock (the “**Shares**” and the “**Common Stock**”) of the Company (the “**Conversion Option**”) at the Conversion Price (each a “**Conversion**”). The “**Conversion Price**” shall equal \$1.50 per Share;

- b. In order to exercise this Conversion Option, the Holder shall surrender this Promissory Note to the Company, accompanied by written notice of its intentions to exercise this Conversion Option, which notice shall set forth the amount of this Promissory Note to be converted, and the Shares due, which shall be in the form of Exhibit A, attached hereto ("**Notice of Conversion**"). The date that the Company receives the Notice of Conversion shall be defined as the "**Conversion Date.**" Within ten (10) Business Days of the Company's receipt of the Notice of Conversion and this Note, the Company shall deliver or cause to be delivered to the Holder, written confirmation that the Shares have been issued in the name of the Holder (the "**Share Delivery Deadline**"). Notwithstanding anything to the contrary set forth in this Section 4, following conversion of any portion of this Note in accordance with the terms hereof, the Holder shall not be required to physically surrender this Note to the Company unless (A) the full amount of the Note is being converted (in which event this Note shall be delivered to the Company following conversion thereof) or (B) the Holder has provided the Company with prior written notice (which notice may be included in a Notice of Conversion) requesting reissuance of this Note upon physical surrender of this Note. The Holder and the Company shall maintain records showing the principal and interest converted and/or paid and/or adjusted (as the case may be) and the dates of such conversions and/or payments and/or adjustments (as the case may be) or shall use such other method, reasonably satisfactory to the Holder and the Company, so as not to require physical surrender of this Note upon conversion;
- c. If for any reason (including the operation of the adjustment provisions set forth in this Note), the Conversion Price on any date of Conversion of this Note shall not be lawful and adequate consideration for the issuance of the relevant Shares, then the Company shall take such steps as are necessary (including the amendment of its certificate of incorporation so as to reduce the par value of the Common Stock) to cause such Conversion Price to be adequate and lawful consideration on the date the payment thereof is due, but if the Company shall fail to take such steps, then the Company acknowledges that the Holder shall have been damaged by the Company in an amount equal to an amount, which, when added to the total Conversion Price for the relevant Shares, would equal lawful and adequate consideration for the issuance of such Shares, and the Company irrevocably agrees that if the Holder shall then forgive the right to recover such damages from the Company, such forgiveness shall constitute, and Company shall accept such forgiveness as, additional lawful consideration for the issuance of the relevant Shares;
- d. The Company shall at all times take any and all additional actions as are necessary to maintain the required authority to issue the Shares to the Holder, in the event the Holder exercises its rights under the Conversion Option;
- e. Payment of the Note in full by the Company prior to Holder's delivery of a Notice of Conversion shall terminate Holder's option to convert;
- f. Conversion calculations pursuant to this Section 4, shall be rounded to the nearest whole share of Common Stock, and no fractional shares shall be issuable by the Company upon conversion of this Note. Conversion of this Note in full shall be deemed payment in full of this Note and this Note shall thereupon be cancelled;

- g. If the Company at any time or from time to time on or after the effective date of the issuance of this Note (the “**Original Issuance Date**”) effects a subdivision of its outstanding Common Stock, the Conversion Price then in effect immediately before that subdivision shall be proportionately decreased, and conversely, if the Company at any time or from time to time on or after the Original Issuance Date combines its outstanding shares of Common Stock into a smaller number of shares, the Conversion Price then in effect immediately before the combination shall be proportionately increased;
- h. All Shares of Common Stock which may be issued upon Conversion of this Note will, upon issuance by the Company in accordance with the terms of this Note, be validly issued, free from all taxes and liens with respect to the issuance thereof (other than those created by the holders), free from all pre-emptive or similar rights and be fully paid and non-assessable;
- i. On the date of any Conversion, all rights of any Holder with respect to the amount of this Note converted, will terminate, except only for the rights of any such Holder to receive certificates (if applicable) for the number of Shares of Common Stock which this Note has been Converted;
- j. Unless the Shares are eligible to be issued as free trading shares pursuant to the requirements of Rule 144 or otherwise, which shall be determined by the Company in its reasonable discretion, prior to the issuance date of such Shares, such Shares shall be issued as restricted shares of Common Stock; and
- k. The Company shall not be required to pay any tax allocated or attributed to Holder which may be payable in respect to any transfer involved in the issue and delivery of shares of Common Stock upon Conversion in a name other than that in which the shares of the Note so converted were registered, and no such issue or delivery shall be made unless and until the person requesting such issue or delivery has paid to the Company the amount of any such tax, or has established, to the satisfaction of the Company, that such tax has been paid. The Company shall withhold from any payment due whatsoever in connection with the Note any and all required withholdings and/or taxes the Company, in its sole discretion, deems reasonable or necessary, absent an opinion from Holder’s accountant or legal counsel, acceptable to the Company in its sole determination, that such withholdings and/or taxes are not required to be withheld by the Company.

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- l. The applicable portion of this Note shall not be convertible during any time that, and only to the extent that, the number of Shares to be issued to Holder upon such Conversion, when added to the number of shares of Common Stock, if any, that the Holder otherwise beneficially owns (outside of this Note, and not including any other securities of the Company held by Holder having a provision substantially similar to this paragraph) at the time of such Conversion, would exceed 9.99% (the “**Maximum Percentage**”) of the number of shares of Common Stock of the Company outstanding immediately after giving effect to the issuance of shares of Common Stock issuable upon Conversion of this Note held by the Holder, as determined in accordance with Section 13(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the “**Beneficial Ownership Limitation**”). The Beneficial Ownership Limitation provisions of this Section 4(l) may be waived by Holder, at the election of such Holder, upon not less than sixty-one (61) days prior written notice to the Company, to change the Beneficial Ownership Limitation to any other percentage of the number of shares of the Common Stock outstanding immediately after giving effect to the issuance of shares of Common Stock upon Conversion of the Note held by the Holder. The provisions of this paragraph shall not be construed and implemented in a manner otherwise than in strict conformity with the terms of this Section 4(l) to correct this paragraph (or any portion hereof) which may be defective or inconsistent with the intended Beneficial Ownership Limitation herein contained or to make changes or supplements necessary or desirable to properly give effect to such limitation.
- m. Notwithstanding anything herein to the contrary, the maximum number of shares of Common Stock to be issued in connection with (a) the Conversion of this Note, and any other Notes issued in connection with the Note Purchase Agreement (“**Other Notes**”); and (b) the exercise of the Warrants granted pursuant to the Note Purchase Agreement, shall not (i) exceed 19.9% of the outstanding shares of Common Stock immediately prior to the date of the Note Purchase Agreement, (ii) exceed 19.9% of the combined voting power of the then outstanding voting securities of the Company immediately prior to the date of the Note Purchase Agreement, in each of subsections (i) and (ii) before the issuance of the Common Stock upon conversion of this Note or the Other Notes or exercise of the Warrants, or (iii) otherwise exceed such number of shares of Common Stock that would violate applicable listing rules of the NYSE MKT in the event the Company’s shareholders do not approve the issuance of the Common Stock upon the conversion of this Note or the Other Notes and exercise of the Warrants, in each of (i) through (iii), only to the extent required by applicable NYSE MKT rules and guidance (the “**Share Cap**”). In the event the number of shares of Common Stock to be issued upon conversion of this Note or the Other Notes and/or exercise of the Warrants exceeds the Share Cap, then this Note and the Other Notes, or applicable portions thereof shall cease being convertible, the Warrants or applicable portions thereof shall cease being exercisable, and the Company shall instead repay such Note and Other Notes (or portions thereof) in cash, and such Warrants shall have no further rights, or if required, the Company shall first obtain the Stockholder Approval (as defined in the Note Purchase Agreement).

5. **Redemption.** This Note may be redeemed by the Company by payment of the entire Principal and interest outstanding under this Note in cash to Holder.
- a. This Note may be prepaid in whole or in part at any time without penalty with ten days' notice to the Holder (provided no notice shall be required in the event the Holder doesn't timely purchase the Third Tranche Note as defined in the Note Purchase Agreement).
 - b. Any partial prepayment shall be applied first to any accrued interest and then to any principal Loan amount outstanding.
6. **Events of Default.** If an Event of Default (as defined herein or below) occurs (unless all Events of Default have been cured or waived by Holder), Holder may, by written notice to the Company, declare the principal amount then outstanding of, and the accrued interest and all other amounts payable on, this Note to be immediately due and payable. The following events shall constitute Events of Default ("**Events of Default**") under this Note, and/or any other Event of Default defined elsewhere in this Note shall occur:
- (a) the Company shall fail to pay, when and as due, the Principal or interest payable hereunder (or under any other outstanding Convertible Note issued by the Company and held by Holder); or
 - (b) If there shall exist final judgments against the Company aggregating in excess of One Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$100,000) and if any one of such judgments shall have been outstanding for any period of forty-five (45) days or more from the date of its entry and shall not have been discharged in full, released or stayed pending appeal; or
 - (c) the Company shall have breached in any respect any term, condition, warrant, representation or covenant in this Note or the Note Purchase Agreement, and, with respect to breaches capable of being cured, such breach shall not have been cured within fifteen (15) days following the receipt of written notice of such breach by the Holder to the Company; or
 - (d) the Company shall fail to comply with the reporting requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "**Exchange Act**"), at any time the Company is subject to the Exchange Act; or
 - (e) the Company shall cease to be subject to the reporting requirements of the Exchange Act; or
 - (f) the Company shall: (i) make an assignment for the benefit of creditors, file a petition in bankruptcy, petition or apply to any tribunal for the appointment of a custodian, receiver or a trustee for it or a substantial portion of its assets; (ii) commence any proceeding under any bankruptcy, reorganization, arrangement, readjustment of debt, dissolution or liquidation or statute of any jurisdiction, whether now or hereafter in effect; (iii) have filed against it any such petition or application in which an order for relief is entered or which remains undismissed for a period of ninety (90) days or more; (iv) indicate its consent to, approval of or acquiescence in any such petition, application, proceeding or order for relief or the appointment of a custodian, receiver or trustee for it or a substantial portion of its assets; or (v) suffer any such custodianship, receivership or trusteeship to continue undischarged for a period of ninety (90) days or more; or
 - (g) the Company shall take any action authorizing, or in furtherance of, any of the foregoing.

In case any one or more Events of Default shall occur and be continuing, Holder may proceed to protect and enforce its rights by an action at law, suit in equity or other appropriate proceeding, whether for the specific performance of any agreement contained herein or for an injunction against a violation of any of the terms hereof, or in aid of the exercise of any power granted hereby or thereby or by law or otherwise. In case of a default in the payment of any principal of or premium, if any, or interest on this Note, the Company will pay to Holder such further amount as shall be sufficient to cover the reasonable cost and expenses of collection, including, without limitation, reasonable attorneys' fees, expenses and disbursements. No course of dealing and no delay on the part of Holder in exercising any right, power or remedy shall operate as a waiver thereof or otherwise prejudice Holder's rights, powers or remedies. No right, power or remedy conferred by this Note upon Holder shall be exclusive of any other right, power or remedy referred to herein or therein or now or hereafter available at law, in equity, by statute or otherwise.

7. **Certain Waivers by the Company.** Except as expressly provided otherwise in this Note, the Company and every endorser or guarantor, if any, of this Note waive presentment, demand, notice, protest and all other demands and notices in connection with the delivery, acceptance, performance, default or enforcement of this Note, and assent to any extension or postponement of the time of payment or any other indulgence, to any substitution, exchange or release of collateral available to Holder, if any, and to the addition or release of any other party or person primarily or secondarily liable.
8. **Assignment by Holder.** If and whenever this Note shall be assigned and transferred, or negotiated, including transfers to substitute or successor trustees, in each case subject to applicable law and an exemption from registration for such transfer, which shall be reasonably approved, and not unreasonably delayed or conditioned by the Company. Notwithstanding the above, the Holder may assign any of its rights under this Note (subject where applicable to federal securities laws), to any Person (including, but not limited to Affiliates or related parties of the Holder), with written notice to the Company and the Company shall have no ability to restrict or condition such assignment (subject where applicable to compliance with applicable federal securities laws).
9. **Amendment.** This Note may not be changed orally, but only by an agreement in writing, signed by the party against whom enforcement of any waiver, change, modification or discharge is sought.

10. **Costs and Fees.** Anything else in this Note to the contrary notwithstanding, in any action arising out of this Agreement, the prevailing party shall be entitled to collect from the non-prevailing party all of its attorneys' fees. For the purposes of this Note, the party who receives or is awarded a substantial portion of the damages or claims sought in any proceeding shall be deemed the "**prevailing**" party and attorneys' fees shall mean the reasonable fees charged by an attorney or a law firm for legal services and the services of any legal assistants, and costs of litigation, including, but not limited to, fees and costs at trial and appellate levels.
11. **Governing Law.** It is the intention of the parties hereto that the terms and provisions of this Note are to be construed in accordance with and governed by the laws of the State of Texas, except as such laws may be preempted by any federal law controlling the rate of interest which may be charged on account of this Note.
12. **No Third Party Benefit.** The provisions and covenants set forth in this Agreement are made solely for the benefit of the parties to this Agreement and are not for the benefit of any other person.
13. **Jurisdiction, Venue and Jury Trial Waiver.** The parties hereby consent and agree that, in any actions predicated upon this Note, venue is properly laid in Texas and that the Circuit Court in and for Houston, Texas, shall have full subject matter and personal jurisdiction over the parties to determine all issues arising out of or in connection with the execution and enforcement of this Note.
14. **Interpretation.** The term "**Company**" as used herein in every instance shall include the Company's successors, legal representatives and assigns, including all subsequent grantees, either voluntarily by act of the Company or involuntarily by operation of law and shall denote the singular and/or plural and the masculine and/or feminine and natural and/or artificial persons, whenever and wherever the contexts so requires or properly applies. The term "**Holder**" as used herein in every instance shall include the Holder's successors, legal representatives and assigns, as well as all subsequent assignees, endorsees and holders of this Note (subject to the provisions of this Note providing for transfers and assignments by Holder), either voluntarily by act of the parties or involuntarily by operation of law. Captions and paragraph headings in this Note are for convenience only and shall not affect its interpretation. In this Agreement words importing the singular number include the plural and vice versa; words importing the masculine gender include the feminine and neuter genders and visa versa. The word "**person**" includes an individual, body corporate, partnership, trustee or trust or unincorporated association, executor, administrator or legal representative.

15. **WAIVER OF JURY TRIAL.** THE COMPANY AND HOLDER HEREBY KNOWINGLY, VOLUNTARILY AND INTENTIONALLY WAIVE THE RIGHT EITHER MAY HAVE TO TRIAL BY JURY IN RESPECT TO ANY LITIGATION BASED HEREON, OR ARISING OUT OF, UNDER OR IN CONNECTION WITH THIS NOTE AND ANY AGREEMENT CONTEMPLATED TO BE EXECUTED IN CONJUNCTION HERewith, OR ANY COURSE OF CONDUCT, COURSE OF DEALING, STATEMENTS, (WHETHER VERBAL OR WRITTEN) OR ACTIONS OF EITHER PARTY. THE COMPANY ACKNOWLEDGES THAT THIS WAIVER OF JURY TRIAL IS A MATERIAL INDUCEMENT TO THE HOLDER IN EXTENDING CREDIT TO THE COMPANY, THAT THE HOLDER WOULD NOT HAVE EXTENDED SUCH CREDIT WITHOUT THIS JURY TRIAL WAIVER, AND THAT THE COMPANY HAS BEEN REPRESENTED BY AN ATTORNEY OR HAS HAD AN OPPORTUNITY TO CONSULT WITH AN ATTORNEY IN CONNECTION WITH THIS JURY TRIAL WAIVER AND UNDERSTANDS THE LEGAL EFFECT OF THIS WAIVER.
16. **Entire Agreement.** This Agreement and the Note Purchase Agreement constitutes the sole and only agreement of the parties hereto and supersedes any prior understanding or written or oral agreements between the parties respecting the subject matter hereof.
17. **Effect of Facsimile and Photocopied Signatures.** This Agreement may be executed in several counterparts, each of which is an original. It shall not be necessary in making proof of this Agreement or any counterpart hereof to produce or account for any of the other counterparts. A copy of this Agreement signed by one Party and faxed or scanned and emailed to another Party (as a PDF or similar image file) shall be deemed to have been executed and delivered by the signing Party as though an original. A photocopy or PDF of this Agreement shall be effective as an original for all purposes.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Company has caused this Convertible Promissory Note to be executed and delivered by a duly authorized officer as of the date first above written, to be effective as of the effective date set forth above.

LUCAS ENERGY, INC.

By: /s/ Anthony C. Schnur
Anthony C. Schnur
Chief Executive Officer

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Conversion Election Form

_____, 20____

Lucas Energy, Inc.

Re: Conversion of Promissory Note

Gentlemen:

You are hereby notified that, pursuant to, and upon the terms and conditions of that certain Convertible Promissory Note Second Tranche Note of Lucas Energy, Inc. (the "**Company**"), in the initial principal amount of \$150,000 (the "**Note**"), held by us, we hereby elect to exercise our Conversion Option (as such term is defined in the Note), in connection with \$_____ of the amount currently owed under the Note (including \$_____ of accrued interest), effective as of the date of this writing, which amount will convert into _____ shares of the Company's Common Stock (the "**Conversion**"), based on the Conversion Price (as defined and described in the Note). In connection with the Conversion, we hereby re-certify, re-confirm and re-warrant the Representations as set forth in that certain Convertible Promissory Note Purchase Agreement dated on or around March 29, 2016, to be effective March 11, 2016, by and between the Company and HFT Enterprises, LLC and further confirm and acknowledge that conversion will not result in us exceeding the Beneficial Ownership Percentage or Share Cap set forth in the Note.

Please issue certificate(s) for the applicable shares of the Company's Common Stock issuable upon the Conversion, in the name of the person provided below.

Very truly yours,

Name:

If on behalf of Entity:

Entity Name: _____

Signatory's Position with Entity:

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Please issue certificate(s) for Common Stock as follows:

Name

Address

Social Security No./EIN of Shareholder

Please send the certificate(s) evidencing the Common Stock to:

Attn:

Address:

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SHORT TERM PROMISSORY NOTE

US \$275,000

March 28, 2016

NOW THEREFORE FOR VALUE RECEIVED, the undersigned, **Lucas Energy, Inc.**, a Nevada corporation ("**Lucas**"), hereby promises to pay to the order of Alan Dreeban (the "**Lender**"), the principal sum of Two Hundred and Seventy-Five Thousand Dollars (\$275,000), in lawful money of the United States of America, which shall be legal tender, bearing interest and payable as provided herein. This Promissory Note (this "**Note**" or "**Promissory Note**") has an effective date of March 28, 2016 (the "**Effective Date**"). This Note is entered into to evidence \$250,000 loaned by the Lender to Lucas on the Effective Date, plus a 10% original issue discount.

1. This Note shall not accrue interest unless an Event of Default shall occur hereunder at which time interest shall accrue at the rate of fifteen percent (15%) per annum. This Note is payable on June [], 2016, the "**Maturity Date**".

2. As additional consideration for the Lender agreeing to make the loan evidenced by this Note to Lucas, Lucas agrees to issue to the Lender, upon receipt from the NYSE MKT of the additional listing of such shares, 15,000 shares of the Company's restricted common stock (the "**Shares**").

3. This Note may be prepaid in whole or in part, at any time and from time to time, without premium or penalty.

4. If any payment of principal or interest on this Note shall become due on a Saturday, Sunday or any other day on which national banks are not open for business, such payment shall be made on the next succeeding business day.

5. This Note shall be binding upon Lucas and inure to the benefit of the Lender named herein and Lender's respective successors and assigns.

6. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this Note or any other agreement entered into in connection herewith, whether now existing or hereafter arising and whether written or oral, it is agreed that the aggregate of all interest and any other charges constituting interest, or adjudicated as constituting interest, and contracted for, chargeable or receivable under this Note or otherwise in connection with this loan transaction, shall under no circumstances exceed the Maximum Rate (as defined below).

7. If an Event of Default (as defined below) occurs (unless all Events of Default have been cured or waived by Lender), Lender may, by written notice to Lucas, declare the principal amount then outstanding of, and the accrued interest (if any) and all other amounts payable on, this Note to be immediately due and payable. The following are "**Events of Default**" under this Note:

(a) Lucas shall fail to pay, when and as due, the principal or interest payable hereunder (if any) within fifteen (15) days from the due date of such payment; or

(b) Lucas shall: (i) make an assignment for the benefit of creditors, file a petition in bankruptcy, petition or apply to any tribunal for the appointment of a custodian, receiver or a trustee for it or a substantial portion of its assets; (ii) commence any proceeding under any bankruptcy, reorganization, arrangement, readjustment of debt, dissolution or liquidation or statute of any jurisdiction, whether now or hereafter in effect; (iii) have filed against it any such petition or application in which an order for relief is entered or which remains undismissed for a period of ninety (90) days or more; (iv) indicate its consent to, approval of or acquiescence in any such petition, application, proceeding or order for relief or the appointment of a custodian, receiver or trustee for it or a substantial portion of its assets; or (v) suffer any such custodianship, receivership or trusteeship to continue undischarged for a period of ninety (90) days or more; or

(c) Lucas shall take any action authorizing, or in furtherance of, any of the foregoing.

8. If from any circumstance any holder of this Note shall ever receive interest or any other charges constituting interest, or adjudicated as constituting interest, the amount, if any, which would exceed the Maximum Rate shall be applied to the reduction of the principal amount owing on this Note, and not to the payment of interest; or if such excessive interest exceeds the unpaid balance of principal hereof, the amount of such excessive interest that exceeds the unpaid balance of principal hereof shall be refunded to Lucas. In determining whether or not the interest paid or payable exceeds the Maximum Rate, to the extent permitted by applicable law (i) any non-principal payment shall be characterized as an expense, fee or premium rather than as interest; and (ii) all interest at any time contracted for, charged, received or preserved in connection herewith shall be amortized, prorated, allocated and spread in equal parts during the period of the full stated term of this Note. The term “Maximum Rate” shall mean the maximum rate of interest allowed by applicable federal or state law.

9. Lender represents and warrants to Lucas, and agrees, as follows (collectively the “Representations”):

(a) The Shares are being acquired by Lender for its own account for investment and not with a view to, or for sale in connection with, any distribution thereof;

(b) Lender acknowledges that it is an “accredited investor” as such term is defined in Rule 501 of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the “Act” or the “Securities Act”), and has executed the Certificate of Accredited Investor Status, attached hereto as Exhibit A;

(c) Lender has sufficient knowledge and experience in financial and business matters and is capable of evaluating the risks and merits of Lender’s investment in Lucas; and Lender is able financially to bear the risk of losing Lender’s full investment in this Note and the Shares;

(d) Lender has not been offered the Shares by any form of general solicitation or advertising, including, but not limited to, advertisements, articles, notices or other communications published in any newspaper, magazine, or other similar media or television or radio broadcast or any seminar or meeting where, to Lender’s knowledge, those individuals that have attended have been invited by any such or similar means of general solicitation or advertising. Lender has had an opportunity to ask questions of and receive satisfactory answers from Lucas, or persons acting on behalf of Lucas, concerning the terms and conditions of the Shares and Lucas, and all such questions have been answered to the full satisfaction of Lender. Lucas has not supplied Lender any information regarding the Shares or an investment in the Shares other than as contained in this Note, and Lender is relying on its own investigation and evaluation of Lucas and the Shares and not on any other information;

(e) The Lender understands that the Shares are being offered to it in reliance on specific exemptions from or non-application of the registration requirements of federal and state securities laws and that Lucas is relying upon the truth and accuracy of the representations, warranties, agreements, acknowledgments and understandings of the Lender set forth herein in order to determine the applicability of such exemptions and the suitability of Lender to acquire the Note and Shares. Lucas is under no obligation to register or seek an exemption under any federal and/or state securities acts for any sale or transfer of the Shares by Lender, and Lender is solely responsible for determining the status, in its own hands, of the Shares acquired in connection herewith and the availability, if required, of exemptions from registration for purposes of sale or transfer of the Shares. All information which Lender has provided to Lucas concerning the undersigned’s financial position and knowledge of financial and business matters is correct and complete as of the date hereof; and

(f) Lender understands that the Shares have not been registered under the Securities Act or registered or qualified under any securities laws of any state or other jurisdiction, are “**restricted securities**,” and cannot be resold or otherwise transferred unless they are registered under the Securities Act, and registered or qualified under any other applicable securities laws, or an exemption from such registration and qualification is available. Each certificate issued to evidence any Shares shall bear a legend as follows:

“The securities represented by this certificate have not been registered under the Securities Act of 1933 or any state securities act. The securities have been acquired for investment and may not be sold, transferred, pledged or hypothecated unless (i) they shall have been registered under the Securities Act of 1933 and any applicable state securities act, or (ii) the corporation shall have been furnished with an opinion of counsel, satisfactory to counsel for the corporation, that registration is not required under any such acts.”

10. This Note may be executed in several counterparts, each of which is an original. It shall not be necessary in making proof of this Note or any counterpart hereof to produce or account for any of the other counterparts. A copy of this Note signed by one party and faxed or scanned and emailed to another party (as a PDF or similar image file) shall be deemed to have been executed and delivered by the signing party as though an original. A photocopy or PDF of this Note shall be effective as an original for all purposes.

11. It is the intention of the parties hereto that the terms and provisions of this Note are to be construed in accordance with and governed by the laws of the State of Texas, except as such laws may be preempted by any federal law controlling the rate of interest which may be charged on account of this Note. The parties hereby consent and agree that, in any actions predicated upon this Note, venue is properly laid in Texas and that the Circuit Court in and for Harris County, Texas, shall have full subject matter and personal jurisdiction over the parties to determine all issues arising out of or in connection with the execution and enforcement of this Note.

12. Every provision of this Note is intended to be severable. If, in any jurisdiction, any term or provision hereof is determined to be invalid or unenforceable, (a) the remaining terms and provisions hereof shall be unimpaired, (b) any such invalidity or unenforceability in any jurisdiction shall not invalidate or render unenforceable such term or provision in any other jurisdiction, and (c) the invalid or unenforceable term or provision shall, for purposes of such jurisdiction, be deemed replaced by a term or provision that is valid and enforceable and that comes closest to expressing the intention of the invalid or unenforceable term or provision. In the event a court of competent jurisdiction determines that any provision of this Note is invalid or against public policy and cannot be so reduced or modified so as to be made enforceable, the remaining provisions of this Note shall not be affected thereby, and shall remain in full force and effect.

13. No modification, amendment, addition to, or termination of this Note, nor waiver of any of its provisions, shall be valid or enforceable unless in writing and signed by all the parties hereto.

14. The Note constitutes the entire agreement of the parties regarding the matters contemplated herein, or related thereto, and supersedes all prior and contemporaneous agreements, and understandings of the parties in connection therewith. In this Note, words in the singular include the plural and words in the plural include the singular, and words importing the masculine gender include the feminine and neuter genders.

15. This Note and the repayment of this Note shall be unsecured by Lucas and Lender shall have no rights to any collateral or security interests in connection herewith or the payment of this Note.

[Remainder of page left intentionally blank. Signature pages follow.]

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Lucas has duly executed this Promissory Note as of the day and year first above written, with an Effective Date as provided above.

“Lucas”

Lucas Energy, Inc.
(A Nevada Corporation)

/s/ Anthony C. Schnur

Anthony C. Schnur
President

“Lender”

/s/ Alan Dreeben

Alan Dreeben

Exhibit A

CERTIFICATE OF ACCREDITED INVESTOR STATUS

Except as may be indicated by the undersigned below, the undersigned is an “**accredited investor**,” as that term is defined in Regulation D under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the “**Securities Act**”). The undersigned has **initialed** the box below indicating the basis on which he is representing his status as an “**accredited investor**”:

_____ a bank as defined in Section 3(a)(2) of the Securities Act, or any savings and loan association or other institution as defined in Section 3(a)(5)(A) of the Securities Act whether acting in its individual or fiduciary capacity; a broker or dealer registered pursuant to Section 15 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the “**Exchange Act**”); an insurance company as defined in Section 2(13) of the Securities Act; an investment company registered under the Investment Company Act of 1940 or a business development company as defined in Section 2(a)(48) of that Act; a small business investment company licensed by the U.S. Small Business Administration under Section 301(c) or (d) of the Small Business Investment Act of 1958; a plan established and maintained by a state, its political subdivisions, or any agency or instrumentality of a state or its political subdivisions, for the benefit of its employees, and such plan has total assets in excess of \$5,000,000; an employee benefit plan within the meaning of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974, if the investment decision is made by a plan fiduciary, as defined in Section 3(21) of such Act, which is either a bank, savings and loan association, insurance company, or registered investment adviser, or if the employee benefit plan has total assets in excess of \$5,000,000 or, if a self-directed plan, with investment decisions made solely by persons that are “**accredited investors**”;

_____ a private business development company as defined in Section 202(a)(22) of the Investment Advisers Act of 1940;

_____ an organization described in Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, corporation, Massachusetts or similar business trust, or partnership, not formed for the specific purpose of acquiring the securities offered, with total assets in excess of \$5,000,000;

_____ a natural person whose individual net worth, or joint net worth with the undersigned’s spouse, at the time of this purchase exceeds \$1,000,000. For purposes of this item, “**net worth**” means the excess of total assets at fair market value (including personal and real property, but excluding the estimated fair market value of a person’s primary home) over total liabilities. Total liabilities excludes any mortgage on the primary home in an amount of up to the home’s estimated fair market value as long as the mortgage was incurred more than 60 days before the Securities are purchased, but includes (i) any mortgage amount in excess of the home’s fair market value and (ii) any mortgage amount that was borrowed during the 60-day period before the closing date for the sale of Securities for the purpose of investing in the Securities;

_____ a natural person who had an individual income in excess of \$200,000 in each of the two most recent years or joint income with the undersigned’s spouse in excess of \$300,000 in each of those years and has a reasonable expectation of reaching the same income level in the current year;

_____ a trust with total assets in excess of \$5,000,000, not formed for the specific purpose of acquiring the securities offered, whose purchase is directed by a person who has such knowledge and experience in financial and business matters that he is capable of evaluating the merits and risks of the prospective investment;

_____ an entity (not including a trust) in which all of the equity holders are “**accredited investors**” by virtue of their meeting one or more of the above standards; or

_____ an individual who is a director or executive officer of Lucas Energy, Inc.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has executed this Certificate of Accredited Investor Status effective as of March ____, 2016.

By: _____
Alan Dreeben

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Term Promissory Note

**LUCAS ENERGY, INC.
AMENDED AND RESTATED 2014 STOCK INCENTIVE PLAN**

ARTICLE I -- PREAMBLE

1.1 This 2014 Stock Incentive Plan of Lucas Energy, Inc. (the “**Company**”) is intended to secure for the Company and its Affiliates the benefits arising from ownership of the Company’s Common Stock by the Employees, Officers, Directors and Consultants of the Company and its Affiliates, all of whom are and will be responsible for the Company’s future growth. The Plan is designed to help attract and retain for the Company and its Affiliates personnel of superior ability for positions of exceptional responsibility, to reward Employees, Officers, Directors and Consultants for their services and to motivate such individuals through added incentives to further contribute to the success of the Company and its Affiliates. With respect to persons subject to Section 16 of the Act, transactions under this Plan are intended to satisfy the requirements of Rule 16b-3 of the Act.

1.2 Awards under the Plan may be made to an Eligible Person in the form of (i) Incentive Stock Options (to Eligible Employees only); (ii) Nonqualified Stock Options; (iii) Restricted Stock; (iv) Stock Awards; (v) Performance Shares; or (vi) any combination of the foregoing.

1.3 The Company’s board of directors adopted the Plan on December 27, 2013. The Plan shall be effective December 27, 2013 (the “**Effective Date**”), subject to approval by the shareholders of the Company to the extent necessary to satisfy the requirements of the Code, the Act, or other applicable federal or state law. Unless sooner terminated as provided elsewhere in this Plan, this Plan shall terminate upon the close of business on the day next preceding the tenth (10th) anniversary of the Effective Date. Award Agreements outstanding on such date shall continue to have force and effect in accordance with the provisions thereof.

1.4 The Plan shall be governed by, and construed in accordance with, the laws of the State of Nevada (except its choice-of-law provisions).

1.5 Capitalized terms shall have the meaning provided in Article II unless otherwise provided in this Plan or any related Award Agreement.

ARTICLE II -- DEFINITIONS

DEFINITIONS. Except where the context otherwise indicates, the following definitions apply:

2.1 “**Act**” means the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as now in effect or as hereafter amended.

2.2 “**Affiliate**” means any parent corporation or subsidiary corporation of the Company, whether now or hereinafter existing, as those terms are defined in Sections 424(e) and (f), respectively, of the Code.

2.3 “**Award**” means an award granted to a Participant in accordance with the provisions of the Plan, including, but not limited to, Stock Options, Restricted Stock, Stock Awards, Performance Shares, or any combination of the foregoing.

2.4 “**Award Agreement**” means the separate written agreement evidencing each Award granted to a Participant under the Plan.

2.5 “**Board of Directors**” or “**Board**” means the Board of Directors of the Company, as constituted from time to time.

2.6 “**Bylaws**” shall mean the Bylaws of the Company as amended from time to time.

2.7 **“Change of Control”** means (i) the adoption of a plan of merger or consolidation of the Company with any other corporation or association as a result of which the holders of the voting capital stock of the Company as a group would receive less than 50% of the voting capital stock of the surviving or resulting corporation; (ii) the approval by the Board of Directors of an agreement providing for the sale or transfer (other than as security for obligations of the Company) of substantially all the assets of the Company; or (iii) in the absence of a prior expression of approval by the Board of Directors, the acquisition of more than 20% of the Company’s voting capital stock by any person within the meaning of Rule 13d-3 under the Act (other than the Company or a person that directly or indirectly controls, is controlled by, or is under common control with, the Company).

2.8 **“Code”** means the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, and the regulations and interpretations promulgated thereunder.

2.9 **“Committee”** means a committee of two or more members of the Board appointed by the Board in accordance with Section 3.2 of the Plan. In the event the Company has not designated a Committee pursuant to Section 3.2 of the Plan, **“Committee”** shall refer to the Compensation Committee of the Company (in the event the Compensation Committee has authority to administer the Plan) or the Board of Directors of the Company.

2.10 **“Common Stock”** means the Company’s common stock.

2.11 **“Company”** means Lucas Energy, Inc., a Nevada corporation.

2.12. **“Consultant”** means any person, including an advisor engaged by the Company or an Affiliate to render bona fide consulting or advisory services to the Company or an Affiliate, other than as an Employee, Director or Non-Employee Director.

2.13 **“Director”** means a member of the Board of Directors of the Company.

2.14 **“Disability”** means the permanent and total disability of a person within the meaning of Section 22(e)(3) of the Code.

2.15 **“Effective Date”** shall be the date set forth in Section 1.3 of the Plan.

2.16 **“Eligible Employee”** means an Eligible Person who is an Employee of the Company or any Affiliate.

2.17 **“Eligible Person”** means any Employee, Officer, Director, Non-Employee Director or Consultant of the Company or any Affiliate, except for instances where services are in connection with the offer or sale of securities in a capital-raising transaction, or they directly or indirectly promote or maintain a market for the Company’s securities, subject to any other limitations as may be provided by the Code, the Act, or the Board. In making such determinations, the Board may take into account the nature of the services rendered by such person, his or her present and potential contribution to the Company’s success, and such other factors as the Board in its discretion shall deem relevant.

2.19 **“Employee”** means an individual who is a common-law employee of the Company or an Affiliate including employment as an Officer. Mere service as a Director or payment of a director’s fee by the Company or an Affiliate shall not be sufficient to constitute **“employment”** by the Company or an Affiliate.

2.20 **“ERISA”** means the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974, as now in effect or as hereafter amended

2.21 **“Fair Market Value”** means, as of any date and unless the Committee determines otherwise, the value of Common Stock determined as follows:

- (a) If the Common Stock is listed on any established stock exchange or a national market system, including without limitation the NYSE Amex, Nasdaq National Market or The Nasdaq SmallCap Market of The Nasdaq Stock Market, its Fair Market Value will be the closing sales price for such stock (or the closing bid, if no sales were reported) as quoted on such exchange or system for the day of determination, as reported in The Wall Street Journal or such other source as the Committee deems reliable;
- (b) If the Common Stock is regularly quoted by a recognized securities dealer but selling prices are not reported for the date in question, the Fair Market Value will be the mean between the high bid and low asked prices for the Common Stock for the day of determination, as reported in The Wall Street Journal or such other source as the Committee deems reliable; or
- (c) In the absence of an established market for the Common Stock, the Fair Market Value will be determined in good faith by the Committee.
- (d) The Committee also may adopt a different methodology for determining Fair Market Value with respect to one or more Awards if a different methodology is necessary or advisable to secure any intended favorable tax, legal or other treatment for the particular Award(s) (for example, and without limitation, the Committee may provide that Fair Market Value for purposes of one or more Awards will be based on an average of closing prices (or the average of high and low daily trading prices) for a specified period preceding the relevant date).

2.22 **“Grant Date”** means, as to any Award, the latest of:

- (a) the date on which the Board authorizes the grant of the Award; or
- (b) the date the Participant receiving the Award becomes an Employee or a Director of the Company or its Affiliate, to the extent employment status is a condition of the grant or a requirement of the Code or the Act; or
- (c) such other date (later than the dates described in (a) and (b) above) as the Board may designate and as set forth in the Participant’s Award Agreement.

2.23 **“Immediate Family”** means any child, stepchild, grandchild, parent, stepparent, grandparent, spouse, sibling, mother-in-law, father-in-law, son-in-law, daughter-in-law, brother-in-law or sister-in-law and shall include adoptive relationships.

2.24 **“Incentive Stock Option”** means a Stock Option intended to qualify as an incentive stock option within the meaning of Section 422 of the Code and is granted under Article IV of the Plan and designated as an Incentive Stock Option in a Participant’s Award Agreement.

2.25 **“Non-Employee Director”** shall have the meaning set forth in Rule 16b-3 under the Act.

2.26 **“Nonqualified Stock Option”** means a Stock Option not intended to qualify as an Incentive Stock Option and is not so designated in the Participant’s Award Agreement.

2.27 **“Officer”** means a person who is an officer of the Company within the meaning of Section 16 of the Act.

2.28 **“Option Period”** means the period during which a Stock Option may be exercised from time to time, as established by the Board and set forth in the Award Agreement for each Participant who is granted a Stock Option.

2.29 “**Option Price**” means the purchase price for a share of Common Stock subject to purchase pursuant to a Stock Option, as established by the Board and set forth in the Award Agreement for each Participant who is granted a Stock Option.

2.30 “**Outside Director**” means a Director who either (i) is not a current employee of the Company or an “**affiliated corporation**” (within the meaning of Treasury Regulations promulgated under Section 162(m) of the Code), is not a former employee of the Company or an “**affiliated corporation**” receiving compensation for prior services (other than benefits under a tax qualified pension plan), was not an officer of the Company or an “**affiliated corporation**” at any time and is not currently receiving direct or indirect remuneration from the Company or an “**affiliated corporation**” for services in any capacity other than as a Director or (ii) is otherwise considered an “**outside director**” for purposes of Section 162(m) of the Code.

2.31 “**Participant**” means an Eligible Person to whom an Award has been granted and who has entered into an Award Agreement evidencing the Award or, if applicable, such other person who holds an outstanding Award.

2.32 “**Performance Objectives**” shall have the meaning set forth in Article IX of the Plan.

2.33 “**Performance Period**” shall have the meaning set forth in Article IX of the Plan.

2.34 “**Performance Share**” means an Award under Article IX of the Plan of a unit valued by reference to the Common Stock, the payout of which is subject to achievement of such Performance Objectives, measured during one or more Performance Periods, as the Board, in its sole discretion, shall establish at the time of such Award and set forth in a Participant’s Award Agreement.

2.35 “**Plan**” means this Lucas Energy, Inc. 2014 Stock Incentive Plan, as it may be amended from time to time.

2.36 “**Reporting Person**” means a person required to file reports under Section 16(a) of the Act.

2.37 “**Restricted Stock**” means an Award under Article VII of the Plan of shares of Common Stock that are at the time of the Award subject to restrictions or limitations as to the Participant’s ability to sell, transfer, pledge or assign such shares, which restrictions or limitations may lapse separately or in combination at such time or times, in installments or otherwise, as the Board, in its sole discretion, shall determine at the time of such Award and set forth in a Participant’s Award Agreement.

2.38 “**Restriction Period**” means the period commencing on the Grant Date with respect to such shares of Restricted Stock and ending on such date as the Board, in its sole discretion, shall establish and set forth in a Participant’s Award Agreement.

2.39 “**Retirement**” means retirement as determined under procedures established by the Board or in any Award, as set forth in a Participant’s Award Agreement.

2.40 “**Rule 16b-3**” means Rule 16b-3 promulgated under the Act or any successor to Rule 16b-3, as in effect from time to time. Those provisions of the Plan which make express reference to Rule 16b-3, or which are required in order for certain option transactions to qualify for exemption under Rule 16b-3, shall apply only to a Reporting Person.

2.41 “**Stock Award**” means an Award of shares of Common Stock under Article VIII of the Plan.

2.42 “**Stock Option**” means an Award under Article IV or Article V of the Plan of an option to purchase Common Stock. A Stock Option may be either an Incentive Stock Option or a Nonqualified Stock Option.

2.43 **“Ten Percent Stockholder”** means an individual who owns (or is deemed to own pursuant to Section 424(d) of the Code), at the time of grant, stock possessing more than ten percent (10%) of the total combined voting power of all classes of stock of the Company or any of its Affiliates.

2.44 **“Termination of Service”** means (i) in the case of an Eligible Employee, the discontinuance of employment of such Participant with the Company or its Subsidiaries for any reason other than a transfer to another member of the group consisting of the Company and its Affiliates and (ii) in the case of a Director who is not an Employee of the Company or any Affiliate, the date such Participant ceases to serve as a Director. The determination of whether a Participant has discontinued service shall be made by the Board in its sole discretion. In determining whether a Termination of Service has occurred, the Board may provide that service as a Consultant or service with a business enterprise in which the Company has a significant ownership interest shall be treated as employment with the Company.

ARTICLE III – ADMINISTRATION

3.1 The Plan shall be administered by the Board of Directors of the Company. The Board shall have the exclusive right to interpret and construe the Plan, to select the Eligible Persons who shall receive an Award, and to act in all matters pertaining to the grant of an Award and the determination and interpretation of the provisions of the related Award Agreement, including, without limitation, the determination of the number of shares subject to Stock Options and the Option Period(s) and Option Price(s) thereof, the number of shares of Restricted Stock or shares subject to Stock Awards or Performance Shares subject to an Award, the vesting periods (if any) and the form, terms, conditions and duration of each Award, and any amendment thereof consistent with the provisions of the Plan. The Board may adopt, establish, amend and rescind such rules, regulations and procedures as it may deem appropriate for the proper administration of the Plan, make all other determinations which are, in the Board’s judgment, necessary or desirable for the proper administration of the Plan, amend the Plan or a Stock Award as provided in Article XI, and terminate or suspend the Plan as provided in Article XI. All acts, determinations and decisions of the Board made or taken pursuant to the Plan or with respect to any questions arising in connection with the administration and interpretation of the Plan or any Award Agreement, including the severability of any and all of the provisions thereof, shall be conclusive, final and binding upon all persons.

3.2 The Board may, to the full extent permitted by and consistent with applicable law and the Company’s Bylaws, and subject to Subparagraph 3.2(b) herein below, delegate any or all of its powers with respect to the administration of the Plan to the Company’s Compensation Committee or another Committee of the Company consisting of not fewer than two members of the Board each of whom shall qualify (at the time of appointment to the Committee and during all periods of service on the Committee) in all respects as a Non-Employee Director and as an Outside Director.

(a) If administration is delegated to a Committee, the Committee shall have, in connection with the administration of the Plan, the powers theretofore possessed by the Board, including the power to delegate to a subcommittee any of the administrative powers the Committee is authorized to exercise (and references in the Plan to the Board shall thereafter be to the Committee or subcommittee), subject, however, to such resolutions, not consistent with the provisions of the Plan, as may be adopted from time to time by the Board.

(b) The Board may abolish the Committee at any time and reassume all powers and authority previously delegated to the Committee.

(c) In addition to, and not in limitation of, the right of any Committee so designated by the Board to administer this Plan to grant Awards to Eligible Persons under this Plan, the full Board of Directors and/or the Company’s Compensation Committee may from time to time grant Awards to Eligible Persons pursuant to the terms and conditions of this Plan, subject to the requirements of the Code, Rule 16b-3 under the Act or any other applicable law, rule or regulation. In connection with any such grants, the Board of Directors and/or the Company’s Compensation Committee shall have all of the power and authority of the Committee to determine the Eligible Persons to whom such Awards shall be granted and the other terms and conditions of such Awards.

3.3 Without limiting the provisions of this Article III, and subject to the provisions of Article X, the Board is authorized to take such action as it determines to be necessary or advisable, and fair and equitable to Participants and to the Company, with respect to an outstanding Award in the event of a Change of Control as described in Article X or other similar event. Such action may include, but shall not be limited to, establishing, amending or waiving the form, terms, conditions and duration of an Award and the related Award Agreement, so as to provide for earlier, later, extended or additional times for exercise or payments, differing methods for calculating payments, alternate forms and amounts of payment, an accelerated release of restrictions or other modifications. The Board may take such actions pursuant to this Section 3.3 by adopting rules and regulations of general applicability to all Participants or to certain categories of Participants, by including, amending or waiving terms and conditions in an Award and the related Award Agreement, or by taking action with respect to individual Participants from time to time.

3.4 Subject to the provisions of Section 3.9, the maximum aggregate number of shares of Common Stock which may be issued pursuant to Awards under the Plan shall be ninety-five thousand (95,000) shares. Such shares of Common Stock shall be made available from authorized and unissued shares of the Company.

(a) For all purposes under the Plan, each Performance Share awarded shall be counted as one share of Common Stock subject to an Award.

(b) If, for any reason, any shares of Common Stock (including shares of Common Stock subject to Performance Shares) that have been awarded or are subject to issuance or purchase pursuant to Awards outstanding under the Plan are not delivered or purchased, or are reacquired by the Company, for any reason, including but not limited to a forfeiture of Restricted Stock or failure to earn Performance Shares or the termination, expiration or cancellation of a Stock Option, or any other termination of an Award without payment being made in the form of shares of Common Stock (whether or not Restricted Stock), such shares of Common Stock shall not be charged against the aggregate number of shares of Common Stock available for Award under the Plan and shall again be available for Awards under the Plan. In no event, however, may Common Stock that is surrendered or withheld to pay the exercise price of a Stock Option or to satisfy tax withholding requirements be available for future grants under the Plan.

(c) The foregoing subsections (a) and (b) of this Section 3.4 shall be subject to any limitations provided by the Code or by Rule 16b-3 under the Act or by any other applicable law, rule or regulation.

3.5 Each Award granted under the Plan shall be evidenced by a written Award Agreement, which shall be subject to and shall incorporate (by reference or otherwise) the applicable terms and conditions of the Plan and shall include any other terms and conditions (not inconsistent with the Plan) required by the Board.

3.6 The Company shall not be required to issue or deliver any certificates for shares of Common Stock under the Plan prior to:

(a) any required approval of the Plan by the shareholders of the Company; and

(b) the completion of any registration or qualification of such shares of Common Stock under any federal or state law, or any ruling or regulation of any governmental body that the Company shall, in its sole discretion, determine to be necessary or advisable.

3.7 The Board may require any Participant acquiring shares of Common Stock pursuant to any Award under the Plan to represent to and agree with the Company in writing that such person is acquiring the shares of Common Stock for investment purposes and without a view to resale or distribution thereof. Shares of Common Stock issued and delivered under the Plan shall also be subject to such stop-transfer orders and other restrictions as the Board may deem advisable under the rules, regulations and other requirements of the Securities and Exchange Commission, any stock exchange upon which the Common Stock is then listed and any applicable federal or state laws, and the Board may cause a legend or legends to be placed on the certificate or certificates representing any such shares to make appropriate reference to any such restrictions. In making such determination, the Board may rely upon an opinion of counsel for the Company.

3.8 Except as otherwise expressly provided in the Plan or in an Award Agreement with respect to an Award, no Participant shall have any right as a shareholder of the Company with respect to any shares of Common Stock subject to such Participant's Award except to the extent that, and until, one or more certificates representing such shares of Common Stock shall have been delivered to the Participant. No shares shall be required to be issued, and no certificates shall be required to be delivered, under the Plan unless and until all of the terms and conditions applicable to such Award shall have, in the sole discretion of the Board, been satisfied in full and any restrictions shall have lapsed in full, and unless and until all of the requirements of law and of all regulatory bodies having jurisdiction over the offer and sale, or issuance and delivery, of the shares shall have been fully complied with.

3.9 The total amount of shares with respect to which Awards may be granted under the Plan and rights of outstanding Awards (both as to the number of shares subject to the outstanding Awards and the Option Price(s) or other purchase price(s) of such shares, as applicable) shall be appropriately adjusted for any increase or decrease in the number of outstanding shares of Common Stock of the Company resulting from payment of a stock dividend on the Common Stock, a stock split or subdivision or combination of shares of the Common Stock, or a reorganization or reclassification of the Common Stock, or any other change in the structure of shares of the Common Stock. The foregoing adjustments and the manner of application of the foregoing provisions shall be determined by the Board in its sole discretion. Any such adjustment may provide for the elimination of any fractional shares which might otherwise become subject to an Award. All adjustments made as the result of the foregoing in respect of each Incentive Stock Option shall be made so that such Incentive Stock Option shall continue to be an Incentive Stock Option, as defined in Section 422 of the Code.

3.10 No director or person acting pursuant to authority delegated by the Board shall be liable for any action or determination under the Plan made in good faith. The members of the Board shall be entitled to indemnification by the Company in the manner and to the extent set forth in the Company's Articles of Incorporation, as amended, Bylaws or as otherwise provided from time to time regarding indemnification of Directors.

3.11 The Board shall be authorized to make adjustments in any performance based criteria or in the other terms and conditions of outstanding Awards in recognition of unusual or nonrecurring events affecting the Company (or any Affiliate, if applicable) or its financial statements or changes in applicable laws, regulations or accounting principles. The Board may correct any defect, supply any omission or reconcile any inconsistency in the Plan or any Award Agreement in the manner and to the extent it shall deem necessary or desirable to reflect any such adjustment. In the event the Company (or any Affiliate, if applicable) shall assume outstanding employee benefit awards or the right or obligation to make future such awards in connection with the acquisition of another corporation or business entity, the Board may, in its sole discretion, make such adjustments in the terms of outstanding Awards under the Plan as it shall deem appropriate.

3.12 Subject to the express provisions of the Plan, the Board shall have full power and authority to determine whether, to what extent and under what circumstances any outstanding Award shall be terminated, canceled, forfeited or suspended. Notwithstanding the foregoing or any other provision of the Plan or an Award Agreement, all Awards to any Participant that are subject to any restriction or have not been earned or exercised in full by the Participant shall be terminated and canceled if the Participant is terminated for cause, as determined by the Board in its sole discretion.

ARTICLE IV -- INCENTIVE STOCK OPTIONS

4.1 The Board, in its sole discretion, may from time to time on or after the Effective Date grant Incentive Stock Options to Eligible Employees, subject to the provisions of this Article IV and Articles III and VI and subject to the following conditions:

(a) Incentive Stock Options shall be granted only to Eligible Employees, each of whom may be granted one or more of such Incentive Stock Options at such time or times determined by the Board.

(b) The Option Price per share of Common Stock for an Incentive Stock Option shall be set in the Award Agreement, but shall not be less than (i) one hundred percent (100%) of the Fair Market Value of the Common Stock at the Grant Date, or (ii) in the case of an Incentive Stock Option granted to a Ten Percent Stockholder, one hundred ten percent (110%) of the Fair Market Value of the Common Stock at the Grant Date.

(c) An Incentive Stock Option may be exercised in full or in part from time to time within ten (10) years from the Grant Date, or such shorter period as may be specified by the Board as the Option Period and set forth in the Award Agreement; provided, however, that, in the case of an Incentive Stock Option granted to a Ten Percent Stockholder, such period shall not exceed five (5) years from the Grant Date; and further, provided that, in any event, the Incentive Stock Option shall lapse and cease to be exercisable upon a Termination of Service or within such period following a Termination of Service as shall have been determined by the Board and set forth in the related Award Agreement; and provided, further, that such period shall not exceed the period of time ending on the date three (3) months following a Termination of Service, unless employment shall have terminated:

(i) as a result of Disability, in which event such period shall not exceed the period of time ending on the date twelve (12) months following a Termination of Service; or

(ii) as a result of death, or if death shall have occurred following a Termination of Service (other than as a result of Disability) and during the period that the Incentive Stock Option was still exercisable, in which event such period may not exceed the period of time ending on the earlier of the date twelve (12) months after the date of death;

and provided, further, that such period following a Termination of Service or death shall in no event extend beyond the original Option Period of the Incentive Stock Option.

(d) The aggregate Fair Market Value of the shares of Common Stock with respect to which any Incentive Stock Options (whether under this Plan or any other plan established by the Company) are first exercisable during any calendar year by any Eligible Employee shall not exceed one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000), determined based on the Fair Market Value(s) of such shares as of their respective Grant Dates; provided, however, that to the extent permitted under Section 422 of the Code, if the aggregate Fair Market Values of the shares of Common Stock with respect to which Stock Options intended to be Incentive Stock Options are first exercisable by any Eligible Employee during any calendar year (whether such Stock Options are granted under this Plan or any other plan established by the Company) exceed one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000), the Stock Options or portions thereof which exceed such limit (according to the order in which they were granted) shall be treated as Nonqualified Stock Options.

(e) No Incentive Stock Options may be granted more than ten (10) years from the Effective Date.

(f) The Award Agreement for each Incentive Stock Option shall provide that the Participant shall notify the Company if such Participant sells or otherwise transfers any shares of Common Stock acquired upon exercise of the Incentive Stock Option within two (2) years of the Grant Date of such Incentive Stock Option or within one (1) year of the date such shares were acquired upon the exercise of such Incentive Stock Option.

4.2 Subject to the limitations of Section 3.4, the maximum aggregate number of shares of Common Stock subject to Incentive Stock Option Awards shall be the maximum aggregate number of shares available for Awards under the Plan.

4.3 The Board may provide for any other terms and conditions which it determines should be imposed for an Incentive Stock Option to qualify under Section 422 of the Code, as well as any other terms and conditions not inconsistent with this Article IV or Articles III or VI, as determined in its sole discretion and set forth in the Award Agreement for such Incentive Stock Option.

4.4 Each provision of this Article IV and of each Incentive Stock Option granted hereunder shall be construed in accordance with the provisions of Section 422 of the Code, and any provision hereof that cannot be so construed shall be disregarded.

ARTICLE V -- NONQUALIFIED STOCK OPTIONS

5.1 The Board, in its sole discretion, may from time to time on or after the Effective Date grant Nonqualified Stock Options to Eligible Persons, subject to the provisions of this Article V and Articles III and VI and subject to the following conditions:

(a) Nonqualified Stock Options may be granted to any Eligible Person, each of whom may be granted one or more of such Nonqualified Stock Options, at such time or times determined by the Board.

(b) The Option Price per share of Common Stock for a Nonqualified Stock Option shall be set in the Award Agreement and may be less than one hundred percent (100%) of the Fair Market Value of the Common Stock at the Grant Date; provided, however, that the exercise price of each Nonqualified Stock Option granted under the Plan shall in no event be less than the par value per share of the Company's Common Stock.

(c) A Nonqualified Stock Option may be exercised in full or in part from time to time within the Option Period specified by the Board and set forth in the Award Agreement; provided, however, that, in any event, the Nonqualified Stock Option shall lapse and cease to be exercisable upon a Termination of Service or within such period following a Termination of Service as shall have been determined by the Board and set forth in the related Award Agreement.

5.2 The Board may provide for any other terms and conditions for a Nonqualified Stock Option not inconsistent with this Article V or Articles III or VI, as determined in its sole discretion and set forth in the Award Agreement for such Nonqualified Stock Option.

ARTICLE VI -- INCIDENTS OF STOCK OPTIONS

6.1 Each Stock Option shall be granted subject to such terms and conditions, if any, not inconsistent with this Plan, as shall be determined by the Board and set forth in the related Award Agreement, including any provisions as to continued employment as consideration for the grant or exercise of such Stock Option and any provisions which may be advisable to comply with applicable laws, regulations or rulings of any governmental authority.

6.2 Except as hereinafter described, a Stock Option shall not be transferable by the Participant other than by will or by the laws of descent and distribution, and shall be exercisable during the lifetime of the Participant only by the Participant or the Participant's guardian or legal representative. In the event of the death of a Participant, any unexercised Stock Options may be exercised to the extent otherwise provided herein or in such Participant's Award Agreement by the executor or personal representative of such Participant's estate or by any person who acquired the right to exercise such Stock Options by bequest under the Participant's will or by inheritance. The Board, in its sole discretion, may at any time permit a Participant to transfer a Nonqualified Stock Option for no consideration to or for the benefit of one or more members of the Participant's Immediate Family (including, without limitation, to a trust for the benefit of the Participant and/or one or more members of such Participant's Immediate Family or a corporation, partnership or limited liability company established and controlled by the Participant and/or one or more members of such Participant's Immediate Family), subject to such limits as the Board may establish. The transferee of such Nonqualified Stock Option shall remain subject to all terms and conditions applicable to such Nonqualified Stock Option prior to such transfer. The foregoing right to transfer the Nonqualified Stock Option, if granted by the Board shall apply to the right to consent to amendments to the Award Agreement.

6.3 Shares of Common Stock purchased upon exercise of a Stock Option shall be paid for in such amounts, at such times and upon such terms as shall be determined by the Board, subject to limitations set forth in the Stock Option Award Agreement. The Board may, in its sole discretion, permit the exercise of a Stock Option by payment in cash or by tendering shares of Common Stock (either by actual delivery of such shares or by attestation), or any combination thereof, as determined by the Board. In the sole discretion of the Board, payment in shares of Common Stock also may be made with shares received upon the exercise or partial exercise of the Stock Option, whether or not involving a series of exercises or partial exercises and whether or not share certificates for such shares surrendered have been delivered to the Participant. The Board also may, in its sole discretion, permit the payment of the exercise price of a Stock Option by the voluntary surrender of all or a portion of the Stock Option. Shares of Common Stock previously held by the Participant and surrendered in payment of the Option Price of a Stock Option shall be valued for such purpose at the Fair Market Value thereof on the date the Stock Option is exercised.

6.4 The holder of a Stock Option shall have no rights as a shareholder with respect to any shares covered by the Stock Option (including, without limitation, any voting rights, the right to inspect or receive the Company's balance sheets or financial statements or any rights to receive dividends or non-cash distributions with respect to such shares) until such time as the holder has exercised the Stock Option and then only with respect to the number of shares which are the subject of the exercise. No adjustment shall be made for dividends or other rights for which the record date is prior to the date such stock certificate is issued.

6.5 The Board may permit the voluntary surrender of all or a portion of any Stock Option granted under the Plan to be conditioned upon the granting to the Participant of a new Stock Option for the same or a different number of shares of Common Stock as the Stock Option surrendered, or may require such voluntary surrender as a condition precedent to a grant of a new Stock Option to such Participant. Subject to the provisions of the Plan, such new Stock Option shall be exercisable at such Option Price, during such Option Period and on such other terms and conditions as are specified by the Board at the time the new Stock Option is granted. Upon surrender, the Stock Options surrendered shall be canceled and the shares of Common Stock previously subject to them shall be available for the grant of other Stock Options.

6.6 The Board may at any time offer to purchase a Participant's outstanding Stock Option for a payment equal to the value of such Stock Option payable in cash, shares of Common Stock or Restricted Stock or other property upon surrender of the Participant's Stock Option, based on such terms and conditions as the Board shall establish and communicate to the Participant at the time that such offer is made.

6.7 The Board shall have the discretion, exercisable either at the time the Award is granted or at the time the Participant discontinues employment, to establish as a provision applicable to the exercise of one or more Stock Options that, during a limited period of exercisability following a Termination of Service, the Stock Option may be exercised not only with respect to the number of shares of Common Stock for which it is exercisable at the time of the Termination of Service but also with respect to one or more subsequent installments for which the Stock Option would have become exercisable had the Termination of Service not occurred.

ARTICLE VII -- RESTRICTED STOCK

7.1 The Board, in its sole discretion, may from time to time on or after the Effective Date award shares of Restricted Stock to Eligible Persons as a reward for past service and an incentive for the performance of future services that will contribute materially to the successful operation of the Company and its Affiliates, subject to the terms and conditions set forth in this Article VII.

7.2 The Board shall determine the terms and conditions of any Award of Restricted Stock, which shall be set forth in the related Award Agreement, including without limitation:

- (a) the purchase price, if any, to be paid for such Restricted Stock, which may be zero, subject to such minimum consideration as may be required by applicable law;
- (b) the duration of the Restriction Period or Restriction Periods with respect to such Restricted Stock and whether any events may accelerate or delay the end of such Restriction Period(s);
- (c) the circumstances upon which the restrictions or limitations shall lapse, and whether such restrictions or limitations shall lapse as to all shares of Restricted Stock at the end of the Restriction Period or as to a portion of the shares of Restricted Stock in installments during the Restriction Period by means of one or more vesting schedules;
- (d) whether such Restricted Stock is subject to repurchase by the Company or to a right of first refusal at a predetermined price or if the Restricted Stock may be forfeited entirely under certain conditions;
- (e) whether any performance goals may apply to a Restriction Period to shorten or lengthen such period; and
- (f) whether dividends and other distributions with respect to such Restricted Stock are to be paid currently to the Participant or withheld by the Company for the account of the Participant.

7.3 Awards of Restricted Stock must be accepted within a period of thirty (30) days after the Grant Date (or such shorter or longer period as the Board may specify at such time) by executing an Award Agreement with respect to such Restricted Stock and tendering the purchase price, if any. A prospective recipient of an Award of Restricted Stock shall not have any rights with respect to such Award, unless such recipient has executed an Award Agreement with respect to such Restricted Stock, has delivered a fully executed copy thereof to the Board and has otherwise complied with the applicable terms and conditions of such Award.

7.4 In the sole discretion of the Board and as set forth in the Award Agreement for an Award of Restricted Stock, all shares of Restricted Stock held by a Participant and still subject to restrictions shall be forfeited by the Participant upon the Participant's Termination of Service and shall be reacquired, canceled and retired by the Company. Notwithstanding the foregoing, unless otherwise provided in an Award Agreement with respect to an Award of Restricted Stock, in the event of the death, Disability or Retirement of a Participant during the Restriction Period, or in other cases of special circumstances (including hardship or other special circumstances of a Participant whose employment is involuntarily terminated), the Board may elect to waive in whole or in part any remaining restrictions with respect to all or any part of such Participant's Restricted Stock, if it finds that a waiver would be appropriate.

7.5 Except as otherwise provided in this Article VII, no shares of Restricted Stock received by a Participant shall be sold, exchanged, transferred, pledged, hypothecated or otherwise disposed of during the Restriction Period.

7.6 Upon an Award of Restricted Stock to a Participant, a certificate or certificates representing the shares of such Restricted Stock will be issued to and registered in the name of the Participant. Unless otherwise determined by the Board, such certificate or certificates will be held in custody by the Company until (i) the Restriction Period expires and the restrictions or limitations lapse, in which case one or more certificates representing such shares of Restricted Stock that do not bear a restrictive legend (other than any legend as required under applicable federal or state securities laws) shall be delivered to the Participant, or (ii) a prior forfeiture by the Participant of the shares of Restricted Stock subject to such Restriction Period, in which case the Company shall cause such certificate or certificates to be canceled and the shares represented thereby to be retired, all as set forth in the Participant's Award Agreement. It shall be a condition of an Award of Restricted Stock that the Participant deliver to the Company a stock power endorsed in blank relating to the shares of Restricted Stock to be held in custody by the Company.

7.7 Except as provided in this Article VII or in the related Award Agreement, a Participant receiving an Award of shares of Restricted Stock Award shall have, with respect to such shares, all rights of a shareholder of the Company, including the right to vote the shares and the right to receive any distributions, unless and until such shares are otherwise forfeited by such Participant; provided, however, the Board may require that any cash dividends with respect to such shares of Restricted Stock be automatically reinvested in additional shares of Restricted Stock subject to the same restrictions as the underlying Award, or may require that cash dividends and other distributions on Restricted Stock be withheld by the Company or its Affiliates for the account of the Participant. The Board shall determine whether interest shall be paid on amounts withheld, the rate of any such interest, and the other terms applicable to such withheld amounts.

ARTICLE VIII -- STOCK AWARDS

8.1 The Board, in its sole discretion, may from time to time on or after the Effective Date grant Stock Awards to Eligible Persons in payment of compensation that has been earned or as compensation to be earned, including without limitation compensation awarded or earned concurrently with or prior to the grant of the Stock Award, subject to the terms and conditions set forth in this Article VIII.

8.2 For the purposes of this Plan, in determining the value of a Stock Award, all shares of Common Stock subject to such Stock Award shall be set in the Award Agreement and may be less than one hundred percent (100%) of the Fair Market Value of the Common Stock at the Grant Date.

8.3 Unless otherwise determined by the Board and set forth in the related Award Agreement, shares of Common Stock subject to a Stock Award will be issued, and one or more certificates representing such shares will be delivered, to the Participant as soon as practicable following the Grant Date of such Stock Award. Upon the issuance of such shares and the delivery of one or more certificates representing such shares to the Participant, such Participant shall be and become a shareholder of the Company fully entitled to receive dividends, to vote and to exercise all other rights of a shareholder of the Company. Notwithstanding any other provision of this Plan, unless the Board expressly provides otherwise with respect to a Stock Award, as set forth in the related Award Agreement, no Stock Award shall be deemed to be an outstanding Award for purposes of the Plan.

ARTICLE IX -- PERFORMANCE SHARES

9.1 The Board, in its sole discretion, may from time to time on or after the Effective Date award Performance Shares to Eligible Persons as an incentive for the performance of future services that will contribute materially to the successful operation of the Company and its Affiliates, subject to the terms and conditions set forth in this Article IX.

9.2 The Board shall determine the terms and conditions of any Award of Performance Shares, which shall be set forth in the related Award Agreement, including without limitation:

(a) the purchase price, if any, to be paid for such Performance Shares, which may be zero, subject to such minimum consideration as may be required by applicable law;

(b) the performance period (the "Performance Period") and/or performance objectives (the "Performance Objectives") applicable to such Awards;

(c) the number of Performance Shares that shall be paid to the Participant if the applicable Performance Objectives are exceeded or met in whole or in part; and

(d) the form of settlement of a Performance Share.

9.3 At any date, each Performance Share shall have a value equal to the Fair Market Value of a share of Common Stock.

9.4 Performance Periods may overlap, and Participants may participate simultaneously with respect to Performance Shares for which different Performance Periods are prescribed.

9.5 Performance Objectives may vary from Participant to Participant and between Awards and shall be based upon such performance criteria or combination of factors as the Board may deem appropriate, including, but not limited to, minimum earnings per share or return on equity. If during the course of a Performance Period there shall occur significant events which the Board expects to have a substantial effect on the applicable Performance Objectives during such period, the Board may revise such Performance Objectives.

9.6 In the sole discretion of the Board and as set forth in the Award Agreement for an Award of Performance Shares, all Performance Shares held by a Participant and not earned shall be forfeited by the Participant upon the Participant's Termination of Service. Notwithstanding the foregoing, unless otherwise provided in an Award Agreement with respect to an Award of Performance Shares, in the event of the death, Disability or Retirement of a Participant during the applicable Performance Period, or in other cases of special circumstances (including hardship or other special circumstances of a Participant whose employment is involuntarily terminated), the Board may determine to make a payment in settlement of such Performance Shares at the end of the Performance Period, based upon the extent to which the Performance Objectives were satisfied at the end of such period and pro-rated for the portion of the Performance Period during which the Participant was employed by the Company or an Affiliate; provided, however, that the Board may provide for an earlier payment in settlement of such Performance Shares in such amount and under such terms and conditions as the Board deems appropriate or desirable.

9.7 The settlement of a Performance Share shall be made in cash, whole shares of Common Stock or a combination thereof and shall be made as soon as practicable after the end of the applicable Performance Period. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the Board in its sole discretion may allow a Participant to defer payment in settlement of Performance Shares on terms and conditions approved by the Board and set forth in the related Award Agreement entered into in advance of the time of receipt or constructive receipt of payment by the Participant.

9.8 Performance Shares shall not be transferable by the Participant. The Board shall have the authority to place additional restrictions on the Performance Shares including, but not limited to, restrictions on transfer of any shares of Common Stock that are delivered to a Participant in settlement of any Performance Shares.

ARTICLE X -- CHANGES OF CONTROL OR OTHER FUNDAMENTAL CHANGES

10.1 Upon the occurrence of a Change of Control and unless otherwise provided in the Award Agreement with respect to a particular Award:

(a) all outstanding Stock Options shall become immediately exercisable in full, subject to any appropriate adjustments in the number of shares subject to the Stock Option and the Option Price, and shall remain exercisable for the remaining Option Period, regardless of any provision in the related Award Agreement limiting the exercisability of such Stock Option or any portion thereof for any length of time;

(b) all outstanding Performance Shares with respect to which the applicable Performance Period has not been completed shall be paid out as soon as practicable as follows:

(i) all Performance Objectives applicable to the Award of Performance Shares shall be deemed to have been satisfied to the extent necessary to earn one hundred percent (100%) of the Performance Shares covered by the Award;

(ii) the applicable Performance Period shall be deemed to have been completed upon occurrence of the Change of Control;

(iii) the payment to the Participant in settlement of the Performance Shares shall be the amount determined by the Board, in its sole discretion, or in the manner stated in the Award Agreement, as multiplied by a fraction, the numerator of which is the number of full calendar months of the applicable Performance Period that have elapsed prior to occurrence of the Change of Control, and the denominator of which is the total number of months in the original Performance Period; and

(iv) upon the making of any such payment, the Award Agreement as to which it relates shall be deemed terminated and of no further force and effect.

(c) all outstanding shares of Restricted Stock with respect to which the restrictions have not lapsed shall be deemed vested, and all such restrictions shall be deemed lapsed and the Restriction Period ended.

10.2 Anything contained herein to the contrary notwithstanding, upon the dissolution or liquidation of the Company, each Award granted under the Plan and then outstanding shall terminate; provided, however, that following the adoption of a plan of dissolution or liquidation, and in any event prior to the effective date of such dissolution or liquidation, each such outstanding Award granted hereunder shall be exercisable in full and all restrictions shall lapse, to the extent set forth in Section 10.1(a), (b) and (c) above.

10.3 After the merger of one or more corporations into the Company or any Affiliate, any merger of the Company into another corporation, any consolidation of the Company or any Affiliate of the Company and one or more corporations, or any other corporate reorganization of any form involving the Company as a party thereto and involving any exchange, conversion, adjustment or other modification of the outstanding shares of the Common Stock, each Participant shall, at no additional cost, be entitled, upon any exercise of such Participant's Stock Option, to receive, in lieu of the number of shares as to which such Stock Option shall then be so exercised, the number and class of shares of stock or other securities or such other property to which such Participant would have been entitled to pursuant to the terms of the agreement of merger or consolidation or reorganization, if at the time of such merger or consolidation or reorganization, such Participant had been a holder of record of a number of shares of Common Stock equal to the number of shares as to which such Stock Option shall then be so exercised. Comparable rights shall accrue to each Participant in the event of successive mergers, consolidations or reorganizations of the character described above. The Board may, in its sole discretion, provide for similar adjustments upon the occurrence of such events with regard to other outstanding Awards under this Plan. The foregoing adjustments and the manner of application of the foregoing provisions shall be determined by the Board in its sole discretion. Any such adjustment may provide for the elimination of any fractional shares which might otherwise become subject to an Award. All adjustments made as the result of the foregoing in respect of each Incentive Stock Option shall be made so that such Incentive Stock Option shall continue to be an Incentive Stock Option, as defined in Section 422 of the Code.

ARTICLE XI -- AMENDMENT AND TERMINATION

11.1 Subject to the provisions of Section 11.2, the Board of Directors at any time and from time to time may amend or terminate the Plan as may be necessary or desirable to implement or discontinue the Plan or any provision hereof. To the extent required by the Act or the Code, however, no amendment, without approval by the Company's shareholders, shall:

- (a) materially alter the group of persons eligible to participate in the Plan;
- (b) except as provided in Section 3.4, change the maximum aggregate number of shares of Common Stock that are available for Awards under the Plan;
- (c) alter the class of individuals eligible to receive an Incentive Stock Option or increase the limit on Incentive Stock Options set forth in Section 4.1(d) or the value of shares of Common Stock for which an Eligible Employee may be granted an Incentive Stock Option.

11.2 No amendment to or discontinuance of the Plan or any provision hereof by the Board of Directors or the shareholders of the Company shall, without the written consent of the Participant, adversely affect (in the sole discretion of the Board) any Award theretofore granted to such Participant under this Plan; provided, however, that the Board retains the right and power to:

- (a) annul any Award if the Participant is terminated for cause as determined by the Board; and
- (b) convert any outstanding Incentive Stock Option to a Nonqualified Stock Option.

11.3 If a Change of Control has occurred, no amendment or termination shall impair the rights of any person with respect to an outstanding Award as provided in Article X.

ARTICLE XII -- MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS

12.1 Nothing in the Plan or any Award granted hereunder shall confer upon any Participant any right to continue in the employ of the Company or its Affiliates or to serve as a Director or shall interfere in any way with the right of the Company or its Affiliates or the shareholders of the Company, as applicable, to terminate the employment of a Participant or to release or remove a Director at any time. Unless specifically provided otherwise, no Award granted under the Plan shall be deemed salary or compensation for the purpose of computing benefits under any employee benefit plan or other arrangement of the Company or its Affiliates for the benefit of their respective employees unless the Company shall determine otherwise. No Participant shall have any claim to an Award until it is actually granted under the Plan and an Award Agreement has been executed and delivered to the Company. To the extent that any person acquires a right to receive payments from the Company under the Plan, such right shall, except as otherwise provided by the Board, be no greater than the right of an unsecured general creditor of the Company. All payments to be made hereunder shall be paid from the general funds of the Company, and no special or separate fund shall be established and no segregation of assets shall be made to assure payment of such amounts, except as provided in Article VII with respect to Restricted Stock and except as otherwise provided by the Board.

12.2 The Plan and the grant of Awards shall be subject to all applicable federal and state laws, rules, and regulations and to such approvals by any government or regulatory agency as may be required. Any provision herein relating to compliance with Rule 16b-3 under the Act shall not be applicable with respect to participation in the Plan by Participants who are not subject to Section 16 of the Act.

12.3 The terms of the Plan shall be binding upon the Company, its successors and assigns.

12.4 Neither a Stock Option nor any other type of equity-based compensation provided for hereunder shall be transferable except as provided for in Section 6.2. In addition to the transfer restrictions otherwise contained herein, additional transfer restrictions shall apply to the extent required by federal or state securities laws. If any Participant makes such a transfer in violation hereof, any obligation hereunder of the Company to such Participant shall terminate immediately.

12.5 This Plan and all actions taken hereunder shall be governed by the laws of the State of Nevada.

12.6 Each Participant exercising an Award hereunder agrees to give the Board prompt written notice of any election made by such Participant under Section 83(b) of the Code, or any similar provision thereof.

12.7 If any provision of this Plan or an Award Agreement is or becomes or is deemed invalid, illegal or unenforceable in any jurisdiction, or would disqualify the Plan or any Award Agreement under any law deemed applicable by the Board, such provision shall be construed or deemed amended to conform to applicable laws, or if it cannot be construed or deemed amended without, in the determination of the Board, materially altering the intent of the Plan or the Award Agreement, it shall be stricken, and the remainder of the Plan or the Award Agreement shall remain in full force and effect.

12.8 The grant of an Award pursuant to this Plan shall not affect in any way the right or power of the Company or any of its Affiliates to make adjustments, reclassification, reorganizations, or changes of its capital or business structure, or to merge or consolidate, or to dissolve, liquidate or sell, or to transfer all or part of its business or assets.

12.9 The Plan is not subject to the provisions of ERISA or qualified under Section 401(a) of the Code.

12.10 If a Participant is required to pay to the Company an amount with respect to income and employment tax withholding obligations in connection with (i) the exercise of a Nonqualified Stock Option, (ii) certain dispositions of Common Stock acquired upon the exercise of an Incentive Stock Option, or (iii) the receipt of Common Stock pursuant to any other Award, then the issuance of Common Stock to such Participant shall not be made (or the transfer of shares by such Participant shall not be required to be effected, as applicable) unless such withholding tax or other withholding liabilities shall have been satisfied in a manner acceptable to the Company. To the extent provided by the terms of an Award Agreement, the Participant may satisfy any federal, state or local tax withholding obligation relating to the exercise or acquisition of Common Stock under an Award by any of the following means (in addition to the Company's right to withhold from any compensation paid to the Participant by the Company) or by a combination of such means: (i) tendering a cash payment; (ii) authorizing the Company to withhold shares of Common Stock from the shares of Common Stock otherwise issuable to the Participant as a result of the exercise or acquisition of Common Stock under the Award, provided, however, that no shares of Common Stock are withheld with a value exceeding the minimum amount of tax required to be withheld by law; or (iii) delivering to the Company owned and unencumbered shares of Common Stock.

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