







13.2 In the event that the Company is required by a party other than the Customer to present the results or findings of Services carried out by the Company for the Customer in any legal proceedings relating to the Customer, the Customer shall pay all costs and fees arising from any services which the Company is required to do as a result, including the preparation of any witness statement and the preparation for and appearance at any court hearing. The Customer shall pay all such costs, whether or not the Customer has paid all outstanding Consideration under the Contract and whether or not the Company has closed the Customer's file in respect of the matter.

13.3 If any aspect or element of the Services (including any Sample) is, or is likely to be, the subject of or relevant to legal proceedings, this fact must be notified to the Company in writing before the Services are carried out. If that fact is not disclosed to the Company at that stage, the Company may not, in its absolute discretion, be prepared to provide expert testimony.

13.4 This condition 13 shall survive termination of the Contract.

#### **14. Termination**

For the purposes of this condition 14, "Sanctions Rules" shall mean any applicable trade or economic sanctions, export control, embargo or similar laws, regulations, rules, measures, restrictions, restricted or designated party lists, licences, orders, or requirements, in force from time to time, including without limit those of the European Union, the United Kingdom, the United States and the United Nations.

14.1 If the Customer becomes subject to any of the events listed in sub-condition 14.2, the Company may terminate the Contract with immediate effect by giving written notice to the Customer.

14.2 For the purposes of sub-condition 14.1, the relevant events are:

14.2.1 if the Customer commits a breach of any terms of the Contract or any other contract with the Company which is incapable of remedy or, if capable of remedy, has not been remedied by the Customer in accordance with a written notice from the Company requiring remedy within the period specified in the said notice;

14.2.2 if the Customer fails to make payment of the Consideration within the specified time;

14.2.3 the Customer makes any voluntary arrangement with its creditors or becomes subject to an administration order or (being an individual or firm) becomes bankrupt or (being a company) goes into liquidation (otherwise than for the purposes of amalgamation or reconstruction) or ceases or suspends payment of any of its debts or is unable to pay its debts as they fall due within the meaning of section 123 of the Insolvency Act 1986;

14.2.4 an encumbrancer takes possession, or a receiver or administrator is appointed, over any of the property or assets of the Customer;

14.2.5 the Customer ceases, or threatens to cease, to carry on business;

14.2.6 the Company reasonably apprehends that any of the events mentioned at sub-conditions 14.2.1 to 14.2.5 above is about to occur in relation to the Customer and notifies the Customer accordingly; and

14.2.7 if the Company reasonably apprehends that providing the Services or dealing with the Customer would be in breach of Sanctions Rules, the Customer fails to satisfy due diligence requests made by the Company in connection with compliance with Sanctions Rules or other relevant laws or regulations or the Customer does anything which is in breach of, or would cause the Company to be in breach of, Sanctions Rules.

14.3 On termination of the Contract for any reason the Customer shall immediately pay to the Company all indebtedness to the Company with applicable interest.

14.4 Termination of the Contract, however arising, shall not affect any of the parties' rights, remedies, obligations and liabilities that have accrued as at termination.

14.5 Conditions which expressly or by implication survive termination of the Contract shall continue in full force and effect.

#### **15. Force Majeure**

The parties shall not be liable for delay in performing, or failure to perform, any obligation under the Contract if such delay or failure to perform is caused directly or indirectly by any act of God, flood, drought, earthquake or other natural disaster, pandemic, epidemic, war, armed conflict, imposition of sanctions, embargo, or breaking off of diplomatic relations, riot, accident, terrorism, explosion, strike or labour dispute, any law, or any action taken by a government or public authority, including without limitation imposing an export or import restriction, quota or prohibition, or failing to grant a necessary licence or consent, delay or default by subcontractor or supplier of materials or services, the existence of any circumstance making performance commercially impracticable or any other cause beyond the party's reasonable control, provided that this condition 15 shall not apply to any obligation to make any payments due to the Company under the Contract.

#### **16. Waiver of Compliance**

Waiver by either party hereto of a breach by the other party of any of the provisions of these Terms and Conditions shall not be deemed a waiver of future compliance therewith, and such provisions shall remain in full force and effect.

#### **17. Entire Agreement**

17.1 The Contract constitutes the entire agreement between the parties and supersedes and extinguishes all previous agreements, promises, assurances, warranties, representations, and understandings between them, whether written or oral, relating to its subject matter.

17.2 Each party agrees that it shall have no remedies in respect of any statement, representation, assurance, or warranty (whether made innocently or negligently) that is not set out in the Contract. Each party agrees that it shall have no claim for innocent or negligent misrepresentation or negligent misstatement based on any statement in the Contract.

#### **18. Severability**

If any provision or remedy herein provided for be invalid or unenforceable or unlawful under any applicable law in whole or in part, it shall be deemed to be amended in so far as it is possible to do so in order to make it enforceable whilst retaining its purpose or severed from the Contract if it is not possible to do so and the remaining provisions of these Terms and Conditions, including any remaining default remedies, shall be given effect in accordance with the intent hereof. In the Company's sole discretion it may terminate the Contract by not less than seven (7) days' written notice to the Customer in the event that it considers that such deletion will have a materially adverse effect on its rights under the Contract.

#### **19. No Partnership or Agency**

- (b) assist the Data Controller by implementing appropriate technical and organisational measures to enable the Data

class or airmail pre-paid post in each case to the registered address, if applicable, or if not applicable the last known address of the other party.

**27. No Waiver**

No failure or delay by the Company to exercise any right, power or remedy will operate as a waiver of it nor will any partial exercise preclude any further exercise of the same or of some other right, power or remedy.

**28. Governing Law**

28.1 The Contract and any dispute or claim arising out of or in connection with it or its subject matter or formation (including non-contractual disputes or claims)