

# Registration of a Charge

Company Name: HCT GROUP
Company Number: 01747483

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# **Details of Charge**

Date of creation: 24/06/2022

Charge code: 0174 7483 0015

Persons entitled: BIG ISSUE SOCIAL INVESTMENTS LIMITED AS SECURITY AGENT

Brief description: NIL

Contains fixed charge(s).

Contains floating charge(s) (floating charge covers all the property or

undertaking of the company).

Contains negative pledge.

## **Authentication of Form**

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# CERTIFICATE OF THE REGISTRATION OF A CHARGE

Company number: 1747483

Charge code: 0174 7483 0015

The Registrar of Companies for England and Wales hereby certifies that a charge dated 24th June 2022 and created by HCT GROUP was delivered pursuant to Chapter A1 Part 25 of the Companies Act 2006 on 28th June 2022.

Given at Companies House, Cardiff on 30th June 2022

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24 June **2022** 

Debenture

Between

THE ENTITIES LISTED IN SCHEDULE 1

as Chargors

and

BIG ISSUE SOCIAL INVESTMENTS LIMITED

as Security Agent

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**THIS DEED** is made on 24 June 2022 between the following parties

- (1) THE CHARGORS listed in Schedule 1 (each a "Chargor")
- (2) BIG ISSUE SOCIAL INVESTMENTS LIMITED in its capacity as security agent for the Secured Parties on the terms and conditions set out in the Super Senior Loan Agreement (the "Security Agent")

#### **IT IS AGREED** as follows

#### 1 DEFINITIONS AND INTERPRETATION

#### 1.1 Definitions

Terms defined in the other Finance Documents shall, unless otherwise defined in this Deed, have the same meaning in this Deed. In addition, the following definitions apply in this Deed:

"Administrator" means an administrator appointed to manage the affairs, business and property of the Chargors pursuant to clause 14.8.

"Blocked Account" shall have the meaning ascribed to it into the Super Senior Loan Agreement.

"Book Debts" means all present and future book and other debts, and monetary claims due or owing to the Chargors, and the benefit of all security, guarantees and other rights of any nature enjoyed or held by any Chargor in relation to any of them.

"Borrower" means HCT Group (a charitable company incorporated and registered in England and Wales under company registration number 01747483 and a charity registered with the Charity Commission of England and Wales with registered charity number 1091318), the registered office of which is at Can Mezzanine, 7-14 Great Dover Street, London, England, SE1 4YR.

"Business Day" means a day other than a Saturday, Sunday or public holiday in England when banks in London are open for business.

"Delegate" means any person appointed by the Security Agent or any Receiver pursuant to clause 19 and any person appointed as attorney of the Security Agent, Receiver or Delegate.

"Designated Account" means any account of the relevant Chargor nominated by the Security Agent as a designated account for the purposes of this Deed.

"Environment" means the natural and man-made environment including all or any of the following media, namely air, water and land (including air within buildings and other natural or man-made structures above or below the ground) and any living organisms (including man) or systems supported by those media.

"Environmental Law" means all applicable laws, statutes, regulations, secondary legislation, byelaws, common law, directives, treaties and other measures, judgments and decisions of any court or tribunal, codes of practice and guidance notes in so far as they relate to or apply to the Environment.

"Equipment" means all present and future equipment, plant, machinery, tools, vehicles, furniture, fittings, installations and apparatus and other tangible moveable property for the time being owned by the Chargors, including any part of it and all spare parts, replacements, modifications and additions.

"Event of Default" has the meaning given to that expression in the Super Senior Loan Agreement.

- "Finance Documents" means the Super Senior Loan Agreement, the Intercreditor Deed, this Deed, and any other documents referred to as "Finance Documents" in the Super Senior Loan Agreement.
- "Financial Collateral" means shall have the meaning given to that expression in the Financial Collateral Regulations.
- "Financial Collateral Regulations" means the Financial Collateral Arrangements (No 2) Regulations 2003 (S/ 2003/3226) (as amended).
- "Insurance Policy" means each contract and policy of insurance effected or maintained by the Chargors from time to time in respect of its assets or business (including, without limitation, any contract or policy of insurance relating to the Properties or the Equipment).
- "Intellectual Property" means the Chargor's present and future patents, trade marks, service marks, trade names, designs, copyrights, inventions, topographical or similar rights, confidential information and know-how and any interest in any of these rights, whether or not registered, including all applications and rights to apply for registration and all fees, royalties and other rights derived from, or incidental to, these rights.
- "Intercreditor Deed" means the intercreditor deed dated on or about the date of this Deed and made between among others, the Chargors (as original debtors), Big Issue Social Investments Limited (as super senior agent), Big Issue Social Investments Limited (as senior agent), Big Issue Social Investments Limited (as junior agent) and Big Issue Social Investments Limited as Security Agent for an on behalf of the Secured Parties.
- "Investments" means all present and future certificated stocks, shares, loan capital, securities, bonds and investments (whether or not marketable) for the time being owned (at law or in equity) by the Chargors, including any: (a) dividend, interest or other distribution paid or payable in relation to any of the Investments; and (b) right, money, shares or property accruing, offered or issued at any time in relation to any of the Investments by way of redemption, substitution, exchange, conversion, bonus, preference or otherwise, under option rights or otherwise.
- "LPA 1925" means Law of Property Act 1925.
- "Permitted Security" has the meaning given to that expression in the Super Senior Loan Agreement.
- "Properties" means all freehold and leasehold properties (whether registered or unregistered) and all commonhold properties, now or in the future (and from time to time) owned by the Chargors, or in which any Chargor holds an interest (including, but not limited to, the properties specified in Schedule 2), and Property means any of them.
- "Receiver" means a receiver, receiver and manager or administrative receiver of any or all of the Secured Assets appointed by the Security Agent under clause 17 (Receiver).
- "Relevant Agreement" means each agreement specified in Schedule 3.
- "Secured Assets" means all the assets, property and undertaking for the time being subject to the Security created by, or pursuant to, this Deed (and references to the Secured Assets shall include references to any part of them).
- "Secured Liabilities" means all present and future monies, obligations and liabilities and all "Liabilities" (as such term is defined in the Intercreditor Deed) in each case of each Chargor to the Security Agent (whether for its own account or as trustee for the Secured Parties) or any other Secured Party, whether actual or contingent and whether owed jointly or severally, as principal or surety or in any other capacity, under or in connection with the Finance Documents (including, without limitation, those arising under clause 31.3 (*Discharge conditional*)), together with all

interest (including, without limitation, default interest) accruing in respect of those monies, obligations or liabilities.

"Secured Parties" means the Finance Parties, any Receiver and any Delegate.

"Security Financial Collateral Arrangement" means shall have the meaning given to that expression in the Financial Collateral Regulations.

"Security" means any mortgage, charge (whether fixed or floating, legal or equitable), pledge, lien, assignment by way of security or other security interest securing any obligation of any person, or any other agreement or arrangement having a similar effect.

"Security Period" means the period starting on the date of this Deed and ending on the date on which the Security Agent is satisfied that all the Secured Liabilities have been unconditionally and irrevocably paid and discharged in full and no further Secured Liabilities are capable of being outstanding.

"Super Senior Loan Agreement" means the super senior loan agreement dated on or about the date of this Deed and entered into between, among others, the Borrower (as borrower), the Security Agent, Big Issue Social Investments Limited acting in its capacity as general partner for and on behalf of Big Issue Social Enterprise Investment Fund LP (as original lender) and TP Leasing Limited (as original lender).

## 1.2 Interpretation

In this Deed:

- (a) clause and Schedule headings shall not affect the interpretation of this Deed;
- (b) a reference to a person shall include a reference to an individual, firm, company, corporation, partnership, unincorporated body of persons, government, state or agency of a state or any association, trust, joint venture or consortium (whether or not having separate legal personality) and that person's personal representatives, successors, permitted assigns and permitted transferees;
- (c) unless the context otherwise requires, words in the singular shall include the plural and in the plural shall include the singular;
- (d) unless the context otherwise requires, a reference to one gender shall include a reference to the other genders;
- (e) a reference to a party shall include that party's successors, permitted assigns and permitted transferees;
- (f) a reference to a statute or statutory provision is a reference to it as amended, extended or re-enacted from time to time;
- (g) a reference to a statute or statutory provision shall include all subordinate legislation made from time to time under that statute or statutory provision;
- (h) a reference to writing or written includes both fax and e-mail;
- (i) an obligation on a party not to do something includes an obligation not to allow that thing to be done;
- a reference to this Deed (or any provision of it) or to any other agreement or document referred to in this Deed is a reference to this Deed, that provision or such other agreement

- or document as amended (in each case, other than in breach of the provisions of this Deed) from time to time;
- (k) unless the context otherwise requires, a reference to a clause or Schedule is to a clause of, or Schedule to, this Deed and a reference to a paragraph is to a paragraph of the relevant Schedule:
- (l) any words following the terms including, include, in particular, for example or any similar expression shall be construed as illustrative and shall not limit the sense of the words, description, definition, phrase or term preceding those terms;
- (m) a reference to an amendment includes a novation, re-enactment, supplement or variation (and amended shall be construed accordingly);
- (n) a reference to assets includes present and future properties, undertakings, revenues, rights and benefits of every description;
- (o) a reference to an authorisation includes an approval, authorisation, consent, exemption, filing, licence, notarisation, registration and resolution;
- (p) a reference to continuing in relation to an Event of Default means an Event of Default that has not been remedied or waived;
- (q) a reference to determines or determined means, unless the contrary is indicated, a determination made at the absolute discretion of the person making it; and
- (r) a reference to a regulation includes any regulation, rule, official directive, request or guideline (whether or not having the force of law) of any governmental, intergovernmental or supranational body, agency, department or regulatory, self-regulatory or other authority or organisation.

#### 1.3 Claw-back

If the Security Agent considers that an amount paid by any Chargor in respect of the Secured Liabilities is capable of being avoided or otherwise set aside on the liquidation or administration of that Chargor or otherwise, then that amount shall not be considered to have been irrevocably paid for the purposes of this Deed.

#### 1.4 Nature of security over real property

A reference in this Deed to a charge or mortgage of or over any Property includes:

- (a) all buildings and fixtures and fittings (including trade and tenant's fixtures and fittings) that are situated on or form part of that Property at any time;
- (b) the proceeds of the sale of any part of that Property and any other monies paid or payable in respect of or in connection with that Property;
- (c) the benefit of any covenants for title given, or entered into, by any predecessor in title of any Chargor in respect of that Property, and any monies paid or payable in respect of those covenants; and
- (d) all rights under any licence, agreement for sale or agreement for lease In respect of that Property.

#### 1.5 Law of Property (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1989

For the purposes of section 2 of the Law of Property (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1989, the terms of the Super Senior Loan Agreement and of any side letters between any parties in relation to the Super Senior Loan Agreement are incorporated into this Deed.

## 1.6 Perpetuity period

If the rule against perpetuities applies to any trust created by this Deed, the perpetuity period shall be 125 years (as specified by section 5(1) of the Perpetuities and Accumulations Act 2009).

#### 1.7 Schedules

The Schedules form part of this Deed and shall have effect as if set out in full in the body of this Deed. Any reference to this Deed includes the Schedules.

## 2 COVENANT TO PAY

Each Chargor shall, on demand, pay to the Security Agent as trustee for the Secured Parties and discharge the Secured Liabilities when they become due and indemnify the Security Agent and each of the Secured Parties against any losses, costs, charges, expenses and liabilities arising from any breach or failure to pay, discharge and satisfy the Secured Liabilities in accordance with their respective terms.

#### 3 GRANT OF SECURITY

#### 3.1 Legal mortgage

As a continuing security for the payment and discharge of the Secured Liabilities, each Chargor with full title guarantee charges to the Security Agent, by way of first legal mortgage, each Property specified in Schedule 2.

#### 3.2 Fixed charges

As a continuing security for the payment and discharge of the Secured Liabilities, each Chargor with full title guarantee charges to the Security Agent as trustee for the Secured Parties by way of first fixed charge:

- (a) all Properties acquired by each Chargor in the future;
- (b) all present and future interests of each Chargor not effectively mortgaged or charged under the preceding provisions of this clause 3 in, or over, freehold or leasehold property;
- (c) all present and future rights, licences, guarantees, rents, deposits, contracts, covenants and warranties relating to each Property:
- (d) all licences, consents and authorisations (statutory or otherwise) held or required in connection with each Chargor's business or the use of any Secured Asset, and all rights in connection with them:
- (e) all its present and future goodwill;
- (f) all its uncalled capital;
- (g) all the Equipment;
- (h) all the Intellectual Property;

- (i) all the Book Debts:
- (j) all the Investments;
- (k) all monies from time to time standing to the credit of its accounts with any bank, financial institution or other person (including each Designated Account and the Blocked Account), together with all other rights and benefits accruing to or arising in connection with each account (including, but not limited to, entitlements to interest);
- (l) all its rights in respect of each Insurance Policy, including all claims, the proceeds of all claims and all returns of premium in connection with each Insurance Policy, to the extent not effectively assigned under clause 3.3; and
- (m) all its rights in respect of each Relevant Agreement and all other agreements, instruments and rights relating to the Secured Assets, to the extent not effectively assigned under clause 3.3.

#### 3.3 Assignment

As a continuing security for the payment and discharge of the Secured Liabilities, each Chargor with full title guarantee assigns to the Security Agent absolutely, subject to a proviso for reassignment on irrevocable discharge in full of the Secured Liabilities:

- (a) all its rights in each Insurance Policy, including all claims, the proceeds of all claims and all returns of premium in connection with each Insurance Policy; and
- (b) the benefit of each Relevant Agreement and the benefit of alt other agreements, instruments and rights relating to the Secured Assets.

## 3.4 Floating charge

As a continuing security for the payment and discharge of the Secured Liabilities, each Chargor with full title guarantee charges to the Security Agent, by way of first floating charge, all the undertaking, property, assets and rights of each Chargor at any time not effectively mortgaged, charged or assigned pursuant to clause 3.1 to clause 3.3 inclusive.

## 3.5 Qualifying floating charge

The floating charge created by this Deed is a qualifying floating charge for the purpose of paragraph 14 of Schedule B1 to the Insolvency Act 1986, and paragraph 14 of Schedule B1 to the Insolvency Act 1986 shall apply to the floating charge created by this Deed.

## 3.6 Automatic crystallisation of floating charge

The floating charge created by clause 3.4 shall automatically and immediately (without notice) convert into a fixed charge over the assets subject to that floating charge if:

- (a) any Chargor:
  - (i) creates, or attempts to create, without the prior written consent of the Secured Parties, a Security or a trust in favour of another person over all or any part of the Secured Assets (except as expressly permitted by the terms of this Deed, the Super Senior Loan Agreement or the Intercreditor Agreement); or
  - (ii) disposes, or attempts to dispose of, all or any part of the Secured Assets (other than Secured Assets that are only subject to the floating charge while it remains uncrystallised);

- (b) any person levies (or attempts to levy) any distress, attachment, execution or other process against all or any part of the Secured Assets; or
- (c) a resolution is passed or an order is made for the winding-up, dissolution, administration or re-organisation of any Chargor.

## 3.7 Crystallisation of floating charge by notice

The Security Agent may, in its sole discretion, at any time and by written notice to any Chargor, convert the floating charge created under this Deed into a fixed charge as regards any part of the Secured Assets specified by the Security Agent in that notice.

## 3.8 Assets acquired after any floating charge has crystallised

Any asset acquired by any Chargor after any crystallisation of the floating charge created under this Deed that, but for that crystallisation, would be subject to a floating charge under this Deed, shall (unless the Security Agent confirms otherwise to that Chargor in writing) be charged to the Security Agent by way of first fixed charge.

#### 4 LIABILITY OF EACH CHARGOR

#### 4.1 Liability not discharged

Each Chargor's liability under this Deed in respect of any of the Secured Liabilities shall not be discharged, prejudiced or affected by:

- (a) any security, guarantee, indemnity, remedy or other right held by, or available to, the Security Agent that is, or becomes, wholly or partially illegal, void or unenforceable on any ground:
- (b) the Security Agent renewing, determining, varying or increasing any facility or other transaction in any manner or concurring in, accepting or varying any compromise, arrangement or settlement, or omitting to claim or enforce payment from any other person; or
- (c) any other act or omission that, but for this clause 4.1, might have discharged, or otherwise prejudiced or affected, the liability of any Chargor.

#### 4.2 Immediate recourse

Each Chargor waives any right it may have to require any Secured Party to enforce any security or other right, or claim any payment from, or otherwise proceed against, any other person before enforcing this Deed against any Chargor.

## 5 REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES

# 5.1 Representations and warranties

Each Chargor makes the representations and warranties set out in this clause 5 to the Secured Parties.

#### 5.2 Ownership of Secured Assets

Each Chargor is the sole legal and beneficial owner of the Secured Assets.

## 5.3 No Security

The Secured Assets are free from any Security other than Permitted Security and the Security created by this Deed.

#### 5.4 No adverse claims

No Chargor has received, or acknowledged notice of, any adverse claim by any person in respect of the Secured Assets or any interest in them.

#### 5.5 No adverse covenants

There are no covenants, agreements, reservations, conditions, interests, rights or other matters whatsoever that materially and adversely affect the Secured Assets.

#### 5.6 No breach of laws

There is no breach of any law or regulation that materially and adversely affects the Secured Assets.

#### 5.7 No interference in enjoyment

No facility necessary for the enjoyment and use of the Secured Assets is subject to terms entitling any person to terminate or curtail its use.

## 5.8 No overriding Interests

Nothing has arisen, has been created or is subsisting, that would be an overriding interest in any Property.

## 5.9 Avoidance of security

No Security expressed to be created under this Deed is liable to be avoided, or otherwise set aside, on the liquidation or administration of any Chargor or otherwise.

## 5.10 No prohibitions or breaches

There is no prohibition on assignment in any Insurance Policy or Relevant Agreement and the entry into this Deed by the Chargors does not, and will not, constitute a breach of any Insurance Policy, Relevant Agreement or any other agreement or instrument binding on the Chargors or their assets.

#### **5.11** Environmental compliance

Each Chargor has, at all times, complied in all material respects with all applicable Environmental Law.

# **5.12** Enforceable security

This Deed constitutes and will constitute the legal, valid, binding and enforceable obligations of each Chargor, and is, and will continue to be, effective security over all and every part of the Secured Assets in accordance with its terms.

#### 5.13 Investments

- (a) The Investments are fully paid and are not subject to any option to purchase or similar rights.
- (b) No constitutional document of an issuer of an Investment, nor any other agreement:

- (i) restricts or inhibits any transfer of the Investments on creation or enforcement of the security constituted by this Deed; or
- (ii) contains any rights of pre-emption in relation to the Investments.

## 5.14 Times for making representations and warranties

The representations and warranties set out in clause 5.2 to clause 5.13 are made by each Chargor on the date of this Deed and the representations and warranties contained in clause 5.2 to 5.8 are deemed to be repeated on each day of the Security Period with reference to the facts and circumstances existing at the time of repetition.

#### 6 GENERAL COVENANTS

## 6.1 Negative pledge and disposal restrictions

No Chargor shall at any time, except with the prior written consent of the Secured Parties:

- (a) create, purport to create or permit to subsist any Security on, or in relation to, any Secured Asset other than any Security created by this Deed or any Permitted Security;
- (b) sell, assign, transfer, part with possession of, or otherwise dispose of in any manner (or purport to do so), all or any part of, or any interest in, the Secured Assets (other than as permitted under the Super Senior Loan Agreement); or
- create or grant (or purport to create or grant) any interest in the Secured Assets in favour of a third party (other than as permitted under the Super Senior Loan Agreement).

#### **6.2** Preservation of Secured Assets

No Chargor shall do, or permit to be done, any act or thing that would or might depreciate, jeopardise or otherwise prejudice the security held by the Security Agent, or materially diminish the value of any of the Secured Assets or the effectiveness of the security created by this Deed.

## 6.3 Chargor's waiver of set-off

Each Chargor waives any present or future right of set-off it may have in respect of the Secured Liabilities (including sums payable by each Chargor under this Deed).

## 6.4 Compliance with laws and regulations

- (a) No Chargor shall, without the Security Agent's prior written consent, use or permit the Secured Assets to be used in any way contrary to law.
- (b) Each Chargor shall:
  - (i) comply with the requirements of any law and regulation relating to or affecting the Secured Assets or the use of it or any part of them;
  - (ii) obtain, and promptly renew from time to time, and comply with the terms of all authorisations that are required in connection with the Secured Assets or their use or that are necessary to preserve, maintain or renew any Secured Asset; and
  - (iii) promptly effect any maintenance, modifications, alterations or repairs that are required by any law or regulation to be effected on or in connection with the Secured Assets.

## 6.5 Enforcement of rights

Each Chargor shall use its best endeavours to:

- (a) procure the prompt observance and performance of the covenants and other obligations imposed on each Chargor's counterparties (including each counterparty in respect of a Relevant Agreement and each insurer in respect of an Insurance Policy); and
- (b) enforce any rights and institute, continue or defend any proceedings relating to any of the Secured Assets that the Security Agent may require from time to time.

### 6.6 Notice of misrepresentation and breaches

Each Chargor shall, promptly on becoming aware of any of the same, notify the Security Agent in writing of:

- (a) any representation or warranty set out in clause 5 which is incorrect or misleading in any material respect when made or deemed to be repeated; and
- (b) any breach of any covenant set out in this Deed.

#### **6.7** Title documents

Each Chargor shall, on the execution of this Deed (or, if later, the date of acquisition of the relevant Secured Asset) and to the extent not already deposited with Big Issue Social Investments Limited, deposit with the Security Agent and the Security Agent shall, for the duration of this Deed be entitled to hold:

- (a) all deeds and documents of title relating to the Secured Assets that are in the possession or control of any Chargor (and if these are not within the possession or control of the relevant Chargor, the relevant Chargor undertakes to obtain possession of all these deeds and documents of title);
- (b) all Insurance Policies and any other insurance policies relating to any of the Secured Assets that any Chargor is entitled to possess;
- (c) all deeds and documents of title (if any) relating to the Book Debts as the Security Agent may specify from time to time; and
- (d) copies of all the Relevant Agreements, certified to be true copies by either a director of the Chargor or by the Chargor's solicitors.

#### 6.8 Insurance

- (a) Each Chargor shall insure and keep insured (or where, in the case of any leasehold property, insurance is the responsibility of the landlord under the terms of the lease, either procure that the landlord insures and keeps insured or, if and to the extent that the landlord does not do so, itself insure and keep insured) the Secured Assets against:
  - (i) loss or damage by fire or terrorist acts;
  - (ii) other risks, perils and contingencies that would be insured against by reasonably prudent persons carrying on the same class of business as the Chargor; and
  - (iii) any other risk, perils and contingencies as the Secured Parties may reasonably require.

Any such insurance must be with an insurance company or underwriters, and on such terms, as are reasonably acceptable to the Secured Parties, and must be for not less than the replacement value of the relevant Secured Assets.

- (b) Each Chargor shall, if requested by the Security Agent, produce to the Security Agent each policy, certificate or cover note relating to the insurance required by clause 6.8 (or where, in the case of any leasehold property, that insurance is effected by the landlord, such evidence of insurance as each Chargor is entitled to obtain from the landlord under the terms of the relevant lease).
- (c) Each Chargor shall, if requested by the Security Agent, procure that a note of the Secured Parties interest is endorsed upon each insurance policy maintained by it or any person on its behalf in accordance with clause 6.8 and that the terms of each such insurance policy require the insurer not to invalidate the policy as against the Security Agent by reason of the act or default of any other joint or named insured and not to cancel it without giving at least 30 days' prior written notice to the Security Agent.

## 6.9 Insurance premiums

Each Chargor shall:

- (a) promptly pay all premiums in respect of each insurance policy maintained by it in accordance with clause 6.8 and do all other things necessary to keep that policy in full force and effect; and
- (b) (if the Security Agent so requires) produce to, or deposit with, the Security Agent the receipts for all premiums and other payments necessary for effecting and keeping up each insurance policy maintained by it in accordance with clause 6.8.

#### 6.10 No invalidation of insurance

No Chargor shall do or omit to do, or permit to be done or omitted, any act or thing that may invalidate or otherwise prejudice any insurance policy maintained by it in accordance with clause 6.8.

#### **6.11** Proceeds of insurance policies

All monies received or receivable by each Chargor under any insurance policy maintained by it in accordance with clause 6.8 (including all monies received or receivable by it under any Insurance Policy) at any time (whether or not the security constituted by this Deed has become enforceable) shall:

- (a) immediately be paid into a Designated Account;
- (b) if they are not paid directly to the Security Agent by the insurers, be held by the relevant Chargor as trustee of the same for the benefit of the Security Agent (and the relevant Chargor shall account for them to the Security Agent); and
- (c) upon the occurrence of an Event of Default, be held upon trust for the Security Agent pending payment to the Security Agent for application in accordance with Clause 20 (Application of Proceeds) and each Chargor waives any right it may have to require that any such monies are applied in reinstatement of the Secured Assets.

## 6.12 Notices to be given by each Chargor

Each Chargor shall:

- (a) on the execution of this Deed and as so requested by the Security Agent from time to time:
  - (i) give notice to each counterparty to a Relevant Agreement in the form set out in Part 1 of Schedule 4; and
  - (ii) procure that each counterparty promptly provides to the Security Agent within five Business Days an acknowledgement of the notice in the form set out in Part 2 of Schedule 4;
- (b) on the execution of this Deed and as so requested by the Security Agent from time to time:
  - (i) give notice to each insurer under an Insurance Policy in the form set out in Part 1 of Schedule 5; and
  - (ii) procure that each insurer promptly provides to the Security Agent within five Business Days an acknowledgement of the notice in the form set out in Part 2 of Schedule 5; and
- (c) on the execution of this Deed and as so requested by the Security Agent from time to time:
  - (i) give notice to each bank, financial institution or other person with whom each Chargor holds an account (including each Designated Account and the Blocked Account) in the form set out in Part 1 of Schedule 6; and
  - (ii) use reasonable endeavours to procure that each such bank, financial institution or other person promptly provides to the Security Agent within ten Business Days an acknowledgement of the notice in the form of Part 2 of Schedule 6.

#### 6.13 Information

Each Chargor shall:

- (a) give the Security Agent such information concerning the location, condition, use and operation of the Secured Assets as the Security Agent may require;
- (b) permit any persons designated by the Security Agent and any Receiver to enter on its premises and inspect and examine any Secured Asset, and the records relating to that Secured Asset, at all reasonable times and on reasonable prior notice; and
- (c) promptly notify the Security Agent in writing of any action, claim, notice or demand made by or against it in connection with all or any part of a Secured Asset or of any fact, matter or circumstance which may, with the passage of time, give rise to such an action, claim, notice or demand, together with, in each case, each Chargor's proposals for settling, liquidating, compounding or contesting any such action, claim, notice or demand and shall, subject to the Security Agent's prior approval, implement those proposals at its own expense.

## 6.14 Payment of outgoings

Each Chargor shall promptly pay all taxes, fees, licence duties, registration charges, insurance premiums and other outgoings in respect of the Secured Assets and, on demand, produce evidence of payment to the Security Agent.

## 7 PROPERTY COVENANTS

#### 7.1 Maintenance

Each Chargor shall keep all buildings and all fixtures on each Property in good and substantial repair and condition.

## 7.2 Preservation of Property, fixtures and Equipment

No Chargor shall, without the prior written consent of the Security Agent:

- (a) pull down or remove the whole, or any part of, any building forming part of any Property or permit the same to occur;
- (b) make or permit any material alterations to any Property, or sever or remove, or permit to be severed or removed, any of its fixtures; or
- (c) remove or make any material alterations to any of the Equipment belonging to, or in use by, any Chargor on any Property (except to effect necessary repairs or replace them with new or improved models or substitutes).

#### 7.3 Conduct of business on Properties

Each Chargor shall carry on its trade and business on those parts (if any) of the Properties as are used for the purposes of trade or business in accordance with the standards of good management from time to time current in that trade or business.

## 7.4 Planning information

Each Chargor shall:

- (a) give full particulars to the Security Agent of any notice, order, direction, designation, resolution or proposal given or made by any planning authority or other public body or authority (a "Planning Notice") that specifically applies to any Property, or to the locality in which it is situated, within seven days after becoming aware of the relevant Planning Notice; and
- (b) at its own expense, immediately on request by the Security Agent, and at the cost of the relevant Chargor, take all reasonable and necessary steps to comply with any Planning Notice, and make, or join with the Security Agent in making, any objections or representations in respect of that Planning Notice that the Security Agent may desire.

## 7.5 Compliance with covenants and payment of rent

Each Chargor shall:

- (a) observe and perform all covenants, stipulations and conditions to which each Property, or the use of it, is or may be subjected, and (if the Security Agent so requires) produce evidence sufficient to satisfy the Security Agent that those covenants, stipulations and conditions have been observed and performed;
- (b) diligently enforce all covenants, stipulations and conditions benefiting each Property and shall not (and shall not agree to) waive, release or vary any of the same; and
- (c) (without prejudice to the generality of the foregoing) where a Property, or part of it, is held under a lease, duly and punctually pay all rents due from time to time, and perform and observe all the tenant's covenants and conditions.

## 7.6 Payment of rent and outgoings

Each Chargor shall:

- (a) where a Property, or part of it, is held under a lease, duly and punctually pay all rents due from time to time; and
- (b) pay (or procure payment of the same) when due all charges, rates, taxes, duties, assessments and other outgoings relating to or imposed on each Property or on its occupier.

### 7.7 Maintenance of interests in Properties

No Chargor shall, without the prior written consent of the Security Agent:

- grant, or agree to grant, any licence or tenancy affecting the whole or any part of any Property, or exercise, or agree to exercise, the statutory powers of leasing or of accepting surrenders under sections 99 or 100 of the Law of Property Act 1925; or
- (b) in any other way dispose of, surrender or create, or agree to dispose of surrender or create, any legal or equitable estate or interest in the whole or any part of any Property.

## 7.8 Registration restrictions

If the title to any Property is not registered at the Land Registry, each Chargor shall procure that no person (other than itself) shall be registered under the Land Registration Acts 1925 to 2002 as proprietor of all or any part of any Property without the prior written consent of the Security Agent. The Borrower shall be liable for the costs and expenses of the Security Agent in lodging cautions against the registration of the title to the whole or any part of any Property from time to time.

## 7.9 Development restrictions

No Chargor shall, without the prior written consent of the Security Agent:

- (a) make or, insofar as it is able, permit others to make any application for planning permission or development consent in respect of the Property; or
- (b) carry out, or permit, or suffer to be carried out on any Property any development as defined in the Town and Country Planning Act 1990 and the Planning Act 2008, or change or permit or suffer to be changed the use of any Property.

#### 7.10 Environment

Each Chargor shall:

- (a) comply with all the requirements of Environmental Law both in the conduct of its general business and in the management, possession or occupation of each Property; and
- (b) obtain and comply with all authorisations, permits and other types of licences necessary under Environmental Law.

## 7.11 No restrictive obligations

No Chargor shall, without the prior written consent of the Security Agent, enter into any onerous or restrictive obligations affecting the whole or any part of any Property, or create or permit to arise any overriding interest, easement or right whatever in or over the whole or any part of any Property.

#### 7.12 Proprietary rights

Each Chargor shall procure that no person shall become entitled to assert any proprietary or other like right or interest over the whole or any part of any Property without the prior written consent of the Security Agent.

## 7.13 Inspection

Each Chargor shall permit the Secured Parties and any person appointed by either of them to enter on and inspect any Property on reasonable prior notice.

### 7.14 Property Information

Each Chargor shall inform the Security Agent promptly of any acquisition by any Chargor of, or contract made by any Chargor to acquire, any freehold, leasehold or other interest in any property.

## 7.15 VAT option to tax

No Chargor shall, without the prior written consent of the Security Agent:

- (a) exercise any VAT option to tax in relation to any Property; or
- (b) revoke any VAT option to tax exercised, and disclosed to the Security Agent, before the date of this Deed.

## 7.16 Registration at the Land Registry

Each Chargor consents to an application being made to the Land Registrar for the following restriction in Form P to be registered against its title to each Property:

"No disposition of the registered estate by the proprietor of the registered estate [or by the proprietor of any registered charge, not being a charge registered before the entry of this restriction] is to be registered without a written consent signed by the proprietor for the time being of the charge dated [DATE] in favour of [NAME OF PARTY] referred to in the charges register [or [their conveyancer or specify appropriate details]]."

#### 8 INVESTMENTS COVENANTS

#### 8.1 Deposit of title documents

- (a) Each Chargor shall:
  - (i) on the execution of this Deed and to the extent not already delivered to Big Issue Social Investments Limited, deliver to the Security Agent, or as the Security Agent may direct, all stock or share certificates and other documents of title or evidence of ownership relating to any Investments owned by that Chargor at that time; and
  - (ii) on the purchase or acquisition by if of Investments after the date of this Deed, deposit with the Security Agent, or as the Security Agent may direct, all stock or share certificates and other documents of title or evidence of ownership relating to those Investments.
- (b) At the same time as depositing documents with the Security Agent, or as the Security Agent may direct, in accordance with clause 8.1, each Chargor shall also deposit with the Security Agent, or as the Security Agent may direct:

- (i) all stock transfer forms relating to the relevant Investments duly completed and executed by or on behalf of that Chargor, but with the name of the transferee, the consideration and the date left blank; and
- (ii) any other documents (in each case duly completed and executed by or on behalf of any Chargor) that the Security Agent may request to enable it or any of its nominees, or any purchaser or transferee, to be registered as the owner of, or otherwise obtain a legal title to, or to perfect its security interest in any of the relevant Investments.

so that the Security Agent may, at any time and without notice to that Chargor, complete and present those stock transfer forms and other documents to the issuer of the Investments for registration.

#### 8.2 Nominations

- (a) Each Chargor shall terminate with immediate effect all nominations it may have made (including, without limitation, any nomination made under section 145 or section 146 of the Companies Act 2006) in respect of any Investments and, pending that termination, procure that any person so nominated:
  - (i) does not exercise any rights in respect of any Investments without the prior written approval of the Security Agent; and
  - (ii) immediately on receipt by it, forward to the Security Agent all communications or other information received by it in respect of any Investments for which it has been so nominated.
- (b) No Chargor shall, during the Security Period, exercise any rights (including, without limitation, any rights under sections 145 and 146 of the Companies Act 2006) to nominate any person in respect of any of the Investments.

## 8.3 Pre-emption rights and restrictions on transfer

Each Chargor shall:

- (a) obtain all consents, waivers, approvals and permissions that are necessary, under the articles of association (or otherwise) of an issuer of any Investments, for the transfer of the Investments to the Security Agent or its nominee, or to a purchaser on enforcement of the security constituted by this Deed; and
- (b) procure the amendment of the share transfer provisions (including, but not limited to, deletion of any pre-emption provisions) under the articles of association, other constitutional document or otherwise of each issuer of the Investments in any manner that the Security Agent may require in order to permit the transfer of the Investments to the Security Agent or its nominee, or to a purchaser on enforcement of the security constituted by this Deed.

## 8.4 Dividends and voting rights before enforcement

(a) Before the security constituted by this Deed becomes enforceable, each Chargor may retain and apply for its own use all dividends, interest and other monies paid or payable in respect of the Investments and, if any are paid or payable to the Security Agent or any of its nominees, the Security Agent will hold all those dividends, interest and other monies received by it for the relevant Chargor and will pay them to the relevant Chargor promptly on request.

- (b) Before the security constituted by this Deed becomes enforceable, each Chargor may exercise all voting and other rights and powers in respect of the Investments or, if any of the same are exercisable by the Security Agent of any of its nominees, to direct in writing the exercise of those voting and other rights and powers provided that:
  - (i) it shall not do so in any way that would breach any provision of the Finance Documents or for any purpose inconsistent with the Finance Documents: and
  - (ii) the exercise of, or the failure to exercise, those voting rights or other rights and powers would not, in the Secured Agent's opinion, have an adverse effect on the value of the Investments or otherwise prejudice the Secured Agent's security under this Deed.
- (c) The Chargor shall indemnify the Security Agent against any loss or liability incurred by the Security Agent (or its nominee) as a consequence of the Security Agent (or its nominee) acting in respect of the Investments at the direction of any Chargor.
- (d) The Security Agent shall not, by exercising or not exercising any voting rights or otherwise, be construed as permitting or agreeing to any variation or other change in the rights attaching to or conferred by any of the Investments that the Security Agent considers prejudicial to, or impairing the value of, the security created by this Deed.

## 8.5 Dividends and voting rights after enforcement

After the security constituted by this Deed has become enforceable:

- (a) all dividends and other distributions paid in respect of the Investments and received by each Chargor shall be held by each Chargor on trust for the Security Agent and immediately paid into a Designated Account or, if received by the Security Agent, shall be retained by the Security Agent; and
- (b) all voting and other rights and powers attaching to the Investments shall be exercised by, or at the direction of, the Security Agent and each Chargor shall, and shall procure that its nominees shall, comply with any directions the Security Agent may give, in its absolute discretion, concerning the exercise of those rights and powers.

## 8.6 Calls on Investments

Notwithstanding the security created by this Deed, each Chargor shall promptly pay all calls, instalments and other payments that may be or become due and payable in respect of all or any of the Investments. Each Chargor acknowledges that the Security Agent shall not be under any liability in respect of any such calls, instalments or other payments.

## 8.7 No alteration of constitutional documents or rights attaching to Investments

No Chargor shall, without the prior written consent of the Security Agent, amend, or agree to the amendment of:

- (a) the memorandum or articles of association, or any other constitutional documents, of any issuer of the Investments that is not a public company: or
- (b) the rights or liabilities attaching to, or conferred by, all or any of the Investments.

#### 8.8 Preservation of Investments

Each Chargor shall ensure (as far as it is able to by the exercise of all voting rights, powers of control and other means available to it) that any issuer of the Investments that is not a public company shall not:

- (a) consolidate or subdivide any of the Investments, or re-organise, exchange, repay or reduce its share capital in any way;
- (b) issue any new shares or stock; or
- (c) refuse to register any transfer of any of the Investments that may be lodged with it for registration by, or on behalf of, the Security Agent or any Chargor in accordance with this Deed.

#### 8.9 Investments Information

Each Chargor shall, promptly following receipt, send to the Security Agent copies of any notice, circular, report, accounts and any other document received by it that relates to the Investments.

#### 8.10 PSC regime

Each Chargor shall:

- (a) comply with any notice it receives or has received under section 790D or 790E of the Companies Act 2006 within the timeframe specified in that notice; and
- (b) promptly notify the Security Agent if it receives a PSC Notice and comply with the terms of that notice within the timeframe specified in that notice,

in each case, which is received in relation to any of its Investments.

## 9 EQUIPMENT COVENANTS

#### 9.1 Maintenance of Equipment

Each Chargor shall:

- (a) maintain the Equipment in good and serviceable condition (except for expected fair wear and tear) in compliance with all relevant manuals, handbooks, manufacturer's instructions and recommendations and maintenance or servicing schedules;
- (b) at its own expense, renew and replace any parts of the Equipment when they become obsolete, worn out or damaged with parts of a similar quality and of equal or greater value; and
- (c) not permit any Equipment to be:
  - (i) used or handled other than by properly qualified and trained persons; or
  - (ii) overloaded or used for any purpose for which it is not designed or reasonably suitable.

## 9.2 Payment of Equipment taxes

Each Chargor shall promptly pay all taxes, fees, licence duties, registration charges, insurance premiums and other outgoings in respect of the Equipment and, on demand, produce evidence of such payment to the Security Agent.

## 9.3 Notice of charge

#### Each Chargor:

(a) shall, if so requested by the Security Agent, affix to and maintain on each item of Equipment in a conspicuous place, a clearly legible identification plate containing the following wording:

## "NOTICE OF CHARGE

This [DESCRIBE ITEM] and all additions to it [and ancillary equipment] are subject to a fixed charge dated [DATE] in favour of [Security Agent]."

(b) shall not, and shall not permit any person to, conceal, obscure, alter or remove any plate affixed in accordance with clause 9.3.

#### 10 BOOK DEBTS COVENANTS

#### 10.1 Realising Book Debts

- (a) Each Chargor shall as an agent for the Security Agent, collect in and realise all Book Debts, pay the proceeds into a Designated Account immediately on receipt and, pending that payment, hold those proceeds in trust for the Security Agent;
- (b) No Chargor shall, without the prior written consent of the Security Agent, withdraw any amounts standing to the credit of any Designated Account: and
- (c) Each Chargor shall, if called on to do so by the Security Agent, execute a legal assignment of the Book Debts to the Security Agent on such terms as the Security Agent may require and give notice of that assignment to the debtors from whom the Book Debts are due, owing or incurred.

## 10.2 Preservation of Book Debts

No Chargor shall (except as provided by clause 10.1 (*Realising Book Debts*) or with the prior written consent of the Security Agent) release, exchange, compound, set-off, grant time or indulgence in respect of, or in any other manner deal with, all or any of the Book Debts.

## 11 BLOCKED ACCOUNT COVENANTS

# 11.1 Operation of Blocked Accounts

- (a) Regardless of the terms on which moneys have been deposited in any Blocked Account, the Chargors may not receive, withdraw or transfer any credit balance from time to time on any Blocked Account, except with the prior written consent of the Security Agent or as permitted under the Super Senior Loan Agreement.
- (b) If there is a change in the bank with which the Blocked Account is held, the net amount (if any) standing to the credit of the Blocked Accounts shall be transferred to the corresponding Blocked Account maintained with the new bank immediately upon the

appointment taking effect and the Chargor hereby irrevocably gives all authorisations and instructions necessary for any such transfer to be made.

(c) The Chargor must take any action which the Security Agent may reasonably require to facilitate a change of bank and any transfer of credit balances (including an execution of bank mandate forms).

#### 12 RELEVANT AGREEMENTS COVENANTS

## 12.1 Relevant Agreements

- (a) Each Chargor shall, unless the Security Agent agrees otherwise in writing, comply with the terms of any Relevant Agreement and any other document, agreement or arrangement comprising the Secured Assets (other than the Insurance Policies).
- (b) No Chargor shall, unless the Security Agent agrees otherwise in writing:
  - (i) amend or vary or agree to any change in, or waive any requirement of;
  - (ii) settle, compromise, terminate, rescind or discharge (except by performance); or
  - (iii) abandon, waive, dismiss, release or discharge any action, claim or proceedings against any counterparty to a Relevant Agreement or other person in connection with,

any Relevant Agreement or any other document, agreement or arrangement comprising the Secured Assets (other than the Insurance Policies).

#### 13 INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY COVENANTS

#### 13.1 Preservation of rights

Each Chargor shall take all necessary action to safeguard and maintain present and future rights in, or relating to, the Intellectual Property including (without limitation) by observing all covenants and stipulations relating to those rights, and by paying all applicable renewal fees, licence fees and other outgoings.

# 13.2 Registration of Intellectual Property

Each Chargor shall use all reasonable efforts to register applications for the registration of any Intellectual Property, and shall keep the Security Agent informed of all matters relating to each such registration.

# 13.3 Maintenance of Intellectual Property

No Chargor shall permit any Intellectual Property to be abandoned, cancelled or to lapse.

## 14 POWERS OF THE SECURITY AGENT

## 14.1 Power to remedy

- (a) The Security Agent shall be entitled (but shall not be obliged) to remedy, at any time, a breach by any Chargor of any of its obligations contained in this Deed.
- (b) Each Chargor irrevocably authorises the Security Agent and its agents to do all things that are necessary or desirable for that purpose.

(c) Any monies expended by the Security Agent in remedying a breach by the relevant Chargor of its obligations contained in this Deed shall be reimbursed by the relevant Chargor to the Security Agent on a full indemnity basis and shall carry interest in accordance with clause 21.

## 14.2 Exercise of rights

- (a) The rights of the Security Agent under clause 14.1 are without prejudice to any other rights of the Security Agent under this Deed.
- (b) The exercise of any rights of the Security Agent under this Deed shall not make the Security Agent liable to account as a mortgagee in possession.

## 14.3 Power to dispose of chattels

- (a) At any time after the security constituted by this Deed has become enforceable, the Security Agent or any Receiver may, as agent for the Chargors, dispose of any chattels or produce found on any Property.
- (b) Without prejudice to any obligation to account for the proceeds of any disposal made under clause 14.3, the Chargor shall indemnify the Security Agent and any Receiver against any liability arising from any disposal made under clause 14.3.

## 14.4 Security Agent's powers of receivership

To the extent permitted by law, any right, power or discretion conferred by this Deed on a Receiver may, after the security constituted by this Deed has become enforceable, be exercised by the Security Agent in relation to any of the Secured Assets whether or not it has taken possession of any Secured Assets and without first appointing a Receiver or notwithstanding the appointment of a Receiver.

## 14.5 Conversion of currency

- (a) For the purpose of, or pending the discharge of, any of the Secured Liabilities, the Security Agent may convert any monies received, recovered or realised by it under this Deed (including the proceeds of any previous conversion under this clause 14.5) from their existing currencies of denomination into any other currencies of denomination that the Security Agent may think fit.
- (b) Any such conversion shall be effected at HSBC Bank PLC's then prevailing spot selling rate of exchange for such other currency against the existing currency.
- (c) Each reference in this clause 14.5 to a currency extends to funds of that currency and, for the avoidance of doubt, funds of one currency may be converted into different funds of the same currency.

#### 14.6 New accounts

- (a) If the Security Agent receives, or is deemed to have received, notice of any subsequent Security, or other interest, affecting all or part of the Secured Assets, the Security Agent may open a new account for that Chargor in the Security Agent's books. Without prejudice to the Security Agent's right to combine accounts, no money paid to the credit of that Chargor in any such new account shall be appropriated towards, or have the effect of discharging, any part of the Secured Liabilities.
- (b) If the Security Agent does not open a new account immediately on receipt of the notice, or deemed notice, under clause 14.6, then, unless the Security Agent gives express

written notice to the contrary to that Chargor, all payments made by that Chargor to the Security Agent shall be treated as having been credited to a new account of that Chargor and not as having been applied in reduction of the Secured Liabilities, as from the time of receipt or deemed receipt of the relevant notice by the Security Agent.

#### 14.7 Variation

The Security Agent may, at its discretion, grant time or make any other arrangement, variation or release with any person not being a party to this Deed (whether or not any such person is jointly liable with the relevant Chargor) in respect of any of the Secured Liabilities, or of any other security for them without prejudice either to this Deed or to the liability of the relevant Chargor for the Secured Liabilities.

## 14.8 Appointment of an Administrator

- (a) The Security Agent may, without notice to any Chargor, appoint any one or more persons to be an Administrator of any Chargor pursuant to Paragraph 14 of Schedule 81 of the Insolvency Act 1986 if the security constituted by this Deed becomes enforceable.
- **(b)** Any appointment under this clause 14.8 shall:
  - (i) be in writing signed by a duly authorised signatory of the Security Agent; and
  - (ii) take effect, in accordance with paragraph 19 of Schedule 81 of the Insolvency Act 1986.
- (c) The Security Agent may apply to the court for an order removing an Administrator from office and may by notice in writing in accordance with this clause 14.8 appoint a replacement for any Administrator who has died, resigned, been removed or who has vacated office upon ceasing to be qualified.

#### 14.9 Further advances

Each Lenders covenants with the Chargor that it shall perform its obligations to make advances under the Super Senior Loan Agreement (including any obligation to make available further advances).

#### 15 WHEN SECURITY BECOMES ENFORCEABLE

- **15.1** The security constituted by this Deed shall become immediately enforceable if an Event of Default occurs.
- 15.2 After the security constituted by this Deed has become enforceable, the Security Agent may, in its absolute discretion, enforce all or any part of that security at the times, in the manner and on the terms it thinks fit, and take possession of and hold or dispose of all or any part of the Secured Assets.

#### 16 ENFORCEMENT OF SECURITY

## 16.1 Enforcement powers

- (a) For the purposes of all powers implied by statute, the Secured Liabilities are deemed to have become due and payable on the date of this Deed.
- (b) The power of sale and other powers conferred by section 101 of the LPA 1925 (as varied or extended by this Deed) shall be immediately exercisable at any time after the security constituted by this Deed has become enforceable under clause 15.1.

(c) Section 103 of the LPA 1925 does not apply to the security constituted by this Deed.

## 16.2 Extension of statutory powers of leasing

The statutory powers of leasing and accepting surrenders conferred on mortgagees under the LPA 1925 and by any other statute are extended so as to authorise the Security Agent and any Receiver, at any time after the security constituted by this Deed has become enforceable, whether in its own name or in that of the relevant Chargor, to:

- (a) grant a lease or agreement to lease;
- (b) accept surrenders of leases; or
- (c) grant any option of the whole or any part of the Secured Assets with whatever rights relating to other parts of it,

whether or not at a premium and containing such covenants on the part of the relevant Chargor, and on such terms and conditions (including the payment of money to a lessee or tenant on a surrender) as the Security Agent or Receiver thinks fit without the need to comply with any of the restrictions imposed by sections 99 and 100 of the LPA 1925.

#### 16.3 Access on enforcement

- (a) At any time after the Security Agent has demanded payment of the Secured Liabilities or if any Chargor defaults in the performance of its obligations under the Finance Documents each Chargor will allow the Security Agent or its Receiver, without further notice or demand, immediately to exercise all its rights, powers and remedies in particular (and without limitation) to take possession of any Secured Asset and for that purpose to enter on any premises where a Secured Asset is situated (or where the Security Agent or a Receiver reasonably believes a Secured Asset to be situated) without incurring any liability to any Chargor for, or by any reason of, that entry.
- (b) At all times, each Chargor must use its best endeavours to allow the Security Agent or its Receiver access to any premises for the purpose of this clause 16.3 (including obtaining any necessary consents or permits of other persons) and ensure that its employees and officers do the same.

#### 16.4 Prior Security

At any time after the security constituted by this Deed has become enforceable, or after any powers conferred by any Security having priority to this Deed shall have become exercisable, the Security Agent may:

- (a) redeem that or any other prior Security;
- (b) procure the transfer of that Security to it; and
- (c) settle and pass any account of the holder of any prior Security.

The settlement and passing of any such account passed shall, in the absence of any manifest error, be conclusive and binding on each Chargor. All monies paid by the Security Agent to an encumbrancer in settlement of any of those accounts shall, as from its payment by the Security Agent, be due from the relevant Chargor to the Security Agent on current account and shall bear interest at the default rate of interest specified in the Super Senior Loan Agreement and be secured as part of the Secured Liabilities.

## 16.5 Protection of third parties

No purchaser, mortgagee or other person dealing with the Security Agent, any Receiver or Delegate shall be concerned to enquire:

- (a) whether any of the Secured Liabilities have become due or payable, or remain unpaid or undischarged;
- (b) whether any power the Security Agent, a Receiver or Delegate is purporting to exercise has become exercisable or is properly exercisable; or
- (c) how any money paid to the Security Agent, any Receiver or any Delegate is to be applied.

## 16.6 Privileges

Each Receiver and the Security Agent is entitled to all the rights, powers, privileges and immunities conferred by the LPA 1925 on mortgagees and receivers.

#### 16.7 No liability as mortgagee in possession

Neither the Security Agent, any Receiver, any Delegate nor any Administrator shall be liable, by reason of entering into possession of a Security Asset or for any other reason, to account as mortgagee in possession in respect of all or any of the Secured Assets, nor shall any of them be liable for any loss on realisation of, or for any act, neglect or default of any nature in connection with, all or any of the Secured Assets for which a mortgagee in possession might be liable as such.

## 16.8 Conclusive discharge to purchasers

The receipt of the Security Agent, or any Receiver or Delegate shall be a conclusive discharge to a purchaser and, in making any sale or other disposal of any of the Secured Assets or in making any acquisition in the exercise of their respective powers, the Security Agent, and every Receiver and Delegate may do so for any consideration, in any manner and on any terms that it or they think fit.

## 16.9 Right of appropriation

- (a) To the extent that:
  - (i) the Secured Assets constitute Financial Collateral; and
  - (ii) this Deed and the obligations of each Chargor under it constitute a Security Financial Collateral Arrangement,

the Security Agent shall have the right, at any time after the security constituted by this Deed has become enforceable, to appropriate all or any of those Secured Assets in or towards the payment or discharge of the Secured Liabilities in any order that the Security Agent may, in its absolute discretion, determine.

- (b) The value of any Secured Assets appropriated in accordance with this clause shall be the price of those Secured Assets at the time the right of appropriation is exercised as listed on any recognised market index or determined by any other method that the Security Agent may select (including independent valuation).
- (c) The Security Agent agrees that the methods of valuation provided for in this clause are commercially reasonable for the purposes of the Financial Collateral Regulations.

## 17 RECEIVER

#### 17.1 Appointment

At any time after the security constituted by this Deed has become enforceable, or at the request of a Chargor, the Security Agent may, without further notice, appoint by way of deed, or otherwise in writing, any one or more persons to be a Receiver of all or any part of the Secured Assets.

#### 17.2 Removal

The Security Agent may, without further notice (subject to section 45 of the Insolvency Act 1986 in the case of an administrative receiver), from time to time, by way of deed, or otherwise in writing, remove any Receiver appointed by it and may, whenever it thinks fit, appoint a new Receiver in the place of any Receiver whose appointment may for any reason have terminated.

#### 17.3 Remuneration

The Security Agent may fix the remuneration of any Receiver appointed by it without the restrictions contained in section 109 of the LPA 1925, and the remuneration of the Receiver shall be a debt secured by this Deed, to the extent not otherwise discharged.

#### 17.4 Power of appointment additional to statutory powers

The power to appoint a Receiver conferred by this Deed shall be in addition to all statutory and other powers of the Security Agent under the Insolvency Act 1986, the LPA 1925 or otherwise, and shall be exercisable without the restrictions contained in sections 103 and 109 of the LPA 1925 or otherwise.

## 17.5 Power of appointment exercisable despite prior appointments

The power to appoint a Receiver (whether conferred by this Deed or by statute) shall be, and remain, exercisable by the Security Agent despite any prior appointment in respect of all or any part of the Secured Assets.

#### 17.6 Agent of the relevant Chargor

Any Receiver appointed by the Security Agent under this Deed shall be the agent of the relevant Chargor and the relevant Chargor shall be solely responsible for the contracts, engagements, acts, omissions, defaults, losses and remuneration of that Receiver and for liabilities incurred by that Receiver. The agency of each Receiver shall continue until the relevant Chargor goes into liquidation and after that the Receiver shall act as principal and shall not become the agent of the Security Agent.

## 18 POWERS OF RECEIVER

#### 18.1 General

- (a) Any Receiver appointed by the Security Agent under this Deed shall, in addition to the powers conferred on the Receiver by statute, have the powers set out in clause 18.2 to clause 18.23.
- (b) If there is more than one Receiver holding office at the same time, each Receiver may (unless the document appointing the relevant Receiver states otherwise) exercise all of the powers conferred on a Receiver under this Deed individually and to the exclusion of any other Receiver.
- (c) Any exercise by a Receiver of any of the powers given by this clause 18 may be on behalf of the relevant Chargor, the directors of the relevant Chargor (in the case of the power contained in clause 18.16) or the Receiver.

## 18.2 Repair and develop Properties

A Receiver may undertake or complete any works of repair, building or development on the Properties and may apply for and maintain any planning permission, development consent, building regulation approval or any other permission, consent or licence to carry out any of the same.

#### 18.3 Surrender leases

A Receiver may grant, or accept surrenders of, any leases or tenancies affecting any Property and may grant any other interest or right over any Property on any terms, and subject to any conditions, that they think fit.

## 18.4 Employ personnel and advisers

A Receiver may provide services and employ or engage any managers, officers, servants, contractors, workmen, agents, other personnel and professional advisers on any terms, and subject to any conditions, that they think fit. A Receiver may discharge any such person or any such person appointed by the relevant Chargor.

## 18.5 Make VAT elections

A Receiver may make, exercise or revoke any value added tax option to tax as they think fit.

#### 18.6 Remuneration

A Receiver may charge and receive any sum by way of remuneration (in addition to all costs, charges and expenses incurred by the Receiver) that the Security Agent may prescribe or agree with him.

## 18.7 Realise Secured Assets

A Receiver may collect and get in the Secured Assets or any part of them in respect of which they are appointed, and make any demands and take any proceedings as may seem expedient for that purpose, and take possession of the Secured Assets with like rights.

## 18.8 Manage or reconstruct the Chargors business

A Receiver may carry on, manage, develop, reconstruct, amalgamate or diversify or concur in carrying on, managing, developing, reconstructing, amalgamating or diversifying the business of the relevant Chargor.

## 18.9 Dispose of Secured Assets

A Receiver may sell, exchange, convert into money and realise all or any of the Secured Assets in respect of which they are appointed in any manner (including, without limitation, by public auction or private sale) and generally on any terms and conditions as they think fit. Any sale may be for any consideration that the Receiver thinks fit and a Receiver may promote, or concur in promoting, a company to purchase the Secured Assets to be sold.

#### 18.10 Sever fixtures and fittings

A Receiver may sever and sell separately any fixtures or fittings from any Property without the consent of the relevant Chargor.

#### 18.11 Sell Book Debts

A Receiver may sell and assign all or any of the Book Debts in respect of which they are appointed in any manner, and generally on any terms and conditions, that they think fit.

## 18.12 Valid receipts

A Receiver may give valid receipt for all monies and execute all assurances and things that may be proper or desirable for realising any of the Secured Assets.

#### 18.13 Make settlements

A Receiver may make any arrangement, settlement or compromise between the relevant Chargor and any other person that they may think expedient.

## 18.14 Bring proceedings

A Receiver may bring, prosecute, enforce, defend and abandon all actions, suits and proceedings in relation to any of the Secured Assets as they think fit.

#### 18.15 Improve the Equipment

A Receiver may make substitutions of, or improvements to, the Equipment as they may think expedient.

#### 18.16 Make calls on each Chargor's members

A Receiver may make calls conditionally or unconditionally on the members of each Chargor in respect of uncalled capital with (for that purpose and for the purpose of enforcing payments of any calls so made) the same powers as are conferred by the articles of association of the/relevant Chargor on its directors in respect of calls authorised to be made by them.

#### **18.17** Insure

A Receiver may, if they think fit, but without prejudice to the indemnity in clause 21 (*Costs and Indemnity*), effect with any insurer any policy of insurance either in lieu or satisfaction of, or in addition to, the insurance required to be maintained by any Chargor under this Deed.

## 18.18 Powers under the LPA 1925

A Receiver may exercise all powers provided for in the LPA 1925 in the same way as if they had been duly appointed under the LPA 1925, and exercise all powers provided for an administrative receiver in Schedule 1 to the Insolvency Act 1986.

#### 18.19 Borrow

A Receiver may, for any of the purposes authorised by this clause 18, raise money by borrowing from the Lenders (or from any other person) either unsecured or on the security of all or any of the Secured Assets in respect of which he is appointed on any terms that they think fit (including, if the Lenders consent, terms under which that security ranks in priority to this Deed).

## 18.20 Redeem prior Security

A Receiver may redeem any prior Security and settle and pass the accounts to which the Security relates. Any accounts so settled and passed shall be, in the absence of any manifest error, conclusive and binding on each Chargor, and the monies so paid shall be deemed to be an expense properly incurred by the Receiver.

#### 18.21 Delegation

A Receiver may delegate their powers in accordance with this Deed.

#### 18.22 Absolute beneficial owner

A Receiver may, in relation to any of the Secured Assets, exercise all powers, authorisations and rights that they would be capable of exercising, and do all those acts and things, as an absolute beneficial owner could exercise or do in the ownership and management of the Secured Assets or any part of the Secured Assets.

#### 18.23 Incidental powers

A Receiver may do any other acts and things that he:

- (a) may consider desirable or necessary for realising any of the Secured Assets;
- (b) may consider incidental or conducive to any of the rights or powers conferred on a Receiver under or by virtue of this Deed or law: or
- (c) lawfully may or can do as agent for the Chargors.

#### 19 DELEGATION

The Security Agent or any Receiver may delegate (either generally or specifically) by power of attorney or in any other manner to any person any right, power, authority or discretion conferred on it by this Deed (including the power of attorney granted under clause 23 (*Power of Attorney*).

#### **19.1** Terms

The Security Agent and each Receiver may make a delegation on the terms and conditions (including the power to sub-delegate) that it thinks fit.

## 19.2 Liability

Neither the Security Agent nor any Receiver shall be in any way liable or responsible to any Chargor for any loss or liability arising from any act, default, omission or misconduct on the part of any Delegate.

#### 20 APPLICATION OF PROCEEDS

#### 20.1 Order of application of proceeds

All monies received by the Security Agent, a Receiver or a Delegate pursuant to this Deed, after the security constituted by this Deed has become enforceable, shall (subject to the claims of any person having prior rights and by way of variation of the LPA 1925) be applied in accordance with clause 10 (*Proceeds of Enforcement of Security*) of the Intercreditor Agreement.

#### 20.3 Appropriation

Neither the Security Agent, any Receiver nor any Delegate shall be bound (whether by virtue of section 109(8) of the LPA 1925, which is varied accordingly, or otherwise) to pay or appropriate any receipt or payment first towards interest rather than principal or otherwise in any particular order between any of the Secured Liabilities.

## 20.4 Suspense account

All monies received by the Security Agent, a Receiver or a Delegate under this Deed:

(a) may, at the discretion of the Security Agent, Receiver or Delegate, be credited to any suspense or securities realised account;

- (b) shall bear interest, if any, at the rate agreed in writing between the Security Agent and the Chargor; and
- (c) may be held in that account for so long as the Security Agent, Receiver or Delegate thinks fit.

## 21 COSTS AND INDEMNITY

#### **21.1** Costs

The Borrower shall within five Business Days of demand, pay to, or reimburse, the Security Agent and any Receiver, on a full indemnity basis, all costs, charges, expenses, taxes and liabilities of any kind (including, without limitation, legal, printing and out-of-pocket expenses) incurred by the Security Agent, any Receiver or any Delegate in connection with:

- (a) this Deed or the Secured Assets;
- (b) taking, holding, protecting, perfecting, preserving or enforcing (or attempting to do so) any of the Security Agent's, a Receiver's or a Delegate's rights under this Deed; or
- (c) taking proceedings for, or recovering, any of the Secured Liabilities,

together with interest, which shall accrue and be payable (without the need for any demand for payment being made) from the date on which the relevant cost or expense arose until full discharge of that cost or expense (whether before or after judgment, liquidation, winding up or administration of the relevant Chargor) at the rate and in the manner specified in the Super Senior Loan Agreement.

## 21.2 Indemnity

The Borrower shall indemnify the Security Agent, each Receiver and each Delegate, and their respective employees and agents against all liabilities, costs, expenses, damages and losses (including but not limited to any direct, indirect or consequential losses, loss of profit, loss of reputation and all interest, penalties and legal costs (calculated on a full indemnity basis) and all other professional costs and expenses) suffered or incurred by any of them arising out of or in connection with:

- (a) the exercise or purported exercise of any of the rights, powers, authorities or discretions vested in them under this Deed or by law in respect of the Secured Assets;
- (b) taking, holding, protecting, perfecting, preserving or enforcing (or attempting to do so) the security constituted by this Deed: or
- (c) any default or delay by any Chargor in performing any of its obligations under this Deed.

Any past or present employee or agent may enforce the terms of this clause 21.2 subject to and in accordance with the provisions of the Contracts (Rights of Third Parties) Act 1999.

#### 22 FURTHER ASSURANCE

#### **22.1** Further assurance

Each Chargor shall, at its own expense, take whatever action the Security Agent or any Receiver may reasonably require for:

- (a) creating, perfecting or protecting the security intended to be created by this Deed:
- (b) facilitating the realisation of any Secured Asset; or

(c) facilitating the exercise of any right, power, authority or discretion exercisable by the Security Agent or any Receiver in respect of any Secured Asset,

including, without limitation (if the Security Agent or Receiver thinks it expedient) the execution of any transfer, conveyance, assignment or assurance of all or any of the assets forming part of (or intended to form part of) the Secured Assets (whether to the Security Agent or to its nominee) and the giving of any notice, order or direction and the making of any registration.

#### 23 POWER OF ATTORNEY

## 23.1 Appointment of attorneys

By way of security, each Chargor irrevocably appoints the Security Agent, every Receiver and every Delegate separately to be its attorney and, in its name, on its behalf and as its act and deed, to execute any documents and do any acts and things that:

- (a) each Chargor is required to execute and do under this Deed; or
- (b) in the Event of Default has occurred and is continuing, any attorney deems proper or desirable in exercising any of the rights, powers, authorities and discretions conferred by this Deed or by law on the Security Agent, any Receiver or any Delegate.

## 23.2 Ratification of acts of attorneys

Each Chargor ratifies and confirms, and agrees to ratify and confirm, anything that any of its attorneys may do in the proper and lawful exercise, or purported exercise, of all or any of the rights, powers, authorities and discretions referred to in clause 23.1 (*Appointment of Attorneys*).

#### 24 RELEASE

Subject to clause 31.3, on the expiry of the Security Period and upon the Secured Liabilities being discharged in full (but not otherwise) or where a disposal of the Secured Assets is made pursuant to a "Distressed Disposal" (as defined in the Intercreditor Deed) made in accordance with the terms of the Intercreditor Deed, the Security Agent shall, at the request and cost of each Chargor, take whatever action is necessary to:

- (a) release, discharge and reassign (as appropriate) the Secured Assets from the security constituted by this Deed; and
- (b) concurrently with such release, reassignment or discharge referred to in paragraph (a) above, return to the relevant Chargor any documents of title (or other similar documents) delivered to the Security Agent in connection with this Debenture (including any certificates or other documents of title and any such stock transfer forms or other instruments of transfer delivered in connection therewith).

#### 25 ASSIGNMENT AND TRANSFER

## 25.1 Assignment by Security Agent

- (a) At any time the Security Agent may assign or transfer any or all of its rights and obligations under this Deed subject to the provisions of the relevant Loan Agreement.
- (b) The Security Agent may disclose to any actual or proposed assignee or transferee any information in its possession that relates to each Chargor, the Secured Assets and this Deed that the Security Agent considers appropriate.

## 25.2 Assignment by Chargors

No Chargor may assign any of its rights, or transfer any of its rights or obligations, under this Deed.

#### 26 SET-OFF

## 26.1 Security Agent's right of set-off

The Security Agent may at any time set off any liability of each Chargor to the Security Agent against any liability of the Security Agent to each Chargor, whether either liability is present or future, liquidated or unliquidated, and whether or not either liability arises under this Deed. If the liabilities to be set off are expressed in different currencies, the Security Agent may convert either liability at a market rate of exchange for the purpose of set-off. Any exercise by the Security Agent of its rights under this clause 26 shall not limit or affect any other rights or remedies available to it under this Deed or otherwise.

## 26.2 Exclusion of Chargor's right of set-off

All payments made by each Chargor to the Security Agent under this Deed shall be made without any set-off, counterclaim, deduction or withholding (other than any deduction or withholding of tax as required by law).

## 27 AMENDMENTS, WAIVERS AND CONSENTS

#### 27.1 Amendments

No amendment of this Deed shall be effective unless it is in writing and signed by, or on behalf of, each party (or its authorised representative).

#### 27.2 Waivers and consents

- (a) A waiver of any right or remedy under this Deed or by law, or any consent given under this Deed, is only effective if given in writing by the waiving or consenting party and shall not be deemed a waiver of any other breach or default. It only applies in the circumstances for which it is given and shall not prevent the party giving it from subsequently relying on the relevant provision.
- (b) A failure to exercise, or a delay in exercising, any right or remedy provided under this Deed or by law shall not constitute a waiver of that or any other right or remedy, prevent or restrict any further exercise of that or any other right or remedy or constitute an election to affirm this Deed. No single or partial exercise of any right or remedy provided under this Deed or by law shall prevent or restrict the further exercise of that or any other right or remedy. No election to affirm this Deed by the Security Agent shall be effective unless it is in writing.

## 27.3 Rights and remedies

The rights and remedies provided under this Deed are cumulative and are in addition to, and not exclusive of, any rights and remedies provided by law.

## 28 SEVERANCE

#### 28.1 Severance

If any provision (or part of a provision) of this Deed is or becomes invalid, illegal or unenforceable, it shall be deemed modified to the minimum extent necessary to make it valid, legal and enforceable. If such modification is not possible, the relevant provision (or part of a provision) shall be deemed deleted. Any modification to or deletion of a provision (or part of a provision) under this clause shall not affect the legality, validity and enforceability of the rest of this Deed.

## 29 COUNTERPARTS

## 29.1 Counterparts

This Deed may be executed in any number of counterparts, each of which when executed and delivered shall constitute a duplicate original, but all the counterparts shall together constitute one deed.

#### 30 THIRD PARTY RIGHTS

#### 30.1 Third party rights

Except as expressly provided elsewhere in this Deed, a person who is not a party to this Deed shall not have any rights under the Contracts (Rights of Third Parties) Act 1999 to enforce, or enjoy the benefit of, any term of this Deed. This does not affect any right or remedy of a third party which exists, or is available, apart from that Act.

### 31 FURTHER PROVISIONS

## 31.1 Independent security

The security constituted by this Deed shall be in addition to, and independent of, any other security or guarantee that the Security Agent may hold for any of the Secured Liabilities at any time. No prior security held by the Security Agent over the whole or any part of the Secured Assets shall merge in the security created by this Deed.

## 31.2 Continuing security

The security constituted by this Deed shall remain in full force and effect as a continuing security for the Secured Liabilities, despite any settlement of account, or intermediate payment, or other matter or thing, unless and until the Security Agent discharges this Deed in writing.

## 31.3 Discharge conditional

Any release, discharge or settlement between each Chargor and the Security Agent shall be deemed conditional on no payment or security received by the Security Agent in respect of the Secured Liabilities being avoided, reduced or ordered to be refunded pursuant to any law relating to insolvency, bankruptcy, winding-up, administration, receivership or otherwise. Despite any such release, discharge or settlement:

- (a) the Security Agent or its nominee may retain this Deed and the security created by or pursuant to it, including all certificates and documents relating to the whole or any part of the Secured Assets, for any period that the Security Agent deems reasonably necessary to provide the Security Agent with security against any such avoidance, reduction or order for refund; and
- (b) the Security Agent may recover the value or amount of such security or payment from each Chargor subsequently as if the release, discharge or settlement had not occurred.

#### 31.4 Certificates

A certificate or determination by the Security Agent as to any amount for the time being due to it from any Chargor under the Finance Documents shall be, in the absence of any manifest error, conclusive evidence of the amount due.

## 31.5 Consolidation

The restriction on the right of consolidation contained in section 93 of the LPA 1925 shall not apply to this Deed.

## 32 GOVERNING LAW AND JURISDICTION

## 32.1 Governing law

This Deed 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) shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the law of England and Wales.

## 32.2 Jurisdiction

Each party irrevocably agrees that, subject as provided below, the courts of England and Wales shall have exclusive jurisdiction over any dispute or claim arising out of or in connection with this Deed or its subject matter or formation (including non-contractual disputes or claims). Nothing in this clause 32.2 shall limit the right of the Security Agent to take proceedings against any Chargor in any other court of competent jurisdiction, nor shall the taking of proceedings in any one or more jurisdictions preclude the taking of proceedings in any other jurisdictions, whether concurrently or not, to the extent permitted by the law of such other jurisdiction.

This document has been executed as a deed and is delivered and takes effect on the date stated at the beginning of it.

# SCHEDULE 1 THE CHARGORS

Company Name	Company Number	Registered Address
HCT Group	01747483	Can Mezzanine, 7-14 Great Dover Street, London, England, SE1 4YR
HCT Group Operations Community Interest Company	04137890	Can Mezzanine, 7-14 Great Dover Street, London, England, SE1 4YR
CT Plus (Yorkshire) Community Interest Company	05629152	Can Mezzanine, 7-14 Great Dover Street, London, England, SE1 4YR

# SCHEDULE 2 PROPERTY

# PART 1 Registered Property

N/A

PART 2 Unregistered Property

N/A

# SCHEDULE 3 RELEVANT AGREEMENTS

N/A

#### SCHEDULE 4 NOTICE AND ACKNOWLEDGMENT – RELEVANT AGREEMENT

#### **PART 1 Form of Notice**

[On the letterhead of the Chargor] [NAME OF COUNTERPARTY] [ADDRESS LINE 1] [ADDRESS LINE 2] [POSTCODE] [DATE]

Dear Sirs.

Debenture (Debenture) dated [DATE] between [CHARGOR] and [SECURITY AGENT]

We refer to the [DESCRIBE RELEVANT AGREEMENT] (Contract).

This letter constitutes notice to you that under the Debenture [(a copy of which is attached)] we have [charged OR assigned, by way of security,] to [Security Agent] (Security Agent) all our rights in respect of the Contract.

We confirm that:

We will remain liable under the Contract to perform all the obligations assumed by us under the Contract.

None of the Security Agent, any delegate appointed by the Security Agent or any receiver will at any time be under any obligation or liability to you under or in respect of the Contract.

Neither the Debenture nor this notice releases, discharges or otherwise affects your liability and obligations in respect of the Contract.

Subject to the above, we will remain entitled to exercise all our rights, powers and discretions under the Contract and you may continue to deal with us in relation to the Contract and give notices under the Contract to us unless and until you receive written notice to the contrary from the Security Agent. Thereafter, all such rights, powers and discretions shall be exercisable by, and notices shall be given to, the Security Agent or as it directs and we will cease to have any right to deal with you in relation to the Contract and you must deal only with the Security Agent.

Please note that we have agreed that we will not amend or waive any provision of or terminate the Contract without the prior written consent of the Security Agent.

The instructions in this notice may only be revoked or amended with the prior written consent of the Security Agent

Please confirm that you agree to the terms of this notice, and to act in accordance with its provisions, by sending the attached acknowledgement to the Security Agent at [ADDRESS OF SECURITY AGENT], with a copy to us.

This notice, 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), shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the law of England and Wales.

Yours faithfully,		
[NAME OF CHARGOR]		

#### PART 2 Form of Acknowledgement

[On the letterhead of the counterparty]
[NAME OF SECURITY AGENT]
[ADDRESS LINE 1]
[ADDRESS LINE 2]
[POSTCODE]
[DATE]

Dear Sirs,

Debenture (Debenture) dated [DATE] between [CHARGOR] and [SECURITY AGENT]

We confirm receipt from [CHARGOR] (Chargor) of a notice (Notice) dated [DATE] of [a charge OR an assignment, by way of security,] of all the Chargor's rights under [DESCRIBE RELEVANT AGREEMENT] (Contract).

[Terms defined in the Notice shall have the same meaning when used in this acknowledgement.] We confirm that:

We accept the confirmations and instructions contained in the Notice and agree to comply with the Notice.

There has been no amendment, waiver or release of any rights or interests in the Contract since the date of the Contract.

We will not cancel, avoid, release or otherwise allow the Contract to lapse without giving the Security Agent at least 30 days' prior written notice.

We have not, as at the date of this acknowledgement, received notice that the relevant Chargor has assigned its rights under the Contract to a third party, or created any other interest (whether by way of security or otherwise) in the Contract in favour of a third party.

The Security Agent will not in any circumstances have any liability in relation to the Contract. The Contract shall not be rendered void, voidable or unenforceable by reason of any non-disclosure by the Security Agent.

This letter, 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), shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the law of England and Wales.

Yours faithfully,	
[COUNTERPARTY]	

#### SCHEDULE 5 NOTICE AND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT – INSURANCE POLICY

#### **PART 1 Form of Notice**

[On the letterhead of the Chargor)
[NAME OF INSURANCE COMPANY]
[ADDRESS LINE 1]
[ADDRESS LINE 2]
[POSTCODE]
[DATE]

Dear Sirs.

Debenture (Debenture) dated [DATE] between [CHARGOR] and [SECURITY AGENT]

We refer to the [DESCRIBE INSURANCE POLICY AND SPECIFY ITS POLICY NUMBER)

(Policy).

This letter constitutes notice to you that under the Debenture [(a copy of which is attached)] we have [charged OR assigned, by way of security,] to [SECURITY AGENT] (Security Agent) all our rights in respect of the Policy (including all claims and all returns of premium in connection with the Policy).

We irrevocably instruct and authorise you to:

[Note the Security Agent's interest on the Policy as [DESCRIBE NOTATION REQUIRED BY SECURITY AGENT TO BE ENDORSED ON POLICY, FOR EXAMPLE, "FIRST MORTGAGEE] and first loss payee OR Name the Security Agent on the Policy as co-insured].

Comply with the terms of any written instructions received by you from the Security Agent relating to the Policy, without notice or reference to, or further authority from, us and without enquiring as to the justification or the validity of those instructions.

Hold all sums from time to time due and payable by you to us under the Policy to the order of the Security Agent.

Pay, or release, all monies to which we are entitled under the Policy to the Security Agent, or to such persons as the Security Agent may direct.

Disclose information in relation to the Policy to the Security Agent on request by the Security Agent.

Neither the Debenture nor this notice releases, discharges or otherwise affects your liability and obligations in respect of the Policy.

Subject to the foregoing, you may continue to deal with us in relation to the Policy until you receive written notice to the contrary from the Security Agent. Thereafter, we will cease to have any right to deal with you in relation to the Policy and you must deal only with the Security Agent.

The instructions in this notice may only be revoked or amended with the prior written consent of the Security Agent.

Please confirm that you agree to the terms of this notice and to act in accordance with its provisions by sending the attached acknowledgement to the Security Agent at [ADDRESS OF SECURITY AGENT], with a copy to us.

This notice, 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), shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the law of England and Wales.		
Yours faithfully,		
[NAME OF CHARGOR]		

# PART 2 Form of acknowledgment

[On the letterhead of the insurance company]
(NAME OF SECURITY AGENT) (ADDRESS LINE 1)
[ADDRESS LINE 2) [POSTCODE] [DATE]
Dear Sirs,
Debenture (Debenture) dated [DATE] between [CHARGOR] and [SECURITY AGENT]
We confirm receipt from [CHARGOR] (Chargor) of a notice (Notice) dated [DATE] of [a charge OR an assignment, by way of security,] of all the Chargor's rights under [DESCRIBE INSURANCE POLICY AND ITS NUMBER] (Policy).
[Terms defined in the Notice shall have the same meaning when used in this acknowledgement.) We confirm that:
We accept the instructions and authorisations contained in the Notice and agree to comply with the Notice.
We have noted the Security Agent's interest on the Policy as [DESCRIBE NOTATION REQUIRED BY SECURITY AGENT TO BE ENDORSED ON POLICY, FOR EXAMPLE, "FIRST MORTGAGEE AND FIRST LOSS PAYEE" OR AS "CO-INSURED"].
There has been no amendment, waiver or release of any rights or interests in the Policy since the date the Policy was issued.
We will not cancel, avoid, release or otherwise allow the Policy to lapse without giving the Security Agent at least 30 days' prior written notice.
We have not, as at the date of this acknowledgement, received notice that the Chargor has assigned its rights under the Policy to a third party, or created any other interest (whether by way of security or otherwise) in the Policy in favour of a third party.
The Security Agent will not in any circumstances be liable for the premiums in relation to the Policy.
The Policy shall not be rendered void, voidable or unenforceable by reason of any non-disclosure by the Security Agent.
This letter, 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), shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the law of England and Wales.
Yours faithfully,
[INSURER]

#### SCHEDULE 6 NOTICE AND ACKNOWLEDGMENT - BANK ACCOUNT

#### **PART 1 Form of Notice**

[On the letterhead of the Chargor]
[BANK, FINANCIAL INSTITUTION OR OTHER PERSON]
[ADDRESS LINE 1]
[ADDRESS LINE 2]
[POSTCODE]
[DATE]
Dear Sirs.

Debenture (Debenture) dated [DATE] between [CHARGOR] and [SECURITY AGENTI

This letter constitutes notice to you that under the Debenture [(a copy of which is attached)] we have charged, by way of first fixed charge, in favour of [SECURITY AGENT] (the Security Agent) all monies from time to time standing to the credit of the account held with you and detailed below (the Account), together with alt other rights and benefits accruing to or arising in connection with the Account (including, but not limited to, entitlements to interest):

Name of Account: [NAME OF ACCOUNT] Sort code: [SORT CODE]

Account number: [ACCOUNT NUMBER]

We irrevocably instruct and authorise you to:

Disclose to the Security Agent any information relating to the Account requested from you by the Security Agent.

[Comply with the terms of any written notice or instructions relating to the Account received by you from the Security Agent.]

[Hold alt sums from time to time standing to the credit of the Account to the order of the Security Agent.]

(Pay or release all or any part of the monies standing to the credit of the Account in accordance with the written instructions of the Security Agent.]

[We acknowledge that you may comply with the instructions in this notice without any further permission from us.]

[We are not permitted to withdraw any amount from the Account without the prior written consent of the Security Agent.]

[The instructions in this notice may only be revoked or amended with the prior written consent of the Security Agent.]

This notice, 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), shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the law of England and Wales.

Please [acknowledge receipt of this notice] OR [confirm that you agree to the terms of this notice and to act in accordance with its provisions] by sending the attached acknowledgement to the Security Agent at [ADDRESS OF SECURITY AGENT], with a copy to us.

Yours faithfully,
Signed

# [NAME OF CHARGOR]

#### PART 2 Form of Acknowledgement

[On the letterhead of the bank, financial institution or other person]
[SECURITY AGENT]
[ADDRESS LINE 1]
[ADDRESS LINE 2]
[POSTCODE]
[DATE]

Dear Sirs,

Debenture (Debenture) dated [DATE] between [CHARGOR] and [SECURITY AGENT]

We confirm receipt from [CHARGOR] (the Chargor) of a notice (the Notice) dated [DATE] of a charge (on the terms of the Debenture) over all monies from time to time standing to the credit of the account detailed below (the Account), together with all other rights and benefits accruing to or arising in connection with the Account (including, but not limited to, entitlements to interest).

We confirm that we:

Accept the instructions contained in the Notice and agree to comply with the Notice.

[Will not permit any amount to be withdrawn from the Account without your prior written consent.] Have not received notice of the interest of any third party in the Account.

Have neither claimed nor exercised, nor will claim or exercise any security interest, set-off, counter-claim or other right in respect of the Account.

The Account is:

Name of Account: [NAME OF ACCOUNT] Sort code: [SORT CODE]

Account number: [ACCOUNT NUMBER]

This letter, 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), shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the law of England and Wales.

Yours faithfully,
Signed
[NAME OF BANK, FINANCIAL INSTITUTION OR OTHER PERSON]

# THE CHARGORS

# Executed as a deed by

# HCT GROUP

acting by a director in the presence of a witness:

Signature of Director:		
Signature of witness:		
Name of witness:	Danielle Ross	
Address of witness:		
Occupation of witness:	Director	

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Occupation of witness:

# HCT GROUP OPERATIONS COMMUNITY INTEREST COMPANY

acting by a director in the presence of a witness:

Signature of Director:

Signature of witness:

Colin Talbot

Address of witness:

Retired Director of Catering

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# CT PLUS (YORKSHIRE) COMMUNITY INTEREST COMPANY

acting by a director in the presence of a witness:

Signature of Director:	
Signature of witness:	
Name of witness:	Colin Talbot
Address of witness:	
Occupation of witness:	Retired Director of Catering

## SECURITY AGENT

# BIG ISSUE SOCIAL INVESTMENTS LIMITED

By: Danyal Sattar

Signature of director:

Signature of witness:

Name of witness: Radhika Holmstrom

Address of witness:

Occupation of witness: Journalist