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Inducement Resolution Varflex Corporation Facility

RESOLUTION OF THE ONEIDA COUNTY INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AGENCY TAKING OFFICIAL ACTION TOWARD APPOINTING VARFLEX CORPORATION, THE PRINCIPALS OF VARFLEX CORPORATION, AND/OR AN ENTITY FORMED OR TO BE FORMED ON BEHALF OF ANY OF THE FOREGOING AS AGENT OF THE AGENCY IN CONNECTION WITH A LEASE-LEASEBACK TRANSACTION, AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION AND DELIVERY OF AN INDUCEMENT AGREEMENT AND MAKING CERTAIN FINDINGS AND DETERMINATIONS WITH RESPECT TO THE PROJECT.

WHEREAS, Varflex Corporation, on behalf of itself and/or the principals of Varflex Corporation, and/or an entity formed or to be formed on behalf of any of the foregoing (collectively, the "Company") has applied to the Oneida County Industrial Development Agency (the "Agency") to enter into a transaction in which the Agency will assist in the acquisition and renovation of a 52,000± square foot manufacturing facility (the "Improvements") located on a 7.64± acre parcel of land at 5780 Success Drive, City of Rome, Oneida County, New York (the "Land") and the acquisition and installation of equipment in the Improvements (the "Equipment"), all to be used for the manufacturing of electrical insulating sleeving (the Land, the Improvements and the Equipment are referred to collectively as the "Facility" and the renovation and equipping of the Facility is referred to as the "Project"); and

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

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

WHEREAS, the Agency contemplates that it will provide financial assistance to the Company in the form of abatement of real property taxes on the Facility and

exemption from sales and use taxes on materials and/or equipment used or incorporated in the Facility, which is consistent with the Agency's Uniform Tax Exemption Policy, to be more particularly described in a Final Authorizing Resolution to be adopted by the Agency prior to the closing of the transactions described herein; and

WHEREAS, prior to the closing of a lease-leaseback transaction, and the granting of any tax benefits, a public hearing (the "Hearing") will be held so that all persons with views in favor of or opposed to either the financial assistance contemplated by the Agency, or the location or nature of the Facility, can be heard; and

WHEREAS, notice of the Hearing will be given prior to the closing of a lease-leaseback transaction, and the granting of any tax benefits, and such notice (together with proof of publication) will be substantially in the form annexed hereto as **Exhibit A**; and

WHEREAS, the minutes of the Hearing are or will be annexed hereto as **Exhibit B**; and

WHEREAS, the Agency has given due consideration to the application of the Company and to representations by the Company that the proposed lease-leaseback transaction, is either an inducement to the Company to maintain and expand the Facility in the County or is necessary to maintain the competitive position of the Company in its industry; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Article 8 of the Environmental Conservation Law and the regulations adopted pursuant thereto by the Department of Environmental Conservation of the State of New York (collectively, the "SEQR Act" or "SEQRA"), the Agency constitutes a "State Agency"; and

WHEREAS, to aid the Agency in determining whether the Facility may have a significant effect upon the environment, the Company has prepared and submitted to the Agency an Environmental Assessment Form and related documents (the "Questionnaire") with respect to the Facility, a copy of which is on file at the office of the Agency; and

WHEREAS, the Questionnaire has been reviewed by the Agency.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Oneida County Industrial Development Agency (a majority of the members thereof affirmatively concurring) that:

Section 1. Based upon the Environmental Assessment Form completed by the Company and reviewed by the Agency and other

representations and information furnished by the Company regarding the Facility, the Agency determines that the action relating to the acquisition, renovation and equipping of the Facility is an "unlisted" action, as that term is defined in the SEQRA. The Agency also determines that the action will not have a "significant effect" on the environment, and, therefore, an environmental impact statement will not be prepared. This determination constitutes a negative declaration for purposes of SEQRA. Notice of this determination shall be filed to the extent required by the applicable regulations under SEQRA or as may be deemed advisable by the Chairman of the Agency or counsel to the Agency.

Section 2. (a)

- The acquisition, renovation and equipping of the Facility and the Agency's financial assistance therefor, will promote job opportunities, health, general prosperity and the economic welfare of the inhabitants of the County and the people of the State of New York and improve their standard of living, and thereby serve the public purposes of the Act and the same is, therefore, approved.
- (b) It is desirable and in the public interest for the Agency to enter into a lease-leaseback transaction, for the purpose of providing financial assistance for the acquisition, renovation and equipping of the Facility, as reflected in the Company's application to the Agency and as amended from time to time prior to the closing of the lease-leaseback transaction.

Section 3.

The form and substance of a proposed inducement agreement (in substantially the form presented to this meeting) by and between the Agency and the Company setting forth the undertakings of the Agency and the Company with respect to the closing of the lease-leaseback transaction, and the development of the Facility (the "Agreement") are hereby approved. The Chairman of the Agency is hereby authorized, on behalf of the Agency, to execute and deliver the Agreement, with such changes in terms and form as the Chairman shall approve. The execution thereof by the Chairman shall constitute conclusive evidence of such approval.

Section 4.

Subject to the conditions set forth in Section 4.02 of the Agreement, the Agency shall assist the Company in its acquisition, renovation and equipping of the Facility and will provide Financial Assistance with respect thereto.

Section 5.

The Company is herewith and hereby appointed the agent of Agency to acquire, renovate and equip the Facility. The Company is hereby empowered to delegate its status as agent of the Agency to agents, subagents, contractors, subcontractors, materialmen, suppliers, vendors and such other parties as the Company may choose in order to renovate and equip the Facility. The terms and conditions for the appointment of the Company as agent of the Agency for the purposes described in this resolution are set forth in the form of the attached letter addressed to the Company, marked as Exhibit C to this resolution. The form of such letter is incorporated herein by reference and is approved and adopted by the Agency, and the Chairman or Executive Director of the Agency or any other duly authorized official of the Agency are authorized to execute and deliver such letter to the company. hereby appoints subagents, contractors. the agents, subcontractors, materialmen, vendors and suppliers of the Company as agents of the Agency solely for purposes of making sales or leases of goods, services, and supplies to the Facility, and any such transaction between any agent, subagent, contractor, subcontractor, materialmen, vendor or supplier, and the Company, as agent of the Agency shall be deemed to be on behalf of the Agency and for the benefit of the Facility. The Company shall indemnify the Agency with respect to any transaction of any kind between and among the agents, subagents, contractors, subcontractors, materialmen, vendors and/or suppliers and the Company, as agent of the Agency.

Section 5.

The law firm of Bond, Schoeneck & King, PLLC is appointed Transaction Counsel in connection with the lease-leaseback transaction.

Section 6.

Counsel to the Agency and Transaction Counsel are hereby authorized to work with counsel to the Company and others to prepare, for submission to the Agency, all documents necessary to effect the lease-leaseback transaction.

Section 7.

The Chairman of the Agency is hereby authorized and directed (i) to distribute copies of this resolution to the Company and (ii) to do such further things or perform such acts as may be necessary or convenient to implement the provisions of this resolution.

Section 8.

This resolution shall take effect immediately.

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

I, the undersigned Secretary of the Oneida County Industrial Development Agency DO HEREBY CERTIFY THAT:

I have compared the foregoing copy of a resolution of the Oneida County Industrial Development Agency (the "Agency"), with the original thereof on file in the office of the Agency, and that the same is a true and correct copy of such resolution and of the proceedings of the Agency in connection with such matter.

Such resolution was passed at a meeting of the Agency duly convened in public session on August 16, 2013 at eight a.m., local time, at Rome, New York which the following members were:

Members Present: Ferris Betrus

Natalie Brown Michael Fitzgerald

David Grow

Mary Faith Messenger Eugene Quadraro Steven Zogby

Staff Present:

Maureen Carney Steve DiMeo Shawna Papale Jennifer Waters

Others Present:

Dan Guzewich

Camille Kahler, Esq.

Mark Levitt Laura Ruberto Jef Saunders, Esq.

The question of the adoption of the foregoing resolution was duly put to vote on roll call, which resulted as follows:

Voting Aye

Voting Nay

Ferris Betrus
Natalie Brown
Michael Fitzgerald
David Grow
Mary Faith Messenger
Eugene Quadraro
Steven Zogby

None

and, therefore, the resolution was declared duly adopted.

The Agreement and the Application are in substantially the form presented to and approved at such meeting.

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

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this 16th day of August 2013.

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HEARING
NOTICE IS HEREBY
GIVEN that a public hearing
pursuant to Article 18-A of
the New York State General
Municipal Law, will be
held by the Oneida County
Industrial Development
Agency (the "Agency") on
the 11th day of September
2013 at 9:00AM, local
time, at the offices of the
Oneida County Industrial
Development Agency located
at 584 Phoenix Drive, Rome,
New York 13841 in connection
with the following matters:
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behalf of itself or an entity to
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The Company will lease the Facility back to the Company pursuant to a Leaseback Agreement. At the end of the lease term, the Agency will terminate its leasehold interest in the Facility. The Agency contemplates that it will provide financial assistance to the Company in the form of a lease for a term of approximately ten (10) years, exemptions from sales and use taxes on materials and/or equipment used or incorporated in renovating the Improvements and abatement of real property taxes for a period of ten (10) years, conditioned upon the Company maintaining certain employment levels at the Facility, which financial assistance is consistent with the Agency's Uniform Tax Exemption Policy, to be more particularly described in a Final Authorizing Resolution to be adopted by the Agency prior to the closing of the transactions described herein.

A representative of the Agency will at the above-stated time and place hear and accept written comments from all persons with views in favor of or opposed to either the proposed financial assistance to the Company or the location or nature of the Facility. A copy of the Application for Financial Assistance filed by the Company with the Agency, including an analysis of the crosts and benefits of the proposed Project, is available for public inspection at the offices of the Agency, Sa Phoenix Drive, Rome, New York.

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ONEIDA COUNTY
INDUSTRIAL
DEVELOPMENT AGENCY
Dated: August 23, 2013
By:/s/ Shawna M. Papale,
Executive Director
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State of New York } ss:

Sworn to before me this

28th

of,

August

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CHRIS H. SIRIANO
Notary Public, State of New York
No. 01SI6196843
Qualified in Oneida County
My Commission Expires Nov. 17, 20

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Notary Public

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I, Jessica Butera,

being sworn, says she is, and during the time hereinafter mentioned, was Legal Advertising Representative of the DAILY SENTINEL, a newspaper printed and published in the County of Oneida, aforesaid; and that the annexed printed Notice was inserted and published in said Newspaper

MINUTES OF PUBLIC HEARING

Oneida County Industrial Development Agency 2013 Real Estate Lease Varflex Corporation Facility

- 1. Shawna M. Papale, Executive Director of the Oneida County Industrial Development Agency (the "Agency"), called the hearing to order.
- 2. The Executive Director then appointed Jennifer Waters, Assistant Secretary of the Issuer, to record the minutes of the hearing.
- 3. The Executive Director then described the proposed project and related financial assistance as follows:

Varflex Corporation, on behalf of itself or an entity to be formed on behalf of any of the foregoing (collectively, the "Company") has applied to the Agency to enter into a transaction in which the Agency will assist in the acquisition and renovation of a 52,000± square foot manufacturing facility (the "Improvements") located on a 7.64± acre parcel of land at 5780 Success Drive, City of Rome, Oneida County, New York (the "Land") and the acquisition and installation of equipment in the Improvements (the "Equipment"), all to be used for the manufacturing of electrical insulating sleeving (the Land, the Improvements and the Equipment are referred to collectively as the "Facility" and the renovation and equipping of the Facility is referred to as the "Project"). The Facility will be initially operated and/or managed by the Company.

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4. The Executive Director then opened up the hearing for comments from the floor for or against the proposed financial assistance and the location and nature of the Facility. Below is a listing of the persons heard and a summary of their views:

In attendance were Charles Schoff (Varflex), Jeffrey Simons (Rome City School District), Jennifer Gieger (Rome City School District), Dan Burdroff (Varflex) and Shawna Papale (OCIDA)

On behalf of the Rome City School Jeff Simons reported that they fully support the Varflex Project being brought before the OCIDA. He commented that the PILOT is good for community. "Type of PILOT we like" he shared.

Charles Schoff of Varflex said the project will help address a congestion on Court Street. Varflex will look to get into the building soon and have a line up and running in about a year and a half.

5. The Executive Director then asked if there were any further comments, and, there being none, the hearing was closed at 9:30 a.m.

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STATE OF NEW YORK) : SS.:
COUNTY OF ONEIDA)

I, the undersigned Secretary of the Oneida County Industrial Development Agency, DO HEREBY CERTIFY:

That I have compared the foregoing copy of the minutes of a public hearing held by the Oneida County Industrial Development Agency (the "Issuer") on September 11, 2013 at 9:00 a.m. local time, at 584 Phoenix Drive, Rome, New York 13441 with the original thereof on file in the office of the Issuer, and that the same is a true and correct copy of the minutes in connection with such matter.

I FURTHER CERTIFY that (i) pursuant to Title 1 of Article 18-A of the New York General Municipal Law, said hearing was open to the general public, and public notice of the time and place of said hearing was duly given in accordance with such Title 1 of Article 18-A, (ii) the hearing in all respects was duly held, and (iii) members of the public had an opportunity to be heard.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand as of October 18, 2013.

Shawna Papale Secretary/Treasurer Executive Director

Jennifer Waters Assistant Secretary



David C. Grow, Chairman Natalie Brown, Vice Chairman

Ferris Betrus Jr.
Michael Fitzgerald
Mary Faith Messenger
Eugene Quadraro
Steven Zogby

August 23, 2013

Mr. Anthony J. Picente, Jr. Oneida County Executive Oneida County Office Building 800 Park Avenue Utica, New York 13501

Re: Varflex Corporation Facility

Dear Sir:

On September 11, 2013 at 9 o'clock a.m., local time, at 584 Phoenix Drive, Rome, New York, the Oneida County Industrial Development Agency (the "Agency") will conduct a public hearing regarding this project for Varflex Corporation. Attached is a copy of the Notice of Public Hearing describing the project and the financial assistance contemplated by the Agency. The Notice has been submitted to the *Rome Sentinel*, Rome, New York for publication.

You are welcome to attend such hearing at which time you will have an opportunity, both orally and in writing, to present your views with respect to the project. We are providing this notice to you, pursuant to Chapters 356 and 357 of the Laws of 1993, as the chief executive officer of an affected tax jurisdiction within which the project is located.

Should you desire to discuss this matter or if you have any questions concerning this notice please feel free to contact Shawna Papale at the Agency at telephone number 338-0393.

Very truly yours,

ONEIDA COUNTY INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AGENCY

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Shawna M. Papale, Executive Director

Shawna Papale Secretary/Treasurer Executive Director

Jennifer Waters Assistant Secretary



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August 23, 2013

Joseph R Fusco, Jr., Mayor City of Rome 198 North Washington Street Rome, New York 13440

Re: Varflex Corporation Facility

Dear Sir:

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August 23, 2013

Patricia S. Riedel, President Board of Education Rome City School District 409 Bell Road Rome, New York 13440

Re: Varflex Corporation Facility

Dear Madam:

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Very truly yours.

ONEIDA COUNTY INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AGENCY

By:

Shawna M. Papale, Executive Director

c: Patricia Riedel, 1210 Cedarbrook Drive, Rome NY 13440

Jeffrey Simons, Superintendent of Schools

Shawna M. Papale Executive Director Secretary/Treasurer

Jennifer Waters Assistant Secretary



David C. Grow Chairman Natalie Brown

Vice Chairman

Ferris Betrus Jr.
Michael Fitzgerald
Mary Faith Messenger
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Stephen Zogby

August 23, 2013

Mikale Billard, Clerk Oneida County Board of Legislators 800 Park Avenue Utica NY 13501

Re:

Varflex Corporation Facility

Dear Mr. Billard:

On September 11, 2013 at 9 o'clock a.m., local time, at 584 Phoenix Drive, Rome, New York, the Oneida County Industrial Development Agency (the "Agency") will conduct a public hearing regarding this project for Varflex Corporation. Attached is a copy of the Notice of Public Hearing describing the project and the financial assistance contemplated by the Agency. The Notice has been submitted to the *Rome Sentinel*, Rome, New York for publication.

We are providing this notice to you as Clerk of the Oneida County Board of Legislators as a courtesy, so that you may distribute a copy to any Board members who represent an affected tax jurisdiction within which the project is located.

Should you desire to discuss this matter or if you have any questions concerning this notice please feel free to contact Shawna Papale at the Agency at telephone number 338-0393.

Very truly yours,

ONEIDA COUNTY INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AGENCY

By:

Shawna Papale, Secretary

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a public hearing pursuant to Article 18-A of the New York State General Municipal Law, will be held by the Oneida County Industrial Development Agency (the "Agency") on the 11th day of September 2013 at 9:00AM, local time, at the offices of the Oneida County Industrial Development Agency located at 584 Phoenix Drive, Rome, New York 13341 in connection with the following matters:

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ONEIDA COUNTY INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AGENCY

Dated: August 23, 2013 By:/s/ Shawna M. Papale, Executive Director

INDUCEMENT AGREEMENT

- THIS INDUCEMENT AGREEMENT RELATING TO THE **VARFLEX CORPORATION FACILITY** (the "AGREEMENT") is between the Oneida County Industrial Development Agency (the "Agency"), and Varflex Corporation on behalf of itself and/or the principals of Varflex Corporation and/or an entity formed or to be formed on behalf of any of the foregoing (collectively, the "Company").
- Article 1. <u>Preliminary Statement</u>. Among the matters of mutual inducement which have resulted in the execution of this AGREEMENT are the following:
- 1.01. The Agency is authorized and empowered by the provisions of Article 18-A of the General Municipal Law of the State of New York as amended, and Chapter 372 of the Laws of 1970 of the State of New York, as may be amended from time to time (collectively, the "Act") to undertake "Projects" (as defined in the Act) and to lease or sell the same upon such terms and conditions as the Agency may deem advisable.
- 1.02. The purposes of the Act are (i) to promote industry and develop trade by inducing manufacturing, industrial, warehousing, research, civic, recreation and commercial enterprises to locate or remain in the State and (ii) to encourage and assist in the providing of industrial pollution control facilities and (iii) to promote the economic welfare and prosperity of the inhabitants of the State. The Act vests the Agency with all powers necessary to enable it to accomplish such purposes.
- 1.03. The Company has requested that the Agency assist in the acquisition and renovation of a 52,000± square foot manufacturing facility (the "Improvements") located on a 7.64± acre parcel of land at 5780 Success Drive, City of Rome, Oneida County, New York (the "Land") and the acquisition and installation of equipment in the Improvements (the "Equipment"), all to be used for the manufacturing of electrical insulating sleeving (the Land, the Improvements and the Equipment are referred to collectively as the "Facility" and the renovation and equipping of the Facility is referred to as the "Project"). The Company will lease the Facility to the Agency and the Agency will lease the Facility back to the Company pursuant to a Leaseback Agreement (the "Leaseback Agreement").
- 1.04. The Company hereby represents to the Agency that the Project (a) will not result in the removal of an industrial or manufacturing plant from one area of the State to another area of the State or an abandonment of one or more plants of the Company located in the State; (b) is reasonably necessary to discourage the Company from removing such other plant or facility to a location outside the State, or (c) is reasonably necessary to preserve the competitive position of the Company in its industry. The renovation and equipping of the Facility has not/did not commence(d) as of August 16, 2013.
- 1.05. The Agency has determined that the acquisition, renovation and equipping of the Facility, as described in the Company's application to the Agency

dated August 12, 2013, which Application may be amended from time to time prior to closing of the sale-leaseback or lease-leaseback transaction (the "Application") will promote and further the purposes of the Act.

- 1.06. On August 16, 2013, the Agency adopted a resolution (the "Resolution" or the "Inducement Resolution") agreeing to undertake the Project in order to assist the Company and to effectuate the purposes of the Act and, subject to the happening of all acts, conditions and things required precedent to such undertaking and the satisfactory completion of such additional acts and reviews as the Agency may deem appropriate, to undertake a sale-leaseback or lease-leaseback transaction in connection with the Project.
- 1.07. In the Resolution, the Agency appointed the Company and its agents and other designees, as its agent for the purposes of acquiring, renovating and equipping the Facility, and such appointment includes the following activities as they relate to the acquisition, renovation and equipping of the Facility, whether or not the materials, services or supplies described below are incorporated into or become an integral part of the Facility: (i) all purchases, leases, rentals and other uses of tools, machinery and equipment in connection with acquiring, renovating and equipping the Facility, (ii) all purchases, rentals, uses or consumption of supplies, materials and services of every kind and description used in connection with acquiring, renovating and equipping the Facility, and (iii) all purchases, leases, rentals and uses of equipment, machinery, and other tangible personal property (including installation costs with respect thereto), installed or placed in, upon or under the Facility, including all repairs and replacements of such property. Such agency appointment includes the power to make, execute, acknowledge and deliver any contracts, orders, receipts, writings and instructions, as the stated agent for the Agency, and in general to do all things which may be requisite or proper for completing the Facility, all with the same powers and with the same validity as the Agency could do if acting on its own behalf.
- Article 2. <u>Undertakings on the Part of the Agency</u>. Based upon the statements, representations and undertakings of the Company regarding the Facility and subject to the conditions set forth herein, the Agency hereby confirms and acknowledges:
- 2.01. Upon satisfactory completion of the conditions precedent set forth herein and in the Resolution and the satisfactory completion of such additional acts and reviews as the Agency may deem appropriate, the Agency will (A) adopt, or cause to be adopted, such proceedings and authorize the execution of such documents as may be necessary or advisable for (i) a sale-leaseback or lease-leaseback transaction, (ii) the acquisition, renovation and equipping of the Facility, and (iii) the leasing of the Facility to the Company pursuant to the Lease (or Leaseback) Agreement, all as shall be authorized by law and be mutually satisfactory to the Agency and the Company and (B) shall enter into a sale-leaseback or lease-leaseback transaction pursuant to the terms of the Act, as then in force, for the purpose of financing certain costs of the Facility.

- 2.02. The Lease (or Leaseback) Agreement shall be for a ten year term and shall obligate the Company to make aggregate basic payments in the amount of \$500.00 as and when the same shall become due and payable. The Company shall be entitled to acquire from the Agency title to the Facility for an aggregate amount of \$500.00, plus such additional amounts as shall be prescribed in the Lease (or Leaseback) Agreement. Specifically, the Lease (or Leaseback) Agreement shall contain a provision that will allow the Company to terminate the Lease (or Leaseback) Agreement at any time upon written notice to the Agency and upon payment by the Company of all applicable fees, penalties and reimbursement of benefits. The Lease (or Leaseback) Agreement shall contain all provisions required by law and such other provisions as shall be mutually acceptable to the Agency and the Company.
- 2.03. That all services, costs and expenses of whatever nature incurred in connection with the renovation, equipping, installation, replacement, rebuilding, restoration, repair, maintenance and operation of the Facility have been and will continue to be undertaken by the Company as agent for the Agency, regardless of whether such services, costs and expenses were undertaken and/or paid in its own name or in the name of the Agency, and the Agency shall furnish to the Company an appropriate letter on Agency letterhead evidencing the authority of the Company to act as agent of the Agency.
- 2.04. That, in connection with any lease by the Agency to the Company that is, in turn, subleased or leased by the Company, it is the intent of all parties to the transactions that any sublease or lease is undertaken by the Company as agent for the Agency.
- 2.05. That, at the request of the Company, and subject to the agreement between the Agency and the Company, any future transfers of any portion of real property upon which the Facility is located and not owned by the Agency, are hereby authorized, such transfers to be from the Company to the Agency, and there shall be no need for any further official action on behalf of the Agency other than the execution of the appropriate documents evidencing such transfer.
- 2.06. The Agency will take or cause to be taken such other acts and adopt such further proceedings as may be required to implement the aforesaid undertakings or as it may deem appropriate in pursuance thereof.
- Article 3. <u>Undertakings on the Part of the Company</u>. Based upon the statements, representations and undertakings of the Agency herein and in the Resolution and subject to the conditions set forth herein and in the Resolution, the Company agrees as follows:
- 3.01. The Company hereby accepts the appointment made by the Agency in the Resolution to be the true and lawful agent of the Agency to (i) renovate, equip, repair and maintain the Facility and (ii) make, execute, acknowledge and deliver any

contracts, orders, receipts, writings and instructions, as the stated agent of the Agency, and in general to do all things which may be requisite or proper for completing the Facility, all with the same powers and the same validity as the Agency could do if acting on its own behalf, including the authority to delegate such Agency appointment, as described in the Resolution.

- 3.02. In the Application, the Company projected that it will create no less than five (5) full time equivalent positions by the commencement of year three of the Lease Term, retain the existing eighteen (18) full time equivalent positions at the Facility and maintain all for the duration of the Lease Term as a result of undertaking the Facility (the "Employment Obligation") The Company acknowledges that (a) the financial assistance granted by the Agency in connection with the Facility is conditioned upon achieving the Employment Obligation and (b) the 97 existing full time equivalent positions at the Company's other location in Oneida County may not be reduced to achieve the Employment Obligation.
- 3.03. The Company will, to the extent deemed by it to be necessary or desirable, enter into a contract or contracts for the acquisition, construction, renovation and equipping of the Facility (including any necessary contracts for the acquisition of real property necessary or useful in said Facility).
- 3.04. Contemporaneously with the closing of the sale-leaseback or lease-leaseback transaction the Company will enter into the Lease (or Leaseback) Agreement with the Agency containing, among other things, the terms and conditions described in Section 2.02 hereof.
- 3.05. (a) The Company shall not permit to stand, and will, at its own expense, take all steps reasonably necessary to remove (or bond the same if acceptable to the Agency and its counsel), any mechanics' or other liens against the Facility for labor or materials furnished in connection with the acquisition, construction, renovation and equipping of the Facility. The Company shall forever defend, indemnify and hold the Agency, its members, officers, employees, and agents, and anyone for whose acts or omissions the Agency or any of them may be liable, harmless from and against all costs, losses, expenses, claims, damages and liabilities of whatever kind or nature arising, directly or indirectly, out of or based on labor, services, materials and supplies, including equipment, ordered or used in connection with the acquisition, construction, renovation and equipping of the Facility or arising out of any contract or other arrangement therefor (and including any expenses incurred by the Agency in defending any claims, suits or actions which may arise as a result of any of the foregoing), whether such claims or liabilities arise as a result of the Company acting as agent for the Agency pursuant to this AGREEMENT or otherwise.
- (b) The Company shall forever defend, indemnify and hold harmless the Agency, its members, officers, employees and agents, and anyone for whose acts or omissions the Agency or any of them may be liable, from and against all claims, causes

of action, liabilities and expenses (including without limitation attorneys' fees) howsoever arising for loss or damage to property or any injury to or death of any person (including, without limitation, death of or injury to any employee of the Company or any sublessee) that may occur subsequent to the date hereof by any cause whatsoever in relation to the Facility including the failure to comply with the provisions of Article 3.05 hereof, or arising, directly or indirectly, out of the ownership, renovation, equipping, acquisition, operation, maintenance, repair or financing of the Facility, and including, without limitation, any expenses incurred by the Agency in defending any claims, suits or actions which may arise as a result of the foregoing.

- (c) The defense and indemnities provided for in this Article 3 shall apply whether or not the claim, liability, cause of action or expense is caused or alleged to be caused, in whole or in part, by the activities, acts, fault or negligence of the Agency, its members, officers, employees and agents, anyone under the direction and control of any of them, or anyone for whose acts or omissions the Agency or any of them may be liable, and whether or not based upon the breach of a statutory duty or obligation or any theory or rule of comparative or apportioned liability, subject only to any specific prohibition relating to the scope of indemnities imposed by law. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, the foregoing indemnifications shall apply to and encompass any action (or alleged failure to act) of the Agency pursuant to the SEQR Act.
- (d) The Company shall provide and carry workers' compensation and disability insurance as required by law and comprehensive liability insurance with such coverages (including, without limitation, owner's protective for the benefit of the Agency and contractual coverage covering the indemnities herein provided for), with such limits and with such companies as may be approved by the Agency. Upon the request of the Agency, the Company shall provide certificates of insurance in form satisfactory to the Agency evidencing such insurance.
- 3.06. With the exception of the authorizations required to be adopted by the Agency for the Agency to enter into the sale-leaseback or lease-leaseback transaction, the Company agrees that, as agent for the Agency or otherwise, it will comply with all the requirements of all federal, state and local laws, rules and regulations of whatever kind and howsoever denominated applicable to the Agency and/or the Company with respect to the Facility, the acquisition, renovation and equipping thereof, the operation and maintenance of the Facility and the financing thereof. Every provision required by law to be inserted herein shall be deemed to be set forth herein as if set forth in full; and upon the request of either party, this AGREEMENT shall be amended to specifically set forth any such provision or provisions.
- 3.07. The Company will take such further action and adopt such further proceedings as may be required to implement its aforesaid undertakings or as it may deem appropriate in pursuance thereof.

- 3.08. If it should be determined that any State or local sales or compensatory use taxes or similar taxes however denominated are payable with respect to the acquisition, purchase or rental of machinery or equipment, materials or supplies in connection with the Project, or are in any manner otherwise payable directly or indirectly in connection with the Project, the Company shall pay the same and defend and indemnify the Agency from and against any liability, expenses and penalties arising out of, directly or indirectly, the imposition of any such taxes.
- 3.09. The Company shall file with the New York State Department of Taxation and Finance an annual statement of the value of all sales and use tax exemptions claimed in connection with the Facility, in compliance with Section 874(8) of the New York State General Municipal Law. The Company shall provide the Agency with a copy of such annual statement at the time of filing with the State Department of Taxation and Finance.
- 3.10. If the Facility is leased to another party by the Agency and subleased to the Company, then in such event, the Company guarantees all of the covenants, undertakings and indemnities of such other party as set forth in this Article 3.

Article 4. General Provisions.

- 4.01. This AGREEMENT shall take effect on the date of execution hereof by the Agency and the Company and shall remain in effect until the Lease (or Leaseback) Agreement becomes effective. It is the intent of the Agency and the Company that this AGREEMENT be superseded in its entirety by the Lease (or Leaseback) Agreement, except for the indemnities and guarantee of indemnities contained herein, which shall survive.
- 4.02. It is understood and agreed by the Agency and the Company that entering into the sale-leaseback or lease-leaseback transaction and the execution of the Lease (or Leaseback) Agreement and related documents are subject to (i) obtaining all necessary governmental approvals, (ii) approval of the members of the Company, (iii) approval of the members of the Agency, (iv) satisfactory completion of the environmental review of the Facility by the Agency in compliance with the State Environmental Quality Review Act, (v) agreement by the Agency and the Company upon mutually acceptable terms and conditions for the Lease (or Leaseback) Agreement and other documentation usual and customary to transactions of this nature, (vi) the condition that there are no changes in New York State Law which prohibit or limit the Agency from fulfilling its obligation and commitment as herein set forth to enter into the sale-leaseback or lease-leaseback transaction and (vii) payment by the Company of the Agency's transaction fee and the fees and disbursements of bond counsel or transaction counsel. The Agency's transaction fee is calculated based upon the size of the project; based upon the projections in the Company's Application, the transaction fee for this project is estimated at \$7,640.00, which will be payable in full at closing.

- 4.03. The Company agrees that it will reimburse the Agency for all reasonable and necessary direct out-of-pocket expenses that the Agency may incur as a consequence of executing this AGREEMENT or performing its obligations hereunder. Examples of such expenses include, but are not limited to, photocopies, phone and fax charges, postage and other shipping charges incurred in connection with closing the lease-leaseback transaction or complying with any requests after closing relating to the lease-leaseback transaction, including but not limited to requests under the Freedom of Information Act, requests relating to the Project.
- 4.04. If for any reason the sale-leaseback or lease-leaseback transaction does not close on or before twelve (12) months from the execution hereof, the provisions of this AGREEMENT (other than the provisions of Articles 3.05, 3.06, 3.07 and 3.08 above, which shall survive) shall, unless extended by agreement of the Agency and the Company (whether before or after such original expiration date), terminate and be of no further force or effect, and following such termination neither party shall have any rights against the other party except:
- (a) The Company shall pay the Agency for all expenses which were authorized by the Company and incurred by the Agency in connection with the acquisition, renovation and equipping of the Facility;
- (b) The Company shall assume and be responsible for any contracts for renovation or purchase of equipment entered into by the Agency at the request of or as agent for the Company in connection with the Project; and
- (c) The Company will pay the out-of-pocket expenses of members of the Agency, counsel for the Agency and Transaction Counsel incurred in connection with the Project and will pay the reasonable fees of counsel for the Agency and Transaction Counsel for legal services relating to the Project or the proposed financing thereof.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have entered into this AGREEMENT as of the 16th day of August 2013.

ONEIDA COUNTY INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AGENCY

By: Matalie & Brown David C. Grow Natalie L. Brown - Chairman Vice Chairman

VARFLEX CORPORATION

Bv:

Name: CHARLES J.

Title: TREMSURET

Final Authorizing Resolution Varflex Corporation Facility

Transcript Document No. 9

Date: September 20, 2013

At a meeting of the Oneida County Industrial Development Agency (the "Agency") held at 584 Phoenix Drive, Rome, New York 13441 on the 20th day of September 2013, the following members of the Agency were:

Members Present: Ferris Betrus

David Grow

Mary Faith Messenger Eugene Quadraro Stephen Zogby

Staff Present:

Maureen Carney

Steven DiMeo Shawna Papale Jennifer Waters

Others Present:

Mark Levitt, Esq.

Linda E. Romano, Esq.

Laura Ruberto

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After the meeting had been duly called to order, the Chairman announced that among the purposes of the meeting was to consider and take action on certain matters pertaining to proposed financial assistance to Varflex Corporation.

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

Voting Aye

Voting Nay

Ferris Betrus Mary Faith Messenger Eugene Quadraro Stephen Zogby

David Grow abstained from the vote

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE AGENCY TO EXECUTE THE LEASE AGREEMENT, THE LEASEBACK AGREEMENT, THE PAYMENT-IN-LIEU-OF-TAX AGREEMENT, THE ENVIRONMENTAL COMPLIANCE AND INDEMNIFICATION AGREEMENT AND RELATED DOCUMENTS WITH RESPECT TO THE VARFLEX CORPORATION FACILITY LOCATED IN THE CITY OF ROME, ONEIDA COUNTY.

WHEREAS, by Title 1 of Article 18-A of the General Municipal Law of the State of New York, as amended and Chapter 372 of the Laws of 1970 of the State of New York (collectively, the "Act"), the Agency was created with the authority and power among other things, to assist with the acquisition of certain industrial development projects as authorized by the Act; and

WHEREAS, Varflex Corporation (the "Company") has requested that the Agency provide certain financial assistance, consisting of exemptions from real property taxes and sales taxes (the "Financial Assistance"), for a project (the "Project") consisting of the acquisition and renovation of a 52,000± square foot manufacturing facility (the "Improvements") located on a 7.64± acre parcel of land at 5780 Success Drive, City of Rome, Oneida County, New York (the "Land") and the acquisition and installation of equipment in the Improvements (the "Equipment"), all to be used for the manufacturing of electrical insulating sleeving (the Land, the Improvements and the Equipment are referred to collectively as the "Facility"); and

WHEREAS, the Agency will acquire a leasehold interest in the Facility pursuant to a Lease Agreement from the Company to the Agency (the "Lease Agreement") and lease the Facility back to the Company pursuant to a Leaseback Agreement from the Agency to the Company (the "Leaseback Agreement"); and

WHEREAS, the Agency by resolution duly adopted on June 28, 2013 (the "Inducement Resolution") decided to proceed under the provisions of the Act to lease the Facility and directed that a public hearing be held and enter into the Lease Agreement and Leaseback Agreement; and

WHEREAS, the Company has agreed to indemnify the Agency against certain losses, claims, expenses, damages and liabilities which may arise in connection with the Project and the Agency's leasehold interest in the Facility; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Oneida County Industrial Development Agency (a majority of the members thereof affirmatively concurring) as follows:

Section 1. The Agency hereby finds and determines:

- (a) By virtue of the Act, the Agency has been vested with all powers necessary and convenient to carry out and effectuate the purposes and provisions of the Act and to exercise all powers granted to it under the Act; and
 - (b) The Facility constitutes a "project", as such term is defined in the Act; and
- (c) The acquisition, renovation and equipping of the Facility, the leasing of the Facility to the Company and the Agency's Financial Assistance with respect thereto, will promote and maintain the job opportunities, health, general prosperity and economic welfare of the citizens of Oneida County and the State of New York and improve their standard of living and thereby serve the public purposes of the Act; and

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- (d) The acquisition, renovation, equipping and financing of the Facility is reasonably necessary to induce the Company to maintain and expand its business operations in the State of New York; and
- (e) Based upon representations of the Company and Company's Counsel, the Facility conforms with the local zoning laws and planning regulations of Oneida County and all regional and local land use plans for the area in which the Facility is located; and
- (f) The SEQRA findings adopted by the Agency on June 28, 2013 encompassed the actions to be undertaken by this resolution and no changes have been made since that time to the proposed action that would create new or increased adverse environmental impacts; and
- (g) It is desirable and in the public interest for the Agency to undertake the Project; and
- (h) The Lease Agreement is an effective instrument whereby the Company grants the Agency a leasehold interest in the Facility; and
- (i) The Leaseback Agreement is an effective instrument whereby the Agency leases the Facility back to the Company; and
- (j) The Payment-in-Lieu-of-Tax Agreement (the "PILOT Agreement") between the Company and the Agency, in form satisfactory to the Chairman and Agency Counsel, will be an effective instrument whereby the Agency and the Company set forth the terms and conditions of their Agreement regarding the Company's payments in lieu of real property taxes; and
- (k) The Environmental Compliance and Indemnification Agreement (the "Environmental Compliance and Indemnification Agreement") by the Company for the benefit of the Agency will be an effective instrument whereby the Company agrees to comply with all Environmental Laws (as defined therein) applicable to the Facility and will indemnify and hold harmless the Agency for all liability under all such Environmental Laws; and
- (I) The Jobs Creation and Recapture Agreement (the "Jobs Creation Agreement") by the Company for the benefit of the Agency will be an effective instrument whereby the Company agrees that the Financial Assistance is conditioned upon maintaining certain employment levels as a result of the Project.
- Section 2. In consequence of the foregoing, the Agency hereby determines to: (i) acquire a leasehold interest in the Facility pursuant to the Lease Agreement, (ii) execute, deliver and perform the Lease Agreement, (iii) lease the Facility back to the Company pursuant to the Leaseback Agreement, (iv) execute, deliver and perform the Leaseback Agreement, (v) execute, deliver and perform the PILOT Agreement, (vi) execute and deliver the Environmental Compliance and Indemnification Agreement and (vii) provide the Financial Assistance to the Company in support of the Project.
- Section 3. The Agency is hereby authorized to accept a leasehold interest in the real property described in Exhibit A to the Lease Agreement and the personal property described in Exhibit B to the Lease Agreement and to do all things necessary or appropriate for the

accomplishment thereof, and all acts heretofore taken by the Agency with respect to such acquisition are hereby approved, ratified and confirmed.

<u>Section 4</u>. The form and substance of the Lease Agreement, the Leaseback Agreement, the Environmental Compliance and Indemnification Agreement, the Jobs Creation Agreement and the PILOT Agreement (each in substantially the forms presented to the Agency and which, prior to the execution and delivery thereof, may be redated) are hereby approved.

Section 5.

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

Section 6. The officers, employees and agents of the Agency are hereby authorized and directed for and in the name and on behalf of the Agency to do all acts and things required or provided for by the provisions of the Closing Documents, and to execute and deliver all such additional certificates, instruments and documents, pay all such fees, charges and expenses and to do all such further acts and things as may be necessary or, in the opinion of the officer, employee or agent acting, desirable and proper to effect the purposes of the foregoing resolution and to cause compliance by the Agency with all of the terms, covenants and provisions of the Closing Documents binding upon the Agency.

<u>Section 7</u>. This resolution shall take effect immediately.

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

I, the undersigned Secretary of the Oneida County Industrial Development Agency (the "Agency"), DO HEREBY CERTIFY:

That I have compared the annexed extract of the minutes of the meeting of the Agency, including the resolutions contained therein, held on the 20th day of September 2013 with the original thereof on file in my office, and that the same is a true and correct copy of the proceedings of the Agency and of such resolutions set forth therein and of the whole of said original insofar as the same related to the subject matters therein referred to.

That the Lease Agreement, the Leaseback Agreement, the Environmental Compliance and Indemnification Agreement, the Jobs Creation Agreement and the PILOT Agreement contained in this transcript of proceedings are each in substantially the form presented to the Agency and/or approved by said meeting.

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

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand as of this 20th day of September 2013.

ONEIDA COUNTY INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AGENCY

Shawna M. Papale, Secretary