Terms of Use

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BY ACCESSING OUR SITE, YOU ARE STATING THAT YOU HAVE READ AND UNDERSTAND, AND AGREE TO BE BOUND BY, THE FOLLOWING TERMS AND LEGAL INFORMATION PERTAINING TO OUR SITE (WHETHER OR NOT YOU CONFIRM YOUR AGREEMENT). OUR SITE IS OFFERED TO YOU CONDITIONED ON YOUR ACCEPTANCE OF THESE TERMS. IF YOU DO NOT AGREE TO THESE TERMS, YOU ARE NOT PERMITTED TO USE OUR SITE.

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- 2. <u>Privacy Policy</u>. You agree that we may use any information we obtain about you in accordance with the provisions of our Privacy Policies, which may be found at http://www.aspiriant.com/privacy-policy (collectively the "**Privacy Policy**"). These Terms incorporate by reference the terms and conditions of the Privacy Policy.
- 3. <u>U.S. Access Only</u>. Our Site is intended for residents of the United States only. If you choose to access our Site from locations outside of the United States, you do so at your own initiative and risk, and are responsible for compliance with all applicable local, state, federal, national, provincial, foreign, and international statutes, treaties, regulations, rules, orders, and other laws (each, a "Law"). For example, you agree to comply with all export and re-export laws.
- 4. <u>Informational Purposes Only.</u> The Content of our Site is for informational purposes only. Nothing on our Site is an offer or solicitation to buy or sell, or a recommendation for, any security or any other product or service, and Aspiriant is not soliciting any action based on our Site. Nothing on our Site is a recommendation that you purchase, sell or hold any security, or that you pursue any investment style or strategy. Nothing on our Site is intended to be, and you should not consider anything on our Site to be, investment, accounting, tax, or legal advice. Nothing on our Site should be construed as a recommendation, by us or any third party, to acquire or dispose of any investment or security, or to engage in any investment strategy or transaction.

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- 5. Password Protected Portion of Website. In addition to providing information about Aspiriant, our Site may allow you, after inputting the credentials for Your Account (as defined in Section 10 below), to (among other things), access an expense management portal, access an electronic mail portal, review quarterly reports, review your holdings, exchange documents with Aspiriant, and engage in calendaring with Aspiriant. To the extent that the password protected portions of the Site direct you to services provided by non-Aspiriant parties, you may be required to agree to the terms of use and other policies and agreements of those third parties as described in Section 11 below.
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- 9.2 <u>Security</u>. Access to and use of password-protected and/or secure areas of our Site are restricted to authorized users only. You may not violate the security of all or any portion of our Site, including without limitation obtaining or attempt to obtain unauthorized access to such parts of our Site, or to any other protected materials or information, through any means not intentionally made available by us for your specific use. Unauthorized individuals attempting to access, or actually accessing, these areas can be subject to criminal and/or civil prosecution.
- 9.3 <u>Data Transmission</u>. You acknowledge that data, including e-mail, electronic communications and personal financial data, may be accessed by unauthorized third parties when communicated between you and us, financial market information services, financial publishers, various securities markets including stock exchanges and their affiliates, investment bankers and other providers or any other third party transmitting financial market data, quotes, news, research and opinions (including Research Reports, as defined below) or other financial information, using the internet, other network communications facilities, telephone or any other electronic means. You agree to use software produced by third parties, including, but not limited to, "browser" software that supports a data security protocol compatible with the protocol used by us. You agree to use software that supports the Secure Socket Layer (SSL) protocol or other protocols accepted by us and follow our log-on procedures for Electronic Services that support such protocols. You acknowledge that we are not responsible for notifying you of any

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- 10. Accounts and Passwords. To access certain portions of our Site, you may be required to establish a Site account ("Your Account") with a username and password. By establishing Your Account, you represent and warrant that the information you provide is accurate and complete in all respects, and you agree to keep such information at all times complete, accurate, and up-to-date. You are responsible for maintaining the confidentiality of your password for our Site, and you are solely responsible for all activities that occur under Your Account. You will be responsible for any instructions (to the extent applicable) received by us through Your Account and such instructions will be deemed to have been received from you. Your password is an important means of protection for you. You agree to contact us immediately if you believe that an unauthorized person has obtained access to your password.
- Third Party Resources. Portions of our Site may allow you to access and/or use information, content, products, services, tools, websites, and other resources provided by third parties, including without limitation, secure email services that may be provided by Zix Corporation and expense management services that may be provided by WealthTouch, Inc. (collectively "Third Party Resources"). The Third Party Resources may be available directly on our Site or may be accessible through a link on our Site. We provide access to Third Party Resources for your convenience, but we are not associated with any Third Party Resources. We do not have any responsibility for, make no representations regarding, and assume no liability for any Third Party Resources, any websites containing any Third Party Resources, any provider of any Third Party Resources, or any advice or views expressed through any Third Party Resources. We do not approve or endorse any websites containing any Third Party Resources, any provider of any Third Party Resources, or any advice or views expressed through any Third Party Resources. We have no control over any aspect of the Third Party Resources, any modification, suspension, or termination of Third Party Resources, or the use of any information shared with any Third Party Resource. You use or rely on Third Party Resources at your own risk. Your use of Third Party Resources is subject to the license agreements, terms and conditions, privacy policies, and other policies and agreements applicable to such Third Party Resources. Your use of certain services provided by Third Party Resources may require your agreement to certain additional terms and conditions provided by the applicable Third Party Resources. These additional terms and conditions may be made available to you when, and if, you access the third party services. Third party licenses, terms, and policies may change from time to time and your use of the Third Party Resources provided by these third parties will be governed by the licenses, terms, and policies applicable to such Third Party Resources that are in effect at the time of you use.
- 12. No Warranty or Reliance.
- 12.1. <u>IN GENERAL</u>. OUR SITE IS PROVIDED "AS IS" AND "AS AVAILABLE", WITHOUT WARRANTY OF ANY KIND, EITHER EXPRESS OR IMPLIED, TO THE FULLEST EXTENT PERMISSIBLE PURSUANT TO APPLICABLE LAW.

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- 14. <u>Exclusions and Limitations</u>. Some jurisdictions do not allow the exclusion of certain warranties or the limitation or exclusion of liability for incidental or consequential damages. Accordingly, some of the above limitations and disclaimers may not apply to you. To the extent that we may not, as a matter of applicable Law, disclaim any implied warranty or limit our liabilities, the scope and duration of such warranty and the extent of our liability will be the minimum permitted under such applicable Law.

- 15. <u>Refusal of Service; Modification of Site; Termination</u>. We reserve the right to refuse service, terminate accounts, remove or change Site content, services, or functionality, or modify or discontinue our Site in our sole discretion. We may terminate, suspend, or modify your access to all or part of our Site, without notice, if you violate these Terms or you engage in any conduct that we, in our sole and absolute discretion, believe is in violation of any applicable Law or is otherwise harmful to the interests of us, any other user of our Site, or any third party.
- 16. <u>Modifications to Terms</u>. We may update or change these Terms at any time and in our sole discretion, by posting on the "Terms of Use" page of our Site. If any modification is unacceptable to you, your only recourse is to terminate your use of our Site. Your continued use of our Site following our posting or emailing of a change notice or revised Terms as provided in this section will constitute your binding acceptance of the change.
- 17. <u>Arbitration</u>. Unless deemed unenforceable due to specifically applicable federal or state Law not otherwise pre-empted, any dispute, claim or controversy arising out of or relating to these Terms shall be determined by arbitration in the County of Los Angeles, before a sole arbitrator, in accordance with the Laws of the State of California for agreements made in and to be performed in that state. The arbitration shall be administered by JAMS, The Resolution Experts ("JAMS") pursuant to its streamlined arbitration rules and procedures. Judgment on the award may be entered in any court in the County of Los Angeles, and the parties agree to the jurisdiction of such courts, or in any other U.S. Court with jurisdiction. The arbitrator shall, in the award, allocate the costs of filing the arbitration, including the fees of the arbitrator against the party who did not prevail. Forbearance to enforce any right to arbitrate under these Terms shall not be deemed a waiver. Notwithstanding the foregoing, nothing in this Agreement will limit either party's ability to seek temporary or preliminary injunctive or other equitable relief in any court of competent jurisdiction.
- 18. <u>Miscellaneous</u>. These Terms, together with the Privacy Policy and any additional agreement or terms as described in Section 1 above constitute the entire and exclusive agreement between us with respect to your use of our Site. The section titles in these Terms are for convenience only and have no legal or contractual effect. These Terms inure to the benefit of Aspiriant, its successors and assigns. You may not assign these Terms. Our failure to exercise or enforce any right or provision of these Terms will not constitute a waiver of such right or provision; no waiver shall be effective unless in writing. If any provision of these Terms is found by a court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid, you nevertheless agree that the court should endeavor to give effect to our intentions as reflected in the provision, and that the other provisions of these Terms remain in full force and effect. All rights not expressly granted herein are reserved by Aspiriant.