## TELECOMMUNICATIONS VENDOR CONTRACT

## **NETWORK PERFORMANCE SERVICE LEVEL AGREEMENT**

**AGREEMENT DATE**: January 15, 2025

#### **BETWEEN**:

• **CUSTOMER**: Enterprise Solutions Inc. ("Customer")

• **SERVICE PROVIDER**: GlobalConnect Networks ("Provider")

#### 1. SERVICE DESCRIPTION

Provider shall deliver enterprise-grade network connectivity services to Customer including Wide Area Network (WAN) connectivity, Internet access, and MPLS services across all Customer locations as specified in Appendix A.

### 2. SERVICE PERIOD

This Agreement shall commence on February 1, 2025 and continue for a period of 36 months unless terminated earlier as provided herein.

## 3. NETWORK PERFORMANCE SERVICE LEVELS

## 3.1 Network Availability

Provider guarantees network availability of 99.999% ("five nines") measured monthly, which equates to a maximum of 26 seconds of downtime per month. Network availability shall be calculated as follows:

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Availability = [(Total Minutes in Month - Total Downtime Minutes) / Total Minutes in Month] \times 100
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## 3.2 Network Latency

Provider guarantees the following maximum one-way latency performance metrics:

Connection Type	Maximum Latency
Intra-Regional	15 milliseconds
Continental	65 milliseconds
Intercontinental	120 milliseconds
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Latency shall be measured as the average round-trip time between Provider's edge devices over a calendar month.

#### 3.3 Packet Loss

Provider guarantees packet loss shall not exceed 0.1% measured monthly between Provider's edge devices.

#### 3.4 Jitter

Provider guarantees jitter shall not exceed 3 milliseconds measured monthly between Provider's edge devices.

### 4. MEASUREMENT AND REPORTING

## **4.1 Monitoring Systems**

Provider shall maintain network monitoring systems that measure performance metrics defined herein. Customer shall have access to a real-time dashboard showing current network performance and historical data.

## 4.2 Regular Reporting

Provider shall provide Customer with detailed performance reports on a monthly basis within five (5) business days after the end of each month. Reports shall include:

- Actual availability percentage
- Average, minimum and maximum latency measurements
- Packet loss statistics
- Jitter statistics
- Details of any outages or service degradation incidents

### **5. SERVICE CREDITS**

## **5.1 Network Availability Credits**

Availability	Service Credit (% of Monthly Fee)
99.9% to 99.999%	10%
99.5% to 99.899%	25%
99.0% to 99.499%	50%
Below 99.0%	100%
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## 5.2 Latency, Packet Loss, and Jitter Credits

If Provider fails to meet any of the latency, packet loss, or jitter guarantees, Customer shall be entitled to a service credit of 15% of the monthly fee for each performance metric not met.

## **5.3 Credit Request Process**

Customer must request service credits in writing within thirty (30) days of the publication of the monthly performance report. Credits shall be applied to the next monthly invoice.

## **6. EXCLUSIONS**

The following events shall not be counted as downtime or service degradation:

- Scheduled maintenance performed during standard maintenance windows (Sundays, 2:00 AM to 6:00 AM local time)
- Emergency maintenance with 24-hour advance notice
- Force majeure events
- Issues caused by Customer's applications, equipment, or facilities
- Customer's acts or omissions

## 7. ESCALATION PROCEDURES

# **7.1 Incident Severity Levels**

Severity	Description	Initial Response Time
Critical	Complete service loss	15 minutes
High	Severe degradation	30 minutes
Medium	Limited degradation	2 hours
Low	Non-service affecting	8 hours
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## 7.2 Escalation Path

<b>Escalation Level</b>	Time Threshold	Contact	
Level 1	Immediate	Network Operations Center	
Level 2	After 1 hour	Technical Support Manager	
Level 3	After 4 hours	Director of Network Services	
Level 4	After 8 hours	VP of Operations	
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## 8. TERMINATION

If Provider fails to meet any Service Level for three (3) consecutive months, Customer may terminate this Agreement without penalty by providing written notice to Provider.

# 9. GOVERNANCE AND REVIEW

Representatives from both Customer and Provider shall meet quarterly to review service performance, discuss any issues, and identify opportunities for improvement.

SIGNATURES		
FOR CUSTOMER:		
Name: Sarah Johnson		
Title: Chief Information Officer		
Date: January 15, 2025		
FOR PROVIDER:		
Name: Michael Chen		
Title: Vice President of Enterprise Sales		
Date: January 15, 2025		

# **APPENDIX A: CUSTOMER LOCATIONS AND SERVICE SPECIFICATIONS**

[Details of all customer locations, connection types, and bandwidth requirements would be listed here]