**Section VIII**

**2. Performance Security**

[The issuing agency, as requested by the successful Bidder, shall fill in this form in

accordance with the instructions indicated]

...................................................................................................................................................(.Issuing Agency’s Name, and Address of Issuing Branch or Office)

**Beneficiary**:..............................................................................................................................[Name and Address of Employer]

**Date**: ------------------------------

**PERFORMANCE GUARANTEE No**.: -------------------------

We have been informed that ........................................................................................... [name of Supplier] (hereinafter called "the Supplier") has entered into Contract No. .............................................................[reference number of the contract] dated ......................with you ,for the ..................................... Supply of ............................................................ ..................................................... [name of contract and brief description] (hereinafter called "the Contract").

Furthermore, we understand that, according to the conditions of the Contract, a performance guarantee is required.

At the request of the Supplier, we ......................................................................................... [name of Agency] hereby irrevocably undertake to pay you any sum or sums not exceeding in total an amount of ........................................... [amount in figures] (........................................ ............................................................................) [amount in words], such sum being payable in the types and proportions of currencies in which the Contract Price is payable, upon receipt by us of your first demand in writing accompanied by a written statement stating that the Contractor is in breach of its obligation(s) under the Contract, without your needing to prove or to show grounds for your demand or the sum specified therein.

This guarantee shall expire, no later than the …. day of ……, 20.. [insert date, 28 days beyond the scheduled completion date including the warranty period] and any demand for payment under it must be received by us at this office on or before that date.

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[signature(s)]