Terms of Sale for items supplied by pmdtechnologies ag

1. General
1.1 The scope of deliveries and/or services (hereinafter referred to as “Supplies”) shall be determined by the written declarations of both Parties. General terms and conditions of the Purchaser shall apply only if and when expressly accepted by pmdtechnologies ag, Siegen (hereinafter referred to as “Supplier”) in writing.
1.2 The Supplier herewith reserves any industrial property rights and/or copyrights pertaining to its cost estimates, drawings and other documents (hereinafter referred to as „Documents”). The Documents shall not be made accessible to third parties without the Supplier’s prior consent and shall, upon request, be returned without undue delay to the Supplier if the contract is not awarded to the Supplier.
Sentences 1 and 2 shall apply mutatis mutandis to documents of the Purchaser; these may, however, be made accessible to third parties to whom the Supplier may rightfully transfer Supplies.

2. Prices
Prices are ex works and exclude packaging unless otherwise specified and are subject to change without further notice. Any applicable taxes shall be added at the applicable rate and will be added separately to the invoice.

3. Delivery
Delivery dates are approximate and are based upon receipt of all necessary information. The risk of loss passes to the buyer at pmdtechnologies ag premises in Siegen.

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4.1 Subject to credit department approval, net 30 days from date of invoice.
4.2 Partial Supplies shall be allowed, unless they are unreasonable to accept for the Purchaser. Payments shall be made free Supplier’s paying office.
4.3 The Purchaser may set off only those claims that are undisputed or against which no legal recourse is possible.

5. Personal Data
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6. Time for Supplies; Delay
6.1 Times set for Supplies can only be observed if all Documents to be supplied by the Purchaser, necessary permits and releases, especially concerning plans, are received in time and if agreed terms of payment and other obligations of the Purchaser are fulfilled. Unless these conditions are fulfilled in time, times set shall be ex-tended appropriately; this shall not apply where the Supplier is responsible for the delay.
6.2 If non-observance of the times set is due to force majeure such as mobilization, war, rebellion or similar events, e. g. strike or lockout, such time shall be extended accordingly.
6.3 If the Supplier is responsible for the delay (hereinafter referred to as „Delay”) and the Purchaser demonstrably suffered a loss there from, the Purchaser may claim a compensation as liquidated damages of 0.5% for every completed week of Delay, but in no case more than a total of 5% of the price of that part of the Supplies which because of the Delay could not be put to the intended use.
6.4 Purchaser’s claims for damages due to delayed Supplies as well as claims for damages in lieu of performance exceeding the limits specified in No. 3 above shall be excluded in all cases of delayed Supplies even upon expiry of a time set to the Supplier to effect the Supplies. This shall not apply in cases of mandatory liability based on intent, gross negligence, or due to injury of life, body or health. Cancellation of the contract by the Purchaser based on statute shall be limited to cases where the Supplier is responsible
for the delay. The above provisions do not imply a change in the burden of proof to the detriment of the Purchaser.

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7. Receiving of Supplies
The Purchaser shall not refuse to receive Supplies due to minor defects.

8. Warranty
The Supplier warrants that all devices will perform in normal use in accordance to device specifications for a period of one year from date of delivery to the customer. This warranty does not cover failure due to those mechanical and electrical causes defined below as liability of the customer. pmdtechnologies makes no other warranties expressed or implied for these devices. If the devices do not function properly during the warranty period, pmdtechnologies will, at its option, either replace or refund the purchase price of any device found to be defective. Opening the camera body is not allowed. At non-compliance any warranty claim expires.

9. Returns
Devices will be considered for replacement up to one year from the date of shipment. Returns will be re-tested against the device specifications and if found to meet those specifications will be shipped back to the customer at the customer’s expense. All items should be returned, transportation prepaid by the customer to:

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10. Loan-Camera
Opening the camera body is not allowed. At non-compliance any warranty claim expires and the full purchase price has to be paid.

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Damage from mechanical (scratches or breakage), electrical (ESD), or other misuse of the device (electrical, storage temperature, etc.) beyond the stated maximum ratings in the device specifications that occur after receipt of the device by the customer shall be the responsibility of the customer.

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The purchase price paid for the image sensors does not include a license under any pmdtechnologies ag patent to manufacture or assemble a camera based on the pmd-principle.

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13.2 For the duration of the retention of title, the Purchaser may not pledge the Retained Goods or use them as security, and resale shall be possible only for resellers in the ordinary course of their business and only on condition that the reseller receives payment from its customer or makes the transfer of property to the customer dependent upon the customer fulfilling its obligation to effect payment.

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14. Defects as to Quality
The Supplier shall be liable for defects as to quality („Sachmängel“, hereinafter referred to as „Defects“) as follows:

14.1 All parts or services where a Defect becomes apparent within the limitation period shall, at the discretion of the Supplier, be repaired, replaced or provided again free of charge irrespective of the hours of operation elapsed, provided that the reason for the Defect had already existed at the time when the risk passed.

14.2 Claims based on Defects are subject to a limitation period of 12 months. This provision shall not apply where longer periods are prescribed by law according to Sec. 438 para. 1 No. 2 (buildings and things used for a building), Sec. 479 para. 1(right of recourse), and Sec. 634a para. 1 No. 2 (defects of a building) German Civil Code („BGB“), as well as in cases of injury of life, body or health, or where the Supplier intentionally or grossly negligently fails to fulfill its obligation or fraudulently conceals a Defect. The legal provisions regarding suspension of expiration („Ablaufhemmung“), suspension („Hemmung“) and recommencement of limitation periods remain unaffected.

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14.5 If supplementary performance is unsuccessful, the Purchaser shall be entitled to cancel the contract or reduce the remuneration, irrespective of any claims for damages it may have according to Art. 16.

14.6 There shall be no claims based on Defect in cases of insignificant deviations from the agreed quality, of only minor impairment of usefulness, of natural wear and tear or damage arising after the transfer of risk from faulty or negligent handling, excessive strain, unsuitable equipment, defective workmanship, inappropriate foundation soil or from particular external influences not assumed under the contract, or from nonreproducible software errors. Claims based on defects attributable to improper modifications or repair work carried out by the Purchaser or third parties and the consequences thereof shall be likewise excluded.

14.7 The Purchaser shall have no claim with respect to expenses incurred in the course of supplementary performance, including costs of travel and transport, labour, and material, to the extent that expenses are increased because the subject-matter of the Supplies was subsequently brought to another location than the Purchaser’s branch office, unless doing so complies with the intended use of the Supplies.

14.8 The Purchaser’s right of recourse against the Supplier pursuant to Sec. 478 BGB is limited to cases where the Purchaser has not concluded an agreement with its customers exceeding the scope of the statutory provisions governing claims based on Defects. Moreover, No. 8 above shall apply mutatis mutandis to the scope of the right of recourse the Purchaser has against the Supplier pursuant to Sec. 478 para. 2 BGB. 13.9 Furthermore, the provisions of Art. 16 (Other Claims for Damages) shall apply in respect of claims of damages. Any other claims of the Purchaser against the Supplier or its agents or any such claims exceeding the claims provided for in this Art. 13, based on a Defect, shall be excluded.
15. Industrial Property Rights and Copyright; Defects in Title
15.1 Unless otherwise agreed, the Supplier shall provide the Supplies free from third parties’ industrial property rights and copyrights (hereinafter referred to as „IPR“) with respect to the country of the place of destination. If a third party asserts a justified claim against the Purchaser based on an infringement of an IPR with respect to the Supplies made by the Supplier and then used in conformity with the contract, the Supplier shall be liable to the Purchaser within the time period stipulated in Art. 13 No. 2 as follows: a) The Supplier shall choose whether to acquire, at its own expense, the right to use the IPR with respect to the Supplies concerned or whether to modify the Supplies such that they no longer infringe the IPR or replace them. If this would be unreasonable to demand from the Supplier, the Purchaser may cancel the contract or reduce the remuneration pursuant to the applicable statutory provisions. b) The Supplier’s liability to pay damages shall be governed by Art. 16. c) The above obligations of the Supplier shall only apply if the Purchaser (I) immediately notifies the Supplier of any such claim asserted by the third party in writing, (II) does not concede the existence of an infringement and (III) leaves any protective measures and settlement negotiations to the discretion of the Supplier. If the Purchaser stops using the Supplies in order to reduce the damage or for other good reason, it shall be obliged to point out to the third party that no acknowledgement of the alleged infringement may be inferred from the fact that the use has been discontinued.
15.2 Claims of the Purchaser shall be excluded if it is itself responsible for the infringement of an IPR.
15.3 Claims of the Purchaser shall also be excluded if the infringement of the IPR is caused by specifications made by the Purchaser, to a type of use not foreseeable by the Supplier or to the Supplies being modified by the Purchaser or being used together with products not provided by the Supplier.
15.4 In addition, with respect to claims by the Purchaser pursuant to Art. 14.1 a) above, Art. 13.4, 13.5 and 13.9 shall apply mutatis mutandis in the event of an infringement of an IPR.
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Siegen, November 1, 2019

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18.2 Legal relations existing in connection with this contract shall be governed by German substantive law, to the exclusion of the United Nations Convention on Contracts for the International Sale of Goods (CISG).

19. Severability Clause

The legal invalidity of one or more provisions of this contract shall in no way affect the validity of the remaining provisions.

This shall not apply if it would be unreasonable for one of the parties to continue the contract.

Siegen, November 1, 2019