UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT
Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d)
of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): May 31, 2023

Zumiez Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Washington (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization) 000-51300 (Commission File Number) 91-1040022 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

 $4001\ 204 ^{th}\ Street\ SW,\ Lynnwood,\ WA\ 98036$ (Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (425) 551-1500

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Item 5.02. Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.

(e) Approval of the Zumiez Inc. 2023 Equity Incentive Plan and 2023 Employee Stock Purchase Plan

At the Annual Meeting of Shareholders (the "*Annual Meeting*") of Zumiez Inc. (the "*Company*") held on May 31, 2023, the Company's shareholders approved the Zumiez Inc. 2023 Equity Incentive Plan (the "*2023 Equity Plan*"). The 2023 Equity Plan was adopted by the Company's board of directors (the "*Board*") on March 8, 2023, subject to shareholder approval. The terms of the 2023 Equity Plan are described in the Company's 2023 Proxy Statement, which was filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on April 21, 2023. The 2023 Plan is included as Exhibit 10.30 to this report and is incorporated herein by reference.

On March 7, 2023, the Compensation Committee of the Board approved, and on March 8, 2023, the full Board approved, the forms of terms and conditions for future restricted stock awards, restricted stock unit awards and stock option awards that may be granted to executive officers and non-employee directors. Copies of the new forms of Restricted Stock Award Agreement, Restricted Stock Unit Award Agreement and Stock Option Award Agreement are filed as Exhibit 10.31, Exhibit 10.32 and Exhibit 10.33, respectively, to this report and are incorporated herein by reference.

Also, at the Annual Meeting, the Company's shareholders approved the Zumiez Inc. 2023 Employee Stock Purchase Plan (the "2023 ESPP"). The 2023 ESPP was adopted by the Board on March 8, 2023, subject to shareholder approval. The terms of the 2023 ESPP are described in the Company's 2023 Proxy Statement, which was filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on April 21, 2023. The 2023 Plan is included as Exhibit 10.34 to this report and is incorporated herein by reference.

Item 5.07. Submission of Matters to a Vote of Security Holders.

At the Annual Meeting, the shareholders of the Company voted on six proposals. The proposals are described in detail in the Company's 2023 Proxy Statement, which was filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on April 21, 2023. The final results for the votes regarding each proposal are set forth below.

Proposal Number One: Shareholders elected Thomas D. Campion, Liliana Gil Valletta and Carmen R. Bauza as directors to each serve a three-year term until the 2026 Annual Meeting of Shareholders. The results of the vote were as follows:

				Broker
<u>Nominee</u>	For	Against	Abstain	Non-Votes
Thomas D. Campion	15,587,343	1,007,995	991	430,285
Liliana Gil Valletta	15,226,116	1,215,957	154,256	430,285
Carmen R. Bauza	16,193,247	402,541	541	430,285

Proposal Number Two: Shareholders approved an advisory, non-binding, vote on executive compensation. The results of the vote were as follows:

For	Against	Abstain	Broker Non-Votes
16,201,844	378,739	15,724	430,285

Proposal Number Three: Shareholders indicated their preference that the advisory vote on executive compensation be held on an annual basis. The results of the vote were as follows:

1 Year	2 Years	3 Years	Abstain
11,594,008	6,034	4,766,623	229,664

Based on the Board of Directors' recommendation in the Proxy Statement and the voting results with respect to the frequency of future advisory votes on executive compensation, the Board of Directors has determined that it will adopt the frequency that the majority of shareholders indicated as their preference and include in the annual shareholder meeting proxy materials in future years a shareholder vote on executive compensation on an annual basis.

Proposal Number Four: Shareholders approved the Zumiez Inc. 2023 Equity Incentive Plan. The results of the vote were as follows:

For	Against	Abstain	Broker Non-Votes
9,108,246	7,359,653	218,430	430,285

Proposal Number Five: Shareholders approved the Zumiez Inc. 2023 Employee Stock Purchase Plan. The results of the vote were as follows:

For	Against	Abstain	Broker Non-Votes
15,091,293	1,503,677	1,359	430,285

Proposal Number Six: Shareholders ratified the appointment of Moss Adams LLP as the Company's independent registered public accounting firm for the fiscal year ending February 3, 2024. The results of the vote were as follows:

For	Against	Abstain
16,968,542	56,609	1,463

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

Exhibit Number	Description of Document
10.30	Zumiez Inc. 2023 Equity Incentive Plan
10.31	Form of Restricted Stock Award Agreement and Terms and Conditions
10.32	Form of Restricted Stock Unit Award Agreement and Terms and Conditions
10.33	Form of Stock Option Award Agreement and Terms and Conditions
10.34	Zumiez Inc. 2023 Employee Stock Purchase Plan
104	Cover Page Interactive Data File (embedded within the Inline XBRL document).

SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

ZUMIEZ INC.

Dated: June 2, 2023 By: <u>/s/ Chris Visser</u>

Chris K. Visser

Chief Legal Officer & Secretary

ZUMIEZ INC. 2023 EQUITY INCENTIVE PLAN

Zumiez Inc., a Washington corporation (the "Company"), sets forth herein the terms of its 2023 Equity Incentive Plan (the "Plan"), as follows:

1. PURPOSE

The Plan is intended to enhance the Company's and its Affiliates' (as defined herein) ability to attract and retain highly qualified officers, non-employee members of the Board, key employees, consultants and advisors, and to motivate such officers, non-employee members of the Board, key employees, consultants and advisors to serve the Company and its Affiliates and to expend maximum effort to improve the business results and earnings of the Company, by providing to such persons an opportunity to acquire or increase a direct proprietary interest in the operations and future success of the Company. To this end, the Plan provides for the grant of stock options, stock appreciation rights, restricted stock, restricted stock units, unrestricted stock, other stock-based awards and cash awards. Any of these awards may, but need not, be made as performance incentives to reward attainment of performance goals in accordance with the terms hereof. Stock options granted under the Plan may be Non-qualified Stock Options or Incentive Stock Options, as provided herein.

2. **DEFINITIONS**

For purposes of interpreting the Plan and related documents (including Award Agreements), the following definitions shall apply:

- **2.1.** "Affiliate" means any company or other trade or business that "controls," is "controlled by" or is "under common control" with the Company within the meaning of Rule 405 of Regulation C under the Securities Act, including, without limitation, any Subsidiary.
- **2.2. "Annual Incentive Award"** means a cash-based Performance Award with a performance period that is the Company's fiscal year or other 12-month performance period as specified under the terms of the Award as approved by the Committee.
- 2.3. "Award" means a grant of an Option, Stock Appreciation Right, Restricted Stock, Restricted Stock Unit, Other Stock-based Award or cash award under the Plan.
- **2.4. "Award Agreement"** means a written agreement between the Company and a Grantee, or notice from the Company or an Affiliate to a Grantee that evidences and sets out the terms and conditions of an Award.
- 2.5. "Board" means the Board of Directors of the Company.
- **2.6. "Change in Control"** shall have the meaning set forth in **Section 15.3.2**.
- **2.7. "Code"** means the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as now in effect or as hereafter amended. References to the Code shall include the valid and binding governmental regulations, court decisions and other regulatory and judicial authority issued or rendered thereunder.
- **2.8. "Committee"** means the Compensation Committee of the Board. The Board will cause the Committee to satisfy the applicable requirements of any stock exchange on which the Common Stock may then be listed. For purposes of Awards to Grantees who are subject to Section 16 of the Exchange Act, Committee means all of the members of the Committee who are "non-employee directors" within the meaning of Rule 16b-3 adopted under the Exchange Act. All references in the Plan to the Board shall mean such Committee or the Board.

- 2.9. "Company" means Zumiez Inc., a Washington corporation, or any successor corporation.
- 2.10. "Common Stock" or "Stock" means a share of common stock of the Company, no par value per share.
- **2.11. "Disability"** means total and permanent disability as defined in Section 22(e)(3) of the Code. Notwithstanding the foregoing, for any Awards that constitute nonqualified deferred compensation within the meaning of Section 409A and provide for an accelerated payment in connection with any Disability, Disability shall have the same meaning as defined under Section 409A.
- 2.12. "Effective Date" means May 31, 2023, the date the Plan was approved by the Company's shareholders.
- 2.13. "Exchange Act" means the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as now in effect or as hereafter amended.
- **2.14.** "Fair Market Value" of a share of Common Stock as of a particular date shall mean (i) if the Common Stock is listed on a national securities exchange, the closing or last price of the Common Stock on the composite tape or other comparable reporting system for the applicable date, or if the applicable date is not a trading day, the trading day immediately preceding the applicable date, or (ii) if the shares of Common Stock are not then listed on a national securities exchange, the closing or last price of the Common Stock quoted by an established quotation service for over-the-counter securities, or (iii) if the shares of Common Stock are not then listed on a national securities exchange or quoted by an established quotation service for over-the-counter securities, or the value of such shares is not otherwise determinable, such value as determined by the Board in good faith in its sole discretion.
- **2.15. "Family Member"** means a person who is a spouse, former spouse, child, stepchild, grandchild, parent, stepparent, grandparent, niece, nephew, mother-in-law, father-in-law, son-in-law, daughter-in-law, brother, sister, brother-in-law, or sister-in-law, including adoptive relationships, of the applicable individual, any person sharing the applicable individual's household (other than a tenant or employee), a trust in which any one or more of these persons have more than fifty percent of the beneficial interest, a foundation in which any one or more of these persons (or the applicable individual) control the management of assets, and any other entity in which one or more of these persons (or the applicable individual) own more than fifty percent of the voting interests.
- **2.16. "Grant Date"** means, as determined by the Board, the latest to occur of (i) the date as of which the Board approves an Award, (ii) the date on which the recipient of an Award first becomes eligible to receive an Award under **Section 6** hereof, or (iii) such other date as may be specified by the Board in the Award Agreement.
- **2.17. "Grantee"** means a person who receives or holds an Award under the Plan.
- **2.18. "Incentive Stock Option"** means an "incentive stock option" within the meaning of Section 422 of the Code, or the corresponding provision of any subsequently enacted tax statute, as amended from time to time.
- **2.19. "Non-qualified Stock Option"** means an Option that is not an Incentive Stock Option.
- **2.20.** "Option" means an option to purchase one or more shares of Stock pursuant to the Plan.
- **2.21. "Option Price"** means the exercise price for each share of Stock subject to an Option.

- **2.22. "Other Stock-based Awards"** means Awards consisting of Stock units, or other Awards, valued in whole or in part by reference to, or otherwise based on, Common Stock.
- **2.23. "Performance Award"** means an Award made subject to the attainment of performance goals (as described in **Section 12**) over a performance period of at least one (1) year, and includes an Annual Incentive Award.
- **2.24. "Plan"** means this Zumiez Inc. 2023 Equity Incentive Plan, as amended from time to time.
- 2.25. "Predecessor Plan" means the Zumiez Inc. 2014 Equity Incentive Plan.
- **2.26. "Purchase Price"** means the purchase price for each share of Stock pursuant to a grant of Restricted Stock.
- 2.27. "Restricted Stock" means shares of Stock, awarded to a Grantee pursuant to Section 10 hereof.
- **2.28. "Restricted Stock Unit"** means a bookkeeping entry representing the equivalent of shares of Stock, awarded to a Grantee pursuant to **Section 10** hereof.
- **2.29.** "SAR Exercise Price" means the per share exercise price of a SAR granted to a Grantee under Section 9 hereof.
- 2.30. "SEC" means the United States Securities and Exchange Commission.
- **2.31. "Section 409A"** means Section 409A of the Code.
- 2.32. "Securities Act" means the Securities Act of 1933, as now in effect or as hereafter amended.
- **2.33. "Separation from Service"** means a termination of Service by a Service Provider, as determined by the Board, which determination shall be final, binding and conclusive; provided if any Award governed by Section 409A is to be distributed on a Separation from Service, then the definition of Separation from Service for such purposes shall comply with the definition provided in Section 409A.
- **2.34. "Service"** means service as a Service Provider to the Company or an Affiliate. Unless otherwise stated in the applicable Award Agreement, a Grantee's change in position or duties shall not result in interrupted or terminated Service, so long as such Grantee continues to be a Service Provider to the Company or an Affiliate.
- 2.35. "Service Provider" means an employee, officer, non-employee member of the Board, consultant or advisor of the Company or an Affiliate.
- 2.36. "Stock Appreciation Right" or "SAR" means a right granted to a Grantee under Section 9 hereof.
- 2.37. "Subsidiary" means any "subsidiary corporation" of the Company within the meaning of Section 424(f) of the Code.
- **2.38. "Substitute Award"** means any Award granted in assumption of or in substitution for an award of a company or business acquired by the Company or a Subsidiary or with which the Company or an Affiliate combines.
- **2.39. "Ten Percent Shareholder"** means an individual who owns more than ten percent (10%) of the total combined voting power of all classes of outstanding stock of the Company, its parent or any of its Subsidiaries. In determining stock ownership, the attribution rules of Section 424(d) of the Code shall be applied.

- **2.40. "Termination Date"** means the date that is ten (10) years after the Effective Date, unless the Plan is earlier terminated by the Board under **Section 5.2** hereof.
- 2.41. "Transaction" shall have the meaning set forth in Section 15.2.

3. ADMINISTRATION OF THE PLAN

- **3.1. General.** The Board shall have such powers and authorities related to the administration of the Plan as are consistent with the Company's articles of incorporation and bylaws and applicable law. The Board shall have the power and authority to delegate its responsibilities hereunder to the Committee, which shall have full authority to act in accordance with its charter, and with respect to the authority of the Board to act hereunder, all references to the Board shall be deemed to include a reference to the Committee, to the extent such power or responsibilities have been delegated. Except as specifically provided in **Section 14** or as otherwise may be required by applicable law, regulatory requirement or the articles of incorporation or the bylaws of the Company, the Board shall have full power and authority to take all actions and to make all determinations required or provided for under the Plan, any Award or any Award Agreement, and shall have full power and authority to take all such other actions and make all such other determinations not inconsistent with the specific terms and provisions of the Plan that the Board deems to be necessary or appropriate to the administration of the Plan. The Committee shall administer the Plan; provided that, the Board shall retain the right to exercise the authority of the Committee to the extent consistent with applicable law and the applicable requirements of any securities exchange on which the Common Stock may then be listed. The interpretation and construction by the Board of any provision of the Plan, any Award or any Award Agreement shall be final, binding and conclusive. Without limitation, the Board shall have full and final authority, subject to the other terms and conditions of the Plan, to:
- (i) designate Grantees;
- (ii) determine the type or types of Awards to be made to a Grantee;
- (iii) determine the number of shares of Stock to be subject to an Award;
- (iv) establish the terms and conditions of each Award (including, but not limited to, the Option Price of any Option, the nature and duration of any restriction or condition (or provision for lapse thereof) relating to the vesting, exercise, transfer, or forfeiture of an Award or the shares of Stock subject thereto, and any terms or conditions that may be necessary to qualify Options as Incentive Stock Options);
 - (v) prescribe the form of each Award Agreement;
- (vi) adopt such modifications, procedures, and subplans as may be necessary or desirable to comply with provisions of the laws of foreign countries in which the Company or its Subsidiaries may operate to assure the viability of the benefits from Awards granted to Grantees performing services in such countries and to meet the objectives of the Plan; and
- (vii) amend, modify, or supplement the terms of any outstanding Award including the authority, in order to effectuate the purposes of the Plan, to modify Awards to foreign nationals or individuals who are employed outside the United States to recognize differences in local law, tax policy, or custom.

To the extent permitted by applicable law, the Board may delegate its authority as identified herein to any individual or committee of individuals (who need not be directors), including without limitation the authority to make Awards to Grantees who are not subject to Section 16 of the Exchange Act. To the extent that the Board delegates its authority to make Awards as provided by this Section, all references in the Plan to the Board's authority to make Awards and determinations with respect thereto shall be deemed to include the Board's delegate. Any such delegate shall serve at the pleasure of, and may be removed at any time by the Board.

3.2. Restrictions; No Repricing.

Notwithstanding the foregoing, no amendment or modification may be made to an outstanding Option or SAR that causes the Option or SAR to become subject to Section 409A, without the Grantee's written prior approval. Notwithstanding any provision herein to the contrary, the repricing of Options or SARs is prohibited without prior approval of the Company's shareholders. For this purpose, a "repricing" means any of the following (or any other action that has the same effect as any of the following): (i) changing the terms of an Option or SAR to lower its Option Price or SAR Exercise Price; (ii) any other action that is treated as a "repricing" under generally accepted accounting principles; and (iii) buying out or repurchasing for cash or canceling an Option or SAR at a time when its Option Price or SAR Exercise Price is greater than the Fair Market Value of the underlying shares in exchange for another Award, unless the cancellation and exchange occurs in connection with a change in capitalization or similar change under Section 15. A cancellation and exchange under clause (iii) would be considered a "repricing" regardless of whether it is treated as a "repricing" under generally accepted accounting principles and regardless of whether it is voluntary on the part of the Grantee.

3.3. Award Agreements; Clawbacks.

The grant of any Award may be contingent upon the Grantee executing the appropriate Award Agreement. The Company may retain the right in an Award Agreement to cause a forfeiture of the gain realized by a Grantee on account of actions taken by the Grantee in violation or breach of or in conflict with any employment agreement, non-competition agreement, any agreement prohibiting solicitation of employees or clients of the Company or any Affiliate thereof or any confidentiality obligation with respect to the Company or any Affiliate thereof or otherwise in competition with the Company or any Affiliate thereof, to the extent specified in such Award Agreement applicable to the Grantee. Furthermore, the Company may annul an Award if the Grantee is terminated for "cause" as defined in the applicable Award Agreement.

Awards shall be subject to the requirements of (i) Section 954 of the Dodd-Frank Wall Street Reform and Consumer Protection Act (regarding recovery of erroneously awarded compensation) and any implementing rules and regulations thereunder, (ii) similar rules under the laws of any other jurisdiction, (iii) any compensation recovery policies adopted by the Company to implement any such requirements, (iv) any other compensation recovery policies as may be adopted from time to time by the Company or (v) any insider trading policies that the Company may have in effect, all to the extent determined by the Committee in its discretion to be applicable to a Grantee.

3.4. Deferral Arrangement.

The Board may permit or require the deferral of any Award payment into a deferred compensation arrangement, subject to such rules and procedures as it may establish and in accordance with Section 409A, which may include provisions for the payment or crediting of interest or dividend equivalents, including converting such credits into deferred Stock units.

3.5. No Liability.

No member of the Board or of the Committee shall be liable for any action or determination made in good faith with respect to the Plan, any Award or Award Agreement.

3.6. Book Entry.

Notwithstanding any other provision of this Plan to the contrary, the Company may elect to satisfy any requirement under this Plan for the delivery of stock certificates through the use of book-entry.

4. STOCK SUBJECT TO THE PLAN

4.1. Authorized Number of Shares.

Subject to adjustment under **Section 15** and the share usage provisions in Section 4.2, as of the Effective Date, the aggregate number of shares of Common Stock that may be initially issued pursuant to the Plan is 2,419,354 shares, less one share for every one share that was subject to an award granted under the Predecessor Plan after March 22, 2023 and prior to the Effective Date. In addition, shares of Common Stock underlying any outstanding stock option or other award granted under the Predecessor Plan that is canceled, terminates, expires, or lapses for any reason without issuance of such shares shall be available for the grant of new Awards under this Plan. No new awards shall be granted under the Predecessor Plan following the Effective Date. Shares issued under the Plan may consist in whole or in part of authorized but unissued shares.

4.2. Share Counting.

If any Award is canceled, terminates, expires, or lapses for any reason, any shares of Common Stock subject to such Award shall not count against the aggregate number of Shares available for grants under the Plan set forth in **Section 4.1** above. In addition, the following items shall not count against the aggregate number of shares of Common Stock available for grants under the Plan set forth in **Section 4.1** above: (i) Award that is settled in cash rather than by issuance of Shares; or (ii) Substitute Awards. The full number of shares of Common Stock with respect to which an Option or SAR is granted shall count against the aggregate number of shares available for grant under the Plan. Accordingly, if in accordance with the terms of the Plan, a Participant pays the Option Price for an Option by either tendering previously owned shares or having the Company withhold shares, then such shares surrendered to pay the Option Price shall continue to count against the aggregate number of shares available for grant under the Plan set forth in **Section 4.1** above. In addition, if in accordance with the terms of the Plan, a Participant satisfies any tax withholding requirement with respect to any taxable event arising as a result of this Plan by either tendering previously owned shares or having the Company withhold shares, then such shares surrendered to satisfy such tax withholding requirements shall continue to count against the aggregate number of shares available for grant under the Plan set forth in **Section 4.1** above.

4.3. Award Limits.

4.3.1. Incentive Stock Options.

Subject to adjustment under **Section 15**, all 2,419,354 of such shares of Common Stock available for issuance under the Plan shall be available for issuance under Incentive Stock Options.

4.3.2. Individual Award Limits - Share-Based Awards.

Subject to adjustment under **Section 15**, the maximum number of each type of Award (other than cash-based Performance Awards) granted to any Grantee in any calendar shall not exceed the following: (i) Options and SARs: 1,000,000 shares; and (ii) all share-based Performance Awards (including Restricted Stock, Restricted Stock Units and Other Stock-based Awards that are Performance Awards): 500,000 shares.

4.3.3. Individual Award Limits - Cash-Based Awards.

The maximum amount of cash-based Performance Awards granted to any Grantee in any calendar year shall not exceed the following: (i) Annual Incentive Award: \$5,000,000; and (ii) all other cash-based Performance Awards: \$5,000,000.

4.3.4. Limits on Awards to Non-Employee Directors.

No more than \$300,000 may be granted in equity-based Awards under the Plan during any one year to a Grantee who is a non-employee member of the Board (based on the Fair Market Value of the shares of Common Stock underlying the Award as of the applicable Grant Date in the case of Restricted Stock, Restricted Stock Units or Other Stock-based Awards, and based on the applicable grant date fair value for accounting purposes in the case of Options or SARs).

5. EFFECTIVE DATE, DURATION AND AMENDMENTS

5.1. Term.

The Plan shall be effective as of the Effective Date, provided that it has been approved by the Company's shareholders. The Plan shall terminate automatically on the ten (10) year anniversary of the Effective Date and may be terminated on any earlier date as provided in **Section 5.2**.

5.2. Amendment and Termination of the Plan.

The Board may, at any time and from time to time, amend, suspend, or terminate the Plan as to any Awards which have not been made. An amendment shall be contingent on approval of the Company's shareholders to the extent stated by the Board, required by applicable law or required by applicable stock exchange listing requirements. Notwithstanding the foregoing, any amendment to **Section 3.2** shall be contingent upon the approval of the Company's shareholders. No Awards shall be made after the Termination Date. The applicable terms of the Plan, and any terms and conditions applicable to Awards granted prior to the Termination Date shall survive the termination of the Plan and continue to apply to such Awards. No amendment, suspension, or termination of the Plan shall, without the consent of the Grantee, materially impair rights or obligations under any Award theretofore awarded.

6. AWARD ELIGIBILITY AND LIMITATIONS

6.1. Service Providers.

Subject to this Section, Awards may be made to any Service Provider, including any Service Provider who is an officer, non-employee member of the Board, consultant or advisor of the Company or of any Affiliate, as the Board shall determine and designate from time to time in its discretion.

6.2. Successive Awards.

An eligible person may receive more than one Award, subject to such restrictions as are provided herein.

6.3. Stand-Alone, Additional, Tandem, and Substitute Awards.

Awards may, in the discretion of the Board, be granted either alone or in addition to, in tandem with, or in substitution or exchange for, any other Award or any award granted under another plan of the Company, any Affiliate, or any business entity to be acquired by the Company or an Affiliate, or any other right of a Grantee to receive payment from the Company or any Affiliate. Such additional, tandem, and substitute or exchange Awards may be granted at any time. If an Award is granted in substitution or exchange for another Award, the Board shall have the right to require the surrender of such other Award in consideration for the grant of the new Award. Subject to **Section 3.2**, the Board shall have the right, in its discretion, to make Awards in substitution or exchange for any other award under another plan of the Company, any Affiliate, or any business entity to be acquired by the Company or an Affiliate. In addition, Awards may be granted in lieu of cash compensation, including in lieu of cash amounts payable under other plans of the Company or any Affiliate, in which the value of Stock subject to the Award is equivalent in value to the cash compensation (for example, Restricted Stock Units or Restricted Stock).

7. AWARD AGREEMENT

Each Award shall be evidenced by an Award Agreement, in such form or forms as the Board shall from time to time determine. Without limiting the foregoing, an Award Agreement may be provided in the form of a notice which provides that acceptance of the Award constitutes acceptance of all terms of the Plan and the notice. Award Agreements granted from time to time or at the same time need not contain similar provisions but shall be consistent with the terms of the Plan. Each Award Agreement evidencing an Award of Options shall specify whether such Options are intended to be Non-qualified Stock Options or Incentive Stock Options, and in the absence of such specification such options shall be deemed Non-qualified Stock Options.

8. TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF OPTIONS

8.1. Option Price.

The Option Price of each Option shall be fixed by the Board and stated in the related Award Agreement. The Option Price of each Option (except those that constitute Substitute Awards) shall be at least the Fair Market Value on the Grant Date of a share of Stock; provided, however, that in the event that a Grantee is a Ten Percent Shareholder as of the Grant Date, the Option Price of an Option granted to such Grantee that is intended to be an Incentive Stock Option shall be not less than 110 percent of the Fair Market Value of a share of Stock on the Grant Date. In no case shall the Option Price of any Option be less than the par value of a share of Stock.

8.2. Vesting.

Subject to **Section 8.3** hereof, each Option shall become exercisable at such times and under such conditions (including, without limitation, performance requirements) as shall be determined by the Board and stated in the Award Agreement.

8.3. Term.

Each Option shall terminate, and all rights to purchase shares of Stock thereunder shall cease, upon the expiration of ten (10) years from the Grant Date, or under such circumstances and on such date prior thereto as is set forth in the Plan or as may be fixed by the Board and stated in the related Award Agreement; provided, however, that in the event that the Grantee is a Ten Percent Shareholder, an Option granted to such Grantee that is intended to be an Incentive Stock Option at the Grant Date shall not be exercisable after the expiration of five (5) years from its Grant Date.

8.4. Limitations on Exercise of Option.

Notwithstanding any other provision of the Plan, in no event may any Option be exercised, in whole or in part, (i) prior to the date the Plan is approved by the shareholders of the Company as provided herein or (ii) after the occurrence of an event which results in termination of the Option.

8.5. Method of Exercise.

An Option that is exercisable may be exercised by the Grantee's delivery of a notice of exercise to the Company, setting forth the number of shares of Stock with respect to which the Option is to be exercised, accompanied by full payment for the shares in accordance with **Section 11**. To be effective, notice of exercise must be made in accordance with procedures established by the Company from time to time.

8.6. Rights of Holders of Options.

Unless otherwise stated in the related Award Agreement, an individual holding or exercising an Option shall have none of the rights of a shareholder (for example, the right to receive cash or dividend payments or distributions attributable to the subject shares of Stock or to direct the voting of the subject shares of Stock) until the shares of Stock covered thereby are fully paid and issued to him. Except as provided in **Section 15** hereof or the related Award Agreement, no adjustment shall be made for dividends, distributions or other rights for which the record date is prior to the date of such issuance.

8.7. Delivery of Stock Certificates.

Promptly after the exercise of an Option by a Grantee and the payment in full of the Option Price, such Grantee shall be entitled to the issuance of a stock certificate or certificates evidencing his or her ownership of the shares of Stock subject to the Option.

8.8. Limitations on Incentive Stock Options.

An Option shall constitute an Incentive Stock Option only (i) if the Grantee of such Option is an employee of the Company or any Subsidiary of the Company; (ii) to the extent specifically provided in the related Award Agreement; and (iii) to the extent that the aggregate Fair Market Value (determined at the time the Option is granted) of the shares of Stock with respect to which all Incentive Stock Options held by such Grantee become exercisable for the first time during any calendar year (under the Plan and all other plans of the Grantee's employer and its Affiliates) does not exceed \$100,000. This limitation shall be applied by taking Options into account in the order in which they were granted.

9. TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF STOCK APPRECIATION RIGHTS

9.1. Right to Payment.

A SAR shall confer on the Grantee a right to receive, upon exercise thereof, the excess of (i) the Fair Market Value of one share of Stock on the date of exercise over (ii) the SAR Exercise Price, as determined by the Board. The Award Agreement for an SAR shall specify the SAR Exercise Price, which shall be fixed on the Grant Date as not less than the Fair Market Value of a share of Stock on that date. SARs may be granted alone or in conjunction with all or part of an Option or at any subsequent time during the term of such Option or in conjunction with all or part of any other Award. A SAR granted in tandem with an outstanding Option following the Grant Date of such Option shall have a SAR Exercise Price that is equal to the Option Price; provided, however, that the SAR Exercise Price may not be less than the Fair Market Value of a share of Stock on the Grant Date of the SAR to the extent required by Section 409A.

9.2. Other Terms.

The Board shall determine at the Grant Date or thereafter, the time or times at which and the circumstances under which a SAR may be exercised in whole or in part (including based on achievement of performance goals and/or future service requirements), the time or times at which SARs shall cease to be or become exercisable following Separation from Service or upon other conditions, the method of exercise, whether or not a SAR shall be in tandem or in combination with any other Award, and any other terms and conditions of any SAR.

9.3. Term of SARs.

The term of a SAR granted under the Plan shall be determined by the Board, in its sole discretion; provided, however, that such term shall not exceed ten (10) years.

9.4. Payment of SAR Amount.

Upon exercise of a SAR, a Grantee shall be entitled to receive payment from the Company (in cash or Stock, as determined by the Board) in an amount determined by multiplying:

- (i) the difference between the Fair Market Value of a share of Stock on the date of exercise over the SAR Exercise Price; by
- (ii) the number of shares of Stock with respect to which the SAR is exercised.

10. TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF RESTRICTED STOCK AND RESTRICTED STOCK UNITS

10.1. Restrictions.

At the time of grant, the Board may, in its sole discretion, establish a period of time (a "restricted period") and any additional restrictions including the satisfaction of corporate or individual performance objectives applicable to an Award of Restricted Stock or Restricted Stock Units in accordance with **Section 12.1** and **12.2**. Each Award of Restricted Stock or Restricted Stock Units may be subject to a different restricted period and additional restrictions. Neither Restricted Stock nor Restricted Stock Units may be sold, transferred, assigned, pledged or otherwise encumbered or disposed of during the restricted period or prior to the satisfaction of any other applicable restrictions.

10.2. Restricted Stock Certificates.

The Company shall issue stock, in the name of each Grantee to whom Restricted Stock has been granted, stock certificates or other evidence of ownership representing the total number of shares of Restricted Stock granted to the Grantee, as soon as reasonably practicable after the Grant Date. The Board may provide in an Award Agreement that either (i) the Secretary of the Company shall hold such certificates for the Grantee's benefit until such time as the Restricted Stock is forfeited to the Company or the restrictions lapse, or (ii) such certificates shall be delivered to the Grantee; provided, however, that such certificates shall bear a legend or legends that comply with the applicable securities laws and regulations and make appropriate reference to the restrictions imposed under the Plan and the Award Agreement.

10.3. Rights of Holders of Restricted Stock.

Unless the Board otherwise provides in an Award Agreement, holders of Restricted Stock shall have rights as shareholders of the Company, including voting rights, but excluding dividend rights (except as provided in **Section 15.1**).

10.4. Rights of Holders of Restricted Stock Units.

10.4.1. Settlement of Restricted Stock Units.

Restricted Stock Units may be settled in cash or Stock, as determined by the Board and set forth in the Award Agreement. The Award Agreement shall also set forth whether the Restricted Stock Units shall be settled (i) within the time period specified for "short term deferrals" under Section 409A or (ii) otherwise within the requirements of Section 409A, in which case the Award Agreement shall specify upon which events such Restricted Stock Units shall be settled.

10.4.2. Voting and Dividend Rights.

Unless otherwise stated in the applicable Award Agreement, holders of Restricted Stock Units shall not have rights as shareholders of the Company, including no voting or dividend or dividend equivalent rights.

10.4.3. Creditor's Rights.

A holder of Restricted Stock Units shall have no rights other than those of a general creditor of the Company. Restricted Stock Units represent an unfunded and unsecured obligation of the Company, subject to the terms and conditions of the applicable Award Agreement.

10.5. Purchase of Restricted Stock.

The Grantee shall be required, to the extent required by applicable law, to purchase the Restricted Stock from the Company at a Purchase Price equal to the greater of (i) the aggregate par value of the shares of Stock represented by such Restricted Stock or (ii) the Purchase Price, if any, specified in the related Award Agreement. If specified in the Award Agreement, the Purchase Price may be deemed paid by Services already rendered. The Purchase Price shall be payable in a form described in **Section 11** or, in the discretion of the Board, in consideration for past Services rendered.

10.6. Delivery of Stock.

Upon the expiration or termination of any restricted period and the satisfaction of any other conditions prescribed by the Board, the restrictions applicable to shares of Restricted Stock or Restricted Stock Units settled in Stock shall lapse, and, unless otherwise provided in the Award Agreement, a stock certificate for such shares shall be delivered, free of all such restrictions, to the Grantee or the Grantee's beneficiary or estate, as the case may be.

11. FORM OF PAYMENT FOR OPTIONS AND RESTRICTED STOCK

11.1. General Rule.

Payment of the Option Price for the shares purchased pursuant to the exercise of an Option or the Purchase Price for Restricted Stock shall be made in cash or in cash equivalents acceptable to the Company, except as provided in this **Section 11**.

11.2. Surrender of Stock.

To the extent the Award Agreement so provides, payment of the Option Price for shares purchased pursuant to the exercise of an Option or the Purchase Price for Restricted Stock may be made all or in part through the tender to the Company of shares of Stock, which shares shall be valued, for purposes of determining the extent to which the Option Price or Purchase Price for Restricted Stock has been paid thereby, at their Fair Market Value on the date of exercise or surrender. Notwithstanding the foregoing, in the case of an Incentive Stock Option, the right to make payment in the form of already owned shares of Stock may be authorized only at the time of grant.

11.3. Cashless Exercise.

With respect to an Option only (and not with respect to Restricted Stock), to the extent permitted by law and to the extent the Award Agreement so provides, payment of the Option Price may be made all or in part by delivery (on a form acceptable to the Company) of an irrevocable direction to a licensed securities broker acceptable to the Company to sell shares of Stock and to deliver all or part of the sales proceeds to the Company in payment of the Option Price and any withholding taxes described in **Section 17.3**.

11.4. Other Forms of Payment.

To the extent the Award Agreement so provides, payment of the Option Price or the Purchase Price for Restricted Stock may be made in any other form that is consistent with applicable laws, regulations and rules, including, but not limited to, the Company's withholding of shares of Stock otherwise due to the exercising Grantee.

12. TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF PERFORMANCE AWARDS

12.1. Performance Conditions.

The right of a Grantee to exercise or receive a grant or settlement of any Award, and the timing thereof, may be subject to such performance conditions as may be specified by the Committee. The Committee may use such business criteria and other measures of performance as it may deem appropriate in establishing any performance conditions.

12.2. Performance Awards.

12.2.1. Performance Goals.

The performance goals for such Performance Awards shall consist of one or more business criteria and a targeted level or levels of performance with respect to each of such criteria, as specified by the Committee consistent with this **Section 12.2**. Performance goals shall be objective. The Committee may determine that such Performance Awards shall be granted, exercised and/or settled upon achievement of any one performance goal or that two or more of the performance goals must be achieved as a condition to grant, exercise and/or settlement of such Performance Awards. Performance goals may, in the discretion of the Committee, be established on a Company-wide basis, or with respect to one or more business units, divisions, subsidiaries or business segments, as applicable. Performance goals may be absolute or relative (to the performance of one or more comparable companies or indices). The Committee may determine prospectively at the time that goals under this **Section 12** are established, the extent to which measurement of performance goals may exclude the impact of charges for restructuring, discontinued operations, extraordinary items, and other unusual non-recurring items, and the cumulative effects of tax or accounting changes (each as defined by generally accepted accounting principles and as identified in the Company's financial statements or other SEC filings). Performance goals may differ for Performance Awards granted to any one Grantee or to different Grantees.

12.2.2. Timing for Establishing Performance Goals.

Performance goals shall be established not later than 90 days after the beginning of any performance period applicable to such Performance Awards, or at such other date as may be determined by the Committee in its discretion.

12.2.3. Settlement of Performance Awards; Other Terms.

Settlement of Performance Awards shall be in cash, Stock, other Awards or other property, in the discretion of the Committee may, in its discretion, reduce the amount of a settlement otherwise to be made in connection with such Performance Awards.

12.3. Determinations by Committee.

The Committee will make all determinations as to the establishment of performance goals, the amount of any Performance Award pool or potential individual Performance Awards and as to the achievement of performance goals relating to Performance Awards, and such determinations may be made in writing.

13. OTHER STOCK-BASED AWARDS

13.1. Grant of Other Stock-based Awards.

Other Stock-based Awards may be granted either alone or in addition to or in conjunction with other Awards under the Plan. Other Stock-based Awards may be granted in lieu of other cash or other compensation to which a Service Provider is entitled from the Company or may be used in the settlement of amounts payable in shares of Common Stock under any other compensation plan or arrangement of the Company. Subject to the provisions of the Plan, the Committee shall have the sole and complete authority to determine the persons to whom and the time or times at which such Awards shall be made, the number of shares of Common Stock to be granted pursuant to such Awards, and all other conditions of such Awards. Unless the Committee determines otherwise, any such Award shall be confirmed by an Award Agreement, which shall contain such provisions as the Committee determines to be necessary or appropriate to carry out the intent of this Plan with respect to such Award.

13.2. Terms of Other Stock-based Awards.

Any Common Stock subject to Awards made under this **Section 13** may not be sold, assigned, transferred, pledged or otherwise encumbered prior to the date on which the shares are issued, or, if later, the date on which any applicable restriction, performance or deferral period lapses.

14. REQUIREMENTS OF LAW

14.1. General.

The Company shall not be required to sell or issue any shares of Stock under any Award if the sale or issuance of such shares would constitute a violation by the Grantee, any other individual exercising an Option, or the Company of any provision of any law or regulation of any governmental authority, including without limitation any federal or state securities laws or regulations. If at any time the Company shall determine, in its discretion, that the listing, registration or qualification of any shares subject to an Award upon any securities exchange or under any governmental regulatory body is necessary or desirable as a condition of, or in connection with, the issuance or purchase of shares hereunder, no shares of Stock may be issued or sold to the Grantee or any other individual exercising an Option pursuant to such Award unless such listing, registration, qualification, consent or approval shall have been effected or obtained free of any conditions not acceptable to the Company, and any delay caused thereby shall in no way affect the date of termination of the Award. Specifically, in connection with the Securities Act, upon the exercise of any Option or the delivery of any shares of Stock underlying an Award, unless a registration statement under such Act is in effect with respect to the shares of Stock covered by such Award, the Company shall not be required to sell or issue such shares unless the Board has received evidence satisfactory to it that the Grantee or any other individual exercising an Option may acquire such shares pursuant to an exemption from registration under the Securities Act. Any determination in this connection by the Board shall be final, binding, and conclusive. The Company may, but shall in no event be obligated to, register any securities covered hereby pursuant to the Securities Act. The Company shall not be obligated to take any affirmative action in order to cause the exercise of an Option or the issuance of shares of Stock pursuant to the Plan to comply with any law or regulation of any governmental authority. As to any jurisdiction that expressly imposes the requirement that an Option shall not be exercisable until the shares of Stock covered by such Option are registered or are exempt from registration, the exercise of such Option (under circumstances in which the laws of such jurisdiction apply) shall be deemed conditioned upon the effectiveness of such registration or the availability of such an exemption.

14.2. Rule 16b-3.

During any time when the Company has a class of equity security registered under Section 12 of the Exchange Act, it is the intent of the Company that Awards and the exercise of Options granted to officers and directors hereunder will qualify for the exemption provided by Rule 16b-3 under the Exchange Act. To the extent that any provision of the Plan or action by the Board or Committee does not comply with the requirements of Rule 16b-3, it shall be deemed inoperative to the extent permitted by law and deemed advisable by the Board, and shall not affect the validity of the Plan. In the event that Rule 16b-3 is revised or replaced, the Board may exercise its discretion to modify this Plan in any respect necessary to satisfy the requirements of, or to take advantage of any features of, the revised exemption or its replacement.

15. EFFECT OF CHANGES IN CAPITALIZATION

15.1. Changes in Stock.

If (i) the number of outstanding shares of Stock is increased or decreased or the shares of Stock are changed into or exchanged for a different number or kind of shares or other securities of the Company on account of any recapitalization, reclassification, stock split, reverse split, combination of shares, exchange of shares, stock dividend or other distribution payable in capital stock, or other increase or decrease in such shares effected without receipt of consideration by the Company occurring after the Effective Date or (ii) there occurs any spin-off, split-up, extraordinary cash dividend or other distribution of assets by the Company, the number and kinds of shares for which grants of Options and Other Stock-based Awards may be made under the Plan (including the per-Grantee maximums set forth in **Section 4**) shall be equitably adjusted by the Company; provided that any such adjustment shall comply with Section 409A. In addition, in the event of any such increase or decrease in the number of outstanding shares or other transaction described in clause (ii) above, the number and kind of shares for which Awards are outstanding and the Option Price per share of outstanding Options and SAR Exercise Price per share of outstanding SARs shall be equitably adjusted; provided that any such adjustment shall comply with Section 409A.

15.2. Effect of Certain Transactions.

Except as otherwise provided in an Award Agreement and subject to the provisions of Section 15.3, in the event of (a) the liquidation or dissolution of the Company or (b) a reorganization, merger, exchange or consolidation of the Company or involving the shares of Common Stock (a "Transaction"), the Plan and the Awards issued hereunder shall continue in effect in accordance with their respective terms, except that following a Transaction either (i) each outstanding Award shall be treated as provided for in the agreement entered into in connection with the Transaction or (ii) if not so provided in such agreement, each Grantee shall be entitled to receive in respect of each share of Common Stock subject to any outstanding Awards, upon exercise or payment or transfer in respect of any Award, the same number and kind of stock, securities, cash, property or other consideration that each holder of a share of Common Stock was entitled to receive in the Transaction in respect of a share of Common stock; provided, however, that, unless otherwise determined by the Committee, such stock, securities, cash, property or other consideration shall remain subject to all of the conditions, restrictions and performance criteria which were applicable to the Awards prior to such Transaction. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, the treatment of outstanding Options and SARs pursuant to this Section 15.2 in connection with a Transaction in which the consideration paid or distributed to the Company's shareholders is not entirely shares of common stock of the acquiring or resulting corporation may include the cancellation of outstanding Options and SARs upon consummation of the Transaction as long as, at the election of the Committee, (i) the holders of affected Options and SARs have been given a period of at least fifteen (15) days prior to the date of the consummation of the Transaction to exercise the Options or SARs (to the extent otherwise exercisable) or (ii) the holders of the affected Options and SARs are paid (in cash or cash equivalents) in respect of each Share covered by the Option or SAR being canceled an amount equal to the excess, if any, of the per share price paid or distributed to shareholders in the transaction (the value of any non-cash consideration to be determined by the Committee in its sole discretion) over the Option Price or SAR Exercise Price, as applicable. For avoidance of doubt, (1) the cancellation of Options and SARs pursuant to clause (ii) of the preceding sentence may be effected notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in this Plan or any Award Agreement and (2) if the amount determined pursuant to clause (ii) of the preceding sentence is zero or less, the affected Option or SAR may be cancelled without any payment therefore. The treatment of any Award as provided in this Section 15.2 shall be conclusively presumed to be appropriate for purposes of Section 15.1.

15.3. Change in Control.

15.3.1. Consequences of a Change in Control.

For Awards granted to non-employee members of the Board, upon a Change in Control all outstanding Awards that may be exercised shall become fully exercisable, all restrictions with respect to outstanding Awards shall lapse and become vested and non-forfeitable, and any specified performance goals with respect to outstanding Awards shall be deemed to be satisfied at the greater of (A) target or (B) the actual level of performance determined as if the applicable performance period had ended as of (y) the last trading day immediately preceding the Change in Control or (z) if determined by the Committee to be necessary or appropriate based on the applicable performance goal, as of another specified date preceding the Change in Control (e.g., the Company's preceding fiscal quarter end).

For Awards granted to any other Service Providers, either of the following provisions shall apply, depending on whether, and the extent to which, Awards are assumed, converted or replaced by the resulting entity in a Change in Control:

- (i) To the extent such Awards are not assumed, converted or replaced by the resulting entity in the Change in Control, then upon the Change in Control such outstanding Awards that may be exercised shall become fully exercisable, all restrictions with respect to such outstanding Awards, other than for Performance Awards, shall lapse and become vested and non-forfeitable, and for any outstanding Performance Awards:
 - a. any specified performance goals with respect to such outstanding Awards shall be deemed to be satisfied at the greater of (A) target or (B) the actual level of performance determined as if the applicable performance period had ended as of (y) the last trading day immediately preceding the Change in Control or (z) if determined by the Committee to be necessary or appropriate based on the applicable performance goal, as of another specified date preceding the Change in Control (e.g., the Company's preceding fiscal quarter end); and
 - b. the Award shall become vested pro rata based on the portion of the applicable performance period completed through the date of the Change in Control.
- (ii) To the extent such Awards are assumed, converted or replaced by the resulting entity in the Change in Control, then the Awards shall become fully exercisable, all restrictions with respect to such outstanding Awards shall lapse and become vested and non-forfeitable, and any specified performance goals with respect to such outstanding Awards shall be deemed to be satisfied at the greater of (A) target or (B) the actual level of performance determined as if the applicable performance period had ended as of (y) the last trading day immediately preceding the Change in Control or (z) if determined by the Committee to be necessary or appropriate based on the applicable performance goal, as of another specified date preceding the Change in Control (e.g., the Company's preceding fiscal quarter end), if, within one year after the date of the Change in Control, the Service Provider has a Separation from Service either (1) by the Company other than for "cause" (as defined in the applicable Award Agreement) or (2) by the Service Provider for "good reason" (if so provided in the applicable Award Agreement and, if so, as defined in the applicable Award Agreement).

15.3.2. Change in Control Defined.

"Change in Control" means:

- (i) Any individual, entity or group (within the meaning of Section 13(d)(3) or 14(d)(2) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act")) (a "Person"), becomes the beneficial owner (within the meaning of Rule 13d-3 promulgated under the Exchange Act) of 50% or more of either (A) the then-outstanding shares of common stock of the Company (the "Outstanding Company Common Stock") or (B) the combined voting power of the then-outstanding voting securities of the Company entitled to vote generally in the election of directors (the "Outstanding Company Voting Securities"); provided, however, that, for purposes of this Section, the following acquisitions shall not constitute a Change of Control: (i) any acquisition directly from the Company, (ii) any acquisition by the Company, (iii) any acquisition by any employee benefit plan (or related trust) sponsored or maintained by the Company or any Affiliate, or (iv) any acquisition pursuant to a transaction that complies with clauses (A), (B) or (C) in paragraph (3) of this definition; or
- (ii) Individuals who, as of the Effective Date hereof, constitute the Board (the "Incumbent Board") cease for any reason to constitute at least a majority of the Board; provided, however, that any individual becoming a director subsequent to the Effective Date whose election, or nomination for election by the Company's shareholders, was approved by a vote of at least a majority of the directors then comprising the Incumbent Board shall be considered as though such individual was a member of the Incumbent Board, but excluding, for this purpose, any such individual whose initial assumption of office occurs as a result of an actual or threatened election contest with respect to the election or removal of directors or other actual or threatened solicitation of proxies or consents by or on behalf of a Person other than the Board; or
- (iii) Consummation of a reorganization, merger, statutory share exchange or consolidation or similar transaction involving the Company or any of its subsidiaries, a sale or other disposition of all or substantially all of the assets of the Company, or the acquisition of assets or stock of another entity by the Company or any of its subsidiaries (each, a "Business Combination"), in each case unless, following such Business Combination, (A) all or substantially all of the individuals and entities that were the beneficial owners of the Outstanding Company Common Stock and the Outstanding Company Voting Securities immediately prior to such Business Combination beneficially own, directly or indirectly, more than 50% of the then-outstanding shares of common stock (or, for a non-corporate entity, equivalent securities) and the combined voting power of the then-outstanding voting securities entitled to vote generally in the election of directors (or, for a non-corporate entity, equivalent governing body), as the case may be, of the entity resulting from such Business Combination (including, without limitation, an entity that, as a result of such transaction, owns the Company or all or substantially all of the Company's assets either directly or through one or more subsidiaries) in substantially the same proportions as their ownership immediately prior to such Business Combination of the Outstanding Company Common Stock and the Outstanding Company Voting Securities, as the case may be, (B) no Person (excluding any corporation resulting from such Business Combination or any employee benefit plan (or related trust) of the Company or such corporation resulting from such Business Combination) beneficially owns, directly or indirectly, 50% or more of, respectively, the then-outstanding shares of common stock of the corporation resulting from such Business Combination or the combined voting power of the then-outstanding voting securities of such corporation, except to the extent that such ownership existed prior to the Business Combination, and (C) at least a majority of the members of the board of directors (or, for a non-corporate entity, equivalent governing body) of the entity resulting from such Business Combination were members of the Incumbent Board at the time of the execution of the initial agreement or of the action of the Board providing for such Business Combination; or
- (iv) Approval by the shareholders of the Company of a complete liquidation or dissolution of the Company.

Notwithstanding the foregoing, if it is determined that an Award hereunder is subject to the requirements of Section 409A and the Change in Control is a "payment event" under Section 409A for such Award, the Company will not be deemed to have undergone a Change in Control unless the Company is deemed to have undergone a "change in control event" pursuant to the definition of such term in Section 409A.

15.4. Adjustments.

Adjustments under this **Section 15** related to shares of Stock or securities of the Company shall be made by the Board, whose determination in that respect shall be final, binding and conclusive. No fractional shares or other securities shall be issued pursuant to any such adjustment, and any fractions resulting from any such adjustment shall be eliminated in each case by rounding downward to the nearest whole share.

16. NO LIMITATIONS ON COMPANY

The making of Awards pursuant to the Plan shall not affect or limit in any way the right or power of the Company to make adjustments, reclassifications, reorganizations, or changes of its capital or business structure or to merge, consolidate, dissolve, or liquidate, or to sell or transfer all or any part of its business or assets.

17. TERMS APPLICABLE GENERALLY TO AWARDS GRANTED UNDER THE PLAN

17.1. Disclaimer of Rights.

No provision in the Plan or in any Award Agreement shall be construed to confer upon any individual the right to remain in the employ or service of the Company or any Affiliate, or to interfere in any way with any contractual or other right or authority of the Company either to increase or decrease the compensation or other payments to any individual at any time, or to terminate any employment or other relationship between any individual and the Company. In addition, notwithstanding anything contained in the Plan to the contrary, unless otherwise stated in the applicable Award Agreement, no Award granted under the Plan shall be affected by any change of duties or position of the Grantee, so long as such Grantee continues to be a Service Provider. The obligation of the Company to pay any benefits pursuant to this Plan shall be interpreted as a contractual obligation to pay only those amounts described herein, in the manner and under the conditions prescribed herein. The Plan shall in no way be interpreted to require the Company to transfer any amounts to a third-party trustee or otherwise hold any amounts in trust or escrow for payment to any Grantee or beneficiary under the terms of the Plan.

17.2. Nonexclusivity of the Plan.

Neither the adoption of the Plan nor the submission of the Plan to the shareholders of the Company for approval shall be construed as creating any limitations upon the right and authority of the Board to adopt such other incentive compensation arrangements (which arrangements may be applicable either generally to a class or classes of individuals or specifically to a particular individual or particular individuals), including, without limitation, the granting of stock options as the Board in its discretion determines desirable.

17.3. Withholding Taxes.

The Company or an Affiliate, as the case may be, shall have the right to deduct from payments of any kind otherwise due to a Grantee any federal, state, or local taxes of any kind required by law to be withheld (i) with respect to the vesting of or other lapse of restrictions applicable to an Award, (ii) upon the issuance of any shares of Stock upon the exercise of an Option or SAR, or (iii) otherwise due in connection with an Award. At the time of such vesting, lapse, or exercise, the Grantee shall pay to the Company or the Affiliate, as the case may be, any amount that the Company or the Affiliate may reasonably determine to be necessary to satisfy such withholding obligation. Subject to the prior approval of the Company or the Affiliate, which may be withheld by the Company or the Affiliate, as the case may be, in its sole discretion, the Grantee may elect to satisfy such obligations, in whole or in part, (i) by causing the Company or the Affiliate to withhold the minimum required number of shares of Stock otherwise issuable to the Grantee as may be necessary to satisfy such withholding obligation or (ii) by delivering to the Company or the Affiliate shares of Stock already owned by the Grantee. The shares of Stock so delivered or withheld shall have an aggregate Fair Market Value equal to such withholding obligations. The Fair Market Value of the shares of Stock used to satisfy such withholding obligation shall be determined by the Company or the Affiliate as of the date that the amount of tax to be withheld is to be determined. A Grantee who has made an election pursuant to this **Section 17.3** may satisfy his or her withholding obligation only with shares of Stock that are not subject to any repurchase, forfeiture, unfulfilled vesting, or other similar requirements.

17.4. Captions.

The use of captions in this Plan or any Award Agreement is for the convenience of reference only and shall not affect the meaning of any provision of the Plan or any Award Agreement.

17.5. Other Provisions.

Each Award Agreement may contain such other terms and conditions not inconsistent with the Plan as may be determined by the Board, in its sole discretion. In the event of any conflict between the terms of an employment agreement and the Plan, the terms of the employment agreement govern.

17.6. Number and Gender.

With respect to words used in this Plan, the singular form shall include the plural form, the masculine gender shall include the feminine gender, etc., as the context requires.

17.7. Severability.

If any provision of the Plan or any Award Agreement shall be determined to be illegal or unenforceable by any court of law in any jurisdiction, the remaining provisions hereof and thereof shall be severable and enforceable in accordance with their terms, and all provisions shall remain enforceable in any other jurisdiction.

17.8. Governing Law.

The Plan shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the State of Washington without giving effect to the principles of conflicts of law, and applicable Federal law.

17.9. Section 409A.

The Plan is intended to comply with Section 409A to the extent subject thereto, and, accordingly, to the maximum extent permitted, the Plan shall be interpreted and administered to be in compliance therewith. Any payments described in the Plan that are due within the "short-term deferral period" as defined in Section 409A shall not be treated as deferred compensation unless applicable laws require otherwise. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the Plan, to the extent required to avoid accelerated taxation and tax penalties under Section 409A, amounts that would otherwise be payable and benefits that would otherwise be provided pursuant to the Plan during the six (6) month period immediately following the Grantee's Separation from Service shall instead be paid on the first payroll date after the six-month anniversary of the Grantee's Separation from Service (or the Grantee's death, if earlier). Notwithstanding the foregoing, neither the Company nor the Committee shall have any obligation to take any action to prevent the assessment of any excise tax or penalty on any Grantee under Section 409A and neither the Company nor the Committee will have any liability to any Grantee for such tax or penalty.

17.10. Separation from Service.

The Board shall determine the effect of a Separation from Service upon Awards, and such effect shall be set forth in the appropriate Award Agreement. Without limiting the foregoing, the Board may provide in the Award Agreements at the time of grant, or any time thereafter with the consent of the Grantee, the actions that will be taken upon the occurrence of a Separation from Service, including, but not limited to, accelerated vesting or termination, depending upon the circumstances surrounding the Separation from Service.

17.11. Transferability of Awards.

17.11.1.Transfers in General.

Except as provided in **Section 17.11.2**, no Award shall be assignable or transferable by the Grantee to whom it is granted, other than by will or the laws of descent and distribution, and, during the lifetime of the Grantee, only the Grantee personally (or the Grantee's personal representative) may exercise rights under the Plan.

17.11.2. Family Transfers.

If authorized in the applicable Award Agreement, a Grantee may transfer, not for value, all or part of an Award (other than Incentive Stock Options) to any Family Member. For the purpose of this **Section 17.11.2**, a "not for value" transfer is a transfer which is (i) a gift, (ii) a transfer under a domestic relations order in settlement of marital property rights; or (iii) a transfer to an entity in which more than fifty percent of the voting interests are owned by Family Members (or the Grantee) in exchange for an interest in that entity. Following a transfer under this **Section 17.11.2**, any such Award shall continue to be subject to the same terms and conditions as were applicable immediately prior to transfer. Subsequent transfers of transferred Awards are prohibited except to Family Members of the original Grantee in accordance with this **Section 17.11.2** or by will or the laws of descent and distribution.

17.12. Dividends and Dividend Equivalent Rights.

Subject to **Section 15.1** with respect to stock dividends, outstanding Awards shall not be entitled to receive dividends or dividend equivalent rights.

17.13. Minimum Vesting Period.

Notwithstanding any other provision of the Plan to the contrary, Awards granted under the Plan that are payable in Shares will vest no earlier than the first anniversary of the Grant Date of the Award, except that this restriction shall not apply to: (a) Substitute Awards, (b) shares of Stock delivered in lieu of fully vested cash Awards, (iii) Awards to non-employee members of the Board (which may vest on the earlier of the one year anniversary of the Grant Date or the next annual meeting of shareholders that occurs prior to such first anniversary, but at least 50 weeks after the prior year's annual meeting of shareholders), (iv) Awards with respect to a maximum of 5% of the aggregate maximum number of shares of Stock specified in **Section 4.1**, subject to adjustment as provided in **Section 15.1**, and (v) Awards that may become vested upon a Separation from Service on account of a Grantee's death or Disability. Notwithstanding the minimum vesting required by the preceding sentence, the Committee may, in its discretion, provide for accelerated vesting or exercisability of an Award, or otherwise act to waive or lapse any restriction on an Award in connection with a Grantee's death or Disability.

The Plan was adopted by the Board of Directors on March 8, 2023 and was approved by the shareholders of the Company on May 31, 2023.

NOTICE OF GRANT OF RESTRICTED STOCK AWARD

ZUMIEZ INC. 2023 EQUITY INCENTIVE PLAN

FOR GOOD AND VALUABLE CONSIDERATION, Zumiez Inc. (the "Company") hereby grants this Restricted Stock Award (the "Award") of the number of shares of the Company's common stock, no par value per share, (the "Common Stock" or "Restricted Stock") set forth in this Notice of Grant of Restricted Stock Award (the "Notice") to the Grantee designated in this Notice, pursuant to the provisions of the Company's 2023 Equity Incentive Plan (the "Plan") and subject to certain restrictions as outlined below in this Notice and the additional provisions set forth in the attached Terms and Conditions of Restricted Stock Award (the "Terms"). Together, this Notice and the attached Terms constitute the "Agreement."

Grantee: []	
Grant Date: []	
Number of Shares of Common Stock subject to Award: []	
Vesting Schedule: Subject to the terms of the Plan and this Agreement, the with a []% vesting annually at the anniversary date of the Grant Date, i applicable vesting date(s).	
Only a whole number of shares of Restricted Stock will become vested as of determined as of a vesting date is a fractional number, the number vesting we carried forward.	f any given vesting date. If the number of shares of Restricted Stock vill be rounded down to the nearest whole number with any fractional portion
No Restricted Stock shall become earned and vested following Grantee's Se applicable, or as otherwise provided pursuant to the terms of the Plan.	paration from Service, except as expressly provided in the Notice below, as
Impact of Separation from Service on Vesting: If the Grantee has a become vested, then any unearned Restricted Stock shall become immediate from Service as follows.	Separation from Service before all of the shares of Restricted Stock have ely earned and vested or be canceled depending on the reason for Separation
(a) <u>Death or Disability</u> . If the Grantee has a Separation from Service of become immediately earned and vested on the date of the death or Disability	due to the Grantee's death or Disability, any unearned Restricted Stock shall <i>y</i> , as applicable.
(b) <u>Any other Separation from Service</u> . If the Grantee has a Separation (a) above, any Restricted Stock that were not already earned and vested purs from Service shall be immediately canceled as of that date.	n from Service for any reason other than as specified in subparagraph suant to the vesting schedule specified above as of the date of the Separation
Acceleration of Vesting on or following a Change in Control: Vesting upon	on Change in Control, in accordance with Section 15.3.1 of the Plan
By signing below, the Grantee agrees that this Award is granted under and g	overned by the terms and conditions of the Plan and this Agreement.
Grantee	Zumiez Inc.
	By:
Date:	Title: CEO Date:

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF RESTRICTED STOCK AWARD

The Restricted Stock Award (the "Award") granted by Zumiez Inc. (the "Company") to the Grantee specified in the Notice of Grant of Restricted Stock Award (the "Notice") to which these Terms and Conditions of Restricted Stock Award (the "Terms") are attached, is subject to the terms and conditions of the Plan, the Notice, and these Terms. The terms and conditions of the Plan are incorporated by reference in their entirety into these Terms. Together, the Notice and these Terms constitute the "Agreement." A Prospectus describing the Plan has been delivered and/or made available to the Grantee. The Plan itself is available upon request. When used in this Agreement, the terms which are defined in the Plan shall have the meanings given to them in the Plan, as modified herein (if applicable).

This Award is conditioned upon the Grantee's acceptance of the provisions set forth in this Agreement within 30 days after the Agreement is presented to the Grantee for review. If the Grantee fails to accept the Award within such 30-day period, the Award shall be null and void, and the Grantee's rights in the Award shall immediately terminate without any payment of consideration by the Company. For purposes this Agreement, any reference to the Company shall include a reference to any Affiliate.

Grant of Restricted Stock.

- (a) As of the Grant Date set forth in the Notice, the Company grants to the Grantee the number of shares of Restricted Stock set forth in the Notice.
- (b) The Restricted Stock covered by this Award shall become earned and vested in accordance with the vesting schedule set forth in the Notice, subject to the requirements of Section 4 (Withholding), Section 6 (Regulatory Restrictions on the Shares Issued Upon Settlement), and Section 7(m) (Recovery of Compensation) of this Agreement.
- (c) The Grantee may designate a beneficiary to receive payment in connection with the Restricted Stock in the event of the Grantee's death in accordance with the Company's beneficiary designation procedures, as in effect from time to time. If the Grantee does not designate a beneficiary, or if the Grantee's designated beneficiary does not survive the Grantee, then the Grantee's beneficiary will be the Grantee's estate.
 - (d) The Grantee shall have no dividend rights until the Restricted Stock becomes vested.
- 2. Restrictions. Subject to any exceptions set forth in this Agreement, until such time as the Restricted Stock becomes earned and vested, the Restricted Stock may not be assigned, alienated, pledged, attached, sold or otherwise transferred or encumbered by the Grantee. Any attempt to assign, alienate, pledge, attach, sell or otherwise transfer or encumber the Restricted Stock shall be wholly ineffective and, if any such attempt is made, the Restricted Stock will be forfeited by the Grantee and all of the Grantee's rights to such Restricted Stock shall immediately terminate without any payment of consideration by the Company.
- 3. <u>Cancellation of Rights</u>. If any portion of the Restricted Stock fails to become earned and vested (for example, because the Grantee fails to satisfy the vesting conditions specified in the Notice prior to a Separation from Service), then such Restricted Stock shall be immediately forfeited as of the date of such failure and all of the Grantee's rights to such Restricted Stock shall immediately terminate without any payment of consideration by the Company.

4. Withholding.

(a) Regardless of any action the Company takes with respect to any or all income tax, payroll tax or other tax-related withholding with respect to the Award ("Tax-Related Items"), the Grantee acknowledges that the ultimate liability for all Tax-Related Items owed by the Grantee is and remains the Grantee's responsibility and that the Company (i) makes no representations or undertakings regarding the treatment of any Tax-Related Items in connection with any aspect of the Award, including the grant or vesting of the Restricted Stock or the subsequent sale of shares of Common Stock acquired upon vesting; and (ii) does not commit to structure the terms of the grant or any aspect of the Award to reduce or eliminate the Grantee's liability for Tax-Related Items.

- (b) Prior to vesting of the Restricted Stock, the Grantee shall pay or make adequate arrangements satisfactory to the Company to satisfy all withholding obligations of the Company. In this regard, the Grantee authorizes the Company to withhold all applicable Tax-Related Items legally payable by the Grantee from the Grantee's wages or other cash compensation paid to the Grantee by the Company or any other payments otherwise due to the Grantee by the Company or from proceeds of the sale of the shares of Common Stock. Alternatively, or in addition, to the extent permissible under applicable law, the Company may (i) sell or arrange for the sale of shares of Common Stock that the Grantee acquires to meet the withholding obligation for Tax-Related Items, and/or (ii) withhold in shares of Common Stock, provided that the Company only withholds the amount of shares of Common Stock necessary to satisfy the minimum withholding amount. Finally, the Grantee shall pay to the Company any amount of Tax-Related Items that the Company may be required to withhold as a result of the Grantee's participation in the Plan that cannot be satisfied by the means previously described. The Company may refuse to deliver shares of Common Stock in connection with any earned and vested Restricted Stock if the Grantee fails to comply with the Grantee's obligations in connection with the Tax-Related Items as described in this Section 4.
- 5. <u>Grantee Representations</u>. The Grantee hereby represents to the Company that the Grantee has read and fully understands the provisions of this Agreement, the Prospectus and the Plan, and the Grantee's decision to participate in the Plan is completely voluntary. Further, the Grantee acknowledges that the Grantee is relying solely on his or her own advisors with respect to the tax consequences of this Award.
- 6. Regulatory Restrictions on the Shares Issued Upon Settlement. Notwithstanding the other provisions of this Agreement, the Committee shall have the sole discretion to impose such conditions, restrictions and limitations on the issuance of shares of Restricted Stock with respect to this Award unless and until the Committee determines that such issuance complies with (i) any applicable registration requirements under the Securities Act or the Committee has determined that an exemption therefrom is available, (ii) any applicable listing requirement of any stock exchange on which the Stock is listed, (iii) any applicable Company policy or administrative rules, and (iv) any other applicable provision of state, federal or foreign law, including foreign securities laws where applicable.

7. Miscellaneous.

- (a) <u>Notices</u>. Any notice which either party hereto may be required or permitted to give to the other shall be in writing and may be delivered personally, by interoffice or intraoffice mail, by fax, by electronic mail or other electronic means, or via a postal service, postage prepaid, to such electronic mail or postal address and directed to such person as the Company may notify the Grantee from time to time; and to the Grantee at the Grantee's electronic mail or postal address as shown on the records of the Company from time to time, or at such other electronic mail or postal address as the Grantee, by notice to the Company, may designate in writing from time to time.
- (b) <u>Waiver</u>. The waiver by any party hereto of a breach of any provision of this Agreement shall not operate or be construed as a waiver of any other or subsequent breach.
- (c) <u>Entire Agreement</u>. This Agreement and the Plan constitute the entire agreement between the parties with respect to the subject matter hereof. Any prior agreements, commitments or negotiations concerning the Award are superseded.
- (d) <u>Binding Effect; Successors</u>. This Agreement shall inure to the benefit of and be binding upon the parties hereto and to the extent not prohibited herein, their respective heirs, successors, assigns and representatives. Nothing in this Agreement, express or implied, is intended to confer on any person other than the parties hereto and as provided above, their respective heirs, successors, assigns and representatives any rights, remedies, obligations or liabilities.
- (e) <u>Governing Law</u>. This Agreement shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the State of Washington without giving effect to the principles of conflicts of law, and applicable Federal law.
- (f) <u>Arbitration</u>. The Company and the Grantee shall make a good faith attempt to resolve any and all claims and disputes regarding the Award or the Agreement in accordance with any dispute resolution adopted by the Company before resorting to any other dispute resolution procedure. If the claim or dispute is not resolved in that manner and involves any rights or obligations under the Agreement, then the claim or dispute will be determined by arbitration in accordance with the then-current American Arbitration Association

- ("AAA") national rules for the resolution of employment disputes by arbitration, except as modified herein. The arbitration will be conducted by a sole neutral arbitrator who has had both training and experience as an arbitrator of employee compensation matters. If the Company and the Grantee cannot agree on an arbitrator, then the arbitrator will be selected by the AAA applying the criteria in this provision. Reasonable discovery will be permitted and the arbitrator may decide any issue as to discovery. The arbitrator may decide any issue as to whether or as to the extent to which, any dispute is subject to the dispute resolution provisions of this Section 7(f). The arbitrator may award only relief at law contemplated under the Agreement and the Plan and the arbitrator may not award incidental, consequential or punitive damages, attorney's fees or any form or equitable relief, to either party. The arbitrator must base the arbitration award on the provisions of this Section 7(f) and applicable law and must render the award in writing, including an explanation of the reasons for the award. Judgment upon the award may be entered by any court having jurisdiction of the matter, and the decision of the arbitrator will be final and binding. The statute of limitations applicable to the commencement of a lawsuit will apply to the commencement of an arbitration. The arbitrator's fees will be paid in equal portions by the Company and the Grantee, unless the Company agrees to pay all such fees.
- (g) <u>Venue</u>. Any arbitration, legal or equitable action or any proceeding arising directly, indirectly, or otherwise in connection with, out of, related to or from the Agreement, or any provision hereof, shall exclusively be filed and adjudicated in King County, Washington and no other venue.
- (h) <u>Headings</u>. The headings contained herein are for the sole purpose of convenience of reference, and shall not in any way limit or affect the meaning or interpretation of any of the terms or provisions of this Agreement.
- (i) <u>Conflicts; Amendment</u>. The provisions of the Plan are incorporated in this Agreement in their entirety. In the event of any conflict between the provisions of this Agreement and the Plan, the provisions of the Plan shall control. This Agreement may be amended at any time by the Committee, provided that no amendment may, without the consent of the Grantee, materially impair the Grantee's rights with respect to the Award. The Committee shall have full authority and discretion, subject only to the terms of the Plan, to decide all matters relating to the administration or interpretation of the Plan, the Award, and the Agreement, and all such action by the Committee shall be final, conclusive, and binding upon the Company and the Grantee.
- (j) No Right to Continued Service. Nothing in this Agreement shall confer upon the Grantee any right to continue in the employ or service of the Company or affect the right of the Company to terminate the Grantee's employment or service at any time.
- (k) <u>Further Assurances</u>. The Grantee agrees, upon demand of the Company or the Committee, to do all acts and execute, deliver and perform all additional documents, instruments and agreements which may be reasonably required by the Company or the Committee, as the case may be, to implement the provisions and purposes of this Agreement and the Plan.
- (l) <u>Personal Data</u>. By accepting the Award under this Agreement, the Grantee hereby consents to the Company's use, dissemination and disclosure of any information pertaining to the Grantee that the Company determines to be necessary or desirable for the implementation, administration and management of the Plan.
- (m) <u>Recovery of Compensation</u>. In accordance with Section 3.3 of the Plan, the Award is subject to the requirements of (i) Section 954 of the Dodd-Frank Wall Street Reform and Consumer Protection Act (regarding recovery of erroneously awarded compensation) and any implementing rules and regulations thereunder, (ii) any policies adopted by the Company to implement such requirements, and (iii) any other compensation recovery policies as may be adopted from time to time by the Company, all to the extent determined by the Committee in its discretion to be applicable to the Grantee.
- (n) <u>Change in Control</u>. Notwithstanding anything in this Agreement to the contrary but subject to the provisions of Section 15.3.1(i) of the Plan, if (A) a Change in Control occurs and (B) on or after the Change in Control and on or before the first anniversary of the Change in Control either (1) the Grantee has a Separation from Service by action of the Company or the Grantee's employing Subsidiary for any reason other than Cause (excluding due to the Grantee's death or Disability) or (2) the Grantee has a Separation from Service for Good Reason, then any unearned shares of Restricted Stock shall become immediately earned and vested as of the date of such Separation from Service.

"Cause" shall be defined as that term is defined in the Grantee's offer letter or other applicable employment agreement; or, if there is no such definition, "Cause" means any one or more of the following: (i) the Grantee's gross neglect or willful material breach of the Grantee's principal employment responsibilities or duties; (ii) a final judicial adjudication that the Grantee is guilty of any felony (other than a law, rule or regulation relating to a traffic violation or other similar offense that has no material adverse effect on the Company or any of its Subsidiaries); (iii) the Grantee's breach of any non-competition or confidentiality covenant between the Grantee and the Company or any Subsidiary; (iv) fraudulent conduct as determined by a court of competent jurisdiction in the course of the Grantee's employment with the Company or any of its Subsidiaries; or (v) the material breach by the Grantee of any other obligation which continues uncured for a period of 30 days after notice thereof by the Company or any of its Subsidiaries. "Good Reason" shall be defined as that term is defined in the Grantee's offer letter or other applicable employment agreement; or, if there is no such definition, "Good Reason" means the occurrence of any of the following events without the Grantee's consent, provided that the Grantee has complied with the Good Reason Process: (i) a material diminution in the Grantee's responsibility, authority or duty; (ii) a material diminution in the Grantee's base salary except for across-the-board salary reductions based on the Company and its Subsidiaries' financial performance similarly affecting all or substantially all management employees of the Company and its Subsidiaries; or (iii) the relocation of the office at which the Grantee was principally employed immediately prior to a Change in Control to a location more than fifty (50) miles from the location of such office, or the Grantee being required to be based anywhere other than such office, except to the extent the Grantee was not previously assigned to a principal location and except for required travel on business to an extent substantially consistent with the Grantee's business travel obligations at the time of the Change in Control.

"Good Reason Process" means that (i) the Grantee reasonably determines in good faith that a Good Reason condition has occurred; (ii) the Grantee notifies the Company and its Subsidiaries in writing of the occurrence of the Good Reason condition within 60 days of such occurrence; (iii) the Grantee cooperates in good faith with the Company and its Subsidiaries' efforts, for a period of not less than 30 days following such notice (the "Cure Period"), to remedy the condition; (iv) notwithstanding such efforts, the Good Reason condition continues to exist following the Cure Period; and (v) the Grantee has a Separation from Service within 60 days after the end of the Cure Period. If the Company or its Subsidiaries cures the Good Reason condition during the Cure Period, and the Grantee has a Separation from Service due to such condition (notwithstanding its cure), then the Grantee will not be deemed to have had a Separation from Service for Good Reason.

NOTICE OF GRANT OF RESTRICTED STOCK UNIT AWARD (TIME-VESTING; STOCK-SETTLED)

ZUMIEZ INC. 2023 EQUITY INCENTIVE PLAN

	ez Inc. (the " Company "), on the behalf of, and at the direction of, its indirect wholly
	Restricted Stock Unit Award (the "Award") of the number of Restricted Stock Units
	e " Notice ") to the Grantee designated in this Notice, pursuant to the provisions of the
	o certain restrictions as outlined below in this Notice and the additional provisions set
	its Award (the " Terms "). Together, this Notice, the attached Terms and all Exhibits I conditions of the Plan are incorporated by reference in their entirety into this
	ir conditions of the Plan are incorporated by reference in their entirety into this fined in the Plan shall have the meanings given to them in the Plan, as modified herein
(if applicable).	med in the Flan Shan have the meanings given to them in the Flan, as modified herein
(ii application).	
Grantee: []	
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Grant Date: []	
# of Restricted Stock Units: []	
Vesting Schedule: Subject to the terms of the Plan and this Agre	ement, the Restricted Stock Units shall become earned and vested evenly over four
	universary of the Grant Date, and shares of Stock shall be issued in settlement of
	ive a Separation from Service prior to the applicable vesting date(s).
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Only a whole number of Restricted Stock Units will become vested	d as of any given vesting date. If the number of Restricted Stock Units determined as
	rounded down to the nearest whole number with any fractional portion carried
	d following Grantee's Separation from Service, except as expressly provided in the
Notice below, as applicable, or as otherwise provided pursuant to t	he terms of the Plan.
Impact of Separation from Service on Vesting: See Exhibit A	
impact of Separation from Service on Vesting. See Exhibit A	
Acceleration of Vesting on or following a Change in Control: V	esting upon a Change in Control, in accordance with Section 15.3.1 of the Plan.
By signing below, the Grantee agrees that this Award is granted un	der and governed by the terms and conditions of the Plan and this Agreement.
Grantee	Zumiez Inc.
	By:
Date:	Title: Date:
Datc	Date.

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EXHIBIT A

Impact of Separation from Service

If the Grantee has a Separation from Service before all of the Restricted Stock Units have become vested, then any unearned Restricted Stock Units shall become immediately earned and vested or be canceled depending on the reason for Separation from Service as follows.

- (a) <u>Death or Disability</u>. If the Grantee has a Separation from Service due to the Grantee's death or Disability, any unearned Restricted Stock Units shall become immediately earned and vested on the date of the death or Disability, as applicable.
- (b) <u>Any other Separation from Service</u>. If the Grantee has a Separation from Service for any reason other than as specified in subparagraph (a) above, any Restricted Stock Units that were not already earned and vested pursuant to the schedule specified under "Vesting Schedule" in the Notice as of the date of the Separation from Service shall be immediately canceled as of that date.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF RESTRICTED STOCK UNIT AWARD

The Restricted Stock Unit Award (the "Award") granted by Zumiez Inc. (the "Company") to the Grantee specified in the Notice of Grant of Restricted Stock Unit Award (the "Notice") to which these Terms and Conditions of Restricted Stock Unit Award (the "Terms") are attached, is subject to the terms and conditions of the Plan, the Notice, these Terms, and the general terms applicable to Awards granted to employees outside the U.S. set forth in the Appendix A hereto. The terms and conditions of the Plan are incorporated by reference in their entirety into these Terms. Together, the Notice, these Terms and all Exhibits and Appendices to the Notice and these Terms constitute the "Agreement." The Plan itself is available upon request. When used in this Agreement, the terms which are defined in the Plan shall have the meanings given to them in the Plan, as modified herein (if applicable). For purposes of this Agreement, any reference to the Company shall include a reference to any Affiliate.

1. Grant of Restricted Stock Units.

- (a) As of the Grant Date set forth in the Notice, the Company grants to the Grantee the number of Restricted Stock Units ("**Units**") set forth in the Notice. Each Unit represents the right to receive one share of the Company's Common Stock at a future date after the Unit has become earned and vested, subject to the terms and conditions of this Agreement.
- (b) The Units covered by this Award shall become earned and vested in accordance with the vesting schedule set forth in the Notice. Each earned and vested Unit shall be settled on the date(s) specified in the Notice by issuance of one share of the Company's Common Stock for each earned and vested Unit on or as soon as administratively practicable (but no more than 75 days) after the applicable vesting date specified in the Notice, subject to the requirements of (i) Section 4 (Responsibility for Taxes, Section 6 (Regulatory Restrictions on the Shares Issued Upon Settlement) and Section 7(m) (Recovery of Compensation) of this Agreement.
- (c) The Grantee shall not have any rights of a shareholder of the Company with respect to the shares of Stock underlying the Units until such time that Units become earned and vested.
- (d) The Grantee may designate a beneficiary to receive payment in connection with the Units in the event of the Grantee's death in accordance with the Company's beneficiary designation procedures, as in effect from time to time. If the Grantee does not designate a beneficiary, or if the Grantee's designated beneficiary does not survive the Grantee, then the Grantee's beneficiary will be the Grantee's estate.
- (e) Units shall not entitle the Grantee to receive any dividend equivalents with respect to any cash dividend that is otherwise paid with respect to shares of the Company's Common Stock.
- 2. Restrictions. Subject to any exceptions set forth in this Agreement, until such time as the Units become earned and vested and are settled in accordance with Section 1, the Units or the rights relating thereto may not be assigned, alienated, pledged, attached, sold or otherwise transferred or encumbered by the Grantee. Any attempt to assign, alienate, pledge, attach, sell or otherwise transfer or encumber the Units or the rights relating thereto shall be wholly ineffective and, if any such attempt is made, the Units will be forfeited by the Grantee and all of the Grantee's rights to such Units shall immediately terminate without any payment of consideration by the Company.

3. <u>Cancellation of Rights</u>. If any portion of the Units fail to become earned and vested (for example, because the Grantee fails to satisfy the vesting conditions specified in the Notice prior to a Separation from Service), then such Units shall be immediately forfeited as of the date of such failure and all of the Grantee's rights to such Units shall immediately terminate without any payment of consideration by the Company.

4. <u>Responsibility for Taxes</u>.

- (a) Regardless of any action the Company or the Employer takes with respect to any or all income tax, payroll tax or other tax-related withholding with respect to the Award ("Tax-Related Items"), the Grantee acknowledges that the ultimate liability for all Tax-Related Items owed by the Grantee is and remains the Grantee's responsibility and that the Company and the Employer (i) make no representations or undertakings regarding the treatment of any Tax-Related Items in connection with any aspect of the Award, including the grant or vesting of the Units; and (ii) do not commit to structure the terms of the grant or any aspect of the Award to reduce or eliminate the Grantee's liability for Tax-Related Items.
- (b) In the event the Company or the Employer determines that it must withhold any Tax-Related Items as a result of your Award, you agree as a condition of the grant of the Units to make arrangements satisfactory to the Company and/or the Employer to enable it to satisfy all withholding requirements by all legal means, including, but not limited to, withholding any applicable Tax-Related Items from the pay-out of the Units. In addition, you authorize the Company and/or the Employer to fulfill its withholding obligations by all legal means, including, but not limited to, withholding Tax-Related Items from your wages, salary or other cash compensation the Company or one of its subsidiaries pays to you. The Company may refuse to pay any earned Units if you fail to comply with any obligations in connection with the Tax-Related Items.
- 5. <u>Grantee Representations</u>. The Grantee hereby represents to the Company that the Grantee has read and fully understands the provisions of this Agreement and the Plan, and the Grantee's decision to participate in the Plan is completely voluntary. Further, the Grantee acknowledges that the Grantee is relying solely on his or her own advisors with respect to the tax consequences of this Award.
- 6. Regulatory Restrictions on the Shares Issued Upon Settlement. Notwithstanding the other provisions of this Agreement, the Committee shall have the sole discretion to impose such conditions, restrictions and limitations on the settlement of vested Units with respect to this Award unless and until the Committee determines that such settlement complies with (i) any applicable registration requirements under the Securities Act or the Committee has determined that an exemption therefrom is available, (ii) any applicable listing requirement of any stock exchange on which the Stock is listed, (iii) any applicable Company policy or administrative rules, and (iv) any other applicable provision of state, federal or foreign law, including foreign securities laws where applicable.

7. Miscellaneous.

- (a) <u>Notices</u>. Any notice which either party hereto may be required or permitted to give to the other shall be in writing and may be delivered personally, by interoffice or intraoffice mail, by fax, by electronic mail or other electronic means, or via a postal service, postage prepaid, to such electronic mail or postal address and directed to such person as the Company may notify the Grantee from time to time; and to the Grantee at the Grantee's electronic mail or postal address as shown on the records of the Company from time to time, or at such other electronic mail or postal address as the Grantee, by notice to the Company, may designate in writing from time to time.
- (b) <u>Waiver</u>. The waiver by any party hereto of a breach of any provision of this Agreement shall not operate or be construed as a waiver of any other or subsequent breach.
- (c) <u>Entire Agreement</u>. This Agreement and the Plan constitute the entire agreement between the parties with respect to the subject matter hereof. Any prior agreements, commitments or negotiations concerning the Award are superseded.
- (d) <u>Binding Effect; Successors</u>. This Agreement shall inure to the benefit of and be binding upon the parties hereto and to the extent not prohibited herein, their respective heirs, successors, assigns and representatives. Nothing in this Agreement, express or implied, is intended to confer on any person other than the parties hereto and as provided above, their respective heirs, successors, assigns and representatives any rights, remedies, obligations or liabilities.
- (e) <u>Governing Law</u>. This Agreement shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the State of Washington without giving effect to the principles of conflicts of law, and applicable Federal law.
- (f) Venue. The Company and the Grantee shall make a good faith attempt to resolve any and all claims and disputes regarding the Award or the Agreement in accordance with any dispute resolution adopted by the Company before resorting to any other dispute resolution procedure. If the claim or dispute is not resolved in that manner and involves any rights or obligations under the Agreement, then the claim or dispute will be determined by arbitration in accordance with the then-current American Arbitration Association ("AAA") national rules for the resolution of employment disputes by arbitration, except as modified herein. The arbitration will be conducted by a sole neutral arbitrator who has had both training and experience as an arbitrator of employee compensation matters. If the Company and the Grantee cannot agree on an arbitrator, then the arbitrator will be selected by the AAA applying the criteria in this provision. Reasonable discovery will be permitted and the arbitrator may decide any issue as to discovery. The arbitrator may decide any issue as to whether or as to the extent to which, any dispute is subject to the dispute resolution provisions of this Section 7(f). The arbitrator may award only relief at law contemplated under the Agreement and the Plan and the arbitrator may not award incidental, consequential or punitive damages, attorney's fees or any form or equitable relief, to either party. The arbitrator must base the arbitration award on the provisions of this Section 7(f) and applicable law and must render the award in writing, including an explanation of the reasons for the award. Judgment upon the award may be entered by any court having jurisdiction of the matter, and the decision of the arbitrator will be final and binding. The statute of limitations applicable to the commencement of a lawsuit will apply to the commencement of an arbitration. The arbitrator's fees will be paid in equal portions by the Company and the Grantee, unless the Company agrees to pay all such fees.

- (g) <u>Venue</u>. Any arbitration, legal or equitable action or any proceeding arising directly, indirectly, or otherwise in connection with, out of, related to or from the Agreement, or any provision hereof, shall exclusively be filed and adjudicated in King County, Washington and no other venue.
- (h) <u>Headings</u>. The headings contained herein are for the sole purpose of convenience of reference, and shall not in any way limit or affect the meaning or interpretation of any of the terms or provisions of this Agreement.
- (i) <u>Conflicts; Amendment</u>. The provisions of the Plan are incorporated in this Agreement in their entirety. In the event of any conflict between the provisions of this Agreement and the Plan, the provisions of the Plan shall control. This Agreement may be amended at any time by the Committee, provided that no amendment may, without the consent of the Grantee, materially impair the Grantee's rights with respect to the Award. The Committee shall have full authority and discretion, subject only to the terms of the Plan, to decide all matters relating to the administration or interpretation of the Plan, the Award, and the Agreement, and all such action by the Committee shall be final, conclusive, and binding upon the Company and the Grantee.
- (j) No Right to Continued Employment. Nothing in this Agreement shall confer upon the Grantee any right to continue in the employ or service of the Company or affect the right of the Company to terminate the Grantee's employment or service at any time.
- (k) <u>Further Assurances</u>. The Grantee agrees, upon demand of the Company or the Committee, to do all acts and execute, deliver and perform all additional documents, instruments and agreements which may be reasonably required by the Company or the Committee, as the case may be, to implement the provisions and purposes of this Agreement and the Plan.
- (l) <u>Additional Acknowledgments</u>; <u>Appendix A</u>. By accepting this Award, the Grantee acknowledges and agrees that this Award is subject to the general terms applicable to Awards granted to employees outside the U.S. set forth in the Appendix A hereto. Appendix A constitutes part of this Agreement. Please review the provisions of Appendix A carefully, as this Award will be null and void absent the Grantee's acceptance of such provisions. The Company reserves the right to impose other requirements on the Award to the extent that the Company determines it is necessary or advisable in order to comply with local law or facilitate the administration of the Award and to require the Grantee to sign any additional agreements or undertakings that may be necessary to accomplish the foregoing.
- (m) <u>Recovery of Compensation</u>. In accordance with Section 3.3 of the Plan, the Award is subject to the requirements of (i) Section 954 of the Dodd-Frank Wall Street Reform and Consumer Protection Act (regarding recovery of erroneously awarded compensation) and any implementing rules and regulations thereunder, (ii) any policies adopted by the Company to implement such requirements, and (iii) any other compensation recovery policies as may be adopted from time to time by the Company, all to the extent determined by the Committee in its discretion to be applicable to the Grantee.

(n) <u>Change in Control.</u> Notwithstanding anything in this Agreement to the contrary but subject to the provisions of Section 15.3.1(i) of the Plan, if (A) a Change in Control occurs and (B) on or after the Change in Control and on or before the first anniversary of the Change in Control either (1) the Grantee has a Separation from Service by action of the Company or the Grantee's employing Subsidiary for any reason other than Cause (excluding due to the Grantee's death or Disability) or (2) the Grantee has a Separation from Service for Good Reason, then any unearned Restricted Stock Units shall become immediately earned and vested as of the date of such Separation from Service.

"Cause" shall be defined as that term is defined in the Grantee's offer letter or other applicable employment agreement; or, if there is no such definition, "Cause" means any one or more of the following: (i) the Grantee's gross neglect or willful material breach of the Grantee's principal employment responsibilities or duties; (ii) a final judicial adjudication that the Grantee is guilty of any felony (other than a law, rule or regulation relating to a traffic violation or other similar offense that has no material adverse effect on the Company or any of its Subsidiaries); (iii) the Grantee's breach of any non-competition or confidentiality covenant between the Grantee and the Company or any Subsidiary; (iv) fraudulent conduct as determined by a court of competent jurisdiction in the course of the Grantee's employment with the Company or any of its Subsidiaries; or (v) the material breach by the Grantee of any other obligation which continues uncured for a period of 30 days after notice thereof by the Company or any of its Subsidiaries.

"Good Reason" shall be defined as that term is defined in the Grantee's offer letter or other applicable employment agreement; or, if there is no such definition, "Good Reason" means the occurrence of any of the following events without the Grantee's consent, provided that the Grantee has complied with the Good Reason Process: (i) a material diminution in the Grantee's responsibility, authority or duty; (ii) a material diminution in the Grantee's base salary except for across-the-board salary reductions based on the Company and its Subsidiaries' financial performance similarly affecting all or substantially all management employees of the Company and its Subsidiaries; or (iii) the relocation of the office at which the Grantee was principally employed immediately prior to a Change in Control to a location more than fifty (50) miles from the location of such office, or the Grantee being required to be based anywhere other than such office, except to the extent the Grantee was not previously assigned to a principal location and except for required travel on business to an extent substantially consistent with the Grantee's business travel obligations at the time of the Change in Control.

"Good Reason Process" means that (i) the Grantee reasonably determines in good faith that a Good Reason condition has occurred; (ii) the Grantee notifies the Company and its Subsidiaries in writing of the occurrence of the Good Reason condition within 60 days of such occurrence; (iii) the Grantee cooperates in good faith with the Company and its Subsidiaries' efforts, for a period of not less than 30 days following such notice (the "Cure Period"), to remedy the condition; (iv) notwithstanding such efforts, the Good Reason condition continues to exist following the Cure Period; and (v) the Grantee has a Separation from Service within 60 days after the end of the Cure Period. If the Company or its Subsidiaries cures the Good Reason condition during the Cure Period, and the Grantee has a Separation from Service due to such condition (notwithstanding its cure), then the Grantee will not be deemed to have had a Separation from Service for Good Reason.

(o) <u>Severability.</u> The provisions of this Agreement are severable and if any one or more provisions are determined to be illegal or otherwise unenforceable, in whole or in part, the remaining provisions shall nevertheless be binding and enforceable.

APPENDIX A

TO THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF RESTRICTED STOCK UNIT AWARD

General Terms Applicable to Awards Granted to Employees Outside the U.S.

1. DATA PRIVACY

By accepting the this Award, the Grantee hereby explicitly and unambiguously consents to the collection, use and transfer, in electronic or other form, of the Grantee's personal data as described in this document and any other grant materials by and among, as applicable, the Company, the Grantee's employer and any other Affiliate for the exclusive purpose of implementing, administering and managing the Units.

The Grantee understands that the Company and the Grantee's employer hold certain personal information about the Grantee, including, but not limited to, the Grantee's name, home address and telephone number, date of birth, social insurance number or other identification number, salary, nationality, job title, any shares of stock or directorships held in the Company or any Affiliates, details of any entitlement to shares of stock or equivalent benefits awarded, canceled, vested, unvested or outstanding in the Grantee's favor ("Data"), for the purpose of implementing, administering and managing the Grantee's participation in the Plan. The Grantee understands that Data may be transferred to any third parties assisting in the implementation, administration and management of the Plan, that these recipients may be located in the Grantee's country or elsewhere (e.g., the United States), and that the recipient's country may have different data privacy laws and protections from the Grantee's country. The Grantee understands that the Grantee may request a list with the names and addresses of any potential recipients of the Data by contacting the Grantee's local human resources representative. The Grantee authorizes the recipients to receive, possess, use, retain and transfer the Data, in electronic or other form, for the exclusive purposes of implementing, administering and managing the Grantee's participation in the Plan. The Grantee understands that Data will be held only as long as is necessary to implement, administer and manage the Grantee's participation in the Plan. The Grantee understands that the Grantee may, at any time, view Data, requiest additional information about the storage and processing of Data, require any necessary amendments to Data or refuse or withdraw the consents herein, in any case without cost, by contacting in writing the Grantee's local human resources representative. Further, the Grantee understands that the Grantee is providing the consents herein on a purely voluntary basis. If the Grantee does not consent, or if the Grantee later seeks to revoke the Grantee's consent, the Grantee's employment status or service and career with the Grantee's employer will not be adversely affected; the only adverse consequence of refusing or withdrawing the Grantee's consent is that the Company would not be able to grant to the Grantee Units or other awards or administer or maintain such awards. Therefore, the Grantee understands that refusing or withdrawing the Grantee's consent may affect the Grantee's ability to benefit from the Units. For more information on the consequences of the Grantee's refusal to consent or withdrawal of consent, the Grantee understands that the Grantee may contact the Grantee's local human resources representative.

2. ADDITIONAL ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

By entering into this Agreement and accepting the grant of Units evidenced hereby, the Grantee acknowledges, understands and agrees that:

- (a) the Plan is established voluntarily by the Company, and all Awards under the Plan are discretionary in nature;
- (b) the grant of Units is voluntary and occasional and does not create any contractual or other right to receive future awards of Units or benefits in lieu of Units, even if such awards have been awarded in the past;
 - (c) all decisions with respect to future awards, if any, will be at the sole discretion of the Company;
- (d) the grant of Units shall not create a right to employment with the Grantee's employer or any other Affiliate and shall not interfere with the ability of the Company, the Grantee's employer or any other Affiliate to terminate the Grantee's employment or service relationship (if any);

- (e) the Grantee is voluntarily participating in the Plan;
- (f) the Units and any payment made pursuant to the Units, and the value and income of same, are not part of normal or expected compensation or salary for any purposes, including, but not limited to, calculating any severance, resignation, termination, redundancy, dismissal, end-of-service payments, bonuses, long-service awards, pension or retirement benefits or welfare benefits or similar payments;
- (g) unless otherwise agreed with the Company, the Award and any shares of Stock subject to the Award, and the value and income of same, are not granted as consideration for, or in connection with, any service the Grantee may provide as a director of any Affiliate;
- (h) in accepting the grant of Units, the Grantee expressly recognizes that the Units are an award made solely by the Company, with principal offices at Lynwood, Washington, U.S.A.; the Company is solely responsible for the administration of the Plan and the Grantee's participation in the Plan; in the event that the Grantee is an employee of an Affiliate, the Units and the Grantee's participation in the Plan will not create a right to employment be interpreted to form an employment or service contract or relationship with the Company; furthermore, the Units will not be interpreted to form an employment or service contract with any Affiliate;
- (i) the future value of the shares of Stock which may be delivered in settlement of the Units (to the extent earned) is unknown, indeterminable and cannot be predicted with certainty;
- (j) no claim or entitlement to compensation or damages shall arise from forfeiture of the Units resulting from termination of the Grantee's employment or service (for any reason whatsoever, whether or not such termination is later found to be invalid or in breach of the employment laws in the jurisdiction where the Grantee is employed or providing services or the terms of the Grantee's employment or service agreement, if any) or recoupment of all or any portion of any payment made pursuant to the Units as provided by any of the Company's compensation recovery policies, as may be adopted from time to time, and, in consideration of the grant of the Units to which the Grantee is not otherwise entitled, the Grantee irrevocably agrees never to institute any claim against the Company, the Grantee's employer or any other Affiliate, waives the Grantee's ability, if any, to bring any such claim, and releases the Company, the Grantee's employer and any other Affiliate from any such claim; if, notwithstanding the foregoing, any such claim is allowed by a court of competent jurisdiction, then, by participating in the Plan, the Grantee shall be deemed irrevocably to have agreed not to pursue such claim, and the Grantee agrees to execute any and all documents necessary to request dismissal or withdrawal of such claim;
- (k) for purposes of the Units, the Grantee's employment will be considered terminated as of the date the Grantee is no longer actively employed and providing services to the Company or one of its Affiliates (for any reason whatsoever, whether or not such termination is later found to be invalid or in breach of the employment laws in the jurisdiction where the Grantee is employed or providing services or the terms of the Grantee's employment or service agreement, if any), and unless otherwise expressly provided in this Agreement or otherwise determined by the Company, the Grantee's right to vest in any portion of the Units under the Plan, if any, will terminate as of such date and will not be extended by any notice period (e.g., the Grantee's active employment or period of service would not include any contractual notice period or any period of "garden leave" or similar period mandated under the employment laws in the jurisdiction where the Grantee is employed or providing services or the terms of the Grantee's employment or service agreement, if any); the Company, in its sole discretion, shall determine when the Grantee is no longer actively employed or providing services while on an approved leave of absence);
- (l) the Grantee is solely responsible for investigating and complying with any exchange control laws applicable to the Grantee in connection with his or her participation in the Plan;
- (m) unless otherwise provided in the Plan or by the Company in its discretion, the Units and the benefits evidenced by this Agreement do not create any entitlement to have the Units or any such benefits transferred to, or assumed by, another company nor to be exchanged, cashed out or substituted for, in connection with any corporate transaction affecting the Company's common stock; and

(n) neither the Company, the Grantee's employer nor any other Affiliate shall be liable for any foreign exchange rate fluctuation between the Grantee's local currency and the United States Dollar that may affect the value of the Units, any payment made pursuant to the Units or the subsequent sale of any shares of Stock acquired under the Plan.

3. NO ADVICE REGARDING GRANT

The Company is not providing any tax, legal, or financial advice, nor is the Company making any recommendations regarding the Grantee's participation in the Plan or the Grantee's acquisition of any shares of Stock under the Plan or subsequent sale of such shares of Stock. The Grantee is hereby advised to consult with the Grantee's personal tax, legal and financial advisors regarding the Grantee's participation in the Plan before taking any action in relation thereto.

4. LANGUAGE

If the Grantee has received this Agreement or any other document related to the Plan translated into a language other than English and if the meaning of the translated version differs from the English version, the English version shall control.

5. ELECTRONIC DELIVERY AND ACCEPTANCE

The Company may, in its sole discretion, decide to deliver any documents related to current or future participation in the Plan by electronic means. The Grantee hereby consents to receive such documents by electronic delivery and agree to participate in the Plan through an on-line or electronic system established and maintained by the Company or a third party designated by the Company.

6. INSIDER-TRADING/MARKET-ABUSE LAWS

The Grantee acknowledge that, depending on his or her country, the Grantee may be subject to insider-trading restrictions and/or market-abuse laws, which may affect his or her ability to acquire or sell shares of Stock acquired or rights to acquire shares of Stock (e.g., Awards, Units) under the Plan during such times as the Grantee is considered to have "inside information" regarding the Company (as defined by the laws in his or her country). Any restrictions under these laws or regulations are separate from and in addition to any restrictions that may be imposed under any applicable Company insider trading policy. The Grantee is responsible for complying with any applicable restrictions, and the Grantee is advised to speak to his or her personal legal advisor regarding this matter.

NOTICE OF GRANT OF NON-QUALIFIED STOCK OPTION AWARD

ZUMIEZ INC. 2023 EQUITY INCENTIVE PLAN

FOR GOOD AND VALUABLE CONSIDERATION, Zumiez Inc. (the "Company") hereby grants, pursuant to the provisions of the Company's 2023 Equity Incentive Plan (the "Plan"), to the Grantee designated in this Notice of Grant of Non-Qualified Stock Option Award (the "Notice") an option to purchase the number of shares of the Common Stock of the Company set forth in the Notice (the "Shares" and such option award, the "Option"), subject to certain restrictions as outlined below in this Notice and the additional provisions set forth in the attached Terms and Conditions of Stock Option Award (collectively, the "Agreement").

Grantee: [J	Type of Option: Non-Qualified Stock Option
Exercise Price per Sh	are: \$	Date of Grant:
Total Number of Shares Granted :		Expiration Date:
Vesting Schedule:	Subject to the terms of the Plan and this Agreement, the Options shall become earned and vested evenly over [] years, with a []% vesting annually at the anniversary date of the Grant Date, in the event the Grantee does not have a Separation from Service prior to the applicable vesting date(s).	
	Only a whole number of Options will become vested as of any given vesting date. If the number of Options determined as of a vesting date is a fractional number, the number vesting will be rounded down to the nearest whole number with any fractional portion carried forward.	
	No Options shall become earned and vested following Grantee's Separation from Service, except as expressly provided in this Notice below, as applicable, or as otherwise provided pursuant to the terms of the Plan.	
Exercise After Separa	ntion from Service:	

Separation from Service for any reason other than death or Disability: any non-vested portion of the Option expires immediately and any vested portion of the Option remains exercisable for ninety (90) days following the Separation from Service; and

Separation from Service due to death or Disability: any non-vested portion of the Option shall become immediately earned and vested on the date of death or Disability, as applicable, and the Option shall remain exercisable for twelve (12) months following the Separation from Service.

IN NO EVENT MAY THIS OPTION BE EXERCISED AFTER THE EXPIRATION DATE AS PROVIDED ABOVE.

By signing below, the Grantee agrees that this Non-Qualified Stock Option Award is granted under and governed by the terms and conditions of the Plan and this Agreement.		
Grantee	Zumiez Inc.	
	Ву:	
	Title:	
Date:	Date:	

TERMS AND CONDIDTIONS OF STOCK OPTION AWARD

1. <u>Grant of Option.</u> The Option granted to the Grantee and described in the attached Notice of Grant of Non-Qualified Stock Option Award (the "Notice") is subject to the terms and conditions of the Plan, which is incorporated by reference in its entirety into these Terms and Conditions of Stock Option Award (together with the Notice, the "Agreement").

The Board of Directors of the Company has authorized and approved the Plan, and the Plan has also been approved by the shareholders of the Company. The award to the Grantee of this Option has been approved by the Company, conditioned upon the Grantee's acceptance of the provisions set forth in the Notice and these Terms and Conditions within 30 days after the Notice and these Terms and Conditions are presented to the Grantee for review. For purposes of the Notice and these Terms and Conditions, any reference to the Company shall include a reference to any Affiliate.

The Company intends that this Option not be considered to provide for the deferral of compensation under Section 409A of the Code and that this Agreement shall be so administered and construed. Further, the Company may modify the Plan and this Option to the extent necessary to fulfill this intent.

2. Exercise of Option.

- (a) <u>Right to Exercise</u>. This Option shall be exercisable, in whole or in part, during its term in accordance with the Vesting Schedule set out in the Notice and with the applicable provisions of the Plan and this Agreement. No Shares shall be issued pursuant to the exercise of an Option unless the issuance and exercise comply with applicable laws. Assuming such compliance, for income tax purposes the Shares shall be considered transferred to the Grantee on the date on which the Option is exercised with respect to such Shares. Until such time as the Option has been duly exercised and Shares have been delivered, the Grantee shall not be entitled to exercise any voting rights with respect to such Shares and shall not be entitled to receive dividends or other distributions with respect thereto.
- (b) <u>Method of Exercise</u>. The Grantee may exercise the Option by delivering an exercise notice in a form approved by the Company (the "Exercise Notice") which shall state the election to exercise the Option, the number of Shares with respect to which the Option is being exercised, and such other representations and agreements as may be required by the Company. The Exercise Notice shall be accompanied by payment of the aggregate Option Price as to all Shares exercised (which will be the Exercise Price Per Share set forth in the Notice, multiplied by the number of Shares with respect to which the Option is being exercised; this is also referred to as the "aggregate Exercise Price"). This Option shall be deemed to be exercised upon receipt by the Company of such fully executed Exercise Notice accompanied by the aggregate Exercise Price.
- (c) <u>Acceleration of Vesting Under Certain Circumstances</u>. The vesting and exercisability of the Option shall not be accelerated under any circumstances, except as otherwise provided in the Plan and the Notice.
- **3.** <u>Method of Payment</u>. If the Grantee elects to exercise the Option by submitting an Exercise Notice under Section 2(b) of this Agreement, the aggregate Exercise Price (as well as any applicable withholding or other taxes) shall be paid by cash or check; *provided*, *however*, that the Company may consent, in its discretion, to payment in any of the following forms, or a combination of them:
 - (a) cash or check;

- (b) a "net exercise" under which the Company reduces the number of shares of Common Stock issued upon exercise by the largest whole number of shares with a Fair Market Value that does not exceed the aggregate Exercise Price and any applicable withholding, or such other consideration received by the Company under a cashless exercise program approved by the Company in connection with the Plan;
- (c) surrender of other shares of Common Stock owned by the Grantee which have a Fair Market Value on the date of surrender equal to the aggregate Exercise Price of the exercised Shares and any applicable withholding; or
 - (d) any other consideration that the Committee deems appropriate and in compliance with applicable law.
- **4.** <u>Restrictions on Exercise</u>. This Option may not be exercised if the issuance of the Shares upon exercise or the method of payment of consideration for those shares would constitute a violation of any applicable law, regulation or Company policy.
- 5. Non-Transferability of Option. This Option may not be transferred in any manner otherwise than by will or by the laws of descent or distribution and may be exercised during the lifetime of the Grantee only by the Grantee; provided, however, that the Grantee may transfer the Option (i) pursuant to a qualified domestic relations order (as defined by the Code or the rules thereunder) or (ii) to any Family Member of the Grantee in accordance with Section 17.11.2 of the Plan by delivering to the Company a Notice of Assignment in a form acceptable to the Company. No transfer or assignment of the Option to or on behalf of a Family Member under this Section 5 shall be effective until the Company has acknowledged such transfer or assignment in writing. The terms of the Plan and this Option Agreement shall be binding upon the executors, administrators, heirs, successors and assigns of the Grantee.
- **6.** <u>Term of Option</u>. This Option may be exercised only during the term of the Option only in accordance with the Plan and the terms of this Agreement. The term of the Option commences on the Date of Grant set out in the Notice and expires following the Grantee's Separation from Service, as set out in the Notice (but in no event later than the Expiration Date set out in the Notice).

7. Withholding.

- (a) The Committee shall determine the amount of any withholding or other tax required by law to be withheld or paid by the Company with respect to any income recognized by the Grantee with respect to the Option.
- (b) The Grantee shall be required to meet any applicable tax withholding obligation in accordance with the provisions of Section 17.3 of the Plan. In this regard, the Grantee authorizes the Company to withhold all applicable amounts of withholding or other tax as required by law to be withheld upon exercise of the Option by the Grantee from the Grantee's wages or other cash compensation paid to the Grantee or any other payments otherwise due to the Grantee by the Company or from proceeds of the sale of the shares of Common Stock.
- (c) Subject to any rules prescribed by the Committee, the Grantee shall have the right to elect to meet any withholding requirement (i) by having withheld from this Option at the appropriate time that number of whole shares of Common Stock otherwise issuable to Grantee upon the exercise of the Option whose Fair Market Value is equal to the amount of any taxes required to be withheld with respect to the exercise of such Option, (ii) by direct payment to the Company in cash of the amount of any taxes required to be withheld with respect to the exercise of the Option or (iii) by a combination of shares and cash.

- **8.** <u>Defined Terms.</u> Capitalized terms used but not defined in the Notice and these Terms and Conditions shall have the meanings set forth in the Plan, unless such term is defined in any employment or similar agreement between the Grantee and the Company or an Affiliate. Any terms used in the Notice and these Terms and Conditions, but defined in an employment or similar agreement with the Grantee are incorporated herein by reference and shall be effective for purposes of the Notice and these Terms and Conditions without regard to the continued effectiveness of such employment or similar agreement.
- **9.** <u>Grantee Representations</u>. The Grantee hereby represents to the Company that the Grantee has read and fully understands the provisions of the Notice, these Terms and Conditions and the Plan and the Grantee's decision to participate in the Plan is completely voluntary. Further, the Grantee acknowledges that the Grantee is relying solely on his or her own advisors with respect to the tax consequences of this Award.
- 10. Regulatory Limitations on Exercises. Notwithstanding the other provisions of this Agreement, the Committee shall have the sole discretion to impose such conditions, restrictions and limitations (including suspending the exercise of the Option and the tolling of any applicable exercise period during such suspension) on the issuance of Common Stock with respect to this Option unless and until the Committee determines that such issuance complies with (i) any applicable registration requirements under the Securities Act or the Committee has determined that an exemption therefrom is available, (ii) any applicable listing requirement of any stock exchange on which the Common Stock is listed, (iii) any applicable Company policy or administrative rules, and (iv) any other applicable provision of state, federal or foreign law, including foreign securities laws where applicable.

11. Miscellaneous.

- (a) <u>Notices</u>. Any notice which either party hereto may be required or permitted to give to the other shall be in writing and may be delivered personally, by interoffice or intraoffice mail, by fax, by electronic mail or other electronic means, or via a postal service, postage prepaid, to such electronic mail or postal address and directed to such person as the Company may notify the Grantee from time to time; and to the Grantee at the Grantee's electronic mail or postal address as shown on the records of the Company from time to time, or at such other electronic mail or postal address as the Grantee, by notice to the Company, may designate in writing from time to time.
- (b) <u>Waiver</u>. The waiver by any party hereto of a breach of any provision of the Notice or these Terms and Conditions shall not operate or be construed as a waiver of any other or subsequent breach.
- (c) <u>Entire Agreement</u>. These Terms and Conditions, the Notice and the Plan constitute the entire agreement between the parties with respect to the subject matter hereof. Any prior agreements, commitments or negotiations concerning the Award are superseded.
- (d) <u>Binding Effect; Successors</u>. These Terms and Conditions shall inure to the benefit of and be binding upon the parties hereto and to the extent not prohibited herein, their respective heirs, successors, assigns and representatives. Nothing in these Terms and Conditions, express or implied, is intended to confer on any person other than the parties hereto and as provided above, their respective heirs, successors, assigns and representatives any rights, remedies, obligations or liabilities.

- (e) <u>Governing Law</u>. The Notice and these Terms and Conditions shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the State of Washington without giving effect to the principles of conflicts of law, and applicable Federal law.
- (f) <u>Arbitration</u>. The Company and the Grantee shall make a good faith attempt to resolve any and all claims and disputes regarding the Option or the Agreement in accordance with any dispute resolution adopted by the Company before resorting to any other dispute resolution procedure. If the claim or dispute is not resolved in that manner and involves any rights or obligations under the Agreement, then the claim or dispute will be determined by arbitration in accordance with the then-current American Arbitration Association ("AAA") national rules for the resolution of employment disputes by arbitration, except as modified herein. The arbitration will be conducted by a sole neutral arbitrator who has had both training and experience as an arbitrator of employee compensation matters. If the Company and the Grantee cannot agree on an arbitrator, then the arbitrator will be selected by the AAA applying the criteria in this provision. Reasonable discovery will be permitted and the arbitrator may decide any issue as to discovery. The arbitrator may decide any issue as to whether or as to the extent to which, any dispute is subject to the dispute resolution provisions of this Section 11(f). The arbitrator may award only relief at law contemplated under the Agreement and the Plan and the arbitrator may not award incidental, consequential or punitive damages, attorney's fees or any form or equitable relief, to either party. The arbitrator must base the arbitration award on the provisions of this Section 11(f) and applicable law and must render the award in writing, including an explanation of the reasons for the award. Judgment upon the award may be entered by any court having jurisdiction of the matter, and the decision of the arbitrator will be final and binding. The statute of limitations applicable to the commencement of a lawsuit will apply to the commencement of an arbitration. The arbitrator's fees will be paid in equal portions by the Company and the Grantee, unless the Company agrees to pay all such fees.
- (g) <u>Venue</u>. Any arbitration, legal or equitable action or any proceeding arising directly, indirectly, or otherwise in connection with, out of, related to or from the Agreement, or any provision hereof, shall exclusively be filed and adjudicated in King County, Washington and no other venue.
- (h) <u>Headings</u>. The headings contained herein are for the sole purpose of convenience of reference, and shall not in any way limit or affect the meaning or interpretation of any of the terms or provisions of this Agreement.
- (i) <u>Conflicts; Amendment</u>. The provisions of the Plan are incorporated in this Agreement in their entirety. In the event of any conflict between the provisions of this Agreement and the Plan, the provisions of the Plan shall control. The Agreement may be amended at any time by the Committee, provided that no amendment may, without the consent of the Grantee, materially impair the Grantee's rights with respect to the Option. The Committee shall have full authority and discretion, subject only to the terms of the Plan, to decide all matters relating to the administration or interpretation of the Plan, the Option, and the Agreement, and all such action by the Committee shall be final, conclusive, and binding upon the Company and the Grantee.

- (j) <u>No Right to Continued Employment</u>. Nothing in this Agreement shall confer upon the Grantee any right to continue in the employ or service of the Company or affect the right of the Company to terminate the Grantee's employment or service at any time.
- (k) <u>Further Assurances</u>. The Grantee agrees, upon demand of the Company or the Committee, to do all acts and execute, deliver and perform all additional documents, instruments and agreements which may be reasonably required by the Company or the Committee, as the case may be, to implement the provisions and purposes of the Notice and these Terms and Conditions and the Plan.
- (l) <u>Confidentiality</u>. The Grantee agrees that the terms and conditions of the Option award reflected in the Notice and these Terms and Conditions are strictly confidential and, with the exception of Grantee's counsel, tax advisor, immediate family, or as required by applicable law, have not and shall not be disclosed, discussed, or revealed to any other persons, entities, or organizations, whether within or outside Company, without prior written approval of Company. The Grantee further agrees to take all reasonable steps necessary to ensure that confidentiality is maintained by any of the individuals or entities referenced above to whom disclosure is authorized.
- (m) <u>Personal Data</u>. By accepting the Option award under this Agreement, the Grantee hereby consents to the Company's use, dissemination and disclosure of any information pertaining to the Grantee that the Company determines to be necessary or desirable for the implementation, administration and management of the Plan.
- (n) Recovery of Compensation. In accordance with Section 3.3 of the Plan, the Option award is subject to the requirements of (i) Section 954 of the Dodd-Frank Wall Street Reform and Consumer Protection Act (regarding recovery of erroneously awarded compensation) and any implementing rules and regulations thereunder, (ii) any policies adopted by the Company to implement such requirements, and (iii) any other compensation recovery policies as may be adopted from time to time by the Company, all to the extent determined by the Committee in its discretion to be applicable to the Grantee.
- (o) <u>Change in Control</u>. Notwithstanding anything in this Agreement to the contrary but subject to the provisions of Section 15.3.1(i) of the Plan, if (A) a Change in Control occurs and (B) on or after the Change in Control and on or before the first anniversary of the Change in Control either (1) the Grantee has a Separation from Service by action of the Company or the Grantee's employing Subsidiary for any reason other than Cause (excluding due to the Grantee's death or Disability) or (2) the Grantee has a Separation from Service for Good Reason, then any unearned portion of the Option shall become immediately earned and vested as of the date of such Separation from Service.
 - "Cause" shall be defined as that term is defined in the Grantee's offer letter or other applicable employment agreement; or, if there is no such definition, "Cause" means any one or more of the following: (i) the Grantee's gross neglect or willful material breach of the Grantee's principal employment responsibilities or duties; (ii) a final judicial adjudication that the Grantee is guilty of any felony (other than a law, rule or regulation relating to a traffic violation or other similar offense that has no material adverse effect on the Company or any of its Subsidiaries); (iii) the Grantee's breach of any non-competition or confidentiality covenant between the Grantee and the Company or any Subsidiary; (iv) fraudulent conduct as determined by a court of competent jurisdiction in the course of the Grantee's employment with the Company or any of its Subsidiaries; or (v) the material breach by the Grantee of any other obligation which continues uncured for a period of 30 days after notice thereof by the Company or any of its Subsidiaries.

"Good Reason" shall be defined as that term is defined in the Grantee's offer letter or other applicable employment agreement; or, if there is no such definition, "Good Reason" means the occurrence of any of the following events without the Grantee's consent, provided that the Grantee has complied with the Good Reason Process: (i) a material diminution in the Grantee's responsibility, authority or duty; (ii) a material diminution in the Grantee's base salary except for across-the-board salary reductions based on the Company and its Subsidiaries' financial performance similarly affecting all or substantially all management employees of the Company and its Subsidiaries; or (iii) the relocation of the office at which the Grantee was principally employed immediately prior to a Change in Control to a location more than fifty (50) miles from the location of such office, or the Grantee being required to be based anywhere other than such office, except to the extent the Grantee was not previously assigned to a principal location and except for required travel on business to an extent substantially consistent with the Grantee's business travel obligations at the time of the Change in Control.

"Good Reason Process" means that (i) the Grantee reasonably determines in good faith that a Good Reason condition has occurred; (ii) the Grantee notifies the Company and its Subsidiaries in writing of the occurrence of the Good Reason condition within 60 days of such occurrence; (iii) the Grantee cooperates in good faith with the Company and its Subsidiaries' efforts, for a period of not less than 30 days following such notice (the "Cure Period"), to remedy the condition; (iv) notwithstanding such efforts, the Good Reason condition continues to exist following the Cure Period; and (v) the Grantee has a Separation from Service within 60 days after the end of the Cure Period. If the Company or its Subsidiaries cures the Good Reason condition during the Cure Period, and the Grantee has a Separation from Service due to such condition (notwithstanding its cure), then the Grantee will not be deemed to have had a Separation from Service for Good Reason.

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ZUMIEZ INC 2023 EMPLOYEE STOCK PURCHASE PLAN

1. PURPOSE AND EFFECTIVE DATE

The purpose of the Zumiez Inc. 2023 Employee Stock Purchase Plan (the "Plan") is to provide employees of Zumiez Inc., a Washington corporation (the "Company"), and certain of its subsidiaries described in Section 4 (individually a "Participating Employer" and collectively the "Participating Employers") with a strong incentive for individual creativity and contribution to ensure the future growth of the Participating Employers by enabling such employees to acquire shares of common stock of the Company (the "Stock"), in the manner contemplated by the Plan. Rights to purchase Stock offered pursuant to the Plan are a matter of separate inducement and not in lieu of any salary or other compensation for the services of any employee. The Plan is intended to qualify as an "employee stock purchase plan" within the meaning of Section 423 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (including all valid and binding governmental regulations, court decisions and other regulatory and judicial authority issued or rendered thereunder) (the "Code"), and shall be interpreted accordingly. The Plan shall become effective as determined by the Board of Directors of the Company (the "Board"), but no rights to purchase shares shall be exercised unless and until the Plan has been approved by the shareholders of the Company, which approval shall be within twelve (12) months before or after the date the Plan is adopted by the Board.

2. AMOUNT OF STOCK SUBJECT TO THE PLAN; PAYMENT FOR SHARES

Subject to adjustment as provided herein, the total number of shares of Stock that may be issued pursuant to rights of purchase granted under the Plan shall not exceed 580,000 shares of authorized Stock. Such shares may be authorized but unissued shares. If a right of purchase under the Plan expires or is terminated unexercised for any reason, the shares as to which such right so expired or terminated again may be made subject to a right of purchase under the Plan.

3. ADMINISTRATION

- (a) <u>General</u>. The Plan shall be administered by the Compensation Committee (the "**Committee**") of the Board or, in the absence of a Compensation Committee or in the event the Compensation Committee is not properly constituted, by the Board itself (in which case, references herein to the "Committee" include the Board). The Committee shall administer the Plan all as provided herein. The Committee shall hold meetings at such times and places as each may determine and may take action by unanimous written consent or by means of a meeting held by conference telephone call or similar communications equipment pursuant to which all persons participating in the meeting can hear each other. The Committee may request advice or assistance or employ such other persons as each deems necessary for proper administration of the Plan.
- (b) <u>Delegation</u>. To the extent necessary or appropriate, the Committee may delegate any of its duties or responsibilities as they pertain to a Participating Employer to such Participating Employer. The Committee or any Participating Employer with the consent of the Committee may appoint or engage any person or persons as a third party administrator to perform ministerial functions pertaining to the issuance, accounting, recordkeeping, forfeiture, exercise, communication, transfer, or any other functions or activities necessary or appropriate to administer and operate the Plan (the "plan administrator").
- (c) Other. Subject to the express provisions of the Plan and the requirements of applicable law, the Committee shall have authority, in its discretion, to determine when each offering hereunder of rights to purchase shares (hereinafter "offering") shall be made, the duration of each offering, the dates on which the purchase period for each offering shall begin and end, the total number of shares subject to each offering, the purchase price of shares subject to each offering and the exclusion of any employees pursuant to Section 4. Subject to the express provisions of the Plan, the Committee has authority (a) to construe offerings, the Plan and the respective rights to purchase shares, (b) to prescribe, amend and rescind rules and regulations relating to the Plan and (c) to make all other determinations necessary or advisable for administering the Plan. The determination of the Committee with respect to matters referred to in this Section 3 as within its province shall be final, binding, and conclusive on all persons.

4. ELIGIBILITY

No right to purchase shares shall be granted hereunder to a person who is not an employee of the Company or a subsidiary corporation, now existing or hereafter formed or acquired. As used in the Plan, the terms "parent corporation" and "subsidiary corporation" shall have the meanings respectively given to such terms in Sections 424(e) and 424(f) of the Code (i.e., generally, corporations that, in an unbroken chain of corporations including the Company, are at least 50%-related to the Company based on total combined voting power). Each offering shall be made to all "eligible employees" of the Company and to all eligible employees of any of its subsidiary corporations to which participation in the Plan is extended by the Committee or its delegate from time to time in its discretion. Unless otherwise determined by the Committee, the following classes of employees shall be excluded from participation in an offering under the Plan: (i) employees whose customary employment is 20 hours or less per week; (ii) employees whose customary employment is for not more than 5 months in any calendar year; and (iii) employees who have been employed less than 5 consecutive months prior to the Offering Date. In addition, the following groups of employees shall be excluded from participation in an offering: (i) employees who are citizens or residents of a foreign jurisdiction if the grant of a right to purchase shares under the Plan or offering under the Plan is prohibited under the laws of such jurisdiction or if compliance with the laws of such foreign jurisdiction would cause the Plan or offering to violate the requirements of Section 424 of the Code; and (ii) any employee who, immediately after the grant of a right to purchase stock pursuant to an offering, owns stock possessing 5% or more of the total combined voting power or value of all classes of stock of the Company or of any subsidiary or parent corporation of the Company (in determining stock ownership of an individual, the rules of Section 424(d) of the Code shall be applied; shares that the employee may purchase under outstanding rights of purchase and options shall be treated as stock owned by him; and the Committee may rely on representations of fact made to it by the employee and believed by them to be true).

5. OFFERINGS

(a) <u>Offering Period</u>. The Committee may make grants to all eligible employees of the Participating Employers of rights to purchase shares under the terms hereinafter set forth. Unless otherwise provided by the express provisions of the Plan, the terms and conditions of each offering shall state its effective date (the "**Offering Date**"), shall define the duration of such offering and the purchase period thereunder (the last trading day of which is referred to herein as the "**Purchase Date**"), shall specify the number of shares that may be purchased thereunder, shall specify the purchase price for such shares and shall specify if any employees are excluded pursuant to Section 4. During the purchase period specified in the terms of an offering, payroll deductions shall be made from such employee's Eligible Compensation pursuant to Sections 6, 7 and 8. Any stated purchase period shall end no later than 27 months from the effective date of any offering hereunder.

(b) <u>Eligible Compensation</u>. The measure of an employee's participation in an offering shall be such employee's Eligible Compensation. For purposes of the Plan, "**Eligible Compensation**" means and refers to an eligible employee's cash compensation paid through a Participating Employer's payroll system for personal services actually rendered in the course of employment. "Eligible Compensation" shall be limited to amounts received by the eligible employee during the period he or she is participating in the Plan and includes salary, wages and other incentive payments, amounts contributed by the eligible employee to any benefit plan maintained by a Participating Employer (including any 401(k) plan, 125 plan, or any other deferred compensation plan), overtime pay, commissions, draws against commissions, shift premiums, sick pay, vacation pay, and holiday pay, except to the extent that the exclusion of any such item (or a sub-set of any such item) is specifically directed by the Committee for all eligible employees. "Eligible Compensation" does not include any remuneration paid in a form other than cash, fringe benefits (including car allowances and relocation payments), employee discounts, expense reimbursement or allowances, long-term disability payments, workmen's compensation payments, welfare benefits, and any contributions that a Participating Employer makes to any benefit plan (including any 401(k) plan or any other welfare or retirement plan).

6. PARTICIPATION

An eligible employee may participate in an offering by enrolling (or, if the eligible employee previously discontinued participation in the Plan pursuant to Section 8, by re-enrolling) through the internet website of the plan administrator, or by otherwise completing an electronic enrollment form, prior to the Offering Date or, if the website or electronic enrollment form is unavailable, by completing a payroll deduction authorization form and forwarding it to the plan administrator during the enrollment period prior to the Offering Date. The employee must authorize a regular payroll deduction from the employee's Eligible Compensation. An employee shall be considered a "Participant" in the Plan as of the Offering Date immediately following his or her enrollment or re-enrollment in the manner specified above and shall continue as a Participant during such offering until the earlier to occur of (i) the first date of the payroll period immediately following the date on which the Participant properly registers a discontinuance to the payroll deduction authorization information then on file with the Committee, the Participating Employer or plan administrator, or as soon as administratively practicable after the first day of such payroll period, or (ii) the date on which the Participant is no longer an eligible employee. Except as the Committee may otherwise determine, an employee shall not automatically continue as a Participant in any subsequent offering unless the employee expressly re-enrolls for such offering prior to the applicable Offering Date.

7. DEDUCTIONS OR PAYMENTS

The Committee, or its designee, shall maintain a payroll deduction account for each Participant. With respect to any offering made under the Plan, a Participant may authorize a payroll deduction of any whole percentage up to a maximum of 15% of the Participant's Eligible Compensation he/she receives during the purchase period specified in an offering. Interest shall not be accrued, payable or credited under this Plan on any amount in the payroll deduction or other Plan account.

8. DEDUCTION OR PAYMENT CHANGES

A Participant may change or discontinue payroll deductions through the plan administrator's website or by otherwise completing an electronic election change form or, if the website is unavailable, by completing a new payroll deduction authorization form and forwarding it to the plan administrator. Any change shall become effective on the first Offering Date after the Participant properly registers the change of the payroll deduction authorization information then on file with the plan administrator, while any discontinuance shall become effective on the first day of the payroll period immediately following the date on which the Participant properly registers the discontinuance of such information, or as soon as administratively practicable after the first day of such payroll period. The Committee may establish limits on the number of times a Participant may be entitled to change or discontinue payroll deductions. Unless otherwise permitted by a third party plan administrator's procedures, if a Participant discontinues payroll deductions for an offering under the Plan, the Participant shall be deemed to have withdrawn from the offering pursuant to Section 9 below.

9. WITHDRAWAL OF FUNDS

A Participant may at any time and for any reason withdraw the entire cash balance then accumulated in such Participant's payroll deduction account and thereby withdraw from participating in an offering. Upon withdrawal of the cash balance in a payroll deduction or other account, such Participant shall cease to be eligible to participate in the offering pursuant to which the withdrawn funds were withheld or received. Partial withdrawals shall not be permitted. Any cash balance withdrawn in accordance with this Section 9 may not be transferred to any payroll deduction or other account maintained for the employee pursuant to another offering, whether under the Plan or under another such plan.

10. RIGHT OF PURCHASE — OPTION FOR A MAXIMUM NUMBER OF SHARES

The right of a Participant to purchase stock pursuant to an offering under the Plan shall be an "option" (and an offering shall be the "grant" of such option, with the Offering Date being the "grant date" of the option) to purchase no more than 5,000 shares (or such lower amount as otherwise provided under the Plan) during a purchase period.

11. MAXIMUM ALLOTMENT OF RIGHTS OF PURCHASE

Any right to purchase shares under the Plan shall be subject to the limitations of Section 423(b)(8) of the Code (generally limiting accrual of the right of any employee to purchase shares under all employee stock purchase plans of the Company and any subsidiary or parent corporation, qualified under Section 423 of the Code, to an annual rate of \$25,000 in fair market value on the Offering Date).

12. PURCHASE PRICE

The purchase price for each share under each right of purchase granted pursuant to an offering shall be as established by the Committee and communicated in the offering consistent with the requirements of Section 423 of the Code, and shall not be less than an amount equal to the lower of (i) eighty-five percent (85%) of the Fair Market Value of the Stock on the Offering Date or (ii) eighty-five percent (85%) of the Fair Market Value of the Stock on the Purchase Date. For purposes of the Plan, "Fair Market Value" of a share of Stock as of a particular date means (1) if the Stock is listed on a national securities exchange, the closing or last price of the Stock on the composite tape or other comparable reporting system for the applicable date, or if the applicable date is not a trading day, the trading day immediately preceding the applicable date, or (2) if the shares of Stock are not then listed on a national securities exchange, or the value of such shares is not otherwise determinable, such value as deter-mined by the Board in good faith in its sole discretion.

13. METHOD OF PAYMENT

As of each Purchase Date, the payroll deduction account of each Participant for an offering period shall be totaled. On such Purchase Date such Participant shall purchase without any further action, the maximum number of whole shares of Stock (subject to the limitations provided in Sections 10 and 11) possible at a per share purchase price equal to the amount determined under Section 12, together with any fees or charges associated with such purchase, except as otherwise prohibited by law, that can be purchased with the funds in such Participant's payroll deduction account. The Participant's payroll deduction or other account shall be charged for the amount of the purchase and shares shall be issued for the benefit of the Participant as soon thereafter as practicable for the shares so purchased, which shares may be issued in nominee name. Except as otherwise prohibited by law, all funds in payroll deduction accounts may be used by the Company for its general corporate purposes as the Board shall determine. Any amount that remains in a Participant's payroll deduction account after a purchase (i.e., if not sufficient to purchase an additional whole share) shall be carried over for future purchases; however, any funds that remain in a Participant's payroll deduction account after applying the limitations of Sections 10 and 11 shall be returned to the Participant.

14. RIGHTS AS A SHAREHOLDER

Stock purchased under the Plan may be issued in either certificate or book entry form as determined by the Committee. A Participant shall have no rights as a shareholder with respect to any shares covered by a right of purchase until such Stock is issued to the benefit of such Participant, which Stock may be issued in nominee name. No adjustment will be made for dividends (ordinary or extraordinary, whether in cash or in other property) or distributions or other rights for which the record date is prior to the date such Stock is issued, except as provided in Section 16.

15. RIGHTS NOT TRANSFERABLE

Rights to purchase shares under the Plan are not transferable by a Participant and may be exercised only by such Participant during such Participant's lifetime otherwise than by will or laws of descent and distribution.

16. ADJUSTMENT OF SHARES

If any change is made in the number, class or rights of shares subject to the Plan or subject to any offering under the Plan (through merger, consolidation, reorganization, recapitalization, stock dividend, split-up, combination of shares, exchange of shares, issuance of rights to subscribe or other change in capital structure), appropriate adjustments shall be made as to the maximum number of shares subject to the Plan and the number of shares and price per share subject to outstanding rights of purchase as shall be equitable to prevent dilution or enlargement of such rights; provided, however, that any such adjustment shall comply with the rules of Section 424(a) of the Code if the transaction is one described in said Section 424(a); provided, further that in no event shall any adjustment be made that would render any offering other than an offering pursuant to an employee stock purchase plan within the meaning of Section 423 of the Code.

17. RETIREMENT, TERMINATION AND DEATH

In the event of a Participant's retirement or termination of employment, the amount in the Participant's payroll deduction or other Plan account shall be refunded to such Participant and the shares of Stock held for such Participant's benefit by the Plan shall upon request be issued to such Participant, and in the event of such Participant's death, such amount and Stock shall be paid and issued to such Participant's estate or as otherwise provided under applicable law.

18. AMENDMENT OF THE PLAN

This Plan may be amended at any time by the Committee, subject to the approval of the shareholders of the Company to the extent required by Section 423 of the Code, applicable law, or stock exchange listing standards.

19. TERMINATION OF THE PLAN

The Plan and all rights of employees hereunder shall terminate: (i) on the Purchase Date that participating employees become entitled to purchase a number of shares greater than the number of shares that remain available for purchase under the Plan; or (ii) in the discretion of the Committee, upon the completion of any purchase period. In the event that the Plan terminates under circumstances described in (i) above, shares remaining available for purchase under the Plan as of the termination date shall be issued to Participants on a pro rata basis. Any cash balances remaining in Participants' payroll deduction and other Plan accounts upon termination of the Plan shall be refunded as soon thereafter as practicable. The powers of the Committee provided by Section 3 to construe and administer any right to purchase shares granted prior to the termination of the Plan shall nevertheless continue after such termination.

20. LISTING OF SHARES AND RELATED MATTERS

If at any time the Committee shall determine, based on opinion of counsel, that the listing, registration or qualification of the shares covered by the Plan upon any national securities exchange or under any state or Federal or foreign law or the consent or approval of any governmental regulatory body is necessary or desirable as a condition of, or in connection with, the sale or purchase of shares under the Plan, no shares will be sold, issued or delivered unless and until such listing, registration, qualification, consent or approval shall have been effected or obtained, or otherwise provided for, free of any conditions not acceptable to counsel.

21. THIRD PARTY BENEFICIARIES

None of the provisions of the Plan shall be for the benefit of or enforceable by any creditor of a Participant. A Participant may not create a lien on any portion of the cash balance accumulated in such Participant's payroll deduction or other Plan account or on any shares covered by a right to purchase before a stock certificate for such shares is issued for such Participant's benefit.

22. GENERAL PROVISIONS

The Plan shall neither impose any obligation on the Company or on any subsidiary corporation to continue the employment of any Participant or eligible employee, nor impose any obligation on any Participant to remain in the employ of the Company or of any subsidiary corporation. For purposes of the Plan, an employment relationship shall be deemed to exist between an individual and a corporation if, at the time of the determination, the individual was an "employee" of such corporation within the meaning of Section 423(a)(2) of the Code and the regulations and rulings interpreting such Section. For purposes of the Plan, the transfer of an employee from employment with the Company to employment with a subsidiary of the Company, or vice versa, shall not be deemed a termination of employment of the employee. Subject to the specific terms of the Plan, all employees granted rights to purchase shares hereunder shall have the same rights and privileges.

23. GOVERNING LAW

Except where jurisdiction is exclusive to the federal courts or except as governed by federal law, the Plan and rights to purchase shares that may be granted hereunder shall be governed by and construed and enforced in accordance with the laws of the State of Washington.

Adopted by the Compensation Committee of the Board of Directors on March 7, 2023 and the full Board of Directors on March 8, 2023

Approved by Shareholders on May 31, 2023