Terms of Service

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<u>Revisions to the Terms, Termination of Access to the Sites, Mandatory Arbitration, and</u> <u>Choice of Law and Venue</u>

The Bank reserves the right, in its sole discretion, to terminate your access to all or part of the Sites, with or without cause, and with or without notice. In the event that any of the Terms are held by a court or other tribunal of competent jurisdiction to be unenforceable, such provisions shall be limited or eliminated to the minimum extent necessary so that these Terms shall otherwise remain in full force and effect. In its sole discretion, the Bank may from time-to-time revise these Terms by updating this posting. You should, therefore, periodically visit this page to review the current Terms, so you are aware of any such revisions to which you are bound. It is your responsibility to visit this page to determine the current Terms, as the Bank does not have an obligation to notify you whenever the Bank changes these Terms. Certain provisions of these Terms may be superseded by expressly designated legal notices or terms located on particular pages within the Sites, or if you utilize services from the Bank, to the extent these Terms conflict with other agreements between you and the Bank related to services provided to you by the Bank, the terms and conditions within the other agreement between you and the Bank related to services provided to you by the Bank shall control. The Terms shall be governed by the laws of the state of New York and the United States of America, without regard to conflict of laws

The Bank will try to work in good faith to resolve any issue you have with these Terms, if you bring your issue to the Bank's attention. However, we realize that there may be rare cases where we may not be able to resolve an issue to your satisfaction.

You and the Bank agree that any dispute, claim, or controversy, arising out of or relating in any way to, these Terms shall be determined by binding arbitration instead of in courts of general jurisdiction. Arbitration is more informal than bringing a lawsuit in court. Arbitration uses a neutral arbitrator instead of a judge or jury, and is subject to a very limited review by courts. Arbitration allows for more limited discovery than in court, however, we agree to cooperate with each other to agree to reasonable discovery in light of the issues involved and amount of the claim. Arbitrator shall apply substantive law regarding damages as if the matter had been brought in court, including without limitation, the law on punitive damages as applied by the United States Supreme Court. You agree that, by agreeing to these Terms, the U.S. Federal Arbitration Act governs the interpretation and enforcement of this provision, and that you and the Bank are each waiving the right to a trial by jury or to participate in a class action. This arbitration provision shall survive any termination of these Terms and any other contractual relationship between you and the Bank.

If you desire to assert a claim against the Bank, and you therefore elect to seek arbitration, you must first send to the Bank, by certified mail, a written Notice of your claim ("Notice"). The Notice to the Bank should be addressed to The Industrial and Commercial Bank of China (USA) NA, 1633 Broadway, 28th Floor, New York, NY 10019 ("Notice Address"). If the Bank desires to assert a claim against you and therefore elects to seek arbitration, it will send, by certified mail, a written Notice to the most recent mailing address or email address we have on file or otherwise in our records for you. A Notice, whether sent by you or by the Bank, must (a)

describe the nature and basis of the claim or dispute; and (b) set forth the specific relief sought ("Demand").

If the Bank and you do not reach an agreement to resolve the claim within 30 days after the Notice is received, you or the Bank may commence an arbitration proceeding or file a claim in small claims court. During the arbitration, the amount of any settlement offer made by the Bank or you shall not be disclosed to the arbitrator. You may download or copy a form Notice and a form to initiate arbitration from the American Arbitration Association at www.adr.org. The arbitration will be governed by the Commercial Arbitration Rules and the Supplementary Procedures for Consumer Related Disputes (collectively, "AAA Rules") of the American Arbitration Association ("AAA"), as modified by these Terms, and will be administered by the AAA. The AAA Rules and Forms are available online at www.adr.org or by requesting them from us by writing to us at the Notice Address. The arbitrator is bound by the terms of these Terms. All issues are for the arbitrator to decide, including issues relating to the scope and enforceability of these Terms, including this arbitration agreement.

Unless the Bank and you agree otherwise in writing, any arbitration hearings will take place in New York, New York. If your claim is for \$10,000 USD or less, we agree that you may choose whether the arbitration will be conducted solely on the basis of documents submitted to the arbitrator, through a telephonic hearing, or by an in-person hearing as established by the AAA Rules. If your claim exceeds \$10,000 USD, the right to a hearing will be determined by the AAA Rules.

Regardless of the manner in which the arbitration is conducted, the arbitrator shall issue a reasoned written decision sufficient to explain the essential findings and conclusions on which the award is based. Except as expressly set forth herein, the payment of all filing, administration, and arbitrator fees will be governed by the AAA Rules. Each party shall pay for its own costs and attorneys' fees, if any. However, if any party prevails on a statutory claim that affords the prevailing party attorneys' fees, or if there is a written agreement providing for payment or recovery attorneys' fees, the arbitrator may award reasonable fees to the prevailing party, under the standards for fee shifting provided by law.

YOU AND THE BANK AGREE THAT EACH MAY BRING CLAIMS AGAINST THE OTHER ONLY IN YOUR OR ITS INDIVIDUAL CAPACITY, AND NOT AS A PLAINTIFF OR CLASS MEMBER IN ANY PURPORTED CLASS OR REPRESENTATIVE PROCEEDING. Further, unless both you and the Bank agree otherwise in writing, the arbitrator may not consolidate more than one person's claims with your claims, and may not otherwise preside over any form of a representative or class proceeding. The arbitrator may award declaratory or injunctive relief only in favor of the individual party seeking relief and only to the extent necessary to provide relief warranted by that party's individual claim.

If this specific provision is found to be unenforceable, then (a) the entirety of this arbitration provision shall be null and void, but the remaining provisions of these Terms of Use shall remain in full force and effect; and (b) exclusive jurisdiction and venue for any claims will be in state or federal courts located in New York State.