## DEPARTMENT OF SPECIAL SERVICES TOWNSHIP OF UNION PUBLIC SCHOOLS M-E-M-O-R-A-N-D-U-M

TO:

Dr. Scott Taylor

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Gerald Benaquista Dr. Gretel Perez Diane Cappiello Bernadette Watson

From:

Kim Conti

RE:

**Board Agenda Item** 

Date:

March 21, 2022

Approve Inlingua (95 Summit Ave, Summit New Jersey 07901), to provide translation and interpretation services for the 2022-2023 school year, not to exceed \$2,000.00. (Acct# 11-000-216-320-01-19)

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# CONSECUTIVE INTERPRETATION RATES 2022/2023

*\$125.00 per hour	*\$165 per hour	*\$175 and above per hour
		GUJARATI
SPANISH	GREEK	URDU
	FRENCH	HINDI
	HAITIAN CREOLE	ARABIC
	RUSSIAN	KOREAN
	GERMAN	CHINESE*
	ITALIAN	VIETNAMESE
	POLISH	HUNGARIAN
	PORTUGUESE	TURKISH
		HEBREW
		ALBANIAN
		CZECH
1		SLOVAK
		GREEK
		SERBO-CROATION
		SIGN LANGUAGE
		INDONESIAN*
		JAPANESE – call for quote.
		Other languages also available.

\*A two-hour minimum applies for interpretation assignments, and these amounts apply for the first two hours and include travel expenses. Each consecutive hour after that will be \$25.00 less per hour. Also, if the interpretation is virtual, each hour would be \$25.00 less.

Rates may be higher for highly technical subject matter, and some Chinese, Indonesian and Japanese interpreters charge a 3-hour minimum. However, we would let you know that beforehand.

Cancellations are accepted without charge up to 24 hours before the assignment begins (unless otherwise specified) and up to 48 hours for sign-language assignments. If you have an interpreter scheduled for Monday, you must call by 4:00 pm on Friday. Late cancellations are charged the two-hour minimum. If cancellations are made within two hours of the assignment, travel may be charged as well.

Simultaneous interpretation rates vary for each assignment.



Other languages	Please call or email
Notarized affidavit	\$10 per certification, \$10 into foreign language plus word count, \$25
	per certified copy of a previous translation.
Rush surcharge	A rush surcharge of 25% – 50% applies.
	May also apply for other assignments, depending on document
	length.
Proofreading	Minimum charge per hour. (1,000 words/hour)

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# TRANSLATION RATES 2022/2023

	into English	English into	Minimum Charge
	(non-technical)	(non-technical)	(300 words or less)
	(rate per word)	(rate per word)	Into English. \$10,00 more if into a foreign language
Albanian	28¢	30¢	\$100
Arabic	30¢	34¢	\$90
Bengali	34¢	36¢	\$100
Bulgarian	34¢	36¢	\$100
Chinese	32¢	34¢ - 40¢	\$90
Czech/Slovak/Bulgarian	28¢	30¢	\$90
Danish	26¢ - 30¢	32¢ - 34¢	\$90 (up to 350 words)
Dutch	28¢	30¢	\$90
Farsi	30¢	34¢ - 36¢	\$100
Finnish	28¢	30¢	\$90
Flemish	28¢	30¢	\$90
French	22¢ - 24¢	24¢ - 26¢	\$80 (up to 350 words)
French (Canadian)	28¢	30¢	\$90 (up to 350 words)
French/Haitian Creole	30¢	32¢	\$90
German	26¢	28¢ - 30¢	\$90 (license \$80.00)
Greek	30¢	32¢	\$90
Gujarati/ Tagalog	34¢-36¢	36¢-38¢	\$100
Hebrew	30¢	32¢	\$90
Hmong	32¢	34¢	\$100
Hungarian	28¢	30¢	\$90
Indonesian	34¢	36¢	\$100
Italian	22¢	24¢	\$80 (up to 350 words)
Japanese	34¢	36¢	\$100
Korean	32¢ - 36¢	34¢ - 40¢	\$100
Latyian	28¢	30¢	\$90.00
Marathi	36¢	38¢	\$110
Nepali/ Hindi	32¢	34¢	\$110
Norwegian	26¢	28¢ - 34¢	\$90 (up to 350 words)
Polish	26¢	28¢ - 30¢	\$90 (up to 350 words)
Portuguese	22¢	24¢ - 28¢	\$80 (up to 350 words)
Romanian	30¢	32¢	\$90
Russian	28¢	30¢	\$90
Serbo-Croatian/Bosnian	28¢	30¢	\$90
Spanish	22¢	24¢	\$80 (up to 350 words)
Swedish	28¢	30¢	\$90 (up to 350 words)
Thai	30¢	32¢	\$100
Turkish	32¢	34¢	\$90 (up to 350 words)
Ukrainian	28¢	30¢	\$90
Urdu	34¢	36¢	\$100
Vietnamese	32¢	34¢	\$100

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#### CONTRACT FOR TRANSLATION AND INTERPRETATION SERVICES

This AGREEMENT is made and entered into this 29th day of March 2022, by Inlingua International Ltd., with branch offices located at 95 Summit Avenue, Summit, New Jersey 07901 (hereinafter referred to as "Provider") and Union Township Board of Education (hereinafter referred to as the "Board") (collectively, the "Parties").

Provider is engaged in the business of providing translation and interpretation language services and Board has identified a need for such services to be provided to the staff and students in the District of Union Township.

The Board is a duly organized Board of Education organized pursuant to N.J.S.A. 18A:18A-1 et seq.

In consideration of the mutual covenants expressed herein, Provider and Board agree to the provision of services for the 2022-2023 school year, for the fee schedule set forth in the attached proposal by Provider, as well as the terms and conditions set forth in the Rider which are incorporated as if fully set forth herein.

#### RIDER FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL SERVICE CONTRACTS

This Rider is incorporated fully into the terms of the attached Agreement between Inlingua International Services Ltd. (Summit branch) and the Union Tp. BOE. To the extent that there are any inconsistencies between the terms of the Agreement and this Rider, the terms of the Rider take precedence.

#### I. Licensing/Certification

Provider shall only provide employees who are licensed or certified as may be required by State law.

#### II. Criminal Background Check

Provider shall provide a Criminal History Record Information (CHRI), including fingerprint background check for each of its employees who provide direct services to a student during the term of this Agreement and shall provide the Board with verification of the CHRI. During the term of the Agreement, Provider shall report to the Board any modification of the CHRI including without limitation any arrest or conviction of any employees providing direct services to students.

#### III. Sexual Abuse/Child Abuse Disclosure Release Form

Provider hereby acknowledges its obligations under the Sexual Abuse/Child Abuse Disclosure requirements of P.L. 2018, c.5, N.J.S.A. 18A:6-7.6 to 7.13 (commonly referred to as "Pass the Trash", the "PTT Law"), as applicable, and certifies that it is compliant with the PTT Law and all obligations required therein.

Provider agrees to indemnify, defend and hold the Board and its respective officers, employees and agents harmless from and against any suits, actions, liabilities, claims, damages and expenses including, without limitation, costs of investigation, expert witness fees, and attorney fees for the defense of the underlying suit, arising out of or in any manner connected with Provider's compliance with its obligations under the PTT Law, including services performed under this Agreement by Provider, or anyone directly or indirectly employed by it, for any acts or omissions for which Provider may be legally liable with respect to the PPT Law. If in any given case a court rules that Provider is not negligent and/or did not breach its statutory duty, then Provider would have no obligation to defend and indemnify the Board.

#### IV. Insurance

- 1. Provider shall maintain general liability and professional liability coverage for any negligent acts or omissions of its employees which may give rise to liability under this Agreement. Coverage shall be written on a "claims made basis" for a minimum of One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000.00) per individual and in the sum of Two Million Dollars (\$2,000,000.00) per occurrence.
- 2. Provider shall maintain, as its sole expense, Worker's Compensation insurance for its employees.

3. Provider shall file upon execution of the contract all certificates of insurance upon forms acceptable to Board. The certificates shall contain a provision that the coverage afforded on the policies will not be cancelled or materially changed during the term of the contract.

#### V. Indemnification

Provider agrees to indemnify and hold harmless Board from any and all claims, liability, damages and expenses, including but not limited to reasonable attorney's fees, arising out of, resulting from and/or related to the services which Provider, its agents and/or employees render pursuant to the within Agreement, whereby the claims, liability, damages and expenses are caused by any error, omission, negligence, willful misconduct, or intentional act of Provider, its agents and/or employees.

#### VI. Billing and Payment of Personnel.

- A. Provider, as an employer, shall remain responsible for the payment of wages and other compensation, reimbursement of expenses and compliance with Federal, State and local tax withholdings, Worker's Compensation, Social Security, employment and other insurance requirements for its personnel.
- B. Provider shall forward to Board an itemized bill on a monthly unless Board requires more frequent billing.
- C. Board agrees to pay submitted bills within thirty (30) days after the monthly Board meeting immediately following receipt by the Board of the billing.
- D. Provider shall be compensated in accordance with the rates set forth in its Proposal, provided that the total compensation to be paid for the 2022-2023 school year shall not exceed \$2,000.00.

#### VII. Term and Termination

- A. This Agreement will remain in effect through June 30 of the academic school year. This Agreement may be extended at the option of the Board, subject to satisfactory performance by Provider, availability of funds by the Board and applicable provisions of the Public School Contracts Law, N.J.S.A. 18A:18A-1 et seq.
- B. Either party may terminate this Agreement, for any reason, upon thirty (30) days prior written notice. Upon termination, any and all outstanding fees for services rendered by Provider shall be paid upon submission of the invoice to the Board.
- C. Either party may terminate this Agreement for cause due to breach of any material provisions in this Agreement by giving ten (10) days prior written notice.

#### VIII. Public Contracting Requirements

A. Non-Collusion. The Provider warrants and represents that this Agreement has not been solicited, secured or procured directly or indirectly in a manner contrary to the laws of the State of New Jersey and that the federal, state and local laws and regulations have not been violated and shall not be violated as they relate to the procurement or the

performance of the Agreement by any conduct, including the paying or giving of any fee, commission, compensation, gift, gratuity or consideration of any kind, directly or indirectly, to any state or district employee, officer or official.

- B. Business Registration. Pursuant to N.J.S.A. 52:32-44, the Provider must provide a copy of its business registration certificate to the District prior to execution of the contract.
- C. Pay-To-Play. Pursuant to N.J.S.A. 19:44A-20.27 (P.L. 2005, c. 271), each contracting for-profit Provider shall file an annual disclosure statement on political contributions with the New Jersey Election Law Enforcement Commission if the for-profit Provider receives contracts in excess of \$50,000 from public entities in a calendar year. It is the for-profit Provider's responsibility to determine if filing is necessary.
- D. Non-Discrimination. The Provider shall be fully responsible for the recruitment and hiring of staff necessary to perform this Agreement. The Provider shall operate in conformity with applicable provisions of all federal and state anti-discrimination statutes and directives, including the New Jersey Law Against Discrimination, N.J.S.A. 10:5-1 et seq., the mandatory language of N.J.A.C. 17:27-3.4(a) and N.J.A.C. 17:27-7.4(a) and (b), regarding Affirmative action, and the requirements of 42 U.S.C. 121.01 et seq., regarding the Americans with Disabilities Act.

The Provider certifies that it is an Equal Opportunity Employer and will not discriminate in the recruitment, selection, hiring, promotion or demotion of staff or the selection of services provided to children on the basis of or against any person because of race, creed, religion, color, national origin/nationality, ancestry, age, sex/gender (including pregnancy), marital status/civil union partnership, familial status, affectional or sexual orientation, gender identity or expression, domestic partnership status, atypical hereditary cellular or blood trait, genetic information, disability, (including perceived disability, physical, mental, and/or intellectual disabilities), or liability for service in the Armed Forces of the United States.

E. Records. Provider shall keep all records pertaining to its services under this Agreement for no less than five (5) years.

#### IX. ADDITIONAL TERMS

- A. Governing Law. This Agreement will be construed and governed in all respects according to the laws of the State of New Jersey. Any litigation shall be filed within the courts of the State of New Jersey.
- B. Relationship to Parties. Provider enters into this Agreement as an independent contractor. Nothing contained in this Agreement will be construed to create a partnership, joint venture, agency or employment relationship between the parties.
- C. Assignment. This Agreement may not be assigned by either party, in whole or part.

- D. Modification of Terms. No amendments or modifications to the terms of this Agreement will be binding unless evidenced in writing and signed by an authorized representative of each party hereto.
- E. Notices. Any Notice given in connection with this Agreement will be given in writing and will be delivered either by hand, by courier with proof of delivery, or by certified mail, return receipt requested, to the other party, at the party's address stated below.
- F. Confidentiality. Except for acknowledging the existence of this Agreement, the parties understand and agree that the terms of this Agreement, including all payment terms, shall be kept confidential unless disclosure is required by law or the parties agree, in writing, to such disclosure. All methods and mode of conduct of business for Board and Provider are to be kept confidential by Board and Provider and not disclosed to any other party or used in part or whole without the permission of Board and/or Provider.
- G. Entire Agreement. This writing constitutes the entire Agreement between Provider and Board; there are no prior written or oral promises or representations incorporated herein. Each Attachment, Fee Schedule, Proposal or other documents referenced herein and/or attached to this Agreement are incorporated herein as if the same was set out in full in the text of this Agreement, but to the extent any terms included in a Proposal conflict with the terms of the Rider, this Rider takes precedence.
- H. Force Majeure. Neither Provider nor the Board shall be deemed to be in default of the Agreement if either party is prevented from performing any of the obligations hereunder by reason of fire, floods, strikes, boycotts, embargoes, unusually severe weather conditions, epidemics, pandemics or any other similarly extreme circumstance for which it is not responsible or which is not within its control. If any of the foregoing occur during the term of the Agreement and Provider is unable to perform, the Board shall not be responsible for payment of any services that are not performed.

#### I. NOTICE

All notices, requests, consents and approvals under this Agreement shall be served or given in writing by certified mail or courier with signature required and tracking confirmation.

Notices to the Board shall be delivered to: Yolanda Koon, Business Administrator/Secretary Union Township Board of Education 2369 Morris Avenue Union, New Jersey 07083 With a copy of legal notices to: Lester E. Taylor, Esq. Florio Perrucci Steinhardt Cappelli Tipton & Taylor LLC 430 Mountain Avenue, Suite 103 New Providence, NJ 07974

### Notices to Provider shall be delivered to:

Inlingua International Ltd. 95 Summit Avenue Summit, NJ 07901

THE PARTIES hereby agree to the terms of this Rider:

PROVIDER	BOARD OF EDUCATION		
Print name/Title:	Print Name/Title:		
Dated:	Dated:		