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**INTERGOVERNMENTAL AGREEMENT BETWEEN
THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
OF THE COLORADO GENERAL ASSEMBLY AND
THE COLORADO CHANNEL AUTHORITY RELATING
TO PAYMENTS FOR BROADCASTS OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE
COLORADO GENERAL ASSEMBLY**

THIS AGREEMENT is entered into by and between the State of Colorado, for the use and benefit of the Colorado General Assembly (the "General Assembly"), and the Colorado Channel Authority, a body corporate and a political subdivision of the State of Colorado (the "Authority").

WHEREAS, Pursuant to section 2-3-303 (2) (f), Colorado Revised Statutes, the Executive Committee of the Legislative Council of the Colorado General Assembly ("Executive Committee") has the duty to coordinate with the Authority the broadcasting of proceedings of the General Assembly; and

WHEREAS, Pursuant to section 24-49.9-102 (2), Colorado Revised Statutes, the Authority has the duty to broadcast proceedings of the General Assembly; and

WHEREAS, The Executive Committee and the Authority desire to enter into an agreement memorializing the terms under which payments will be made by the General Assembly to the Authority for the direct costs of broadcasting proceedings of the General Assembly; now, therefore, the Executive Committee and the Authority agree as follows:

1. The Authority shall periodically bill the General Assembly for the direct costs of broadcasting proceedings of the General Assembly.
2. The General Assembly shall have 45 days after the receipt of a bill from the Authority to make payment to the Authority for broadcast services.
3. The Executive Committee and the Authority agree that at no time shall the General Assembly be responsible for any payment for broadcast services that exceeds the total amount budgeted by the General Assembly for such services in any fiscal year.
4. Financial obligations of the General Assembly payable after the current fiscal year are contingent upon funds for that purpose being appropriated, budgeted, and otherwise made available.
5. This Agreement shall be effective upon approval by the Director of the Office of

Legislative Legal Services or the Director's designee. Subject to sections 3. and 4. of this Agreement, this Agreement shall remain in effect until terminated by the Executive Committee and/or the Authority. No termination of this Agreement may occur during any period of time while the Authority has a contractual obligation to pay a third party to broadcast the proceedings of the General Assembly. However, this Agreement may be terminated by the Executive Committee or the Authority upon sixty days' written notice to the other party, such notice to be at least sixty days in advance of the conclusion of any contract the Authority has with a third party to broadcast the proceedings of the General Assembly.

THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE AND THE AUTHORITY HAVE EXECUTED THIS AGREEMENT.

**COLORADO GENERAL ASSEMBLY
EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF THE
LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL**

By: _____
Terrance D. Carroll
Speaker of the House of Representatives
Chairperson

COLORADO CHANNEL AUTHORITY

By: _____
Debbie Benefield
Chairperson

**LEGAL REVIEW
OFFICE OF LEGISLATIVE LEGAL SERVICES
APPROVAL**

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Charles W. Pike
Director

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