# **TERMS AND CONDITIONS**

# 1. DEFINITIONS

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# 2. ACCEPTANCE OF TERMS AND CONDITIONS; RESTRICTIONS

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capacity to enter into this Agreement and to abide by all of these Terms and Conditions.

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# 3. USER ACCOUNTS

If you establish an account at this site in order to purchase products or receive information from us, you are responsible for maintaining the confidentiality of your account and your password. By establishing an account, User agrees to accept responsibility for all activities that occur at the site under your account and password. Tireco reserves the right, in its sole discretion, to refuse service, cancel orders or terminate your account.

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User expressly agrees to refrain from doing, either personally or through an agent, any of the following:

- 1. Use any device or other means to harvest information about other Users.
- 2. Transmit, install, upload or otherwise transfer any virus or other item or process to the site that in any way affects the use, enjoyment or service of the site.
- 3. Transmit, install, upload or otherwise transfer any virus or other item to the site that in any way affects the use, enjoyment or service of any User's or any Tireco employee's computer or other medium used to access the site.
- 4. Post any material on the site that is offensive to any other User. Tireco maintains the exclusive right to determine what is offensive.
- 5. Post or store on the site any content that violates or infringes the intellectual property rights of others (including but not limited to copyrights, trademarks, trade secrets, patents and publicity rights).
- 6. Modify the information, including headers, found on the web site.
- 7. Transmit, install, upload or otherwise transfer to the site any unauthorized advertisement or communication.
- 8. Engage in any action which Tireco determines is detrimental to the use and enjoyment of the site.
- 9. Use the site for any unlawful or defamatory means.
- 10. Transmit, install, upload, post or otherwise transfer any information in violation of the laws of the United States or post any information that could result in civil unrest.
- 11. Attempt to access, or access, the personal information of another User which is stored on this site.
- 12. Permit any person to access this site using the User's password.
- 13. Attempt to, or access, this site using another User's password.
- 14. Use any "deep-link", "page-scrape", "robot", "spider" or other automatic device, program, algorithm or methodology, or any similar or equivalent manual process, to access, acquire, copy or monitor any portion of the site or any content, or in any way reproduce or circumvent the navigational structure or presentation of the site or any content, to obtain or attempt to obtain any materials, documents or information through any means not purposely made available through the site. Tireco reserves the right to bar any such activity.
- 15. Probe, scan or test the vulnerability of the site or any network connected to the site, or breach the security or authentication measures on the site or any network connected to the site, or reverse look-up, trace or seek to trace any information on any other User or any other customer of Tireco, including any Tireco account not owned by you, to its source, or exploit the site or any service or information made available or offered by or through the site, in any

way where the purpose is to reveal any information, including but not limited to personal identification or information, other than your own information, as provided for by the site.

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#### 8. USER CONTENT

Tireco may from time to time and at its sole discretion post content on the site that has been submitted to Tireco by User, including but not limited to product reviews or other comments (collectively, "User Content"). User may not use a false e-mail address, impersonate any person or entity, or otherwise mislead as to the origin of any User Content. User retains the copyright in any User Content and grants Tireco a nonexclusive, royalty-free, perpetual, irrevocable, and fully sub-licensable right to use, reproduce, modify, adapt, publish, translate, create derivative works from, distribute, and display, throughout the world in any media, any and all User Content. User also grants Tireco the right to use the name submitted by User in connection with User Content, if Tireco so chooses. User represents and warrants that User owns or otherwise controls all of the rights to the User Content; that the User Content is accurate; that use of the User Content does not violate this Agreement and will not cause injury to any person or entity; and that User will indemnify Tireco for all claims resulting from the User Content. Tireco has the right but not the obligation to monitor and edit or remove any User Content. Tireco takes no responsibility and assumes no liability for any User Content.

#### 9. RELEASE AND INDEMNIFICATION

In the event you have a dispute with one or more users of the site (including, but not limited to, any dispute regarding any transaction or user generated content) or any third party website that may be linked to or otherwise interact with the site, including, without limitation, any social media site, you hereby agree to release and forever discharge Tireco and its agents, directors, shareholders, members, partners, managers, officers, employees, information providers, suppliers, distributors, vendors, contractors, licensors, attorneys, affiliates, successors and assigns (collectively, "Released Parties") from any and all rights, claims, complaints, demands, causes of action, proceedings, liabilities, obligations, legal

fees, costs and disbursements of any nature whatsoever, whether known or unknown, which now or hereafter arise from, relate to, or are connected with such dispute and/or your use of the site, to the fullest extent provided by law.

You further agree to indemnify, defend, and hold harmless, to the fullest extent provided by law, Released Parties from and against all claims, demands, liabilities, losses, expenses, damages, and costs, including reasonable attorneys' fees, resulting from, arising out of, or in connection with your use, unlawful use or other misuse, or inability to use the site, your breach of this Agreement, or otherwise relating to the business we conduct on the site (including, without limitation, any potential or actual communication, transaction, or dispute between you and any other third party), any action taken by Released Parties as a consequence of investigations by either Released Parties or law enforcement authorities, any content posted by you or on your behalf to the site, any use of any service provided by a third party provider, or any use of a service offered by us that interacts with a third party website, including any social media site. You shall cooperate as fully as reasonably required in the defense of any claim. We reserve the right, at our own expense, to assume the exclusive defense and control of any matter otherwise subject to indemnification by you, and you shall not settle any matter without our written consent. This Section survives termination of this Agreement.

#### 10. SECURITY

Users are prohibited from violating or attempting to violate the security of the site. Tireco will investigate occurrences of possible violations and will cooperate with all applicable law enforcement authorities in prosecuting violators.

# 11. VIOLATION OF THESE TERMS AND CONDITIONS

Tireco may disclose any information we have about you (including your identity) if we determine that such disclosure is necessary in connection with any investigation or complaint regarding your use of the site, or to identify, contact or bring legal action against someone who may be causing injury to or interference with (either intentionally or unintentionally) Tireco's rights or property, or the rights or property of visitors to or users of the site, including Tireco's customers. Tireco reserves the right at all times to disclose any information that Tireco Inc. deems necessary to comply with any applicable law, regulation, legal process or governmental request. Tireco also may disclose your information when Tireco determines that applicable law requires or permits such disclosure, including exchanging information with other companies and organizations for fraud protection purposes. You acknowledge and agree that Tireco may preserve any transmittal or communication by you with Tireco through the site or any service offered on or through the site, and may also disclose such data if required to do so by law, or Tireco determines that such preservation or disclosure is

reasonably necessary to: (1) comply with legal process, (2) enforce these Terms and Conditions, (3) respond to claims that any data violates the rights of others, or (4) protect the rights, property or personal safety of Tireco, its employees, users of or visitors to the site, and the public. You agree that Tireco may, in its sole discretion and without prior notice, terminate your access to the site and/or block your future access to the site if we determine that you have violated these Terms and Conditions or other agreements or guidelines which may be associated with your use of the site. You also agree that any violation by you of these Terms and Conditions will constitute an unlawful and unfair business practice, and will cause irreparable harm to Tireco, for which monetary damages would be inadequate, and you consent to Tireco obtaining any injunctive or equitable relief that Tireco deems necessary or appropriate in such circumstances. These remedies are in addition to any other remedies Tireco may have at law or in equity. You agree that Tireco may, in its sole discretion and without prior notice, terminate your access to the site, for cause, which includes (but is not limited to): (1) requests by law enforcement or other government agencies, (2) a request by you (self-initiated account deletions), (3) discontinuance or material modification of the site or any service offered on or through the site, or (4) unexpected technical issues or problems. If Tireco does take any legal action against you as a result of your violation of these Terms and Conditions, Tireco will be entitled to recover from you, and you agree to pay, all attorneys' fees and costs of such action, in addition to any other relief granted to Tireco. You agree that Tireco will not be liable to you or to any third party for termination of your access to the site as a result of any violation of these Terms and Conditions.

# 12. TERMINATION OF AGREEMENT

Tireco may terminate this Agreement at its discretion. In addition to Tireco's other rights, Tireco may terminate access to this site or cancel membership to any service that Tireco provides on the site, if User breaches this Agreement in any way or engages in conduct that Tireco deems inappropriate. In the event of termination of this Agreement, the provisions in this paragraph and the provisions found in paragraphs 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9 and 11 shall survive.

#### **13. LINKS**

User is granted a limited, revocable, and nonexclusive right to create a hyperlink to the home page of the site so long as the link does not portray Tireco or its products or services in a false, misleading, derogatory, or otherwise offensive matter. User may not use any Tireco logo or other proprietary graphic or trademark as part of the link without express written permission. Tireco reserves the right to terminate any link found on the site at any time. User may not utilize framing techniques to enclose any trademark, logo, or other Tireco proprietary information (including images, text, page layout, or form) or use any meta tags or

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# 14. ENTIRE AGREEMENT; SEVERABILITY; CHOICE OF LAW, ARBITRATION AND VENUE

These Terms and Conditions constitute the entire agreement between Tireco and User regarding the subject matter hereof. Any previous agreement, whether oral or written, between Tireco and User dealing with the subject matter hereof is superseded. If any portion of this Agreement is found to be unenforceable for any reason, such portion will be deemed severed and will not affect the enforceability of the remaining terms. Upon User's breach of this Agreement, Tireco Inc. may pursue any legal or equitable remedy available, including but not limited to, direct, consequential and punitive damages and injunctive relief. Tireco's remedies are cumulative and not exclusive. Failure of Tireco to exercise any remedy or enforce any portion of this Agreement at any time shall not operate as a waiver of any remedy or of the right to enforce any portion of this Agreement at any time thereafter. This Agreement and any claim or controversy relating to or arising from the use of the site or services, including, but not limited to, any transactions made or entered into at the site, any information, content, products, services, or promotions herein contained or provided from the site, or any functionality, software, or programming contained or provided at or from the site (hereafter, "Claims"), shall be governed by the laws of the State of California without regard to principles of conflicts of law and, as applicable, the laws of the United States of America.

TO THE FULLEST EXTENT PROVIDED BY LAW, ANY CAUSE OF ACTION OR CLAIM MUST BE COMMENCED WITHIN ONE (1) YEAR AFTER THE CAUSE OF ACTION OR CLAIM ARISES, OR THE CAUSE OF ACTION OR CLAIM SHALL BE FOREVER BARRED.

YOU AGREE TO ARBITRATE ANY AND ALL CLAIMS, INCLUDING ALL STATUTORY CLAIMS, AND ANY STATE OR FEDERAL CLAIMS. BY AGREEING TO ARBITRATION, YOU UNDERSTAND AND AGREE THAT YOU ARE GIVING UP ANY RIGHTS TO LITIGATE CLAIMS IN A COURT OR BEFORE A JURY, OR TO PARTICIPATE IN A CLASS ACTION OR REPRESENTATIVE ACTION WITH RESPECT TO A CLAIM. OTHER RIGHTS THAT YOU WOULD HAVE IF YOU WENT TO COURT MAY ALSO BE UNAVAILABLE OR MAY BE LIMITED IN ARBITRATION.

ANY CLAIM, DISPUTE, OR CONTROVERSY (WHETHER IN CONTRACT, TORT OR OTHERWISE, WHETHER PRE-EXISTING, PRESENT OR FUTURE, AND INCLUDING STATUTORY, CONSUMER PROTECTION, COMMON LAW, INTENTIONAL TORT, INJUNCTIVE, AND EQUITABLE CLAIMS) BETWEEN

YOU AND US ARISING FROM OR RELATING IN ANY WAY TO YOUR USE OF THE SITE, WILL BE RESOLVED EXCLUSIVELY AND FINALLY BY BINDING ARBITRATION.

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By using the site and/or related services in any manner, you agree to the above arbitration agreement. In doing so, you give up your right to go to court to assert or defend any claims between you and us. You also give up your right to participate in a class action or other class proceeding.