# St. Lawrence County Industrial Development Agency

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> Patrick J. Kelly Chief Executive Officer

## **PROJECT ACTIVITY REPORT**

Project:	Kinney Drugs, Inc.
Project Address:	29 Main Street
	Gouverneur, New York 13642
Application Date:	10/22/2012
Board Approval Date:	10/25/2012
Financing Date:	11/16/2012

#### **Project Overview:**

Headquartered in Gouverneur, New York, Kinn ey Drugs, Inc. is a div ersified health care provider and one of the leading regional drug chains in the country. At the close of 2011, Kinney Drugs operated 90 drugstores throughout New York State (71 stores) and Vermont (19 stores) and is currently the 4<sup>th</sup> largest chain drug retailer in the United States.

The Company has requested sales tax exemption relative to the purchase of materials required to update the existing warehouse sprinkler system. Facing an inadequate water supply infrastructure and a resultant increase in insurance costs on its warehouse and goods, the Company has outlined a plan to upgrade its fire protection system and meet the required criteria outlined by NFPA 13 and NFPA 22.

The project is part of a comprehensive water system improvement initiative being undertaken by the Village of Gouverneur. In addition to

#### Actions Taken:

Authorization of Sal es and Use Ta x ex emptions on t he p urchases, rentals, u ses or co nsumption of su pplies, materials, equipment and machinery.

See attached cost-benefit analysis document.

#### Economic Indicators:

<u>Jobs Maintained and Generated:</u> The improvement of the fire protection system will allow the Company to remain in its b uilding for the foreseeable fu ture and p revent the need to relocate due to an in ability to se cure in surance coverage on the property and its contents. This project will help retain the 289 jobs at Kinney Drugs' Gouverneur locations.

Improved Corporate Performance: The project will enable the Company to retain more affordable insurance.

#### Other Financing Leveraged:

St Lawrence River Valley Redevelopment Agency Grant	\$100,000
Northern Border Regional Commission Grant	
Community Development Block Grant	
Village of Gouverneur Equity Investment	
Company Equity	

June 4, 2013 Note: The tax-exempt status for this project has been extended 30 days, to July 31, 2013.

## ST. LAWRENCE COUNTY INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AGENCY (ST. LAWRENCE COUNTY, NEW YORK)

and

KINNEY DRUGS, INC.

## AGENCY COMPLIANCE AGREEMENT

Dated as of October 25, 2012

(ST. LAWRENCE COUNTY, NEW YORK) (KINNEY DRUGS, INC.) (2012 FIRE SYSTEM UPGRADES PROJECT)

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### AGENCY COMPLIANCE AGREEMENT

THIS AGENCY COMPLIANCE AGREEMENT, dated as of October 25, 2012 (the "Agency Compliance Agreement"), is by and between the ST. LAWRENCE COUNTY INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AGENCY, an industrial development agency and a public benefit corporation of the State of New York, having its principal office at 80 State Highway 310, Suite 6, Canton, New York 13617 (the "SLCIDA"), and KINNEY DRUGS, INC., a business corporation duly organized and validly existing under the laws of the State of New York, having offices at 29 Main Street, Gouverneur, New York 13642 (the "Company").

#### WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, the SLCIDA was created by Chapter 132 of the Laws of 1973 of the State of New York, as amended, pursuant to Title 1 of Article 18-A of the General Municipal Law of the State of New York, as amended (collectively, the "Act");

WHEREAS, the SLCIDA proposes to provide assistance to the Company in the form of Sales and Use Tax Exemptions for a certain project relating to upgrades and improvements in certain property located at 520 East Main Street, 29 Main Street, and US Route 11 Marble City Center Plaza, all located in Gouverneur, New York 13642 (the "Facility") and the construction and equipping of fire protection upgrades and improvements at the Facility (together with the Facility, the "Project");

WHEREAS, the Company has agreed with the SLCIDA, on behalf of the SLCIDA and as the SLCIDA's agent, to limit its activities as agent for the SLCIDA under the authority of the appointing resolution to acts reasonably related to the construction and equipping of the Facility in accordance with the Plans and Specifications;

NOW, THEREFORE, the parties hereto hereby agree as follows:

## ARTICLE I: REPRESENTATIONS AND COVENANTS OF THE COMPANY and SLCIDA

Section 1.1 <u>Representations and Covenants of Company.</u> Company makes the following representations and covenants as the basis for the undertakings on its part herein contained:

(a) Company is a business corporation duly authorized to do business in the State of New York, is in good standing under the laws of the State of New York, and has full legal right, power and authority to execute, deliver and perform this Agency Compliance Agreement. This Agency Compliance Agreement has been duly authorized, executed and delivered by Company.

(b) To the best of Company's knowledge, neither the execution and delivery of this Agency Compliance Agreement nor the consummation of the transactions contemplated hereby nor the fulfillment of or compliance with the provisions hereof will conflict with or result in a breach of or constitute a default under any of the terms, conditions or provisions of any law or ordinance of the State or any political subdivision thereof, Company's organizational documents, as amended, or any restriction or any agreement or instrument to which Company is a party or by which it is bound.

(c) Any and all leasehold improvements undertaken by Company with respect to the Facility and the design, construction, equipping and operation of the Facility will conform with all applicable zoning, planning, building and environmental laws, ordinances, rules and regulations of governmental authorities having jurisdiction over the Facility. Company shall defend, indemnify and hold the SLCIDA harmless from any liability or expenses, including reasonable attorneys' fees, resulting from any failure by Company to comply with the provisions of this subsection.

(d) This Agency Compliance Agreement constitutes a legal, valid and binding obligation of Company enforceable against Company in accordance with its terms.

(e) The SLCIDA hereby appoints and the Company hereby agrees to act on behalf of the SLCIDA, as its Agent, under the terms of this Agreement, to construct and equip the Facility in accordance with the Plans.

## ARTICLE II: INSURANCE

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Section 2.1. <u>Insurance Required.</u> Company shall, effective as of the date hereof and until the SLCIDA consents in writing to a termination of this Agency Compliance Agreement, and at its sole cost and expense, maintain or cause to be maintained insurance against such risks and for such amounts as are customarily insured against by businesses of like size and type and shall pay, as the same become due and payable, all premiums with respect thereto, including but not necessarily limited to:

(a) Insurance protecting the SLCIDA and Company against loss or losses from liability imposed by law or assumed in any written contract (including the contractual liability assumed by Company under Section 3.2 hereof) or arising from personal injury, including bodily injury or death, or damage to the property of others, caused by an accident or other occurrence, with a limit of liability of not less than \$1,000,000 (combined single limit for personal injury, including bodily injury or death, and property damage); comprehensive automobile liability insurance covering all owned, non-owned and hired auto, with a limit of liability of not less than \$1,000,000 (combined single limit or equivalent for personal injury, including bodily injury or death, and property damage); and blanket excess liability coverage, in an amount not less than \$3,000,000 combined single limit or equivalent, protecting the SLCIDA and Company against any loss or liability or damage for personal injury, including bodily injury or death, or property damage.

Section 2.2 Additional Provisions Respecting Insurance.

(a) All insurance required by Section 2.1 hereof shall be procured and maintained in financially sound and generally recognized responsible insurance companies authorized to write such insurance in the State and selected by the entity required to procure the same. Such insurance may be written with deductible amounts comparable to those on similar policies carried by other companies engaged in businesses similar in size, character and other respects to those in which the procuring entity is engaged. The policy evidencing the insurance required by Section 2.1(c) hereof shall name the SLCIDA as an additional insured.

(b) The policies (or certificates or binders) of insurance required by Section 2.1 shall be deposited with the SLCIDA on or before the effective date of this Agency Compliance Agreement and remain in full force and effect until the SLCIDA consents in writing to a termination of this Agency Compliance Agreement. Company shall deliver to the SLCIDA before the first Business Day of each calendar year thereafter a certificate dated not earlier than the immediately preceding month reciting that there is in full force and effect, with a term covering at least the next succeeding calendar year, insurance of the types and in the amounts required by Section 2.1 hereof and complying with the additional requirements of Section 2.2(a) hereof. Prior to the expiration of each such policy or policies, Company shall furnish to the SLCIDA and any other appropriate person a new policy or policies of insurance or evidence that such policy or policies are no longer required by this Agency Compliance Agreement. Company shall provide such further information with respect to the insurance coverage required by this Agency Compliance Agreement as the SLCIDA may from time to time reasonably require.

Section 2.3 <u>Right of SLCIDA to Pay Taxes, Insurance Premiums and Other Charges.</u> If Company fails (i) to pay any tax, together with any fine, penalty, interest or cost which may have been added thereto or become due or been imposed by operation of law for nonpayment thereof, or payments in lieu of taxes pursuant to any PILOT Agreement, or assessment or other governmental charge required to be paid, (ii) to maintain any insurance required to be maintained by Section 2.1 hereof, (iii) to pay any amount required to be paid by any law or ordinance relating to the use or occupancy of the Facility or by any requirement,

order or notice of violation thereof issued by any governmental person, (iv) to pay any mechanic's Lien which is recorded or filed against the Facility or any part thereof (unless contested in accordance with the provisions of Section 3.9(b) hereof), or (v) to pay any other amount or perform any act hereunder required to be paid or performed by Company hereunder, the SLCIDA may pay or cause to be paid such tax, payments in lieu of taxes pursuant to any PILOT Agreement, assessment or other governmental charge, or the premium for such insurance or any such other payment, or may perform any such act. No such payment shall be made or act performed by the SLCIDA until at least ten (10) days shall have elapsed since notice shall have been given by the SLCIDA, with a copy of such notice being given to Company, and in the case of any tax, assessment or governmental charge, or the amounts specified in clauses (iii) and (iv) of this Section, no such payment shall be made in any event if Company is contesting the same in good faith to the extent and as permitted by this Agency Compliance Agreement, unless an Event of Default under the Lease Agreement shall have occurred and be continuing. No such payment by the SLCIDA shall affect or impair any rights of the SLCIDA hereunder arising in consequence of such failure by Company. Company shall, on demand, reimburse the SLCIDA for any amount so paid or for expenses or costs incurred in the performance of any such act by the SLCIDA pursuant to this Section (which shall include all reasonable legal fees and disbursements), together with interest thereon from the date of payment of such amount, expense or cost by the SLCIDA at two percent (2%) in excess of the Prime Rate.

### ARTICLE III: SPECIAL COVENANTS

Section 3.1 <u>No Warranty of Condition or Suitability by SLCIDA</u>. The SLCIDA makes no warranty, either express or implied, as to the condition, design, operation, merchantability or fitness of, or title to, the Facility or that it is or will be suitable for Company's purposes or needs.

## Section 3.2 Hold Harmless Provisions.

Company agrees that the SLCIDA, its directors, members, officers, agents (except the (a) Company and Company) and employees shall not be liable for, and agrees to defend, indemnify, release and hold the SLCIDA, its directors, members, officers, agents (except the Company and Company) and employees harmless from and against, any and all (i) liability for loss or damage to Property or injury to or death of any and all Persons that may be occasioned by, directly or indirectly, any cause whatsoever pertaining to the Facility or arising by reason of or in connection with the occupation or the use thereof or the presence of any Person or Property on, in or about the Facility or the Land, and (ii) liability arising from or expense incurred in connection with the SLCIDA's acquisition, construction, renovation, equipping and owning and leasing of the Facility, including, without limiting the generality of the foregoing, all claims arising from the breach by Company of any of its covenants contained herein, the exercise by Company of the authority conferred upon them pursuant to this Agency Compliance Agreement and all causes of action and attorneys' fees (whether by reason of third party claims or by reason of the enforcement of any provision of this Agency Compliance Agreement (including without limitation this Section) or any of the other documents delivered by the SLCIDA), and any other expenses incurred in defending any claims, suits or actions which may arise as a result of any of the foregoing, provided that any such losses, damages, liabilities or expenses of the SLCIDA are not incurred and do not result from the gross negligence or intentional or willful wrongdoing of the SLCIDA or any of its directors, members, agents (except the Company and Company) or employees. The foregoing indemnities shall apply notwithstanding the fault or negligence in part of the SLCIDA, or any of its members, directors, officers, agents or employees, and irrespective of the breach of a statutory obligation or the application of any rule of comparative or apportioned liability. The foregoing indemnities are limited only to the extent of any prohibitions imposed by law, and upon the application of any such prohibition by the final judgment or decision of a competent court of law, the remaining provisions of these indemnities shall remain in full force and effect.

(b)

Notwithstanding any other provisions of this Agency Compliance Agreement, the

obligations of Company pursuant to this Section shall remain in full force and effect after the termination of this Agency Compliance Agreement until the expiration of the period stated in the applicable statute of limitations during which a claim, cause of action or prosecution relating to the matters herein described may be brought, and the payment in full or the satisfaction of such claim, cause of action or prosecution relating to the matters herein described and the payment of all expenses and charges incurred by the SLCIDA, or its members, directors, officers, agents and employees, relating to the enforcement of the provisions herein specified.

(c) In the event of any claim against the SLCIDA or its members, directors, officers, agents or employees by any employee or contractor of Company or anyone directly or indirectly employed by any of them or anyone for whose acts any of them may be liable, the obligations of Company hereunder shall not be limited in any way by any limitation on the amount or type of damages, compensation, disability benefits or other employee benefit acts.

Section 3.3 <u>Right to Inspect Facility.</u> The SLCIDA and its duly authorized agents shall have the right at all reasonable times to inspect the Facility.

Section 3.4 <u>Qualification in State</u>. Company, throughout the term of this Agency Compliance Agreement, shall continue to be duly authorized to do business in the State.

Section 3.5. <u>Sales Tax Exemption Letter.</u> SLCIDA will provide to the Company a fully-executed Sales Tax Exemption Letter to evidence the authority conveyed to the Company. The letter is provided for the sole purpose of securing exemption from New York State Sales and Use Tax for this project only. No other principal/agent relationship is intended or may be implied or inferred by this letter.

Section 3.6 <u>Appointment of Project Operator and Agents.</u> Company, effective of the date hereof and until the SLCIDA consents to writing to a termination of this Agency Compliance Agreement, shall accept authority to purchase on behalf of SLCIDA all materials to be incorporated into and made an integral part of the Facility, and the following activities as they related to any construction, erection and completion of any building(s), whether or not any materials, equipment or supplies described below are incorporated into or become an integral part of such buildings: (1) all purchases, leases, rentals and other uses of tools, machinery and equipment in connection with construction and equipping, (2) all purchases, rentals, uses of consumption of supplies, materials, utilities and services of every kind and description used in connection with construction and equipping, and (3) all purchases, leases, rentals and uses of equipment, machinery and other tangible personal property (including installation costs), installed or placed in upon or under such building or facility, including all repairs and replacements of such property.

Section 3.7 <u>Agreement to Maintain List of Appointed Agents.</u> The agency appointment includes the power to delegate such agency, in whole or in part, to agents, subagents, contractors, subcontractors, contractors and subcontractors of such agents and subagents and to other parties as the Company chooses. Company agrees to maintain an accurate list of all parties acting as agent for the SLCIDA and comply with any process and/or procedure to do so as outlined in this Agency Compliance Agreement and the Sales Tax Exemption Letter.

Section 3.8 Agreement to File Appointment of Project Operator Information. Company, throughout the term of the Agency Compliance Agreement and pursuant to applicable law, agrees to complete "IDA Appointment of Project Operator or Agency for Sales Tax Purposes" (Form ST-60) for itself and each agent, subagent, contractor, subcontractor, contractors or subcontractors of such agents and subagents and to such other parties as the Company chooses who provide materials, equipment, supplies or services and execute said form as agent for the SLCIDA (or have the general contractor, if any or other designated subagent execute). Company agrees that it will ensure that the Form ST-60 will be presented to the SLCIDA in a timely manner, to enable the SLCIDA to process and forward the Form ST-60 to the State Department of Taxation and Finance within thirty (30) days of appointment.

Section 3.9 Agreement to File Annual Statements and Provide Information. In the event that

Company has claimed exemptions from sales and use taxes as agent for the SLCIDA, Company shall file with the New York State Department of Taxation and Finance an annual statement of the value of all sales and use tax exemptions claimed in connection with the Facility in compliance with Sections 874(8) and (9) of the New York State General Municipal Law. Company shall submit a copy of such annual statement to the SLCIDA at the time of filing with the Department of Taxation and Finance. Company further agrees to provide and certify or cause to be provided and certified whenever requested by the SLCIDA such information concerning Company, its finances, its operations, its employment and its affairs necessary to enable the SLCIDA to make any report required by law, governmental regulation or any of the SLCIDA Documents. Such information shall be provided within thirty (30) days following written request from the SLCIDA.

Section 3.10 <u>Books of Record and Account; Financial Statements.</u> Company, at all times, agrees to maintain proper accounts, records and books in which full and correct entries shall be made, in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles, of all transactions and events relating to the business and affairs of Company and any and all records relating to the sales and use tax exemptions claimed in connection with the Facility in compliance with this Agency Compliance Agreement.

## Section 3.11 Compliance with Orders, Ordinances, Etc.

(a) Company, throughout the term of this Agency Compliance Agreement, agrees that it will promptly comply, and cause any tenant or occupant of the Facility to comply, with all statutes, codes, laws, acts, ordinances, orders, judgments, decrees, injunctions, rules, regulations, permits, licenses, authorizations, directions and requirements, ordinary or extraordinary, which now or at any time hereafter may be applicable to the Facility or any part thereof, or to the acquisition, construction, renovation and equipping thereof, or to any use, manner of use or condition of the Facility or any part thereof, of all federal, state, county, municipal and other governments, departments, commissions, boards, courts, authorities, officials and officers having jurisdiction of the Facility or any part thereof, and companies or associations insuring the premises.

Company shall keep or cause the Facility to be kept free of Hazardous Substances. (b) Without limiting the foregoing, Company shall not cause or permit the Facility to be used to generate, manufacture, refine, transport, treat, store, handle, dispose, transfer, produce or process Hazardous Substances, except in compliance with all applicable federal, state and local laws or regulations, nor shall Company cause or permit, as a result of any intentional or unintentional act or omission on the part of Company or any contractor, subcontractor, tenant or subtenant, a release of Hazardous Substances onto the Facility or onto any other property from the Facility. Company shall comply with, and ensure compliance by all of its contractors, subcontractors, tenants and subtenants with, all applicable federal, state and local laws, ordinances, rules and regulations, whenever and by whomever triggered, and shall obtain and comply with, and ensure that all of its contractors, subcontractors, tenants and subtenants obtain and comply with, any and all approvals, registrations or permits required thereunder. Company shall (i) conduct and complete all investigations, studies, sampling, and testing and all remedial, removal, and other actions necessary to clean up and remove all Hazardous Substances on, from, or affecting the Facility as a result of the conduct of Company, its contractors and subcontractors (A) in accordance with all applicable federal, state and local laws, ordinances, rules, regulations and policies, (B) in accordance with the orders and directives of all federal, state and local governmental authorities; and (ii) defend, indemnify, and hold harmless the SLCIDA, its employees, agents, officers, members and directors, from and against any claims, demands, penalties, fines, liabilities, settlements, damages, costs or expenses of whatever kind or nature, known or unknown, contingent or otherwise, arising out of, or in any way related to (A) the presence, disposal, release, or threatened release of any Hazardous Substances which are on, from or affecting the soil, water, vegetation, buildings, personal property, persons, animals or otherwise, (B) any bodily injury, personal injury (including wrongful death) or property damage (real or personal) arising out of or related to such Hazardous Substances, (C) any lawsuit brought or threatened, settlement reached, or government order relating to such Hazardous Substances, and/or (D) any violation of laws, orders, regulations, requirements or demands of government authorities which are based upon or in any way related to such Hazardous Substances, including, without limitation, reasonable attorney and consultant fees, investigation and laboratory fees, court costs, and litigation expenses. The provisions of this Section shall be in addition to any and all other obligations and liabilities Company may have to the SLCIDA at common law and shall survive the transactions contemplated herein.

(c) Notwithstanding the provisions of subsections (a) and (b) hereof, Company may in good faith contest the validity or the applicability of any requirement of the nature referred to in such subsections (a) and (b) by appropriate legal proceedings conducted in good faith and with due diligence. In such event, Company may fail to comply with the requirement or requirements so contested during the period of such contest and any appeal therefrom, unless the SLCIDA shall notify Company that, by failure to comply with such requirement or requirements, the Facility or any part thereof may be subject to loss, penalty or forfeiture, in which event Company shall promptly take such action with respect thereto or provide such security as shall be reasonably satisfactory to the SLCIDA. If at any time the then existing use or occupancy of the Facility shall, pursuant to any zoning or other law, ordinance or regulation, be permitted only so long as such use or occupancy shall continue, Company shall use its best efforts not to cause or permit such use or occupancy to be discontinued without the prior written consent of the SLCIDA.

(d) Notwithstanding the provisions of this Section 3.11, if, because of a breach or violation of the provisions of subsection (a) or (b) hereof (without giving effect to subsection (c) hereof), the SLCIDA, or any of its members, directors, officers, agents, or employees shall be threatened with a fine, liability, expense or imprisonment, then, upon notice from the SLCIDA, Company shall immediately provide legal protection and/or pay amounts necessary in the opinion of the SLCIDA and of its members, directors, officers, agents and employees, to the extent permitted by applicable law, to remove the threat of such fine, liability, expense or imprisonment.

(e) Notwithstanding any provisions of this Section 3.11, the SLCIDA retains the right to defend itself in any action or actions which are based upon or in any way related to such Hazardous Substances. In any such defense of itself, the SLCIDA shall select its own counsel, and any and all costs of such defense, including, without limitation, reasonable attorney and consultant fees, investigation and laboratory fees, court costs and litigation expenses, shall be paid by Company.

Section 3.12 Liens and Encumbrances.

(a) Company, throughout the term of the Agency Compliance Agreement, shall not permit or create or suffer to be permitted or created any Lien, except for Permitted Encumbrances, upon the Facility or any part thereof by reason of any labor, services or materials rendered or supplied or claimed to be rendered or supplied with respect to the Facility or any part thereof.

(b) Notwithstanding the provisions of subsection (a) hereof, Company may in good faith contest any such Lien. In such event, Company may permit the items so contested to remain undischarged and unsatisfied during the period of such contest and any appeal therefrom, unless the SLCIDA shall notify Company that, by nonpayment of any such item or items, the Facility or any part thereof may be subject to loss or forfeiture, in which event Company shall promptly secure payment of all such unpaid items by filing a bond, in form and substance satisfactory to the SLCIDA, thereby causing such Lien to be removed, or by taking such other actions as may be satisfactory to the SLCIDA to protect its interests. Mechanics' Liens shall be discharged or bonded within thirty (30) days of the filing or perfection thereof.

Section 3.13 <u>Identification of Equipment</u>. If any equipment is to or may become the Property of the SLCIDA pursuant to the provisions of this Agency Compliance Agreement then such equipment shall be properly identified by Company by such appropriate records, including computerized records, as may be approved by the SLCIDA. All Equipment and other Property of whatever nature affixed or attached to the Land or used or to be used by Company in connection with the Facility shall be deemed presumptively to

be owned by the SLCIDA, rather than Company, unless the same were utilized for purposes of construction of the Facility or were installed by Company and title thereto was retained by Company in a manner provided subsequent to any Lease Agreement and such Equipment and other Property were properly identified by such appropriate records as were approved by the SLCIDA.

Depreciation Deductions and Investment Tax Credit. The parties agree that, as between Section 3.14 them, Company shall be entitled to all depreciation deductions with respect to any depreciable property comprising a part of the Facility and to any investment credit with respect to any part of the Facility.

Aggregate Sales and Use Tax Exemption. Company agrees that the aggregate Sales and Section 3.15 Use Tax Exemption afforded to the Company by the SLCIDA under this Agency Compliance Agreement shall be limited to \$100,000.

Expiration. The agency created by this Agency Compliance Agreement is limited to the Section 3.16 Facility and will expire on June 30, 2013. Company may apply to extend this agency authority by showing good cause; provided, however, the exemption for leases executed prior to said date shall continue through the term or extended term of said lease and any acquisition of said leased property.

Execution of Counterparts. This Agency Compliance Agreement may be executed in Section 3.17 several counterparts, each of which shall be an original and all of which shall constitute but one and the same instrument.

Section 3.18 Notices. All notices, certificates and other communications hereunder shall be in writing and shall be either delivered personally or sent by certified mail, postage prepaid, return receipt requested, addressed as follows or to such other address as any party may specify in writing to the other:

#### To the SLCIDA:

St. Lawrence County Industrial Development Agency 80 State Highway 301, Suite 6 Canton, New York 13617 Attn: Patrick J. Kelly, Chief Executive Officer With a copy to:

Silver and Collins, Attorneys at Law 44 Court Street Canton, New York 13617 Andrew Silver, Esq. Attn:

To the Company:

Kinney Drugs, Inc. 29 Main Street Gouverneur, New York 13642 Attn: Michael Burgess

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the SLCIDA and Company have each caused this Agency Compliance Agreement to be executed in their respective names by affixing his signature thereto, or by duly authorized officers, all as of the date first above written.

For St. Lawrence County Industrial Development Agen¢y: 7

For Kinney Drugs, Inc.

By: -Patrick J. Kelly Name: Chief Executive Officer Title:

Bv: Name MICHAEL J. BURGESS Title: VP. Planning - Treasury

New York State Department of Taxation and Finance

# IDA Appointment of Project Operator or Agent For Sales Tax Purposes



The industrial development agency or authority (IDA) must submit this form within 30 days of the appointment of a project operator or agent, whether appointed directly by the IDA or indirectly by the operator or another agent.

For IDA use only

Name of IDA St. Lawrence County Industrial Development Agency			IDA project number (use OSC numbering system for projects after 1998) 4001-12-08		
80 State Highway 310, Suite 6			1	Telephone n 315)3	
City Canton			L	State NY	ZIP code 13617
Name of IDA project operator or agent Kinney Drugs, Inc.	Mark an X in the box if directly appointed by the I	DA: 🗙	Employer identification of 15		curity number
			umber		ary operator or agent? Yes INO
City Gouverneur				State NY	ZIP code 13642
Name of project Kinney Drugs, Inc. (2012 Fire System Upgrades Project)			Purpose of project (see instructions) Wholesale Trade		
Street address of project site 520 East Main St; 29 Main Street; US Route 11 Marble City Ce	enter Plaza				
City Gouverneur				State NY	ZIP code 13642
Description of goods and services intended Purchases, leases, ren to be exempted from sales and use taxes	tals and other uses of	f tools, macł	ninery and equipmer	nt	
connection with the construction and equipping of fire protection	on upgrades at 520 Ea	ast Main Stro	eet, 29 Main		
Street and US Route 11 Marble City Center Plaza, all located i	n Gouverneur NY				
Date project operator Date project operator 10/25/12 Date project operator agent state	ct operator or us ends (mm/dd/yy) 06	/30/13	Mark an X extension		t if this is an nal project:

Estimated value of goods and services to be exempted from sales and use taxes as a result of the project's designation as an IDA project:

Certification: I certify that the above statements are true, complete, and correct, and that no material information has been omitted. I make these statements with the knowledge that willfully providing false or fraudulent information with this document may constitute a felony or other crime under New York State Law, punishable by a substantial fine and possible jail sentence. I also understand that the Tax Department is authorized to investigate the validity of any information entered on this document.

Print name of officer or omployee cloping on behalf of Patrick J. Kelly	Print title Chief Executive Off	licer	
Signature		Date 10-25-2012	Telephone number (315)379-9806

## Instructions

#### Filing requirements

An IDA must file this form within 30 days of the date the IDA appoints any project operator or other person as agent of the IDA, for purposes of extending any sales and compensating use tax exemptions.

The IDA must file a separate form for each person it appoints as agent, whether directly or indirectly, and regardless of whether the person is the primary project operator or agent. If the IDA authorizes a project operator or agent to appoint other persons as agent of the IDA, the operator or agent making such an appointment must advise the IDA that it has done so, so that the IDA can file a form within 30 days of the date of the new agent's appointment. The IDA should not file this form for a person hired to work on an IDA project if that person is not appointed as agent of the IDA. The IDA need not file this form if the IDA does not extend any sales or use tax exemption benefits for the project.

If an IDA modifies a project, such as by extending it beyond its original completion date, or by increasing or decreasing the amount of sales and use tax exemption benefits authorized for the project, the IDA must, within 30 days of the change, file a new form with the new information.

If an IDA revokes or cancels the appointment of an agent, or if a form it filed is not valid for any reason, the IDA must send a letter to the address below for filing this form, indicating that it has done so or that the previously filed form is no longer valid, and the effective date of the change. It should attach to the letter a copy of the form it originally filed. The IDA need not send a letter for a form that is not valid merely because the "Completion date of project" has passed.

#### Purpose of project

For Purpose of project, enter one of the following:

- Services
- Agriculture, forestry, fishing
- Finance, insurance, real estate
- Transportation, communication,
  - electric, gas, sanitary services
- Construction
  Wholesale trade
- Retail trade
- Manufacturing
- Other (specify)

Malling instructions

Mail completed form to: NYS TAX DEPARTMENT

IDA UNIT W A HARRIMAN CAMPUS ALBANY NY 12227

Privacy notification

The Commissioner of Taxation and Finance may collect and maintain personal information pursuant to the New York State Tax Law, including but not limited to, sections 5-a, 171, 171-a, 287, 308, 429, 475, 505, 697, 1096, 1142, and 1415 of that Law; and may require disclosure of social security numbers pursuant to 42 USC 405(c)(2)(C)(0).

This information will be used to determine and administer tax liabilities and, when authorized by law, for certain tax offset and exchange of tax information programs as well as for any other lawful purpose.

Information concerning quarterly wages paid to employees is provided to certain state agencies for purposes of fraud prevention, support enforcement, evaluation of the effectiveness of certain employment and training programs and other purposes authorized by law.

Failure to provide the required information may subject you to civil or criminal penalties, or both, under the Tax Law.

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For Sales Tax Purposes

The industrial development agency or authority (IDA) must submit this form within 30 days of the appointment of a project operator or agent, whether appointed directly by the IDA or indirectly by the operator or another agent.

For IDA use only

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Name of IDA St. Lawrence County Industrial Development Agency				IDAproject number (use Co			dsater 1998)
Street address						ne number	
19 Commerce Lane, Suite 1					( 315 )	) 379-9806	
City		-			State	ZIP code	)
Canton					N N	/ 13617	
Name of IDA project operator or agent		an X in the box if		Employer identification		il security num	ber
Kinney Drugs, Inc.	direct	ly appointed by the II			15- <b>6-1-</b>		
Street address	( )		Telephone n			Primary operate	
520 East Main Street			(315)28	37-3600		×Yes	No
City Gouverneur	5/	$\gamma$			State	ZIP code Y 13642	3
Name of project Kinney Drugs, Inc (2012 Fire System Upgrades Project	ect)	刘公。	Purpose of Wholesal	project (see instruction) e Trade	s)		
Street address of project site 520 East Main St; 29 Main St; US route 11 Marble C		a		·			
City Gouverneur	-	<u> </u>			State N	ZIP code Y 13642	e
Description of goods and services intended to be exempted from New York State and local sales and use taxes	Purchases,lea	ses, rentals and	other uses	of tools, machiner	y and e	quipment	
connection w/construction and equipping of fire prote	ection upgrades	at 520 East Ma	in St; 29 Ma	in St; and			
US Route 11 Marble City Center Plaza, all located in	Gouverneur N	Y; ProAct expan	sion; admin	upgrades.			
Date project operator or agent appointed (mm/dd/yy) 10/25/12	Date project ope agent status end	ds (mm/dd/yy)	/31/13	extensio	on to an o	box if this is original proje	<u>ct: [즈]</u>
Estimated value of goods and services that will be exempt f and local sales and use tax:	rom New York St	ate Estimated value provided:	ue of New Yo	rk State and local sa	lles and	use tax exen	nption
\$490,000		\$34,300					
Certification: I certify that the above statements are true, with the knowledge that willfully providing false or frauduler Law, punishable by a substantial fine and possible jail sent information entered on this document.	nt information wit	h this document m	av constitute	a felony or other cri	me unde	r New York S	State
Print name of officer or employee signing on behalf of the IDA Patrick J		Print title Chief Exe	ecutive Offic	er			
Signature			D	<sup>ate</sup> 5/30/2013		) 379-9806	3
·	Inst	ructions					
Filing requirements		Mailing ins	structions				
An IDA must file this form within 30 days of the date the IDA any project operator or other person as agent of the IDA, for	r purposes of	-	eted form to: TAX DEPAF	RTMENT			
extending any sales and compensating use tax exemptions	i.		UNIT				
The IDA must file a separate form for each person it appoin whether directly or indirectly, and regardless of whether the	Is as agent, person is the		HARRIMAN BANY NY 122				
primary project operator or agent. If the IDA authorizes a pr agent to appoint other persons as agent of the IDA, the ope	oject operator or	Privacy notifi	cation				
making such an appointment must advise the IDA that it ha	s done so, so	The Commissi to the New Yo	oner of Taxation a rk State Tax Law,	and Finance may collect ar Including but not limited to	d maintain , sections (	personal informa 5-a, 171, 171-a, 2	ation pursuant 287, 308,

that the IDA can file a form within 30 days of the date of the new agent's appointment. The IDA should not file this form for a person hired to work on an IDA project if that person is not appointed as agent of the IDA. The IDA need not file this form if the IDA does not extend any sales or use tax exemption benefits for the project.

If an IDA modifies a project, such as by extending it beyond its original completion date, or by increasing or decreasing the amount of sales and use tax exemption benefits authorized for the project, the IDA must, within 30 days of the change, file a new form with the new information.

If an IDA amends, revokes, or cancels the appointment of an agent, or if an agent's appointment becomes invalid for any reason, the IDA must, within 30 days, send a letter to the address below for filing this form, indicating that the appointment has been amended, revoked, or cancelled, or is no longer valid, and the effective date of the change. It should attach to the letter a copy of the form it originally filed. The IDA need not send a letter for a form that is not valid merely because the "Completion date of project" has passed.

#### Purpose of project

For Purpose of project, enter one of the following:

- Services
- Agriculture, forestry, fishing
- Finance, insurance, real estate
- Transportation, communication, electric, gas, sanitary services
- Construction
- Wholesale trade
- Retail trade
- Manufacturing \_
- Other (specify)

429, 475, 505, 505, 109, 1098, 1142, and 1415 of that Law; and may require disclosure of social security numbers pursuant to 42 USC 405(c)(2)(C)().

This information will be used to determine and administer tax liabilities and, when authorized by law, for certain tax offset and exchange of tax information programs as well as for any other lawful purpose.

Information concerning quarterly wages paid to employees is provided to certain state agencies for purposes of fraud prevention, support enforcement, evaluation of the effectiveness of certain employment and training programs and other purposes authorized by law.

Failure to provide the required information may subject you to civil or criminal penalties, or both, under the Tax Law.

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