NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a public hearing pursuant to Article 18-A of the New York General Municipal Law will be held by the Genesee County Industrial Development Agency d/b/a Genesee County Economic Development Center (the "Agency") on Monday, February 3, 2025, at 3:00 p.m., local time, at the Town of Alabama Fire Hall, 2230 Judge Road, Alabama, New York 14013, in connection with the following matter:

POTENTIA HOLDINGS, LLC, for itself or on behalf of an entity formed or to be formed by it or on its behalf (the "Company") has submitted an application (the "Application") to the Agency, a copy of which is on file with the Agency, requesting the Agency's assistance with respect to a certain project (the "Project") consisting of: (i) the retention by the Agency of a leasehold or other interest in approximately 43 acres of real property located at Crosby Road in the Town of Alabama, Genesee County, New York and all other lands in the Town of Alabama where, by license or easement or other agreement, the Company or its designees are making improvements that benefit the Project (the "Land", being more particularly described as a portion of tax parcel No. 10.-1-4.112, as may be subdivided); (ii) the planning, design, construction and leasing of two (2) approximately 450,000 square foot data processing facilities, along with utility and site improvements, parking lots, access and egress improvements, signage, curbage, landscaping and stormwater retention improvements (collectively, the "Improvements"); and (iii) the acquisition by the Company in and around the Improvements of certain items of machinery, equipment and other tangible personal property (the "Equipment"; and, together with the Land and the Improvements, the "Facility").

The Agency will acquire title to, or a leasehold interest in, the Facility and lease the Facility back to the Company. The Company will operate the Facility during the term of the lease. At the end of the lease term, the Company will purchase the Facility from the Agency, or if the Agency holds a leasehold interest, the leasehold interest will be terminated. The Agency contemplates that it will provide financial assistance (the "Financial Assistance") to the Company in the form of sales and use tax exemptions and a mortgage recording tax exemption, consistent with the policies of the Agency, and a partial real property tax abatement.

The Agency will broadcast the public hearing live at <u>www.vimeo.com/event/3477651</u>, and the public hearing video will be available for on-demand viewing on the Agency's website at <u>www.gcedc.com/projects</u>.

A representative of the Agency will be at the above-stated time and place to present a copy of the Company's Project Application and hear and accept written and oral comments from all persons with views in favor of or opposed to or otherwise relevant to the proposed Financial Assistance.

The Agency encourages all interested parties to submit written comments to the Agency, which will be included within the public hearing record. Any written comments may be sent to the Agency at: GCEDC, 99 MedTech Drive, Batavia, New York 14020, and/or via e-mail at gcedc@gcedc.com with the subject line being "Potentia Project", no later than 12:00 p.m. on January 31, 2025.

Dated: January 23, 2025

GENESEE COUNTY INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AGENCY D/B/A GENESEE COUNTY ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT CENTER