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**Tax Exemption Permit for Machinery and Equipment Used by
Certified Semiconductor, Defense or Space Technology Facility
(Renewal)**

**TwinStar Optics & Coatings, Inc.
6741 Commerce Avenue
Port Richey, FL 34668**

Permit #12-SDS-TEC-001
Effective Date: January 1, 2021
Expiration Date: December 31, 2022

Re: **Project Location: 6741 Commerce Avenue, Port Richey, FL (61-8012729220-2)**

Dear Sir or Madam:

This letter of exemption is a Temporary Tax Exemption Permit issued under the authority of s. 212.08(5)(j), F.S. You are authorized to extend a copy of this permit to your dealers or suppliers for use in purchasing or leasing qualifying machinery and equipment tax exempt. Other than building materials for semiconductor clean rooms, the permit may not be used for purchases or leases of, or improvements to, real property. You may also authorize your project contractor(s) to make tax exempt purchases of qualifying items from dealers or suppliers on your behalf.

You are fully responsible for paying sales and use taxes on items that do not qualify for exemption, where such items were purchased tax exempt by you or by your contractor(s) for this project. All purchases are subject to audit by the Department of Revenue. Any misuse of this exemption authority subjects you or your contractor(s) to payment of the tax plus a mandatory 200 percent penalty and is a third-degree felony punishable as provided in ss. 775.082, 775.083, or 775.084, Florida Statutes.

By extending a copy of this permit, TwinStar Optics & Coatings, Inc. or its contractor(s) certifies that the purchase of machinery and equipment is for use in semiconductor, defense or space technology production.

If you have any questions concerning exemption procedures, you may contact Shundra McClean with Technical Assistance and Dispute Resolution in Tallahassee at (850) 717-6701.

Sincerely,

Alan R. Fulton
Alan R. Fulton
Revenue Program Administrator I
Technical Assistance and Dispute Resolution

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Contractor Name _____

Business Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

TwinStar Optics & Coatings, Inc., authorizes the above contractor to make purchases for this project on its behalf.

Signature: _____ Title: _____ Date: _____

IMPORTANT NOTICE TO DEALER OR SUPPLIER: You must maintain a copy of this letter on file as support for the authority to make tax exempt sales of qualifying machinery and equipment or items for the above indicated project. Tax exempt sales may only be made to the above addressed permit holder or the above indicated authorized contractor between the effective and expiration dates of this permit, inclusive.