## TRADEMARK ASSIGNMENT COVER SHEET

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#### **CONVEYING PARTY DATA**

Name	Formerly	Execution Date	Entity Type
Loving Hearts Pet Cremation, LLC		12/22/2022	Limited Liability Company: DELAWARE

#### **RECEIVING PARTY DATA**

Name:	Gateway Services Inc.	
Street Address:	230 Hanlon Creek Boulevard	
City:	Guelph, Ontario N1C 1C1	
State/Country:	CANADA	
Entity Type:	Corporation: DELAWARE	

#### **PROPERTY NUMBERS Total: 2**

Property Type Number		Word Mark		
Registration Number:	4563495	LOVING HEARTS PET MEMORIAL SERVICES		
Registration Number:	4583343			

#### **CORRESPONDENCE DATA**

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Correspondence will be sent to the e-mail address first; if that is unsuccessful, it will be sent

using a fax number, if provided; if that is unsuccessful, it will be sent via US Mail.

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Email: ksmith@whe-law.com

Kathryn E. Smith, Wood Herron & Evans **Correspondent Name:** 

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Address Line 4: Cincinnati, OHIO 45202

#### **DOMESTIC REPRESENTATIVE**

Name: Kathryn E. Smith, Wood Herron & Evans

Address Line 1: 600 Vine Street Address Line 2: Suite 2800

Address Line 4: Cincinnati, OHIO 45202

NAME OF SUBMITTER: Kathryn E. Smith

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SIGNATURE:	/Kathryn E. Smith/		
DATE SIGNED:	12/30/2022		
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#### TRADEMARK ASSIGNMENT CONFIRMATION

This Trademark Assignment Confirmation Agreement (this "Assignment") is between Loving Hearts Pet Cremation, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company with a principal place of business at 11 E. Mount Royal Avenue, Suite 301, Baltimore, Maryland 21202 (hereinafter "Assignor") and Gateway Services Inc., a Delaware corporation with an address at 230 Hanlon Creek Boulevard, Guelph, Ontario N1C 1C1, Canada (hereinafter "Assignee").

WHEREAS, Assignor owned the trademarks ("Marks") identified in Exhibit A to the Trademark Assignment attached hereto;

WHEREAS, pursuant to an assignment document executed on December 21, 2020,
Assignor obtained rights in the Marks, the goodwill associated with said Marks, and any and all registrations thereof, and wishes to transfer the same to Assignee; and

WHEREAS, Assignor and Assignee desire to confirm that the previously executed assignment conveys all rights in and to the Marks, including to all rights in and to U.S. Registration No. 4563495 and U.S. Registration No. 4583343 and all renewals thereof, to Assignee, and to execute this further document to confirm the transfer of said registrations and related trademark rights to Assignee.

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, Assignor does hereby assign and transfer nunc pro tune as of March 28, 2022, to Assignee the entire right, title, and interest in and to the Marks, together with the goodwill of the business symbolized by the Marks and the common law rights relating thereto, and any renewals of the corresponding registrations, and all other rights that Assignor has enjoyed thereunder in the United States, including any and all rights of recovery based on past infringement of the Marks and/or registrations thereof, the same to be held and

enjoyed by Assignee, its successors and assigns, to the full end of the term for which the Marks are registered and any renewals of the terms thereof.

GATEWAY SERVICES, INC.

Kelly Clinton

Chief Operating Officer

Date: \(\sum\_C 22/22\)

#### TRADEMARK ASSIGNMENT

This TRADEMARK ASSIGNMENT (this "Assignment") is made and delivered as of December 21, 2020 (the "Effective Date"), by and between Loving Hearts Pet Memorial Services, Inc., a Missouri corporation ("Assignor"), and Loving Hearts Pet Cremation Services, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company ("Assignee"), pursuant to an Asset Purchase Agreement, dated as of even date herewith (the "Purchase Agreement"), by and among Assignor, Assignee, and Beneficial Owners (as such term is defined in the Purchase Agreement). All capitalized terms used but not otherwise defined in this Assignment shall have the meanings given to them in the Purchase Agreement.

WHEREAS, Assignor is the owner of certain trademarks and service marks used in connection with its pet crematory business; and

WHEREAS, Assignor desires to convey, transfer, assign, and deliver all of its rights in and to the trademarks and service marks set forth on <u>Exhibit A</u> attached hereto (collectively, the "Assigned Trademarks"), pursuant to the Purchase Agreement and on the terms and subject to the conditions set forth in this Assignment, and Assignee desires to accept the same.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual covenants, terms, and conditions set forth herein, and for other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the parties hereto agree as follows:

Assignment. Assignor hereby does irrevocably sell, convey, transfer, and 1. assign to Assignee, and its successors and assigns, and Assignee agrees to accept, effective as of the date first set forth above, all right, title, and interest in and to the Assigned Trademarks, free and clear of all liens, claims, charges, and encumbrances of any kind whatsoever, together with all common law rights and associated goodwill in the Assigned Trademarks of Assignor and of the business connected with the use of and symbolized thereby; the right, but not the obligation, to pursue all past, present, and future causes of action for infringement, dilution, unfair competition, and/or misappropriation of the Assigned Trademarks by a third party, whether the infringement, dilution, unfair competition, and/or misappropriation is committed and/or the cause of action comes into existence before, during, or after the Effective Date, and all associated remedies with respect to such causes of action as provided by law; and any and all past, present, and future rights and privileges related to any attorney-client privilege, common interest privilege, and/or work product protection of Assignor in relation to the Assigned Trademarks; the same to be held and enjoyed by Assignee, its respective successors and assigns, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by Assignor had this Assignment not been made and such that no right, title, and interest remain with the Assignor. Assignee shall have full and unrestricted right to make, use, license, assign, offer to sell, sell, encumber, secure, loan, and otherwise exploit the Assigned Trademarks to their fullest extent anywhere in the world, without the consent of and without accounting to Assignor and without sharing the revenue or profits generated by or through such use, license, assignment, sale, encumbrance, loan, or other exploitation of the Assigned Trademarks. Assignor hereby agrees that it shall not take any action that may restrict Assignee's ownership rights in the Assigned Trademarks and that it shall discontinue any use or exploitation of the Assigned Trademarks. Assignor acknowledges that it has agreed to not engage in any acts

resulting in the intentional or unintentional waiver of the attorney-client privilege, work product protection, and/or common-interest privilege without the express written authorization from Assignee and/or its legal representatives. Assignor acknowledges that it has agreed that any partial waiver of the attorney-client privilege, common- interest privilege, and/or work product protection of Assignor does not constitute total waiver. Assignor hereby authorizes the United States Patent and Trademark Office and any other governmental agencies having jurisdiction over the Assigned Trademarks to identify Assignee as the owner of all applications and registrations issuing from any applications pending related to the Assigned Trademarks. Assignor further hereby authorizes the United States Patent and Trademark Office and any trademark office in any and all foreign countries to issue any and all registrations related to the Assigned Trademarks to Assignee as the assignee of Assignor's entire right, title, and interest in and to the same.

- 2. <u>Further Assurances</u>. Assignor hereby agrees to and will communicate all facts and/or information known to the Assignor with respect to the Assigned Trademarks and the rights transferred therewith to the Assignee and/or its legal representatives. Assignor agrees, without further consideration, to take such actions, including without limitation, the execution, acknowledgment, and delivery of documents, as may be necessary and appropriate or reasonably requested by Assignee to further effectuate the assignment contemplated herein. Without limitation, Assignor agrees that, when requested by Assignee, Assignor will promptly sign all papers, take all rightful oaths, and do all acts which may be necessary, desirable or convenient for securing and maintaining the Assigned Trademarks and for vesting title thereto in Assignee, its successors, assigns, and legal representatives or nominees. Assignor hereby agrees to and will truthfully testify and/or participate in any legal and/or quasi-legal proceedings regarding any facts and/or information known to the Assignor related to the Assigned Trademarks and the rights transferred therewith at the request of the Assignee and/or its legal representatives.
- 3. <u>Remedies</u>. Assignor acknowledges and agrees that any violation of this Assignment will cause immediate and irreparable harm to Assignee and the damages may be difficult or impossible to measure. Therefore, upon any actual or impending violation of this Assignment, Assignee may seek a restraining order and/or preliminary and permanent injunction, without bond, restraining or enjoining any such violation by Assignor or any person or entity acting in concert with or on behalf of Assignor. Such remedy shall be additional to and not in limitation of any other remedy that may otherwise be available either in equity or at law.
- 4. <u>Successors and Assigns</u>. All of the terms and provisions of this Assignment shall be binding upon, and shall inure to the benefit of, Assignor and Assignee and their respective successors and assigns.
- 5. <u>Governing Law</u>. This Assignment shall be governed by, and construed and enforced in accordance with, the laws of the State of Delaware, without regard to any conflicts of law provisions that would apply the laws of another jurisdiction.
- 6. <u>Waiver</u>. Any waiver of a Party's rights under this Assignment may only be made by a writing signed by the Party waiving such rights, and the failure of any Party hereto to enforce at any time any provision of this Assignment shall not be construed to be a waiver of such provision, nor in any way to affect the validity of this Assignment or any part hereof or the right

of any Party thereafter to enforce each and every such provision. No waiver of any breach of this Assignment shall be held to constitute a waiver of any other or subsequent breach.

- 7. <u>Amendments</u>. This Assignment may not be amended, modified, supplemented or changed, in whole or in part, unless in a separate writing making specific reference to this Assignment and executed by each of the parties hereto.
- 8. <u>Severability</u>. Whenever possible, each provision of this Assignment will be interpreted in such manner as to be effective and valid under applicable law, but if any provision of this Assignment is held to be prohibited by or invalid under applicable law, such provision will be deemed severable and ineffective only to the extent of such prohibition or invalidity, without invalidating the remainder of such provision or the remaining provisions of this Assignment unless the consummation of the transaction contemplated hereby is adversely affected thereby.
- 9. <u>Counterparts</u>. This Assignment may be executed and delivered in any number of counterparts, each of which so executed and delivered shall be deemed to be an original and all of which, taken together, shall constitute one and the same instrument. The exchange of copies of this Assignment and of the signature pages hereto by facsimile transmission or by e-mail delivery of a "pdf" data file shall constitute effective and binding execution and delivery of this Assignment as to the parties hereto and may be used in lieu of the original Assignment and signature pages thereof for all purposes.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, each of the parties hereto has caused this Trademark Assignment to be executed and delivered by its duly authorized representative as of the Effective Date.

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LOVING HEARTS PET MEMORIAL SERVICES,

Name: William Remkus

Title: President

#### **ASSIGNEE:**

LOVING HEARTS PET CREMATION SERVICES, LLC

By: \_\_\_\_\_ Name: Scott Buttz

Title: Chief Operating Officer

Signature Page to Trademark Assignment

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LOVING HEARTS PET MEMORIAL SERVICES
INC.

By: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: William Remkus

Title: President

### **ASSIGNEE:**

LOVING HEARTS PET CREMATION SERVICES, LLC

Name: Scott Buttz

Title: Chief Operating Officer

# EXHIBIT A TO TRADEMARK ASSIGNMENT

# LIST OF ASSIGNED TRADEMARKS

Mark	Jurisdiction	Owner	Registration Number	Registration Date	Status
LOVING HEARTS PET	US	Loving Hearts	4,563,495	July 8, 2014	Registered
MEMORIAL SERVICES		Pet Memorial			
		Services, Inc.			
	US	Loving Hearts	4,583,343	August 12, 2014	Registered
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**RECORDED: 12/30/2022**