UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT
Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d)
of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): October 1, 2024

StandardAero, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) 001-42298 (Commission File Number) 30-1138150 (IRS Employer Identification Number)

6710 North Scottsdale Road, Suite 250 Scottsdale, Arizona 85253 (Address of principal executive offices, including Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (480) 377-3100

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

- □ Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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- □ Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- □ Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:

	Trading	Name of each exchange
Title of each class	Symbol	on which registered
Common stock, \$0.01 par value per share	SARO	The New York Stock Exchange

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (§230.405 of this chapter) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (§240.12b-2 of this chapter).

Emerging growth company □

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act.

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Item 1.01. Entry into a Material Definitive Agreement.

Stockholders Agreement

As contemplated in the Registration Statement on Form S-1 (File No. 333-281992) (as amended, the "Registration Statement") of StandardAero, Inc. (the "Company") relating to the initial public offering (the "Offering") of an aggregate of 69,000,000 shares of the Company's common stock, \$0.01 par value per share, (the "Common Stock") on October 1, 2024, the Company entered into a stockholders agreement (the "Stockholders Agreement"), by and among the Company and certain of its stockholders, a copy of which is filed as Exhibit 10.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K and is incorporated herein by reference. The terms of the Stockholders Agreement are substantially the same as the terms set forth in the form of such agreement filed as an exhibit to the Registration Statement and as described therein, which description is incorporated herein by reference.

Item 5.03. Amendments to Articles of Incorporation or Bylaws; Change in Fiscal Year.

On October 1, 2024, the Company filed its amended and restated certificate of incorporation (the "Certificate of Incorporation") with the Secretary of State of the State of Delaware and its amended and restated bylaws (the "Bylaws") became effective as of the filing of the Certificate of Incorporation with the Secretary of State of the State of Delaware. As described in the final prospectus, dated October 1, 2024 (the "Prospectus"), relating to the Registration Statement, filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on October 2, 2024 pursuant to Rule 424(b) under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, the Company's board of directors and stockholders previously approved the amendment and restatement of the Certificate of Incorporation and the Bylaws, to be effective following the effectiveness of the Registration Statement. A description of certain provisions of the Certificate of Incorporation and the Bylaws is set forth in the section titled "Description of Capital Stock" in the Prospectus, which description is incorporated herein by reference.

The foregoing description of the Certificate of Incorporation and the Bylaws is qualified in its entirety by reference to the Certificate of Incorporation filed as Exhibit 3.1 hereto and the Bylaws filed as Exhibit 3.2 hereto, each of which is incorporated herein by reference.

Item 8.01. Other Events.

Completion of Initial Public Offering

On October 3, 2024, the Company completed the Offering of an aggregate of 69,000,000 shares of Common Stock at a price to the public of \$24.00 per share, 53,250,000 of which shares were sold by the Company and 15,750,000 of which shares were sold by certain existing stockholders (the "Selling Stockholders"), which includes the exercise in full by the underwriters of their option to purchase from the Selling Stockholders an additional 9,000,000 shares of the Selling Stockholders' Common Stock. The net proceeds to the Company from the Offering were approximately \$1,201.1 million, after deducting underwriting discounts and commissions and estimated offering expenses payable by the Company. The Company did not receive any proceeds from the sale of shares of Common Stock in the Offering by the Selling Stockholders.

Redemption of Senior Notes and Partial Prepayment of the 2024 Term B-1 Loan Facility and the 2024 Term Loan B-2 Facility

The Company used the net proceeds from the Offering to:

- (i) redeem all \$475.5 million aggregate principal amount of the senior unsecured PIK toggle notes due 2027 (the "Senior Notes") outstanding at a redemption price equal to 100% of the aggregate principal amount thereof, which were issued pursuant to that certain indenture dated as of April 4, 2019, by and among Dynasty Acquisition Co., Inc., the guarantors party thereto and U.S. Bank Trust Company, National Association (as successor to U.S. Bank National Association), as trustee, registrar and paying agent (the "Indenture"); and
- (ii) partially prepay loans incurred under that certain credit agreement dated April 4, 2019, as amended and restated, entered into by and among Dynasty Acquisition Co., Inc., as the U.S. borrower, Standard Aero Limited Standaero Limitee (as successor in interest to 1199169 B.C. Unlimited Liability Company), as the Canadian borrower, Dynasty Intermediate Co., Inc., the lenders party thereto and Credit Suisse AG, Cayman Islands Branch, as administrative agent, collateral agent and L/C issuer, as follows: \$523.7 million aggregate principal amount of that certain senior secured dollar term loan B facility in an original aggregate principal amount of approximately \$1,988.5 million (the "2024 Term B-1 Loan Facility"), and \$201.9 million aggregate principal amount of that certain senior secured dollar term loan B facility in an original aggregate principal amount of approximately \$766.7 million (the "2024 Term Loan B-2 Facility").

As of October 3, 2024, (i) the Senior Notes were redeemed in full and the Indenture was satisfied and discharged; and (ii) after giving effect to the partial prepayment of the 2024 Term B-1 Loan Facility and the 2024 Term B-2 Loan Facility, the Company had approximately \$1,464.8 million and \$564.8 million of loans outstanding under the 2024 Term B-1 Loan Facility and the 2024 Term B-2 Loan Facility, respectively.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) The following exhibits are being filed herewith:

Exhibit No.	<u>Description</u>
3.1	Amended and Restated Certificate of Incorporation of StandardAero, Inc.
3.2	Amended and Restated Bylaws of StandardAero, Inc.
10.1	Stockholders Agreement, dated October 1, 2024 among StandardAero, Inc. and certain of its stockholders.
104	Cover Page Interactive Data File (embedded within the Inline XBRL document).

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Date: October 3, 2024

STANDARDAERO, INC.

By: /s/ Daniel Satterfield

Daniel Satterfield Chief Financial Officer

AMENDED AND RESTATED

CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION

OF

STANDARDAERO, INC.

The present name of the corporation is StandardAero, Inc. (the "Corporation"). The Corporation was incorporated under the name "Dynasty Parent Co., Inc." by the filing of its original certificate of incorporation with the Secretary of State of the State of Delaware on September 5, 2018 (as amended prior to the date hereof, the "Original Certificate"). This Amended and Restated Certificate of Incorporation of the Corporation (the "Certificate of Incorporation"), which amends, restates and integrates the provisions of the Original Certificate, was duly adopted in accordance with the provisions of Sections 242 and 245 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware and by the written consent of the Corporation's stockholders in accordance with Section 228 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware. The Original Certificate is hereby amended, integrated and restated to read in its entirety as follows:

ARTICLE I <u>NAME</u>

The name of the Corporation is StandardAero, Inc.

ARTICLE II REGISTERED OFFICE AND AGENT

The address of the registered office of the Corporation in the State of Delaware is Corporation Trust Center, 1209 Orange Street, in the City of Wilmington, County of New Castle, Delaware, 19801. The name of the registered agent of the Corporation in the State of Delaware at such address is The Corporation Trust Company.

ARTICLE III PURPOSE AND DURATION

The purpose of the Corporation is to engage in any lawful act or activity for which a corporation may be organized under the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware (as the same exists or may hereafter be amended and supplemented from time to time, the "<u>DGCL</u>"). The Corporation is to have a perpetual existence.

ARTICLE IV CAPITAL STOCK

The total number of shares of all classes of capital stock that the Corporation shall have authority to issue is 3,600,000,000, which shall be divided into two classes as follows:

3,500,000,000 shares of common stock, par value \$0.01 per share ("Common Stock"); and

100,000,000 shares of preferred stock, par value \$0.01 per share ("Preferred Stock").

Immediately upon the filing and effectiveness of this Certificate of Incorporation with the Secretary of State of the State of Delaware (the "Effective Time"), automatically and without further action on the part of holders of capital stock of the Corporation, each share of the Voting Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share, and each share of Non-Voting Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share, of the Corporation outstanding or held by the Corporation as treasury stock as of immediately prior to the Effective Time (collectively, the "Old Stock") shall be reclassified as, and become, one (1) validly issued, fully paid and non-assessable share of Common Stock (the "Reclassification"). The Reclassification shall occur automatically as of the Effective Time without any further action by the Corporation or the holders of the shares affected thereby and whether or not any certificates representing such shares are surrendered to the Corporation. Upon the Effective Time, each certificate that as of immediately prior to the Effective Time represented shares of Old Stock shall be deemed to represent a number of whole shares of Common Stock into which such shares of Old Stock shall have been reclassification shall also apply to any outstanding securities or rights convertible into, or exchangeable or exercisable for, Old Stock and all references to the Old Stock in agreements, arrangements, documents and plans relating thereto or any option or right to purchase or acquire shares of Old Stock shall be deemed to be references to the Common Stock or options or rights to purchase or acquire shares of Common Stock, as the case may be.

Section 1. The voting, dividend, liquidation and other rights and powers of the Common Stock are subject to and qualified by the rights, powers and preferences of any series of Preferred Stock as may be designated by the Board of Directors of the Corporation (the "Board") and outstanding from time to time in accordance with the terms of this Certificate of Incorporation.

Section 2. Except as otherwise provided herein or expressly required by law, each holder of Common Stock, as such, shall be entitled to vote on each matter submitted to a vote of stockholders and shall be entitled to one vote for each share of Common Stock held of record by such holder as of the record date for determining stockholders entitled to vote on such matter.

Section 3. Except as otherwise required by law, holders of Common Stock shall not be entitled to vote on any amendment to this Certificate of Incorporation (including any certificate of designation relating to any series of Preferred Stock) that relates solely to the terms of one or more outstanding series of Preferred Stock if the holders of such affected series are entitled, either separately or together with the holders of one or more other such series, to vote thereon pursuant to this Certificate of Incorporation (including any certificate of designation relating to any series of Preferred Stock) or pursuant to the DGCL.

Section 4. Shares of Preferred Stock may be issued from time to time in one or more series. The Board is hereby expressly authorized to provide from time to time, by resolution or resolutions, for the creation and issuance, out of the authorized and unissued shares of Preferred Stock, of one or more series of Preferred Stock by filing a certificate of designation relating thereto with the Secretary of State of the State of Delaware pursuant to the DGCL, setting forth such resolution or

resolutions and, with respect to each such series, establishing the designation of such series and the number of shares to be included in such series and fixing the terms of such series, the voting powers (full or limited, or no voting powers), preferences and relative, participating, optional or other special rights, and the qualifications, limitations or restrictions thereof, of the shares of each such series, including without limitation thereof, dividend rights, conversion rights, redemption privileges and liquidation preferences, as shall be stated and expressed in such resolutions, all to the fullest extent now or hereafter permitted by the DGCL. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, and subject to the rights of the holders of any series of Preferred Stock then outstanding, the resolution or resolutions providing for the establishment of any series of Preferred Stock may, to the extent permitted by law, provide that such series shall be superior to, rank equally with or be junior to the Preferred Stock of any other series to the extent permitted by law and this Certificate of Incorporation. The terms, voting powers, preferences and relative, participating, optional or other special rights, and the qualifications, limitations or restrictions thereof, of each series of Preferred Stock may be different from those of any and all other series at any time outstanding. Unless otherwise provided in the certificate of designation establishing a series of Preferred Stock, the Board may, by resolution or resolutions or resolutions or resolutions or resolutions or shares of such series shall be so decreased, the shares constituting such decrease shall resume the status that they had prior to the adoption of the resolution or resolutions originally fixing the number of shares of Such series of Preferred Stock.

Section 5. Except as otherwise required by law, holders of any series of Preferred Stock shall be entitled only to such voting rights, if any, as shall expressly be granted thereto by this Certificate of Incorporation (including any certificate of designation relating to any series of Preferred Stock). Except as otherwise expressly provided in this Certificate of Incorporation (including any certificate of designation relating to any series of Preferred Stock), no vote of the holders of shares of Preferred Stock or Common Stock shall be a prerequisite to the issuance of any shares of any series of the Preferred Stock so authorized in accordance with this Certificate of Incorporation (including any certificate of designation relating to any series of Preferred Stock).

Section 6. Subject to applicable law and the rights, if any, of the holders of any outstanding series of Preferred Stock or any class or series of stock having a preference over or the right to participate with the Common Stock with respect to the payment of dividends, dividends may be declared and paid ratably on the Common Stock out of the assets of the Corporation which are legally available for this purpose at such times and in such amounts as the Board in its discretion shall determine, and the holders of Common Stock shall be entitled to share equally, identically and ratably, on a per share basis, in such dividends as may be declared by the Board from time to time with respect to the Common Stock out of the assets legally available therefor

Section 7. Upon the dissolution, liquidation or winding up of the Corporation, after payment or provision for payment of the debts and other liabilities of the Corporation and subject to the rights, if any, of the holders of any outstanding series of Preferred Stock or any class or series of stock having a preference over or the right to participate with the Common Stock with respect to the distribution of assets of the Corporation upon such dissolution, liquidation or winding up of the Corporation, the holders of Common Stock shall be entitled to receive the remaining assets of the Corporation available for distribution to its stockholders ratably in proportion to the number of shares held by them.

Section 8. The number of authorized shares of Common Stock or Preferred Stock may be increased or decreased (but not below the number of shares thereof then outstanding) without a separate class vote of the holders of Common Stock or Preferred Stock, irrespective of the provisions of Section 242(b)(2) of the DGCL (or any successor provision thereto).

ARTICLE V BOARD OF DIRECTORS

For the management of the business and for the conduct of the affairs of the Corporation it is further provided that:

Section 1. Except as otherwise expressly provided by the DGCL or this Certificate of Incorporation, the business and affairs of the Corporation shall be managed by or under the direction of the Board. Except as otherwise provided for or fixed pursuant to (a) the provisions of Article IV (including any certificate of designation with respect to any series of Preferred Stock) or (b) this Article V relating to the rights of the holders of any series of Preferred Stock to elect additional directors, the total number of directors shall be determined from time to time exclusively by resolution adopted by the Board; provided, however, that for so long as the Carlyle Majority Interest (on behalf of the Carlyle Stockholders) has the right to designate an Investor Designee (as defined below) pursuant to the Stockholders Agreement, the prior written consent of the Carlyle Majority Interest (on behalf of the Carlyle Stockholders) shall be required in order to increase the number of directors to a number exceeding nine. The directors of the Corporation (other than those directors who may be elected by the holders of any series of Preferred Stock), shall be divided into three classes, designated as Class I, Class II and Class III, as determined by the Board. At the first annual meeting of stockholders following the time at which the classification of the Board becomes effective (the "Classification Time"), the initial term of office of the Class I directors shall expire. At the second annual meeting of stockholders following the Classification Time, the initial term of office of the Class II directors shall expire. At the third annual meeting of stockholders following the Classification Time, the initial term of office of the Class III directors shall expire. Subject to any special rights of the holders of one or more series of Preferred Stock to elect directors, at each annual meeting of stockholders following the Classification Time, directors elected to succeed the directors who terms expire at such annual meeting shall be elected for a term expiring at the third succeeding annual meeting of stockholders following their election. No decrease in the number of directors shall shorten the term of any incumbent director. Any such director shall hold office until the annual meeting of stockholders at which his or her term expires and until his or her successor shall be elected and qualified, or until his or her earlier death, resignation, retirement, disqualification or removal from office. The Board is authorized to assign members of the Board already in office as of the Classification Time to their respective class.

Section 2. For so long as the Carlyle Majority Interest (on behalf of the Carlyle Stockholders) has the right to designate an Investor Designee pursuant to the Stockholders Agreement, without the prior written consent of the Carlyle Majority Interest (on behalf of the Carlyle Stockholders), each committee of the Board shall include such number of directors designated by the Carlyle Majority Interest (on behalf of the Carlyle Stockholders) ("Investor Designees") such that the pro rata representation of the Investor Designees on such committee as a proportion of the full membership of such committee is not less than the pro rata representation of all of the Investor Designees as a proportion of the full Board; provided that the right of any such Investor Designee to serve on a committee shall be subject to the Company's obligation to comply with any applicable independence requirements of a national securities exchange upon which the Company's Common Stock is listed to which it is then subject and compliance with the requirements of Section 162(m) of the Internal Revenue Code to have a compensation committee comprised solely of two or more outside directors.

Section 3. Subject to any special rights of the holders of one or more outstanding series of Preferred Stock, any or all of the directors may be removed from office at any time, but only for cause and only by the affirmative vote of the holders of at least 66 2/3% of the voting power of the outstanding shares of capital stock of the Corporation entitled to vote at an election of directors; *provided, however*, that prior to the Trigger Event (as defined below), any or all of the directors may be removed from office at any time with or without cause by the affirmative vote of the holders of at least a majority of the voting power of the outstanding shares of capital stock of the Corporation entitled to vote at an election of directors.

Section 4. Except as otherwise expressly required by law, and subject to any special rights of the holders of one or more outstanding series of Preferred Stock, any vacancies on the Board resulting from death, resignation, disqualification, removal, retirement or other causes and any newly created directorships resulting from any increase in the number of directors shall be filled only by the affirmative vote of a majority of the directors then in office, even if less than a quorum, or by the sole remaining director, and shall not be filled by the stockholders; provided, however, that prior to the Trigger Event, and except as otherwise expressly required by law, and subject to any special rights of the holders of one or more outstanding series of Preferred Stock or the rights granted pursuant to the Stockholders Agreement, any vacancies on the Board resulting from death, resignation, disqualification, removal, retirement or other causes and any newly created directorships resulting from any increase in the number of directors shall be filled by the affirmative vote of a majority of the directors then in office, even if less than a quorum, by the sole remaining director, or by the stockholders. Notwithstanding the foregoing, for so long as the Stockholders Agreement remains in effect, the Carlyle Majority Interest (on behalf of the Carlyle Stockholders) shall have the right to fill any vacancy with an Investor Designee in the event that such vacancy is created at any time by the death, removal, or resignation of any director designated by the Carlyle Majority Interest (on behalf of the Carlyle Stockholders); provided that the Carlyle Majority Interest (on behalf of the Carlyle Stockholders) continues to have the right in accordance with this Certificate of Incorporation to designate such Investor Designee, and the vacancy so created may be filled solely by the Carlyle Majority Interest (on behalf of the Carlyle Stockholders), and may not be filled by the Board or any other person. Any director elected to fill a vacancy or newly created directorship shall hold office for a term that shall coincide with the remaining term of the class to which such director shall have been appointed and until such director's successor shall have been elected and qualified, or until his or her earlier death, resignation, retirement, disqualification or removal.

Section 5. During any period when the holders of any series of Preferred Stock, voting separately as a series or together with one or more series, have the special right to elect additional directors, then upon commencement and for the duration of the period during which such right continues: (a) the then otherwise total authorized number of directors of the Corporation shall automatically be increased by such specified number of additional directors, and the holders of such Preferred Stock shall be entitled to elect the additional directors so provided for or fixed pursuant to the Certificate of Incorporation (including any certificate of designation establishing such series of

Preferred Stock), and (b) each such additional director shall serve until such director's successor shall have been duly elected and qualified, or until such director's right to hold such office terminates pursuant to the certificate of designation establishing such series of Preferred Stock, whichever occurs earlier, subject to his or her earlier death, resignation, retirement, disqualification or removal. Except as otherwise provided by this Certificate of Incorporation (including any certificate of designation establishing any series of Preferred Stock), whenever the holders of any series of Preferred Stock having the special right to elect additional directors are divested of such right pursuant to this Certificate of Incorporation (including pursuant to any such certificate of designation), the terms of office of all such additional directors elected by the holders of such series of Preferred Stock, or elected to fill any vacancies resulting from the death, resignation, disqualification, retirement or removal of such additional directors, shall forthwith terminate (in which case each such director thereupon shall cease to be qualified as, and shall cease to be, a director) and the total authorized number of directors of the Corporation shall be reduced accordingly.

Section 6. The directors of the Corporation need not be elected by written ballot unless the amended and restated bylaws of the Corporation (as in effect from time to time, the "Bylaws") so provide.

Section 7. Except as may otherwise be set forth in the resolution or resolutions of the Board providing for the issuance of one or more series of Preferred Stock, and then only with respect to such series of Preferred Stock, cumulative voting in the election of directors is specifically denied.

ARTICLE VI STOCKHOLDERS

Section 1. At any time prior to the Trigger Event, any action required or permitted to be taken at any annual or special meeting of stockholders of the Corporation may be taken without a meeting, without prior notice and without a vote, if a consent or consents, setting forth the action so taken, shall be signed by the holders of outstanding stock having not less than the minimum number of votes that would be necessary to authorize or take such action at a meeting at which all shares entitled to vote thereon were present and voted and shall be delivered to the Corporation in accordance with Section 228 of the DGCL. From and after the Trigger Event, any action required or permitted to be taken by the stockholders of the Corporation must be effected at a duly called annual or special meeting of the stockholders of the Corporation (and may not be effected by any consent in lieu of a meeting); provided, however, that any action required or permitted to be taken by the holders of Preferred Stock, voting separately as a series or separately as a class with one or more other such series, may be taken without a meeting, without prior notice and without a vote, to the extent expressly so provided by the applicable certificate of designation relating to such series of Preferred Stock.

Section 2. Except as otherwise required by law and subject to any special rights of the holders of one or more series of Preferred Stock, special meetings of the stockholders of the Corporation may be called, for any purpose or purposes, at any time only by or at the direction of the Board or the Chair of the Board, and such special meetings may not be called by stockholders or any other Person or Persons; *provided, however*, that prior to the Trigger Event, special meetings of stockholders of the Corporation may also be called, for any purpose or purposes, at any time by or at the direction of the Board or the Chair of the Board at the request of the Carlyle Majority Interest (on behalf of the Carlyle Stockholders).

Section 3. Advance notice of stockholder nominations for the election of directors and of other business proposed to be brought by stockholders before any meeting of the stockholders of the Corporation shall be given in the manner provided in the Bylaws.

ARTICLE VII LIABILITY

Section 1. No director or officer of the Corporation shall have any personal liability to the Corporation or its stockholders for monetary damages for any breach of fiduciary duty as a director or officer, except to the extent such exemption from liability or limitation thereof is not permitted under the DGCL as the same exists or hereafter may be amended. If the DGCL is amended after approval by the stockholders of this Article VII to authorize corporate action further eliminating or limiting the personal liability of directors or officers, then the liability of a director or officer of the Corporation shall be eliminated or limited to the fullest extent permitted by the DGCL as so amended, automatically and without further action, upon the date of such amendment.

Section 2. Neither any amendment nor repeal of this Article VII, nor the adoption by amendment of this Certificate of Incorporation of any provision inconsistent with this Article VII, shall eliminate or reduce the effect of this Article VII in respect of any matter occurring, or any action or proceeding accruing or arising (or that, but for this Article VII, would accrue or arise) prior to such amendment or repeal or adoption of an inconsistent provision.

ARTICLE VIII CERTAIN STOCKHOLDER RELATIONSHIPS

Section 1. In recognition and anticipation that (a) certain directors, principals, members, officers, associated funds, employees and/or other representatives of the Carlyle Stockholder and its Affiliates may serve as directors, officers or agents of the Corporation, (b) the Carlyle Stockholder, the GIC Stockholder and their respective Affiliates may now engage and may continue to engage in the same or similar activities or related lines of business as those in which the Corporation, directly or indirectly, may engage and/or other business activities that overlap with or compete with those in which the Corporation, directly or indirectly, may engage, and (c) members of the Board who are not employees of the Corporation ("Non-Employee Directors") and their respective Affiliates may now engage and may continue to engage in the same or similar activities or related lines of business as those in which the Corporation, directly or indirectly, may engage and/or other business activities that overlap with or compete with those in which the Corporation, directly or indirectly, may engage, the provisions of this Article VIII are set forth to regulate and define the conduct of certain affairs of the Corporation with respect to certain classes or categories of business opportunities as they may involve any of (i) the Carlyle Stockholder or any of its Affiliates, (ii) the GIC Stockholder or any of its Affiliates or (ii) any Non-Employee Director or his or her Affiliates (the Persons identified in (i), (ii) and (iii) above being referred to, collectively, as "Identified Persons" and, individually, as an "Identified Person") and the powers, rights, duties and liabilities of the Corporation and its directors, officers and stockholders in connection therewith.

Section 2. None of the Identified Persons shall, to the fullest extent permitted by law, have any duty to refrain from directly or indirectly (a) engaging in the same or similar business activities or lines of business in which the Corporation or any of its Affiliates now engages or proposes to engage or (b) competing with the Corporation or any of its Affiliates, and, to the fullest extent permitted by law, no Identified Person shall be liable to the Corporation or its stockholders or to any Affiliate of the Corporation for breach of any fiduciary duty solely by reason of the fact that such Identified Person engages in any such activities. To the fullest extent permitted by law, the Corporation hereby renounces any interest or expectancy in, or right to be offered an opportunity to participate in, any business opportunity which may be a corporate opportunity for an Identified Person and the Corporation, except as provided in Section 3 of this Article VIII. Subject to Section 3 of this Article VIII, in the event that any Identified Person acquires knowledge of a potential transaction or other matter or business opportunity which may be a corporate opportunity for itself, herself or himself and the Corporation or any of its Affiliates, such Identified Person shall, to the fullest extent permitted by law, have no fiduciary duty or other duty (contractual or otherwise) to communicate or offer such transaction or other business opportunity to the Corporation or any of its Affiliates and, to the fullest extent permitted by law, shall not be liable to the Corporation or its stockholders or to any Affiliate of the Corporation for breach of any fiduciary duty as a stockholder, director or officer of the Corporation solely by reason of the fact that such Identified Person pursues or acquires such corporate opportunity for itself, herself or himself, offers or directs such corporate opportunity to another Person, or does not present such corporate opportunity to the Corporation or any of its Affiliates.

Section 3. The Corporation does not renounce its interest in any corporate opportunity offered to any Non-Employee Director if such opportunity is expressly offered to such Person solely in his or her capacity as a director or officer of the Corporation, and the provisions of Section 2 of this Article VIII shall not apply to any such corporate opportunity.

Section 4. In addition to and notwithstanding the foregoing provisions of this Article VIII, a corporate opportunity shall not be deemed to be a potential corporate opportunity for the Corporation if it is a business opportunity that (a) the Corporation is neither financially or legally able, nor contractually permitted, to undertake, (b) from its nature, is not in the line of the Corporation's business (or is not under development and projected to grow into a material business for the Corporation) or is of no practical advantage to the Corporation or (c) is one in which the Corporation has no interest or reasonable expectancy.

Section 5. For purposes of this Article VIII, "Affiliate" shall mean (a) in respect of the Carlyle Stockholder, any Person that, directly or indirectly, is controlled by the Carlyle Stockholder, controls the Carlyle Stockholder or is under common control with the Carlyle Stockholder and shall include (i) any principal, member, director, partner, stockholder, officer, employee or other representative of any of the foregoing (other than the Corporation and any Person that is controlled by the Corporation) and (ii) any funds or vehicles advised by Affiliates of the Carlyle Stockholder, (b) in respect of a Non-Employee Director, any Person that, directly or indirectly, is controlled by such Non-Employee Director (other than the Corporation and any Person that is controlled by the Corporation) and (c) in respect of the Corporation, any Person that, directly or indirectly, is controlled by the Corporation.

Section 6. To the fullest extent permitted by law, any Person purchasing or otherwise acquiring or holding any interest in any shares of capital stock of the Corporation shall be deemed to have notice of and to have consented to the provisions of this Article VIII. Neither the alteration, amendment, addition to or repeal of this Article VIII, nor the adoption of any provision of this Certificate of Incorporation (including any certificate of designation relating to any series of Preferred Stock) inconsistent with this Article VIII, shall eliminate or reduce the effect of this Article VIII in respect of any business opportunity first identified or any other matter occurring, or any cause of action, suit or claim that, but for this Article VIII, would accrue or arise, prior to such alteration, amendment, addition, repeal or adoption.

ARTICLE IX INDEMNIFICATION

Section 1. The Corporation shall have the power to provide rights to indemnification and advancement of expenses to its current and former officers, directors, employees and agents and to any person who is or was serving at the request of the Corporation as a director, officer, employee or agent of another corporation, partnership, joint venture, trust or other enterprise.

ARTICLE X CHOICE OF FORUM

Section 1. Unless the Corporation consents in writing to the selection of an alternative forum, (a) the Court of Chancery (the "Chancery Court") of the State of Delaware (or, in the event that the Chancery Court does not have jurisdiction, the federal district court for the District of Delaware or other state courts of the State of Delaware) shall, to the fullest extent permitted by law, be the sole and exclusive forum for (i) any derivative action, suit or proceeding brought on behalf of the Corporation, (ii) any action, suit or proceeding asserting a claim of breach of a fiduciary duty owed by any director, officer or stockholder of the Corporation to the Corporation or to the Corporation's stockholders, (iii) any action, suit or proceeding arising pursuant to any provision of the DGCL or the bylaws of the Corporation or this Restated Certificate (as either may be amended from time to time) or (iv) any action, suit or proceeding asserting a claim against the Corporation governed by the internal affairs doctrine; and (b) subject to the preceding provisions of this Article X, the federal district courts of the United States of America shall be the exclusive forum for the resolution of any complaint asserting a cause or causes of action arising under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, including all causes of action asserted against any defendant to such complaint. If any action the subject matter of which is within the scope of clause (a) of the immediately preceding sentence is filed in a court other than the courts in the State of Delaware (a "Foreign Action") in the name of any stockholder, such stockholder shall be deemed to have consented to (x) the personal jurisdiction of the state and federal courts in the State of Delaware in connection with any action brought in any such court to enforce the provisions of clause (a) of the immediately preceding sentence and (y) having service of process made upon such stockholder in any such action by service upon such stockholder's counsel in the Foreign Action a

Section 2. Any person or entity purchasing or otherwise acquiring any interest in any security of the Corporation shall be deemed to have notice of and consented to this Article X. This Article X is intended to benefit and may be enforced by the Corporation, its officers and directors, the underwriters to any offering giving rise to such complaint, and any other professional or entity whose profession gives authority to a statement made by that person or entity and who has prepared or certified any part of the documents underlying the offering. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the provisions of this Article X shall not apply to suits brought to enforce any liability or duty created by the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or any other claim for which the federal courts of the United States have exclusive jurisdiction.

Section 3. If any provision or provisions of this Article X shall be held to be invalid, illegal or unenforceable as applied to any circumstance for any reason whatsoever, (a) the validity, legality and enforceability of such provisions in any other circumstance and of the remaining provisions of this Article X (including, without limitation, each portion of any paragraph of this Article X containing any such provision held to be invalid, illegal or unenforceable that is not itself held to be invalid, illegal or unenforceable) shall not in any way be affected or impaired thereby and (b) the application of such provision to other persons or entities and circumstances shall not in any way be affected or impaired thereby.

ARTICLE XI <u>AMENDMENT OF THE CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION AND</u> BYLAWS

Section 1. Subject to the provisions of this Article XI, the Corporation reserves the right to amend, alter, change or repeal any provision contained in this Certificate of Incorporation in the manner now or hereafter prescribed by law, and all rights and powers conferred herein on stockholders, directors and officers are subject to this reserved power. From and after the Trigger Event, notwithstanding any other provisions of this Certificate of Incorporation or any provision of law which might otherwise permit a lesser vote or no vote, but in addition to any vote of the holders of any class or series of stock required by this Certificate of Incorporation (including any certificate of designation in respect of one or more series of Preferred Stock) or applicable law, the following provisions of this Certificate of Incorporation may be amended, altered, repealed or rescinded, in whole or in part, or any provision inconsistent therewith or herewith may be adopted, only by the affirmative vote of the holders of at least 66 2/3% of the voting power of the thenoutstanding shares of voting stock of the Corporation entitled to vote thereon, voting together as a single class: Article V, Article VI, Article VII, Article VIII, Article XI or Article XII.

Section 2. The Board is expressly authorized to make, repeal, alter, amend and rescind, in whole or in part, the Bylaws without the consent or vote of the stockholders in any manner not inconsistent with the laws of the State of Delaware or this Certificate of Incorporation. Notwithstanding any other provisions of this Certificate of Incorporation or any provision of law which might otherwise permit a lesser vote or no vote, but in addition to any vote of the holders of any class or series of capital stock of the Corporation required by this Certificate of Incorporation (including any certificate of designation in respect of one or more series of Preferred Stock), by the Bylaws or applicable law, from and after the Trigger Event, the affirmative vote of the holders of at least 66 2/3% of the voting power of the then-outstanding shares of stock of the Corporation entitled to vote thereon, voting together as a single class, shall be required in order for the stockholders of the Corporation to alter, amend, repeal or rescind, in whole or in part, any provision of the Bylaws or to adopt any provision inconsistent therewith.

ARTICLE XII DGCL SECTION 203 AND BUSINESS COMBINATIONS

Section 1. The Corporation hereby expressly elects not to be governed by Section 203 of the DGCL.

Section 2. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the Corporation shall not engage in any business combination (as defined below), at any point in time at which the Corporation's Common Stock is registered under Section 12(b) or 12(g) of the Exchange Act, with any interested stockholder (as defined below) for a period of three years following the time that such stockholder became an interested stockholder, unless:

- a) prior to such time, the Board approved either the business combination or the transaction which resulted in the stockholder becoming an interested stockholder, or
- b) upon consummation of the transaction which resulted in the stockholder becoming an interested stockholder, the interested stockholder owned at least 85% of the voting stock (as defined below) of the Corporation outstanding at the time the transaction commenced, excluding for purposes of determining the voting stock outstanding (but not the outstanding voting stock owned by the interested stockholder) those shares owned by (i) persons who are directors and also officers and (ii) employee stock plans in which employee participants do not have the right to determine confidentially whether shares held subject to the plan will be tendered in a tender or exchange offer, or
- c) at or subsequent to such time, the business combination is approved by the Board and authorized at an annual or special meeting of stockholders, and not by written consent, by the affirmative vote of at least 66 2/3% of the outstanding voting stock of the Corporation which is not owned by the interested stockholder.

Section 3. The restrictions contained in this Article XII shall not apply if a stockholder becomes an interested stockholder inadvertently and (a) as soon as practicable divests itself of ownership of sufficient shares so that the stockholder ceases to be an interested stockholder; and (b) would not, at any time within the three-year period immediately prior to a business combination between the Corporation and such stockholder, have been an interested stockholder but for the inadvertent acquisition of ownership.

Section 4. For purposes of this Article XII, references to:

- a) "Affiliate" means a person that directly, or indirectly through one or more intermediaries, controls, or is controlled by, or is under common control with, another person.
- b) "associate," when used to indicate a relationship with any person, means: (i) any corporation, partnership, unincorporated association or other person of which such person is a director, officer or partner or is, directly or indirectly, the owner of 20% or more of any class of voting stock; (ii) any trust or other estate in which such person has at least a 20% beneficial interest or as to which such person serves as trustee or in a similar fiduciary capacity; and (iii) any relative or spouse of such person, or any relative of such spouse, who has the same residence as such person.

- c) "<u>Carlyle Stockholder Direct Transferee</u>" means any person that acquires (other than in a registered public offering or through a broker's transaction executed on any securities exchange or other over-the-counter market) directly from any of the Carlyle Stockholders beneficial ownership of 5% or more of the then-outstanding voting stock of the Corporation.
- d) "<u>Carlyle Stockholder Indirect Transferee</u>" means any person that acquires (other than in a registered public offering or through a broker's transaction executed on any securities exchange or other over-the-counter market) directly from any Carlyle Stockholder Direct Transferee or any other Carlyle Stockholder Indirect Transferee beneficial ownership of 5% or more of the then-outstanding voting stock of the Corporation.
- e) "business combination," when used in reference to the Corporation and any interested stockholder of the Corporation, means:
 - i. any merger or consolidation of the Corporation or any direct or indirect majority-owned subsidiary of the Corporation (A) with the interested stockholder, or (B) with any other corporation, partnership, unincorporated association or other person if the merger or consolidation is caused by the interested stockholder and as a result of such merger or consolidation Section 2 of this Article XII is not applicable to the surviving entity;
 - ii. any sale, lease, exchange, mortgage, pledge, transfer or other disposition (in one transaction or a series of transactions), except proportionately as a stockholder of the Corporation, to or with the interested stockholder, whether as part of a dissolution or otherwise, of assets of the Corporation or of any direct or indirect majority-owned subsidiary of the Corporation which assets have an aggregate market value equal to 10% or more of either the aggregate market value of all the assets of the Corporation determined on a consolidated basis or the aggregate market value of all the outstanding stock of the Corporation;
 - iii. any transaction which results in the issuance or transfer by the Corporation or by any direct or indirect majority-owned subsidiary of the Corporation of any stock of the Corporation or of such subsidiary to the interested stockholder, except: (A) pursuant to the exercise, exchange or conversion of securities exercisable for, exchangeable for or convertible into stock of the Corporation or any such subsidiary which securities were outstanding prior to the time that the interested stockholder became such; (B) pursuant to a merger under Section 251(g) of the DGCL; (C) pursuant to a dividend or distribution paid or made, or the exercise, exchange or conversion of securities exercisable for, exchangeable for or convertible into stock of the Corporation or any such subsidiary which security is distributed, pro rata to all holders of a class or series

- of stock of the Corporation subsequent to the time the interested stockholder became such; (D) pursuant to an exchange offer by the Corporation to purchase stock made on the same terms to all holders of said stock; or (E) any issuance or transfer of stock by the Corporation; *provided*, *however*, that in no case under items (C)-(E) of this subsection (iii) shall there be an increase in the interested stockholder's proportionate share of the stock of any class or series of the Corporation or of the voting stock of the Corporation (except as a result of immaterial changes due to fractional share adjustments);
- iv. any transaction involving the Corporation or any direct or indirect majority-owned subsidiary of the Corporation which has the effect, directly or indirectly, of increasing the proportionate share of the stock of any class or series, or securities convertible into the stock of any class or series, of the Corporation or of any such subsidiary which is owned by the interested stockholder, except as a result of immaterial changes due to fractional share adjustments or as a result of any purchase or redemption of any shares of stock not caused, directly or indirectly, by the interested stockholder; or
- v. any receipt by the interested stockholder of the benefit, directly or indirectly (except proportionately as a stockholder of the Corporation), of any loans, advances, guarantees, pledges, or other financial benefits (other than those expressly permitted in subsections (i)-(iv) above) provided by or through the Corporation or any direct or indirect majority-owned subsidiary.
- f) "control," including the terms "controlling," "controlled by" and "under common control with," means the possession, directly or indirectly, of the power to direct or cause the direction of the management and policies of a person, whether through the ownership of voting stock, by contract, or otherwise. A person who is the owner of 20% or more of the outstanding voting stock of the Corporation, partnership, unincorporated association or other person shall be presumed to have control of such person, in the absence of proof by a preponderance of the evidence to the contrary. Notwithstanding the foregoing, a presumption of control shall not apply where such person holds voting stock, in good faith and not for the purpose of circumventing this Article XII, as an agent, bank, broker, nominee, custodian or trustee for one or more owners who do not individually or as a group have control of such person.
- g) "interested stockholder" means any person (other than the Corporation or any direct or indirect majority-owned subsidiary of the Corporation) that (i) is the owner of 15% or more of the outstanding voting stock of the Corporation, or (ii) is an Affiliate or associate of the Corporation and was the owner of 15% or more of the outstanding voting stock of the Corporation at any time within the three-year period immediately prior to the date on which it is sought to be determined whether such person is an interested stockholder; and the Affiliates and associates of such person; but "interested stockholder" shall not include or be deemed to include, in any case, (A) the Carlyle Stockholder or any of its respective current and future Affiliates (so long as such Affiliates remain an Affiliate) or successors or any "group," or any

member of any such group, to which such persons are a party under Rule 13d-5 of the Exchange Act, any Carlyle Direct Transferee and any Carlyle Indirect Transferee or (B) any person whose ownership of shares in excess of the 15% limitation set forth herein is the result of any action taken solely by the Corporation, *provided* that such person shall be an interested stockholder if thereafter such person acquires additional shares of voting stock of the Corporation, except as a result of further corporate action not caused, directly or indirectly, by such person. For the purpose of determining whether a person is an interested stockholder, the voting stock of the Corporation deemed to be outstanding shall include stock deemed to be owned by the person through application of the definition of "owner" below but shall not include any other unissued stock of the Corporation which may be issuable pursuant to any agreement, arrangement or understanding, or upon exercise of conversion rights, warrants or options, or otherwise.

- h) "owner," including the terms "own" and "owned," when used with respect to any stock, means a person that individually or with or through any of its Affiliates or associates:
 - i. beneficially owns such stock, directly or indirectly; or
 - ii. has (A) the right to acquire such stock (whether such right is exercisable immediately or only after the passage of time) pursuant to any agreement, arrangement or understanding, or upon the exercise of conversion rights, exchange rights, warrants or options, or otherwise; provided, however, that a person shall not be deemed the owner of stock tendered pursuant to a tender or exchange offer made by such person or any of such person's Affiliates or associates until such tendered stock is accepted for purchase or exchange; or (B) the right to vote such stock pursuant to any agreement, arrangement or understanding; provided, however, that a person shall not be deemed the owner of any stock because of such person's right to vote such stock if the agreement, arrangement or understanding to vote such stock arises solely from a revocable proxy or consent given in response to a proxy or consent solicitation made to ten or more persons; or
 - iii. has any agreement, arrangement or understanding for the purpose of acquiring, holding, voting (except voting pursuant to a revocable proxy or consent as described in item (B) of subsection (ii) of the definition of "owner" above), or disposing of such stock with any other person that beneficially owns, or whose Affiliates or associates beneficially own, directly or indirectly, such stock.
- i) "person" means any individual, corporation, partnership, unincorporated association or other entity.
- j) "stock" means, with respect to any corporation, capital stock and, with respect to any other person, any equity interest.

k) "<u>voting stock</u>" means stock of any class or series entitled to vote generally in the election of directors.

ARTICLE XIII MISCELLANEOUS

If any provision or provisions of this Certificate of Incorporation (including any certificate of designation relating to any series of Preferred Stock) shall be held to be invalid, illegal or unenforceable as applied to any circumstance for any reason whatsoever, the validity, legality and enforceability of such provision or provisions in any other circumstance and of the remaining provisions of this Certificate of Incorporation (including, without limitation, any certificate of designation relating to any series of Preferred Stock and each portion of any paragraph of this Certificate of Incorporation or certificate of designation containing any such provision or provisions held to be invalid, illegal or unenforceable that is not itself held to be invalid, illegal or unenforceable) shall not, to the fullest extent permitted by applicable law, in any way be affected or impaired thereby.

When the terms of this Certificate of Incorporation refer to a specific agreement or other document or a decision by any body or Person that determines the meaning or operation of a provision hereof, the secretary of the Corporation shall maintain a copy of such agreement, document or decision at the principal executive offices of the Corporation and a copy thereof will be provided free of charge to any stockholder who makes a request therefor. Unless expressly provided herein or the context otherwise requires, any definition of or reference to any agreement, instrument or other document herein shall be construed as referring to such agreement, instrument or other document as from time to time amended, restated, supplemented or otherwise modified (subject to any restrictions on such amendments, restatements, supplements or modifications set forth herein).

ARTICLE XIV DEFINITIONS

As used in this Certificate of Incorporation, except as otherwise expressly provided herein and unless the context requires otherwise, the following terms shall have the following meanings:

"Affiliate" means, other than as set forth in Section 6 of Article VIII and Section 4 of Article XII, with respect to any specified Person, any other Person which, directly or indirectly, controls, is controlled by or is under common control with the specified Person, including any partner, officer, director or member of the specified Person and, if the specified Person is a private equity fund, any investment fund now or hereafter managed by, or which is controlled by or is under common control with, one or more general partners or managing members of, or shares the same management company with, the specified Person or any investment fund, managed account vehicle, collective investment scheme or comparable investment vehicle ("Fund") now or hereafter existing that shares the same management company or registered investment advisor with such Person or any Fund now or hereafter existing that is controlled by, under common control with, managed or advised by the same management company or registered investment advisor that controls, is under common control with, manages or advises the Fund that controls such Person. For the purposes of this definition, "control" (including, with its correlative meanings, the terms "controlled by" and "under common control with"), as used with respect to any Person, shall mean the possession, directly or indirectly, of the power to direct, or cause the direction of the management and policies of such Person, whether through the ownership of securities, by contract or otherwise.

<u>Carlyle Majority Interest</u>" shall mean, at any given time, the Carlyle Stockholders holding a majority in voting power of the outstanding shares of Common Stock held at that specified time by all Carlyle Stockholders.

"Carlyle Stockholder" means, collectively, (i) Carlyle Partners VII S1 Holdings II, L.P. (the "Initial Carlyle Stockholder") and (ii) any Permitted Transferee or Affiliate of the Initial Carlyle Stockholder (x) which is issued shares of Common Stock or becomes the beneficial owner of any shares of Common Stock or is Transferred any shares of Common Stock by any other Person and (ii) which becomes a party to the Stockholders Agreement by executing a joinder agreement thereto.

"Exchange Act" means the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, and the rules and regulations thereunder (as so amended and inclusive of such rules and regulations).

"GIC Stockholder" means, collectively, Hux Investment Ptd Ltd. and its Affiliates and their respective Affiliates, subsidiaries, members, partners, directors, officers and employees.

"Permitted Transferee" means, with respect to the Carlyle Stockholder, (i) any Affiliate of such Carlyle Stockholder, (ii) any director, officer or employee of any Affiliate of such Carlyle Stockholder, (iii) any direct or indirect member or general or limited partner of such Carlyle Stockholder that is the transferee of shares of Common Stock pursuant to a pro rata distribution of shares of Common Stock by such Carlyle Stockholder to its partners or members, as applicable (or any subsequent transfer of such shares of Common Stock by the transferee to another Permitted Transferee) or (iv) any other transferee designated as a Permitted Transferee by such Carlyle Majority Interest.

"Person" means, other than as set forth in of Article XII, any individual, general partnership, limited partnership, limited liability company, corporation, trust, business trust, joint stock company, joint venture, trust, unincorporated association, cooperative or association or any other legal entity or organization of whatever nature, and shall include any successor (by merger or otherwise) of such entity.

"Stockholders Agreement" means the Stockholders Agreement, dated as of October 1, 2024, among the Corporation, the Carlyle Stockholder, the GIC Stockholder and the other stockholders party thereto, as may be amended and/or restated from time to time.

"Transfer" means any direct or indirect transfer, donation, sale, assignment, pledge, hypothecation, grant of a security interest in or other disposal or attempted disposal of all or any portion of a security, any interest or rights in a security, or any rights under the Stockholders Agreement.

"Trigger Event" means the first date on which the Carlyle Stockholders cease to beneficially own (directly or indirectly) at least 40% of the voting power of the outstanding shares of Common Stock. For the purpose of this Certificate of Incorporation, "beneficial ownership" or the phrase "beneficially own" shall be determined in accordance with Rule 13d-3 promulgated under the Exchange Act.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, StandardAero, Inc. has caused this Certificate of Incorporation to be executed by its duly authorized officer on this 1st day of October, 2024.

StandardAero, Inc.

By: /s/Daniel Satterfield
Name: Daniel Satterfield
Title: Chief Financial Officer

[Signature Page to Amended and Restated Certificate of Incorporation]

Amended and Restated Bylaws of

StandardAero, Inc.

(a Delaware corporation)

as of October 1, 2024

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Article I - Corporate Offices

1.1 Registered Office.

The address of the registered office of StandardAero, Inc. (the "<u>Corporation</u>") in the State of Delaware, and the name of its registered agent at such address, shall be as set forth in the Corporation's certificate of incorporation, as the same may be amended and/or restated from time to time (the "<u>Certificate of Incorporation</u>").

1.2 Other Offices.

The Corporation may have additional offices at any place or places, either within or outside the State of Delaware, as the Corporation's board of directors (the "Board") may from time to time establish or as the business of the Corporation may from time to time require.

Article II - Meetings of Stockholders

2.1 Place of Meetings.

Meetings of stockholders shall be held at any place either within or outside the State of Delaware, designated by the Board. The Board may, in its sole discretion, determine that a meeting of stockholders shall not be held at any place, but may instead be held solely by means of remote communication as authorized by Section 211(a)(2) of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware (the "DGCL"). In the absence of any such designation or determination, stockholders' meetings shall be held at the Corporation's principal executive office.

2.2 Annual Meeting.

The Board shall designate the date and time of the annual meeting of stockholders. At the annual meeting, directors shall be elected and other proper business properly brought before the meeting in accordance with Section 2.4 of these Bylaws may be transacted. The Board may postpone, reschedule or cancel any annual meeting of stockholders previously scheduled by the Board.

2.3 Special Meetings.

Special meetings of the stockholders may be called only by such Persons and only in such manner as set forth in the Certificate of Incorporation. The Board may postpone, reschedule or cancel any special meeting of stockholders previously scheduled by the Board; provided, however, that, with respect to any special meeting of stockholders previously scheduled by the Board or the chairperson of the Board at the request of the Carlyle Majority Interest (on behalf of the Carlyle Stockholders), the Board shall not postpone, reschedule or cancel such special meeting without the prior written consent of the Carlyle Majority Interest (on behalf of the Carlyle Stockholders).

No business may be transacted at any special meeting of stockholders other than the business specified in the notice of such special meeting given by or at the direction of the Person calling the meeting pursuant to this Section 2.3.

2.4 Notice of Business to be Brought Before a Meeting.

- (i) At the annual meeting of stockholders, only such business shall be conducted as shall have been properly brought before such annual meeting. To be properly brought before the annual meeting, business must be (a) specified in a notice of such annual meeting (or supplement thereto) given by or at the direction of the Board, (b) if not specified in a notice of such annual meeting, otherwise brought before the annual meeting by or at the direction of the Board, including by any committee or persons authorized to do so by the Board or these Bylaws, or (c) otherwise properly brought before such annual meeting by a stockholder present in person who (1) (A) was a record owner of shares of capital stock of the Corporation both at the time of giving the notice provided for in this Section 2.4 and at the time of the annual meeting, (B) is entitled to vote at the annual meeting, and (C) has complied with this Section 2.4 in all applicable respects or (2) properly made such proposal in accordance with Rule 14a-8 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, and the rules and regulations thereunder (as so amended and inclusive of such rules and regulations, the "Exchange Act"). The foregoing clause (c) shall be the exclusive means for a stockholder to propose business to be brought before the annual meeting. For purposes of this Section 2.4, "present in person" shall mean that the stockholder proposing that the business be brought before the annual meeting of stockholders, or a qualified representative of such proposing stockholder, appear at such annual meeting, either in person or by means of remote communication. In addition, for purposes of this Section 2.4, a "qualified representative" of such proposing stockholder shall be a duly authorized officer, manager or partner of such stockholder or any other person authorized by a writing executed by such stockholder or an electronic transmission delivered by such stockholder to act for such stockholder as proxy at the annual meeting of stockholders and such person must produce such writing or electronic transmission, or a reliable reproduction of the writing or electronic transmission, at or before such annual meeting in writing or by electronic communication. Stockholders seeking to nominate persons for election to the Board must comply with Section 2.5 and Section 2.6 and this Section 2.4 shall not be applicable to nominations except as expressly provided in Section 2.5 and Section 2.6.
- (ii) Without qualification, for business to be properly brought before the annual meeting of stockholders by a stockholder pursuant to Section 2.4(i)(c), such proposed business must constitute a proper matter for stockholder action and the stockholder must (a) provide Timely Notice (as defined below) thereof in writing and in proper form to the secretary of the Corporation (the "Secretary") and (b) provide any updates or supplements to such notice at the times and in the forms required by this Section 2.4. To be timely, a stockholder's notice must be delivered to, or mailed and received at, the principal executive offices of the Corporation not less than ninety (90) days nor more than one hundred twenty (120) days prior to the one-year anniversary of the preceding year's annual meeting which, in the case of the first annual meeting of stockholders following the closing of the Corporation's initial underwritten public offering of common stock, the date of the preceding year's annual meeting shall be deemed to be June 1, 2024; provided, that if the date of the annual meeting is more than thirty (30) days before or more than sixty (60) days after such anniversary date, notice by the stockholder to be timely

must be so delivered, or mailed and received, not more than the one hundred twentieth (120th) day prior to such annual meeting and not later than (i) the ninetieth (90th) day prior to such annual meeting or, (ii) if later, the tenth (10th) day following the day on which public disclosure (as defined below) of the date of such annual meeting was first made by the Corporation (such notice within such time periods, "<u>Timely Notice</u>"). In no event shall any adjournment or postponement of the annual meeting or the announcement thereof commence a new time period (or extend any time period) for the giving of Timely Notice as described above.

- (iii) To be in proper form for purposes of this Section 2.4, a stockholder's notice to the Secretary shall set forth:
- (a) As to each Proposing Person (as defined below), (1) the name and address of such Proposing Person (including, if applicable, the name and address that appear on the Corporation's books and records); (2) the class or series and number of shares of capital stock of the Corporation that are, directly or indirectly, owned of record or beneficially owned (within the meaning of Rule 13d-3 under the Exchange Act) by such Proposing Person, except that such Proposing Person shall in all events be deemed to beneficially own any shares of any class or series of capital stock of the Corporation as to which such Proposing Person has a right to acquire beneficial ownership at any time in the future; (3) the date or dates such shares were acquired; (4) the investment intent of such acquisition of shares; and (5) any pledge by such Proposing Person with respect to any of such shares (the disclosures to be made pursuant to the foregoing clauses (1) through (5) are referred to as "Stockholder Information");
- (b) As to each Proposing Person, (1) the material terms and conditions of any "derivative security" (as such term is defined in Rule 16a-1(c) under the Exchange Act) that constitutes a "call equivalent position" (as such term is defined in Rule 16a-1(h) under the Exchange Act) or other derivative or synthetic arrangement in respect of any class or series of shares of capital stock of the Corporation ("Synthetic Equity Position") that is, directly or indirectly, held or maintained by, held for the benefit of, or involving such Proposing Person, including, without limitation: (A) any option, warrant, convertible security, stock appreciation right, future or similar right with an exercise or conversion privilege or a settlement payment or mechanism at a price related to any class or series of shares of capital stock of the Corporation or with a value derived in whole or in part from the value of any shares of any class or series of shares of capital stock of the Corporation, (B) any derivative or synthetic arrangement having the characteristics of a long position or a short position in any class or series of shares of capital stock of the Corporation, including, without limitation, a stock loan transaction, a stock borrowing transaction, or a share repurchase transaction or (C) any contract, derivative, swap or other transaction or series of transactions designed to (x) produce economic benefits and risks that correspond substantially to the ownership of any class or series of shares of capital stock of the Corporation, (y) mitigate any loss relating to, reduce the economic risk (of ownership or otherwise) of, or manage the risk of share price decrease in, any class or series of shares of capital stock of the Corporation held or maintained by, held for the benefit of, or involving such Proposing Person; including, without limitation, due to the fact that the value of such contract, derivative, swap or other transaction or series of transactions is determined by reference to the price, value or volatility of any cl

stock of the Corporation, whether or not such instrument, contract or right shall be subject to settlement in the underlying class or series of shares of capital stock of the Corporation, through the delivery of cash or other property, or otherwise, and without regard to whether the holder thereof may have entered into transactions that hedge or mitigate the economic effect of such instrument, contract or right, or any other direct or indirect opportunity to profit or share in any profit derived from any increase or decrease in the price or value of any shares of any class or series of shares of capital stock of the Corporation; provided, that, for the purposes of the definition of "Synthetic Equity Position," the term "derivative security" shall also include any security or instrument that would not otherwise constitute a "derivative security" as a result of any feature that would make any conversion, exercise or similar right or privilege of such security or instrument becoming determinable only at some future date or upon the happening of a future occurrence, in which case the determination of the amount of securities into which such security or instrument would be convertible or exercisable shall be made assuming that such security or instrument is immediately convertible or exercisable at the time of such determination; and, provided, further, that any Proposing Person satisfying the requirements of Rule 13d-1(b)(1) under the Exchange Act (other than a Proposing Person that so satisfies Rule 13d-1(b)(1) under the Exchange Act solely by reason of Rule 13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(E)) shall not be deemed to hold or maintain the notional amount of any securities that underlie any Synthetic Equity Position that is, directly or indirectly, held or maintained by, held for the benefit of, or involving such Proposing Person as a hedge with respect to a bona fide derivatives trade or position of such Proposing Person arising in the ordinary course of such Proposing Person's business as a derivatives dealer; (2) a description of any agreement, arrangement or understanding with respect to any rights to dividends on the shares of any class or series of shares of capital stock of the Corporation owned beneficially by such Proposing Person that are separated or separable pursuant to such agreement, arrangement or understanding from the underlying shares of capital stock of the Corporation; (3) any material pending or threatened legal proceeding in which such Proposing Person is a party or material participant involving the Corporation or any of its officers or directors, or any affiliate of the Corporation; (4) any other material relationship between such Proposing Person, on the one hand, and the Corporation or any affiliate of the Corporation, on the other hand; (5) any direct or indirect material interest in any material contract or agreement of such Proposing Person with the Corporation or any affiliate of the Corporation (including, in any such case, any employment agreement, collective bargaining agreement or consulting agreement); (6) any proportionate interest in shares of capital stock of the Corporation or a Synthetic Equity Position held, directly or indirectly, by a general or limited partnership, limited liability company or similar entity in which any such Proposing Person (A) is a general partner or, directly or indirectly, beneficially owns an interest in a general partner of such general or limited partnership or (B) is the manager, managing member or, directly or indirectly, beneficially owns an interest in the manager or managing member of such limited liability company or similar entity; (7) a representation that such Proposing Person intends or is part of a group that intends to deliver a proxy statement and/or form of proxy to holders of at least the percentage of the Corporation's outstanding capital stock required to approve or adopt the proposal or otherwise solicit proxies or votes from stockholders in support of such proposal; and (8) any other information relating to such Proposing Person that would be required to be disclosed in a proxy statement or other filing required to be made in connection with solicitations of proxies or consents by such Proposing Person in support of the business proposed to be brought before the annual meeting pursuant to Section 14(a) of the Exchange Act

(the disclosures to be made pursuant to the foregoing clauses (1) through (8) are referred to as "<u>Disclosable Interests</u>"); provided, however, that Disclosable Interests shall not include any such disclosures with respect to the ordinary course business activities of any broker, dealer, commercial bank, trust company or other nominee who is a Proposing Person solely as a result of being the stockholder directed to prepare and submit the notice required by these Bylaws on behalf of a beneficial owner; and

- (c) As to each item of business that the stockholder proposes to bring before the annual meeting of stockholders, (1) a brief description of the business desired to be brought before the annual meeting, the reasons for conducting such business at the annual meeting and any material interest in such business of each Proposing Person, (2) the text of the proposal or business (including the text of any resolutions proposed for consideration and in the event that such business includes a proposal to amend the Bylaws, the language of the proposed amendment), (3) a reasonably detailed description of all agreements, arrangements and understandings (A) between or among any of the Proposing Persons or (B) between or among any Proposing Person and any other Person or entity (including their names) in connection with the proposal of such business by such stockholder and (4) any other information relating to such item of business that would be required to be disclosed in a proxy statement or other filing required to be made in connection with solicitations of proxies in support of the business proposed to be brought before the annual meeting pursuant to Section 14(a) of the Exchange Act; provided, however, that the disclosures required by this Section 2.4(iii) shall not include any disclosures with respect to any broker, dealer, commercial bank, trust company or other nominee who is a Proposing Person solely as a result of being the stockholder directed to prepare and submit the notice required by these Bylaws on behalf of a beneficial owner.
- (iv) For purposes of this Section 2.4, the term "<u>Proposing Person</u>" shall mean (a) the stockholder providing the notice of business proposed to be brought before the annual meeting of stockholders, (b) the beneficial owner or beneficial owners, if different, on whose behalf the notice of the business proposed to be brought before the annual meeting is made, and (c) any participant (as defined in paragraphs (a)(ii)-(vi) of Instruction 3 to Item 4 of Schedule 14A) with such stockholder in such solicitation.
- (v) The Board may request that any Proposing Person furnish such additional information as may be reasonably required by the Board. Such Proposing Person shall provide such additional information within ten (10) days after it has been requested by the Board.
- (vi) A Proposing Person shall update and supplement its notice to the Corporation of its intent to propose business at the annual meeting of stockholders, if necessary, so that the information provided or required to be provided in such notice pursuant to this Section 2.4 shall be true and correct (a) as of the record date for stockholders entitled to vote at such annual meeting and (b) as of the date that is ten (10) business days prior to such annual meeting or any adjournment or postponement thereof, and such update and supplement shall be delivered to, or mailed and received by, the Secretary at the principal executive offices of the Corporation (x) not later than five (5) business days after the record date for stockholders entitled to vote at such annual meeting in the case of the update and supplement required to be made as of such record date, and (y) not later than eight (8) business days prior to the date for such annual meeting or, if practicable, any adjournment or postponement thereof in the case of the update and supplement

required to be made as of ten (10) business days prior to such annual meeting or any adjournment or postponement thereof; *provided*, that, in the case of an adjournment or postponement, if it is not possible to deliver such update and supplement by such date due to an adjournment or postponement of the annual meeting that is less than eight (8) business days, such update or supplement shall be delivered on the first practicable date prior to the date to which such annual meeting has been adjourned or postponed. For the avoidance of doubt, the obligation to update and supplement as set forth in this paragraph (vi) or any other Section of these Bylaws shall not limit the Corporation's rights with respect to any deficiencies in any notice provided by a stockholder, extend any applicable deadlines hereunder or enable or be deemed to permit a stockholder who has previously submitted notice hereunder to amend or update any proposal or to submit any new proposal, including by changing or adding matters, business or resolutions proposed to be brought before the annual meeting of stockholders.

- (vii) Notwithstanding anything in these Bylaws to the contrary, no business shall be conducted at the annual meeting of stockholders that is not properly brought before such annual meeting in accordance with this Section 2.4. The person presiding over the annual meeting (or, in advance of any meeting of stockholders, the Board or an authorized committee thereof) shall, if the facts warrant, determine that the business was not properly brought before such annual meeting in accordance with this Section 2.4, and, if any proposed business was not proposed in compliance with this Section 2.4, declare that such business shall not be transacted. If at any meeting of stockholders business is proposed to be brought before such annual meeting for which advance notice was not given or provided as required by this Section 2.4, the person presiding over the meeting shall have the power and authority to declare that such proposed business shall not be transacted.
- (viii) This Section 2.4 is expressly intended to apply to any business proposed to be brought before the annual meeting of stockholders other than any proposal made in accordance with Rule 14a-8 under the Exchange Act and included in the Corporation's proxy statement. In addition to the requirements of this Section 2.4 with respect to any business proposed to be brought before the annual meeting, each Proposing Person shall comply with all applicable requirements of the Exchange Act with respect to any such business. Nothing in this Section 2.4 shall be deemed to affect the rights of any stockholder to request inclusion of proposals in the Corporation's proxy statement pursuant to Rule 14a-8 under the Exchange Act.
- (ix) For purposes of these Bylaws, "public disclosure" shall mean disclosure in a press release reported by a national news service or in a document publicly filed by the Corporation with the Securities and Exchange Commission pursuant to Sections 13, 14 or 15(d) of the Exchange Act.
- (x) Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in these Bylaws, for so long as the Stockholders Agreement (as defined below) remains in effect, the Carlyle Stockholders (to the extent then subject to the Stockholders Agreement) shall not be subject to this Section 2.4.

2.5 Notice of Nominations for Election to the Board of Directors at an Annual or Special Meeting.

- (i) Nominations of any person for election to the Board at an annual or special meeting of stockholders (but, in the case of a special meeting, only if the election of directors is a matter specified in the notice of meeting given by or at the direction of the Person calling such special meeting) may be made at such meeting only (a) by or at the direction of the Board, including by any committee or persons authorized to do so by the Board or these Bylaws, or (b) by a stockholder present in person who (1) who was a record owner of shares of capital stock of the Corporation both at the time of giving the notice provided for in this Section 2.5 and at the time of the meeting, (2) is entitled to vote at the meeting and (3) has complied with this Section 2.5 and 2.6 as to such notice and nomination; *provided*, that, notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in these Bylaws, for so long as the Carlyle Stockholders are entitled to designate a Director pursuant to the Stockholders Agreement, the Carlyle Stockholders shall not be subject to this Section 2.5. For purposes of this Section 2.5, "present in person" shall mean that the stockholder nominating any person for election to the Board at an annual or special meeting of stockholders, or a qualified representative of such stockholder, appear at such meeting, either in person or by means of remote communication to present the nomination. In addition, for purposes of this Section 2.5, a "qualified representative" of such proposing stockholder shall be a duly authorized officer, manager or partner of such stockholder or any other Person authorized by a writing executed by such stockholder or an electronic transmission delivered by such stockholder to act for such stockholder as proxy at the meeting of stockholders and such Person must produce such writing or electronic transmission, or a reliable reproduction of the writing or electronic transmission, at or before such meeting in writing or by electronic transmission. The foregoing clause (b) shall be the excl
- (ii) Without qualification, in the case of the annual meeting of stockholders, for a stockholder to make any nomination of a person or persons for election to the Board at the annual meeting, the stockholder must (a) provide Timely Notice (as defined in Section 2.4) thereof in writing and in proper form to the Secretary of the Corporation, (b) provide the information, agreements and questionnaires with respect to each Nominating Person (as defined below) and its candidate for nomination as required to be set forth by this Section 2.5 and Section 2.6, and (c) provide any updates or supplements to such notice at the times and in the forms required by this Section 2.5 and Section 2.6.
- (iii) Without qualification, in the case of a special meeting of stockholders, if the election of directors is a matter specified in the notice of meeting given by or at the direction of the Person calling a special meeting, then for a stockholder to make any nomination of a person or persons for election to the Board at a special meeting, the stockholder must (a) provide timely notice thereof in writing and in proper form to the Secretary of the Corporation at the principal executive offices of the Corporation, (b) provide the information, agreements and questionnaires with respect to each Nominating Person and its candidate for nomination as required by this Section 2.5 and Section 2.6 and (c) provide any updates or supplements to such notice at the times and in the forms required by this Section 2.5. To be timely, a stockholder's notice for nominations to be made at a special meeting must be delivered to, or mailed and received at, the

principal executive offices of the Corporation not earlier than the one hundred twentieth (120th) day prior to such special meeting and not later than the ninetieth (90th) day prior to such special meeting or, if later, the tenth (10th) day following the day on which public disclosure (as defined in Section 2.4) of the date of such special meeting at which directors are to be elected was first made by the Corporation (such notice and within such time periods, "Special Meeting Timely Notice").

- (iv) In no event shall any adjournment or postponement of an annual or special meeting of stockholders or the announcement thereof commence a new time period (or extend any time period) for the giving of a stockholder's notice as described above.
- (v) In no event may a Nominating Person (as defined below) provide Timely Notice or Special Meeting Timely Notice, as applicable, with respect to a greater number of director candidates than are subject to election by stockholders at the applicable annual or special meeting of stockholders. Notwithstanding anything in paragraph (ii) of this Section 2.5 to the contrary, in the event that the number of directors subject to election at the meeting is increased, such stockholder's notice as to any additional nominees only shall be due on the later of (a) the conclusion of the time period for Timely Notice or Special Meeting Timely Notice, as applicable, or (b) the tenth (10th) day following the date of public disclosure (as defined in Section 2.4) of such increase.
 - (vi) To be in proper form for purposes of this Section 2.5, a stockholder's notice to the Secretary shall set forth:
- (a) As to each Nominating Person, the Stockholder Information (as defined in Section 2.4(iii)(a) of these Bylaws), except that for purposes of this Section 2.5, the term "Nominating Person" shall be substituted for the term "Proposing Person" in all places it appears in Section 2.4(iii)(a);
- (b) As to each Nominating Person, any Disclosable Interests (as defined in Section 2.4(iii)(b), except that for purposes of this Section 2.5 the term "Nominating Person" shall be substituted for the term "Proposing Person" in all places it appears in Section 2.4(iii)(b) and the disclosure with respect to the business to be brought before the annual meeting of stockholders in Section 2.4(iii)(b) shall be made with respect to the election of directors at the applicable annual or special meeting); and *provided* that, in lieu of including the information set forth in Section 2.4(iii)(b)(7), the Nominating Person's notice for purposes of this Section 2.5 shall include a representation as to whether the Nominating Person intends or is part of a group which intends to deliver a proxy statement and solicit the holders of shares representing at least sixty-seven percent (67%) of the voting power of shares entitled to vote on the election of directors in support of director nominees other than the Corporation's nominees in accordance with Rule 14a-19 promulgated under the Exchange Act; and

- (c) As to each candidate whom a Nominating Person proposes to nominate for election as a director, (1) all information relating to such candidate for nomination that is required to be disclosed in a proxy statement or other filings required to be made in connection with solicitations of proxies for election of directors in a contested election pursuant to Section 14(a) under the Exchange Act (including such candidate's written consent to being named in a proxy statement and accompanying proxy card relating to the Corporation's next meeting of stockholders at which directors are to be elected and to serving as a director for a full term if elected), (2) a description of any direct or indirect material interest in any material contract or agreement between or among any Nominating Person, on the one hand, and each candidate for nomination or his or her respective associates (as defined in Rule 14a-1(a) promulgated under the Exchange Act) or any other participants (as defined in paragraphs (a)(ii) through (vi) of Instruction 3 to Item 4 of Schedule 14A) in such solicitation, on the other hand, including, without limitation, all information that would be required to be disclosed pursuant to Item 404 under Regulation S-K if such Nominating Person were the "registrant" for purposes of such rule and the candidate for nomination were a director or executive officer of such registrant (the disclosures to be made pursuant to the foregoing clauses (1) and (2) are referred to as "Nominee Information"), and (3) a completed and signed questionnaire, representation and agreement as provided in Section 2.6(i).
- (vii) For purposes of this Section 2.5 and Section 2.6, the term "Nominating Person" shall mean (a) the stockholder providing the notice of the nomination proposed to be made at the annual or special meeting of stockholders, (b) the beneficial owner or beneficial owners, if different, on whose behalf the notice of the nomination proposed to be made at the meeting is made, and (c) any participant (as defined in paragraphs (a)(ii)-(vi) of Instruction 3 to Item 4 of Schedule 14A) with such stockholder in such solicitation.
- (viii) The Board may request that any Nominating Person furnish such additional information as may be reasonably required by the Board. Such Nominating Person shall provide such additional information within ten (10) days after it has been requested by the Board.
- (ix) A stockholder providing notice of any nomination proposed to be made at an annual or special meeting and any candidate for nomination as a director shall further update and supplement such notice or the materials delivered pursuant to this Section 2.5, as applicable, if necessary, so that the information provided or required to be provided in such notice or by such candidate, as applicable, pursuant to this Section 2.5 shall be true and correct as of the record date for stockholders entitled to vote at such meeting and as of the date that is ten (10) business days prior to such meeting or any adjournment or postponement thereof, and such update and supplement shall be delivered to, or mailed and received by, the Secretary at the principal executive offices of the Corporation (x) not later than five (5) business days after the record date for stockholders entitled to vote at such annual meeting in the case of the update and supplement required to be made as of such record date, and (y) not later than eight (8) business days prior to the date for such annual meeting or any adjournment or postponement thereof in the case of the update and supplement required to be made as of ten (10) business days prior to such annual meeting or any adjournment or postponement thereof; provided, that, in the case of an adjournment or postponement, if it is not possible to deliver such update and supplement by such date due, for example, to an adjournment or postponement of an annual or special meeting that is less than eight (8) business days, such update or supplement shall be delivered on the first practicable date prior to the date to which such meeting has been adjourned or postponed. For the avoidance of doubt, the obligation to update and supplement as set forth in this paragraph (ix) or any other Section of these Bylaws shall not limit the Corporation's rights with respect to any deficiencies in any notice provided by a stockholder, extend any applicable deadlines hereunder or enable or be deemed to permit a stockholder who has previously submitted notice hereunder to amend or update any nomination, including by changing or adding nominees, or to submit any new nomination, or submit any new proposal, matters, business or resolutions proposed to be brought before an annual or special meeting of the stockholders.

(x) In addition to the requirements of this Section 2.5 with respect to any nomination proposed to be made at an annual or special meeting of stockholders, each Nominating Person shall comply with all applicable requirements of the Exchange Act with respect to any such nominations. Notwithstanding the foregoing provisions of this Section 2.5, unless otherwise required by law, (a) no Nominating Person shall solicit proxies in support of director nominees other than the Corporation's nominees unless such Nominating Person has, or is part of a group that has, complied with Rule 14a-19 promulgated under the Exchange Act in connection with the solicitation of such proxies, including the provision to the Corporation of notices required thereunder, in accordance with the time frames required in this Section 2.5 or by Rule 14a-19 promulgated under the Exchange Act, as applicable, and (b) if (1) any Nominating Person provides notice in accordance with Rule 14a-19(b) promulgated under the Exchange Act and (2) (x) such notice in accordance with Rule 14a-19(b) is not provided within the time period of Timely Notice of Special Meeting Timely Notice, as applicable, (y) such Nominating Person subsequently fails to comply with the requirements of Rule 14a-19(a)(2) or Rule 14a-19(a)(3) promulgated under the Exchange Act, or (z) such Nominating Person fails to timely provide reasonable evidence sufficient to satisfy the Corporation that such Nominating Person has met the requirements of Rule 14a-19(a)(3) promulgated under the Exchange Act in accordance with the following sentence, then the nomination of such Nominating Person's proposed nominees shall be disregarded, notwithstanding that each such nominee is included as a nominee in the Corporation's proxy statement, notice of meeting or other proxy materials for any annual meeting (or any supplement thereto) and notwithstanding that proxies or votes in respect of the election of such proposed nominees may have been received by the Corporation (which proxies and votes shall be disregarded). If any Nominating Person provides notice in accordance with Rule 14a-19(b) promulgated under the Exchange Act, such Nominating Person shall deliver to the Corporation, no later than seven (7) business days prior to the applicable meeting, reasonable evidence that it has met the requirements of Rule 14a-19(a)(3) promulgated under the Exchange Act.

2.6 Additional Requirements for Valid Nomination of Candidates to Serve as Director and, if Elected, to be Seated as Directors.

(i) To be eligible to be a candidate for election as a director of the Corporation at an annual or special meeting, a candidate must be nominated in the manner prescribed in Section 2.5 and the candidate for nomination, whether nominated by the Board or by a stockholder of record, must have previously delivered (in the case of a nomination by a stockholder of record, in accordance with the time periods set forth in Section 2.5), to the Secretary at the principal executive offices of the Corporation, (a) a completed written questionnaire (in the form provided by the Corporation upon written request of any stockholder of record therefor) with respect to the background, qualifications, stock ownership and independence of such proposed nominee and (b) a written representation and agreement (in the form provided by the Corporation upon written request of any stockholder of record therefor) that such candidate for nomination (1) is not and, if elected as a director during his or her term of office, will not become a party to (A) any agreement, arrangement or understanding with, and

has not given and will not give any commitment or assurance to, any person or entity as to how such proposed nominee, if elected as a director of the Corporation, will act or vote on any issue or question (a "Voting Commitment") that has not been disclosed to the Corporation or (B) any Voting Commitment that could limit or interfere with such proposed nominee's ability to comply, if elected as a director of the Corporation, with such proposed nominee's fiduciary duties under applicable law, (2) is not, and will not become a party to, any agreement, arrangement or understanding with any person or entity other than the Corporation with respect to any direct or indirect compensation or reimbursement for service as a director that has not been disclosed therein or to the Corporation, (3) if elected as a director of the Corporation, will comply with all applicable corporate governance, conflict of interest, confidentiality, stock ownership and trading and other policies and guidelines of the Corporation applicable to directors and in effect during such person's term in office as a director (and, if requested by any candidate for nomination, the Secretary shall provide to such candidate for nomination all such policies and guidelines then in effect), and (4) if elected as a director of the Corporation, intends to serve the entire term until the next meeting at which such candidate would face re-election.

- (ii) The Corporation may also require any proposed candidate for nomination as a director to furnish such other information as may reasonably be requested by the Corporation to determine whether such proposed candidate is qualified under the Certificate of Incorporation, these Bylaws, the rules or regulations of any stock exchange applicable to the Corporation, or any law or regulation applicable to the Corporation to serve as a director and/or independent director of the Corporation. Such other information shall be delivered to, or mailed and received by, the Secretary at the principal executive offices of the Corporation not later than five business days after the request by the Board has been delivered to, or mailed and received by, the Nominating Person.
- (iii) A candidate for nomination as a director by a stockholder pursuant to Section 2.5(i)(b) shall further update and supplement the materials delivered pursuant to this Section 2.6, if necessary, so that the information provided or required to be provided pursuant to this Section 2.6 shall be true and correct as of the record date for stockholders entitled to vote at the meeting and as of the date that is ten (10) business days prior to the meeting or any adjournment or postponement thereof, and such update and supplement shall be delivered to, or mailed and received by, the Secretary at the principal executive offices of the Corporation not later than five (5) business days after the record date for stockholders entitled to vote at the meeting (in the case of the update and supplement required to be made as of such record date), and not later than eight (8) business days prior to the date for such meeting or any adjournment or postponement thereof, provided, that, in the case of an adjournment or postponement, if it is not possible to deliver such update and supplement by such date due, for example, to an adjournment or postponement of the meeting that is less than eight (8) business days, such update or supplement shall be delivered on the first practicable date prior to the date to which such meeting has been adjourned or postponed. For the avoidance of doubt, the obligation to update and supplement as set forth in this paragraph (iii) or any other Section of these Bylaws shall not limit the Corporation's rights with respect to any deficiencies in any notice provided by a stockholder, extend any applicable deadlines hereunder or enable or be deemed to permit a stockholder who has previously submitted notice hereunder to amend or update any nomination or to submit any new proposal, including by changing or adding nominees, matters, business or resolutions proposed to be brought before a meeting of the stockholders.

- (iv) No candidate proposed to be nominated by a stockholder in accordance with these Bylaws shall be eligible for nomination as a director of the Corporation unless such candidate for nomination and the Nominating Person seeking to place such candidate's name in nomination has complied with Section 2.5 and this Section 2.6, as applicable. The person presiding over the applicable annual or special meeting of stockholders (or, in advance of any meeting of stockholders, the Board or an authorized committee thereof) shall, if the facts warrant, determine that a nomination was not properly made in accordance with Section 2.5 and this Section 2.6, and if any nomination was not proposed in compliance with this Section 2.5 or Section 2.6, declare that such defective nomination shall be disregarded and any ballots cast for the candidate in question (but in the case of any form of ballot listing other qualified nominees, only the ballots cast for the nominee in question) shall be void and of no force or effect.
- (v) Subject to Section 2.6(vi) of these Bylaws, no candidate for nomination shall be eligible to be seated as a director of the Corporation unless nominated in accordance with Section 2.5 and this Section 2.6; provided, however, that nothing in Section 2.5 and this Section 2.6 shall be deemed to affect any rights of the holders of any series of Preferred Stock to elect directors pursuant to any applicable provisions of the Certificate of Incorporation.
- (vi) Notwithstanding anything in these Bylaws to the contrary, for so long as the Carlyle Stockholders are entitled to designate a Director pursuant to the Stockholders Agreement, the Carlyle Stockholders shall not be subject to Section 2.5 or this Section 2.6.

2.7 Action by Written Consent in Lieu of a Meeting.

Any action required or permitted to be taken at any annual or special meeting of stockholders of the Corporation may be taken without a meeting, without prior notice, and without a vote only to the extent permitted by and in the manner provided in the Certificate of Incorporation and in accordance with applicable law.

2.8 Notice of Stockholders' Meetings.

Unless otherwise provided by law, the Certificate of Incorporation or these Bylaws, the notice of any meeting of stockholders shall be sent or otherwise given in accordance with Section 7.1 of these Bylaws not less than ten (10) nor more than sixty (60) days before the date of the meeting to each stockholder entitled to vote at such meeting. The notice shall specify the place, if any, date and time of the meeting, the means of remote communication, if any, by which stockholders and proxy holders may be deemed to be present in person and vote at such meeting, the record date for determining the stockholders entitled to vote at the meeting (if such date is different from the record date for stockholders entitled to notice of the meeting) and, in the case of a special meeting, the purpose or purposes for which the meeting is called.

2.9 Quorum.

Unless otherwise provided by law, the Certificate of Incorporation or these Bylaws, the holders of a majority in voting power of the stock issued and outstanding and entitled to vote at the meeting, present in person, or by remote communication, if applicable, or represented by proxy, shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business at all meetings of the stockholders. A quorum, once established at a meeting, shall not be broken by the withdrawal of enough votes to leave less than a quorum. If, however, a quorum is not present or represented at any meeting of the stockholders, then either (i) the person presiding over the meeting or (ii) a majority in voting power of the stockholders entitled to vote at the meeting, present in person, or by remote communication, if applicable, or represented by proxy, shall have power to adjourn the meeting from time to time in the manner provided in Section 2.8 of these Bylaws until a quorum is present or represented. At any adjourned meeting at which a quorum is present or represented, any business may be transacted that might have been transacted at the meeting as originally noticed.

2.10 Adjourned Meeting; Notice.

When an annual or special meeting of stockholders is adjourned to another time or place, if any, unless these Bylaws otherwise require, notice need not be given of such adjourned meeting if the time, place, if any, thereof, and the means of remote communications, if any, by which stockholders and proxy holders may be deemed to be present in person and vote at such adjourned meeting are announced at the meeting at which the adjournment is taken or are provided in any other manner permitted by the DGCL. At any adjourned annual or special meeting of stockholders, the Corporation may transact any business which might have been transacted at the original meeting. If the adjournment is for more than thirty (30) days, a notice of the adjourned annual or special meeting shall be given to each stockholder of record entitled to vote at such meeting. If after the adjournment a new record date for determination of stockholders entitled to vote is fixed for the adjourned meeting, the Board shall fix as the record date for determining stockholders entitled to notice of such adjourned meeting the same or an earlier date as that fixed for determination of stockholders entitled to vote at such adjourned meeting as of the record date so fixed for notice of such adjourned meeting to each stockholder of record entitled to vote at such adjourned meeting as of the record date so fixed for notice of such adjourned meeting.

2.11 Organization; Conduct of Business.

Meetings of stockholders shall be presided over by the chairperson of the Board, if any, or, in his or her absence, by the chief executive officer of the Corporation or, in the absence of the foregoing persons, by a chairperson, who shall be a director or officer of the Corporation, designated by the Board. The Secretary shall act as secretary of the meeting, but in his or her absence, the chairperson of the meeting may appoint any person to act as secretary of the meeting. The date and time of the opening and the closing of the polls for each matter upon which the stockholders will vote at an annual or special meeting of stockholders shall be announced at the meeting by the chairperson of the meeting. The Board may adopt by resolution such rules and regulations for the conduct of the meetings of stockholders as it shall deem appropriate. Except to the extent inconsistent with such rules and regulations as adopted by the Board, the chairperson of any meeting of stockholders shall have the right and authority to convene and (for any or no reason) to recess and/or adjourn such meeting, to prescribe such rules, regulations and procedures (which need not be in writing) and to do all such acts as, in the judgment of such chairperson, are appropriate for the proper conduct of such meeting. Such rules, regulations or procedures, whether adopted by the Board or prescribed by the chairperson of the annual or special meeting, may include, without limitation, the following: (i) the establishment of an agenda or order of business for such meeting; (ii) rules and procedures for

maintaining order at such meeting and the safety of those present (including, without limitation, rules and procedures for the removal of disruptive persons from the meeting); (iii) limitations on attendance at or participation in such meeting to stockholders entitled to vote at the meeting, their duly authorized and constituted proxies or such other Persons as the chairperson of the meeting shall determine; (iv) restrictions on entry to such meeting after the time fixed for the commencement thereof; and (v) limitations on the time allotted to questions or comments by participants. Unless and to the extent determined by the Board or the chairperson of the meeting, neither annual nor special meetings of stockholders shall be required to be held in accordance with the rules of parliamentary procedure (e.g. Robert's Rules of Order).

2.12 Voting.

Except as may be otherwise provided in the Certificate of Incorporation, each stockholder shall be entitled to one (1) vote for each share of capital stock held by such stockholder.

Except as otherwise provided by the Certificate of Incorporation, at all duly called or convened meetings of stockholders at which a quorum is present, for the election of directors, a plurality of the votes cast shall be sufficient to elect a director. Unless a different or minimum vote is provided by the Certificate of Incorporation, these Bylaws, the rules or regulations of any stock exchange applicable to the Corporation, or applicable law, or pursuant to any regulation applicable to the Corporation or its securities, in which case such different or minimum vote shall be the applicable vote on the matter, each other matter presented to the stockholders at a duly called or convened meeting at which a quorum is present shall be decided by the affirmative vote of the holders of a majority in voting power of the votes cast (excluding abstentions and broker non-votes) on such matter.

2.13 Record Date for Stockholder Meetings and Other Purposes.

In order that the Corporation may determine the stockholders entitled to notice of or to vote at any meeting of stockholders or any adjournment thereof, the Board may fix a record date, which record date shall not precede the date upon which the resolution fixing the record date is adopted by the Board, and which record date shall, unless otherwise required by law, not be more than sixty (60) days nor less than ten (10) days before the date of such meeting. If the Board so fixes a date, such date shall also be the record date for determining the stockholders entitled to vote at such meeting unless the Board determines, at the time it fixes such record date, that a later date on or before the date of the meeting shall be the date for making such determination. If no record date is fixed by the Board, the record date for determining stockholders entitled to notice of or to vote at a meeting of stockholders shall be the close of business on the next day preceding the day on which notice is first given, or, if notice is waived, at the close of business on the day next preceding the day on which the meeting is held. A determination of stockholders of record entitled to notice of or to vote at a meeting of stockholders shall apply to any adjournment of the meeting; provided, however, that the Board may fix a new record date for determination of stockholders entitled to vote at the adjourned meeting; and in such case shall also fix as the record date for stockholders entitled to notice of such adjourned meeting the same or an earlier date as that fixed for determination of stockholders entitled to vote in accordance herewith at the adjourned meeting.

In order that the Corporation may determine the stockholders entitled to receive payment of any dividend or other distribution or allotment or any rights or the stockholders entitled to exercise any rights in respect of any change, conversion or exchange of capital stock, or for the purposes of any other lawful action, the Board may fix a record date, which record date shall not precede the date upon which the resolution fixing the record date is adopted, and which record date shall be not more than sixty (60) days prior to such action. If no record date is fixed, the record date for determining stockholders for any such purpose shall be at the close of business on the day on which the Board adopts the resolution relating thereto.

If stockholders are permitted to act by written consent under the Certificate of Incorporation, in order that the Corporation may determine the stockholders entitled to express consent to corporate action without a meeting, the Board may fix a record date, which record date shall not precede the date upon which the resolution fixing the record date is adopted by the Board, and which record date shall not be more than ten (10) days after the date upon which the resolution fixing the record date is adopted by the Board. If no record date for determining stockholders entitled to express consent to corporate action without a meeting is fixed by the Board, (i) when no prior action of the Board is required by law, the record date for such purpose shall be the first date on which a signed consent setting forth the action taken or proposed to be taken is delivered to the Corporation in accordance with applicable law, and (ii) if prior action by the Board is required by law, the record date for such purpose shall be at the close of business on the day on which the Board adopts the resolution taking such prior action.

2.14 Proxies.

Each stockholder entitled to vote at a meeting of stockholders may authorize another Person or Persons to act for such stockholder by proxy authorized by an instrument in writing or by a transmission as permitted by law, including Rule 14a-19 promulgated under the Exchange Act, filed in accordance with the procedure established for the meeting, but no such proxy shall be voted or acted upon after three (3) years from its date, unless the proxy provides for a longer period. The revocability of a proxy that states on its face that it is irrevocable shall be governed by the provisions of Section 212 of the DGCL. A proxy may be in the form of an electronic transmission which sets forth or is submitted with information from which it can be determined that the transmission was authorized by the stockholder.

Any stockholder directly or indirectly soliciting proxies from other stockholders must use a proxy card color other than white, which shall be reserved for the exclusive use by the Board.

2.15 <u>List of Stockholders Entitled to Vote</u>.

The Corporation shall prepare, no later than the tenth (10th) day before each annual or special meeting of stockholders, a complete list of the stockholders entitled to vote at such meeting (*provided*, *however*, that if the record date for determining the stockholders entitled to vote is less than ten (10) days before the date of such meeting, the list shall reflect the stockholders entitled to vote as of the tenth (10th) day before the meeting date), arranged in alphabetical order, and showing the address of each stockholder and the number of shares registered in the name of each stockholder. The Corporation shall not be required to include electronic mail addresses or other electronic contact information on such list. Such list shall be open to the examination of

any stockholder, for any purpose germane to the meeting for a period of ten (10) days ending on the day before the meeting date: (i) on a reasonably accessible electronic network, provided that the information required to gain access to such list is provided with the notice of the meeting, or (ii) during ordinary business hours, at the Corporation's principal executive office. In the event that the Corporation determines to make the list available on an electronic network, the Corporation may take reasonable steps to ensure that such information is available only to stockholders of the Corporation. Such list shall presumptively determine the identity of the stockholders entitled to vote at the applicable annual or special meeting and the number of shares held by each of them. Except as otherwise provided by law, the stock ledger shall be the only evidence as to who are the stockholders entitled to examine the list of stockholders required by this Section 2.15 or to vote in person or by proxy at any annual or special meeting of stockholders.

2.16 Inspectors of Election.

Before any annual or special meeting of stockholders, the Corporation shall appoint an inspector or inspectors of election to act at such meeting or its adjournment and make a written report thereof. The Corporation may designate one or more Persons as alternate inspectors to replace any inspector who fails to act. If any Person appointed as inspector or any alternate fails to appear or fails or refuses to act, then the chairperson of the annual or special meeting shall appoint one or more inspectors to act at the meeting.

Such inspectors shall:

- (i) determine the number of shares outstanding and the voting power of each, the number of shares represented at the meeting and the validity of any proxies and ballots;
 - (ii) count all votes or ballots;
 - (iii) count and tabulate all votes;
 - (iv) determine and retain for a reasonable period a record of the disposition of any challenges made to any determination by the inspector(s); and
 - (v) certify its or their determination of the number of shares represented at such meeting and its or their count of all votes and ballots.

Each inspector, before entering upon the discharge of the duties of inspector, shall take and sign an oath faithfully to execute the duties of inspection with strict impartiality and according to the best of such inspector's ability. Any report or certificate made by the inspectors of election is prima facie evidence of the facts stated therein. The inspectors of election may appoint such Persons to assist them in performing their duties as they determine.

2.17 Delivery to the Corporation.

Other than as specified by Section 2.14, whenever this Article II requires one or more Persons (including a record or beneficial owner of stock) to deliver a document or information to the Corporation or any officer, employee or agent thereof (including any notice, request, questionnaire, revocation, representation or other document or agreement), such document or information shall be in writing exclusively (and not in an electronic transmission) and shall be delivered exclusively by hand (including, without limitation, overnight courier service) or by certified or registered mail, return receipt requested, and the Corporation shall not be required to accept delivery of any document not in such written form or so delivered. For the avoidance of doubt, the Corporation expressly opts out of Section 116 of the DGCL with respect to the delivery of information and documents to the Corporation required by this Article II other than as specified by Section 2.14.

Article III - Directors

3.1 Powers.

Except as otherwise provided by the Certificate of Incorporation or the DGCL, the business and affairs of the Corporation shall be managed and all corporate powers shall be exercised by or under the direction of the Board.

3.2 Number of Directors.

The total number of directors constituting the Board shall be determined as set forth in the Certificate of Incorporation. No reduction of the authorized number of directors shall have the effect of removing any director before that director's term of office expires.

3.3 Election, Qualification and Term of Office of Directors.

Each director, including a director elected or appointed to fill a vacancy or newly created directorship, shall hold office for the term of office as set forth in the Certificate of Incorporation. Directors need not be stockholders to be qualified for election or service as a director of the Corporation.

3.4 Chairperson and/or Vice Chairperson of the Board.

The Board may appoint from among its members a chairperson of the Board and/or a vice chairperson of the Board. Neither the chairperson nor the vice chairperson need be an officer of the Corporation. The chairperson and/or vice chairperson of the Board, if appointed and when present, shall have such authority, and perform such duties as are provided in these Bylaws or as the Board may from time to time determine

3.5 Resignation and Vacancies

Any director may resign at any time upon notice given in writing or by electronic transmission to the Corporation. The resignation shall take effect at the date of the receipt by the Corporation of that notice or at such later time or upon the happening of a future event specified therein.

Any vacancies or newly created directorships shall be filled as set forth in the Certificate of Incorporation.

3.6 Place of Meetings; Meetings by Telephone.

The Board may hold meetings, both regular and special, either within or outside the State of Delaware.

Unless otherwise restricted by the Certificate of Incorporation or these Bylaws, members of the Board, or any committee designated by the Board, may participate in a meeting of the Board, or any committee, by means of conference telephone or other communications equipment by means of which all Persons participating in the meeting can hear each other, and such participation in a meeting pursuant to this bylaw shall constitute presence in person at the meeting.

3.7 <u>Regular Meetings</u>.

Regular meetings of the Board may be held within or outside the State of Delaware and at such time and at such place, if any, as which has been designated by the Board and publicized among all directors, either orally or in writing, by telephone, including a voice-messaging system or other system designed to record and communicate messages, facsimile, electronic mail or other means of electronic transmission. No further notice shall be required for regular meetings of the Board.

3.8 Special Meetings; Notice.

Special meetings of the Board for any purpose or purposes may be called at any time by the chairperson of the Board, the chief executive officer, the president, the Secretary or a majority of the total number of directors constituting the Board.

Notice of the time and place of special meetings of the Board shall be:

- (i) delivered personally by hand, by courier or by telephone;
- (ii) sent by United States first-class mail, postage prepaid;
- (iii) sent by facsimile or electronic mail; or
- (iv) sent by other means of electronic transmission,

directed to each director at that director's address, telephone number, facsimile number or electronic mail address, or other address for electronic transmission, as the case may be, as shown on the Corporation's records.

If the notice is (i) delivered personally by hand, by courier or by telephone, (ii) sent by facsimile or electronic mail, or (iii) sent by other means of electronic transmission, it shall be delivered or sent at least twenty-four (24) hours before the time of the holding of the meeting. If the notice is sent by U.S. mail, it shall be deposited in the U.S. mail at least four (4) days before the time of the holding of the meeting. The notice need not specify the place of the special meeting of the Board (if the meeting of the Board is to be held at the Corporation's principal executive office) nor the purpose of the special meeting of the Board.

3.9 Quorum.

At all meetings of the Board, unless otherwise provided by the Certificate of Incorporation, a majority of the total number of directors shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business. The vote of a majority of the directors present at any meeting at which a quorum is present shall be the act of the Board, except as otherwise specifically provided in the Certificate of Incorporation, the Stockholders Agreement or these Bylaws or required by law. If a quorum is not present at any meeting of the Board, then the directors present thereat may adjourn the meeting from time to time, without notice other than announcement at the meeting, until a quorum is present.

3.10 Board Action Without a Meeting.

Unless otherwise restricted by the Certificate of Incorporation or these Bylaws, any action required or permitted to be taken at any meeting of the Board, or of any committee thereof, may be taken without a meeting if all members of the Board or committee, as the case may be, consent thereto in writing or by electronic transmission. After an action is taken, the consent or consents relating thereto shall be filed with the minutes of the proceedings of the Board or the committee thereof, in the same paper or electronic form as the minutes are maintained. Such action by written consent or consent by electronic transmission shall have the same force and effect as a unanimous vote of the Board.

3.11 Fees and Compensation of Directors.

Unless otherwise restricted by the Certificate of Incorporation, the Stockholders Agreement or these Bylaws, the Board shall have the authority to fix the compensation, including fees and reimbursement of expenses, of directors for services to the Corporation in any capacity.

Article IV - Committees

4.1 Committees of Directors

The Board may designate one (1) or more committees, each committee to consist, of one (1) or more of the directors of the Corporation. The Board may designate one (1) or more directors as alternate members of any committee, who may replace any absent or disqualified member at any meeting of the committee. In the absence or disqualification of a member of a committee, the member or members thereof present at any such committee meeting and not disqualified from voting, whether or not such member or members constitute a quorum, may unanimously appoint another member of the Board to act at such meeting in the place of any such absent or disqualified member. Any such committee of the Board, to the extent permitted by applicable law or provided in the resolution of the Board or in these Bylaws, shall have and may exercise all the powers and authority of the Board in the management of the business and affairs of the Corporation, and may authorize the seal of the Corporation to be affixed to all papers that may require it; but no such committee shall have the power or authority to (i) approve or adopt, or recommend to the stockholders, any action or matter (other than the election or removal of directors) expressly required by the DGCL to be submitted to stockholders for approval, or (ii) adopt, amend or repeal any bylaw of the Corporation.

4.2 Committee Minutes.

Each committee of the Board shall keep regular minutes of its meetings and report the same to the Board when required.

4.3 Meetings and Actions of Board Committees.

Meetings and actions of committees of the Board shall be governed by, and held and taken in accordance with, the provisions of:

- (i) Section 3.6 (Place of Meetings; Meetings by Telephone);
- (ii) Section 3.7 (Regular Meetings);
- (iii) Section 3.8 (Special Meetings; Notice);
- (iv) Section 3.10 (Board Action Without a Meeting); and
- (v) Section 6.11 (Waiver of Notice),

with such changes in the context of those Bylaws as are necessary to substitute such committee and its members for the Board and its members. *However*:

- (i) the time of regular meetings of Board committees may be determined either by resolution of the Board or by resolution of the committee;
- (ii) special meetings of Board committees may also be called by resolution of the Board or by the chairperson of the applicable committee; and
- (iii) the Board may adopt rules for the governance of any Board committee to override the provisions that would otherwise apply to such committee pursuant to this Section 4.3, *provided* that such rules do not violate the provisions of the Certificate of Incorporation, the Stockholders Agreement or applicable law.

4.4 Subcommittees.

Unless otherwise provided in the Certificate of Incorporation, these Bylaws or the resolutions of the Board designating the committee, a committee of the Board may create one (1) or more subcommittees, each subcommittee to consist of one (1) or more members of the committee, and delegate to a subcommittee any or all of the powers and authority of the committee.

4.5 Quorum.

At all committee meetings, unless otherwise provided by the Certificate of Incorporation, a majority of the directors then serving on such committee shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business. The vote of a majority of the directors present at any meeting at which a quorum is present shall be the act of the committee, except as may be otherwise specifically provided by statute, the Certificate of Incorporation or these Bylaws.

Article V - Officers

5.1 Officers.

The officers of the Corporation shall include a chief executive officer, one (1) or more presidents and a secretary. The Corporation may also have, at the discretion of the Board, a chief financial officer, a treasurer, one (1) or more vice presidents, one (1) or more assistant vice presidents, one (1) or more assistant treasurers, one (1) or more assistant secretaries, and any such other officers as deemed necessary or advisable and as may be appointed in accordance with the provisions of these Bylaws. Any number of offices may be held by the same Person. No officer need be a stockholder or director of the Corporation.

5.2 <u>Appointment of Officers</u>.

The Board shall appoint the officers of the Corporation, except such officers as may be appointed in accordance with the provisions of Section 5.3 of these Bylaws, subject to the rights, if any, of an officer under any contract of employment.

5.3 Subordinate Officers.

The Board may appoint, or empower the chief executive officer or, in the absence of a chief executive officer, the president, to appoint, such other officers and agents as the business of the Corporation may require. Each of such officers and agents shall hold office for such period, have such authority, and perform such duties as are provided in these Bylaws or as the Board or, if appointed by the chief executive officer or the president, as the chief executive officer or the president, respectively, may from time to time determine.

5.4 Removal and Resignation of Officers.

Subject to the rights, if any, of an officer under any contract of employment, any officer may be removed, either with or without cause, by the Board; provided that, if the Board has empowered the chief executive officer or, in the absence of a chief executive officer, the president, to appoint any officer of the Corporation in accordance with the provisions of Section 5.3 of these Bylaws, then such officer may be removed by the chief executive officer or the president, as applicable.

Any officer may resign at any time by giving notice in writing or by electronic transmission to the Corporation. Any resignation shall take effect at the date of the receipt by the Corporation of that notice or at such later time or upon the happening of a future event specified therein. Any resignation is without prejudice to the rights, if any, of the Corporation under any contract to which the officer is a party.

5.5 Vacancies in Offices.

Any vacancy occurring in any office of the Corporation shall be filled by the Board or as provided in Sections 5.2 and 5.3, as applicable.

5.6 Representation of Shares of Other Corporations.

The chairperson of the Board, the chief executive officer or the president of this Corporation, or any other Person authorized by the Board, the chief executive officer or the president, is authorized to vote, represent and exercise on behalf of this Corporation all rights incident to any and all shares or voting securities of any other corporation or other entity standing in the name of this Corporation. The authority granted herein may be exercised either by such Person directly or by any other Person authorized to do so by proxy or power of attorney duly executed by such Person having the authority.

5.7 Authority and Duties of Officers.

All officers of the Corporation shall respectively have such authority and perform such duties in the management of the business of the Corporation as may be provided herein or designated from time to time by the Board or, if the Board has empowered the chief executive officer or, in the absence of a chief executive officer, the president, to appoint any officer of the Corporation in accordance with the provisions of Section 5.3 of these Bylaws, by the chief executive officer or the president, as applicable, with respect to such officers appointed by the chief executive officer or the president, as applicable, and, to the extent not so provided, as generally pertain to their respective offices, subject to the control of the Board.

5.8 Compensation.

The compensation of the officers of the Corporation for their services as such shall be fixed from time to time by or at the direction of the Board or a duly authorized committee thereof. An officer of the Corporation shall not be prevented from receiving compensation by reason of the fact that he or she is also a director of the Corporation.

Article VI – General Matters

6.1 Execution of Corporate Contracts and Instruments.

The Board, except as otherwise provided in these Bylaws, may authorize any officer or officers, or agent or agents, of the Corporation to enter into any contract or execute any instrument in the name of and on behalf of the Corporation; such authority may be general or confined to specific instances.

6.2 Stock Certificates.

The Board by resolution may provide that some or all of the shares of any class or series of stock of the Corporation shall be uncertificated shares. Otherwise, the shares of the Corporation shall be represented by certificates. Certificates for the shares of stock, if any, shall be in such form as is consistent with the Certificate of Incorporation and applicable law. Every holder of stock represented by a certificate shall be entitled to have a certificate signed by, or in the name of the Corporation by, any two officers authorized to sign stock certificates representing the number of shares registered in certificate form. The chairperson or vice chairperson of the Board, chief executive officer, the president, vice president, the treasurer, any assistant treasurer, the secretary or any assistant secretary of the Corporation shall be specifically authorized to sign stock certificates. Any or all of the signatures on the certificate may be a facsimile. In case any officer, transfer agent or registrar who has signed or whose facsimile signature has been placed upon a certificate has ceased to be such officer, transfer agent or registrar before such certificate is issued, it may be issued by the Corporation with the same effect as if he or she were such officer, transfer agent or registrar at the date of issue.

6.3 Lost Certificates.

Except as provided in this Section 6.3, no new certificates for shares or uncertificated shares shall be issued to replace a previously issued certificate unless the latter is surrendered to the Corporation and cancelled at the same time. The Corporation may issue a new certificate of stock or uncertificated shares in the place of any certificate theretofore issued by it, alleged to have been lost, stolen or destroyed, and the Corporation may require the owner of the lost, stolen or destroyed certificate, or such owner's legal representative, to give the Corporation a bond sufficient to indemnify it against any claim that may be made against it on account of the alleged loss, theft or destruction of any such certificate or the issuance of such new certificate or uncertificated shares.

6.4 Shares Without Certificates.

The Corporation may adopt a system of issuance, recordation and transfer of its shares of stock by electronic or other means not involving the issuance of certificates, provided the use of such system by the Corporation is permitted in accordance with applicable law.

6.5 Construction; Definitions.

Unless the context requires otherwise, the general provisions, rules of construction and definitions in the DGCL shall govern the construction of these Bylaws. Without limiting the generality of this provision, the singular number includes the plural and the plural number includes the singular.

6.6 Dividends.

The Board, subject to any restrictions contained in either (i) the DGCL or (ii) the Certificate of Incorporation, may declare and pay dividends upon the shares of the Corporation's capital stock. Dividends may be paid in cash, in property or in shares of the Corporation's capital stock.

The Board may set apart out of any of the funds of the Corporation available for dividends a reserve or reserves for any proper purpose and may abolish any such reserve. Such purposes shall include but not be limited to equalizing dividends, repairing or maintaining any property of the Corporation and meeting contingencies.

6.7 Fiscal Year.

The fiscal year of the Corporation shall be fixed by resolution of the Board and may be changed by the Board.

6.8 Seal.

The Corporation may adopt a corporate seal, which shall be adopted and which may be altered by the Board. The Corporation may use the corporate seal by causing it or a facsimile thereof to be impressed or affixed or in any other manner reproduced.

6.9 <u>Transfer of Stock</u>.

Shares of the Corporation shall be transferable in the manner prescribed by law and in these Bylaws. Shares of stock of the Corporation shall be transferred on the books of the Corporation only by the holder of record thereof or by such holder's attorney duly authorized in writing, by delivery of duly executed instructions with respect to uncertificated shares or upon surrender to the Corporation of the certificate or certificates representing such shares endorsed by the appropriate Person or Persons with respect to certificated shares, if any, with such evidence of the authenticity of such endorsement or execution, transfer, authorization and other matters as the Corporation may reasonably require, and accompanied by all necessary stock transfer stamps. To the fullest extent permitted by law, no transfer of stock shall be valid as against the Corporation for any purpose until it shall have been entered in the stock records of the Corporation by an entry showing the names of the Persons from and to whom it was transferred.

6.10 Registered Stockholders.

The Corporation:

- (i) shall be entitled to recognize the exclusive right of a Person registered on its books as the owner of shares to receive dividends and to vote as such owner; and
- (ii) shall not be bound to recognize any equitable or other claim to or interest in such share or shares on the part of another Person, whether or not it shall have express or other notice thereof, except as otherwise provided by the laws of the State of Delaware.

6.11 Waiver of Notice

Whenever notice is required to be given under any provision of the DGCL, the Certificate of Incorporation or these Bylaws, a written waiver, signed by the Person entitled to notice, or a waiver by electronic transmission by the Person entitled to notice, whether before or after the time of the event for which notice is to be given, shall be deemed equivalent to notice. Attendance of a Person at a meeting shall constitute a waiver of notice of such meeting, except when the Person attends a meeting for the express purpose of objecting at the beginning of the meeting, to the transaction of any business because the meeting is not lawfully called or convened. Neither the business to be transacted at, nor the purpose of, any annual or special meeting of the stockholders need be specified in any written waiver of notice or any waiver by electronic transmission unless so required by the Certificate of Incorporation or these Bylaws.

Article VII - Notice

7.1 <u>Delivery of Notice; Notice by Electronic Transmission.</u>

Without limiting the manner by which notice otherwise may be given effectively to stockholders, any notice to stockholders given by the Corporation under any provisions of the DGCL, the Certificate of Incorporation, or these Bylaws may be given in writing directed to the stockholder's mailing address (or by electronic transmission directed to the stockholder's electronic mail address, as applicable) as it appears on the records of the Corporation and shall be given (1) if mailed, when the notice is deposited in the U.S. mail, postage prepaid, (2) if delivered by courier service, the earlier of when the notice is received or left at such stockholder's address or (3) if given by electronic mail, when directed to such stockholder's electronic mail address unless the stockholder has notified the Corporation in writing or by electronic transmission of an objection to receiving notice by electronic mail. A notice by electronic mail must include a prominent legend that the communication is an important notice regarding the Corporation.

Without limiting the manner by which notice otherwise may be given effectively to stockholders, any notice to stockholders given by the Corporation under any provision of the DGCL, the Certificate of Incorporation or these Bylaws shall be effective if given by a form of electronic transmission consented to by the stockholder to whom the notice is given. Any such consent shall be revocable by the stockholder by written notice or electronic transmission to the Corporation. Notwithstanding the provisions of this Section 7.1, the Corporation may give a notice by electronic mail in accordance with the first paragraph of this Section 7.1 without obtaining the consent required by this Section 7.1.

Any notice given pursuant to the preceding paragraph shall be deemed given:

- (i) if by facsimile telecommunication, when directed to a number at which the stockholder has consented to receive notice;
- (ii) if by a posting on an electronic network together with separate notice to the stockholder of such specific posting, upon the later of (A) such posting and (B) the giving of such separate notice; and
 - (iii) if by any other form of electronic transmission, when directed to the stockholder.

Notwithstanding the foregoing, a notice may not be given by an electronic transmission from and after the time that (1) the Corporation is unable to deliver by such electronic transmission two (2) consecutive notices given by the Corporation and (2) such inability becomes known to the secretary or an assistant secretary of the Corporation or to the transfer agent, or other person responsible for the giving of notice, *provided*, *however*, the inadvertent failure to discover such inability shall not invalidate any meeting or other action.

An affidavit of the secretary or an assistant secretary or of the transfer agent or other agent of the Corporation that the notice has been given shall, in the absence of fraud, be prima facie evidence of the facts stated therein.

Article VIII - Indemnification

8.1 Indemnification of Directors and Officers.

The Corporation shall indemnify and hold harmless, to the fullest extent permitted by the DGCL as it presently exists or may hereafter be amended, any director or officer of the Corporation who was or is made or is threatened to be made a party or is otherwise involved in any action, suit or proceeding, whether civil, criminal, administrative or investigative (a "Proceeding") by reason of the fact that he or she, or a person for whom he or she is the legal representative, is or was a director or officer of the Corporation or, while serving as a director or officer of the Corporation, is or was serving at the request of the Corporation as a director, officer, employee or agent of another corporation or of a partnership (a "covered person"), joint venture, trust, enterprise or non-profit entity, including service with respect to employee benefit plans, against all liability and loss suffered and expenses (including attorneys' fees, judgments, fines, ERISA excise taxes or penalties and amounts paid in settlement) reasonably incurred by such covered person in connection with any such Proceeding. Notwithstanding the preceding sentence, except as otherwise provided in Section 8.4, the Corporation shall be required to indemnify a covered person in connection with a Proceeding (or part thereof) initiated by such covered person only if the Proceeding (or part thereof) was authorized in the specific case by the Board.

8.2 Indemnification of Others.

The Corporation shall have the power to indemnify and hold harmless, to the fullest extent permitted by applicable law as it presently exists or may hereafter be amended, any employee or agent of the Corporation who was or is made or is threatened to be made a party or is otherwise involved in any Proceeding by reason of the fact that he or she, or a person for whom he or she is the legal representative, is or was an employee or agent of the Corporation or is or was serving at the request of the Corporation as a director, officer, employee or agent of another corporation or of a partnership, joint venture, trust, enterprise or non-profit entity, including service with respect to employee benefit plans, against all liability and loss suffered and expenses reasonably incurred by such Person in connection with any such Proceeding.

8.3 Prepayment of Expenses.

The Corporation shall, to the fullest extent not prohibited by applicable law, pay the expenses (including attorneys' fees) incurred by any covered person, and may pay the expenses incurred by any employee or agent of the Corporation, in defending any Proceeding in advance of its final disposition; provided, however, that such payment of expenses in advance of the final disposition of the Proceeding shall be made only upon receipt of an undertaking by the Person to repay all amounts advanced if it should be ultimately determined that the Person is not entitled to be indemnified under this Article VIII or otherwise.

8.4 Determination; Claim.

If a claim for indemnification (following the final disposition of such Proceeding) under this Article VIII is not paid in full within sixty (60) days, or a claim for advancement of expenses under this Article VIII is not paid in full within thirty (30) days after a written claim therefor has been received by the Corporation, the claimant may thereafter (but not before) file suit to recover the unpaid amount of such claim and, if successful in whole or in part, shall be entitled to be paid the expense of prosecuting such claim to the fullest extent permitted by law. In any such action the Corporation shall have the burden of proving that the claimant was not entitled to the requested indemnification or payment of expenses under applicable law.

8.5 Non-Exclusivity of Rights.

The rights conferred on any Person by this Article VIII shall not be exclusive of any other rights which such Person may have or hereafter acquire under any statute, provision of the Certificate of Incorporation, these Bylaws, agreement, vote of stockholders or disinterested directors or otherwise.

8.6 Insurance.

The Corporation may purchase and maintain insurance on behalf of any person who is or was a director, officer, employee or agent of the Corporation, or is or was serving at the request of the Corporation as a director, officer, employee or agent of another corporation, partnership, joint venture, trust enterprise or non-profit entity against any liability asserted against him or her and incurred by him or her in any such capacity, or arising out of his or her status as such, whether or not the Corporation would have the power to indemnify him or her against such liability under the provisions of the DGCL.

8.7 Other Indemnification.

The Corporation's obligation, if any, to indemnify or advance expenses to any person who was or is serving at its request as a director, officer, employee or agent of another corporation, partnership, joint venture, trust, enterprise or non-profit entity shall be reduced by any amount such person may collect as indemnification or advancement of expenses from such other corporation, partnership, joint venture, trust, enterprise or non-profit enterprise.

8.8 Continuation of Indemnification.

The rights to indemnification and to prepayment of expenses provided by, or granted pursuant to, this Article VIII shall continue notwithstanding that the Person has ceased to be a director or officer of the Corporation and shall inure to the benefit of the estate, heirs, executors, administrators, legatees and distributees of such Person.

8.9 Amendment or Repeal; Interpretation

The provisions of this Article VIII shall constitute a contract between the Corporation, on the one hand, and, on the other hand, each individual who serves or has served as a director, officer, employee or agent of the Corporation (whether before or after the adoption of these Bylaws), in consideration of such Person's performance of such services, and pursuant to this Article VIII the Corporation intends to be legally bound to each such current or former director, officer, employee or agent of the Corporation. With respect to current and former directors, officers, employees or agents of the Corporation, the rights conferred under this Article VIII are present contractual rights and such rights are fully vested, and shall be deemed to have vested fully, immediately upon adoption of these Bylaws. With respect to any directors, officers, employees

or agents of the Corporation who commence service following adoption of these Bylaws, the rights conferred under this provision shall be present contractual rights and such rights shall fully vest, and be deemed to have vested fully, immediately upon such director, officer, employee or agent commencing service as a director, officer, employee or agent of the Corporation. Any repeal or modification of the foregoing provisions of this Article VIII shall not adversely affect any right or protection (i) hereunder of any Person in respect of any act or omission occurring prior to the time of such repeal or modification or (ii) under any agreement providing for indemnification or advancement of expenses to an director, officer, employee or agent of the Corporation in effect prior to the time of such repeal or modification.

Any reference to an officer of the Corporation in this Article VIII shall be deemed to refer exclusively to the chief executive officer, president and secretary, or other officer of the Corporation appointed by (x) the Board pursuant to Article V of these Bylaws or (y) an officer to whom the Board has delegated the power to appoint officers pursuant to Article V of these Bylaws, and any reference to an officer of any other corporation, partnership, joint venture, trust, employee benefit plan or other enterprise shall be deemed to refer exclusively to an officer appointed by the board of directors (or equivalent governing body) of such other entity pursuant to the certificate of incorporation and bylaws (or equivalent organizational documents) of such other corporation, partnership, joint venture, trust, employee benefit plan or other enterprise. The fact that any person who is or was an employee of the Corporation or an employee of any other corporation, partnership, joint venture, trust, employee benefit plan or other enterprise has been given or has used the title of "vice president" or any other title that could be construed to suggest or imply that such person is or may be an officer of the Corporation or of such other corporation, partnership, joint venture, trust, employee benefit plan or other enterprise shall not result in such person being constituted as, or being deemed to be, an officer of the Corporation or of such other corporation, partnership, joint venture, trust, employee benefit plan or other enterprise for purposes of this Article VIII.

Article IX - Amendments

Subject to the Stockholders Agreement, the Board is expressly empowered to adopt, amend, alter or repeal the Bylaws. The stockholders also shall have power to adopt, amend, alter or repeal the Bylaws; *provided*, *however*, that, from and after the Trigger Event, in addition to any other vote required by the Certificate of Incorporation or applicable law, such adoption, amendment, alteration or repeal by stockholders shall require the affirmative vote of the holders of at least two-thirds (66 2/3%) of the voting power of all the then-outstanding shares of voting stock of the Corporation with the power to vote generally in an election of directors, voting together as a single class.

Article X - Forum Selection

Unless the Corporation consents in writing to the selection of an alternative forum, (a) the Court of Chancery (the "Chancery Court") of the State of Delaware (or, in the event that the Chancery Court does not have jurisdiction, the federal district court for the District of Delaware or other state courts of the State of Delaware) shall, to the fullest extent permitted by law, be the sole and exclusive forum for (i) any derivative action, suit or proceeding brought on behalf of the Corporation, (ii) any action, suit or proceeding asserting a claim of breach of a fiduciary duty

owed by any director, officer or stockholder of the Corporation to the Corporation or to the Corporation's stockholders, (iii) any action, suit or proceeding arising pursuant to any provision of the DGCL or the Certificate of Incorporation or these Bylaws (as either may be amended from time to time) or (iv) any action, suit or proceeding asserting a claim against the Corporation governed by the internal affairs doctrine; and (b) subject to the preceding provisions of this Article X, the federal district courts of the United States of America shall be the exclusive forum for the resolution of any complaint asserting a cause or causes of action arising under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, including all causes of action asserted against any defendant to such complaint. If any action the subject matter of which is within the scope of clause (a) of the immediately preceding sentence is filed in a court other than the courts in the State of Delaware (a "Foreign Action") in the name of any stockholder, such stockholder shall be deemed to have consented to (x) the personal jurisdiction of the state and federal courts in the State of Delaware in connection with any action brought in any such action by service upon such stockholder's counsel in the Foreign Action as agent for such stockholder.

Any Person purchasing or otherwise acquiring or holding any interest in any security of the Corporation shall be deemed to have notice of and consented to this Article X. This provision is intended to benefit and may be enforced by the Corporation, its officers and directors, the underwriters to any offering giving rise to such complaint, and any other professional or entity whose profession gives authority to a statement made by that Person and who has prepared or certified any part of the documents underlying the offering. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the provisions of this Article X shall not apply to suits brought to enforce any liability or duty created by the Exchange Act, or any other claim for which the federal courts of the United States have exclusive jurisdiction.

If any provision or provisions of this Article X shall be held to be invalid, illegal or unenforceable as applied to any circumstance for any reason whatsoever, (a) the validity, legality and enforceability of such provisions in any other circumstance and of the remaining provisions of this Article X (including, without limitation, each portion of any paragraph of this Article X containing any such provision held to be invalid, illegal or unenforceable that is not itself held to be invalid, illegal or unenforceable) shall not in any way be affected or impaired thereby and (b) the application of such provision to other Persons and circumstances shall not in any way be affected or impaired thereby.

Article XI - Interpretation

If any provision or provisions of these Bylaws shall be held to be invalid, illegal or unenforceable as applied to any circumstance for any reason whatsoever: (i) the validity, legality and enforceability of such provision or provisions in any other circumstance and of the remaining provisions of these Bylaws shall not in any way be affected or impaired thereby and (ii) to the fullest extent possible, the provisions of these Bylaws shall be construed so as to permit the Corporation to protect its directors, officers, employees and agents from personal liability in respect of their good faith service or for the benefit of the Corporation to the fullest extent permitted by law.

Article XII - Definitions

As used in these Bylaws, unless the context otherwise requires, the following terms shall have the following meanings:

"Affiliate" means, with respect to any specified Person, any other Person which, directly or indirectly, controls, is controlled by or is under common control with the specified Person, including any partner, officer, director or member of the specified Person and, if the specified Person is a private equity fund, any investment fund now or hereafter managed by, or which is controlled by or is under common control with, one or more general partners or managing members of, or shares the same management company with, the specified Person or any investment fund, managed account vehicle, collective investment scheme or comparable investment vehicle ("Fund") now or hereafter existing that shares the same management company or registered investment advisor with such Person or any Fund now or hereafter existing that is controlled by, under common control with, managed or advised by the same management company or registered investment advisor that controls, is under common control with, manages or advises the Fund that controls such Person. For the purposes of this definition, "control" (including, with its correlative meanings, the terms "controlled by" and "under common control with"), as used with respect to any Person, shall mean the possession, directly or indirectly, of the power to direct, or cause the direction of the management and policies of such Person, whether through the ownership of securities, by contract or otherwise.

<u>Carlyle Majority Interest</u>" shall mean, at any given time, the Carlyle Stockholders holding a majority in voting power of the outstanding shares of Common Stock held at that specified time by all Carlyle Stockholders.

"Carlyle Stockholder" means, collectively, (i) Carlyle Partners VII S1 Holdings II, L.P. (the "Initial Carlyle Stockholder") and (ii) any Permitted Transferee or Affiliate of the Initial Carlyle Stockholder (x) which is issued shares of Common Stock or becomes the beneficial owner of any shares of Common Stock or is Transferred any shares of Common Stock by any other Person and (ii) which becomes a party to the Stockholders Agreement by executing a joinder agreement thereto.

An "<u>electronic transmission</u>" means any form of communication, not directly involving the physical transmission of paper, including the use of, or participation in, one or more electronic networks or databases (including one or more distributed electronic networks (including email) or databases), that creates a record that may be retained, retrieved and reviewed by a recipient thereof, and that may be directly reproduced in paper form by such a recipient through an automated process.

"Permitted Transferee" means, with respect to the Carlyle Stockholder, (i) any Affiliate of such Carlyle Stockholder, (ii) any director, officer or employee of any Affiliate of such Carlyle Stockholder, (iii) any direct or indirect member or general or limited partner of such Carlyle Stockholder that is the transferee of shares of Common Stock pursuant to a pro rata distribution of shares of Common Stock by such Carlyle Stockholder to its partners or members, as applicable (or any subsequent transfer of such shares of Common Stock by the transferee to another Permitted Transferee) or (iv) any other transferee designated as a Permitted Transferee by such Carlyle Majority Interest.

"Person" means any individual, general partnership, limited partnership, limited liability company, corporation, trust, business trust, joint stock company, joint venture, unincorporated association, cooperative or association or any other legal entity or organization of whatever nature, and shall include any successor (by merger or otherwise) of such entity.

"Stockholders Agreement" means the Stockholders Agreement, dated as of October 1, 2024, among the Corporation, the Carlyle Stockholders and the other stockholders party thereto, as may be amended and/or restated from time to time.

"Transfer" means any direct or indirect transfer, donation, sale, assignment, pledge, hypothecation, grant of a security interest in or other disposal or attempted disposal of all or any portion of a security, any interest or rights in a security, or any rights under the Stockholders Agreement.

"Trigger Event" means the first date on which the Carlyle Stockholders cease to beneficially own (directly or indirectly) at least 40% of the voting power of the outstanding shares of Common Stock. For the purpose of these Bylaws, "beneficial ownership" or the phrase "beneficially own" shall be determined in accordance with Rule 13d-3 promulgated under the Exchange Act.

STOCKHOLDERS AGREEMENT

BY AND AMONG

 ${\bf STANDARDAERO, INC.}$

AND

THE STOCKHOLDERS PARTY HERETO

OCTOBER 1, 2024

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EXHIBIT

Exhibit A: Form of Joinder Agreement

STOCKHOLDERS AGREEMENT

This Stockholders Agreement (this "<u>Agreement</u>") is made as of October 1, 2024 by and among StandardAero, Inc., a Delaware corporation (the "<u>Company</u>"), Carlyle Partners VII S1 Holdings II, L.P., a Delaware limited partnership (the "<u>Initial Carlyle Stockholder</u>"), Hux Investment Pte Ltd, a private company organized under the laws of Singapore (the "<u>Initial GIC Stockholder</u>"), the stockholders listed on <u>Schedule 1</u> hereto (the "<u>Management Stockholders</u>" and, together with the Initial Carlyle Stockholder and the Initial GIC Stockholder, the "<u>Stockholders</u>") and any other stockholder who from time to time becomes party to this Agreement by execution of a joinder agreement substantially in the form of <u>Exhibit A</u> (a "<u>Joinder Agreement</u>").

RECITALS

- A. The Company is proposing to consummate an initial public offering of its Common Stock (the "Initial Public Offering").
- B. The Stockholders and the Company desire to enter into this Agreement effective upon the effective date of the registration statement relating to the Initial Public Offering (the "Effective Date").
 - C. The Board of Directors of the Company (the "Board of Directors") has approved this Agreement.
- D. The parties hereto desire to agree upon the respective rights and obligations after the Effective Date with respect to the securities of the Company now or hereafter issued and outstanding and held by the parties to this Agreement and certain matters with respect to their investment in the Company.

AGREEMENT

Now therefore, in consideration of the foregoing, and the mutual agreements and covenants contained herein, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the parties agree as follows:

SECTION I. DEFINITIONS

- 1.1 <u>Drafting Conventions; No Construction Against Drafter.</u>
- (a) The headings in this Agreement are provided for convenience and do not affect its meaning. The words "include," "includes" and "including" are to be read as if they were followed by the phrase "without limitation." Unless specified otherwise, any reference to an agreement means that agreement as amended or supplemented, subject to any restrictions on amendment contained in such agreement. Unless specified otherwise, any reference to a statute or regulation means that statute or regulation as amended or supplemented from time to time and any corresponding provisions of successor statutes or regulations. If any date specified in this Agreement as a date for taking action falls on a day that is not a business day, then that action may be taken on the next business day. Unless specified otherwise, the words "party" and "parties" refer only to a party named in this Agreement or one who joins this Agreement as a party pursuant to the terms hereof.
- (b) The language used in this Agreement shall be deemed to be the language chosen by the parties to express their mutual intent. If an ambiguity or question of intent or interpretation arises, this Agreement is to be construed as if drafted jointly by the parties and there is to be no presumption or burden of proof or rule of strict construction favoring or disfavoring any party because of the authorship of any provision of this Agreement.

1.2 <u>Defined Terms</u>. The following capitalized terms, as used in this Agreement, shall have the meanings set forth below.

"Affiliate" shall mean with respect to any specified Person, any other Person which, directly or indirectly, controls, is controlled by or is under common control with the specified Person, including any partner, officer, director or member of the specified Person and, if the specified Person is a private equity fund, any investment fund now or hereafter managed by, or which is controlled by or is under common control with, one or more general partners or managing members of, or shares the same management company with, the specified Person or any investment fund, managed account vehicle, collective investment scheme or comparable investment vehicle ("Fund") now or hereafter existing that shares the same management company or registered investment advisor with such Person or any Fund now or hereafter existing that is controlled by, under common control with, managed or advised by the same management company or registered investment advisor that controls, is under common control with, manages or advises the Fund that controls such Person. For the purposes of this definition, "control" (including, with its correlative meanings, the terms "controlled by" and "under common control with"), as used with respect to any Person, shall mean the possession, directly or indirectly, of the power to direct, or cause the direction of the management and policies of such Person, whether through the ownership of securities, by contract or otherwise.

"Bylaws" shall mean the Company's amended and restated bylaws in effect as of the Effective Date, as amended from time to time.

"Carlyle Majority Interest" shall mean, at any given time, the Carlyle Stockholders holding a majority in voting power of the outstanding shares of Common Stock held at that specified time by all Carlyle Stockholders.

"Carlyle Stockholder" shall mean, collectively, (i) the Initial Carlyle Stockholder and (ii) any Permitted Transferee or Affiliate of the Initial Carlyle Stockholder (x) which is issued shares of Common Stock or becomes the beneficial owner of any shares of Common Stock or is Transferred any shares of Common Stock by any other Person and (y) which becomes a party hereto by executing a Joinder Agreement.

"Charter" shall mean the Company's amended and restated certificate of incorporation in effect as of the Effective Date, as amended and/or restated from time to time.

"Common Stock" shall mean the common stock, par value \$0.01 per share, of the Company.

"Company" shall have the meaning set forth in the preamble and shall include any successor thereto.

"Director" shall mean a member of the Board of Directors.

"Exchange Act" shall mean the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, and the rules and regulations thereunder.

"FINRA" shall mean the Financial Industry Regulatory Authority.

"GAAP" shall mean generally accepted accounting principles, as in effect in the United States of America from time to time.

"GIC Stockholder" shall mean, collectively, (i) the Initial GIC Stockholder and (ii) any Permitted Transferee or Affiliate of the Initial GIC Stockholder (x) which is issued shares of Common Stock or becomes the beneficial owner of any shares of Common Stock or is Transferred any shares of Common Stock by any other Person and (y) which becomes a party hereto by executing a Joinder Agreement.

"IPO" shall mean the underwritten registered public offering of shares of the Company's Common Stock, pursuant to which the shares of Common Stock are being listed on the NYSE.

"Necessary Action" shall mean, with respect to a specified result, all commercially reasonable actions necessary or desirable to cause such result, in each case, to the fullest extent permitted by applicable law (including, as applicable with respect to fiduciary duties under Delaware law), including (i) attending meetings in person or by proxy for purposes of obtaining a quorum, (ii) voting or providing a written consent or proxy with respect to shares of Common Stock, (iii) causing the adoption of resolutions and amendments to the organizational documents of the Company, (iv) executing agreements and instruments, (v) making, or causing to be made, with governmental, administrative or regulatory authorities, all filings, registrations or similar actions that are required to achieve such result and (vi) ensuring that applicable provisions are included in any proxy statement prepared by management of the Company in connection with the solicitation of proxies for any meeting of stockholders of the Company.

"NYSE" shall mean the New York Stock Exchange.

"Permitted Transferee" shall mean, with respect to the Carlyle Stockholder or the GIC Stockholder, (i) any Affiliate of such Carlyle Stockholder or such GIC Stockholder, (ii) any director, officer or employee of any Affiliate of such Carlyle Stockholder or such GIC Stockholder, (iii) any direct or indirect member or general or limited partner of such Carlyle Stockholder or such GIC Stockholder that is the transferee of shares of Common Stock pursuant to a pro rata distribution of shares by such Carlyle Stockholder or such GIC Stockholder to its partners or members, as applicable (or any subsequent transfer of such shares by the transferee to another Permitted Transferee) or (iv) any other Transferee designated as a Permitted Transferee by such Carlyle Stockholder or such GIC Stockholder.

"Person" shall mean an individual, corporation, partnership, limited liability company, joint venture, association, trust, unincorporated organization, government (or agency or political subdivision thereof) or any other entity or group (as defined in Section 13(d) of the Exchange Act).

"Public Offering" shall mean a public offering and sale of shares of Common Stock for cash pursuant to an effective registration statement under the Securities Act.

"Registrable Securities" shall mean, at any time, (i) shares of Common Stock, (ii) any other equity securities now or hereafter issued by the Company, in each case, beneficially owned by a Stockholder, whether now held or hereafter acquired, together with any options, warrants or other rights thereon and (iii) any other shares or other equity securities issued or issuable with respect thereto (whether by way of a stock dividend, stock split or in exchange for or in replacement or upon conversion of such shares or otherwise in connection with a combination of shares, recapitalization, merger, consolidation or other corporate reorganization). As to any particular Registrable Securities, such securities shall cease to be Registrable Securities when (a) a registration statement with respect to the sale of such securities shall have been disposed of pursuant to such registration statement, (b) a registration statement on Form S-8 (or any successor form) covering such securities is effective and either (A) the holder thereof is not an Affiliate of the Company or (B) such

registration statement on Form S-8 (or any successor form) covers resales by the holder thereof, (c) such securities shall have been sold (or, in the case of a Stockholder other than the Carlyle Stockholder and the GIC Stockholder, become eligible for sale without volume limitations) pursuant to Rule 144 under the Securities Act or (d) such securities shall have ceased to be outstanding.

"SEC" shall mean the Securities and Exchange Commission.

"Securities Act" shall mean the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, and the rules and regulations thereunder.

"Stockholders" shall mean the Carlyle Stockholder, the GIC Stockholder, the Management Stockholders and any other stockholders who from time to time become party to this Agreement by execution of a Joinder Agreement.

"Transfer" shall mean any direct or indirect transfer, donation, sale, assignment, pledge, hypothecation, grant of a security interest in or other disposal or attempted disposal of all or any portion of a security, any interest or rights in a security, or any rights under this Agreement.

"Transferee" shall mean the recipient of a Transfer.

"WKSI" shall mean a well-known seasoned issuer, as defined in the SEC's Rule 405.

SECTION II. REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES

- 2.1 <u>Representations and Warranties of the Stockholders</u>. Each Stockholder hereby represents, warrants and covenants to the Company as follows: (a) such Stockholder has full power and authority to enter into this Agreement and perform its obligations hereunder; (b) this Agreement constitutes the valid and binding obligation of such Stockholder enforceable against it in accordance with its terms; and (c) the execution, delivery and performance by such Stockholder of this Agreement: (i) does not and will not violate any laws, rules or regulations of the United States or any state or other jurisdiction applicable to such Stockholder, or require such Stockholder to obtain any approval, consent or waiver of, or to make any filing with, any Person that has not been obtained or made; and (ii) does not constitute a breach of or default under any material agreement to which such Stockholder is a party.
- 2.2 Representations and Warranties of the Company. The Company hereby represents, warrants and covenants to the Stockholders as follows:
 (a) the Company has full corporate power and authority to enter into this Agreement and perform its obligations hereunder; (b) this Agreement constitutes the valid and binding obligation of the Company enforceable against it in accordance with its terms; and (c) the execution, delivery and performance by the Company of this Agreement: (i) does not and will not violate any laws, rules or regulations of the United States or any state or other jurisdiction applicable to the Company, or require the Company to obtain any approval, consent or waiver of, or to make any filing with, any Person that has not been obtained or made; and (ii) does not and will not result in a breach of, constitute a default under, accelerate any obligation under or give rise to a right of termination of any indenture or loan or credit agreement or any other material agreement, contract, instrument, mortgage, lien, lease, permit, authorization, order, writ, judgment, injunction, decree, determination or arbitration award to which the Company is a party or by which the property of the Company is bound or affected, or result in the creation or imposition of any mortgage, pledge, lien, security interest or other charge or encumbrance on any of the assets or properties of the Company.

SECTION III. BOARD MATTERS

- 3.1 Board of Directors. From and after the first business day after the Effective Date:
- (a) <u>Rights to Designate</u>. Each Stockholder, in its capacity as a stockholder, individually and not jointly, hereby agrees with the Company (and only with the Company) to vote, or cause to be voted, all of its shares of Common Stock, at any annual or special meeting, by written consent, or otherwise, and will take all Necessary Actions within such Stockholder's control, to cause the authorized number of directors on the Board of Directors to be established at nine (9) as of the first business day after the Effective Date, and to elect or appoint or cause to be elected or appointed to the Board of Directors and cause to be continued in office:
 - (i) eight (8) designees of the Carlyle Stockholders constituting a Carlyle Majority Interest (the "Investor Designees"); provided, that (A) the number of Investor Designees to be designated by the Carlyle Majority Interest (on behalf of the Carlyle Stockholders) shall be reduced to six (6) Directors at such time as the Carlyle Stockholders in the aggregate hold less than thirty-five percent (35%) of the then outstanding shares of Common Stock, (B) the number of Investor Designees to be designated by the Carlyle Majority Interest (on behalf of the Carlyle Stockholders) shall be reduced to four (4) Directors at such time as the Carlyle Stockholders in the aggregate hold less than twenty-five percent (25%) of the then outstanding shares of Common Stock, (C) the number of Investor Designees to be designated by the Carlyle Majority Interest (on behalf of the Carlyle Stockholders) shall be reduced to two (2) Directors at such time as the Carlyle Stockholders in the aggregate hold less than fifteen-percent (15%) of the then outstanding shares of Common Stock, and (D) the Carlyle Stockholders shall have no right to designate any members of the Board of Directors pursuant to this Section 3.1(a)(i) at such time as the Carlyle Stockholders in the aggregate hold less than five percent (5%) of the then-outstanding shares of Common Stock; and
 - (ii) the senior ranking executive officer of the Company and its subsidiaries, which initially, and for so long as he is the Company's Chief Executive Officer, shall be Russell Ford.

The Company agrees with each of the Stockholders, individually and not jointly, that it shall take all Necessary Actions within its control to cause the individuals designated in accordance with Section 3.1(a) to be nominated for election to the Board of Directors, shall solicit proxies in favor thereof, and at any meeting of the stockholders of the Company (if any is required) at which directors of the Company are to be elected, shall recommend that the stockholders of the Company elect to the Board of Directors each such individual nominated for election at such meeting unless the Board of Directors determines that making such recommendation would be inconsistent with its fiduciary duties under applicable law.

(b) <u>Initial Investor Designees</u>. The initial Investor Designees pursuant to the provisions of <u>Section 3.1(a)(i)</u> shall be Douglas Brandely, Peter Clare, Wendy Masiello, Paul McElhinney, Stefan Weingartner, Ian Fujiyama, Andrea Fischer Newman and one vacancy. Any remaining undesignated Investor Designees shall be designated by the Carlyle Majority Interest at such time as they shall determine.

(c) Removal and Replacement.

(i) Any Person or group of Persons entitled to designate a Director may indicate such Person's desire to remove such designee from the Board of Directors by sending a written notice to the Company's Secretary stating the name of the designee to be removed from the Board of Directors (the "Removal Notice") and, upon receipt of such notice by the Company's Secretary, the Company shall take all Necessary Actions to submit such removal to a vote or consent of the stockholders, and each Stockholder, individually and not jointly, hereby agrees with the Company (and only with the Company) to vote, at any annual or special meeting, by written consent, or otherwise, all shares of Common Stock and will take all Necessary Actions within such Stockholder's control to effect such removal.

- (ii) If at any time any Director ceases to serve on the Board of Directors (whether due to death, disability, resignation, removal or otherwise), the Person or Persons that designated or nominated such Director pursuant to Section 3.1(a) shall designate or nominate a successor to fill the vacancy created thereby on the terms and subject to the conditions of Section 3.1(a). Each Stockholder, individually and not jointly, hereby agrees with the Company (and only with the Company) to vote, or cause to be voted, all of its shares of Common Stock, and will take all Necessary Actions within such Stockholder's control, and the Company will take all Necessary Actions within its control, to cause the designated successor to be elected to fill such vacancy. In the event that the Carlyle Stockholders do not, pursuant to Section 3.1(a), have the right to designate an individual to fill such vacancy, then such vacancy shall be filled as provided in the Charter and the Bylaws.
- (iii) In the event that the Carlyle Stockholders cease to have the right to designate an individual to serve as a Director pursuant to Section 3.1(a), (i) the Carlyle Stockholders shall take all Necessary Actions to cause that number of Directors for which the Carlyle Stockholders cease to have the right to designate to serve as Directors to resign upon the expiry of such Directors' term of service on the Board of Directors in order of expiry (each a "Departing Director"), provided that (A) in lieu of the resignation of any such Departing Director (each a "Carlyle Continuing Director"), the Carlyle Stockholders may instead take all Necessary Actions to cause any other Director previously designated by the Carlyle Stockholders to resign at the expiration of the original Departing Director's term, with such Carlyle Continuing Director continuing as a Director if re-elected to the Board, with the Company taking all Necessary Actions to ensure that such Carlyle Continuing Director be nominated for election to the Board of Directors for an additional term, (B) if multiple Directors terms of service on the Board of Directors expire simultaneously, the Carlyle Stockholders may take all Necessary Actions to cause certain Directors to resign and (C) any such resignation or resignations shall be subject to delay at the request of the Board of Directors, and (ii) the vacancy that may be created by such resignation shall be filled as provided in the Charter and the Bylaws.
- (d) Expenses. Each Director shall be entitled to reimbursement from the Company for his or her reasonable out-of-pocket expenses (including travel) incurred in attending any meeting of the Board of Directors or any committee thereof or governing body of any subsidiary of the Company or any committee thereof.
- (e) <u>Indemnification</u>; <u>Insurance</u>. The Company shall not alter, in any manner adverse to the Investor Designees, any rights to indemnification and exculpation from liabilities currently afforded to members of the Board of Directors, provided they are permitted by applicable law, pursuant to the Charter, the Bylaws or any indemnification agreement, in each case, as in effect as of the Effective Date. If the Company or any of its respective successors or assigns (i) shall consolidate with or merge into any other corporation or entity and shall not be the continuing or surviving corporation or entity of such consolidation or merger or (ii) shall transfer all or substantially all of its properties and assets to any individual, corporation or other entity, then, and in each such case, proper provisions shall be made so that the successors and assigns of the Company shall covenant to afford to each of the Investor Designees such rights to indemnification and exculpation from liabilities. To the fullest extent permitted by applicable law, the Company shall continue to maintain in effect directors' and officers' liability insurance and fiduciary liability insurance with benefits, terms, conditions, retentions and levels of coverage that are at least as favorable, in the aggregate, to the insureds as provided in the Company's existing policies as of the Effective Date.

3.2 <u>Committees of the Board of Directors</u>. From and after the Effective Date, the Company shall cause the Board of Directors to establish and maintain the following committees: (a) an Audit Committee, (b) a Compensation Committee, (c) a Nominating and Corporate Governance Committee, (d) an Executive Committee, (e) any other committee needed to comply with applicable laws and regulations and (f) any other committee as the Board of Directors shall determine in its discretion.

3.3 Additional Management Provisions.

- (a) Each Stockholder and the Company agrees and acknowledges that, subject to applicable law, the Investor Designees designated by the Carlyle Majority Interest may share confidential, non-public information about the Company and its subsidiaries with the Carlyle Stockholders, their Permitted Transferees and their respective Affiliates, directors and officers.
- (b) The Stockholders and the Company hereby agree, notwithstanding anything to the contrary in any other agreement or at law or in equity, that, to the maximum extent permitted by applicable law, when the Carlyle Stockholders, in their capacity as stockholders of the Company, take any action under this Agreement to give or withhold its consent, the Carlyle Stockholders shall have no duty (fiduciary or other) to consider the interests of the Company or the other Stockholders and may act exclusively in its own interest; *provided, however*, that the foregoing shall in no way affect the obligations of the parties hereto to comply with the provisions of this Agreement.
- (c) Each of the Stockholders, individually and not jointly, covenants and agrees with the Company (and only the Company), and the Company covenants and agrees with each of the Stockholders, individually and not jointly, that it shall take all Necessary Actions within its control to ensure that the Charter and the Bylaws do not, at any time, conflict with the provisions of this Agreement.
- (d) For so long as the Company qualifies as a "controlled company" under the applicable listing standards then in effect, the Company will elect to be a "controlled company" for purposes of such applicable listing standards, and will disclose in its annual meeting proxy statement that it is a "controlled company" and the basis for that determination. The Company and the Stockholders acknowledge and agree that, as of the date of this Agreement, the Company is a "controlled company." The Carlyle Stockholders acknowledge that a sufficient number of their designees will be required to qualify as "independent directors" to ensure that the Board complies with such applicable listing standards in the time periods required by the applicable listing standards then in effect, and shall discuss and use commercially reasonable efforts to agree upon appropriate changes to their designees consistent with the foregoing.

SECTION IV. REGISTRATION RIGHTS

4.1 Demand and Piggyback Rights.

(a) <u>Right to Demand a Non-Shelf Registered Offering</u>. Upon the demand of (i) any Carlyle Stockholder at any time and from time to time after (or in advance of, but subject to) the expiration or waiver of the underwriter lock-up period applicable to the Company's IPO and (ii) any GIC Stockholder at any time and from time to time after the second anniversary of the consummation of the Company's IPO, the Company will, as promptly as practicable (and in no event later than 30 days following receipt of such demand), prepare and file the applicable registration statement for, and otherwise facilitate in the manner described in this Agreement, a non-shelf registered offering of the Registrable Securities requested by the

demanding Carlyle Stockholder or GIC Stockholder, as applicable, to be included in such offering. A demand for a non-shelf registered offering that will result in the imposition of a lockup on the Company may not be made unless the Registrable Securities requested to be sold by the demanding Carlyle Stockholder or GIC Stockholder, as applicable, in such offering have an aggregate market value (based on the most recent closing price of shares of Common Stock at the time of the demand) of at least \$50 million (or such lesser amount if all Registrable Securities held by the demanding Carlyle Stockholder or GIC Stockholder, as applicable, are requested to be sold).

- (b) <u>Right to Piggyback on a Non-Shelf Registered Offering</u>. In connection with any registered offering of shares of Common Stock covered by a non-shelf registration statement (whether pursuant to the exercise of demand rights pursuant to <u>Section 4.1(a)</u> above or at the initiative of the Company), the Stockholders may exercise piggyback rights to have included in such offering Registrable Securities held by them. The Company will facilitate in the manner described in this Agreement any such non-shelf registered offering.
- (c) Right to Demand and be Included in a Shelf Registration. Upon the demand of (i) any Carlyle Stockholder, made at any time and from time to time and (ii) any GIC Stockholder at any time and from time to time after the second anniversary of the consummation of the Company's IPO, in each case, at a time when the Company is eligible to utilize Form S-3 or a successor form to sell Registrable Securities in a secondary offering on a delayed or continuous basis in accordance with Rule 415, the Company will, as promptly as practicable (and in no event later than 20 days following receipt of such demand), prepare and file the applicable registration statement for, and otherwise facilitate in the manner described in this Agreement a shelf registration of Registrable Securities held by such Carlyle Stockholder or such GIC Stockholder, as applicable. If at the time of such request the Company is a WKSI, such shelf registration will, unless otherwise requested by the Carlyle Stockholder or the GIC Stockholder, as applicable, cover an unspecified number of shares of Common Stock to be sold by the Company and the Stockholders. Any shelf registration filed by the Company covering shares of Common Stock (whether pursuant to a Stockholder demand or at the initiative of the Company) will cover such number of Registrable Securities as may be requested by each of the Stockholders.
- (d) <u>Demand and Piggyback Rights for Shelf Takedowns</u>. Upon the demand of one or more (i) Carlyle Stockholders made at any time and from time to time and (ii) GIC Stockholder at any time and from time to time after the second anniversary of the consummation of the Company's IPO, the Company will facilitate in the manner described in this Agreement a "takedown" of shares of Common Stock off of an effective shelf registration statement. In connection with any underwritten shelf takedown (whether pursuant to the exercise of such demand rights or at the initiative of the Company), subject to <u>Section 4.2</u> below, the Stockholders may exercise piggyback rights to have included in such takedown Registrable Securities held by them that are registered on such shelf. A demand for a shelf takedown for an offering that will result in the imposition of a lockup on the Company may not be made unless the Registrable Securities requested to be sold by the demanding Carlyle Stockholder or GIC Stockholder, as applicable, in such offering have an aggregate market value (based on the most recent closing price of shares of Common Stock at the time of the demand) of at least \$50 million (or such lesser amount if all Registrable Securities registered on such shelf and held by the demanding Carlyle Stockholder or GIC Stockholder, as applicable, are requested to be sold).
- (e) <u>Right to Reload a Shelf</u>. Upon the written request of a Carlyle Stockholder or GIC Stockholder, as applicable, the Company will file and seek the effectiveness of a post-effective amendment to an existing shelf in order to register up to the number of Registrable Securities previously taken down off of such shelf and not yet "reloaded" onto such shelf.

(f) Limitations on Demand and Piggyback Rights.

- (i) Any demand for the filing of a registration statement or for a registered offering or takedown will be subject to the constraints of any applicable lockup arrangements, and such demand must be deferred until such lockup arrangements no longer apply. If a demand has been made for a non-shelf registered offering or for an underwritten takedown, no further demands may be made so long as the related offering is still being pursued. Notwithstanding anything in this Agreement to the contrary, the Stockholders will not have piggyback or other registration rights with respect to registered primary offerings by the Company (i) covered by a Form S-8 registration statement or a successor form applicable to employee benefit-related offers and sales, (ii) where the shares of Common Stock are not being sold for cash or (iii) where the offering is a bona fide offering of securities other than shares of Common Stock, even if such securities are convertible into or exchangeable or exercisable for shares of Common Stock.
- (ii) The Company may postpone the filing of a demanded registration statement or suspend the effectiveness of any shelf registration statement for a reasonable "blackout period" not in excess of 90 days if the Board of Directors of the Company determines that such registration or offering could materially interfere with a bona fide business or financing transaction of the Company or is reasonably likely to require premature public disclosure of information, the premature public disclosure of which could materially and adversely affect the Company; provided that the Company shall not postpone the filing of a demanded registration statement or suspend the effectiveness of any shelf registration statement pursuant to this Section 4.1(f)(ii) more than once in any 360 day period. Any such blackout period will last only for so long as such postponement condition is continuing and, in any event, such blackout period will end upon the earlier to occur of, (i) in the case of a bona fide business or financing transaction, a date not later than 90 days from the date such deferral commenced, and (ii) in the case of disclosure of other non-public information, the earlier to occur of (x) the filing by the Company of its next succeeding Form 10-K or Form 10-Q, or (y) the date upon which such information is otherwise publicly disclosed.
- (iii) Notwithstanding anything herein to the contrary, in the event that the Carlyle Stockholder and the GIC Stockholder mutually agree in writing to waive their piggyback rights in any registration, all other Stockholders (if any) shall be deemed to have waived their respective piggyback rights with respect to such registration as well, in which case no Stockholder shall be entitled to include any Registrable Securities in such registration.

4.2 Notices, Cutbacks and Other Matters.

- (a) Notifications Regarding Registration Statements. In order for the Carlyle Stockholder or the GIC Stockholder to exercise its right to demand that a registration statement be filed, it must so notify the Company in writing indicating the number of Registrable Securities sought to be registered and the proposed plan of distribution. Unless otherwise requested by a Stockholder (with respect to such Stockholder only), the Company will keep the Stockholders contemporaneously apprised of all pertinent aspects of its pursuit of any registration, whether pursuant to a Stockholder demand or otherwise, with respect to which a piggyback opportunity is available. Pending any required public disclosure and subject to applicable legal requirements, the parties will maintain the confidentiality of these discussions.
- (b) Notifications Regarding Registration Piggyback Rights. Any Stockholder wishing to exercise its piggyback rights with respect to a registration statement must notify the Company of the number of Registrable Securities it seeks to have included in such registration statement. Subject to Section 4.2(c), such notice must be given as soon as practicable and, in the case of piggyback rights with respect to a registration statement to be filed other than pursuant to a Stockholder demand, in no event later than five

business days following delivery of notice by the Company (or three business days if requested in connection with an underwritten "block trade"). Notwithstanding delivery of such notice by a Stockholder, all determinations as to whether to complete any offering pursuant to a Stockholder demand and as to the timing, manner, price and other terms of any such offering contemplated by this <u>Section 4.2(b)</u> shall be determined by the Stockholder proposing to sell a majority of the Registrable Securities.

(c) Notifications Regarding Demanded Underwritten Takedowns.

- (i) The Company will keep the Stockholders contemporaneously apprised of all pertinent aspects of any underwritten shelf takedown in order that they may have a reasonable opportunity to exercise their related piggyback rights. Without limiting the Company's obligation as described in the preceding sentence, having a reasonable opportunity requires that the Stockholders be notified by the Company of an anticipated underwritten takedown (whether pursuant to a demand made by other Stockholders or made at the Company's own initiative) no later than 5:00 pm, New York City time, on (i) if applicable, the second trading day prior to the date on which the preliminary prospectus or prospectus supplement intended to be used in connection with pre-pricing marketing efforts for such takedown is finalized, and (ii) in all cases, the second trading day prior to the date on which the pricing of the relevant takedown occurs. Promptly (x) upon receipt of a shelf takedown request (but in no event more than two business days thereafter (or such shorter period as may be reasonably requested in connection with an underwritten "block trade")) for any underwritten shelf takedown or (y) in the case of an underwritten shelf takedown to be made at the Company's own initiative, following the Company's election to pursue such underwritten shelf takedown, the Company shall deliver a notice (a "Shelf Takedown Notice") to each Stockholder with Registrable Securities covered by the applicable Registration Statement (other than the demanding Stockholder, if applicable) (each a "Potential Takedown Participant") offering each such Potential Takedown Participant the opportunity to include such Registrable Securities in any such underwritten shelf takedown.
- (ii) Subject to Section 4.2(e), the Company shall include in such underwritten shelf takedown all such Registrable Securities with respect to which the Company has received written requests for inclusion therein within two business days (or one business day if requested in connection with an underwritten "block trade" pursuant to a demand by a Stockholder) after the date that the Shelf Takedown Notice has been delivered. Notwithstanding the delivery of any Shelf Takedown Notice, all determinations as to whether to complete any underwritten shelf takedown and as to the timing, manner, price and other terms of any underwritten shelf takedown contemplated by this Section 4.2(e)(ii) shall be determined by the Stockholder proposing to sell a majority of the Registrable Securities.
- (iii) Pending any required public disclosure and subject to applicable legal requirements, the parties will maintain appropriate confidentiality of their discussions regarding a prospective underwritten takedown.
- (d) <u>Plan of Distribution, Underwriters and Counsel</u>. If (1) a majority of the shares of Common Stock proposed to be sold in an underwritten offering through a non-shelf registration statement or through a shelf takedown are being sold by the Company for its own account and (2) such offering was initiated by the Company and not by a Stockholder, the Company will be entitled to determine the plan of distribution and select the managing underwriters for such offering. Otherwise, the Stockholders holding a majority of the Registrable Securities requested to be included in such offering will be entitled to determine the plan of distribution and select the managing underwriters, and such majority will also be entitled to select counsel for the selling Stockholders (which may be the same as counsel for the Company). In the case of a shelf registration statement, the plan of distribution will provide as much flexibility as is reasonably possible, including with respect to resales by transferee Stockholders.

- (e) <u>Cutbacks</u>. If the managing underwriters advise the Company and the selling Stockholders that, in their opinion, the number of shares requested to be included in an underwritten offering exceeds the amount that can be sold in such offering without adversely affecting the distribution of the shares being offered, such offering will include only the number of shares that the underwriters advise can be sold in such offering.
 - (i) In the case of a registered offering upon the demand of one or more Stockholders, the selling Stockholders (including those Stockholders exercising piggyback rights pursuant to this Agreement) collectively will have first priority and will be subject to cutback pro rata based on the number of Registrable Securities held by each such selling Stockholder at the time of the demand (up to the number of Registrable Securities initially requested by them to be included in such offering). To the extent of any remaining capacity, all other stockholders having similar registration rights will have second priority and will be subject to cutback pro rata based on the number of shares initially requested by them to be included in such offering. Except as contemplated by the immediately preceding two sentences, other selling stockholders (other than a transferee to whom a Stockholder has assigned its rights under this Agreement in accordance with the terms of this Agreement) will be included in an underwritten offering only with the consent of Stockholders holding a majority of the Registrable Securities being sold in such offering.
 - (ii) In the case of a registered offering upon the initiative of the Company, the Company will have first priority. To the extent of any remaining capacity, the selling Stockholders exercising piggyback rights pursuant to this Agreement collectively will have second priority and will be subject to cutback pro rata based on the number of Registrable Securities held by each such selling Stockholder at the time the Company notice is issued (up to the number of Registrable Securities initially requested by them to be included in such offering). To the extent of any remaining capacity, all other stockholders having similar registration rights will have third priority and will be subject to cutback pro rata based on the number of shares initially requested by them to be included in such offering. Except as contemplated by the immediately preceding sentence, other stockholders (other than transferees to whom a Stockholder has assigned its rights under this Agreement in accordance with the terms of this Agreement) will be included in an underwritten offering only with the consent of Stockholders holding a majority of the Registrable Securities proposed to be sold by Stockholders in such offering.
- (f) <u>Withdrawals</u>. In connection with any offering initiated by the Company, even if Registrable Securities held by a Stockholder have been part of such offering, such Stockholder may, no later than the time at which the public offering price and underwriters' discount are determined with the managing underwriter, decline to sell all or any portion of the shares being offered for its account.
- (g) Expenses. All expenses incurred in connection with any registration statement or registered offering covering Registrable Securities held by Stockholders, including, without limitation, all registration and filing fees, printing expenses (including printing certificates for the shares in a form eligible for deposit with The Depository Trust Company and printing preliminary, supplemental and final prospectuses), word processing, duplicating, telephone and facsimile expenses, messenger and delivery expenses, transfer taxes, expenses incurred in connection with promotional efforts or "roadshows", fees and disbursements of counsel (including the fees and disbursements of outside counsel for each of the Carlyle Stockholder and the GIC Stockholder (which may be the same as counsel for the Company) and fees and disbursements of counsel to the underwriters with respect to "blue sky" qualification of such shares and their determination for eligibility for investment under the laws of the various jurisdictions and in

connection with any filing with, and clearance of any offering by, FINRA (up to the cap on such fees included in any applicable underwriting agreement)) and of the independent certified public accountants (including with respect to the preparation of customary financial statements required to be included in any offering document, the provision of any customary comfort letters and the conduct of special audits required by, or incidental to, such registration), and the expense of qualifying such Registrable Securities under state blue sky and non-U.S. securities laws, will be borne by the Company. However, underwriters', brokers' and dealers' discounts and commissions applicable to Registrable Securities sold for the account of a Stockholder will be borne by such Stockholder.

4.3 Facilitating Registrations and Offerings.

- (a) <u>General</u>. If the Company becomes obligated under this Agreement to facilitate a registration and offering of Registrable Securities on behalf of Stockholders, the Company will do so with the same degree of care and dispatch as would reasonably be expected in the case of a registration and offering by the Company of shares for its own account. Without limiting this general obligation, the Company will fulfill its specific obligations as described in this Section 4.3.
- (b) <u>Registration Statements</u>. In connection with each registration statement that is demanded by Stockholders or as to which piggyback rights otherwise apply, the Company will:
 - (i) (1) prepare and file (or confidentially submit) with the SEC a registration statement covering the applicable Registrable Securities, (2) prepare and file (or confidentially submit) such amendments or supplements to such registration statement and the prospectus used in connection therewith as may be necessary to keep such registration statement effective for a period ending when all of the securities covered by such registration statement have been disposed of in accordance with the intended methods of distribution by the sellers thereof set forth in such registration statement (but not in any event before the expiration of any longer period required under the Securities Act or, if such registration statement relates to an underwritten public offering, such longer period as in the opinion of counsel for the underwriters a prospectus is required by law to be delivered in connection with the sale of Registrable Securities by an underwriter or dealer), (3) seek the effectiveness thereof, and (4) file with the SEC prospectuses and prospectus supplements as may be required, all in consultation with the Stockholders and as reasonably necessary in order to permit the offer and sale of the such Registrable Securities in accordance with the applicable plan of distribution;
 - (ii) (1) within a reasonable time prior to the filing of any registration statement, any prospectus, any amendment to a registration statement, amendment or supplement to a prospectus or any free writing prospectus, provide copies of such documents to the selling Stockholders and to the underwriter or underwriters of an underwritten offering, if applicable, and to their respective counsel; fairly consider such reasonable changes in any such documents prior to or after the filing thereof as the counsel to the Stockholders or the underwriter or the underwriters may request; and make such of the representatives of the Company as shall be reasonably requested by the selling Stockholders or any underwriter available for discussion of such documents; and
 - (2) within a reasonable time prior to the filing of any document which is to be incorporated by reference into a registration statement or a prospectus, provide copies of such document to counsel for the Stockholders and underwriters; fairly consider such reasonable changes in such document prior to or after the filing thereof as counsel for such Stockholders or such underwriter shall request; and make such of the representatives of the Company as shall be reasonably requested by such counsel available for discussion of such document;

- (iii) cause each registration statement and the related prospectus and any amendment or supplement thereto, as of the effective date of such registration statement, amendment or supplement and during the distribution of the registered Registrable Securities (x) to comply in all material respects with the requirements of the Securities Act and the rules and regulations of the SEC and (y) not to contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact required to be stated therein or necessary to make the statements therein not misleading;
- (iv) notify each Stockholder promptly, and, if requested by such Stockholder, confirm such advice in writing, (i) when a registration statement has become effective and when any post-effective amendments and supplements thereto become effective if such registration statement or post-effective amendment is not automatically effective upon filing pursuant to Rule 462, (ii) of the issuance by the SEC or any state or non-U.S. securities authority of any stop order, injunction or other order or requirement suspending the effectiveness of a registration statement or the initiation of any proceedings for that purpose, (iii) if, between the effective date of a registration statement and the closing of any sale of securities covered thereby pursuant to any agreement to which the Company is a party, the representations and warranties of the Company contained in such agreement cease to be true and correct in all material respects or if the Company receives any notification with respect to the suspension of the qualification of the shares for sale in any jurisdiction or the initiation or threatening of any proceeding for such purpose, and (iv) of the happening of any event during the period a registration statement is effective as a result of which such registration statement or the related prospectus contains any untrue statement of a material fact or omits to state any material fact required to be stated therein or necessary to make the statements therein not misleading and, if required by applicable law, prepare and file a supplement or amendment to such registration statement or prospectus so that, as thereafter delivered to the purchasers of shares registered thereby, such registration statement or prospectus will not contain an untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state any fact necessary to make the statements therein not misleading;
- (v) furnish counsel for each underwriter, if any, and for the Stockholders copies of any correspondence with the SEC or any state securities authority relating to the registration statement or prospectus;
- (vi) otherwise comply with all applicable rules and regulations of the SEC, including making available to its security holders an earnings statement covering at least 12 months which shall satisfy the provisions of Section 11(a) of the Securities Act and Rule 158 thereunder (or any similar provision then in force); and
- (vii) use all reasonable efforts to obtain the withdrawal of any order suspending the effectiveness of a registration statement at the earliest possible time.
- (c) Non-Shelf Registered Offerings and Shelf Takedowns. In connection with any non-shelf registered offering or shelf takedown that is demanded by a Carlyle Stockholder or a GIC Stockholder, as applicable, or as to which piggyback rights otherwise apply, the Company will:

- (i) cooperate with the selling Stockholders and the sole underwriter or managing underwriter of an underwritten offering Registrable Securities, if any, to facilitate the timely preparation and delivery of certificates representing the shares to be sold and not bearing any restrictive legends; and enable such shares to be in such denominations (consistent with the provisions of the governing documents thereof) and registered in such names as the selling Stockholders or the sole underwriter or managing underwriter of an underwritten offering of shares, if any, may reasonably request at least five days prior to any sale of such shares;
- (ii) furnish to each Stockholder and to each underwriter, if any, participating in the relevant offering, without charge, as many copies of the applicable prospectus, including each preliminary prospectus, and any amendment or supplement thereto and such other documents as such Stockholder or underwriter may reasonably request in order to facilitate the public sale or other disposition of the Registrable Securities; and the Company hereby consents to the use of the prospectus, including each preliminary prospectus or prospectus supplement, by each such Stockholder and underwriter in connection with the offering and sale of the Registrable Securities covered by the prospectus, the preliminary prospectus or prospectus supplement;
- (iii) (i) use all reasonable efforts to register or qualify the Registrable Securities being offered and sold, no later than the time the applicable registration statement becomes effective, under all applicable state securities or "blue sky" laws of such jurisdictions as each underwriter, if any, or any Stockholder holding Registrable Securities covered by a registration statement, shall reasonably request; (ii) use all reasonable efforts to keep each such registration or qualification effective during the period such registration statement is required to be kept effective; (iii) comply with the provisions of the Securities Act with respect to the disposition of all securities covered by such registration statement during such period in accordance with the intended methods of disposition by the sellers thereof set forth in the registration statement; and (iv) do any and all other acts and things which may be reasonably necessary or advisable to enable each such underwriter, if any, and Stockholder to consummate the disposition in each such jurisdiction of such Registrable Securities owned by such Stockholder; provided, however, that the Company shall not be obligated to qualify as a foreign corporation or as a dealer in securities in any jurisdiction in which it is not so qualified or to consent to be subject to general service of process (other than service of process in connection with such registration or qualification or any sale of Registrable Securities in connection therewith) in any such jurisdiction where it would not otherwise be required to qualify but for this subparagraph (iii) or subject itself to taxation in any such jurisdiction;
- (iv) (i) cause all Registrable Securities being sold to be qualified for inclusion in or listed on the NYSE or any other U.S. securities exchange on which Registrable Securities issued by the Company are then so qualified or listed if so requested by the Stockholders, or if so requested by the underwriter or underwriters of an underwritten offering of Registrable Securities, if any and arrange for at least two market makers to register with FINRA as such with respect to the Registrable Securities, (ii) comply (and continue to comply) with the requirements of any self-regulatory organization applicable to the Company, including without limitation all corporate governance requirements, (iii) use its best efforts to cause Registrable Securities covered by such registration statement to be registered with or approved by such other governmental agencies or authorities as may be necessary to enable the sellers thereof to consummate the disposition of such Registrable Securities and (iv) use best efforts to provide a transfer agent and registrar for all Registrable Securities to be sold by the Stockholders not later than the effective date of such registration statement;
- (v) cooperate and assist in any filings required to be made with FINRA and in the performance of any due diligence investigation by any underwriter in an underwritten offering;

- (vi) use all reasonable efforts to facilitate the distribution and sale of any Registrable Securities to be offered pursuant to this Agreement, including without limitation by making road show presentations, holding meetings with and making calls to potential investors and taking such other actions as shall be requested by the Stockholders or the lead managing underwriter of an underwritten offering;
- (vii) enter into customary agreements (including, in the case of an underwritten offering, underwriting agreements in customary form, and including provisions with respect to indemnification and contribution in customary form and consistent with the provisions relating to indemnification and contribution contained herein) and take all other customary and appropriate actions, at such times as customarily occur in similar registered offerings or shelf takedowns, in order to expedite or facilitate the disposition of such Registrable Securities in connection therewith, including:
 - (1) make such representations and warranties to the selling Stockholders and the underwriters, if any, in form, substance and scope as are customarily made by issuers to underwriters in similar underwritten offerings;
 - (2) obtain opinions of counsel to the Company in all relevant jurisdictions and updates thereof (which counsel and opinions (in form, scope and substance) shall be reasonably satisfactory to the lead managing underwriter, if any) addressed to each selling Stockholder and the underwriters, if any, covering the matters and jurisdictions customarily covered in opinions requested in sales of securities or underwritten offerings and such other matters as may be reasonably requested by such Stockholders and underwriters;
 - (3) obtain "cold comfort" letters and updates thereof from the Company's independent certified public accountants addressed to the selling Stockholders, if permissible, and the underwriters, if any, which letters shall be customary in form and shall cover matters of the type customarily covered in "cold comfort" letters to underwriters in connection with primary underwritten offerings;
 - (4) cause the Company's directors and executive officers to enter into lock-up agreements in customary form; and
 - (5) to the extent requested and customary for the relevant transaction, enter into a securities sales agreement with the Stockholders providing for, among other things, the appointment of such representative as agent for the selling Stockholders for the purpose of soliciting purchases of Registrable Securities, which agreement shall be customary in form, substance and scope and shall contain customary representations, warranties and covenants;
- (viii) take all actions to ensure that any free writing prospectus utilized in connection with any registration or offering hereunder complies in all material respects with the Securities Act in relation to the circulation of a prospectus, is filed in accordance with the Securities Act, is retained in accordance with the Securities Act and, when taken together with the related prospectus, prospectus supplement and related documents, will not contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact necessary to make the statements therein, in light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading;

- (ix) permit any Stockholder that, in its sole exclusive judgment, might be deemed to be an underwriter or a controlling person of the Company, to participate in the preparation of such registrations statement and to allow such Stockholder to provide language for insertion therein, in form and substance satisfactory to the Company, which in the reasonable judgment of such Stockholder and its counsel should be included;
- (x) use best efforts to (i) make Form S-3 available for the sale of Registrable Securities and (ii) prevent the issuance of any stop order suspending the effectiveness of a registration statement, or the issuance of any order suspending or preventing the use of any related prospectus or suspending the qualification of any Registrable Securities included in such registration statement for sale in any jurisdiction, and in the event any such order is issued, use best efforts to obtain promptly the withdrawal of such order;
- (xi) if requested by any managing underwriter and reasonably available, include in any prospectus or prospectus supplement updated financial or business information for the Company's most recent period or current quarterly period (including estimated results or ranges of results) if required for purposes of marketing the offering in the view of the managing underwriter;
 - (xii) take no direct or indirect action prohibited by Regulation M under the Exchange Act;
- (xiii) cooperate with each Stockholder covered by the registration statement and each underwriter or agent participating in the disposition of such Registrable Securities and their respective counsel in connection with the preparation and filing of applications, notices, registrations and responses to requests for additional information with FINRA, the NYSE or any other national securities exchange on which the Registrable Securities are or are to be listed, and to the extent required by the rules and regulations of FINRA, retain a Qualified Independent Underwriter acceptable to the managing underwriter;
- (xiv) if the Company files an automatic shelf registration statement covering any Registrable Securities, use its best efforts to remain a WKSI (and not become an ineligible issuer (as defined in Rule 405 under the Securities Act)) during the period during which such automatic shelf registration statement is required to remain effective;
- (xv) if the Company does not pay the filing fee covering the Registrable Securities at the time an automatic shelf registration statement is filed, pay such fee at such time or times as the Registrable Securities are to be sold;
- (xvi) if the automatic shelf registration statement has been outstanding for at least three years, at the end of the third year, refile a new automatic shelf registration statement covering the Registrable Securities, and, if at any time when the Company is required to re-evaluate its WKSI status the Company determines that it is not a WKSI, use its best efforts to refile the shelf registration statement on Form S-3 and, if such form is not available, Form S-1 and keep such registration statement effective during the period during which such registration statement is required to be kept effective; and

(xvii) if the Company plans to file any automatic shelf registration statement for the benefit of the holders of any of its securities other than the Stockholders, and the Stockholders do not request that their Registrable Securities be included in such shelf registration statement, the Company agrees that it will, at the request of any Carlyle Stockholder or any GIC Stockholder, include in such automatic shelf registration statement such disclosures as may be required by Rule 430B in order to ensure that the Stockholders may be added to such shelf registration statement at a later time through the filing of a prospectus supplement rather than a post-effective amendment (and if the Company has filed any automatic shelf registration statement for the benefit of the holders of any of its securities other than the Stockholders, the Company shall, at the request of any Carlyle Stockholder or any GIC Stockholder, file any post-effective amendments necessary to include therein all disclosure and language necessary to ensure that the Stockholders may be added to such Shelf Registration Statement).

- (d) <u>Due Diligence</u>. In connection with each registration and offering of Registrable Securities to be sold by Stockholders, the Company will, in accordance with customary practice, make available for inspection by representatives of the Stockholders and underwriters and any counsel or accountant retained by such Stockholder or underwriters all relevant financial and other records, pertinent corporate documents and properties of the Company and cause appropriate officers, managers and employees of the Company to supply all information reasonably requested by any such representative, underwriter, counsel or accountant in connection with their due diligence exercise.
- (e) <u>Information from Stockholders</u>. Each Stockholder that holds Registrable Securities covered by any registration statement will furnish to the Company such information regarding itself as is required to be included in the registration statement, the ownership of Registrable Securities by such Stockholder and the proposed distribution by such Stockholder of such Registrable Securities as the Company may from time to time reasonably request in writing.
- (f) <u>Lock-up Agreements</u>. In connection with any underwritten offering pursuant to this <u>Section IV</u>, at the request of the Company, each Stockholder shall enter into one or more agreements with the managing underwriters in connection with any such underwritten offering pursuant to which such Stockholder will agree not to offer, pledge, sell, make any short sale of, grant any option, right or warrant to purchase, or otherwise transfer or dispose of, directly or indirectly, any shares of Common Stock or other equity securities of the Company or any security convertible into, exercisable or exchangeable for, any shares of Common Stock or other equity securities of the Company, whether then owned or thereafter acquired, except as part of such underwritten offering or with the prior written consent of the managing underwriters of such underwritten offering, for a period designated by such managing underwriter, which period shall not begin prior to the beginning of the investor road show in connection with such underwritten offering (or, if there is no investor road show, the date of the underwriting agreement with respect to such underwritten offering) and shall not last more than 90 days after the date of the final prospectus (or prospectus supplement, as applicable) used in connection with such underwritten offering and, in each case, shall not exceed the lock-up period applicable to the Company.

4.4 Indemnification.

(a) <u>Indemnification by the Company.</u> In the event of any registration under the Securities Act by any registration statement of Registrable Securities held by Stockholders, the Company will indemnify and hold harmless each Stockholder, any such Stockholder's officers, directors, employees, agents, fiduciaries, stockholders, managers, partners, members, affiliates, direct and indirect equityholders, consultants and representatives, and any successors and assigns thereof, and each underwriter of such securities and each other person, if any, who controls any Stockholder or such underwriter within the meaning of the Securities Act (collectively, the "<u>Indemnified Parties</u>"), against any losses, claims, actions, damages, liabilities or expenses (including with respect to actions or proceedings, whether commenced or threatened, and including reasonable attorney fees and expenses) (collectively, "<u>Losses</u>"), joint or several, to which the Stockholders or such underwriter or controlling person may become subject under the Securities Act or otherwise, insofar as such Losses arise out of or are based upon (i) any untrue or alleged

untrue statement of material fact contained in (A) any registration statement, prospectus, preliminary prospectus or free writing prospectus, or any amendment thereof or supplement thereto or (B) any application or other document or communication (in this Section 4.4, collectively called an "application") executed by or on behalf of the Company or based upon written information furnished by or on behalf of the Company filed in any jurisdiction in order to qualify any securities covered by such registration under the "blue sky" or securities laws thereof, (ii) any omission or alleged omission of a material fact required to be stated therein or necessary to make the statements therein not misleading or (iii) any violation or alleged violation by the Company of the Securities Act or any other similar federal or state securities laws or any rule or regulation promulgated thereunder applicable to the Company and relating to action or inaction required of the Company in connection with any such registration, qualification or compliance; and will reimburse any such Indemnified Party for any legal or any other expenses reasonably incurred by them in connection with investigating or defending any such Losses; provided, however, that the Company shall not be liable to any such Indemnified Party in any such case to the extent that any such Losses arise out of or are based upon an untrue statement or alleged untrue statement or omission or alleged omission made in such registration statement, prospectus, preliminary prospectus or free writing prospectus or any amendment or supplement thereto, or in any application, in reliance upon and in conformity with information furnished to the Company through a written instrument duly executed by such Indemnified Party specifically for use in the preparation thereof.

- (b) <u>Indemnification by Stockholders</u>. Each Stockholder will indemnify and hold harmless (in the same manner and to the same extent as set forth in <u>Section 4.4(a)</u>) the Company, its officers, directors, employees, agents and representatives, and each Person who controls the Company (within the meaning of the Securities Act), with respect to Losses (as determined by a final and unappealable judgment, order or decree of a court of competent jurisdiction) arising from (i) any statement or omission from such registration statement, or any amendment or supplement to it, if such statement or omission was made in reliance upon and in conformity with information furnished to the Company through a written instrument duly executed by such Stockholder specifically regarding such Stockholder for use in the preparation of such registration statement or amendment or supplement, and (ii) compliance by such Stockholder with applicable laws in effecting the sale or other disposition of the securities covered by such registration statement.
- (c) <u>Indemnification Procedures</u>. Promptly after receipt by an Indemnified Party of notice of the commencement of any action involving a claim referred to in <u>Section 4.4(a)</u> and <u>Section 4.4(b)</u>, the Indemnified Party will, if a resulting claim is to be made or may be made against and indemnifying party, give written notice to the indemnifying party of the commencement of the action. The failure of any Indemnified Party to give notice shall not relieve the indemnifying party of its obligations in this <u>Section 4.4</u>, except to the extent that the indemnifying party is actually prejudiced by the failure to give notice. If any such action is brought against an Indemnified Party, the indemnifying party will be entitled to participate in and to assume the defense of the action with counsel reasonably satisfactory to the Indemnified Party, and after notice from the indemnifying party to such Indemnified Party of its election to assume defense of the action, the indemnifying party will not be liable to such Indemnified Party for any legal or other expenses incurred by the latter in connection with the action's defense. An Indemnified Party shall have the right to employ separate counsel in any action or proceeding and participate in the defense thereof, but the fees and expenses of such counsel shall be at such Indemnified Party's expense unless (i) the employment of such counsel has been specifically authorized in writing by the indemnifying party, which authorization shall not be unreasonably withheld, (ii) the indemnifying party has not assumed the defense and employed counsel reasonably satisfactory to the Indemnified Party within 30 days after notice of any such action or proceeding, or (iii) the named parties to any such action or proceeding (including any impleaded parties) include the Indemnified Party and the indemnifying party and the Indemnified Party shall have been advised by such counsel that there may be one or more legal defenses available to the Indemnified Party that are different from or additional

case the indemnifying party shall not have the right to assume the defense of such action or proceeding on behalf of the Indemnified Party), it being understood, however, that the indemnifying party shall not, in connection with any one such action or separate but substantially similar or related actions in the same jurisdiction arising out of the same general allegations or circumstances, be liable for the reasonable fees and expenses of more than one separate firm of attorneys (in addition to all local counsel which is necessary, in the good faith opinion of both counsel for the indemnifying party and counsel for the Indemnified Party in order to adequately represent the Indemnified Parties) for the Indemnified Party and that all such fees and expenses shall be reimbursed as they are incurred upon written request and presentation of invoices. Whether or not a defense is assumed by the indemnifying party, the indemnifying party will not be subject to any liability for any settlement made without its consent (such consent not to be unreasonably withheld, delayed or conditioned). No indemnifying party will consent to entry of any judgment or enter into any settlement which (i) does not include as an unconditional term the giving by the claimant or plaintiff, to the Indemnified Party, of a release from all liability in respect of such claim or litigation or (ii) involves the imposition of equitable remedies or the imposition of any non-financial obligations on the Indemnified Party.

- (d) Contribution. If the indemnification required by this Section 4.4 from the indemnifying party is unavailable to or insufficient to hold harmless an Indemnified Party in respect of any indemnifiable Losses, then the indemnifying party shall contribute to the amount paid or payable by the Indemnified Party as a result of such Losses in such proportion as is appropriate to reflect (i) the relative benefit of the indemnifying and Indemnified Parties and (ii) if the allocation in clause (i) is not permitted by applicable law, in such proportion as is appropriate to reflect the relative benefit referred to in clause (i) and also the relative fault of the indemnified and indemnifying parties, in connection with the actions which resulted in such Losses, as well as any other relevant equitable considerations. The relative fault of the indemnifying party and the Indemnified Party shall be determined by reference to, among other things, whether any action in question, including any untrue or alleged untrue statement of a material fact, has been made by, or relates to information supplied by, such indemnifying party or parties, and the parties' relative intent, knowledge, access to information, and opportunity to correct or prevent such action. The amount paid or payable by a party as a result of the Losses referred to above shall be deemed to include any legal or other fees or expenses reasonably incurred by such party in connection with any investigation or proceeding. The Company and Stockholders agree that it would not be just and equitable if contribution pursuant to this Section 4.4(d) were determined by pro rata allocation or by any other method of allocation which does not take account of the equitable considerations referred to in the prior provisions of this Section 4.4(d). Notwithstanding the provisions of this Section 4.4(d), no Stockholder shall be required to contribute any amount in excess of the amount by which the net proceeds from the sale of the securities by such Stockholder exceeds the amount of any damages which the indemnifying party has otherwise been required to pay by reason of an untrue statement or omission. No person guilty of fraudulent misrepresentation (within the meaning of Section 11(f) of the Securities Act) shall be entitled to contribution from any person who was not guilty of such a fraudulent misrepresentation.
- (e) <u>Advancement of Expenses</u>. The Company will advance the expenses incurred in connection with any action involving a claim referred to in <u>Section 4.4(a)</u> within thirty (30) days after the receipt by the Company of a statement or statements requesting such advances from time to time, whether prior to or after final disposition of such action. Advances will be unsecured and interest free. The Indemnified Party hereby undertakes to repay any amounts so advanced (without interest) to the extent that it is ultimately determined that the Indemnified Party is not entitled to be indemnified by the Company.
- (f) Non-Exclusive Remedy. The indemnification and contribution provided for under this Agreement will be in addition to any other rights to indemnification or contribution that any Indemnified Party may have pursuant to law or contract (and the Company and its subsidiaries shall be considered the indemnitors of first resort in all such circumstances to which this Section IV applies) and will remain in full force and effect regardless of any investigation made by or on behalf of the Indemnified Party or any officer, director or controlling Person of such Indemnified Party and will survive the transfer of Registrable Securities and the termination or expiration of this Agreement.

4.5 Rule 144. If the Company is subject to the requirements of Section 13, 14 or 15(d) of the Exchange Act, the Company covenants that it will file any reports required to be filed by it under the Securities Act and the Exchange Act (or, if the Company is subject to the requirements of Section 13, 14 or 15(d) of the Exchange Act but is not required to file such reports, it will, upon the request of any Stockholder, make publicly available such information) and it will take such further action as any Stockholder may reasonably request, so as to enable such Stockholder to sell Registrable Securities without registration under the Securities Act within the limitation of the exemptions provided by (a) Rule 144 under the Securities Act, as such Rule may be amended from time to time, or (b) any similar rule or regulation hereafter adopted by the SEC. Upon the request of any Stockholder, the Company will deliver to such Stockholder a written statement as to whether it has complied with such requirements. Furthermore, the Company shall use its reasonable best efforts to facilitate any sale by a Stockholder under Rule 144, including delivery of any legal opinions and instruction letters required by the Company's transfer agent and such other documentation as may be reasonably requested by the Stockholder or its broker in connection with such sales.

SECTION V. MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS

5.1 Information and Access Rights.

- (a) <u>Available Financial Information</u>. Upon written request, the Company will deliver, or will cause to be delivered, to the Carlyle Stockholder and the GIC Stockholder (until such time as such Stockholder shall cease to own any Registrable Securities):
 - (i) as soon as available after the end of each month and in any event within 30 days thereafter, the monthly operating report of the Company and, to the extent prepared by the Company in the ordinary course, a consolidated balance sheet of the Company and its subsidiaries as of the end of such month and consolidated statements of operations, income, cash flows, retained earnings and stockholders' equity of the Company and its subsidiaries, for each month and for the current fiscal year of the Company to date, prepared in accordance with GAAP (subject to normal year-end audit adjustments and the absence of notes thereto), together with a comparison of such statements to the corresponding periods of the prior fiscal year and to the Company's business plan then in effect and approved by the Board of Directors;
 - (ii) an annual budget, a business plan and financial forecasts for the Company for the fiscal year of the Company (the "Annual Budget"), no later than three business days after the approval thereof by the Board of Directors (but no later than March 31 of such fiscal year), in such manner and form as approved by the Board of Directors, which shall include at least a projection of income and a projected cash flow statement for each fiscal quarter in such fiscal year and a projected balance sheet as of the end of each fiscal quarter in such fiscal year, in each case, prepared in reasonable detail, with appropriate presentation and discussion of the principal assumptions upon which such budgets and projections are based, which shall be accompanied by the statement of the chief executive officer or chief financial officer or equivalent officer of the Company to the effect that such budget and projections are based on reasonable and good faith estimates and assumptions made by the management of the Company for the respective periods covered thereby, it being recognized by such holders that such budgets and projections as to future events are not to be viewed as facts and that actual results during the period or periods covered by them may differ from the projected results. Any material changes in such Annual Budget shall be delivered to the Carlyle Stockholder and the GIC Stockholder as promptly as practicable after such changes have been approved by the Board of Directors;

(iii) as soon as available after the end of each fiscal year of the Company, and in any event within 90 days thereafter, (A) the annual financial statements required to be filed by the Company pursuant to the Exchange Act or (B) a consolidated balance sheet of the Company and its subsidiaries as of the end of such fiscal year, and consolidated statements of income, retained earnings and cash flows of the Company and its subsidiaries for such year, prepared in accordance with GAAP and setting forth in each case in comparative form the figures for the previous fiscal year, all in reasonable detail and accompanied by the opinion of independent public accountants of recognized national standing selected by the Company, and a Company-prepared comparison to the Company's Annual Budget for such year as approved by the Board of Directors; and

(iv) as soon as available after the end of the first, second and third quarterly accounting periods in each fiscal year of the Company, and in any event within 45 days thereafter, (A) the quarterly financial statements required to be filed by the Company pursuant to the Exchange Act or (B) a consolidated balance sheet of the Company and its subsidiaries as of the end of each such quarterly period, and consolidated statements of income, retained earnings and cash flows of the Company and its subsidiaries for such period and for the current fiscal year to date, prepared in accordance with GAAP (subject to normal year-end audit adjustments and the absence of notes thereto) and setting forth in comparative form the figures for the corresponding periods of the previous fiscal year and to the Company's Annual Budget then in effect as approved by the Board of Directors, all of the information to be provided pursuant to this Section 5.1(a)(iv) in reasonable detail and certified by the principal financial or accounting officer of the Company.

In addition to the foregoing, the Company covenants and agrees to provide periodic updates to the Carlyle Stockholder during the course of the preparation of the Annual Budget and to keep the Carlyle Stockholder reasonably informed as to its progress, status and the budgeted items set forth therein. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in Section 5.1(a), the Company's obligations thereunder shall be deemed satisfied to the extent that such information is provided by (A) providing the financial statements of any wholly-owned subsidiary of the Company to the extent such financial statements reflect the entirety of the operations of the business or (B) in the case of Section 5.1(a)(iii) and Section 5.1(a)(iv), filing such financial statements of the Company or any wholly-owned subsidiary of the Company whose financial statements satisfy the requirements of clause (A), as applicable, with the Securities and Exchange Commission on EDGAR or in such other manner as makes them publicly available. The Company's obligation to furnish the materials described in Section 5.1(a)(ii), Section 5.1(a)(iii) and Section 5.1(a)(iv), shall be satisfied so long as it transmits such materials to the requesting Carlyle Stockholder and the GIC Stockholder within the time periods specified therein, notwithstanding that such materials may actually be received after the expiration of such periods.

(b) Other Information. The Company covenants and agrees to deliver to each Carlyle Stockholder and GIC Stockholder, upon written request, until such time as such Carlyle Stockholder or GIC Stockholder shall cease to own any Registrable Securities, with reasonable promptness, such other information and data (including such information and reports made available to any lender of the Company or any of its subsidiaries under any credit agreement or otherwise) with respect to the Company and each of its subsidiaries as from time to time may be reasonably requested by any such Carlyle Stockholder or GIC Stockholder. Each such Carlyle Stockholder and GIC Stockholder, until such time as such Carlyle Stockholder or GIC Stockholder shall cease to own any Registrable Securities, shall have access to such other information concerning the Company's business or financial condition and the Company's management as may be reasonably requested, including such information as may be necessary to comply with regulatory, tax or other governmental filings.

- (c) Access. The Company shall, and shall cause its subsidiaries, officers, directors, employees, auditors and other agents to (i) afford each Carlyle Stockholder and its officers, employees, auditors and other agents, during normal business hours and upon reasonable notice, at all reasonable times to the Company's and its subsidiaries' officers, employees, auditors, legal counsel, properties, offices, plants and other facilities and to all books and records, and (ii) afford such Carlyle Stockholder and its officers, employees, auditors and other agents the opportunity to discuss the affairs, finances and accounts of the Company and its subsidiaries with their respective officers from time to time as each such Stockholder may reasonably request, in each case, until such time as such Carlyle Stockholder shall cease to own any Registrable Securities.
- 5.2 Confidentiality. Each Stockholder, individually and not jointly, hereby agrees with the Company (and only with the Company) that it will keep confidential and will not disclose, divulge or use for any purpose, other than to monitor its investment in the Company and its subsidiaries, any confidential information obtained from the Company pursuant to Section 3.3(a) and Section 5.1, unless such confidential information (a) is known or becomes known to the public in general (other than as a result of a breach of any confidentiality obligation by such Stockholder or its affiliates), (b) is or has been independently developed or conceived by such Stockholder without use of the Company's confidential information or (c) is or has been made known or disclosed to such Stockholder by a third party (other than an Affiliate of such Stockholder) without a breach of any confidentiality obligations such third party may have to the Company that is known to such Stockholder; *provided*, that, a Stockholder may disclose confidential information (i) to its attorneys, accountants, consultants and other professional advisors to the extent necessary to obtain their services in connection with monitoring its investment in the Company, (ii) to any prospective purchaser of any Registrable Securities from such Stockholder as long as such prospective purchaser agrees to be bound by the provisions of this Section 5.2 as if a Stockholder, (iii) to any Affiliate, partner, member, limited partners, prospective partners or related investment fund of such Stockholder and their respective directors, employees, consultants and representatives, in each case, in the ordinary course of business (*provided* that the recipients of such confidential information are subject to a customary confidentiality and non-disclosure obligation), (iv) as may be reasonably determined by such Stockholder to be necessary in connection with such Stockholder's enforcement of its rights in connection with this Agreement or its investment in the Company and its subsi
- 5.3 <u>Reliance</u>. Each covenant and agreement made by a party in this Agreement or in any certificate, instrument or other document delivered pursuant to this Agreement is material, shall be deemed to have been relied upon by the other parties and shall remain operative and in full force and effect after the Effective Date regardless of any investigation. This Agreement shall not be construed so as to confer any right or benefit upon any Person other than the parties hereto and their respective successors and permitted assigns.
- 5.4 Access to Agreement; Amendment and Waiver; Actions of the Board. For so long as this Agreement shall be in effect, this Agreement shall be made available for inspection by any Stockholder at the principal executive offices of the Company. Any party may waive in writing any provision hereof intended for its benefit, provided, that, in the case of any waiver by the Company, such waiver is consented to in writing by the Carlyle Stockholder. No failure or delay on the part of any party in exercising any right, power or remedy hereunder shall operate as a waiver thereof. The remedies provided for herein are cumulative and are not exclusive of any remedies that may be available to any party at law or in equity or otherwise. This Agreement may be amended only with the prior written consent of Stockholders holding a majority of the Registrable Securities and the Company. Notwithstanding the foregoing, if any such amendment would adversely affect the rights or obligations of, or create a new obligation or restriction on, the GIC Stockholder, then such amendment shall require the prior written consent of the GIC Stockholder. Any consent given as provided in the preceding sentence shall be binding on all parties. Further, with the prior written consent of the Carlyle Stockholder and the Company, at any time hereafter, Permitted

Transferees may be made parties hereto, with any such additional parties shall be treated as "Stockholders" for all purposes hereunder, by executing a counterpart signature page in the form attached as Exhibit A hereto, which signature page shall be attached to this Agreement and become a part hereof without any further action of any other party hereto; provided that the consent of the Carlyle Stockholder and the Company shall not be required for a Permitted Transferee of a GIC Stockholder to become a party hereto and the Company's signature shall not be required on the Joinder Agreement in the form attached as Exhibit A hereto.

5.5 Notices. All notices, requests, demands and other communications provided for hereunder shall be in writing and mailed (by first class registered or certified mail, postage prepaid), sent by express overnight courier service, or delivered to the applicable party at the respective address indicated below:

If to the Company:

c/o StandardAero, Inc. 6710 North Scottsdale Road Suite 250 Scottsdale, AZ 85253 Attention: Chief Financial Officer Email: Dan.Satterfield@lw.com

With a copy (which shall not constitute notice):

Latham & Watkins LLP 555 Eleventh Street, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20004 Attention: Jason Licht, Esq. Email: jason.licht@lw.com

If to the Carlyle Stockholder:

c/o The Carlyle Group 1001 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW Washington, DC 20004 Attention: Douglas Brandely Email: douglas.brandely@carlyle.com

With a copy (which shall not constitute notice):

Latham & Watkins LLP 555 Eleventh Street, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20004 Attention: Jason Licht, Esq. Email: jason.licht@lw.com If to the GIC Stockholder:

Hux Investment Pte Ltd. 168 Robinson Rd., #37-01 Singapore 068912 c/o GIC Special Investments 280 Park Avenue, 9th Floor New York, NY 10017 Attention: Andrew Skrilow Email: andrewskrilow@gic.com.sg

With a copy (which shall not constitute notice):

Sidley Austin LLP 787 Seventh Avenue New York, NY 10019 Attention: Anthony Norris Email: anorris@sidley.com

If to any other Stockholder:

At such Person's address for notice as set forth in the books and records of the Company, or, as to each of the foregoing, at such other address as shall be designated by a party in a written notice to other parties complying as to delivery with the terms of this Section 5.5. All such notices, requests, demands and other communications shall, when mailed, sent or e-mailed, respectively, be effective (i) two days after being deposited in the mail, (ii) one day after being deposited with the express overnight courier service, respectively, addressed as aforesaid or (iii) the earlier of (x) one business day after being sent and (y) the acknowledgement of receipt of the e-mail by the recipient.

- 5.6 Counterparts. This Agreement may be executed in two or more counterparts, and delivered via facsimile, .pdf or other electronic transmission, each of which shall be deemed an original, but all of which together shall constitute one and the same agreement. The words "execution," "signed," "signature," and words of like import in this Agreement or in any other certificate, agreement or document related to this Agreement shall include images of manually executed signatures transmitted by facsimile or other electronic format (including, without limitation, "pdf", "tif" or "jpg") and other electronic signatures (including, without limitation, DocuSign and AdobeSign). The use of electronic signatures and electronic records (including, without limitation, any contract or other record created, generated, sent, communicated, received, or stored by electronic means) shall be of the same legal effect, validity and enforceability as a manually executed signature or use of a paper-based record-keeping system to the fullest extent permitted by applicable law.
- 5.7 <u>Remedies; Severability.</u> It is specifically understood and agreed that any breach of the provisions of this Agreement by any party will result in irreparable injury to the other parties, that the remedy at law alone will be an inadequate remedy for such breach, and that, in addition to any other legal or equitable remedies which they may have, such other parties may enforce their respective rights by actions for specific performance or injunctive relief (to the extent permitted at law or in equity). If any one or more of the provisions of this Agreement, or the application thereof in any circumstances, is held invalid, illegal or unenforceable in any respect for any reason, the validity, legality and enforceability of any such provision in every other respect and of the remaining provisions contained herein are not to be in any way impaired thereby, it being intended that all of the rights and privileges of the parties be enforceable to the fullest extent permitted by law.
 - 5.8 Entire Agreement. This Agreement constitutes the entire agreement of the Parties with respect to the subject matter hereof.

- 5.9 <u>Termination</u>. This Agreement shall terminate on the earlier of (i) the election of each of the Carlyle Stockholder and the GIC Stockholder, (ii) with respect to the Carlyle Stockholder or the GIC Stockholder, such date as the Carlyle Stockholder or the GIC Stockholder, respectively, ceases to hold any shares of Common Stock or (iii) with respect to any other Stockholder, such date as such Stockholder ceases to hold any Registrable Securities; *provided* that notwithstanding any such termination, <u>Section 4.4</u> shall survive any expiration or termination of this Agreement. Termination of this Agreement shall not relieve any party for the breach of any obligations under this Agreement prior to such termination.
- 5.10 Governing Law. This Agreement is to be construed and enforced in accordance with the laws of the State of Delaware, without giving effect to its principles or rules of conflict of laws to the extent such principles or rules are not mandatorily applicable by statute and would require or permit the application of the laws of another jurisdiction.
- 5.11 <u>Successors and Assigns; Beneficiaries</u>. This Agreement shall be binding upon and inure to the benefit of the parties and the respective successors and assigns of the parties as contemplated herein. Any successor to the Company by way of merger or otherwise must specifically agree to be bound by the terms hereof as a condition of such succession.

5.12 Consent to Jurisdiction; Specific Performance; WAIVER OF JURY TRIAL.

- (a) Each of the parties hereto irrevocably and unconditionally consents to the sole and exclusive jurisdiction of the state and federal courts located in Delaware to resolve all disputes, claims or controversies arising out of or relating to this Agreement or any other agreement executed and delivered pursuant to or in connection with this Agreement or the negotiation, breach, validity, termination or performance hereof and thereof or the transactions contemplated hereby and thereby and agrees that it will not bring any such action in any court other than the federal or state courts located in Delaware. Each party further irrevocably waives any objection to proceeding in such courts based upon lack of personal jurisdiction or to the laying of venue in such courts and further irrevocably and unconditionally waives and agrees not to make a claim that such courts are an inconvenient forum. Each of the parties hereto hereby consents to service of process by registered mail at the address to which notices are to be given as provided in Section 5.5. Each of the parties hereto agrees that its or his submission to jurisdiction and its or his consent to service of process by mail is made for the express benefit of the other parties hereto. The choice of forum set forth in this Section shall not be deemed to preclude the enforcement of any judgment of a Delaware federal or state court, or the taking of any action under this Agreement to enforce such a judgment, in any other appropriate jurisdiction.
- (b) The parties agree that irreparable damage would occur in the event that any of the provisions of this Agreement were not performed in accordance with their specific terms or were otherwise breached. It is accordingly agreed that the parties shall be entitled to an injunction or injunctions to prevent breaches of this Agreement and to enforce specifically the terms and provisions of this Agreement, this being in addition to any other remedy to which such party is entitled at law or in equity.
- (c) EACH PARTY TO THIS AGREEMENT WAIVES TRIAL BY JURY IN ANY ACTION, PROCEEDING OR COUNTERCLAIM BROUGHT BY ANY OF THEM AGAINST THE OTHER ARISING OUT OF OR IN ANY WAY CONNECTED WITH THIS AGREEMENT, OR ANY OTHER AGREEMENTS EXECUTED AND DELIVERED PURSUANT TO OR IN CONNECTION HEREWITH OR THE NEGOTIATION, BREACH, VALIDITY, TERMINATION OR PERFORMANCE HEREOF AND THEREOF OR THE TRANSACTIONS CONTEMPLATED HEREBY AND THEREBY. FURTHER, (I) NO PARTY TO THIS AGREEMENT SHALL SEEK A JURY TRIAL IN ANY SUCH ACTION AND (II) NO PARTY WILL SEEK TO CONSOLIDATE ANY SUCH ACTION IN WHICH A JURY TRIAL HAS BEEN WAIVED WITH ANY OTHER ACTION IN WHICH A JURY TRIAL CANNOT BE OR HAS NOT BEEN WAIVED. EACH PARTY TO THIS AGREEMENT CERTIFIES THAT IT HAS BEEN INDUCED TO ENTER INTO THIS AGREEMENT OR INSTRUMENT BY, AMONG OTHER THINGS, THE MUTUAL WAIVERS AND CERTIFICATIONS SET FORTH ABOVE IN THIS SECTION 5.12. NO PARTY HAS IN ANY WAY AGREED WITH OR REPRESENTED TO ANY OTHER PARTY THAT THE PROVISIONS OF THIS SECTION WILL NOT BE FULLY ENFORCED IN ALL INSTANCES.

- 5.13 <u>Further Assurances; Company Logo</u>. At any time or from time to time after the Effective Date, the parties hereto agree to cooperate with each other, and at the request of any other party, to execute and deliver any further instruments or documents and to take all such further action as any other party may reasonably request in order to evidence or effectuate the provisions of this Agreement and to otherwise carry out the intent of the parties hereunder. The Company hereby grants the Stockholders and their respective Affiliates permission to use the Company's and its subsidiaries' name and logo in marketing materials.
- 5.14 <u>Regulatory Matters</u>. The Company shall and shall cause its subsidiaries to keep the Carlyle Stockholder and the GIC Stockholder informed, on a current basis, of any events, discussions, notices or changes with respect to any criminal or regulatory investigation or action involving the Company or any of its subsidiaries, so that the Carlyle Stockholder, the GIC Stockholder and their respective Affiliates will have the opportunity to take appropriate steps to avoid or mitigate any regulatory consequences to them that might arise from such investigation or action.
- 5.15 <u>Inconsistent Agreements</u>. Neither the Company nor any Stockholder shall enter into any agreement or side letter with, or grant any proxy to, any Stockholder, the Company or any other Person (whether or not such proxy, agreements or side letters are with other Stockholders, holders of shares of Common Stock that are not parties to this Agreement or otherwise) that conflicts with the provisions of this Agreement or which would obligate such Person to breach any provision of this Agreement.
- 5.16 <u>In-Kind Distributions</u>. If the Carlyle Stockholder or the GIC Stockholder (and/or any of their Affiliates) seeks to effectuate an in-kind distribution of all or part of its shares to its respective direct or indirect equity holders, the Company will, subject to any applicable lock-ups, work with the foregoing Persons to facilitate such in-kind distribution in the manner reasonably requested and consistent with the Company's obligations under the Securities Act.
- 5.17 <u>Recapitalization Transactions</u>. If at any time or from time to time there is any change in the capital structure of the Company by way of share split, share dividend, combination or reclassification, or through a merger, consolidation, reorganization or recapitalization, or by other means, appropriate adjustments will be made in the provision hereof so that the rights and privileges granted hereby will continue.
- 5.18 CFIUS Matters. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary herein, nothing in this Agreement shall entitle the GIC Stockholder to have (i) access to any material non-public technical information, as that term is defined in Section 721 of the U.S. Defense Production Act of 1950, as amended, and the CFIUS implementing regulations at 31 C.F.R Part 800 (together, "CFIUS Rules"); (ii) membership or observer rights on the Board of Directors or equivalent governing body of the Company or the right to nominate an individual to a position on the Board of Directors or equivalent governing body of the Company; or (iii) any involvement in any substantive decision-making, other than through voting of shares, as those terms are defined in the CFIUS Rules regarding (a) the use, development, acquisition, safekeeping, or release of sensitive personal data of U.S. citizens maintained or collected by any portfolio company; (b) the use, development, acquisition, or release of critical technologies, as that term is defined in CFIUS Rules; or (c) the management, operation, manufacture, or supply of covered investment critical infrastructure, as that term is defined in CFIUS Rules.

[SIGNATURE PAGE FOLLOWS]

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties are signing this Stockholders Agreement as of the date first set forth above.

COMPANY:

STANDARDAERO, INC.

By: /s/ Daniel Satterfield

Name: Daniel Satterfield Title: Chief Financial Officer

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INITIAL CARLYLE STOCKHOLDER:

CARLYLE PARTNERS VII S1 HOLDINGS II, L.P.

By: TC Group VII S1, L.P., its general partner

By: TC Group VII S1, L.L.C., its general partner

By: /s/ Jeremy Anderson

Name: Jeremy Anderson Title: Vice President

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INITIAL GIC STOCKHOLDER:

HUX INVESTMENT PTE LTD

By: /s/ Andrew Skrilow Name: Andrew Skrilow Title: Authorized Person

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By: /s/ Russell W. Ford
Name: Russell Ford
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RICK STINE		
By: /s/ Rick Stine		
Notice Address:		

SCHEDULE 1

Management Stockholders

RSSA Ford Family LLC Marc Drobny Alex Trapp Kerry O'Sullivan Scott Starrett Rick Stine

EXHIBIT A Joinder Agreement

By execution of this signature page, [] hereby agrees to be	ecome a Party to, and to be bound by the obligations of, and receive the
benefits of, that certain Stockholders Agreement, dated as of [•], 2024, by a	and among StandardAero, Inc., a Delaware corporation (the "Company").
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