SECTION 017900 DEMONSTRATION AND TRAINING

PART 1 GENERAL

1.01 SUMMARY

- A. Coordination of demonstration of products and systems to be commissioned and where indicated in specific specification sections.
- B. Training of Owner personnel in operation and maintenance is required as applicable to the construction project for:
 - 1. All software-operated systems.
 - 2. HVAC systems and equipment.
 - 3. Plumbing equipment.
 - 4. Electrical systems and equipment.
 - 5. Conveying systems.
 - 6. Landscape irrigation.
 - 7. All monitored systems such as security, fire alarm, and fire protection.
 - 8. Access controls.
 - 9. Overhead paging and telecommunications system.
 - 10. Nurse call and code blue systems.
 - 11. Pneumatic tube system.
 - 12. Generator and ATO.
 - 13. Items specified in individual product Sections.

1.02 RELATED REQUIREMENTS

- A. Section 017800 Project Closeout: Operation and maintenance manuals.
- B. Section 017810 Closing Documents Worksheet.
- C. Section 017820 Contractor's General Warranty.
- D. Section 019113 General Commissioning Requirements: Additional requirements applicable to demonstration and training.
- E. Other Specification Sections: Additional requirements for demonstration and training.

1.03 SUBMITTALS

- A. Training Reports:
 - 1. Identification of each training session, date, time, and duration.
 - 2. Sign-in sheet showing names and job titles of attendees.
 - 3. List of attendee questions and written answers given, including copies of and references to supporting documentation required for clarification; include answers to questions that could not be answered in original training session.
- B. Video Recordings: Submit digital video recording of each demonstration and training session for Owner's subsequent use.
 - 1. Format: As requested by Owner.
 - 2. Label each compact disc (CD) and container with session identification and date.

1.04 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Instructor Qualifications: Familiar with design, operation, maintenance and troubleshooting of the relevant products and systems.
 - 1. Provide as instructors the most qualified trainer of those contractors and/or installers who actually supplied and installed the systems and equipment.
 - 2. Where a single person is not familiar with all aspects, provide specialists with necessary qualifications.

PART 2 PRODUCTS - NOT USED

PART 3 EXECUTION

3.01 DEMONSTRATION - GENERAL

- A. Demonstrations conducted during system start-up do not qualify as demonstrations for the purposes of this section, unless approved in advance by Owner.
- Demonstrations conducted during Functional Testing need not be repeated unless Owner personnel training is specified.
- C. Demonstration may be combined with Owner personnel training if applicable.
- D. Operating Equipment and Systems: Demonstrate operation in all modes, including start-up, shut-down, seasonal changeover, emergency conditions, and troubleshooting, and maintenance procedures, including scheduled and preventive maintenance.
 - 1. Perform demonstrations not less than two weeks prior to Substantial Completion.
 - For equipment or systems requiring seasonal operation, perform demonstration for other season within six months.

3.02 TRAINING - GENERAL

- A. Conduct training on-site unless otherwise indicated.
- B. Owner will provide classroom and seating at no cost to Contractor.
- Do not start training until Functional Testing is complete, unless otherwise specified or approved.
- D. Training schedule will be subject to availability of Owner's personnel to be trained; re-schedule training sessions as required by Owner; once schedule has been approved by Owner failure to conduct sessions according to schedule will be cause for Owner to charge Contractor for personnel "show-up" time.
- E. Review of Facility Policy on Operation and Maintenance Data: During training discuss:
 - The location of the O&M manuals and procedures for use and preservation; backup copies.
 - 2. Typical contents and organization of all manuals, including explanatory information, system narratives, and product specific information.
 - 3. Typical uses of the O&M manuals.
- F. Product- and System-Specific Training:
 - 1. For systems, provide an overview of system operation, design parameters and constraints, and operational strategies.
 - 2. Review instructions for proper operation in all modes, including start-up, shut-down, seasonal changeover and emergency procedures, and for maintenance, including preventative maintenance.
 - 3. Emphasize safe and proper operating requirements; discuss relevant health and safety issues and emergency procedures.
 - 4. Discuss common troubleshooting problems and solutions.
 - Discuss warranties and guarantees, including procedures necessary to avoid voiding coverage.
 - 6. Review spare parts and tools required to be furnished by Contractor.
- G. Be prepared to answer questions raised by training attendees; if unable to answer during training session, provide written response within three days.

END OF SECTION