FIDO ALLIANCE INTEROPERABILITY SPONSORED EVENT NON-DISCLOSURE AGREEMENT

This FIDO Alliance Interoperability Sponsored Event Non-disclosure Agreement ("Agreement") is entered by and between FIDO Alliance ("FIDO"), a California corporation, and the Participant listed below having a principal place of business at the address listed below ("Participant"), effective as of the Sponsored Event to be held on ______.

1. DEFINITIONS

"Affiliate" shall mean any corporation or other legal entity that a Participant now or hereafter Controls, is Controlled by or under common Control with; where "Control" means the direct or indirect ownership of more than fifty percent (>50%) of the shares or similar interests entitled to vote for the election of directors or other persons performing similar functions. An entity may be considered an Affiliate only when such conditions exist.

"Associate" shall mean an entity that has executed a copy of the FIDO Alliance Membership Agreement and been approved at an Associate level.

"Board" shall mean an entity that has executed a copy of the FIDO Alliance Membership Agreement and been approved at a Board level.

"Confidential Information" shall mean any and all information disclosed by a Participant at, or pursuant to, the Sponsored Event, including but not limited to specifications, designs, plans, drawings, data, prototypes, software, business or technical information which is:

- (i) identified in written, electronic or oral format by the Disclosing Participant as confidential, trade secret or proprietary information at the time of disclosure, (provided that such information, if disclosed orally, must be summarized and designated as confidential in written format to the Receiving Participant within thirty (30) days of disclosure), or
- (ii) the Receiving Participant knows or has reason to know is confidential, trade secret or proprietary information of the Disclosing Participant given the nature of the information and the circumstances of disclosure or
- (iii) the results of any testing performed or any verification status determined at the Sponsored Event.

Confidential Information may include, without limitation, any information of a third party disclosed by a Disclosing Participant which would otherwise fall under this definition.

"Consultant" shall mean a third party consultant, contractor, agent, representative and/or advisor, which is engaged by a Participant or its Affiliate under a contract in which such third party provides products, services and/or technologies that relate to the Purpose.

"Disclosing Participant" shall mean a Participant disclosing Confidential Information hereunder.

"Member" shall mean a Board, Sponsor or Associate Member.

"Non-Member" shall mean an entity other than a Board, Sponsor or Associate Member.

"Participant" shall mean a Member (and/or their Affiliates and/or their Consultants) or a Non-Member (and/or their Affiliates and/or their Consultants) that attends and participates at the Sponsored Event. A Participant may be a Disclosing Participant and/or a Receiving Participant.

"Receiving Participant" shall mean a Participant receiving Confidential Information hereunder.

"Sponsor" shall mean an entity that has executed a copy of the FIDO Alliance Membership Agreement and been approved at a Sponsor level.

"Sponsored Event" shall mean the event sponsored by FIDO and held on the date indicated above, in which Members and Non-Members disclose Confidential Information and perform testing in an effort to determine if a Disclosing Participant's product is sufficiently interoperable with established criteria to be certified by FIDO.

2. PURPOSE AND USE

The purpose of this Agreement is to permit Participants at the Sponsored Event to disclose and receive confidential and/or proprietary information and software to/from other Participants relating to the technologies of the Participants at the Sponsored Event and to determine the interoperability of Products for potential certification by the FIDO Alliance (the "Purpose"). All Participants attending the Sponsored Event must execute and abide by the terms and conditions of this Agreement. FIDO shall be responsible for maintaining the executed copies of this Agreement on behalf of the Disclosing Participants and may provide copies of such Agreements executed by Participants at the request of a Disclosing Participant. FIDO will ensure that all Participants attending the Sponsored Event have executed the Sponsored Event Non Disclosure Agreement. A Receiving Participant may use the Confidential Information disclosed hereunder solely for the Purpose and may only disclose the Confidential Information internally with those within the Receiving Participant's organization who:

- (i) have a legitimate need to know the Confidential Information for the Purpose;
- (ii) are bound by the terms of this Agreement;
- (iii) are bound by confidentiality obligations to the Participant which will in principle subsist for at least as long as the confidentiality obligation of this Agreement; and
- (iv) can fulfill the obligations of this Agreement.

A Disclosing Participant reserves the right to restrict the dissemination of its Confidential Information disclosed at the Sponsored Event solely to those Participants who have a legitimate need to access such Confidential Information for the Purpose. A Participant's attendance at the Sponsored Event shall not be the sole criteria in determining the need to access a Disclosing Participant's Confidential Information, but shall be determined on a legitimate need to know basis for the Purpose.

Participant agrees that each Disclosing Participant that is not a party to this Agreement shall be deemed to be a third party beneficiary of the obligations, acknowledgements, disclaimers and rights under this Agreement, and shall have the independent right to legally enforce all such obligations, acknowledgements, disclaimers and rights against the Participant to the same extent as if it were a party and a signatory to this Agreement.

Participant agrees that any Disclosing Participant shall be free to seek immediate injunctive relief or any other legal remedy available against any Receiving Participant of the Sponsored Event, before any court or tribunal of competent jurisdiction, wherever located, to prevent or restrain any unauthorized use or disclosure of Confidential Information in addition to any other legal remedy available.

3. NONDISCLOSURE; RESTRICTIONS ON USE

For each item of Confidential Information, during the period of two (2) years from its first date of disclosure, the Receiving Participant shall: (a) hold in confidence the Confidential Information, (b) not use the Confidential Information for any purpose but the Purpose hereunder, (c) not disclose the Confidential Information to any third party, and (d) exercise the same amount of diligence in preserving the secrecy of the Confidential Information as the diligence used in preserving the secrecy of the Receiving Participant's own confidential information of like nature, but in no event less than reasonable diligence.

Notwithstanding the above limitations on disclosure, Participants shall be permitted to disclose the Confidential Information to other Participants who have executed a FIDO Alliance Interoperability Sponsored Event Non-Disclosure Agreement for the Sponsored Event defined above and any of its Affiliates and Consultants on a legitimate need to know basis for the Purpose, provided the Affiliate and/or the Consultant shall be entitled to use the Confidential Information but only to the same extent the Receiving Participant is permitted to do so under this Agreement for the Purpose hereunder. The Receiving Participant hereby warrants that any employee, Affiliate or Consultant to which Confidential Information is disclosed will be bound and will abide by the terms of this Agreement. Each Receiving Participant shall be liable for any failure of its employees, its Affiliates and their Consultants to abide by the provisions of this Agreement as if such failure was the act or omission of such Receiving Participant.

FIDO shall be allowed to disclose the approved, passed, granted or similar status of any successful testing performed or certification status determined at or by the Sponsored Event, provided that such disclosure shall not include the Disclosing Participant's Confidential Information and shall only be made with the written approval of the Participant or after disclosure of such status by such Disclosing Participant. Participant shall be allowed to disclose the approved, passed, granted or similar status of any successful testing performed or certification status granted at or by the Sponsored Event that pertains to its own Confidential Information, provided that such disclosure shall only be made after receiving written notification from FIDO of such certification status.

4. LIABILITY

The Receiving Participant shall be liable for:

- (i) its unauthorized disclosure or use of Confidential Information, and
- (ii) any unauthorized disclosure or use of Confidential Information by persons or entities who are not other Participants to whom the Receiving Participant has disclosed such Confidential Information.

5. EXCEPTIONS TO CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION

The Receiving Participant shall have no obligation with respect to information which it can prove:

- (i) was lawfully in the possession of or known to the Receiving Participant without any obligation of confidentiality prior to receiving it from the Disclosing Participant;
- (ii) is, or subsequently becomes, legally and publicly available other than by the Receiving Participant's breach of this Agreement;
- (iii) becomes publicly available by action of the Disclosing Participant;
- (iv) is lawfully obtained by the Receiving Participant from a source, other than the Disclosing Participant, who is not under any obligation of confidentiality;
- (v) is independently developed by or for the Receiving Participant without use of or reference to the Confidential Information, provided such independent development can be shown by documentary evidence;

Furthermore the Receiving Participant shall not be considered in breach of this Agreement for disclosure of Confidential Information made pursuant to a valid order issued by a court or government agency, provided that the Receiving Participant provides to the Disclosing Participant:

- (a) prompt written notice of such obligation, and
- (b) the opportunity to limit or oppose such disclosure or obtain a protective order. The terms of confidentiality and restrictions on use under this Agreement shall not be construed to limit the Participant's right to independently develop or acquire products without use of or reference to the Confidential Information of a Disclosing Participant.

6. INDEPENDENT DEVELOPMENT

This Agreement shall not preclude or limit the independent development by or on behalf of any party of any products or systems involving technology or information of a similar nature to that disclosed hereunder or which compete with products or systems contemplated by such information, provided that it is done without use of or reliance upon the other party's Confidential Information.

7. DISCLAIMER

Each Disclosing Participant shall retain all right, title and interest to such Disclosing Participant's Confidential Information and all intellectual property rights fixed, embodied, or otherwise subsisting therein or arising therefrom, and in all works, inventions, discoveries, know-how, techniques, processes, methods, systems, ideas and other elements thereof. No license or any other rights under any trademarks, patents, trade secrets, mask works, trademarks or copyrights, or any other intellectual property rights, or applications for the same which are now or thereafter may be obtained by such Disclosing Participant is either granted or implied by this Agreement or the disclosure of Confidential Information hereunder, except for the limited purposes contemplated hereby and as otherwise provided herein. None of the Confidential Information disclosed by the Disclosing Participant constitutes any representation, warranty, assurance, guarantee or inducement by Disclosing Participant to any other Participant with respect to the infringement of trademarks, patents, copyrights; any right of privacy; or any rights of third persons and all Confidential Information is disclosed "as is" and "with all faults".

8. TERM

This Agreement shall be effective from the date of the Sponsored Event and continue for a period of two (2) years. Each Participant's rights and obligations shall survive termination with respect to Confidential Information disclosed at the Sponsored Event.

9. GENERAL

This Agreement represents the entire agreement between the parties hereto pertaining to the subject matter of this Agreement, and supersedes any and all prior oral discussions and/or written correspondence or agreements between FIDO and Disclosing Participant with respect thereto. Any waiver of any of the requirements in this Agreement must be in writing and should not in any way be deemed a waiver to enforce any other requirements or provisions of this Agreement. If any provision of this Agreement is deemed unenforceable, then such provision will be severed from this Agreement and the remaining provisions will remain in full force and effect

10. GOVERNING LAW

This Agreement will be governed by the laws of the State of California and the applicable federal laws without reference to conflict of laws principles and the courts of California shall have non-exclusive jurisdiction for all matters arising under this Agreement.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the duly authorized representatives of the Participants have executed this Agreement.

PARTICIPANT:	FIDO:
By:	By:
Name:(please print)	
Title:	Title:
Company:	Date:
Date:	_
Address:	