**EXAMPLE**

**Attachment to Standard T&C – Global Data Synchronization Network (GDSN)**

# [Agency Name of District or Co-op] RFP #

Eﬀective: July 1, 2023 – June 30, 2024

**VENDOR PRODUCT REGISTRATION**

[Agency] utilizes inTEAM’s “GDSN Connect” software to access the Nourish to Flourish (N2F) Database for all nutrient information and other published attributes including but not limited to meal pattern credits, servings per pack, nutrients, allergens, and ingredients.

Awarded vendors are required to utilize the Global Data Synchronization Network ([GDSN](https://www.gs1.org/services/gdsn)®) and provide GTIN’s (Global Trade Identification Numbers) in the bid response. This will allow [Agency], its staff, and affiliated organizations access to up-to-date product information from GDSN Connect and the Nourish to Flourish (N2F) Database.

[Agency] “Standard Terms and Conditions” address the requirements of CFR 200.319 by adopting the industry wide standards for product registration within the published procedures and protocols of GDSN maintained by [GS1](https://www.gs1.org/). [Agency] also follows the guidance of the [USDA Menu Planner for School Meals](https://www.dpi.nc.gov/media/13788/download?attachment): “*Your procurement program should request GTIN technology during the solicitation process. Regardless of whether you have an electronic inventory system, include GTIN numbers in your inventory management.”* (Chapter 5 Procurement and Inventory Management page 191).

Awarded vendors are now required to verify that all brand name products have been published to the “Nourish to Flourish (N2F)” Global Location Number (GLN) 0860206001702 in GDSN prior to bid effective date. Additionally, [Agency] may require that certain GTIN's and attributes be published prior to award and within five days written notice to expedite [Agency’s] evaluation of equivalent products.

Please refer to [Nourish to Flourish Technical Requirements for GDSN](https://1worldsync.com/community/find-a-trading-partner/nourish-to-flourish/) for additional information on publishing product information to GDSN and to the Nourish to Flourish GLN.

**Upon notiﬁcation of award, vendor agrees to the following statements below: (please initial)**

# **\_\_\_\_\_** Conﬁrms all awarded brand name products include the Global Trade Identification Number.

# **\_\_\_\_\_** Conﬁrms all awarded brand name products will be published to GDSN and the N2F Database.

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| Vendor/Company Name |  | Address: Street, City, State Zip |
| Name: Authorized Representative |  | Contact’s Email Address |
| Contact’s Phone Number |
| Date Signed |  | Signature: Authorized Representative |