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“subject to attached amendment”

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**Step 2**: Attach the amendment (next page) with the information filled in (article title, journal name, author(s), and publisher name) and your signature on the bottom.

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("Article")

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(the “Publisher”).

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