

F. EFFECT OF REMOVAL OF CONTINGENCIES:

(1) **REMOVAL OF BUYER CONTINGENCIES:** If Buyer removes any contingency or cancellation rights, unless Otherwise Agreed, Buyer shall conclusively be deemed to have: (i) completed all Buyer Investigations, and review of Reports and other applicable information and disclosures pertaining to that contingency or cancellation right; (ii) elected to proceed with the transaction; and (iii) assumed all liability, responsibility and expense for the non-delivery of any Reports, disclosures or information outside of Seller's control and for any Repairs or corrections pertaining to that contingency or cancellation right, or for the inability to obtain financing.

(2) **REMOVAL OF SELLER CONTINGENCIES:** If Seller removes any contingency or cancellation rights, unless Otherwise Agreed, Seller shall conclusively be deemed to have: (i) satisfied themselves regarding such contingency, (ii) elected to proceed with the transaction; and (iii) given up any right to cancel this Agreement based on such contingency.

G. DEMAND TO CLOSE ESCROW: Before Buyer or Seller may cancel this Agreement for failure of the other Party to close escrow pursuant to this Agreement, Buyer or Seller must first Deliver to the other Party a Demand to Close Escrow (C.A.R. Form DCE). The DCE shall: (i) be Signed by the applicable Buyer or Seller; and (ii) give the other Party at least 3 Days after Delivery to close escrow. A DCE may not be Delivered any earlier than 3 Days prior to the Scheduled Performance Day for the Close Of Escrow. If a DCE is incorrectly Delivered or specifies a time less than the above timeframe, the DCE shall be deemed invalid and void, and Seller or Buyer shall be required to Deliver a new DCE.

H. EFFECT OF CANCELLATION ON DEPOSITS: If Buyer or Seller gives written notice of cancellation pursuant to rights duly exercised under the terms of this Agreement, the Parties agree to Sign and Deliver mutual instructions to cancel the sale and escrow and release deposits, if any, to the Party entitled to the funds, less (i) fees and costs paid by Escrow Holder on behalf of that Party, if required by this Agreement; and (ii) any escrow fee charged to that party. Fees and costs may be payable to service providers and vendors for services and products provided during escrow. A release of funds will require mutual Signed release instructions from the Parties, judicial decision or arbitration award. A Party may be subject to a civil penalty of up to \$1,000 for refusal to Sign cancellation instructions if no good faith dispute exists as to which Party is entitled to the deposited funds (Civil Code § 1057.3). Note: Neither Agents nor Escrow Holder are qualified to provide any opinion on whether either Party has acted in good faith or which Party is entitled to the deposited funds. Buyer and Seller are advised to seek the advice of a qualified California real estate attorney regarding this matter.

15. REPAIRS: Repairs shall be completed prior to final verification of condition unless Otherwise Agreed. Repairs to be performed at Seller's expense may be performed by Seller or through others, provided that the work complies with applicable Law, including governmental permit, inspection and approval requirements. Repairs shall be performed in a good, skillful manner with materials of quality and appearance comparable to existing materials. Buyer acknowledges that exact restoration of appearance or cosmetic items following all Repairs may not be possible. Seller shall: (i) obtain invoices and paid receipts for Repairs performed by others; (ii) prepare a written statement indicating the Repairs performed by Seller and the date of such Repairs; and (iii) provide Copies of invoices and paid receipts and statements to Buyer prior to final verification of condition.

16. FINAL VERIFICATION OF CONDITION: Buyer shall have the right to make a final verification of the Property condition within the time specified in paragraph 3J, NOT AS A CONTINGENCY OF THE SALE, but solely to confirm: (i) the Property is maintained pursuant to paragraph 7B; (ii) Repairs have been completed as agreed; and (iii) Seller has complied with Seller's other obligations under this Agreement (C.A.R. Form VP).

17. PRORATIONS OF PROPERTY TAXES AND OTHER ITEMS: Unless Otherwise Agreed, the following items shall be PAID CURRENT and prorated between Buyer and Seller as of Close Of Escrow: real property taxes and assessments, interest, Seller rental payments to third parties, HOA regular assessments due prior to Close Of Escrow, premiums on insurance assumed by Buyer, payments on bonds and assessments assumed by Buyer, and payments on Mello-Roos and other Special Assessment District bonds and assessments that are now a lien. Seller shall pay any HOA special or emergency assessments due prior to Close Of Escrow. The following items shall be assumed by Buyer WITHOUT CREDIT toward the purchase price: prorated payments on Mello-Roos and other Special Assessment District bonds and assessments and HOA special or emergency assessments that are due after Close Of Escrow. Property will be reassessed upon change of ownership. Any supplemental tax bills delivered to Escrow Holder prior to closing shall be prorated and paid as follows: (i) for periods after Close Of Escrow, by Buyer; and (ii) for periods prior to Close Of Escrow, by Seller (see C.A.R. Form SPT or SBSA for further information). Seller agrees all service fees, maintenance costs and utility bills will be paid current up and through the date of Close Of Escrow. TAX BILLS AND UTILITY BILLS ISSUED AFTER CLOSE OF ESCROW SHALL BE HANDLED DIRECTLY BETWEEN BUYER AND SELLER. Prorations shall be made based on a 30-day month.

18. BROKERS AND AGENTS:

A. COMPENSATION: Seller or Buyer, or both, as applicable, agree to pay compensation to Broker as specified in a separate written agreement between Broker and that Seller or Buyer. Compensation is payable upon Close Of Escrow, or if escrow does not close, as otherwise specified in the agreement between Broker and that Seller or Buyer. If Seller agrees to pay the obligation of Buyer to compensate Buyer's Broker (see paragraph 3G(3)), Seller shall be entitled to a copy of the written portion of the compensation agreement between Buyer and Buyer's Broker identifying the compensation to be paid. See C.A.R. Form SPBB for further information.

B. SCOPE OF DUTY: Buyer and Seller acknowledge and agree that Agent: (i) Does not decide what price Buyer should pay or Seller should accept; (ii) Does not guarantee the condition of the Property; (iii) Does not guarantee the performance, adequacy or completeness of inspections, services, products or repairs provided or made by Seller or others; (iv) Does not have an obligation to conduct an inspection of common areas or areas off the site of the Property; (v) Shall not be responsible for identifying defects on the Property, in common areas, or offsite unless such defects are visually observable by an inspection of reasonably accessible areas of the Property or are known to Agent; (vi) Shall not be responsible for inspecting public records or permits concerning the title or use of Property; (vii) Shall not be responsible for identifying the location of boundary lines or other items affecting title; (viii) Shall not be responsible for verifying square footage, representations of others or information contained in Investigation reports, Multiple Listing Service, advertisements, flyers or other promotional material; (ix) Shall not be responsible for determining the fair market value of the Property or any personal property included in the sale; (x) Shall not be responsible for providing legal or tax advice regarding any aspect of a transaction entered into by Buyer or Seller; and (xi) Shall not be responsible for providing other advice or information that exceeds the knowledge, education and experience required to perform real estate licensed activity. Buyer and Seller agree to seek legal, tax, insurance, title and other desired assistance from appropriate professionals.



19. JOINT ESCROW INSTRUCTIONS TO ESCROW HOLDER:

- A. The following paragraphs, or applicable portions thereof, of this Agreement constitute the joint escrow instructions of Buyer and Seller to Escrow Holder, which Escrow Holder is to use along with any related counter offers and addenda, and any additional mutual instructions to close the escrow: paragraphs 1, 3A, 3B, 3D-G, 3N(2), 3Q, 3R, 4A, 4B, 5A(1-2) 5D, 5E, 10B(2)(A), 10B(3), 10C, 11H, 11L(2), 13 (except 13D), 14H, 17, 18A, 19, 23, 26, 32, 33, 34, 35, and paragraph 3 of the Real Estate Brokers Section. If a Copy of the separate compensation agreement(s) provided for in paragraph 18A or paragraph 3 of the Real Estate Brokers Section is deposited with Escrow Holder by Agent, Escrow Holder shall accept such agreement(s) and pay out from Buyer's or Seller's funds, or both, as applicable, the Broker's compensation provided for in such agreement(s). The terms and conditions of this Agreement not set forth in the specified paragraphs are additional matters for the information of Escrow Holder, but about which Escrow Holder need not be concerned.
 - B. Buyer and Seller will receive Escrow Holder's general provisions, if any, directly from Escrow Holder. To the extent the general provisions are inconsistent or conflict with this Agreement, the general provisions will control as to the duties and obligations of Escrow Holder only. Buyer and Seller shall Sign and return Escrow Holder's general provisions or supplemental instructions within the time specified in paragraph 3N(2). Buyer and Seller shall execute additional instructions, documents and forms provided by Escrow Holder that are reasonably necessary to close the escrow and, as directed by Escrow Holder, within 3 Days, shall pay to Escrow Holder or HOA or HOA management company or others any fee required by paragraphs 3, 8, 10, 11, or elsewhere in this Agreement.
 - C. A Copy of this Agreement including any counter offer(s) and addenda shall be delivered to Escrow Holder within 3 Days after Acceptance. Buyer and Seller authorize Escrow Holder to accept and rely on Copies and Signatures as defined in this Agreement as originals, to open escrow and for other purposes of escrow. The validity of this Agreement as between Buyer and Seller is not affected by whether or when Escrow Holder Signs this Agreement. Escrow Holder shall provide Seller's Statement of Information to Title Company when received from Seller, if a separate company is providing title insurance. If Seller delivers an affidavit to Escrow Holder to satisfy Seller's FIRPTA obligation under paragraph 11H, Escrow Holder shall deliver to Buyer, Buyer's Agent, and Seller's Agent a Qualified Substitute statement that complies with federal Law. If Escrow Holder's Qualified Substitute statement does not comply with federal law, the Parties instruct escrow to withhold all applicable required amounts under paragraph 11H.
 - D. Agents are not a party to the escrow, except for Brokers for the sole purpose of compensation pursuant to paragraph 18A and paragraph 3 of the Real Estate Brokers Section. If a Copy of the separate compensation agreement(s) provided for in either of those paragraphs is deposited with Escrow Holder by Agent, Escrow Holder shall accept such agreement(s) and pay out from Buyer's or Seller's funds, or both, as applicable, the Broker's compensation provided for in such agreement(s). **Escrow Holder shall provide to Buyer and Seller, either jointly or separately, a closing statement or other written documentation showing the amount of compensation paid to, respectively, Buyer's Broker and Seller's Broker.** Buyer and Seller irrevocably assign to Brokers compensation specified in paragraph 18A, and irrevocably instruct Escrow Holder to disburse those funds to Brokers at Close Of Escrow or pursuant to any other mutually executed cancellation agreement. Compensation instructions can be amended or revoked only with the written consent of Brokers. Buyer and Seller shall release and hold harmless Escrow Holder from any liability resulting from Escrow Holder's payment to Broker(s) of compensation pursuant to this Agreement.
 - E. Buyer and Seller acknowledge that Escrow Holder may require invoices for expenses under this Agreement. Buyer and Seller, upon request by Escrow Holder, within 3 Days or within a sufficient time to close escrow, whichever is sooner, shall provide any such invoices to Escrow Holder.
 - F. Upon receipt, Escrow Holder shall provide Buyer, Seller, and each Agent verification of Buyer's deposit of funds pursuant to paragraphs 5A(1) and 5A(2). Once Escrow Holder becomes aware of any of the following, Escrow Holder shall immediately notify each Agent: (i) if Buyer's initial or any additional deposit or down payment is not made pursuant to this Agreement, or is not good at time of deposit with Escrow Holder; or (ii) if Buyer and Seller instruct Escrow Holder to cancel escrow.
 - G. A Copy of any amendment that affects any paragraph of this Agreement for which Escrow Holder is responsible shall be delivered to Escrow Holder within 3 Days after mutual execution of the amendment.
20. **SELECTION OF SERVICE PROVIDERS:** Agents do not guarantee the performance of any vendors, service or product providers ("Providers"), whether referred by Agent or selected by Buyer, Seller or other person. Buyer and Seller may select ANY Providers of their own choosing.
21. **MULTIPLE LISTING SERVICE ("MLS"):** Agents are authorized to report to the MLS that an offer has been accepted and, upon Close Of Escrow, the sales price and other terms of this transaction shall be provided to the MLS to be published and disseminated to persons and entities authorized to use the information on terms approved by the MLS. Buyer acknowledges that: (i) any pictures, videos, floor plans (collectively, "Images") or other information about the Property that has been or will be inputted into the MLS or internet portals, or both, at the instruction of Seller or in compliance with MLS rules, will not be removed after Close Of Escrow; (ii) California Civil Code § 1088(c) requires the MLS to maintain such Images and information for at least three years and as a result they may be displayed or circulated on the Internet, which cannot be controlled or removed by Seller or Agents; and (iii) Seller, Seller's Agent, Buyer's Agent, and MLS have no obligation or ability to remove such Images or information from the Internet.
22. **ATTORNEY FEES AND COSTS:** In any action, proceeding, or arbitration between Buyer and Seller arising out of this Agreement, the prevailing Buyer or Seller shall be entitled to reasonable attorney fees and costs from the non-prevailing Buyer or Seller, except as provided in paragraph 28A.



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- 23. ASSIGNMENT/NOMINATION:** Buyer shall have the right to assign all of Buyer’s interest in this Agreement to Buyer’s own trust or to any wholly owned entity of Buyer that is in existence at the time of such assignment. Otherwise, Buyer shall not assign all or any part of Buyer’s interest in this Agreement without first having obtained the separate written consent of Seller to a specified assignee. Such consent shall not be unreasonably withheld. Prior to any assignment, Buyer shall disclose to Seller the name of the assignee and the amount of any monetary consideration between Buyer and assignee. Buyer shall provide assignee with all documents related to this Agreement including, but not limited to, the Agreement and any disclosures. If assignee is a wholly owned entity or trust of Buyer, that assignee does not need to re-sign or initial all documents provided. Whether or not an assignment requires seller’s consent, at the time of assignment, assignee shall deliver a letter from assignee’s lender that assignee is prequalified or preapproved as specified in paragraph 6B. Should assignee fail to deliver such a letter, Seller, after first giving Assignee an Notice to Buyer to Perform, shall have the right to terminate the assignment. Buyer shall, within the time specified in paragraph 3K, Deliver any request to assign this Agreement for Seller’s consent. If Buyer fails to provide the required information within this time frame, Seller’s withholding of consent shall be deemed reasonable. Any total or partial assignment shall not relieve Buyer of Buyer’s obligations pursuant to this Agreement unless Otherwise Agreed by Seller (C.A.R. Form AOAA). Parties shall provide any assignment agreement to Escrow Holder within 1 Day after the assignment. Any nomination by Buyer shall be subject to the same procedures, requirements, and terms as an assignment as specified in this paragraph.
- 24. EQUAL HOUSING OPPORTUNITY:** The Property is sold in compliance with federal, state and local anti-discrimination Laws.
- 25. A. AGREEMENT SUBJECT TO CIVIL CODE:** This Agreement is used when an investor buyer offers to purchase a residential dwelling containing one to four units, one of which is occupied by the owner as his or her principal residence, and a Notice of Default has been recorded against the Property. The purchase is subject to Civil Code §§ 1695 through 1695.17. If certain provisions of those code sections are violated: (i) Buyer may be responsible for actual damages and attorney fees and costs incurred by Seller, and either exemplary damages or a civil penalty of up to \$2,500; (ii) buyer may be subject to a fine of up to \$25,000 or imprisonment for not more than one year or both fine and imprisonment; and (iii) the transaction may be rescinded by the Seller up to two years after Close Of Escrow
- B. SELLER CANCELLATION RIGHT:** Seller may cancel this Agreement until midnight on the fifth business day following the day on which Seller signs this Agreement or until 8:00 a.m. on the day scheduled for the sale of the Property pursuant to a power of sale conferred in a deed of trust, whichever occurs first.
- C. BUYER RESTRICTIONS PRIOR TO EXPIRATION OF CANCELLATION RIGHT:** Until Seller’s right to cancel has lapsed, Buyer shall not: (i) accept from Seller an execution of, or induce Seller to execute, any instrument conveying any interest in the Property; (ii) record any instrument signed by Seller; (iii) transfer or encumber or purport to transfer or encumber any interest in the Property to any third party; or (iv) pay Seller any consideration.
- D. REAL ESTATE AGENT LICENSE AND BONDING:**
- (1) Civil Code § 1695.17 requires an Equity Purchaser’s Representative (a person who solicits, induces or causes the Property owner to transfer title) (Buyer’s agent) (i) to have a valid current real estate license, (ii) to have a bond equal to twice the fair market value of the property, and (iii) to notify, and provide proof to, the Seller of the Representative’s license status and bond.
 - (2) In 2007, a California court of appeal (Schweitzer vs Westminster Investments) ruled that the bond requirement is unconstitutional. Therefore, unless contradicted by a different court of appeal, the California Supreme Court or superseding legislation, the bond, and proof of the bond, is not required.
 - (3) The Equity Purchaser’s Representative must still comply with the licensing notification and proof requirements of the statute. If not, the contract is voidable by Seller and can subject the Equity Purchaser’s Representative to damages. The Purchaser’s Representative may satisfy the requirement on the attached Declaration.
- 26. DEFINITIONS and INSTRUCTIONS:** The following words are defined terms in this Agreement, shall be indicated by initial capital letters throughout this Agreement, and have the following meaning whenever used:
- A. “Acceptance” means the time the offer or final counter offer is fully executed, in writing, by the recipient Party and is Delivered to the offering Party or that Party’s Authorized Agent.
 - B. “Agent” means the Broker, salesperson, broker-associate or any other real estate licensee licensed under the brokerage firm identified in paragraph 2B.
 - C. “Agreement” means this document and any counter offers and any incorporated addenda or amendments, collectively forming the binding agreement between the Parties. Addenda and amendments are incorporated only when Signed and Delivered by all Parties.
 - D. “As-Is” condition: Seller shall disclose known material facts and defects as specified in this Agreement. Buyer has the right to inspect the Property and, within the time specified, request that Seller make repairs or take other corrective action, or exercise any contingency cancellation rights in this Agreement. Seller is only required to make repairs specified in this Agreement or as Otherwise Agreed.
 - E. “Authorized Agent” means an individual real estate licensee specified in the Real Estate Broker Section.
 - F. “C.A.R. Form” means the most current version of the specific form referenced or another comparable form agreed to by the Parties.
 - G. “Close Of Escrow”, including “COE”, means the date the grant deed, or other evidence of transfer of title, is recorded for any real property, or the date of Delivery of a document evidencing the transfer of title for any non-real property transaction.
 - H. “Copy” means copy by any means including photocopy, facsimile and electronic.



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- I. Counting Days is done as follows unless Otherwise Agreed: (1) The first Day after an event is the first full calendar date following the event, and ending at 11:59 pm. For example, if a Notice to Buyer to Perform (C.A.R. form NBP) is Delivered at 3 pm on the 7th calendar day of the month, or Acceptance of a counter offer is personally received at 12 noon on the 7th calendar day of the month, then the 7th is Day "0" for purposes of counting days to respond to the NBP or calculating the Close Of Escrow date or contingency removal dates and the 8th of the month is Day 1 for those same purposes. (2) All calendar days are counted in establishing the first Day after an event. (3) All calendar days are counted in determining the date upon which performance must be completed, ending at 11:59 pm on the last day for performance ("Scheduled Performance Day"). (4) After Acceptance, if the Scheduled Performance Day for any act required by this Agreement, including Close Of Escrow, lands on a Saturday, Sunday, or Legal Holiday, the performing party shall be allowed to perform on the next day that is not a Saturday, Sunday or Legal Holiday ("Allowable Performance Day"), and ending at 11:59 pm. "Legal Holiday" shall mean any holiday or optional bank holiday under Civil Code §§ 7 and 7.1, any holiday under Government Code § 6700. (5) For the purposes of COE, any day that the Recorder's office in the County where the Property is located is closed or any day that the lender or Escrow Holder under this Agreement is closed, the COE shall occur on the next day the Recorder's office in that County, the lender, and the Escrow Holder is open. (6) COE is considered Day 0 for purposes of counting days Seller is allowed to remain in possession, if permitted by this Agreement.
- J. "Day" or "Days" means calendar day or days. However, delivery of deposit to escrow is based on business days.
- K. "Deliver", "Delivered" or "Delivery" of documents, unless Otherwise Agreed, means and shall be effective upon personal receipt of the document by Buyer or Seller or their Authorized Agent. Personal receipt means (i) a Copy of the document, or as applicable, link to the document, is in the possession of the Party or Authorized Agent, regardless of the Delivery method used (i.e. e-mail, text, other). **A document, or as applicable link to a document, shall be deemed to be "in possession" if it is located in the inbox for the applicable Party or Authorized Agent;** or (ii) an Electronic Copy of the document, or as applicable, link to the document, has been sent to the designated electronic delivery address specified in the Real Estate Broker Section, **unless Otherwise Agreed in C.A.R. Form DEDA.** After Acceptance, Agent may change the designated electronic delivery address for that Agent by, in writing, Delivering notice of the change in designated electronic delivery address to the other Party (C.A.R. Form DEDA). Links could be, for example, to DropBox or GoogleDrive or other functionally equivalent program. If the recipient of a link is unable or unwilling to open the link or download the documents or otherwise prefers Delivery of the documents directly, Recipient of a link shall notify the sender in writing, within 3 Days after Delivery of the link (C.A.R. Form RFR). In such case, Delivery shall be effective upon Delivery of the documents and not the link. Failure to notify sender within the time specified above shall be deemed consent to receive, and Buyer opening, the document by link.
- L. "Electronic Copy" or "Electronic Signature" means, as applicable, an electronic copy or signature complying with California Law. Unless Otherwise Agreed, Buyer and Seller agree to the use of Electronic Signatures. Buyer and Seller agree that electronic means will not be used by either Party to modify or alter the content or integrity of this Agreement without the knowledge and consent of the other Party.
- M. "Law" means any law, code, statute, ordinance, regulation, rule or order, which is adopted by a controlling city, county, state or federal legislative, judicial or executive body or agency.
- N. "Legally Authorized Signer" means an individual who has authority to Sign for the principal as specified in paragraph 34 or paragraph 35.
- O. "Otherwise Agreed" means an agreement in writing, signed by both Parties and Delivered to each.
- P. "Repairs" means any repairs (including pest control), alterations, replacements, modifications or retrofitting of the Property provided for under this Agreement.
- Q. "Sign" or "Signed" means either a handwritten or Electronic Signature on an original document, Copy or any counterpart.

27. LIQUIDATED DAMAGES (By initialing in the space below, you are agreeing to Liquidated Damages):

If Buyer fails to complete this purchase because of Buyer's default, Seller shall retain, as liquidated damages, the deposit actually paid. If the Property is a dwelling with no more than four units, one of which Buyer intends to occupy, then the amount retained shall be no more than 3% of the purchase price. Any excess shall be returned to Buyer. Release of funds will require mutual, Signed release instructions from both Buyer and Seller, judicial decision or arbitration award. **AT THE TIME OF ANY INCREASED DEPOSIT BUYER AND SELLER SHALL SIGN A SEPARATE LIQUIDATED DAMAGES PROVISION INCORPORATING THE INCREASED DEPOSIT AS LIQUIDATED DAMAGES (C.A.R. FORM DID).**

Buyer's Initials _____ / _____

Seller's Initials _____ / _____

28. MEDIATION:

- A. The Parties agree to mediate any dispute or claim arising between them out of this Agreement, or any resulting transaction, before resorting to arbitration or court action. The mediation shall be conducted through the C.A.R. Real Estate Mediation Center for Consumers (www.consumermediation.org) or through any other mediation provider or service mutually agreed to by the Parties. The Parties also agree to mediate any disputes or claims with Agent(s), who, in writing, agree to such mediation prior to, or within a reasonable time after, the dispute or claim is presented to the Agent. Mediation fees, if any, shall be divided equally among the Parties involved, and shall be recoverable under the prevailing party attorney fees clause. If, for any dispute or claim to which this paragraph applies, any Party (i) commences an action without first attempting to resolve the matter through mediation, or (ii) before commencement of an action, refuses to mediate after a request has been made, then that Party shall not be entitled to recover attorney fees, even if they would otherwise be available to that Party in any such action. **THIS MEDIATION PROVISION APPLIES WHETHER OR NOT THE ARBITRATION PROVISION IS INITIALED.**
- B. **ADDITIONAL MEDIATION TERMS:** (i) Exclusions from this mediation agreement are specified in paragraph 29B; (ii) The obligation to mediate does not preclude the right of either Party to seek a preservation of rights under paragraph 29C; and (iii) Agent's rights and obligations are further specified in paragraph 29D. These terms apply even if the Arbitration of Disputes paragraph is not initiated.



29. ARBITRATION OF DISPUTES:

- A.** The Parties agree that any dispute or claim in Law or equity arising between them out of this Agreement or any resulting transaction, which is not settled through mediation, shall be decided by neutral, binding arbitration. The Parties also agree to arbitrate any disputes or claims with Agents(s), who, in writing, agree to such arbitration prior to, or within a reasonable time after, the dispute or claim is presented to the Agent. The arbitration shall be conducted through any arbitration provider or service mutually agreed to by the Parties. The arbitrator shall be a retired judge or justice, or an attorney with at least 5 years of residential real estate Law experience, unless the Parties mutually agree to a different arbitrator. Enforcement of, and any motion to compel arbitration pursuant to, this agreement to arbitrate shall be governed by the procedural rules of the Federal Arbitration Act, and not the California Arbitration Act, notwithstanding any language seemingly to the contrary in this Agreement. The Parties shall have the right to discovery in accordance with Code of Civil Procedure § 1283.05. The arbitration shall be conducted in accordance with Title 9 of Part 3 of the Code of Civil Procedure. Judgment upon the award of the arbitrator(s) may be entered into any court having jurisdiction.
- B. EXCLUSIONS:** The following matters are excluded from mediation and arbitration: (i) Any matter that is within the jurisdiction of a probate, small claims or bankruptcy court; (ii) an unlawful detainer action; and (iii) a judicial or non-judicial foreclosure or other action or proceeding to enforce a deed of trust, mortgage or installment land sale contract as defined in Civil Code § 2985.
- C. PRESERVATION OF ACTIONS:** The following shall not constitute a waiver nor violation of the mediation and arbitration provisions: (i) the filing of a court action to preserve a statute of limitations; (ii) the filing of a court action to enable the recording of a notice of pending action, for order of attachment, receivership, injunction, or other provisional remedies, provided the filing party concurrent with, or immediately after such filing makes a request to the court for a stay of litigation pending any applicable mediation or arbitration proceeding; or (iii) the filing of a mechanic's lien.
- D. AGENTS:** Agents shall not be obligated nor compelled to mediate or arbitrate unless they agree to do so in writing. Any Agents(s) participating in mediation or arbitration shall not be deemed a party to this Agreement.
- E. "NOTICE: BY INITIALING IN THE SPACE BELOW YOU ARE AGREEING TO HAVE ANY DISPUTE ARISING OUT OF THE MATTERS INCLUDED IN THE 'ARBITRATION OF DISPUTES' PROVISION DECIDED BY NEUTRAL ARBITRATION AS PROVIDED BY CALIFORNIA LAW AND YOU ARE GIVING UP ANY RIGHTS YOU MIGHT POSSESS TO HAVE THE DISPUTE LITIGATED IN A COURT OR JURY TRIAL. BY INITIALING IN THE SPACE BELOW YOU ARE GIVING UP YOUR JUDICIAL RIGHTS TO DISCOVERY AND APPEAL, UNLESS THOSE RIGHTS ARE SPECIFICALLY INCLUDED IN THE 'ARBITRATION OF DISPUTES' PROVISION. IF YOU REFUSE TO SUBMIT TO ARBITRATION AFTER AGREEING TO THIS PROVISION, YOU MAY BE COMPELLED TO ARBITRATE UNDER THE AUTHORITY OF THE CALIFORNIA CODE OF CIVIL PROCEDURE. YOUR AGREEMENT TO THIS ARBITRATION PROVISION IS VOLUNTARY."**
"WE HAVE READ AND UNDERSTAND THE FOREGOING AND AGREE TO SUBMIT DISPUTES ARISING OUT OF THE MATTERS INCLUDED IN THE 'ARBITRATION OF DISPUTES' PROVISION TO NEUTRAL ARBITRATION."

Buyer's Initials _____ / _____

Seller's Initials _____ / _____

30. FAIR APPRAISAL ACT NOTICE:

- A.** Any appraisal of the property is required to be unbiased, objective, and not influenced by improper or illegal considerations, including, but not limited to, any of the following: race, color, religion (including religious dress, grooming practices, or both), gender (including, but not limited to, pregnancy, childbirth, breastfeeding, and related conditions, and gender identity and gender expression), sexual orientation, marital status, medical condition, military or veteran status, national origin (including language use and possession of a driver's license issued to persons unable to provide their presence in the United States is authorized under federal law), source of income, ancestry, disability (mental and physical, including, but not limited to, HIV/AIDS status, cancer diagnosis, and genetic characteristics), genetic information, or age.
- B.** If a buyer or seller believes that the appraisal has been influenced by any of the above factors, the seller or buyer can report this information to the lender or mortgage broker that retained the appraiser and may also file a complaint with the Bureau of Real Estate Appraisers at <https://www2.brea.ca.gov/complaint/> or call (916) 552-9000 for further information on how to file a complaint.

31. TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF OFFER: This is an offer to purchase the Property on the terms and conditions herein. The individual Liquidated Damages and Arbitration of Disputes paragraphs are incorporated in this Agreement if initialed by all Parties or if incorporated by mutual agreement in a counter offer or addendum. If at least one but not all Parties initial, a counter offer is required until agreement is reached. Seller has the right to continue to offer the Property for sale and to accept any other offer at any time prior to notification of Acceptance and to market the Property for backup offers after Acceptance. The Parties have read and acknowledge receipt of a Copy of the offer and agree to the confirmation of agency relationships. If this offer is accepted and Buyer subsequently defaults, Buyer may be responsible for payment of Brokers' compensation. This Agreement and any supplement, addendum or modification, including any Copy, may be Signed in two or more counterparts, all of which shall constitute one and the same writing. By Signing this offer or any document in the transaction, the Party Signing the document is deemed to have read the document in its entirety.

32. TIME OF ESSENCE; ENTIRE CONTRACT; CHANGES: Time is of the essence. All understandings between the Parties are incorporated in this Agreement. Its terms are intended by the Parties as a final, complete and exclusive expression of their Agreement with respect to its subject matter and may not be contradicted by evidence of any prior agreement or contemporaneous oral agreement. If any provision of this Agreement is held to be ineffective or invalid, the remaining provisions will nevertheless be given full force and effect. Except as Otherwise Agreed, this Agreement shall be interpreted, and disputes shall be resolved in accordance with the Laws of the State of California. Neither this Agreement nor any provision in it may be extended, amended, modified, altered or changed, except in writing Signed by Buyer and Seller.



Property Address: _____ Date: _____

33. LEGALLY AUTHORIZED SIGNER: Wherever the signature or initials of the Legally Authorized Signer identified in paragraphs 34 or 35 appear on this Agreement or any related documents, it shall be deemed to be in a representative capacity for the entity described and not in an individual capacity, unless otherwise indicated. The Legally Authorized Signer (i) represents that the entity for which that person is acting already exists and is in good standing to do business in California and (ii) shall Deliver to the other Party and Escrow Holder, within **3 Days after Acceptance**, evidence of authority to act in that capacity (such as but not limited to: applicable portion of the trust or Certification Of Trust (Probate Code § 18100.5), letters testamentary, court order, power of attorney, corporate resolution, or formation documents of the business entity).

34. OFFER

A. EXPIRATION OF OFFER: This offer shall be deemed revoked and the deposit, if any, shall be returned to Buyer unless by the date and time specified in paragraph 3C, the offer is Signed by Seller and a Copy of the Signed offer is Delivered to Buyer or Buyer's Authorized Agent. Seller has no obligation to respond to an offer made.

B. ENTITY BUYERS: (Note: If this paragraph is completed, a Representative Capacity Signature Disclosure (C.A.R. Form RCSD) is not required for the Legally Authorized Signers designated below.)

(1) One or more Buyers is a trust, corporation, LLC, probate estate, partnership, holding a power of attorney or other entity.

(2) This Agreement is being Signed by a Legally Authorized Signer in a representative capacity and not in an individual capacity. See paragraph 33 for additional terms.

(3) The name(s) of the Legally Authorized Signer(s) is/are: _____.

(4) **A.** If a trust, identify Buyer as trustee(s) of the trust or by simplified trust name (ex. John Doe, co-trustee, Jane Doe, co-trustee or Doe Revocable Family Trust).

B. If Property is sold under the jurisdiction of a probate court, identify Buyer as executor or administrator, or by a simplified probate name (John Doe, executor, or Estate (or Conservatorship) of John Doe).

(5) The following is the full name of the entity (if a trust, enter the complete trust name; if under probate, enter full name of the estate, including case #): _____

C. The NODPA has 19 pages. Buyer acknowledges receipt of, and has read and understands, every page and all attachments that make up the Agreement.

D. BUYER SIGNATURE(S):

(Signature) By, _____ Date: _____

Printed name of BUYER: _____

Printed Name of Legally Authorized Signer: _____ Title, if applicable, _____

(Signature) By, _____ Date: _____

Printed name of BUYER: _____

Printed Name of Legally Authorized Signer: _____ Title, if applicable, _____

IF MORE THAN TWO SIGNERS, USE Additional Signature Addendum (C.A.R. Form ASA).

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Property Address: _____ Date: _____

35. ACCEPTANCE

A. ACCEPTANCE OF OFFER: Seller warrants that Seller is the owner of the Property or has the authority to execute this Agreement. Seller accepts the above offer and agrees to sell the Property on the above terms and conditions. Seller has read and acknowledges receipt of a Copy of this Agreement and authorizes Agent to Deliver a Signed Copy to Buyer.

Seller's acceptance is subject to the attached Counter Offer or Back-Up Offer Addendum, or both, checked below. Seller shall return and include the entire agreement with any response.

- Seller Counter Offer (C.A.R. Form SCO or SMCO)
- Back-Up Offer Addendum (C.A.R. Form BUO)

B. ENTITY SELLERS: (Note: If this paragraph is completed, a Representative Capacity Signature Disclosure form (C.A.R. Form RCSD) is not required for the Legally Authorized Signers designated below.)

- (1) One or more Sellers is a trust, corporation, LLC, probate estate, partnership, holding a power of attorney or other entity.
- (2) This Agreement is being Signed by a Legally Authorized Signer in a representative capacity and not in an individual capacity. See paragraph 33 for additional terms.
- (3) The name(s) of the Legally Authorized Signer(s) is/are: _____.
- (4) **A.** If a trust, identify Seller as trustee(s) of the trust or by simplified trust name (ex. John Doe, co-trustee, Jane Doe, co-trustee or Doe Revocable Family Trust).
- B.** If Property is sold under the jurisdiction of a probate court, identify Seller as executor or administrator, or by a simplified probate name (John Doe, executor, or Estate (or Conservatorship) of John Doe).
- (5) The following is the full name of the entity (if a trust, enter the complete trust name; if under probate, enter full name of the estate, including case #): _____.

C. The NODPA has 19 pages. Seller acknowledges receipt of, and has read and understands, every page and all attachments that make up the Agreement.

D. SELLER SIGNATURE(S):

(Signature) By, _____ Date: _____

Printed name of SELLER: _____

Printed Name of Legally Authorized Signer: _____ Title, if applicable, _____

(Signature) By, _____ Date: _____

Printed name of SELLER: _____

Printed Name of Legally Authorized Signer: _____ Title, if applicable, _____

IF MORE THAN TWO SIGNERS, USE Additional Signature Addendum (C.A.R. Form ASA).

NOTICE REQUIRED BY CALIFORNIA LAW

UNTIL YOUR RIGHT TO CANCEL THIS CONTRACT HAS ENDED,

_____ (BUYER'S NAME)

OR ANYONE WORKING FOR

_____ (BUYER'S NAME)

CANNOT ASK YOU TO SIGN OR HAVE YOU SIGN ANY DEED OR ANY OTHER DOCUMENT.

You may cancel this contract for the sale of your house without any penalty or obligation at any time before midnight on _____ (Enter date five business days after date of contract) or 8 a.m. on _____ (the day of the scheduled foreclosure sale) whichever occurs first.

See the attached notice of cancellation form for an explanation of this right.

OFFER NOT ACCEPTED: _____ / _____ No Counter Offer is being made. This offer was not accepted by Seller _____
Seller's Initials (date)



REAL ESTATE BROKERS SECTION

1. Real Estate Agents are not parties to the Agreement between Buyer and Seller.
2. Agency relationships are confirmed as stated in paragraph 2.
3. **Confirmation of Offered Compensation:** Seller's Broker agrees to pay Buyer's Broker and Buyer's Broker agrees to accept, out of Seller's Broker's proceeds in escrow, the **compensation** specified in a separate written agreement (C.A.R. Form CBC). **Each Broker agrees to disclose to their Seller or Buyer client the amount in the CBC.** Declaration of License and Tax (C.A.R. Form DLT) may be used to document that tax reporting will be required or that an exemption exists.
4. Presentation of Offer: Pursuant to the National Association of REALTORS® Standard of Practice 1-7, if Buyer's Agent makes a written request, Seller's Agent shall confirm in writing that this offer has been presented to Seller.
5. Agents' Signatures and designated electronic delivery address:

A. Buyer's Brokerage Firm _____ **DRE Lic. #** _____
 By _____ **DRE Lic. #** _____ **Date** _____
 By _____ **DRE Lic. #** _____ **Date** _____
 Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____
 Email _____ Phone # _____

- More than one agent from the same firm represents Buyer. Additional Agent Acknowledgement (C.A.R. Form AAA) attached.
 - More than one brokerage firm represents Buyer. Additional Broker Acknowledgement (C.A.R. Form ABA) attached.
- Designated Electronic Delivery Address(es): **Email above or** _____
- Attached DEDA: If Parties elect to have an alternative Delivery method, such method may be indicated on C.A.R. Form DEDA.**

B. Seller's Brokerage Firm _____ **DRE Lic. #** _____
 By _____ **DRE Lic. #** _____ **Date** _____
 By _____ **DRE Lic. #** _____ **Date** _____
 Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____
 Email _____ Phone # _____

- More than one agent from the same firm represents Seller. Additional Agent Acknowledgement (C.A.R. Form AAA) attached.
 - More than one brokerage firm represents Seller. Additional Broker Acknowledgement (C.A.R. Form ABA) attached.
- Designated Electronic Delivery Address(es) (To be filled out by Seller's Agent): **Email above or** _____
- Attached DEDA: If Parties elect to have an alternative Delivery method, such method may be indicated on C.A.R. Form DEDA.**

Buyer's Initials _____ / _____ Seller's Initials _____ / _____

ESCROW HOLDER ACKNOWLEDGMENT:

Escrow Holder acknowledges receipt of a Copy of this Agreement, (if checked, a deposit in the amount of \$ _____), Counter Offer numbers _____ and _____, and agrees to act as Escrow Holder subject to paragraph 19 of this Agreement, any supplemental escrow instructions and the terms of Escrow Holder's general provisions.

Escrow Holder is advised by _____ that the date of Acceptance of the Agreement is _____

Escrow Holder _____ Escrow # _____

By _____ Date _____

Address _____

Phone/Fax/E-mail _____

Escrow Holder has the following license number # _____

- Department of Financial Protection and Innovation, Department of Insurance, Department of Real Estate.

PRESENTATION OF OFFER: _____ / _____ Seller's Brokerage Firm presented this offer to Seller on _____.
Agent or Seller Initials _____ (date)





The following terms and conditions are hereby incorporated in and made a part of the Purchase Agreement, OR [] Other ("Agreement"), dated _____, on property known as _____ ("Property"), in which _____ is referred to as ("Seller") and _____ is referred to as ("Buyer"). Buyer and Seller are referred to as the "Parties."

1. TYPE OF PROBATE:

- A. The Property is part of a probate decedent's estate OR [] conservatorship, [] guardianship, [] receivership [] other _____
B. If property is being sold as part of a decedent's estate, paragraph 3A applies unless 3B is checked.
C. If the property is being sold through a conservatorship, guardianship, or receivership, then court confirmation is required, and the sale shall proceed under paragraph 3B.
D. If the type of probate is not correctly identified in paragraph 1A, Seller shall inform Buyer of the correct type of probate sale no later than the time for Seller Disclosures in the Agreement.

2. The Probate Advisory (C.A.R. form PA) is hereby incorporated.

3. COURT CONFIRMATION (Check the option below that applies):

A. Court Confirmation Undetermined at time of offer:

- (1) Seller shall Deliver written notice to Buyer, at time of [] Acceptance or [] within the time for Seller Delivery of Documents in the Time Period paragraph in the Agreement if court confirmation is or is not required
(2) If court confirmation is not initially required, notice of the terms of sale to beneficiaries/heirs is still necessary. If any beneficiary/heir objects, then court confirmation shall be required. Seller shall promptly Deliver written notice to Buyer once Seller has notice of any objection by a beneficiary/heir.
(3) If, after the offer is made, Seller notifies Buyer that court confirmation is required, or court confirmation becomes required as a result of an objection to terms of sale by a beneficiary/heir, then Buyer, within 3 Days after Delivery of Seller's notice, may cancel the Agreement and shall be entitled to return of any deposit paid.
(4) If court confirmation is or becomes required, and Buyer has not cancelled pursuant to paragraph 3A(3), then the sale shall proceed under paragraph 3B. [] Obtaining a court confirmation hearing date within 60 (or _____) Days after Acceptance, is a contingency of the Agreement in favor of Buyer.

B. [] Court Confirmation Required: The sale is contingent upon court confirmation, which is a court hearing that allows for open, competitive bidding for the Property. The minimum overbid price shall be an amount equal to the accepted purchase price, plus five percent of that amount, plus \$500. The court shall determine any further incremental overbidding amounts. See paragraph 4 for terms of court confirmation of the sale. [] Obtaining a court confirmation hearing date within 60 (or _____) Days after Acceptance, is a contingency of the Agreement in favor of Buyer.

4. WHEN COURT CONFIRMATION IS REQUIRED: Seller shall file a Petition to confirm the sale of the Property with the court. Seller shall notify Buyer in writing of the court confirmation hearing date, time and location at least 15 (or _____) Days prior to the court confirmation hearing date. Broker strongly recommends that Buyer personally appear at the court confirmation hearing to protect Buyer's position in the event of overbidding. California Probate Code may require a legal notice to be published in a local newspaper advertising the sale of the Property. If publication is required, Buyer understands that Seller is unable to accept Buyer's offer until after the expiration of the period set forth in the published notice. In such case, acceptance of this offer prior to publication is VOIDABLE. If the court approves the sale to Buyer, all deposit money held on behalf of Seller shall be applied toward the purchase price. If the sale is not confirmed to Buyer due to an overbid or other reason that is not a breach by Buyer, Buyer's deposit money, less applicable costs, shall be returned to Buyer. If the sale is confirmed by the court, an Order Confirming Sale to Buyer will be issued by the court. Buyer shall pay the balance of the purchase price, and escrow shall close, within 10 (or _____) Days from receipt of such Order by Escrow Holder or Buyer. Seller shall not be obligated to sign escrow instructions or incur any escrow costs prior to court confirmation.

A. The purchase price offered must be at least 90 percent of the probate referee's appraised or re-appraised value of the Property, unless exempt. If the purchase price is less than 90 percent of the probate referee's appraised value, Buyer may increase the purchase price to the minimum amount required or may withdraw from this transaction and receive a refund of Buyer's deposit, less applicable costs.

IF BUYER DEFAULTS AFTER COURT CONFIRMATION, THE ORDER CONFIRMING SALE MAY BE VACATED. THIS MAY RESULT IN BUYER'S FORFEITURE OF THE FULL DEPOSIT, OR ANY AMOUNT THE COURT MAY DETERMINE TO SATISFY ANY DEFICIENCY OF SALE PRICE, COSTS, OR OTHER LOSSES BY THE SELLER.

B. Seller may remove the Property from the court calendar if Buyer has not removed all contingencies (or, only these contingencies checked below) at least 10 (or _____) Days prior to the court confirmation hearing date. NOTE: Local probate court rules may require that all contingencies be removed before a petition for confirmation can be filed.

- [] Loan Contingency
[] Appraisal Contingency
[] Lead-Based Paint Hazard Disclosures
[] Natural and Environmental Disclosures
[] Condominium/Planned Unit Development Disclosures
[] Buyer's Investigation of Property
[] Review of Preliminary (Title) Report



5. **VESTING:** Buyer intends to take title as follows: _____
 Seller will not petition the Court for confirmation until vesting has been designated. If vesting is not designated above, Buyer has **10 (or _____) Days** after Acceptance to designate in writing how title is to be taken. **THE MANNER OF TAKING TITLE MAY HAVE SERIOUS LEGAL AND TAX CONSEQUENCES. BUYER IS ADVISED TO CONSULT WITH AN APPROPRIATE PROFESSIONAL.**
6. **DISPUTE RESOLUTION:** Even if initialed in the body of the Agreement, the paragraphs for Liquidated Damages, Mediation, and Arbitration are deleted from the Agreement due to the probate court having jurisdiction over the resolution of disputes and the damages awarded. If the property is under Independent Administration of Estates Act (IAEA) and the Parties are attempting to modify the Agreement to include any of these provisions, the Parties are advised to seek the counsel of a qualified California probate attorney before adding any such provision.
7. **OTHER TERMS:** _____

By signing below Buyer and Seller acknowledge that each has read, understands, has received a copy of, and agrees to the terms of this Probate Agreement Purchase Addendum.

Buyer _____ Date _____

Buyer _____ Date _____

Seller _____ Date _____

Seller _____ Date _____

REAL ESTATE BROKERS:

- A. COMMISSION IN EVENT OF AN OVERBID REPRESENTED BY ANOTHER BROKER:** In the event court confirmation of the sale is required, the Buyer's Broker identified in the Agreement agrees to waive all commission rights in the event of a successful overbid in court by a different buyer represented by another Broker.
- B. If court confirmation of the sale is required, the court will determine the commission amount.** Commissions awarded vary from county to county. Commissions are payable by Seller only if the sale closes. Seller is not liable for a commission to any broker or associate licensee who is directly or indirectly a purchaser of the Property or has an interest in the purchaser.

By signing below Buyer's Broker and Seller's Broker acknowledge that each has read, understands, has received a copy of, and agrees to the terms of the Real Estate Broker section of this Probate Agreement Purchase Addendum.

Buyer's Brokerage Firm: _____

By _____ Date _____

Seller's Brokerage Firm: _____

By _____ Date _____

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PROBATE LISTING ADDENDUM AND ADVISORY

(C.A.R. Form PLA, Revised 6/24)

The following terms and conditions are hereby incorporated in and made a part of the [] Residential Listing Agreement, [] Other _____ ("Listing"), dated _____, on property known as _____, in which _____ is referred to as ("Seller") and _____ is referred to as ("Broker").

- 1. The Property is part of a probate estate or, if checked [] conservatorship [] guardianship [] receivership [] other
2. The Listing Period shall be the shorter of 90 Days or the length of time specified in the Listing.
3. Court confirmation of the sale [] is required (limited authority), [] may be required (full authority).
4. [] Information about this listing will NOT be provided to the MLS specified in the Listing.
5. Compensation specified to Broker and any cooperating broker is subject to any restrictions imposed by the California Probate Code and the determination of the court.
6. The Dispute Resolution paragraph is deleted in its entirety. If the property is under Independent Administration of Estates Act (IAEA) and the Parties are attempting to modify the Agreement to include any of these provisions, the Parties are advised to seek the counsel of a qualified California probate attorney before adding any such provision.
7. The Probate Advisory (C.A.R. Form PA) is attached to this Agreement.
8. Notwithstanding any term in the Listing to the contrary: Seller warrants that title to the Property is as follows:

The foregoing terms and conditions are hereby agreed to, and the undersigned acknowledge receipt of a copy of this document.

Seller _____ Date _____

Seller _____ Date _____

Real Estate Broker (Listing Firm) _____ DRE Lic. # _____

By _____ DRE Lic. # _____ Date _____

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PROPERTY MANAGEMENT AGREEMENT
THIS FORM IS NOT BINDING ON BROKER UNLESS SIGNED BY A BROKER OR OFFICE MANAGER ON BROKER'S BEHALF (C.A.R. Form PMA, Revised 6/24)

Date Prepared: _____

_____ ("Rental Property Owner" or "RPO"), and _____ ("Broker"), agree as follows:

1. APPOINTMENT OF BROKER:

A. RPO employs and grants Broker (hereinafter "Property Manager") the exclusive right to rent, lease, operate and manage the property(ies) known as _____

and any additional property that may later be added to this Agreement ("Property"), upon the terms below, for the period beginning (date) _____ and ending (date) _____, at 11:59 PM. After the exclusive term expires, this Property Management Agreement ("Agreement") shall continue as a non-exclusive agreement that either party may terminate by giving at least 30 days written notice to the other.

B. EARLY TERMINATION:

- (1) Either party may terminate this Agreement on at least 30 days written notice _____ months after the original commencement date of this Agreement.
(2) Either party may terminate this Agreement at any time, upon written notice, for cause.

2. PROPERTY MANAGER ACCEPTANCE: Property Manager accepts the appointment and grant, and agrees to:

- A. Use due diligence in the performance of this Agreement.
B. Furnish the services for the rental, leasing, operation and management of the Property at the reasonable discretion of the Property Manager.

3. AUTHORITY AND POWERS: RPO grants Property Manager the authority and power, at RPO's expense, to:

A. ADVERTISING: Display FOR RENT/LEASE and similar signs on the Property. Advertise the availability of the Property, or any part thereof, for rental or lease in a Multiple Listing Service, on the Internet, online and in other media, or any other method selected by Broker.

B. RENTAL; LEASING; DIRECT ELECTRONIC RENTAL PAYMENTS:

- (1) Initiate, sign, renew, modify or cancel rental agreements and leases for the Property, or any part thereof; collect and give receipts for rents, other fees, charges and security deposits.
(2) Any lease or rental agreement executed by Property Manager for RPO shall not exceed _____ year(s) or shall be month-to-month.
(3) Unless RPO authorizes a lower amount, rent shall be: at market rate; OR a minimum of \$ _____ per _____; OR see attachment.
(4) If RPO permits Tenant to pay rent by direct deposit such as wire or electronic payment or other online method, RPO should discuss with a Landlord-Tenant attorney the implications of doing so in the event Tenant defaults and an eviction becomes necessary. See also: Wire Fraud Advisory (C.A.R. Form WFA) for additional information.

C. TENANCY TERMINATION: Sign and serve in RPO's name notices that are required or appropriate; commence and prosecute actions to evict tenants; recover possession of the Property in RPO's name; recover rents and other sums due; and, when expedient, settle, compromise and release claims, actions and suits and/or reinstate tenancies.

D. REPAIR; MAINTENANCE: Make, cause to be made, and/or supervise repairs, improvements, alterations and decorations to the Property; purchase, and pay bills for, services and supplies. RPO agrees that state and local water use restrictions will supersede any obligation by Property Manager or any Tenant (Lessee) to water/maintain gardens, landscaping trees or shrubs.

E. REPORTS, NOTICES AND SIGNS: Comply with federal, state or local law requiring delivery of reports or notices and/or posting of signs or notices.

F. BROKER AND THIRD-PARTY VENDOR SERVICES:

- (1) Contract, hire, supervise and/or discharge firms and persons required for the operation and maintenance of the Property. Property Manager may perform any of Property Manager's duties through, if applicable, attorneys, or agents, employees, or independent contractors operating through Property Manager's broker's license.
(2) Property Manager's is authorized to supervise the activity of any RPO's employees or independent contractors performing services required for the operation and maintenance of the Property. However, Property Manager shall not be responsible for the acts, omissions, defaults, negligence of any such employees or independent contractors of RPO, or for any associated costs and RPO agrees to indemnify, defend and hold Property Manager harmless for the foregoing as set forth in section 4C below.

G. EXPENSE PAYMENTS: Pay expenses and costs for the Property from RPO's funds held by Property Manager, subject to availability of sufficient funds on reserve and the timely delivery to Property Manager of all necessary billing statements, as set forth below. Expenses and costs may include, but are not limited to, property management compensation, fees and charges, expenses for goods and services, and other expenses related to this Agreement. However, for the following items, RPO shall make direct payments, unless Broker is checked or it is otherwise agreed:

- (1) Property taxes: RPO Pays or, if checked Broker Pays
(2) Mortgage Payment: RPO Pays or, if checked Broker Pays
(3) HOA dues and fees: RPO Pays or, if checked Broker Pays
(4) Property insurance: RPO Pays or, if checked Broker Pays
(5) Utilities: RPO Pays or, if checked Broker Pays
(6) Other: RPO Pays or, if checked Broker Pays
(7) Other: RPO Pays or, if checked Broker Pays



H. LIMITATIONS ON PAYMENTS, AND EXCEPTIONS:

- (1) Property Manager shall obtain prior approval of RPO for all expenditures over \$ _____ for any one item.
- (2) For any vacancy, total expenses shall not exceed \$ _____ per vacant unit (per month) without prior approval of RPO.
- (3) Prior approval shall not be required for monthly or recurring operating charges, or, if in Property Manager's opinion, emergency expenditures over the maximum are needed to protect the Property or other property(ies) from damage, prevent injury to persons, avoid suspension of necessary services, avoid penalties or fines, or suspension of services to tenants required by a lease or rental agreement or by law, including, but not limited to, maintaining the Property in a condition fit for human habitation as required by Civil Code §§ 1941 and 1941.1 and Health and Safety Code §§ 17920.3 and 17920.10.

I. SECURITY DEPOSITS:

- (1) Receive security deposits from tenants, which deposits shall be given to RPO, or placed in Property Manager's trust account and, if held in Property Manager's trust account, pay from RPO's funds all interest on tenants' security deposits if required by local law or ordinance. RPO shall be responsible to tenants for return of security deposits and all interest due on security deposits held by RPO.
- (2) RPO represents that:
 - (a) (i) RPO is a natural person, or if a limited liability company all members of the LLC are natural persons AND (ii) RPO owns no more than two residential rental properties that collectively include no more than four dwelling units offered for rent. The one-month maximum security deposit that is permitted by statute for residential tenancies does not apply to RPO.
 - OR (b) RPO is not a natural person or if RPO is a limited liability company at least one member of the LLC is not a natural person or RPO owns more than two residential rental properties or RPO owns more than four dwelling units offered for rent. The maximum security deposit that is permitted by statute for residential tenancies is the equivalent of one-month's rent.

J. TRUST FUNDS: Deposit all receipts collected for RPO, less any sums properly deducted or disbursed, in a financial institution whose deposits are insured by an agency of the United States government. The funds shall be held in a trust account separate from Property Manager's personal accounts. Property Manager shall not be liable in event of bankruptcy or failure of a financial institution.

K. RESERVES: Maintain a reserve in Property Manager's trust account of \$ _____.

L. DISBURSEMENTS: Disburse RPO's funds held in Property Manager's trust account in the following order:

- (1) Compensation due Property Manager under paragraph 8.
- (2) All other operating expenses, costs and disbursements payable from RPO's funds held by Property Manager.
- (3) Reserves and security deposits held by Property Manager.
- (4) Balance to RPO.

M. RPO DISTRIBUTION: Remit funds, if any are available, monthly (or _____), to RPO.

N. RPO STATEMENTS: Deliver monthly (or Quarterly, or _____), and year-end statements of receipts, expenses and charges for each Property.

O. PROPERTY MANAGER FUNDS: Property Manager shall not advance Property Manager's own funds in connection with the Property or this Agreement.

P. KEYSAFE/LOCKBOX: (if checked) RPO authorizes the use of a key safe/lockbox to allow entry into the Property and agrees to sign a key safe/lockbox addendum (C.A.R. Form KLA).

Q. MAIL FORWARDING: Under no circumstances shall Property Manager be responsible for the forwarding of any mail directed to any previous occupant, all of which may be refused and returned to sender.

4. RENTAL PROPERTY OWNER RESPONSIBILITIES: RPO shall:

- A.** Provide all documentation and records as required by law or required by Property Manager to manage and operate the Property, and immediately notify Property Manager if RPO becomes aware of any change in such documentation, records, or any matter affecting the habitability of the Property.
- B.** RPO agrees to complete a Rental Property Owner Disclosure (C.A.R. Form RPOD) and Rental Property Owner Questionnaire (C.A.R. Form RPOQ), which shall be provided to Broker within **3 Days** of completing (or with) this Agreement. RPO authorizes Broker to provide tenant with the RPOD completed by RPO with any lease or rental agreement.
- C.** Indemnify, defend and hold harmless Property Manager, and all persons in Property Manager's firm, as permitted by law, from all costs, expenses, suits, claims, liabilities, damages, judgements, attorney fees and claims of every type, including but not limited to those arising out of injury or death of any person, or damage to any real or personal property of any person, including RPO, (i) for any repairs performed by RPO or by others hired directly by RPO; (ii) for those acts relating to the management, leasing, rental, security deposits, or operation of the Property by Property Manager, or any person operating through Property Manager's broker's license, or the performance or exercise of any of the duties, powers or authorities granted to Property Manager; (iii) from any incorrect or incomplete information supplied by RPO, or from any material facts that RPO knows but fails to disclose including dangerous or hidden conditions on the Premises; and (iv) actions brought by the Department of Fair Employment and Housing or other government regulatory body. This paragraph shall apply to all actions and claims, including those arising out of Property Manager's negligence but not to the willful misconduct or gross negligence of Property Manager and shall extend to claims occurring after this Agreement is terminated as well as while it is in force. RPO's obligations under this paragraph will not be limited by insurance requirements or by any other provision of this Agreement..
- D.** Maintain the Property in a condition fit for human habitation as required by Civil Code §§ 1941 and 1941.1 and Health and Safety Code §§ 17920.3 and 17920.10 and other applicable law.
- E.** Pay all interest on tenants' security deposits if required by local law or ordinance.
- F.** Carry and pay for: (i) public and premises liability insurance in an amount of no less than \$1,000,000 (or \$ _____). If RPO fails to do so, RPO authorizes Property Manager to obtain such insurance and charge RPO pursuant to **paragraph 3**; and (ii) property damage and worker's compensation insurance adequate to protect the interests of RPO and Property Manager. Property Manager shall be, and RPO authorizes Property Manager to be, named as an additional insured party on RPO's policies.
- G.** Pay any late charges, penalties and/or interest imposed by lenders or other parties for failure to make payment to those parties, if the failure is due to insufficient funds in Property Manager's trust account available for such payment.
- H.** Immediately replace any funds required if there are insufficient funds in Property Manager's trust account to cover RPO's responsibilities.



5. RENTAL PROPERTY RPO REPRESENTATIONS:

RPO represents that, unless otherwise specified in writing, RPO is unaware of: (i) any recorded Notice of Default affecting the Property; (ii) any delinquent amounts due under any loan secured by, or other obligation affecting, the Property; (iii) any bankruptcy, insolvency or similar proceeding affecting the Property; (iv) any litigation, arbitration, administrative action, government investigation, or other pending or threatened action that does or may affect the Property or RPO's ability to transfer it; and (v) any current, pending or proposed special assessments affecting the Property. RPO shall promptly notify Property Manager in writing if RPO becomes aware of any of these items during the term of this Agreement.

6. TAX WITHHOLDING AND REPORTING:

- A. RPO authorizes Property Manager to withhold and transmit to California Franchise Tax Board ("FTB") 7% of the GROSS payments to RPO that exceed \$1,500 received by Property Manager in a calendar year, unless RPO completes and transmits to Property Manager: (i) If RPO is not a California Resident or a corporation or LLC qualified to conduct business in California, FTB form 589, nonresident reduced withholding request, or FTB form 588, nonresident withholding waiver; or (ii) If RPO is a California Resident or a corporation or LLC qualified to conduct business in California, FTB form 590, withholding exemption certificate.
- B. If RPO is a nonresident alien individual, a foreign entity, or other non-U.S. person (Foreign Investor) RPO authorizes Property Manager to withhold and transmit to the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) 30% of the GROSS rental receipts unless RPO elects to treat rental income as "effectively connected income" by submitting to Property Manager a fully completed IRS form W-8ECI, Certificate of Foreign Person's Claim for Exemption From Withholding on Income Effectively Connected With the Conduct of a Trade of Business in the United States. A Foreign investor RPO will need to obtain a U.S. tax payer identification number and file a declaration with the IRS regarding effectively connected income in order to complete the form given to Property Manager. Further, the Foreign Investor RPO will be responsible for making any necessary estimated tax payments.
- C. Broker has a legal duty to report rental income received to tax collection agencies via IRS form 1099.

7. COMPENSATION:

- A. RPO agrees to pay Property Manager fees in the amounts indicated below for:
 - (1) Management: _____
 - (2) Renting or Leasing: _____
 - (3) Evictions (fee is in addition to any attorney fees and court costs):
 - For preparation/prelitigation _____
 - To perform/participate in an eviction proceeding _____
 - (4) Preparing Property for rental or lease: _____
 - (5) Managing Property during extended periods of vacancy: _____
 - (6) An overhead and service fee added to the cost of all work performed by, or at the direction of, Property Manager: _____
 - (7) On Boarding/Set Up fee: _____
 - (8) Cancellation (by RPO or Property Manager):
 - During Term _____
 - At any other time _____
 - Off Boarding/File Preparation and File Closing fee _____
 - (9) Tax Withholding and Reporting: _____
 - (10) Other: _____
- B. This Agreement does not include providing on-site management services, property sales, refinancing, preparing Property for sale or refinancing, modernization, fire or major damage restoration, rehabilitation, obtaining income tax, accounting or legal advice, representation before public agencies, advising on proposed new construction, debt collection, counseling, attending RPO's Association meetings or _____

If RPO requests Property Manager to perform services not included in this Agreement, a fee shall be agreed upon before these services are performed.

- C. Property Manager may divide compensation, fees and charges due under this Agreement in any manner acceptable to Property Manager.
- D. RPO further agrees that:
 - (1) Property Manager may receive and keep fees and charges from tenants, or as applicable be reimbursed for fees charged for: (i) requesting an assignment of lease or sublease of the Property; (ii) processing credit applications; (iii) any returned checks and/or (if checked) late payments; (iv) any bank credits or credit card points/credit received; (v) any technology platform credits, fees, and charges; (vi) lock-boxes/keysafes; and (vii) eviction protection services. Property Manager shall disclose any such fees and charges. Attached is Property Manager's schedule of fees and charges.
 - (2) Property Manager may perform any of Property Manager's duties, and obtain necessary products and services, through affiliated companies or organizations in which Property Manager may own an interest. Property Manager may receive fees, commissions and/or profits from these affiliated companies or organizations. Property Manager has an ownership interest in the following affiliated companies or organizations: _____

Property Manager shall disclose to RPO any other such relationships as they occur. Property Manager shall not receive any fees, commissions or profits from unaffiliated companies or organizations in the performance of this Agreement, without prior disclosure to RPO.

- (3) Other: _____

8. AGENCY RELATIONSHIPS: Property Manager may act, and RPO hereby consents to Property Manager acting, as dual agent for RPO and tenant(s) in any resulting transaction. If the Property includes residential property with one-to-four dwelling units and this Agreement permits a tenancy in excess of one year, RPO acknowledges receipt of the "Disclosure Regarding Agency Relationships" (C.A.R. Form AD). RPO understands that Property Manager may have or obtain property management agreements on other property, and that potential tenants may consider, make offers on, or lease through Property Manager, property the same as or similar to RPO's Property. RPO consents to Property Manager's representation of other RPOs' properties before, during and after the expiration of this Agreement.



RPO Name: _____ Date: _____

9. **NOTICES:** Any written notice to RPO or Property Manager from the other party required under this Agreement shall be served by sending such notice **(i)** by first class mail to that party at the address below, or at any different address the parties may later designate for this purpose. **(ii)** to the following email address: _____ . Mailed notice, including notice under **paragraph 14**, shall be deemed received three (3) calendar days after deposit into the United States mail. Electronic notice shall be deemed received the next business day after it is sent.
10. **SECURITY AND INSURANCE:** Property Manager is not responsible for loss of or damage to personal or real property, or person, whether attributable to use of a key safe/lockbox, a showing of the Property, or otherwise. Third parties, including, but not limited to, inspectors, brokers and prospective tenants, may have access to, and take videos and photographs of, the interior of the Premises. RPO agrees: **(i)** to take reasonable precautions to safeguard and protect valuables that might be accessible during showings of the Premises; and **(ii)** to obtain insurance to protect against these risks. Broker does not maintain insurance to protect RPO.
11. **ATTORNEY FEES:** In any action, proceeding or arbitration between RPO and Property Manager arising out of this Agreement, RPO and Property Manager are each responsible for paying their own attorney fees and costs, except as provided in **paragraph 12A**.
12. **DISPUTE RESOLUTION:**
- A. MEDIATION:**
- (1) RPO and Property Manager agree to mediate any dispute or claim arising between them out of this Agreement, or any resulting transaction, before resorting to arbitration or court action.
 - (2) Mediation fees, if any, shall be divided equally among the parties involved.
 - (3) If, for any dispute or claim to which this paragraph applies, any party **(i)** commences an action without first attempting to resolve the matter through mediation, or **(ii)** before commencement of an action, refuses to mediate after a request has been made, and that party is the losing party in any such action, the prevailing party shall be entitled to recover attorney fees, notwithstanding **paragraph 11**. **Exclusions from this mediation agreement are specified in paragraph 12B.**
- B. ADDITIONAL MEDIATION TERMS:** The following matters shall be excluded from mediation and arbitration: **(i)** a judicial or non-judicial foreclosure or other action or proceeding to enforce a deed of trust, mortgage or installment land sale contract as defined in Civil Code §2985; **(ii)** an unlawful detainer action; **(iii)** the filing or enforcement of a mechanic's lien; and **(iv)** any matter that is within the jurisdiction of a probate, small claims or bankruptcy court. The filing of a court action to enable the recording of a notice of pending action, for order of attachment, receivership, injunction, or other provisional remedies, shall not constitute a waiver or violation of the mediation provisions.
- C. ADVISORY:** If RPO and Property Manager desire to resolve disputes arising between them rather than court, they can document their agreement by attaching and signing an Arbitration Agreement (C.A.R. Form ARB).
13. **EQUAL HOUSING OPPORTUNITY:** The Property is offered in compliance with federal, state and local anti-discrimination laws.
14. **MODIFICATION OF AGREEMENT:** Property Manager may modify the terms of this Agreement upon first providing **30 (or _____) days** written notice to RPO. If RPO objects to the modified terms in writing during that timeframe, Property Manager may either rescind the modification or allow the RPO to terminate the Agreement. If RPO terminates the agreement under this provision, no cancellation fee pursuant to **paragraph 7A(8)** is owed.
15. **ADDITIONAL TERMS:**
- A.** Rental Property Owner Disclosure (C.A.R. Form RPOD);
 - B.** Rental Property Owner Questionnaire (C.A.R. Form RPOQ);
 - C.** Fair Housing and Discrimination Advisory (C.A.R. Form FHDA);
 - D.** California Consumer Privacy Act Advisory (C.A.R. Form CCPA);
 - E.** Disclosure Regarding Real Estate Agency Relationships (C.A.R. Form AD)
 - F.** Keysafe/Lockbox-Addendum (C.A.R. Form KLA);
 - G.** Other: _____
- _____
- _____
16. **TIME OF ESSENCE; ENTIRE CONTRACT; CHANGES:** Time is of the essence. All understandings between the parties are incorporated in this Agreement. Its terms are intended by the parties as a final, complete and exclusive expression of their Agreement with respect to its subject matter, and may not be contradicted by evidence of any prior agreement or contemporaneous oral agreement. If any provision of this Agreement is held to be ineffective or invalid, the remaining provisions will nevertheless be given full force and effect. Neither this Agreement nor any provision in it may be extended, amended, modified, altered or changed except in writing. This Agreement and any supplement, addendum or modification, including any copy, may be signed in two or more counterparts, all of which shall constitute one and the same writing.
17. **LEGALLY AUTHORIZED SIGNER:** Wherever the signature or initials of the Legally Authorized Signer, identified in the signature block below, appear on this Agreement or any related documents, it shall be deemed to be in a representative capacity for the entity described and not in an individual capacity, unless otherwise indicated. The Legally Authorized Signer **(i)** represents that the entity for which that person is acting already exists and is in good standing to do business in California and **(ii)** shall deliver to Broker, within **3 Days** after execution of this Agreement, evidence of authority to act in that capacity (such as but not limited to: applicable portion of the trust or Certification Of Trust (Probate Code § 18100.5), letters testamentary, court order, power of attorney, corporate resolution, or formation documents of the business entity).
18. **OWNERSHIP, TITLE AND AUTHORITY:** RPO warrants that: **(i)** RPO is the legal RPO of the Premises; **(ii)** no other persons or entities have title to the Premises; and **(iii)** RPO has the authority to both execute this Agreement and lease or rent the Premises. Exceptions to ownership, title and authority are as follows: _____

RPO Name: _____ Date: _____

By signing below, RPO acknowledges that RPO has read, understands, accepts and has received a copy of this Agreement and understands that the Agreement is not binding on Broker unless signed below by Broker or an office manager.

ENTITY RENTAL PROPERTY OWNERS: (Note: If this paragraph is completed, a Representative Capacity Signature Disclosure (C.A.R. Form RCSD) is not required for the Legally Authorized Signers designated below.)

- (1) One or more RPOs is a trust, corporation, LLC, probate estate, partnership, other entity or holds a power of attorney.
- (2) This Agreement is being Signed by a Legally Authorized Signer in a representative capacity and not for him/herself as an individual. See **paragraph 17** for additional terms.
- (3) The name(s) of the Legally Authorized Signer(s) is: _____.
- (4) **A.** If a trust, identify RPO as trustee(s) of the trust or by simplified trust name (ex. John Doe, co-trustee, Jane Doe, co-trustee or Doe Revocable Family Trust).
- B.** If Property is sold under the jurisdiction of a probate court, identify RPO as executor or administrator, or by a simplified probate name (John Doe, executor, or Estate (or Conservatorship) of John Doe).
- (5) The following is the full name of the entity (if a trust, enter the complete trust name; if under probate, enter full name of the estate, including case #): _____

RENTAL PROPERTY OWNER SIGNATURE(S):

(Signature) By, _____ Date: _____

Printed name of RPO: _____

Printed Name of Legally Authorized Signer: _____ Title, if applicable, _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Email _____ Phone # _____

Social Security/Tax ID # (for reporting purposes): _____

(Signature) By, _____ Date: _____

Printed name of RPO: _____

Printed Name of Legally Authorized Signer: _____ Title, if applicable, _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Email _____ Phone # _____

Social Security/Tax ID # (for reporting purposes): _____

Additional Signature Addendum attached (C.A.R. Form ASA)

BROKER SIGNATURE(S) (Must be signed by Broker or Office Manager):

Real Estate Broker (Firm) _____ DRE Lic# _____

By (Broker/Office Manager) _____ Lic. # _____ Date _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Email _____ Phone # _____

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Use only when a residence has been completed and is subject to a Public Report
(An already-built subdivision may be referred-to as an existing subdivision by the DRE)
(C.A.R. Form ABSPA, Revised 6/24)

Date Prepared: _____

1. OFFER:

- A. THIS IS AN OFFER FROM** _____ (“Buyer”).
- B. THE PROPERTY** to be acquired is _____, situated
in _____ (City), _____ (County), California, _____ (Zip Code),
Assessor’s Parcel No(s) _____ (“Property”).
(Postal/Mailing address may be different from city jurisdiction. Buyer is advised to investigate.)
- C. THE TERMS OF THE PURCHASE ARE SPECIFIED BELOW AND ON THE FOLLOWING PAGES.**

2. AGENCY:

- A. DISCLOSURE:** The Parties each acknowledge receipt of a “Disclosure Regarding Real Estate Agency Relationships” (C.A.R. Form AD) if represented by a real estate licensee. Buyer’s Agent is not legally required to give to Seller’s Agent the AD form Signed by Buyer. Seller’s Agent is not legally obligated to give to Buyer’s Agent the AD form Signed by Seller.
- B. CONFIRMATION:** The following agency relationships are hereby confirmed for this transaction.
- Seller’s Brokerage Firm** _____ License Number _____
Is the broker of (check one): the Seller; or both the Buyer and Seller (Dual Agent).
Seller’s Agent _____ License Number _____
Is (check one): the Seller’s Agent (Salesperson or broker associate); or both the Buyer’s and Seller’s Agent (Dual Agent).
- Buyer’s Brokerage Firm** _____ License Number _____
Is the broker of (check one): the Buyer; or both the Buyer and Seller (Dual Agent).
Buyer’s Agent _____ License Number _____
Is (check one): the Buyer’s Agent (Salesperson or broker associate); or both the Buyer’s and Seller’s Agent (Dual Agent).
- C.** More than one Brokerage represents Seller, Buyer. See, Additional Broker Acknowledgement (C.A.R. Form ABA).
- D. POTENTIALLY COMPETING BUYERS AND SELLERS:** The Parties each acknowledge receipt of a “Possible Representation of More than One Buyer or Seller - Disclosure and Consent” (C.A.R. Form PRBS).
- E.** (If checked) **REFERRAL LICENSEE:** _____ (print Firm Name) is a Referral Licensee only and shall be compensated \$ _____ or _____ % of the Purchase Price. Buyer and Seller acknowledge that Referral Licensee has merely introduced Buyer to the Property and does not represent Buyer or Seller in this transaction. Buyer further acknowledges and agrees that any agency relationship with Referral Licensee, whether existing under a written or oral agreement or by implication, is terminated for this Property as of the date of Buyer’s signature on this Agreement. Referral Licensee is not a part to this Agreement between Buyer and Seller. **Note to Referral Licensee: Do not confirm agency if checking this paragraph. If you become an Agent in the transaction add a Confirmation of Real Estate Agency Relationships at that time (C.A.R. Form AC).**

3. TERMS OF PURCHASE AND ALLOCATION OF COSTS: The items in this paragraph are contractual terms of the Agreement. Referenced paragraphs provide further explanation. This form is 19 pages. The Parties are advised to read all 19 pages.

	Paragraph #	Paragraph Title or Contract Term	Terms and Conditions	Additional Terms
A	5, 5B (cash)	Purchase Price	\$ _____	<input type="checkbox"/> All Cash
B	5A(3)	Close Of Escrow (COE)	____ Days after Acceptance OR on _____ (date) (mm/dd/yyyy)	
C	43A	Expiration of Offer	3 calendar days after all Buyer Signature(s) or (date) at 5PM or _____ <input type="checkbox"/> AM/ <input type="checkbox"/> PM	
D(1)	5A(1)	Initial Deposit Amount	\$ _____ (_____ % of purchase price) (% number above is for calculation purposes and is not a contractual term)	Delivered to Escrow (or <input type="checkbox"/> Seller) within 3 (or _____) business days after Acceptance by wire transfer OR <input type="checkbox"/> Personal Check OR <input type="checkbox"/> _____
D(2)	5A(2)	<input type="checkbox"/> Increased Deposit (Money placed into escrow after the initial deposit. Use form DID at time increased deposit is made.)	\$ _____ (_____ % of purchase price) (% number above is for calculation purposes and is not a contractual term)	Upon removal of all contingencies OR <input type="checkbox"/> _____ (date) OR <input type="checkbox"/> _____
E(1)	5C(1)	Loan Amount(s): First Interest Rate Points If FHA or VA checked, Deliver list of lender required repairs	\$ _____ (_____ % of purchase price) Fixed rate or <input type="checkbox"/> Initial adjustable rate • not to exceed _____ % • Buyer to pay up to _____ points to obtain rate above 17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	Conventional or, if checked, <input type="checkbox"/> FHA (Forms FVAC/HID attached) <input type="checkbox"/> VA (Form FVAC attached) <input type="checkbox"/> Seller Financing <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____



Property Address: _____

Date: _____

	Paragraph #	Paragraph Title or Contract Term	Terms and Conditions	Additional Terms	
E(2)	5C(2)	Additional Financed Amount Interest Rate Points	\$ _____ (_____ % of purchase price) Fixed rate or <input type="checkbox"/> Initial adjustable rate • not to exceed _____ % • Buyer to pay up to _____ points to obtain rate above	Conventional or, if checked, <input type="checkbox"/> Seller Financing <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____	
E(3)	7A	Occupancy Type	Primary, or if checked, <input type="checkbox"/> Secondary <input type="checkbox"/> Investment		
F	5D	Balance of Down Payment	\$ _____		
PURCHASE PRICE TOTAL			\$ _____		
G(1)	5E	Seller Credit, if any, to Buyer	<input type="checkbox"/> \$ _____ (_____ % of purchase price) (% number above is for calculation purposes and is not a contractual term)	Seller credit to be applied to closing costs OR <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____	
G(2)	ADDITIONAL FINANCE TERMS: _____				
G(3)	19	<input type="checkbox"/> Seller agrees to pay the obligation of Buyer to compensate Buyer's Broker under a separate agreement (C.A.R. Form SPBB attached). Seller's Broker's offer, if any, to compensate Buyer's Broker is unaffected unless Otherwise Agreed.			
H(1)	5B	Verification of All Cash (sufficient funds)	Attached to the offer or <input type="checkbox"/> 3 (or _____) Days after Acceptance		
H(2)	6A	Verification of Down Payment and Closing Costs	Attached to the offer or <input type="checkbox"/> 3 (or _____) Days after Acceptance		
H(3)	6B	Verification of Loan Application	Attached to the offer or <input type="checkbox"/> 3 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	<input type="checkbox"/> Prequalification <input type="checkbox"/> Preapproval <input type="checkbox"/> Fully underwritten preapproval	
I	Intentionally Left Blank				
J	11	Public Report Status	<input type="checkbox"/> Final Public Report <input type="checkbox"/> Conditional Public Report <input type="checkbox"/> Amended/Renewed Public Report	If Conditional Public Report is checked: Final Public Report shall be issued within <input type="checkbox"/> 6 months or <input type="checkbox"/> 30 months of the date of issuance of the Conditional Public Report.	
K	17	Final Verification of Condition	5 (or _____) Days prior to COE		
L	24	Assignment Request	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance		
M	8	CONTINGENCIES	TIME TO REMOVE CONTINGENCIES	CONTINGENCY REMOVED	
M(1)	8A	Loan(s)	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	<input type="checkbox"/> No loan contingency	
M(2)	8B	Appraisal: Appraisal contingency based upon appraised value at a minimum of purchase price or <input type="checkbox"/> \$ _____	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	<input type="checkbox"/> No appraisal contingency Removal of appraisal contingency does not eliminate appraisal cancellation rights in FVAC.	
M(3)	8C, 14	Investigation of Property Informational Access to Property Buyer's right to access the Property for informational purposes is NOT a contingency, does NOT create additional cancellation rights, and applies even if contingencies are removed.	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance 17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	REMOVAL OR WAIVER OF CONTINGENCY: Any contingency in M(1)-M(9) may be removed or waived by checking the applicable box above or attaching a Contingency Removal (C.A.R. Form CR-B) and checking the applicable box therein. Removal or Waiver at time of offer is against Agent advice. See paragraph 8J. <input type="checkbox"/> CR attached	
M(4)	8D	Insurance	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance		
M(5)	8E, 16A	Review of Seller Documents	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance, or 5 Days after Delivery, whichever is later		
M(6)	8F, 11	Review of Public Report	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance, or 5 Days after Delivery, whichever is later		
M(7)	8G, 15A	Preliminary ("Title") Report	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance or 5 Days after Delivery, whichever is later		
M(8)	8H, 12F	Common Interest Disclosures required by Civil Code § 4525 or this Agreement	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance, or 5 Days after Delivery, whichever is later		
M(9)	8I, 9B(6)	Review of leased or liened items (Such as for solar panels or propane tanks or PACE or HERO liens)	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance, or 5 Days after Delivery, whichever is later		
N		Possession	Time for Performance		Additional Terms
N(1)		Delivery of Possession (unless N(2) is checked)	Upon notice of recordation On COE date		



Property Address: _____

Date: _____

	Paragraph #	Paragraph Title or Contract Term	Terms and Conditions	Additional Terms
N(2)	7A	Occupied units by tenants or anyone other than Seller	<input type="checkbox"/> Tenant Occupied Property Addendum (C.A.R. Form TOPA) attached	Seller shall disclose to Buyer If occupied by tenants or persons other than Seller, and attach TOPA in a counter offer if not part of Buyer's offer.
O	Intentionally Left Blank			
P		Documents/Fees/Compliance	Time for Performance	
P(1)	16A	Seller Delivery of Documents	7 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	
P(2)	20C	Sign and return Escrow Holder General Provisions, Supplemental Instructions	5 (or _____) Days after Delivery	
P(3)	12F(2)	Time to pay fees for ordering HOA Documents	3 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	
P(4)	30	Evidence of representative authority	3 Days after Acceptance	
Q	Items Included and Excluded			
Q(1)	9	Items Included - All items specified in Paragraph 9B are included and the following, if checked:		
		<input type="checkbox"/> Stove(s), oven(s), stove/oven combo(s); <input type="checkbox"/> Refrigerator(s); <input type="checkbox"/> Wine Refrigerator(s); <input type="checkbox"/> Washer(s); <input type="checkbox"/> Dryer(s); <input type="checkbox"/> Dishwasher(s); <input type="checkbox"/> Microwave(s); Additional Items Included: <input type="checkbox"/> _____;	<input type="checkbox"/> Video doorbell(s); <input type="checkbox"/> Security camera equipment; <input type="checkbox"/> Security system(s)/alarm(s), other than separate video doorbell and camera equipment; <input type="checkbox"/> Smart home control devices; <input type="checkbox"/> Wall mounted brackets for video or audio equipment; <input type="checkbox"/> _____;	<input type="checkbox"/> Above-ground pool(s) / <input type="checkbox"/> spa(s); <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Bathroom mirrors, unless excluded below; <input type="checkbox"/> Electric car charging systems and stations; <input type="checkbox"/> Potted trees/shrubs; <input type="checkbox"/> _____;
Q(2)		Excluded Items: <input type="checkbox"/> _____;	<input type="checkbox"/> _____;	<input type="checkbox"/> _____;
R	Allocation of Costs			
	Paragraph #	Item Description	Who Pays (if Both is checked, cost to be split equally unless Otherwise Agreed)	Additional Terms
R(1)	12B	Natural Hazard Zone Disclosure Report, including tax information	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Environmental <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Provided by: _____
R(2)	20C	Escrow Fees	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Each to pay their own fees	Escrow Holder: _____
R(3)	15G	Owner's title insurance policy	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	Title Company (If different from Escrow Holder): _____
R(4)		Buyer's Lender title insurance policy	Buyer	Unless Otherwise Agreed, Buyer shall purchase any title insurance policy insuring Buyer's lender.
R(5)		County transfer tax, fees	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
R(6)		City transfer tax, fees	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
R(7)	12F(2)	HOA fee for preparing disclosures	Seller	
R(8)		HOA certification fee	Buyer	
R(9)		HOA transfer fees	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	Unless Otherwise Agreed, Seller shall pay for separate HOA move-out fee and Buyer shall pay for separate move-in fee. Applies if separately billed or itemized with cost in transfer fee.
R(10)		Private transfer fees	Seller, or if checked, <input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
R(11)		_____ fees or costs	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
R(12)		_____ fees or costs	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
R(13)A		_____ Report	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
R(13)B		_____ Report	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	



Property Address: _____

Date: _____

	Paragraph #	Item Description	Who Pays (if Both is checked, cost to be split equally unless Otherwise Agreed)	Additional Terms
R(14)		Optional Wildfire Disclosure Report	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
R(15)	10	Home warranty plan: _____ _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Buyer waives home warranty plan	Cost not to exceed \$ _____. Issued by: _____
S	13	INSULATION INFORMATION: Exterior Walls: Type _____ Thickness _____ R-Value _____ Ceilings: Type _____ Thickness _____ R-Value _____ Interior Walls: Type _____ Thickness _____ R-Value _____ Other _____: Type _____ Thickness _____ R-Value _____		
T	38, 39	SELLER ESTIMATES FOR THIRD PARTY CHARGES: Credit Reports _____ Preliminary Title Reports _____ Escrow Services _____ Appraisals _____ Loan Processing Fees _____		
U	34	SELLER'S WARRANTY BEING PROVIDED: Standard Warranty		
V		OTHER TERMS: Other terms and conditions are void to the extent that they impair or limit the rights or remedies reserved to Buyer elsewhere in this Agreement. Note to Seller: You must submit any addenda form(s) you intend to attach this Agreement to, and have them be accepted by, the DRE.		

4. **PROPERTY ADVISORIES AND DISCLOSURES:** (check all that apply)

A. **BUYER AND SELLER ADVISORIES:** (Note: All Advisories below are provided for reference purposes only and are not intended to be incorporated into this Agreement.)

- Buyer's Investigation Advisory (C.A.R. Form BIA)
- Wire Fraud Advisory (C.A.R. Form WFA)
- Wildfire Disaster Advisory (C.A.R. Form WFDA)
- Trust Advisory (C.A.R. Form TA)
- REO Advisory (C.A.R. Form REO)
- Other: _____
- Fair Housing and Discrimination Advisory (C.A.R. Form FHDA)
- Cal. Consumer Privacy Act Advisory (C.A.R. Form CCPA)
(Parties may also receive a privacy disclosure from their own Agent.)
- Statewide Buyer and Seller Advisory (C.A.R. Form SBSA)
- Short Sale Information and Advisory (C.A.R. Form SSIA)
- Probate Advisory (C.A.R. Form PA)
- Other: _____

B. **ATTACHED DISCLOSURES:**

- (1) If checked, Buyer acknowledges receipt of the following disclosures:
- Final Public Report
 - Zone Report
 - Bonded Debt
 - Notice of Special Tax
 - Smoke Detector
 - Newly converted condominium
 - DRE 2790.9 (for properties for completed or occupied more than 3 years prior to a public report)
 - _____
 - Conditional Public Report
 - Amended/Renewed Public Report
 - Property Disclosure Statement
 - HOA Documents
 - Water Heater
 - Industrial, Commercial, Airport Zone
 - Model Plan/Property Description
 - Site Report
 - Seller's Warranty
 - Utility Disclosures
 - Transportation Corridors
- (2) **ADDITIONAL DISCLOSURES:** Seller shall provide Buyer with the following additional disclosures: _____

5. **ADDITIONAL TERMS AFFECTING PURCHASE PRICE:** Buyer represents that funds will be good when deposited with Escrow Holder.

A. **DEPOSIT:**

- (1) **INITIAL DEPOSIT:** Buyer shall deliver deposit directly to the party selected in **paragraph 3D(1)**. If being delivered to Seller, Seller must have obtained a bond or bonds meeting the requirements of B&P Code §§ 11013.2(c) or 11013.4(b) or (c), and DRE Regulation 2791.2. If Seller has not obtained such bond(s), then deposit shall be delivered directly to Escrow. **Note to Seller: If the purchase agreement is signed under the authority of a conditional Public Report, all funds must be impounded and held in a neutral escrow depository per B&P Code §§ 11013.4(a) or 11013.2(a).**
- (2) **INCREASED DEPOSIT:** Increased deposit (**paragraph 3D(2)**) to be delivered to Escrow Holder in the same manner as the Initial Deposit. If the Parties agree to liquidated damages in this Agreement, they also agree to incorporate the increased deposit into the liquidated damages amount by signing a new liquidated damages clause (C.A.R. Form DID) at the time the increased deposit is delivered to Escrow Holder.
- (3) **RETURN OF DEPOSIT FOR SELLER FAILURE TO CLOSE:** If Seller is unable to close on or before the time specified in **paragraph 3B**, Seller shall, within **15 Days** after the time specified in **paragraph 3B**, order all of Buyer's deposits, including all third-party charges (including but not limited to those specified in **paragraphs 38 and 39**) refunded to Buyer (except for liquidated damages paid to Seller pursuant to **paragraph 40**, if applicable). Buyer's right to cancel based on Close Of Escrow is separately established in **paragraph 16G**.
- (4) **RETENTION OF DEPOSIT:** **Paragraph 40**, if initialed by all Parties or otherwise incorporated into this Agreement, specifies a remedy for Buyer's default. Buyer and Seller are advised to consult with a qualified California real estate attorney: (i) Before adding any other clause specifying a remedy (such as release or forfeiture of deposit or making a deposit non-refundable) for failure of Buyer to complete the purchase. Any such clause shall be deemed invalid unless the clause independently satisfies the statutory liquidated damages requirements set forth in the Civil Code; and (ii) Regarding possible liability and remedies if Buyer fails to deliver the deposit.

B. **ALL CASH OFFER:** If an all cash offer is specified in **paragraph 3A**, no loan is needed to purchase the Property. This Agreement is NOT contingent on Buyer obtaining a loan. Buyer shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3H(1)**, Deliver written verification of funds sufficient for the purchase price and closing costs.

C. **LOAN(S):**

- (1) **FIRST LOAN:** This loan will provide for conventional financing **UNLESS** FHA, VA, Seller Financing (C.A.R. Form SFA), or Other is checked in **paragraph 3E(1)**.



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- (2) **ADDITIONAL FINANCED AMOUNT:** If an additional financed amount is specified in **paragraph 3E(2)**, that amount will provide for conventional financing **UNLESS** Seller Financing (C.A.R. Form SFA), or Other is checked in **paragraph 3E(2)**.
- (3) **BUYER'S LOAN STATUS:** Buyer authorizes Seller and Seller's Authorized Agent to contact Buyer's lender(s) to determine the status of any Buyer's loan specified in **paragraph 3E**, or any alternate loan Buyer pursues, whether or not a contingency of this Agreement. If the contact information for Buyer's lender(s) is different from that provided under the terms of **paragraph 6B**, Buyer shall Deliver the updated contact information within **1 Day** of Seller's request.
- (4) **FHA/VA: If FHA or VA is checked in paragraph 3E(1)**, a FHA/VA amendatory clause (C.A.R. Form FVAC) shall be incorporated and Signed by all Parties. Buyer shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3E(1)**, Deliver to Seller written notice (C.A.R. Form RR or AEA) **(i)** of any lender requirements that Buyer requests Seller to pay for or otherwise correct or **(ii)** that there are no lender requirements. Notwithstanding Seller's agreement that Buyer may obtain FHA or VA financing, Seller has no obligation to pay or satisfy any or all lender requirements unless agreed in writing.

D. BALANCE OF PURCHASE PRICE (DOWN PAYMENT) (including all-cash funds) to be deposited with Escrow Holder pursuant to Escrow Holder instructions.

E. LIMITS ON CREDITS TO BUYER: Any credit to Buyer, from any source, for closing or other costs that is agreed to by the Parties ("Contractual Credit") shall be disclosed to Buyer's lender, if any, and made at Close Of Escrow. If the total credit allowed by Buyer's lender ("Lender Allowable Credit") is less than the Contractual Credit, then **(i)** the Contractual Credit from Seller shall be reduced to the Lender Allowable Credit, and **(ii)** in the absence of a separate written agreement between the Parties, there shall be no automatic adjustment to the purchase price to make up for the difference between the Contractual Credit and the Lender Allowable Credit.

6. ADDITIONAL FINANCING TERMS:

A. VERIFICATION OF DOWN PAYMENT AND CLOSING COSTS: Written verification of Buyer's down payment and closing costs may be made by Buyer or Buyer's lender or loan broker pursuant to **paragraph 6B**.

B. VERIFICATION OF LOAN APPLICATIONS: Buyer shall Deliver to Seller, within the time specified in **paragraph 3H(3)** a letter from Buyer's lender or loan broker stating that, based on a review of Buyer's written application and credit report, Buyer is prequalified or preapproved for any NEW loan specified in **paragraph 3E**. If any loan specified in **paragraph 3E** is an adjustable rate loan, the prequalification or preapproval letter shall be based on the qualifying rate, not the initial loan rate.

C. BUYER STATED FINANCING: Seller is relying on Buyer's representation of the type of financing specified (including, but not limited to, as applicable, all cash, amount of down payment, or contingent or non-contingent loan). Seller has agreed to a specific closing date, purchase price, and to sell to Buyer in reliance on Buyer's specified financing. Buyer shall pursue the financing specified in this Agreement, even if Buyer also elects to pursue an alternative form of financing. Seller has no obligation to cooperate with Buyer's efforts to obtain any financing other than that specified in this Agreement but shall not interfere with closing at the purchase price on the COE date (**paragraph 3B**) even if based upon alternate financing. Buyer's inability to obtain alternate financing does not excuse Buyer from the obligation to purchase the Property and close escrow as specified in this Agreement.

7. CLOSING AND POSSESSION:

A. OCCUPANCY: If Buyer intends to occupy as a primary or secondary residence as indicated in **paragraph 3E(3)** and unless Otherwise Agreed, such as in C.A.R. Form TOPA: **(i)** the unit Buyer intends to occupy shall be vacant at the time possession is delivered to Buyer, and **(ii)** if the Property contains more than one unit, within **3 Days** after Acceptance Buyer shall give Seller written notice of which unit Buyer intends to occupy. Occupancy may impact available financing. **Seller shall disclose to Buyer if occupied by tenants or persons other than Seller, and attach C.A.R. Form TOPA in a counter offer if not part of Buyer's offer.**

B. CONDITION OF PROPERTY ON CLOSING; AND STATEMENT OF DEFECTS PER DRE REGULATIONS 2790.8 AND 2790.9; EXISTING SUBDIVISION INTEREST DISCLOSURE (For properties that have been either completed or occupied more than 3 years prior to a public report application being filed with the DRE, the Seller disclosure shall be on the for specified in DRE Regulation 2790.9):

(1) **Condition:** Unless Otherwise Agreed: **(i)** the Property shall be delivered "**As-Is**" in its PRESENT physical condition as of the date of Acceptance; **(ii)** the Property, including pool, spa, landscaping and grounds, is to be maintained in substantially the same condition as on the date of Acceptance; and **(iii)** all debris and personal property not included in the sale shall be removed by Close Of Escrow or at the time possession is delivered to Buyer, if not on the same date. If items are not removed when possession is delivered to Buyer, all items shall be deemed abandoned. Buyer, after first Delivering to Seller written notice to remove the items within **3 Days**, may pay to have such items removed or disposed of and may bring legal action, as per this Agreement, to receive reasonable costs from Seller.

(2) **Buyer is strongly advised to conduct investigations of the entire Property in order to determine its present condition. Seller and Agents may not be aware of all defects affecting the Property or other factors that Buyer considers important. Property improvements may not be built according to code, in compliance with current Law, or have had all required permits issued and/or finalized.**

C. At Close Of Escrow: **(i)** Seller assigns to Buyer any assignable warranty rights for items included in the sale; and **(ii)** Seller shall Deliver to Buyer available Copies of any such warranties. Agents cannot and will not determine the assignability of any warranties.

D. Seller shall, on Close Of Escrow unless Otherwise Agreed and even if Seller remains in possession, provide keys, passwords, codes and/or means to operate all locks, mailboxes, security systems, alarms, home automation systems, intranet and Internet-connected devices included in the purchase price, garage door openers, and all items included in either **paragraph 3Q or **9**. If the Property is a condominium or located in a common interest development, Seller shall be responsible for securing or providing any such items for Association amenities, facilities, and access. Buyer may be required to pay a deposit to the Homeowners' Association ("HOA") to obtain keys to accessible HOA facilities.**

8. CONTINGENCIES AND REMOVAL OF CONTINGENCIES:

A. LOAN(S):

(1) This Agreement is, **unless otherwise specified in paragraph 3M(1) or an attached CR form**, contingent upon Buyer obtaining the loan(s) specified. If contingent, Buyer shall act diligently and in good faith to obtain the designated loan(s). **If there is no appraisal contingency or the appraisal contingency has been waived or removed, then failure of the Property to appraise at the purchase price does not entitle Buyer to exercise the cancellation right pursuant to the loan contingency if Buyer is otherwise qualified for the specified loan and Buyer is able to satisfy lender's non-appraisal conditions for closing the loan.**

(2) Buyer is advised to investigate the insurability of the Property as early as possible, as this may be a requirement for lending. Buyer's ability to obtain insurance for the Property, including fire insurance, is part of Buyer's **Insurance** contingency. Failure of Buyer to obtain insurance may justify cancellation based on the **Insurance** contingency but not the loan contingency.

(3) Buyer's contractual obligations regarding deposit, balance of down payment and closing costs **are not contingencies** of this Agreement, unless Otherwise Agreed.



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- (4) If there is an appraisal contingency, removal of the loan contingency shall not be deemed removal of the appraisal contingency.
- (5) **NO LOAN CONTINGENCY:** If "No loan contingency" is checked in **paragraph 3M(1)**, obtaining any loan specified is NOT a contingency of this Agreement. If Buyer does not obtain the loan specified, and as a result is unable to purchase the Property, Seller may be entitled to Buyer's deposit or other legal remedies.

B. APPRAISAL:

- (1) This Agreement is, **unless otherwise specified in paragraph 3M(2) or an attached CR form**, contingent upon a written appraisal of the Property by a licensed or certified appraiser at no less than the amount specified in **paragraph 3M(2)**, without requiring repairs or improvements to the Property. Appraisals are often a reliable source to verify square footage of the subject Property. However, the ability to cancel based on the measurements provided in an appraisal falls within the Investigation of Property contingency. The appraisal contingency is solely limited to the value determined by the appraisal. For any cancellation based upon this appraisal contingency, Buyer shall Deliver a Copy of the written appraisal to Seller, upon request by Seller.
- (2) **NO APPRAISAL CONTINGENCY:** If "No appraisal contingency" is checked in **paragraph 3M(2)**, then Buyer may not use the loan contingency specified in **paragraph 3M(1)** to cancel this Agreement if the sole reason for not obtaining the loan is that the appraisal relied upon by Buyer's lender values the property at an amount less than that specified in **paragraph 3M(2)**. If Buyer is unable to obtain the loan specified solely for this reason, Seller may be entitled to Buyer's deposit or other legal remedies.
- (3) **Fair Appraisal Act:** See **paragraph 43** for additional information.

C. INVESTIGATION OF PROPERTY: This Agreement is, as specified in **paragraph 3M(3)**, contingent upon Buyer's acceptance of the condition of, and any other matter affecting, the Property.

D. INSURANCE: This Agreement is, as specified in **paragraph 3M(4)**, contingent upon Buyer's assessment of the availability and approval of the cost for any insurance policy desired under this Agreement.

E. REVIEW OF SELLER DOCUMENTS: This Agreement is, as specified in **paragraph 3M(5)**, contingent upon Buyer's review and approval of Seller's documents required in **paragraph 16A**.

F. REVIEW OF PUBLIC REPORT: This Agreement is, as specified in **paragraph 3M(6)**, contingent upon Buyer's review and approval of the Public Report specified in **paragraph 3J** and signing DRE form RE 614E, "Receipt for Public Report."

G. TITLE:

- (1) This Agreement is, as specified in **paragraph 3M(7)**, contingent upon Buyer's ability to obtain the title policy provided for in **paragraph 15G** and on Buyer's review of a current Preliminary Report and items that are disclosed or observable even if not on record or not specified in the Preliminary Report, and satisfying Buyer regarding the current status of title. Buyer is advised to review all underlying documents and other matters affecting title, including, but not limited to, any documents or deeds referenced in the Preliminary Report and any plotted easements.
- (2) Buyer has **5 Days** after receipt to review a revised Preliminary Report, if any, furnished by the Title Company and cancel the transaction if the revised Preliminary Report reveals material or substantial deviations from a previously provided Preliminary Report.

H. CONDOMINIUM/PLANNED DEVELOPMENT DISCLOSURES (IF APPLICABLE): This Agreement is, as specified in **paragraph 3M(8)**, contingent upon Buyer's review and approval of Common Interest Disclosures required by Civil Code § 4525 and under **paragraph 12F** ("CI Disclosures").

I. BUYER REVIEW OF LEASED OR LIENED ITEMS CONTINGENCY: Buyer's review of and ability and willingness to assume any lease, maintenance agreement or other ongoing financial obligation, or to accept the Property subject to any lien, disclosed pursuant to **paragraph 9B(6)**, is, as specified in **paragraph 3M(9)**, a contingency of this Agreement. Any assumption of the lease shall not require any financial obligation or contribution by Seller. Seller, after first Delivering a Notice to Buyer to Perform, may cancel this Agreement if Buyer, by the time specified in **paragraph 3M(9)**, refuses to enter into any necessary written agreements to accept responsibility for all obligations of Seller-disclosed leased or lienied items.

J. REMOVAL OR WAIVER OF CONTINGENCIES WITH OFFER: Buyer shall have no obligation to remove a contractual contingency unless Seller has provided all required documents, reports, disclosures, and information pertaining to that contingency. If Buyer does remove a contingency without first receiving all required information from Seller, Buyer is relinquishing any contractual rights that apply to that contingency. **If Buyer removes or waives any contingencies without an adequate understanding of the Property's condition or Buyer's ability to purchase, Buyer is acting against the advice of Agent.**

K. REMOVAL OF CONTINGENCY OR CANCELLATION:

- (1) **For any contingency specified in paragraph 3M, 8, or elsewhere, Buyer shall, within the applicable period specified, remove the contingency or cancel this Agreement.**
- (2) For the contingencies for review of Seller Documents, Preliminary Report, and Condominium/Planned Development Disclosures, Buyer shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3M** or **5 Days** after Delivery of Seller Documents or CI Disclosures, whichever occurs later, remove the applicable contingency in writing or cancel this Agreement.
- (3) If Buyer does not remove a contingency within the time specified, Seller, after first giving Buyer a Notice to Buyer to Perform (C.A.R. Form NBP), shall have the right to cancel this Agreement.

9. ITEMS INCLUDED IN AND EXCLUDED FROM SALE:

A. NOTE TO BUYER AND SELLER: Items listed as included or excluded in the Multiple Listing Service (MLS), flyers, marketing materials, or disclosures are NOT included in the purchase price or excluded from the sale unless specified in this paragraph or **paragraph 3Q** or as Otherwise Agreed. Any items included herein are components of the home and are not intended to affect the price. All items are transferred without Seller warranty.

B. ITEMS INCLUDED IN SALE:

- (1) All EXISTING fixtures and fittings that are attached to the Property;
- (2) EXISTING electrical, mechanical, lighting, plumbing and heating fixtures, ceiling fans, fireplace inserts, gas logs and grates, solar power systems, built-in appliances and appliances for which special openings or encasements have been made (whether or not checked in **paragraph 3Q**), window and door screens, awnings, shutters, window coverings (which includes blinds, curtains, drapery, shutters or any other materials that cover any portion of the window), attached floor coverings, television antennas, satellite dishes, air coolers/conditioners, pool/spa equipment (including, but not limited to, any cleaning equipment such as motorized/automatic pool cleaners, pool nets, pool covers), garage door openers/remote controls, mailbox, in-ground landscaping, water features and fountains, water softeners, water purifiers, light bulbs (including smart bulbs) and all items specified as included in **paragraph 3Q**, **if currently existing at the time of Acceptance.** **Note:** If Seller does not intend to include any item specified as being included above because it is not owned by Seller, whether placed on the Property by Agent, stager or other third party, the item should be listed as being excluded in **paragraph 3Q(2)** or excluded by Seller in a counter offer.



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- (3) Security System includes any devices, hardware, software, or control units used to monitor and secure the Property, including but not limited to, any motion detectors, door or window alarms, and any other equipment utilized for such purpose. If checked in **paragraph 3Q**, all such items are included in the sale, whether hard wired or not.
 - (4) Home Automation (Smart Home Features) includes any electronic devices and features including, but not limited to, thermostat controls, kitchen appliances not otherwise excluded, and lighting systems, that are connected (hard wired or wirelessly) to a control unit, computer, tablet, phone, or other "smart" device. Any Smart Home devices and features that are physically affixed to the real property, and also existing light bulbs, are included in the sale. Buyer is advised to use **paragraph 3Q(1)** or an addendum to address more directly specific items to be included. Seller is advised to use a counter offer to address more directly any items to be excluded.
 - (5) Non-Dedicated Devices: If checked in **paragraph 3Q**, all smart home and security system control devices are included in the sale, except for any non-dedicated personal computer, tablet, or phone used to control such features. Buyer acknowledges that a separate device and access to wifi or Internet may be required to operate some smart home features and Buyer may have to obtain such device after Close Of Escrow. Buyer is advised to change all passwords and ensure the security of any smart home features.
 - (6) **LEASED OR LIENED ITEMS AND SYSTEMS:** Seller, within the time specified in **paragraph 3M(9)**, shall (i) disclose to Buyer if any item or system specified in **paragraph 3Q** or **9B** or otherwise included in the sale is leased, or not owned by Seller, or is subject to any maintenance or other ongoing financial obligation, or specifically subject to a lien or other encumbrance or loan, and (ii) Deliver to Buyer all written materials (such as lease, warranty, financing, etc.) concerning any such item.
 - (7) Seller represents that all items included in the purchase price, unless Otherwise Agreed, (i) are owned by Seller and shall be transferred free and clear of liens and encumbrances, except the items and systems identified pursuant to **paragraph 9B(6)**, and (ii) are transferred without Seller warranty regardless of value. Seller shall cooperate with the identification of any software or applications and Buyer's efforts to transfer any services needed to operate any Smart Home Features or other items included in this Agreement, including, but not limited to, utilities or security systems.
- 10. ALLOCATION OF COSTS FOR INSPECTIONS, TESTS, REPORTS, AND CERTIFICATES:** Paragraph 3R(1) only determines who is to pay for the inspection, report, test, certificate or service mentioned; it does not determine who is to pay for any work recommended or identified in any such document. Agreements for payment of required work should be specified elsewhere in paragraph 3R, or 3V, or in a separate agreement (such as C.A.R. Forms RR, RRRR, ADM or AEA). Buyer shall choose the coverages, regardless of any optional coverages indicated, of the home warranty plan and Buyer shall pay any cost of that plan, chosen by Buyer, that exceeds the amount allocated to Seller in **paragraph 3R(15)**. Any reports in these paragraphs shall be Delivered in the time specified in **Paragraph 3P(1)**.
- 11. PUBLIC REPORT:** The following information describes the current status of the public report process specified in **paragraph 3J**.
- A. FINAL PUBLIC REPORT:** A public report is required to be delivered to Buyer prior to the execution of this Agreement.
 - B. CONDITIONAL PUBLIC REPORT:** If the Property is subject to a Conditional Public Report under the B&P Code, escrow will not close, funds will not be released from the escrow, and any interest contracted for and the subject of the escrow will not be conveyed until a current Final Public Report is delivered to Buyer. Furthermore, the entire sum of money paid or advanced by Buyer shall be returned to Buyer under B&P Code § 11013.4(a) or 11013.2(a) if (i) the Final Public Report has not been issued within time specified in **paragraph 3J**. Buyer has the ability to cancel the Agreement if the Final Public Report has not been issued unless a conditional public report is renewed for another 6 months, or (ii) the Buyer is dissatisfied with the Final Public Report because of a change pursuant to B&P Code § 11012.
 - C. AMENDED/RENEWED PUBLIC REPORT:** An amended/renewed public report is required to be delivered to Buyer prior to execution of this Agreement.
- 12. DISCLOSURES:**
- A. Statement of Defects:**
 - (1) As required by DRE Regulation 2790.8, Seller shall complete and provide an "Existing Subdivision Interest Disclosure Statement" form specified in DRE Regulation 2790.9 ("ESI Disclosure") to Buyer as soon as practicable before the transfer of title.
 - (2) If any ESI Disclosure is Delivered to Buyer after the offer is Signed, Buyer shall have the right to cancel this Agreement within **3 Days** after Delivery in person or **5 Days** after Delivery by deposit in the mail, or by an electronic record or email satisfying the Uniform Electronic Transactions Act (UETA), by giving written notice of cancellation to Seller or Seller's Agent.
 - (3) Seller is obligated to disclose information in the ESI Disclosure based on Seller's actual knowledge, after making a reasonable effort to obtain such information, whether derived from Seller's own investigation and inspection of the Existing Subdivision Interest or from written reports prepared by third parties retained by Seller to perform inspections.
 - (4) Seller shall amend any information in an ESI Disclosure after the ESI Disclosure is provided to Buyer, if the information in the ESI Disclosure is or becomes materially inaccurate and the Seller has actual knowledge of the inaccuracy. Seller is otherwise not required to amend the ESI Disclosure once it has been provided to Buyer. If the amended ESI Disclosure shows that the original ESI Disclosure was inaccurate or has become inaccurate in any material respect, Buyer shall have the right to cancel this Agreement within **3 Days** after Delivery in person or **5 Days** after Delivery by deposit in the mail, or by an electronic record or email satisfying the Uniform Electronic Transactions Act (UETA), by giving written notice of cancellation to Seller or Seller's Agent.
 - B. NATURAL HAZARD ZONES:** Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3P(1)**, disclose if Property is located in any of the following: Special Flood Hazard Areas; Potential Flooding (inundation) Areas, Very High Fire Hazard Severity Zones; State Fire Responsibility Areas; Earthquake Fault Zones; Seismic Hazard Zones; or any other federal, state, or local designated zone for which disclosure is required by Law.
 - C. WITHHOLDING TAXES:** Buyer and Seller hereby instruct Escrow Holder to withhold the applicable required amounts to comply with federal and California withholding Laws and forward such amounts to the Internal Revenue Service and Franchise Tax Board, respectively. However, no federal withholding is required if, prior to Close Of Escrow, Seller Delivers (i) to Buyer and Escrow Holder a fully completed affidavit (C.A.R. Form AS) sufficient to avoid withholding pursuant to federal withholding Law (FIRPTA); **OR** (ii) to a qualified substitute (usually a title company or an independent escrow company) a fully completed affidavit (C.A.R. Form AS) sufficient to avoid withholding pursuant to federal withholding Law AND the qualified substitute Delivers to Buyer and Escrow Holder an affidavit signed under penalty of perjury (C.A.R. Form QS) that the qualified substitute has received the fully completed Seller's affidavit and the Seller states that no federal withholding is required; **OR** (iii) to Buyer other documentation satisfying the requirements under Internal Revenue Code § 1445 (FIRPTA). No withholding is required under California Law if, prior to Close Of Escrow, Escrow Holder has received sufficient documentation from Seller that no withholding is required, and Buyer has been informed by Escrow Holder.

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D. MEGAN'S LAW DATABASE DISCLOSURE: Notice: Pursuant to § 290.46 of the Penal Code, information about specified registered sex offenders is made available to the public via an Internet Web site maintained by the Department of Justice at www.meganslaw.ca.gov. Depending on an offender's criminal history, this information will include either the address at which the offender resides or the community of residence and ZIP Code in which he or she resides. (Neither Seller nor Agent are required to check this website. If Buyer wants further information, Agent recommends that Buyer obtain information from this website during Buyer's investigation contingency period. Agents do not have expertise in this area.)

E. NOTICE REGARDING GAS AND HAZARDOUS LIQUID TRANSMISSION PIPELINES: This notice is being provided simply to inform you that information about the general location of gas and hazardous liquid transmission pipelines is available to the public via the National Pipeline Mapping System (NPMS) Internet Web site maintained by the United States Department of Transportation at <http://www.npms.phmsa.dot.gov/>. To seek further information about possible transmission pipelines near the Property, you may contact your local gas utility or other pipeline operators in the area. Contact information for pipeline operators is searchable by ZIP Code and county on the NPMS Internet Website. (Neither Seller nor Agent are required to check this website. If Buyer wants further information, Agent recommends that Buyer obtain information from this website during Buyer's investigation contingency period. Agents do not have expertise in this area.)

F. CONDOMINIUM/PLANNED DEVELOPMENT DISCLOSURES:

(1) Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3P(1)**, disclose to Buyer whether the Property is a condominium or is located in a planned development, other common interest development, or otherwise subject to covenants, conditions, and restrictions (C.A.R. Form SPQ or ESD).

(2) If the Property is a condominium or is located in a planned development or other common interest development with a HOA, Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3P(3)**, order from, and pay any required fee for the following items to, the HOA (C.A.R. Form HOA-IR): **(i)** Copies of any documents required by Law (C.A.R. Form HOA-RS); **(ii)** disclosure of any pending or anticipated claim or litigation by or against the HOA; **(iii)** a statement containing the location and number of designated parking and storage spaces; **(iv)** Copies of the most recent 12 months of HOA minutes for regular and special meetings; **(v)** the names and contact information of all HOAs governing the Property; **(vi)** pet restrictions; and **(vii)** smoking restrictions ("CI Disclosures"). Seller shall itemize and Deliver to Buyer all CI Disclosures received from the HOA and any CI Disclosures in Seller's possession. Seller shall, as directed by Escrow Holder, deposit funds into escrow or direct to HOA or management company to pay for any of the above.

G. SOLAR POWER SYSTEMS: For properties with any solar panels or solar power systems, Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3P(1)**, Deliver to Buyer all known information about the solar panels or solar power system. Seller **shall** use the Solar Advisory and Questionnaire (C.A.R. Form SOLAR).

H. NATURAL AND ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS: Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3P(1)**, if required by Law: **(i)** Deliver to Buyer the earthquake guide and environmental hazards booklet, and for all residential property with 1-4 units and any manufactured or mobile home built before January 1, 1960, fully complete and Deliver the Residential Earthquake Risk Disclosure Statement; and **(ii)** even if exempt from the obligation to provide a NHD, disclose if the Property is located in a Special Flood Hazard Area; Potential Flooding (Inundation) Area; Very High Fire Hazard Zone; State Fire Responsibility Area; Earthquake Fault Zone; Seismic Hazard Zone; and **(iii)** disclose any other zone as required by Law and provide any other information required for those zones.

I. PROPOSITION 65 WARNING

MATERIALS INCLUDED IN THE CONSTRUCTION OF THIS HOUSE WILL EXPOSE YOU TO FORMALDEHYDE, A SUBSTANCE KNOWN TO CAUSE CANCER. FURTHER INFORMATION MAY BE OBTAINED FROM THE BUILDER/SELLER.

The following information is intended to explain the warning furnished by Seller of this home for exposures to formaldehyde, a substance known to the State of California to cause cancer. The exposures are caused by materials of which the house is or will be built.

The United States Environmental Protection Agency, the California Air Resources Board, and other agencies have measured the presence of formaldehyde in the indoor air of homes in California. Levels of formaldehyde that present a significant cancer risk have been measured in most homes. Formaldehyde is present in the air because it is emitted by a variety of building materials and home products purchased by Seller from materials suppliers. These materials include carpeting, pressed wood products, insulation, plastics, and glues.

This home, if constructed prior to entering into this Agreement, has not been tested, and if constructed after entering into this Agreement, will not be tested. Most homes that have been tested elsewhere do contain formaldehyde, although the concentrations vary from home to home with no obvious explanation for the differences. One of the problems is that many suppliers of building materials and home products do not provide information on chemical ingredients to builders. In the absence of specific information on these homes, and in light of the materials used in their construction, Seller believes that a warning is necessary.

Buyer may have further questions about these issues. Seller is willing to share any further information Seller has obtained and will provide, upon request, a list of known materials suppliers that may be contacted for further information, and whether any inquiry has been made by Seller.

J. BALCONIES, EXTERIOR STAIRWAYS AND OTHER ELEVATED ELEMENTS: For properties with any building containing 3 or more dwelling units with elevated balconies, stairways or other elements, Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, Deliver to Buyer the Wooden Balcony and Stairs Addendum (C.A.R. Form WBSA).

K. KNOWN MATERIAL FACTS: Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3P(1)**, DISCLOSE KNOWN MATERIAL FACTS AND DEFECTS affecting the Property, including, but not limited to, known insurance claims within the past five years, or provide Buyer with permission to contact insurer to get such information (C.A.R. Form ARC), and make any and all other disclosures required by Law.

13. INSULATION: The Federal Trade Commission requires that a new home seller must include in every new home sales contract the following information regarding type, thickness, and R-value of insulation to be installed in each part of the residence, and is specified in **paragraph 3S**.

14. BUYER'S INVESTIGATION OF PROPERTY AND MATTERS AFFECTING PROPERTY:

A. Buyer shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3M(3)**, have the right, at Buyer's expense unless Otherwise Agreed, to conduct inspections, investigations, tests, surveys and other studies ("Buyer Investigations").

B. Buyer Investigations include, but are not limited to:

- (1) Inspections regarding any physical attributes of the Property or items connected to the Property, such as:
 - (A) A general home inspection.
 - (B) An inspection for lead-based paint and other lead-based paint hazards.



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(C) An inspection specifically for wood destroying pests and organisms. Any inspection for wood destroying pests and organisms shall be prepared by a registered Structural Pest Control company; shall cover the main building and attached structures; may cover detached structures; shall NOT include water tests of shower pans on upper level units unless the owners of property below the shower consent; shall NOT include roof coverings; and, if the Property is a unit in a condominium or other common interest subdivision, the inspection shall include only the separate interest and any exclusive-use areas being transferred, and shall NOT include common areas; and shall include a report ("Pest Control Report") showing the findings of the company which shall be separated into sections for evident infestation or infections (Section 1) and for conditions likely to lead to infestation or infection (Section 2).

(D) Any other specific inspections of the physical condition of the land and improvements.

(2) Investigations of any other matter affecting the Property, other than those that are specified as separate contingencies. Buyer Investigations **do not** include, **among other things, an assessment** of the availability and cost of general homeowner's insurance, flood insurance and fire insurance. See, Buyer's Investigation Advisory (C.A.R. Form BIA) for more.

C. Without Seller's prior written consent, Buyer shall neither make nor cause to be made: (i) invasive or destructive Buyer Investigations, except for minimally invasive testing required to prepare a Pest Control Report, which shall not include any holes or drilling through stucco or similar material; or (ii) inspections by any governmental building or zoning inspector or government employee, unless required by Law.

D. Seller shall make the Property available for all Buyer Investigations. Seller is not obligated to move any existing personal property. Seller shall have water, gas, electricity and all operable pilot lights on for Buyer's Investigations and through the date possession is delivered to Buyer. Buyer shall, (i) by the time specified in **paragraph 3M(3)**, complete Buyer Investigations and satisfy themselves as to the condition of the Property, and either remove the contingency or cancel this Agreement, and (ii) by the time specified in **paragraph 3M(3)** or **3 Days** after receipt of any Investigation report, whichever is later, give Seller at no cost, complete Copies of all such reports obtained by Buyer, which obligation shall survive the termination of this Agreement. This Delivery of Investigation reports shall not include any appraisal, except an appraisal received in connection with an FHA or VA loan.

E. **Buyer indemnity and Seller protection for entry upon the Property:** Buyer shall: (i) keep the Property free and clear of liens; (ii) repair all damage arising from Buyer Investigations; and (iii) indemnify and hold Seller harmless from all resulting liability, claims, demands, damages and costs. Buyer shall carry, or Buyer shall require anyone acting on Buyer's behalf to carry, policies of liability, workers' compensation and other applicable insurance, defending and protecting Seller from liability for any injuries to persons or property occurring during any Buyer Investigations or work done on the Property at Buyer's direction prior to Close Of Escrow. Seller is advised that certain protections may be afforded Seller by recording a "Notice of Non-Responsibility" (C.A.R. Form NNR) for Buyer Investigations and work done on the Property at Buyer's direction. Buyer's obligations under this paragraph shall survive the termination of this Agreement.

15. TITLE AND VESTING:

A. Buyer shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3P(1)**, be provided a current Preliminary Report by the person responsible for paying for the title policy in **paragraph 3R(3)**. If Buyer is responsible for paying, Buyer shall act diligently and in good faith to obtain such Preliminary Report within the time specified. The Preliminary Report is only an offer by the title insurer to issue a policy of title insurance and may not contain every item affecting title. The company providing the Preliminary Report shall, prior to issuing a Preliminary Report, conduct a search of the General Index for all Sellers except banks or other institutional lenders selling properties they acquired through foreclosure (REOs), corporations, and government entities.

B. Title is taken in its present condition subject to all encumbrances, easements, covenants, conditions, restrictions, rights and other matters, whether of record or not, as of the date of Acceptance except for: (i) monetary liens of record unless Buyer is assuming those obligations or taking the Property subject to those obligations; and (ii) those matters which Seller has agreed to remove in writing. For any lien or matter not being transferred upon sale, Seller will take necessary action to deliver title free and clear of such lien or matter.

C. Seller shall within **7 Days** after request, give Escrow Holder necessary information to clear title.

D. Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3P(1)**, disclose to Buyer all matters known to Seller affecting title, whether of record or not.

E. If Buyer is a legal entity and the Property purchase price is at least \$300,000 and the purchase price is made without a bank loan or similar form of external financing, a Geographic Targeting Order (GTO) issued by the Financial Crimes Enforcement Network, U.S. Department of the Treasury, requires title companies to collect and report certain information about the Buyer, depending on where the Property is located. Buyer agrees to cooperate with the title company's effort to comply with the GTO.

F. Buyer shall, after Close Of Escrow, receive a recorded grant deed or any other conveyance document required to convey title (For example, for stock cooperative or tenancy in common, respectively, an assignment of stock certificate or assignment of seller's interest in the real property), including oil, mineral and water rights if currently owned by Seller. Title shall vest as designated in Buyer's vesting instructions. The recording document shall contain Buyer's post-closing mailing address to enable Buyer's receipt of the recorded conveyance document from the County Recorder. **THE MANNER OF TAKING TITLE MAY HAVE SIGNIFICANT LEGAL AND TAX CONSEQUENCES. CONSULT AN APPROPRIATE PROFESSIONAL.**

G. Buyer shall receive a "ALTA/CLTA Homeowner's Policy of Title Insurance" or equivalent policy of title insurance, if applicable to the type of property and buyer. Escrow Holder shall request this policy. If a ALTA/CLTA Homeowner's Policy of Title Insurance is not offered, Buyer shall receive a CLTA Standard Coverage policy unless Buyer has chosen another policy and instructed Escrow Holder in writing of the policy chosen and agreed to pay any increase in cost. Buyer should consult with the Title Company about the availability, and difference in coverage, and cost, if any, between a ALTA/CLTA Homeowner's Policy and a CLTA Standard Coverage policy and other title policies and endorsements. Buyer should receive notice from the Title Company on its Preliminary (Title) Report of the type of coverage offered. If Buyer is not notified on the Preliminary (Title) Report or is not satisfied with the policy offered, and Buyer nonetheless removes the contingency for Review of the Preliminary Report, Buyer will receive the policy as specified in this paragraph.

16. TIME PERIODS; REMOVAL OF CONTINGENCIES; CANCELLATION RIGHTS: The following time periods may only be extended, altered, modified or changed by mutual written agreement. Any removal of contingencies or cancellation under this paragraph by either Buyer or Seller must be exercised in good faith and in writing (C.A.R. Form CR-B, CR-S or CC).

A. **SELLER DELIVERY OF DOCUMENTS:** Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3P(1)**, Deliver to Buyer all reports, disclosures and information ("Reports") for which Seller is responsible as specified in **paragraphs 9B(6), 10, 12A, 12B, 12C, 12F, 12G, 12H, 12J, 12K, 15A, 15D, 32, 33, and 36.** This paragraph does not apply to the delivery of the Public Report. See **paragraphs 3J and 11** for Public Report delivery requirements.



B. BUYER REVIEW OF DOCUMENTS; REPAIR REQUEST; CONTINGENCY REMOVAL OR CANCELLATION

- (1) Buyer has the time specified in **paragraph 3** to: (i) perform Buyer Investigations; review all disclosures, Reports, lease documents to be assumed by Buyer pursuant to **paragraph 9B(6)**, and other applicable information, which Buyer receives from Seller; and approve all matters affecting the Property; and (ii) Deliver to Seller Signed Copies of Statutory and Other Disclosures Delivered by Seller in accordance with **paragraph 12**.
- (2) Buyer may, within the time specified in **paragraph 3M(3)**, request that Seller make repairs or take any other action regarding the Property (C.A.R. Form RR). Seller has no obligation to agree to or respond to Buyer's requests (C.A.R. Form RR or RRRR). If Seller does not agree or does not respond, Buyer is not contractually entitled to have the repairs or other requests made and may only cancel based on contingencies in this Agreement.
- (3) Buyer shall, by the end of the times specified in **paragraph 3M** (or as Otherwise Agreed), Deliver to Seller a removal of the applicable contingency or cancellation of this Agreement (C.A.R. Form CR-B or CC). **Buyer is advised not to remove contingencies related to review of documents until after the documents have been Delivered**. If Delivery of any Report occurs after a contractual contingency pertaining to that Report has already been waived or removed, the Delivery of the Report does not revive the contingency.
- (4) **Continuation of Contingency:** Even after the end of the time specified in **paragraph 3L** and before Seller cancels, if at all, pursuant to **paragraph 16C**, Buyer retains the right, in writing, to either (i) remove remaining contingencies, or (ii) cancel this Agreement based on a remaining contingency. Once Buyer's written removal of all contingencies is Delivered to Seller, Seller may not cancel this Agreement pursuant to **paragraph 16C(1)**.

C. SELLER RIGHT TO CANCEL:

- (1) **SELLER RIGHT TO CANCEL; BUYER CONTINGENCIES:** If, by the time specified in this Agreement, Buyer does not Deliver to Seller a removal of the applicable contingency or cancellation of this Agreement, then Seller, after first Delivering to Buyer a Notice to Buyer to Perform (C.A.R. Form NBP), may cancel this Agreement. In such event, Seller shall authorize the return of Buyer's deposit, except for fees incurred by Buyer.
- (2) **SELLER RIGHT TO CANCEL; BUYER CONTRACT OBLIGATIONS:** Seller, after first Delivering to Buyer a Notice to Buyer to Perform, may cancel this Agreement if, by the time specified in this Agreement, Buyer does not take the following action(s): (i) Deposit funds as required by **paragraph 3D(1)** or **3D(2)** or if the funds deposited pursuant to **paragraph 3D(1)** or **3D(2)** are not good when deposited; (ii) Deliver updated contact information for Buyer's lender(s) as required by **paragraph 5C(3)**; (iii) Deliver a notice of FHA or VA costs or terms, if any, as specified by **paragraph 5C(4)** (C.A.R. Form RR); (iv) Deliver verification, or a satisfactory verification if Seller reasonably disapproves of the verification already provided, as required by **paragraph 5B** or **6A**; (v) Deliver a letter as required by **paragraph 6B**; (vi) In writing assume or accept leases or liens specified in **paragraph 8**; (vii) Cooperate with the title company's effort to comply with the GTO as required by **paragraph 15E**; (viii) Sign or initial a separate liquidated damages form for an increased deposit as required by **paragraph 5A(2)** and **40**; (ix) Provide evidence of authority to Sign in a representative capacity as specified in **paragraph 30**; or (x) Perform any additional Buyer contractual obligation(s) included in this Agreement. In such event, Seller shall authorize the return of Buyer's deposit, except for fees incurred by Buyer and other expenses already paid by Escrow Holder pursuant to this Agreement prior to Seller's cancellation.
- (3) **SELLER RIGHT TO CANCEL; SELLER CONTINGENCIES:** Seller may cancel this Agreement by good faith exercise of any Seller contingency included in this Agreement, or Otherwise Agreed, so long as that contingency has not already been removed or waived in writing.

D. BUYER RIGHT TO CANCEL:

- (1) **BUYER RIGHT TO CANCEL; SELLER CONTINGENCIES:** If, by the time specified in this Agreement, Seller does not Deliver to Buyer a removal of the applicable contingency or cancellation of this Agreement, then Buyer, after first Delivering to Seller a Notice to Seller to Perform (C.A.R. Form NSP), may cancel this Agreement. In such event, Seller shall authorize the return of Buyer's deposit, including fees and expenses incurred by Buyer and other expenses already paid by Escrow Holder pursuant to this Agreement prior to Buyer's cancellation.
- (2) **BUYER RIGHT TO CANCEL; SELLER CONTRACT OBLIGATIONS:** If, by the time specified, Seller has not Delivered any item specified in **paragraph 3P(1)** or Seller has not performed any Seller contractual obligation included in this Agreement by the time specified, Buyer, after first Delivering to Seller a Notice to Seller to Perform, may cancel this Agreement.
- (3) **BUYER RIGHT TO CANCEL; BUYER CONTINGENCIES:** Buyer may cancel this Agreement by good faith exercise of any Buyer contingency included in **paragraph 8**, or Otherwise Agreed, so long as that contingency has not already been removed in writing.

- E. NOTICE TO BUYER OR SELLER TO PERFORM:** The Notice to Buyer to Perform or Notice to Seller to Perform shall: (i) be in writing; (ii) be Signed by the applicable Buyer or Seller; and (iii) give the other Party at least **2 Days** after Delivery (or until the time specified in the applicable paragraph, whichever occurs last) to take the applicable action. A Notice to Buyer to Perform or Notice to Seller to Perform may not be Delivered any earlier than **2 Days** prior to the Scheduled Performance Day to remove a contingency or cancel this Agreement or meet an obligation specified in **paragraph 16**, **except for Close of Escrow which shall be Delivered under the terms of paragraph 16G, whether or not the Scheduled Performance Day falls on a Saturday, or Sunday or legal holiday**. If a Notice to Buyer to Perform or Notice to Seller to Perform is incorrectly Delivered or specifies a time less than the agreed time, the notice shall be deemed invalid and void, and Seller or Buyer shall be required to Deliver a new Notice to Buyer to Perform or Notice to Seller to Perform with the specified timeframe.

F. EFFECT OF REMOVAL OF CONTINGENCIES:

- (1) **REMOVAL OF BUYER CONTINGENCIES:** If Buyer removes any contingency or cancellation rights, unless Otherwise Agreed, Buyer shall conclusively be deemed to have: (i) completed all Buyer Investigations, and review of Reports and other applicable information and disclosures pertaining to that contingency or cancellation right; (ii) elected to proceed with the transaction; and (iii) assumed all liability, responsibility and expense for the non-delivery of any Reports, disclosures or information outside of Seller's control and for any Repairs or corrections pertaining to that contingency or cancellation right, or for the inability to obtain financing.
- (2) **REMOVAL OF SELLER CONTINGENCIES:** If Seller removes any contingency or cancellation rights, unless Otherwise Agreed, Seller shall conclusively be deemed to have: (i) satisfied themselves regarding such contingency, (ii) elected to proceed with the transaction; and (iii) given up any right to cancel this Agreement based on such contingency.

- G. DEMAND TO CLOSE ESCROW:** Before Buyer or Seller may cancel this Agreement for failure of the other Party to close escrow pursuant to this Agreement, Buyer or Seller must first Deliver to the other Party a Demand to Close Escrow (C.A.R. Form DCE). The DCE shall: (i) be Signed by the applicable Buyer or Seller; and (ii) give the other Party at least **3 Days** after Delivery to close escrow. A DCE may not be Delivered any earlier than **3 Days** prior to the Scheduled Performance Day for the Close Of Escrow. If a DCE is incorrectly Delivered or specifies a time less than the agreed time, the DCE shall be deemed invalid and void, and Seller or Buyer shall be required to Deliver a new DCE.

H. EFFECT OF CANCELLATION ON DEPOSITS: If Buyer or Seller gives written notice of cancellation pursuant to rights duly exercised under the terms of this Agreement, the Parties agree to Sign and Deliver mutual instructions to cancel the sale and escrow and release deposits, if any, to the Party entitled to the funds, less (i) fees and costs paid by Escrow Holder on behalf of that Party, if required by this Agreement; and (ii) any escrow fee charged to that party. Fees and costs may be payable to service providers and vendors for services and products provided during escrow. **A release of funds will require mutual Signed release instructions from the Parties, judicial decision or arbitration award. A Party may be subject to a civil penalty of up to \$1,000 for refusal to Sign cancellation instructions if no good faith dispute exists as to which Party is entitled to the deposited funds (Civil Code § 1057.3). Note: Neither Agents nor Escrow Holder are qualified to provide any opinion on whether either Party has acted in good faith or which Party is entitled to the deposited funds. Buyer and Seller are advised to seek the advice of a qualified California real estate attorney regarding this matter.**

17. FINAL VERIFICATION OF CONDITION: Buyer shall have the right to make a final inspection of the Property accompanied by Seller within the time specified in **paragraph 3K, NOT AS A CONTINGENCY OF THE SALE**, but solely for the purpose of preparing a list of corrective work, if any, which may be necessary. Seller shall provide Buyer with notice at least **3 Days** prior to the date on which the Property is to be inspected and shall have the right to accompany Buyer on such inspection. Buyer's failure to make the final inspection on the agreed date, the existence of minor defects in the welling, or any corrective work agreed to be performed by Seller pursuant to this paragraph shall not cause a delay in the Close Of Escrow or entitle Buyer to withhold any portion of the purchase price. Seller shall, prior to or after the Close Of Escrow, proceed diligently to complete all corrective work agreed to and acknowledged by Buyer and Seller in writing in a reasonably prompt manner in accordance with Seller's Warranty.

18. PRORATIONS OF PROPERTY TAXES AND OTHER ITEMS: Unless Otherwise Agreed, the following items shall be PAID CURRENT and prorated between Buyer and Seller as of Close Of Escrow: real property taxes and assessments, interest, Seller rental payments, HOA regular assessments due prior to Close Of Escrow, premiums on insurance assumed by Buyer, payments on bonds and assessments assumed by Buyer, and payments on Mello-Roos and other Special Assessment District bonds and assessments that are now a lien. Seller shall pay any HOA special or emergency assessments due prior to Close Of Escrow. The following items shall be assumed by Buyer WITHOUT CREDIT toward the purchase price: prorated payments on Mello-Roos and other Special Assessment District bonds and assessments and HOA special or emergency assessments that are due after Close Of Escrow. Property will be reassessed upon change of ownership. Any supplemental tax bills delivered to Escrow Holder prior to closing shall be prorated and paid as follows: (i) for periods after Close Of Escrow, by Buyer; and (ii) for periods prior to Close Of Escrow, by Seller (see C.A.R. Form SPT or SBSA for further information). Seller agrees all service fees, maintenance costs and utility bills will be paid current up and through the date of Close Of Escrow. **TAX BILLS AND UTILITY BILLS ISSUED AFTER CLOSE OF ESCROW SHALL BE HANDLED DIRECTLY BETWEEN BUYER AND SELLER.** Prorations shall be made based on a 30-day month. Any exceptions shall be specified in **paragraph 3V.**

19. BROKERS AND AGENTS:

A. COMPENSATION: Seller or Buyer, or both, as applicable, agree to pay compensation to Broker as specified in a separate written agreement between Broker and that Seller or Buyer. Compensation is payable upon Close Of Escrow, or if escrow does not close, as otherwise specified in the agreement between Broker and that Seller or Buyer. If Seller agrees to pay **the obligation of Buyer to compensate** Buyer's Broker (see **paragraph 3G(3)**), Seller shall be entitled to a copy of the portion of the written compensation agreement between Buyer and Buyer's Broker identifying the compensation to be paid. See C.A.R. Form SPBB for further information.

B. SCOPE OF DUTY: Buyer and Seller acknowledge and agree that Agent: (i) Does not decide what price Buyer should pay or Seller should accept; (ii) Does not guarantee the condition of the Property; (iii) Does not guarantee the performance, adequacy or completeness of inspections, services, products or repairs provided or made by Seller or others; (iv) Does not have an obligation to conduct an inspection of common areas or areas off the site of the Property; (v) Shall not be responsible for identifying defects on the Property, in common areas, or off site unless such defects are visually observable by an inspection of reasonably accessible areas of the Property or are known to Agent; (vi) Shall not be responsible for inspecting public records or permits concerning the title or use of Property; (vii) Shall not be responsible for identifying the location of boundary lines or other items affecting title; (viii) Shall not be responsible for verifying square footage, representations of others or information contained in Investigation reports, Multiple Listing Service, advertisements, flyers or other promotional material; (ix) Shall not be responsible for determining the fair market value of the Property or any personal property included in the sale; (x) Shall not be responsible for providing legal or tax advice regarding any aspect of a transaction entered into by Buyer or Seller; and (xi) Shall not be responsible for providing other advice or information that exceeds the knowledge, education and experience required to perform real estate licensed activity. Buyer and Seller agree to seek legal, tax, insurance, title and other desired assistance from appropriate professionals.

C. REFERRAL LICENSEE COMPENSATION: (If checked in **paragraph 2E**), Seller or Buyer, agree that Referral Licensee shall be compensated the amount specified in **paragraph 2E**. **Note to Referral Licensee: Agency relationships can be established by conduct notwithstanding the classification as a referral licensee in the Agreement.**

20. JOINT ESCROW INSTRUCTIONS TO ESCROW HOLDER:

A. The following paragraphs, or applicable portions thereof, of this Agreement constitute the joint escrow instructions of Buyer and Seller to Escrow Holder, which Escrow Holder is to use along with any related counter offers and addenda, and any additional mutual instructions to close the escrow: **paragraphs 1, 3A, 3B, 3D-G, 3P(2), 3R, 3V, 5A(1-2) 5D, 5E, 10, 12C, 12F(2), 15 (except 15D), 16H, 18, 19A, 20, 24, 27, 29, 30, 43, 44, and paragraph 3 of the Real Estate Brokers Section.** If a Copy of the separate compensation agreement(s) provided for in **paragraph 19A or paragraph C of the Real Estate Brokers Section** is deposited with Escrow Holder by Agent, Escrow Holder shall accept such agreement(s) and pay out from Buyer's or Seller's funds, or both, as applicable, the Broker's compensation provided for in such agreement(s). The terms and conditions of this Agreement not set forth in the specified paragraphs are additional matters for the information of Escrow Holder, but about which Escrow Holder need not be concerned.

B. IF PROPERTY IS SUBJECT TO A PUBLIC REPORT OR EXEMPT FROM A PUBLIC REPORT PURSUANT TO BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONS CODE § 11010.4, THE FOLLOWING ADDITIONAL ESCROW INSTRUCTIONS APPLY:

(1) **BLANKET ENCUMBRANCE:** For the benefit of Buyer, the escrow shall not close, funds shall not be released from escrow, and title shall not be conveyed to Buyer, until all of the following conditions have been met: (i) Seller has complied with the purchase money handling requirements of B&P Code §§ 11013, 11013.1, 11013.2, or 11013.4, as applicable; and (ii) Buyer has been provided a policy of title insurance showing that the Property is free and clear of any blanket encumbrances as defined in § 11013. For purposes of compliance with § 11013.2(a), a release from a blanket encumbrance resulting from a deed of trust or mortgage shall require satisfaction with either of the following: (a) an instrument has been duly recorded unconditionally reconveying and releasing the Property from the lien or charge of such deed of trust; or (b) Buyer is notified that an agreement or demand constituting a release agreement as defined in DRE Regulation 2791.1(b)(2)(A) has been duly deposited with Escrow Holder and is available to Buyer on request for each deed of trust, and Buyer will be provided with a policy of title insurance insuring Buyer against loss by reason of such deed of trust.



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- (2) **COMMON INTEREST SUBDIVISION:** The Property is in a common interest subdivision and the attached Condominium Conversion And Existing Subdivision Supplemental Escrow Instructions (C.A.R. Form CEEI) are made a part of this Agreement. **Note to Seller: For property subject to a public report, you must use the Condominium Conversion and Existing Subdivision Supplemental Escrow Instructions provided with this ABSPA or for any other supplemental escrow instructions you intend to use you must submit them to, and have them be accepted by, the DRE.**
- (3) If escrow does not close within 1 year after Acceptance of this Agreement, and Buyer and Seller have not extended the closing date in writing, and the failure to close escrow is not due to the default of Buyer, escrow is to be cancelled and all funds in escrow immediately returned to Buyer upon Buyer's request.
- (4) Subject to the requirements of Civil Code §§ 1675(c) or (d), 1676, 1677, and 1678, if funds deposited in escrow by Buyer have been disbursed on Seller's instructions as permitted by DRE Regulation 2791, the funds expended by Seller shall be reimbursed to escrow within **15 Days** after Seller's failure to perform within 1 year after Acceptance of this Agreement, and Buyer and Seller have not extended the closing date in writing, and those funds shall be immediately returned to Buyer from escrow.
- (5) Escrow shall not close until Escrow Holder has received written notice from a title insurance company that each and every encumbrance, including without limitation, any mortgage or deed of trust, filed of record prior to the time of recording of the Declaration of Covenants, Conditions, and Restrictions has either (i) fully reconveyed or (ii) expressly subordinated to the Declaration of Covenants, Conditions, and Restrictions.
- (6) For properties that have been either completed or occupied more than 3 years prior to a public report application being filed with the DRE, the Seller disclosure shall be on the form specified in DRE Regulation 2790.9.
- C. Buyer and Seller will receive Escrow Holder's general provisions, if any, directly from Escrow Holder. To the extent the general provisions are inconsistent or conflict with this Agreement, the general provisions will control as to the duties and obligations of Escrow Holder only. Buyer and Seller shall Sign and return Escrow Holder's general provisions or supplemental instructions within the time specified in **paragraph 3P(2)**. Buyer and Seller shall execute additional instructions, documents and forms provided by Escrow Holder that are reasonably necessary to close the escrow and, as directed by Escrow Holder, within **3 Days**, shall pay to Escrow Holder or HOA or HOA management company or others any fee required by **paragraphs 3, 8, 10, 12**, or elsewhere in this Agreement.
- D. A Copy of this Agreement including any counter offer(s) and addenda shall be delivered to Escrow Holder within **3 Days** after Acceptance. Buyer and Seller authorize Escrow Holder to accept and rely on Copies and Signatures as defined in this Agreement as originals, to open escrow and for other purposes of escrow. The validity of this Agreement as between Buyer and Seller is not affected by whether or when Escrow Holder Signs this Agreement. Escrow Holder shall provide Seller's Statement of Information to Title Company when received from Seller, if a separate company is providing title insurance. If Seller delivers an affidavit to Escrow Holder to satisfy Seller's FIRPTA obligation under **paragraph 12C**, Escrow Holder shall deliver to Buyer, Buyer's Agent, and Seller's Agent a Qualified Substitute statement that complies with federal Law. If Escrow Holder's Qualified Substitute statement does not comply with federal law, the Parties instruct escrow to withhold all applicable required amounts under **paragraph 12C**.
- E. Agents are not a party to the escrow except for the sole purpose of receiving compensation pursuant to **paragraph 19A and paragraph 3 of the Real Estate Brokers Section**. If a Copy of the separate compensation agreement(s) provided for in either of those paragraphs is deposited with Escrow Holder by Agent, Escrow Holder shall accept such agreement(s) and pay out from Buyer's or Seller's funds, or both, as applicable, the Broker's compensation provided for in such agreement(s). **Escrow Holder shall provide to Buyer and Seller, either jointly or separately, a closing statement or other written documentation showing the amount of compensation paid to, respectively, Buyer's Broker and Seller's Broker.** Buyer and Seller irrevocably assign to Brokers compensation specified in **paragraph 19A**, and irrevocably instruct Escrow Holder to disburse those funds to Brokers at Close Of Escrow or pursuant to any other mutually executed cancellation agreement. Compensation instructions can be amended or revoked only with the written consent of Brokers. Buyer and Seller shall release and hold harmless Escrow Holder from any liability resulting from Escrow Holder's payment to Broker(s) of compensation pursuant to this Agreement.
- F. Buyer and Seller acknowledge that Escrow Holder may require invoices for expenses under this Agreement. Buyer and Seller, upon request by Escrow Holder, within **3 Days** or within a sufficient time to close escrow, whichever is sooner, shall provide any such invoices to Escrow Holder.
- G. Upon receipt, Escrow Holder shall provide Buyer, Seller, and each Agent verification of Buyer's deposit of funds pursuant to **paragraphs 5A(1) and 5A(2)**. Once Escrow Holder becomes aware of any of the following, Escrow Holder shall immediately notify each Agent: (i) if Buyer's initial or any additional deposit or down payment is not made pursuant to this Agreement, or is not good at time of deposit with Escrow Holder; or (ii) if Buyer and Seller instruct Escrow Holder to cancel escrow.
- H. A Copy of any amendment that affects any paragraph of this Agreement for which Escrow Holder is responsible shall be delivered to Escrow Holder within **3 Days** after mutual execution of the amendment.
- 21. **SELECTION OF SERVICE PROVIDERS:** Agents do not guarantee the performance of any vendors, service or product providers ("Providers"), whether referred by Agent or selected by Buyer, Seller or other person. Buyer and Seller may select ANY Providers of their own choosing.
- 22. **MULTIPLE LISTING SERVICE ("MLS"):** Agents are authorized to report to the MLS that an offer has been accepted and, upon Close Of Escrow, the sales price and other terms of this transaction shall be provided to the MLS to be published and disseminated to persons and entities authorized to use the information on terms approved by the MLS. Buyer acknowledges that: (i) any pictures, videos, floor plans (collectively, "Images") or other information about the Property that has been or will be inputted into the MLS or internet portals, or both, at the instruction of Seller or in compliance with MLS rules, will not be removed after Close Of Escrow; (ii) California Civil Code § 1088(c) requires the MLS to maintain such Images and information for at least three years and as a result they may be displayed or circulated on the Internet, which cannot be controlled or removed by Seller or Agents; and (iii) Seller, Seller's Agent, Buyer's Agent, and MLS have no obligation or ability to remove such Images or information from the Internet.
- 23. **ATTORNEY FEES AND COSTS:** In any action, proceeding, or arbitration between Buyer and Seller arising out of this Agreement, the prevailing Buyer or Seller shall be entitled to reasonable attorney fees and costs from the non-prevailing Buyer or Seller, except as provided in **paragraph 41A**.



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- 24. ASSIGNMENT/NOMINATION:** Buyer shall have the right to assign all of Buyer's interest in this Agreement to Buyer's own trust or to any wholly owned entity of Buyer that is in existence at the time of such assignment. Otherwise, Buyer shall not assign all or any part of Buyer's interest in this Agreement without first having obtained the separate written consent of Seller to a specified assignee. Such consent shall not be unreasonably withheld. Prior to any assignment, Buyer shall disclose to Seller the name of the assignee and the amount of any monetary consideration between Buyer and assignee. Buyer shall provide assignee with all documents related to this Agreement including, but not limited to, the Agreement and any disclosures. If assignee is a wholly owned entity or trust of Buyer, that assignee does not need to re-sign or initial all documents provided. Whether or not an assignment requires seller's consent, at the time of assignment, assignee shall deliver a letter from assignee's lender that assignee is prequalified or preapproved as specified in **paragraph 6B**. Should assignee fail to deliver such a letter, Seller, after first giving Assignee an Notice to Buyer to Perform, shall have the right to terminate the assignment. Buyer shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3L**, Deliver any request to assign this Agreement for Seller's consent. If Buyer fails to provide the required information within this time frame, Seller's withholding of consent shall be deemed reasonable. Any total or partial assignment shall not relieve Buyer of Buyer's obligations pursuant to this Agreement unless Otherwise Agreed by Seller (C.A.R. Form AOAA). Parties shall provide any assignment agreement to Escrow Holder within 1 Day after the assignment. Any nomination by Buyer shall be subject to the same procedures, requirements, and terms as an assignment as specified in this paragraph.
- 25. SEVERABILITY:** If any term, condition, or provision of this Agreement is declared illegal or invalid for any reason by a court of competent jurisdiction, or arbitrator, the remaining terms, conditions, and provisions shall, nevertheless, remain in full force and effect.
- 26. EQUAL HOUSING OPPORTUNITY:** The Property is sold in compliance with federal, state and local anti-discrimination Laws.
- 27. DEFINITIONS and INSTRUCTIONS:** The following words are defined terms in this Agreement, shall be indicated by initial capital letters throughout this Agreement, and have the following meaning whenever used:
- A. "Acceptance"** means the time the offer or final counter offer is fully executed, in writing, by the recipient Party and is Delivered to the offering Party or that Party's Authorized Agent.
 - B. "Agent"** means the Broker, salesperson, broker-associate or any other real estate licensee licensed under the brokerage firm identified in **paragraph 2B**.
 - C. "Agreement"** means this document and any counter offers and any incorporated addenda or amendments, collectively forming the binding agreement between the Parties. Addenda and amendments are incorporated only when Signed and Delivered by all Parties.
 - D. "As-Is"** condition: Seller shall disclose known material facts and defects as specified in this Agreement. Buyer has the right to inspect the Property and, within the time specified, request that Seller make repairs or take other corrective action, or exercise any contingency cancellation rights in this Agreement. Seller is only required to make repairs specified in this Agreement or as Otherwise Agreed.
 - E. "Authorized Agent"** means an individual real estate licensee specified in the Real Estate Broker Section.
 - F. "C.A.R. Form"** means the most current version of the specific form referenced or another comparable form agreed to by the Parties.
 - G. "Close Of Escrow"**, including "COE", means the date the grant deed, or other evidence of transfer of title, is recorded for any real property, or the date of Delivery of a document evidencing the transfer of title for any non-real property transaction.
 - H. "Copy"** means copy by any means including photocopy, facsimile and electronic.
 - I. "Counting Days"** is done as follows unless Otherwise Agreed: (1) The first Day after an event is the first full calendar date following the event, and ending at 11:59 pm. For example, if a Notice to Buyer to Perform (C.A.R. form NBP) is Delivered at 3 pm on the 7th calendar day of the month, or Acceptance of a counter offer is personally received at 12 noon on the 7th calendar day of the month, then the 7th is Day "0" for purposes of counting days to respond to the NBP or calculating the Close Of Escrow date or contingency removal dates and the 8th of the month is Day 1 for those same purposes. (2) All calendar days are counted in establishing the first Day after an event. (3) All calendar days are counted in determining the date upon which performance must be completed, ending at 11:59 pm on the last day for performance ("Scheduled Performance Day"). (4) After Acceptance, if the Scheduled Performance Day for any act required by this Agreement, including Close Of Escrow, lands on a Saturday, Sunday, or Legal Holiday, the performing party shall be allowed to perform on the next day that is not a Saturday, Sunday or Legal Holiday ("Allowable Performance Day"), and ending at 11:59 pm. "Legal Holiday" shall mean any holiday or optional bank holiday under Civil Code §§ 7 and 7.1 and any holiday under Government Code § 6700. (5) For the purposes of COE, any day that the Recorder's office in the County where the Property is located is closed or any day that the lender or Escrow Holder under this Agreement is closed, the COE shall occur on the next day the Recorder's office in that County, the lender, and the Escrow Holder are open. (6) COE is considered Day 0 for purposes of counting days Seller is allowed to remain in possession, if permitted by this Agreement.
 - J. "Day"** or "Days" means calendar day or days. However, delivery of deposit to escrow is based on business days.
 - K. "Deliver", "Delivered" or "Delivery"** of documents, unless Otherwise Agreed, means and shall be effective upon personal receipt of the document by Buyer or Seller or their Authorized Agent. Personal receipt means (i) a Copy of the document, or as applicable, link to the document, is in the possession of the Party or Authorized Agent, regardless of the Delivery method used (i.e. e-mail, text, other), or (ii) an Electronic Copy of the document, or as applicable, link to the document, has been sent to the designated electronic delivery addresses specified in the Real Estate Broker Section, **unless Otherwise Agreed in C.A.R. Form DEDA. A document, or as applicable link to a document, shall be deemed to be "in possession" if it located in the inbox for the applicable Party or Authorized Agent.** After Acceptance, Agent may change the designated electronic delivery address for that Agent by, in writing, Delivering notice of the change in designated electronic delivery address to the other Party (C.A.R. Form DEDA). Links could be, for example, to DropBox or GoogleDrive or other functionally equivalent program. If the recipient of a link is unable or unwilling to open the link or download the documents or otherwise prefers Delivery of the documents directly, Recipient of a link shall notify the sender in writing, within **3 Days** after Delivery of the link (C.A.R. Form RFR). In such case, Delivery shall be effective upon Delivery of the documents and not the link. Failure to notify sender within the time specified above shall be deemed consent to receive, and Buyer opening, the document by link.
 - L. "DRE"** means the Department of Real Estate.
 - M. "Electronic Copy" or "Electronic Signature"** means, as applicable, an electronic copy or signature complying with California Law. Unless Otherwise Agreed, Buyer and Seller agreed to the use of Electronic Signatures. Buyer and Seller agree that electronic means will not be used by either Party to modify or alter the content or integrity of this Agreement without the knowledge and consent of the other Party.
 - N. "Law"** means any law, code, statute, ordinance, regulation, rule or order, which is adopted by a controlling city, county, state or federal legislative, judicial or executive body or agency.
 - O. "Legally Authorized Signer"** means an individual who has authority to Sign for the principal as specified in **paragraph 43 or paragraph 44**.
 - P. "Otherwise Agreed"** means an agreement in writing, signed by both Parties and Delivered to each.

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Q. "Repairs" means any repairs (including pest control), alterations, replacements, modifications or retrofitting of the Property provided for under this Agreement.

R. "Sign" or "Signed" means either a handwritten or Electronic Signature on an original document, Copy or any counterpart.

28. TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF OFFER: This is an offer to purchase the Property on the terms and conditions herein. The individual Liquidated Damages and Arbitration of Disputes paragraphs are incorporated in this Agreement if initialed by all Parties or if incorporated by mutual agreement in a Counter Offer or addendum. **If at least one but not all Parties initial, a Counter Offer is required until agreement is reached.** Seller has the right to continue to offer the Property for sale and to accept any other offer at any time prior to notification of Acceptance and to market the Property for backup offers after Acceptance. The Parties have read and acknowledge receipt of a Copy of the offer and agree to the confirmation of agency relationships. If this offer is accepted and Buyer subsequently defaults, Buyer may be responsible for payment of Brokers' compensation. This Agreement and any supplement, addendum or modification, including any Copy, may be Signed in two or more counterparts, all of which shall constitute one and the same writing. By signing this offer or any document in the transaction, the Party Signing the document is deemed to have read the document in its entirety.

29. TIME OF ESSENCE; ENTIRE CONTRACT; CHANGES: Time is of the essence. All understandings between the Parties are incorporated in this Agreement. Its terms are intended by the Parties as a final, complete and exclusive expression of their Agreement with respect to its subject matter and may not be contradicted by evidence of any prior agreement or contemporaneous oral agreement. If any provision of this Agreement is held to be ineffective or invalid, the remaining provisions will nevertheless be given full force and effect. Except as Otherwise Agreed, this Agreement shall be interpreted, and disputes shall be resolved in accordance with the Laws of the State of California. **Neither this Agreement nor any provision in it may be extended, amended, modified, altered or changed, except in writing Signed by Buyer and Seller.**

30. LEGALLY AUTHORIZED SIGNER: Wherever the signature or initials of the Legally Authorized Signer identified in **paragraph 43** or **44** appear on this Agreement or any related documents, it shall be deemed to be in a representative capacity for the entity described and not in an individual capacity, unless otherwise indicated. The Legally Authorized Signer **(i)** represents that the entity for which that person is acting already exists and is in good standing to do business in California and **(ii)** shall Deliver to the other Party and Escrow Holder, within the time specified in **paragraph 3P(4)**, evidence of authority to act in that capacity (such as but not limited to: applicable portion of the trust or Certification Of Trust (Probate Code § 18100.5), letters testamentary, court order, power of attorney, corporate resolution, or formation documents of the business entity).

31. DOCUMENTATION TO SUBSEQUENT PURCHASERS: Buyer is instructed to give any subsequent purchasers all documents related to the sale and purchase that Buyer receives from Seller.

32. MAINTENANCE RECOMMENDATIONS: Provided with the Agreement are Copies of all builder maintenance and preventative maintenance recommendations.

33. MANUFACTURED PRODUCTS MAINTENANCE AND LIMITED WARRANTIES: Provided with the Agreement are Copies of all manufactured products maintenance, preventative maintenance, and limited warranty information.

34. SELLER'S STANDARD WARRANTY:

- A.** Seller **(i)** warrants the Property against defective materials and for the minimum periods of time established by Civil Code § 896 and **(ii)** warrants fit and finish items specified in Civil Code § 900 for one year. Seller's Standard Warranty only applies if Seller receives notice of such defect(s) within the warranty period. Items or defects that were inspected and approved under **paragraph 16** or thereafter, minor settling cracks, damage caused by Buyer or movers, or damage due to alterations or additions made other than by Seller, are excluded from Seller's Standard Warranty. For defects that are covered by the Seller's Standard Warranty, Seller will, within a reasonable time, at Seller's option repair or replace any covered defect in the Property.
- B.** Seller shall not be liable for, or have any obligation to provide, warranty services with respect to any defect expressly accepted by Buyer at Close Of Escrow.
- C.** THE SELLER'S STANDARD WARRANTY IS PROVIDED IN LIEU OF ALL OTHER WARRANTIES, EXPRESS OR IMPLIED, INCLUDING ANY IMPLIED WARRANTY OF MERCHANTABILITY OF FITNESS, AND IN LIEU OF ANY STRICT LIABILITY OF SELLER IN TORT, TO THE EXTENT SUCH LIABILITY MAY BE DISCLAIMED UNDER CALIFORNIA LAW. THE SELLER'S STANDARD WARRANTY ALSO EXCLUDES LIABILITY FOR CONSEQUENTIAL DAMAGES TO THE EXTENT THAT SUCH LIABILITY MAY BE DISCLAIMED UNDER CALIFORNIA LAW.
- D.** WHETHER OR NOT SELLER WARRANTS ANY ASPECT OF THE PROPERTY, SELLER IS OBLIGATED TO DISCLOSE KNOWN MATERIAL FACTS, AND TO MAKE OTHER DISCLOSURES REQUIRED BY LAW.
- E.** Buyer and Seller understand and acknowledge that Brokers or Referral Licensee shall not be liable for any breach of this paragraph.

35. BUILDER LIMITED CONTRACTUAL WARRANTIES: Provided with this Agreements are Copies of all builder limited contractual warranties not specified in **paragraph 34** of this Agreement or elsewhere in writing.

PROCEDURES FOR ACTIONS ON CONSTRUCTION DEFECTS AND ESCROW INSTRUCTION: This sale is governed by Civil Code §§ 895-945.5 and all of the terms of **paragraph 36** apply.

- A. "Notice:** California law establishes procedures that must be followed prior to the filing of any action related to a claimed construction defect. These procedures impact the legal rights of a homeowner. These procedures may be found in Title 7 of Part 2 of Division 2 of the California Civil Code commenting with § 895."
- B. Escrow Holder Instruction:** By signing this document, the Parties are instructing Escrow Holder to insert in the deed the language specified in quotes in **paragraph 36A** above.
- C.** **If not previously provided to Buyer, or separately provided as an addendum to this Agreement, attached to the Agreement is a Copy of California Civil Code §§ 895-945.5 (C.A.R. Document SB 800).** (NOTE: REALTORS® may obtain a copy in the EPubs library in zipForm®.)
- D.** By initialing here, Buyer and Seller acknowledge that each has received and read this paragraph and the copy of California Civil Code §§ 895-945.5 provided.

Buyer's Initials _____ / _____

Seller's Initials _____ / _____

E. AGENT FOR NOTICE: Claims and requests for information relating to construction defect allegations made pursuant to Chapter 4 of Title 7 of Part 2 of Division 2 of the California Civil Code commencing with § 910 may be made to the following person at the following address: _____

By initialing here, Buyer and Seller acknowledge that each has read and understands this paragraph

Buyer's Initials _____ / _____

Seller's Initials _____ / _____



36. NON-ADVERSARIAL PROCEDURE OF CALIFORNIA CIVIL CODE: Seller elects to engage in the non-adversarial procedure set forth in California Civil Code § 914 for construction defect claims, unless initialed in this paragraph. If initialed here, Seller opts out and Buyer and Seller agree to be bound by the alternative procedure, set forth in the attached Addendum.

Buyer's Initials _____ / _____

Seller's Initials _____ / _____

WARNING: DO NOT INITIAL HERE UNLESS BOTH PARTIES INTEND TO OPT OUT OF NON-ADVERSARIAL PROCEDURES

37. PURCHASE MONEY DISTRIBUTIONS TO THIRD PARTIES: Pursuant to DRE Regulation 2791(b), certain distributions and charges may be made against Buyer's deposits to Seller. These charges under Regulation 2791(b), and the Seller estimates of such charges, are set forth in **paragraph 3T**.

38. RETENTION OF BUYER DEPOSITS IN THE EVENT OF BUYER DEFAULT: In the event Seller has used Buyer's deposits pending consummation of this Agreement, Seller shall immediately, upon alleging Buyer's default, transmit to Escrow Holder funds equal to all of Buyer's deposits so used.

39. LIQUIDATED DAMAGES: IF BUYER FAILS TO COMPLETE THE PURCHASE OF THE PROPERTY BY REASON OF DEFAULT OF BUYER, SELLER MAY PURSUE ANY REMEDY IN LAW OR EQUITY THAT IT MAY HAVE AGAINST BUYER ON ACCOUNT OF THE DEFAULT; PROVIDED, HOWEVER, THAT BY PLACING THEIR INITIALS HERE, BUYER _____ / _____ AND SELLER _____ / _____ AGREE THAT:

A. THE SUMS PAID ON DEPOSIT PURSUANT TO PARAGRAPHS 3D(1)-(2) AND 5A HEREOF PLUS ANY AMOUNTS PAID FOR ADDITIONAL ITEMS, EXTRAS AND/OR CUSTOMER SELECTED MATERIALS ORDERED BY BUYER ("PURCHASE MONEY DEPOSIT") SHALL CONSTITUTE LIQUIDATED DAMAGES PAYABLE TO SELLER IS BUYER FAILS TO COMPLETE THE PURCHASE OF THE PROPERTY BECAUSE OF A DEFAULT BY BUYER.

B. THE PAYMENT OF SUCH LIQUIDATED DAMAGES TO SELLER SHALL CONSTITUTED THE EXCLUSIVE REMEDY OF SELLER ON ACCOUNT OF THE DEFAULT OF BUYER.

C. LIQUIDATED DAMAGES SHALL BE PAYABLE TO SELLER OUT OF BUYER'S DEPOSIT TOWARD PURCHASE OF THE PROPERTY ACCORDING TO THE FOLLOWING PROCEDURES:

(1) SELLER SHALL GIVE WRITTEN NOTICE ("SELLER'S NOTICE AND DEMAND"), IN THE MANNER PRESCRIBED BY SECTION 116.340 OF THE CODE OF CIVIL PROCEDURE FOR SERVICE IN A SMALL CLAIMS ACTION, TO ESCROW HOLDER AND TO BUYER THAT BUYER IS IN DEFAULT UNDER THE CONTRACT AND THAT SELLER IS DEMANDING THAT ESCROW HOLDER REMIT THE PURCHASE MONEY DEPOSIT TO SELLER AS LIQUIDATED DAMAGES UNLESS, WITHIN 20 DAYS, BUYER GIVES ESCROW HOLDER BUYER'S WRITTEN OBJECTION TO DISBURSEMENT OF PURCHASE MONEY AS LIQUIDATED DAMAGES ("BUYER'S OBJECTION").

(2) BUYER HAS A PERIOD OF 20 DAYS FROM THE DATE OF RECEIPT OF SELLER'S NOTICE AND DEMAND IN WHICH TO GIVE ESCROW HOLDER BUYER'S OBJECTION.

(3) IF BUYER FAILS TO GIVE ESCROW HOLDER BUYER'S OBJECTION WITHIN 20 DAYS FROM THE DATE OF RECEIPT OF SELLER'S NOTICE AND DEMAND: (i) ESCROW HOLDER SHALL PROMPTLY REMIT THE AMOUNT DEMANDED TO SELLER; AND (ii) SELLER IS RELEASED FROM ANY OBLIGATION TO SELL THE PROPERTY TO BUYER.

(4) IF BUYER GIVES ESCROW HOLDER BUYER'S OBJECTION WITHIN 20 DAYS FROM THE DATE OF RECEIPT OF SELLER'S NOTICE AND DEMAND, THEN THE DETERMINATION AS TO WHETHER SELLER IS ENTITLED TO THE DISBURSEMENT OF PURCHASE MONEY AS LIQUIDATED DAMAGES, AND EVERY OTHER CAUSE OF ACTION THAT HAS ARISEN BETWEEN BUYER AND SELLER UNDER THIS AGREEMENT, SHALL BE DECIDED IN ACCORDANCE WITH PARAGRAPHS 41 AND 42 OF THIS AGREEMENT.

(5) IF THE DETERMINATION AS TO WHETHER SELLER IS ENTITLED TO THE DISBURSEMENT OF PURCHASE MONEY AS LIQUIDATED DAMAGES IS REFERRED TO ARBITRATION, ANY FEE TO INITIATE ARBITRATION SHALL BE PAID BY SELLER, BUT THE COST OF ARBITRATION SHALL ULTIMATELY BE BORNE AS DETERMINED BY THE ARBITRATOR.

SELLER AGREES TO INDEMNIFY AND HOLD ESCROW HOLDER HARMLESS FROM ANY CLAIM BY BUYER ARISING OUT OF ANY DISTRIBUTIONS MADE BY ESCROW HOLDER IN ACCORDANCE WITH, AND PURSUANT TO, THE PROVISIONS OF THIS PARAGRAPH.

REMITTANCE OF THE AFORESAID LIQUIDATED DAMAGES TO SELLER SHALL PRECLUDE ANY RIGHT OF ACTION SELLER MAY HAVE TO CONTEST THE REASONABLENESS OF THE AMOUNT ACTUALLY PAID AS LIQUIDATED DAMAGES OR THE VALIDITY OF THIS LIQUIDATED DAMAGES PROVISION.

NOTE 1: CIVIL CODE § 1675(D) IS APPLICABLE TO THIS PROVISION. § 1675(D) PROVIDES "IF THE AMOUNT ACTUALLY PAID PURSUANT TO THE LIQUIDATED DAMAGES PROVISION EXCEEDS 3 PERCENT OF THE PURCHASE PRICE, THE PROVISION IS INVALID UNLESS THE PARTY SEEKING TO UPHOLD THE PROVISION ESTABLISHES THAT THE AMOUNT ACTUALLY PAID IS REASONABLE AS LIQUIDATED DAMAGES.

NOTE 2: IF THE PROPERTY IS AN ATTACHED RESIDENTIAL CONDOMINIUM LOCATED WITHIN A STRUCTURE OF 10 OR MORE RESIDENTIAL CONDOMINIUM UNITS AND PARTIES HAVE AGREED TO LIQUIDATED DAMAGES IN THIS ADDENDUM, SELLER'S RETENTION OF ANY AMOUNT IS EXCESS OF 3 PERCENT OF THE PURCHASE PRICE SHALL BE SUBJECT TO CALIFORNIA CIVIL CODE § 1675(F).



40. MEDIATION:

- A. The Parties agree to mediate any dispute or claim arising between them out of this Agreement, or any resulting transaction, before resorting to arbitration or court action. The mediation shall be conducted through the C.A.R. Real Estate Mediation Center for Consumers (www.consumermediation.org) or through any other mediation provider or service mutually agreed to by the Parties. The Parties **also agree to mediate any disputes or claims with Agents(s), who, in writing, agree to such mediation prior to, or within a reasonable time after, the dispute or claim is presented to the Agent.** Mediation fees, if any, shall be divided equally among the Parties involved, and shall be recoverable under the prevailing party attorney fees clause. If, for any dispute or claim to which this paragraph applies, any Party (i) commences an action without first attempting to resolve the matter through mediation, or (ii) before commencement of an action, refuses to mediate after a request has been made, then that Party shall not be entitled to recover attorney fees, even if they would otherwise be available to that Party in any such action. **THIS MEDIATION PROVISION APPLIES WHETHER OR NOT THE ARBITRATION PROVISION IS INITIALED.**
The fees necessary to initiate the mediation shall be advanced by Seller, with the costs of the mediation to be borne as determined by the parties. If the parties cannot resolve their dispute through mediation and they proceed to arbitration or court, then the costs of mediation shall be borne as determined by the arbitrator of judge.
- B. **ADDITIONAL MEDIATION TERMS: (i) Exclusions from this mediation agreement are specified in paragraph 42B; (ii) The obligation to mediate does not preclude the right of either Party to seek a preservation of rights under paragraph 42C; and (iii) Agent's rights and obligations are further specified in paragraph 42D.** These terms apply even if the Arbitration of Disputes paragraph is not initialed.

41. ARBITRATION OF DISPUTES:

- A. **THE PARTIES AGREE THAT ANY CONTROVERSY BETWEEN THEM REGARDING LIQUIDATED DAMAGES, TERMINATION OF THIS AGREEMENT BEFORE CLOSE OF ESCROW, BUYER'S INTEREST IN THE PROPERTY OF OTHER ISSUES WHICH ARISE BEFORE CLOSE OF ESCROW, INCLUDING CONTROVERSY CREATED BY CONFLICTING NOTICES BY BUYER AND SELLER, AND THE DISPOSITION OF FUNDS HELD BY ESCROW HOLDER SHALL BE SETTLED BY ARBITRATION IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE COMMERCIAL ARBITRATION RULES OF THE AMERICAN ARBITRATION ASSOCIATION, PROVIDED THAT THOSE RULES ARE CONSISTENT WITH THE FOLLOWING REQUIREMENTS:**
 - (1) **THE FEES NECESSARY TO INITIATE THE ARBITRATION SHALL BE ADVANCED BY SELLER, WITH COSTS AND FEES (INCLUDING ONGOING COSTS AND FEES) TO BE PAID AS AGREED BY THE PARTIES. IF THE PARTIES CANNOT AGREE ON THE PAYMENT OF SUCH COSTS AND FEES, ALL COSTS AND FEES OF THE ARBITRATION SHALL ULTIMATELY BE BORNE AS DETERMINED BY THE ARBITRATION.**
 - (2) **THE ARBITRATION SHALL BE ADMINISTERED BY A NEUTRAL AND IMPARTIAL PERSON(S).**
 - (3) **A NEUTRAL AND IMPARTIAL INDIVIDUAL(S) SHALL BE APPOINTED TO SERVE AS ARBITRATOR(S) WITHIN THE SPECIFIED PERIOD OF TIME, WHICH SHALL IN NO EVENT BE MORE THAN 60 DAYS FROM THE ADMINISTRATOR'S RECEIPT OF A WRITTEN REQUEST FROM A PARTY TO ARBITRATE THE CLAIM OR DISPUTE. THE PROVISIONS OF SECTION 1297.121, OR 1297.124 OF THE CALIFORNIA CODE OF CIVIL PROCEDURE.**
 - (4) **THE VENUE OF THE ARBITRATION SHALL BE IN THE COUNTY WHERE THE PROPERTY IS LOCATED UNLESS THE BUYER AND SELLER AGREE TO SOME OTHER LOCATION.**
 - (5) **THE ARBITRATION SHALL BE COMMENCED PROMPTLY AND TIMELY IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE RULES OF ARBITRATION. IF THE RULES OF ARBITRATION DO NOT SPECIFY A DATE BY WHICH THE ARBITRATION MUST COMMENCE, THEN IT SHALL COMMENCE ON A DATE AGREED TO BY THE PARTIES. IF THE PARTIES CANNOT AGREE ON AN ARBITRATION COMMENCEMENT DATE, IT SHALL COMMENCE ON THE DATE DETERMINED BY THE ARBITRATOR(S).**
 - (6) **THE ARBITRATION SHALL BE CONDUCTED IN ACCORDANCE WITH RULES AND PROCEDURES WHICH ARE REASONABLE AND FAIR TO BUYER AND SELLER. THE AMERICAN ARBITRATION ASSOCIATION COMMERCIAL RULES OF ARBITRATION IN EFFECT AS OF THE DATE OF THIS AGREEMENT SHALL BE DEEMED IN COMPLIANCE WITH THIS REQUIREMENT.**
 - (7) **THE ARBITRATION SHALL CONCLUDE PROMPTLY AND TIMELY.**
 - (8) **THE ARBITRATOR(S) ARE AUTHORIZED TO PROVIDE ALL RECOGNIZED REMEDIES AVAILABLE IN LAW OR EQUITY FOR ANY CAUSE OF ACTION THAT IS THE BASIS OF THE ARBITRATION**
 - (9) **JUDGMENT UPON THE DECISION RENDERED BY THE ARBITRATOR(S) MAY BE ENTERED INTO ANY COURT HAVING PROPER JURISDICTION.**
- B. **EXCLUSIONS: The following matters are excluded from mediation and arbitration: (i) any matter that is within the jurisdiction of a probate, small claims or bankruptcy court; (ii) a judicial or non-judicial foreclosure or other action or proceeding to enforce a deed of trust, mortgage or installment land sale contract as defined in Civil Code § 2985; and (iii) an unlawful detainer action.**
- C. **PRESERVATION OF ACTIONS: The following shall not constitute a waiver nor violation of the mediation and arbitration provisions: (i) the filing of a court action to preserve a statute of limitations; (ii) the filing of a court action to enable the recording of a notice of pending action, for order of attachment, receivership, injunction, or other provisional remedies, provided the filing party concurrent with, or immediately after such filing, makes a request to the court for a stay of litigation pending any applicable mediation or arbitration proceeding; or (iii) the filing of a mechanic's lien.**
- D. **AGENTS; REFERRAL LICENSEE: Neither Agents nor Referral Licensee shall not be obligated nor compelled to mediate or arbitrate unless they agree to do so in writing. Any Agent(s) or Referral Licensee participating in mediation or arbitration shall not be deemed a party to this Agreement.**



E. "NOTICE: BY INITIALING IN THE SPACE BELOW YOU ARE AGREEING TO HAVE ANY DISPUTE ARISING OUT OF THE MATTERS INCLUDED IN THE 'ARBITRATION OF DISPUTES' PROVISION DECIDED BY NEUTRAL ARBITRATION AS PROVIDED BY CALIFORNIA LAW AND YOU ARE GIVING UP ANY RIGHTS YOU MIGHT POSSESS TO HAVE THE DISPUTE LITIGATED IN A COURT OR JURY TRIAL. BY INITIALING IN THE SPACE BELOW YOU ARE GIVING UP YOUR JUDICIAL RIGHTS TO DISCOVERY AND APPEAL, UNLESS THOSE RIGHTS ARE SPECIFICALLY INCLUDED IN THE 'ARBITRATION OF DISPUTES' PROVISION. IF YOU REFUSE TO SUBMIT TO ARBITRATION AFTER AGREEING TO THIS PROVISION, YOU MAY BE COMPELLED TO ARBITRATE UNDER THE AUTHORITY OF THE CALIFORNIA CODE OF CIVIL PROCEDURE. YOUR AGREEMENT TO THIS ARBITRATION PROVISION IS VOLUNTARY."

"WE HAVE READ AND UNDERSTAND THE FOREGOING AND AGREE TO SUBMIT DISPUTES ARISING OUT OF THE MATTERS INCLUDED IN THE 'ARBITRATION OF DISPUTES' PROVISION TO NEUTRAL ARBITRATION."

Buyer's Initials _____ / _____

Seller's Initials _____ / _____

42. FAIR APPRAISAL ACT NOTICE:

- A. Any appraisal of the property is required to be unbiased, objective, and not influenced by improper or illegal considerations, including, but not limited to, any of the following: race, color, religion (including religious dress, grooming practices, or both), gender (including, but not limited to, pregnancy, childbirth, breastfeeding, and related conditions, and gender identity and gender expression), sexual orientation, marital status, medical condition, military or veteran status, national origin (including language use and possession of a driver's license issued to persons unable to provide their presence in the United States is authorized under federal law), source of income, ancestry, disability (mental and physical, including, but not limited to, HIV/AIDS status, cancer diagnosis, and genetic characteristics), genetic information, or age.
- B. If a buyer or seller believes that the appraisal has been influenced by any of the above factors, the seller or buyer can report this information to the lender or mortgage broker that retained the appraiser and may also file a complaint with the Bureau of Real Estate Appraisers at <https://www2.brea.ca.gov/complaint/> or call (916) 552-9000 for further information on how to file a complaint.

43. BUYER'S OFFER

- A. **EXPIRATION OF OFFER:** This offer shall be deemed revoked and the deposit, if any, shall be returned to Buyer unless by the date and time specified in **paragraph 3C**, the offer is Signed by Seller and a Copy of the Signed offer is Delivered to Buyer or Buyer's Authorized Agent. **Seller has no obligation to respond to an offer made.**
- B. **ENTITY BUYERS: (Note: If this paragraph is completed, a Representative Capacity Signature Disclosure (C.A.R. Form RCSD) is not required for the Legally Authorized Signers designated below.)**
 - (1) One or more Buyers is a trust, corporation, LLC, probate estate, partnership, holding a power of attorney or other entity.
 - (2) This Agreement is being Signed by a Legally Authorized Signer in a representative capacity and not in an individual capacity. See **paragraph 30** for additional terms.
 - (3) The name(s) of the Legally Authorized Signer(s) is/are: _____.
 - (4) A. If a trust, identify Buyer as trustee(s) of the trust or by simplified trust name (ex. John Doe, co-trustee, Jane Doe, co-trustee or Doe Revocable Family Trust).
 - B. If Property is sold under the jurisdiction of a probate court, identify Buyer as executor or administrator, or by a simplified probate name (John Doe, executor, or Estate (or Conservatorship) of John Doe).
 - (5) If the entity is a trust or under probate, the following is the full name of the trust or probate case, including case #: _____.
- C. The ABSPA has 19 pages. Buyer acknowledges receipt of, and has read and understands, every page and all attachments that make up the Agreement.

BUYER SIGNATURE(S):

(Signature) By, _____ Date: _____

Printed name of BUYER: _____

Printed Name of Legally Authorized Signer: _____ Title, if applicable, _____

(Signature) By, _____ Date: _____

Printed name of BUYER: _____

Printed Name of Legally Authorized Signer: _____ Title, if applicable, _____

IF MORE THAN TWO SIGNERS, USE Additional Signature Addendum (C.A.R. Form ASA).



Property Address: _____ Date: _____

44. ACCEPTANCE

A. ACCEPTANCE OF OFFER: Seller warrants that Seller is the owner of the Property or has the authority to execute this Agreement. Seller accepts the above offer and agrees to sell the Property on the above terms and conditions. Seller has read and acknowledges receipt of a Copy of this Agreement and authorizes Agent to Deliver a Signed Copy to Buyer.

Seller's acceptance is subject to the attached Counter Offer or Back-Up Offer Addendum, or both, checked below. Seller shall return and include the entire agreement with any response.

- Seller Counter Offer** (C.A.R. Form SCO or SMCO)
- Back-Up Offer Addendum** (C.A.R. Form BUO)

Note to Seller: For any counter offer or back-up addendum you intend to use with this Agreement, you must submit them to, and have them be accepted by, the DRE.

B. ENTITY SELLERS: (Note: If this paragraph is completed, a Representative Capacity Signature Disclosure form (C.A.R. Form RCSD) is not required for the Legally Authorized Signers designated below.)

- (1) One or more Sellers is a trust, corporation, LLC, probate estate, partnership, holding a power of attorney or other entity.
- (2) This Agreement is being Signed by a Legally Authorized Signer in a representative capacity and not in an individual capacity. See **paragraph 30** for additional terms.
- (3) The name(s) of the Legally Authorized Signer(s) is/are: _____.
- (4) **A.** If a trust, identify Seller as trustee(s) of the trust or by simplified trust name (ex. John Doe, co-trustee, Jane Doe, co-trustee or Doe Revocable Family Trust).
B. If Property is sold under the jurisdiction of a probate court, identify Seller as executor or administrator, or by a simplified probate name (John Doe, executor, or Estate (or Conservatorship) of John Doe).
- (5) If the entity is a trust or under probate, the following is the full name of the trust or probate case, including case #: _____.

C. The ABSPA has 19 pages. Seller acknowledges receipt of, and has read and understands, every page and all attachments that make up the Agreement.

SELLER SIGNATURE(S):

(Signature) By, _____ Date: _____

Printed name of SELLER: _____

Printed Name of Legally Authorized Signer: _____ Title, if applicable, _____

(Signature) By, _____ Date: _____

Printed name of SELLER: _____

Printed Name of Legally Authorized Signer: _____ Title, if applicable, _____

IF MORE THAN TWO SIGNERS, USE Additional Signature Addendum (C.A.R. Form ASA).

OFFER NOT ACCEPTED: _____/_____/_____ No Counter Offer is being made. This offer was not accepted by Seller _____(date)
Seller's Initials



REAL ESTATE BROKERS SECTION:

- 1. **Real Estate Agents are not parties to the Agreement between Buyer and Seller.**
- 2. **Agency relationships are confirmed as stated in paragraph 2.**
- 3. **Confirmation of Offered Compensation:** Seller's Broker agrees to pay Buyer's Broker and Buyer's Broker agrees to accept, out of Seller's Broker's proceeds in escrow, the **compensation** specified in a separate written agreement (C.A.R. Form CBC). **Each Broker agrees to disclose to their Seller or Buyer client the amount in the CBC.** Declaration of License and Tax (C.A.R. Form DLT) may be used to document that tax reporting will be required or that an exemption exists.
- 4. **Presentation of Offer:** Pursuant to the National Association of REALTORS® Standard of Practice 1-7, if Buyer's Agent makes a written request, Seller's Agent shall confirm in writing that this offer has been presented to Seller.
- 5. **Agents' Signatures and designated electronic delivery address:**

A. Buyer's Brokerage Firm _____ Lic. # _____
 By _____ Lic. # _____ Date _____
 By _____ Lic. # _____ Date _____
 Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____
 Email _____ Phone # _____

- More than one agent from the same firm represents Buyer. Additional Agent Acknowledgement (C.A.R. Form AAA) attached.
- More than one brokerage firm represents Buyer. Additional Broker Acknowledgement (C.A.R. Form ABA) attached.

Designated Electronic Delivery Address(es): Email above or _____

- Attached DEDA:** If Parties elect to have an alternative Delivery method, such method may be indicated on C.A.R. Form DEDA.

B. Seller's Brokerage Firm _____ Lic. # _____
 By _____ Lic. # _____ Date _____
 By _____ Lic. # _____ Date _____
 Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____
 Email _____ Phone # _____

- More than one agent from the same firm represents Seller. Additional Agent Acknowledgement (C.A.R. Form AAA) attached.
- More than one brokerage firm represents Seller. Additional Broker Acknowledgement (C.A.R. Form ABA) attached.

Designated Electronic Delivery Address(es) (To be filled out by Seller's Agent): Email above or _____

- Attached DEDA:** If Parties elect to have an alternative Delivery method, such method may be indicated on C.A.R. Form DEDA.

ESCROW HOLDER ACKNOWLEDGMENT:

Escrow Holder acknowledges receipt of a Copy of this Agreement, (if checked, a deposit in the amount of \$ _____), Counter Offer numbers _____ and _____, and agrees to act as Escrow Holder subject to **paragraph 20** of this Agreement, any supplemental escrow instructions and the terms of Escrow Holder's general provisions.

Escrow Holder is advised by _____ that the date of Acceptance of the Agreement is _____

Escrow Holder _____ Escrow # _____

By _____ Date _____

Address _____

Phone/Fax/E-mail _____

Escrow Holder has the following license number # _____

- Department of Financial Protection and Innovation, Department of Insurance, Department of Real Estate.

PRESENTATION OF OFFER: _____ / _____ Seller's Brokerage Firm presented this offer to Seller on _____ (date).
Agent or Seller Initials

Buyer's Initials _____ / _____ Seller's Initials _____ / _____

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ASSIGNMENT OF AGREEMENT AMENDMENT (C.A.R. Form AOAA, Revised 6/24)

The following terms and conditions are hereby incorporated in and made a part of the Purchase Agreement, OR [] Other, dated [] ("Agreement"), on property known as [] ("Property"), between [] ("Buyer") and [] ("Seller"). Buyer and Seller are referred to as the "Parties."

In consideration, of the covenants contained herein, Buyer hereby assigns to assignee and assignee accepts the assignment, subject to Seller's consent if required by the Agreement, of all or a partial interest of Buyer's right, title, and interest under the Agreement, including without limitation, the right, title, and interest in any deposit or down payment upon the following terms and conditions:

- 1. Partial or Total Assignment: A. [] Partial Assignment (Adding a buyer): Buyer is adding the Assignee(s) named below to the Agreement and granting to such Assignee(s) a partial interest in the Agreement. OR B. [] Total Assignment (New buyer(s) replaces all original Buyers): Buyer is assigning all of Buyer's interest in the Agreement to the Assignee(s) named below. OR C. [] Other Assignment (Replacing a Buyer and at least one original Buyer remaining; or Deleting a Buyer): [] (buyer(s) being removed) is assigning all of that buyer(s) interest in the Agreement to the new or remaining buyer(s) (Assignee(s)) named below. D. Assignee(s) Names: [] E. [] Assignee is Buyer's own trust or a wholly-owned entity of Buyer.

2. Prior Documents: Assignee shall initial the first page of each document and Deliver to Seller all of the transaction documents previously approved by Buyer including, but not limited to, all contract documents, inspection reports, pamphlets, advisories, and disclosures ("Prior Documents") within the time specified below. Unless Otherwise Agreed, Assignee acknowledges that all time frames in the Agreement remain the same and no additional time shall be provided for any matter including, but not limited to, investigation, review of documents, or Close Of Escrow.

- A. DELIVERY OF PRIOR DOCUMENTS: (1) Prior Documents already delivered to Assignee: Assignee acknowledges that Buyer has already provided Assignee all Prior Documents. OR (2) [] Prior Documents not yet delivered to Assignee: Seller shall Deliver to Buyer and Assignee a seller-signed copy of this Assignment of Agreement Addendum ("Assignment"). Upon receipt of the seller-signed Assignment, Buyer shall immediately Deliver to Assignee all Prior Documents. B. PREQUALIFICATION OR PREAPPROVAL OF ASSIGNEES: Assignee has been prequalified or preapproved by Buyer's lender as per the Agreement and a copy is attached. This requirement applies even if 1E is checked. C. TIME TO RETURN ASSIGNEE-INITIALED PRIOR DOCUMENTS: (1) Initialed copies of all Prior Documents are attached to this Assignment. OR (2) [] Assignee shall Deliver initialed copies of all Prior Documents to Seller within 3 (or []) Days after Seller Delivers to Assignee a Signed Copy of this Assignment. (3) If 1E is checked, Delivery and Return of Prior Documents is not required because Assignee is Buyer's own trust or a wholly-owned entity of Buyer. D. EFFECT OF FAILURE TO RETURN OR ATTACH DOCUMENTS: Seller, after first Delivering a Notice to Buyer to Perform, may cancel this Assignment and the Assignment shall have no further force and effect: (1) Prior Documents: If Assignee does not Deliver to Seller all Prior Documents within the time specified in 2C. (2) Prequalification or preapproval: If Assignee does not attach same prequalification or preapproval from Buyer's lender as required by Buyer.

- 3. Consideration for Assignment: A. Buyer has not received and will not receive any monetary consideration from Assignee for this Assignment. OR B. [] Buyer has received or will receive consideration from Assignee in the amount of \$ [] (or []). 4. Assignee represents for the benefit of Seller that Assignee ratifies and approves as Assignee's own acts all prior approvals and acts of Buyer pursuant to the Agreement up to and including the date of this Assignment. 5. Assignee assumes and agrees to perform and observe all of the obligations and covenants of Buyer in the Agreement to be performed after the date of this Assignment. 6. Buyer acknowledges and agrees that, notwithstanding Seller's agreement to this Assignment, Buyer is not released from any obligations or covenants under the Agreement. 7. Other terms: []



8. Without releasing Buyer from any obligations or covenants under the Agreement and preserving all rights and remedies under the Agreement, in consideration of the covenants contained herein, Seller consents to the foregoing Assignment.
9. The parties acknowledge and agree that they have been advised to review this Assignment with a qualified California real estate attorney and/or accountant prior to signing this Assignment. The Brokers and agents make no representation as to the propriety, adequacy, legality or tax consequences of this Assignment.

By signing below, Buyer assigns the Agreement to Assignee, and Assignee accepts the assignment from Buyer, and Buyer and Assignee, acknowledge that each has read, understands, received a copy of and agrees to the terms of this Assignment of Agreement Amendment.

Buyer Date

Buyer Date

ENTITY ASSIGNEE: (Note: If this paragraph is completed, a Representative Capacity Signature Disclosure (C.A.R. Form RCSD) is not required for the Legally Authorized Signers designated below.)

- (1) One or more Assignees is a trust, corporation, LLC, probate estate, partnership, holding a power of attorney or Other: _____.
- (2) This Agreement is being Signed by a Legally Authorized Signer in a representative capacity and not for him/herself as an individual. The Legally Authorized Signer **(i)** represents that the entity for which that person is acting already exists and is in good standing to do business in California and **(ii)** shall Deliver to Seller and Escrow Holder, within **3 Days** of signing, evidence of authority to act in that capacity.
- (3) The name(s) of the Legally Authorized Signer(s) is: _____.
- (4) If a trust, identify Assignee as trustee(s) of the trust or by simplified trust name (ex. John Doe, co-trustee, Jane Doe, co-trustee or Doe Revocable Family Trust).
- (5) If the entity is a trust or under probate, the following is the full name of the trust or probate case, including case #: _____

ASSIGNEE SIGNATURE(S):

(Signature) By, _____ Date: _____

Printed name of ASSIGNEE: _____

Printed Name of Legally Authorized Signer: _____ Title, if applicable: _____

(Signature) By, _____ Date: _____

Printed name of ASSIGNEE: _____

Printed Name of Legally Authorized Signer: _____ Title, if applicable: _____

IF MORE THAN TWO SIGNERS, USE Additional Signature Addendum (C.A.R. Form ASA)

By signing below, Seller consents to the assignment and acknowledges that Seller has read, understands, received a copy of and agrees to the terms of this Assignment of Agreement Amendment.

Seller Date

Seller Date

ASSIGNMENT NOT ACCEPTED: _____ / _____. This assignment was **NOT** accepted by Seller on _____ (date).
Seller Initials

Seller's right to disapprove an assignment, if applicable, is established in the Agreement.

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AGENT VISUAL INSPECTION DISCLOSURE
(CALIFORNIA CIVIL CODE § 2079 ET SEQ.)
For use by an agent when a transfer disclosure statement is
required or when a seller is exempt from completing a TDS
 (C.A.R. Form AVID, Revised 6/24)

This inspection disclosure concerns the residential property situated in the City of _____,
 County of _____, State of California, described as _____
 _____ (“Property”).

This Property is a duplex, triplex, or fourplex. An AVID is required for all units. This AVID form is for **ALL** units (or only unit(s) _____).

Inspection Performed By (Real Estate Broker Firm Name) _____

California law requires, with limited exceptions, that a real estate broker or salesperson (collectively, “Agent”) conduct a reasonably competent and diligent **visual** inspection of reasonably and normally accessible areas of certain properties offered for sale and then disclose to the prospective purchaser material facts affecting the value or desirability of that property that the inspection reveals. The duty applies regardless of whom that Agent represents. The duty applies to residential real properties containing one-to-four dwelling units, and manufactured homes (mobilehomes). The duty applies to a stand-alone detached dwelling (whether or not located in a subdivision or a planned development) or to an attached dwelling such as a condominium. The duty also applies to a lease with an option to purchase, a ground lease or a real property sales contract of one of those properties.

California law does not require the Agent to inspect the following:

- Areas that are not reasonably and normally accessible
- Areas off site of the property
- Public records or permits
- Common areas of planned developments, condominiums, stock cooperatives and the like.

Agent Inspection Limitations: Because the Agent’s duty is limited to conducting a reasonably competent and diligent visual inspection of reasonably and normally accessible areas of only the Property being offered for sale, there are several things that the Agent will not do. What follows is a non-exclusive list of examples of limitations on the scope of the Agent’s duty.

Roof and Attic: Agent will not climb onto a roof or into an attic.

Interior: Agent will not move or look under or behind furniture, pictures, wall hangings or floor coverings. Agent will not look up chimneys or into cabinets, or open locked doors.

Exterior: Agent will not inspect beneath a house or other structure on the Property, climb up or down a hillside, move or look behind plants, bushes, shrubbery and other vegetation or fences, walls or other barriers.

Appliances and Systems: Agent will not operate appliances or systems (such as, but not limited to, electrical, plumbing, pool or spa, heating, cooling, septic, sprinkler, communication, entertainment, well or water) to determine their functionality.

Size of Property or Improvements: Agent will not measure square footage of lot or improvements, or identify or locate boundary lines, easements or encroachments.

Environmental Hazards: Agent will not determine if the Property has mold, asbestos, lead or lead-based paint, radon, formaldehyde or any other hazardous substance or analyze soil or geologic condition.

Off-Property Conditions: By statute, Agent is not obligated to pull permits or inspect public records. Agent will not guarantee views or zoning, identify proposed construction or development or changes or proximity to transportation, schools, or law enforcement.

Analysis of Agent Disclosures: For any items disclosed as a result of Agent’s visual inspection, or by others, Agent will not provide an analysis of or determine the cause or source of the disclosed matter, nor determine the cost of any possible repair.

What this means to you: An Agent’s inspection is not intended to take the place of any other type of inspection, nor is it a substitute for a full and complete disclosure by a seller. Regardless of what the Agent’s inspection reveals, or what disclosures are made by sellers, California Law specifies that a buyer has a duty to exercise reasonable care to protect himself or herself. This duty encompasses facts which are known to or within the diligent attention and observation of the buyer. Therefore, in order to determine for themselves whether or not the Property meets their needs and intended uses, as well as the cost to remedy any disclosed or discovered defect, **BUYER SHOULD: (1) REVIEW ANY DISCLOSURES OBTAINED FROM SELLER; (2) OBTAIN ADVICE ABOUT, AND INSPECTIONS OF, THE PROPERTY FROM OTHER APPROPRIATE PROFESSIONALS; AND (3) REVIEW ANY FINDINGS OF THOSE PROFESSIONALS WITH THE PERSONS WHO PREPARED THEM. IF BUYER FAILS TO DO SO, BUYER IS ACTING AGAINST THE ADVICE OF BROKER.**



If this Property is a duplex, triplex, or fourplex, this AVID is for unit # _____.

THE UNDERSIGNED, BASED ON A REASONABLY COMPETENT AND DILIGENT VISUAL INSPECTION OF THE REASONABLY AND NORMALLY ACCESSIBLE AREAS OF THE PROPERTY, STATES THE FOLLOWING:

Entry (excluding common areas): _____

Living Room: _____

Dining Room: _____

Kitchen: _____

Other Room: _____

Hall/Stairs (excluding common areas): _____

Bedroom # ____ :

Bedroom # ____ :

Bedroom # ____ :

Bedroom # ____ :

Bath # ____ :

Bath # ____ :

Bath # ____ :

Bath # ____ :



If this Property is a duplex, triplex, or fourplex, this AVID is for unit # _____.

Other: _____

Other: _____

Other: _____

See Addendum for additional rooms/structures: _____

Garage/Parking (excluding common areas): _____

Exterior Building and Yard - Front/Sides/Back: _____

Other Observed or Known Conditions Not Specified Above: _____

This disclosure is based on a reasonably competent and diligent visual inspection of reasonably and normally accessible areas of the Property on the date specified above.

Real Estate Broker (Firm who performed the inspection) _____

Inspection Performed By (Real Estate Broker Firm Name) _____

Inspection Date/Time: _____ Weather conditions: _____

Other persons present: _____

By _____ Date _____

(Signature of Associate Licensee or Broker who performed the inspection)

Reminder: Not all defects are observable by a real estate licensee conducting an inspection. The inspection does not include testing of any system or component. Real Estate Licensees are not home inspectors or contractors. BUYER SHOULD OBTAIN ADVICE ABOUT AND INSPECTIONS OF THE PROPERTY FROM OTHER APPROPRIATE PROFESSIONALS. IF BUYER FAILS TO DO SO, BUYER IS ACTING AGAINST THE ADVICE OF BROKER.

I/we acknowledge that I/we have read, understand and received a copy of this disclosure.

Buyer _____ Date _____

Buyer _____ Date _____

I/we acknowledge that I/we have received a copy of this disclosure.

(The initials below **and Broker signature** are not required but can be used as evidence that the initialing **or signing** party has received the completed form.)

Seller _____/_____

Real Estate Broker (that did NOT fill out this AVID) _____

By _____ Date _____

(Associate Licensee or Broker Signature)

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BUYER FINANCIAL AND PERSONAL INFORMATION

(C.A.R. Form BFPI, 6/24)

1. **PARTIES AND PROPERTY:** _____ (“Buyer”),
and _____ (“Broker”)
have (OR have not) entered into a Buyer Representation Agreement, dated _____, beginning on _____ (date) (“Representation Agreement”) for the acquisition of property (“Property”), if applicable as described therein.
2. **BUYER’S FINANCIAL AND PERSONAL INFORMATION:** Buyer and Broker agree that it is beneficial to both if Buyer identifies, in writing, Buyer’s financial condition and personal information (“Personal Information”) that Broker can use in assessing and identifying properties that may be satisfactory to Buyer. If Buyer does not qualify to purchase the type of property for which Buyer is interested, Broker and Buyer may mutually alter the terms of the Representation Agreement, or Broker may cancel that agreement.
3. **PROPERTY FINANCING INFORMATION** (where applicable, check all that apply):
 - A. **Amount of deposit available:** \$ _____
 - B. **Amount of down payment available:** \$ _____
 - C. **Source(s) of down payment:** Savings (cash in bank) Retirement account Gift Loan Assistance program, Sale of existing property (Already sold, Already in contract, Not yet listed), Other _____
 - D. **Maximum Loan Amount:** \$ _____
 - E. **Lender Information:**
 - (1) Company Name: _____
 - (2) Loan Officer name: _____
 - (3) Phone: _____, Email: _____
 - (4) Pre-qualified, Pre-approved, Fully underwritten pre-approval
 - F. **Financing type:** Conventional, FHA, VA, Other _____
NOTE: If FHA or VA financing is pursued, lender may not allow Buyer to pay certain closing costs, including broker compensation. Buyer’s broker compensation should be paid by seller or seller’s broker.
 - G. **Maximum monthly housing expense** (for PITI, HOA fees, other _____): \$ _____
4. **OTHER FINANCIAL INFORMATION:**
 - A. 1031 exchange, Expected legal settlement, Expected inheritance
 - B. Buyer intends to include a contingency to sell another property as part of any transaction (see C.A.R. Form COP)
 - C. Other: _____
5. **PERSONAL INFORMATION:**
 - A. **Current Housing:** Own Currently Rent Other _____
 - B. **Property Ownership Experience:** First time buyer, # of properties previously purchased: One, 2-5, More than 5, # of properties currently owned: _____
 - C. **Real estate Related Experience:** R.E. broker R.E. salesperson Contractor R.E. Investor Trade (ex. Plumber, electrician, landscaper): _____
 - D. **Time Constraints:** (e.g. Job relocation, sale of existing home, school start date): _____
 - E. **Reasons for Purchase:** _____
 - F. **Other:** _____
6. **CONFIDENTIALITY:** The financial and personal information identified herein are intended as confidential information as that term is defined in Civil Code § 2079.13 et seq. Regardless of agency relationship in any transaction involving Buyer and Broker, the information will not be disclosed to any seller or seller’s agent except as Buyer authorizes Broker.
7. **IDENTIFICATION OF AND CHANGES TO FINANCIAL AND PERSONAL INFORMATION:** Buyer represents that Buyer is not aware of any other financial and personal information that would affect Buyer’s effort to acquire property. Buyer has not made any verbal representations to Broker of additional financial and personal information. Buyer agrees to notify Broker, in writing, of any change to Buyer’s financial and personal information.

By signing below, Buyer understands, acknowledges and that it is Buyer’s responsibility to determine to what extent any property meets Buyer’s financial and personal needs and abilities.

Buyer has read, understands, and received a Copy of this Buyer Financial and Personal Information. Buyer is encouraged to read it carefully.

Buyer _____ Date: _____
Buyer _____ Date: _____

I acknowledge receipt of a copy of this Buyer Financial and Personal Information.

Real Estate Broker (Firm) _____ DRE License # _____
By (Agent) _____ DRE License # _____ Date: _____

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California Civil Code section 4525 requires sellers of condominiums and other common interest or planned unit developments ("CID") to provide buyers with governing, financial, and other documents and information created and maintained by a Homeowners Association ("HOA"). These documents may be quite lengthy, causing buyers not to take the time to make a careful review of all HOA materials. Before deciding to proceed with the purchase transaction, it is critical that buyers carefully review all HOA documents to determine for themselves if the property they are acquiring meets their current and future needs for use and enjoyment of the property. As part of this review, Buyer should also consider if any of the documentation has not been provided, is incomplete, or missing.

BUYER:

YOU ARE STRONGLY ADVISED BY YOUR BROKER TO REVIEW ALL HOMEOWNER ASSOCIATION DOCUMENTS WITH APPROPRIATE PROFESSIONALS, IF NECESSARY, TO UNDERSTAND THEIR CONTENTS. YOU ARE FURTHER ADVISED TO CAREFULLY REVIEW THE PRELIMINARY TITLE REPORT TO DETERMINE ALL THE RECORDED DOCUMENTS RELATED TO HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATIONS, WHICH COULD INCLUDE, BUT ARE NOT LIMITED TO, DEED RESTRICTIONS AND THE EXISTENCE OF MULTIPLE HOAs AFFECTING THE PROPERTY.

THESE DOCUMENTS WILL GOVERN, AFFECT AND, IN SOME CASES, LIMIT YOUR CURRENT AND FUTURE USE AND ENJOYMENT OF THE PROPERTY.

All HOA documents and disclosures are important, however, the following are often areas of concern for buyers of property located in a CID.

- 1. Covenants, Conditions, and Restrictions ("CC&Rs"):** The CC&Rs are the main governing document of the HOA. Generally, the CC&Rs describe the property rights, duties, and obligations of the HOA and the individual members. CC&Rs are formal documents recorded with the County Recorder and are extremely difficult to amend or change.
- 2. Bylaws, Rules and Regulations:** Bylaws address the governance and operation of the HOA, including voting and election requirements, the number of directors and their term length, how and when meetings are held, and the meeting procedures. If promulgated by the HOA, the Rules and Regulations usually detail how the HOA will handle routine, day-to-day matters often affecting common area usage, expenses, etc.
- 3. Minutes:** HOAs are required to prepare Minutes of Board of Directors' Meetings detailing past, current, and future (proposed) events, issues, and expenses such as existing or planned litigation, repairs, improvements or needed change in the dues and/or additional assessments. They reflect the decisions and reasons for those decisions, but are not a transcript of the meetings. The Minutes are often the best source of information regarding issues related to the common areas, the individual units, special and increased assessments, and the ability to use and enjoy the property after escrow closes.
- 4. Financial Information:** The financial information from the HOA may be contained in numerous documents, including but not limited to: Pro Forma Operating Budget, Assessment and Reserve Funding Disclosure Summary, Financial Statement Review, Assessment Enforcement Policy, Insurance Summary, Regular Assessment, Special Assessments, and Emergency Assessments. The financial status of HOA could impact the future costs of owning the property.

Reserves: Buyers should determine if reserves are properly and adequately funded and if there are many homeowners who are delinquent on payments for dues and assessments. Generally, associations are required to prepare a reserve study, and, at least every three years, cause to be conducted a reasonably competent and diligent visual inspection.

Wood Balconies, Stairs and Other Structures; Reserve Requirements: Prior to January 1, 2025, buildings with three units or more, may be required to obtain an inspection of exterior balconies, stairways, walkways, or decks that are supported in whole or in substantial part by a wood or wood-based materials. For condos, the HOA will be responsible for the inspections per its governing documents. An inspection report must be incorporated into a condo HOA's study of reserve account requirements. This could in turn affect lender certification requirements as well as future dues and assessments. A balcony report that identifies an immediate threat to the safety of the occupants will require the condo HOA or owner to prevent access to the balcony further impacting a property's marketability.

Pending and Future Assessments: The Minutes and the HOA disclosure form itself may contain critical information and comments regarding pending or future assessment.

Special or Emergency Assessments: Buyers need to know if special or emergency assessments are currently due in full or whether they are due only in monthly installments. If it is not clear, buyer should request clarification from the HOA. The Purchase Agreement will determine whether the assessment payment will be paid by the seller at Close of Escrow, or whether the payments are prorated, and the buyer will be responsible for the monthly payments after Close of Escrow.

There are independent services available which will review the HOA documentation and give an opinion of the financial status of a HOA for a fee which is typically \$300.00 to \$500.00 depending upon the services to be provided and the extent of the HOA documentation. Real estate licensees are not qualified to assess the financial viability of any HOA.

If you have any questions or concerns about the financial status, strength, or stability of the HOA, contact your accountant who may be able to provide a professional assessment of the HOA's finances.



5. **Rental Restrictions:** The HOA may have restrictions and/or prohibitions on your ability to rent your unit. These restrictions may be based on the number/percentage of units that are allowed to be rented, and the approval process associated with rentals. The HOA may also put restrictions on the ability to enter into a short term rental. Some HOAs have even gone so far as to completely prohibit rentals for all new owners; however, a 2021 law requires HOAs to allow at least 25% of the units to be rented or leased regardless of what the HOA governing documents state. In addition to the HOA restrictions, the city may also impose rental control and eviction control ordinances that may impact your decisions to rent the unit. You should investigate these issues with the HOA and the appropriate government authority to determine whether this property meets your needs. These restrictions may affect your decision to purchase the Property.
6. **Lending Considerations:** Lenders may have certain qualifications that are required from the HOA before they provide financing on your purchase. Many lenders will require the HOA to provide a lender certification document, providing information regarding the HOA. **Additionally, lenders will generally require the HOA to have a general insurance policy covering the HOA, which has become less available and more costly in California due to rising replacement costs and an increase in natural disasters.** They may require a certain percentage of owner occupied units within the HOA. Further, if you are seeking a FHA or VA loan, the lender may require the HOA to be FHA/VA approved prior to making a loan. You should inquire with your lender and the HOA to determine what will be required in order to obtain financing.
7. **Noise:** Due to noise and other factors, HOAs often restrict the type of floor and/or wall material that can be used in certain units and/or the number of pets. You should directly contact the HOA Board to determine whether the property can be used for your intended purposes. You should also determine whether the property meets your subjective personal preferences and needs.
8. **Common Areas:** Those portions of a CID that are not wholly owned by the individual homeowners are designated as "Common Areas". Usually, the CC&Rs and/or the Bylaws will define what constitutes the Common Areas, how they are used, who gets to use them, and who is responsible for maintenance. Some Common Areas may be available for use by all members and their guests, such as a lobby or garden. However, some Common Areas may be "Restricted" or "Exclusive Use" Common Areas with access limited to certain homeowners (this is often true with swimming pools and spas especially when there are multiple HOAs within a CID), or may be restricted to just one homeowner, such as a roof, deck, balcony, or patio. In some instances, the homeowner may be responsible for maintenance of certain Restricted or Exclusive Use Common Areas. You should determine for yourself whether there are any restrictions affecting the Common Areas which could impact your intended use and enjoyment of the property.
9. **Parking and Storage:** You should determine for yourself whether the allotted parking space(s) are adequate to park your vehicle(s) in the assigned spaces by actually parking in those spaces. Parking space(s) and storage space(s), if any, may be described in a Condominium Map or in the Preliminary Report issued by a Title Company. The actual markings, striping and numbering of these space(s) may not accurately reflect the actual spaces and may be in conflict with the space(s) designated in the recorded documents. It is therefore crucial that you personally determine if the parking and storage space(s) that are designated in the recorded documents are actually the space(s) being transferred to you and that those space(s) are acceptable for your needs and intended uses of the property.
10. **Litigation:** Many CIDs have been involved in, or are presently involved in, or may become involved in, litigation regarding the design, construction, maintenance and/or condition of all or a part of the Development. Whether or not these lawsuits are successful, litigation is expensive, and the cost of such legal actions may impact not only the adequacy of the HOA reserves but also the amount of current or future assessments. Such litigation may also impact the willingness of lenders to make a loan secured by the property, and buyer's ability to obtain a loan to purchase the property.
11. **Special Needs:** HOA documents may limit the number and size of animals allowed in units. Fair Housing Laws may impact the effect of such rules on "service" and/or "companion" animals. HOAs on their own, or because of local ordinances, may limit or completely ban smoking and/or vaping in common areas or units. The ability for new buyers to rent units and/or to operate any type of business may also be limited or completely forbidden. Therefore, it is important that you review all HOA documents to ascertain whether there are any limitations on your particular needs or planned use of the property.
12. **Brokers:** Real estate licensees who forward HOA documentation to you have not verified and will not verify either the information provided or the completeness or accuracy of the documentation unless they agree to do so in writing.

The undersigned Buyer acknowledges receipt of this 2-page Advisory.

Buyer: _____ Date: _____

Buyer: _____ Date: _____

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BUYER HOMEOWNERS' INSURANCE ADVISORY

(C.A.R. Form BHIA, 6/24)

- 1. IMPORTANCE OF OBTAINING PROPERTY INSURANCE:** If the property you are purchasing is destroyed or damaged due to natural disaster or accident or some other event, insurance may be available to help with the cost of repair or rebuilding. In the absence of property insurance, the homeowner would be responsible for the full expense. If the property is purchased with a loan, or refinanced, the lender will require an insurance policy protecting its interest. Insurance policies can cover damage due to one or more of the following: fire, flood, earthquake and other causes. The policy or an insurance broker should be consulted to determine when coverage applies and whether a supplement or rider can be purchased to provide additional coverage or if a separate policy is necessary.
- 2. PROPERTY INSURANCE AND PURCHASE CONTRACT TERMS:** Your real estate purchase contract may contain a contingency that gives you the right to legally cancel the agreement within a specified time if you are unable to obtain or afford property insurance. This cancellation right may be a specific contingency pertaining to insurance **or may be part of an overall investigation contingency.** If buyer waives or removes the applicable contingency before determining the availability and cost of property insurance, buyer is acting against the advice of broker. **Additionally, if the property is part of an HOA, lenders may require and buyers will want to know that the HOA has adequate insurance to cover the areas for which the HOA is responsible.**
- 3. CALIFORNIA'S PROPERTY INSURANCE MARKET:** Some insurance carriers in California have stopped issuing new property insurance policies and others are limiting the number and location of new policies, **due to rising replacement costs and an increase in natural disasters.** These changes may affect both the availability and cost of insurance. However, over 50 insurance carriers are admitted to sell property insurance in California so it may be possible to obtain insurance even if some carriers will not write a new policy covering the property you intend to buy. An insurance broker may also be able to find a non-admitted insurance carrier offering to insure the property you intend to buy. Because locating an affordable insurance policy could take time and effort, buyers are advised to make all insurance inquiries as early in the home buying process as possible.
- 4. INSURANCE CONDITIONS:** Many insurance carriers impose physical condition standards before issuing a policy, or reserve the right to cancel policies even after they are issued, if certain minimum standards are not confirmed in an inspection or otherwise. Physical conditions standards could include, but are not limited to, prohibition of "knob and tube" electrical wiring, requirements related to piping/plumbing materials, standards related to the age and/or quality of the roof or foundation, minimal safety standards related to handrails, tripping hazards, and defensible space requirements.
- 5. RESOURCES:** The California Department of Insurance (DOI) maintains a website addressing Residential Home insurance. Resources on this State government webpage include: **(i)** Top Ten tips for Finding Residential Insurance; **(ii)** Residential Insurance Company Contact List; **(iii)** Home Insurance Finder; and **(iv)** information on other insurance issues. The webpage also includes information on how to contact the DOI, and suggestions on what to do if you cannot find insurance. The webpage and link to other documents is located at <https://www.insurance.ca.gov/01-consumers/105-type/5-residential/index.cfm>.
- 6. BROKER RECOMMENDATION:** Buyer is advised to explore available property insurance options early in the home buying process and to consult with a qualified insurance professional of buyer's choosing to understand insurance availability and cost prior to removal of any related contingencies. Real estate brokers do not have expertise in this area.

By signing below, Buyer acknowledges that Buyer has read, understands, and has received a copy of this Buyer Homeowners' Insurance Advisory.

Buyer: _____ Date: _____

Buyer: _____ Date: _____

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BUYER IDENTIFICATION OF PREFERENCES AND PRIORITIES, NO. _____

(C.A.R. Form BIPP, 6/24)

This Buyer Identification of Preferences and Priorities, No. _____ is intended to supersede and replace any previously dated Identification of Buyer Preferences and Priorities.

1. PARTIES AND PROPERTY: _____ (“Buyer”),
and _____ (“Broker”)

have (OR have not) entered into a Buyer Representation Agreement, dated _____, beginning on _____ (date) (“Representation Agreement”) for the acquisition of property (“Property”), if applicable as described therein.

2. IDENTIFICATION OF BUYER PREFERENCES: Buyer and Broker agree that it is beneficial to both if Buyer identifies, in writing, Buyer’s preferences and priorities for the purchase of Property. Although the information provided herein is only intended to represent a general expression of Buyer’s needs, wants and concerns as of the date signed below, Broker will use the information to narrow the parameter Broker uses in searching for property that might be acceptable to Buyer. Buyer acknowledges that Buyer’s preferences and priorities may change over time, and that current housing inventory and other market conditions as well as Buyer’s financial position will determine how many of Buyer’s preferences and priorities can be achieved in acquiring Property. Many buyers ultimately make compromises when choosing which properties to make offers on and acquire. It is Buyer’s responsibility to determine whether any property meets some, all, or enough of Buyers preferences and priorities.

3. BUYER PREFERENCES AND PRIORITIES (check all that apply):

A. Price Range: \$ _____ to \$ _____

B. Property Use:
 Primary residence, Second home, Income producing, Relative personal use Other _____

C. Property Type:
 Single Family Residence, Duplex, Triplex, Fourplex
 Condominium (apartment style, townhouse style) Tenancy in Common
 Manufactured / Mobile home, (In a park, On its own lot)
 Pre-owned New construction

D. Property Features:
 Minimum # of bedrooms: _____ Minimum # of bathrooms: _____
 Minimum square footage: _____ Maximum square footage: _____
 Single story, Multi-level, Corner lot
 Yard (Grass, Drought tolerant), Pool (built-in above ground)
 Solar Panels (leased/liened, owned outright, any), Gas appliances, Electric appliances
 School district: _____
 Accessibility/Disability features: _____

E. Location: City(ies): _____ County(ies): _____

F. Other (Any other desired features or matters of concern or importance to Buyer, whether based on previous experience, prior offers, expectations, intended future use, financial ability to make repairs or improvements, or otherwise): _____

4. CONFIDENTIALITY: The preferences and priorities identified herein are intended as confidential information as that term is defined in Civil Code § 2079.13 et seq. Regardless of agency relationship in any transaction involving Buyer and Broker, these preferences and priorities will not be disclosed to any seller or seller’s agent except as Buyer authorizes Broker.

5. IDENTIFICATION OF AND CHANGES TO PREFERENCES AND PRIORITIES: Buyer represents that Buyer is not aware of any other material significant preferences and priorities concerning Buyer’s effort to acquire property. Buyer has not made any verbal representations to Broker of additional preferences and priorities. Buyer agrees to notify Broker, in writing, of any change to Buyer’s preferences and priorities.

By signing below, Buyer understands, acknowledges and agrees that Broker cannot guarantee that any property will meet any or all of Buyer’s preferences and priorities and that it is Buyer’s responsibility to determine to what extent any property meets Buyer’s preferences and priorities.

Buyer has read, understands, and received a Copy of this Identification of Buyer Preferences and Priorities. Buyer is encouraged to read it carefully.

Buyer _____ Date: _____

Buyer _____ Date: _____

I acknowledge receipt of a copy of this Buyer Wants and Needs.

Real Estate Broker (Firm) _____ DRE License # _____

By (Agent) _____ DRE License # _____ Date: _____

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BUSINESS LISTING AGREEMENT

(C.A.R. Form BLA, Revised 6/24)

(A separate listing agreement is required for any real property to be included in the sale.)

1. EXCLUSIVE AUTHORIZATION: _____ ("Seller") doing business as: _____ a (check one) [] sole proprietor, [] partnership, [] corporation, [] limited liability company, [] other _____, [] a franchise of _____ hereby employs and grants _____ ("Broker") beginning (date) _____ and ending at 11:59 P.M. on (date) _____ ("Listing Period") the exclusive and irrevocable right to sell the business situated in the City of _____, County of _____, California, commonly described as: _____ ("Business").

2. BUSINESS DISCLOSURE STATEMENT:

- A. PURPOSE OF BDS: Seller acknowledges and agrees that the attached Business Disclosure Statement ("BDS") is provided to Broker as: (i) a tool to assist in establishing the listing price; (ii) a disclosure of material facts regarding the operation of the Business; and (iii) a proposal of items included in or excluded from the offering of the Business for sale.
B. RELATION TO PURCHASE AGREEMENT: Seller acknowledges and agrees that: (i) the agreement between Seller and Buyer supersedes any intention expressed in the BDS and will ultimately determine which items are either included in or excluded from the sale; and (ii) Broker is not responsible for and does not guarantee that the items included or excluded in the BDS will be in the agreement.
C. SELLER WARRANTY: Seller warrants the accuracy of the information furnished herein, and on the attached BDS, or as modified hereafter with respect to the Business, and Seller agrees to indemnify, defend and hold harmless Broker from all claims, costs, expenses, disputes, litigation, arbitration, judgments and awards arising from any incorrect information supplied by Seller or from any material fact that Seller knows but fails to disclose.
D. AUTHORIZATION: Broker is authorized to provide the BDS to prospective buyers.

3. DOCUMENTATION: Seller shall provide to Broker the following lists of items or documents, or copies thereof, within 10 calendar days of the execution of this agreement. For each item, as applicable, Seller shall include a statement of whether the item is owned or leased and whether Seller has any legal, proprietary interest, or intellectual property rights in, or restrictions on, the item:

- [] Inventory, including work progress [] Signs and advertising materials
[] Machinery [] Telephone and fax numbers
[] Furniture, fixtures, and other equipment [] Websites, URL names and E-mail addresses
[] Other personal property [] Social Media Accounts
[] Leases [] Customer lists
[] Leasehold improvements [] Vendor lists and catalogs
[] Government licenses and permits [] Employee lists, and employee information (C.A.R form BP-ECET)
[] Franchise agreements [] Goodwill
[] Fictitious business name statement [] Distribution rights
[] Trade names and trademarks [] Agreements not to compete
[] Logos [] Computer and customer software
[] Copyrights and patents [] Customer deposits/Gift Certificates
[] Schedule of accounts receivable [] Allocation of Purchase Price
[] Business appraisal [] Other assets: _____
[] Other assets: _____ [] Other assets: _____
[] Other assets: _____ [] Other assets: _____
[] Schedule of accounts payable [] Service/maintenance/advertising agreements
[] Other Liabilities: _____

SELLER REPRESENTS THAT: (i) THE BOOKS AND RECORDS THAT SELLER PROVIDES ARE THOSE MAINTAINED IN THE ORDINARY AND NORMAL COURSE OF BUSINESS; AND (ii) FEDERAL AND STATE TAX RETURNS THAT SELLER PROVIDES ARE COPIES OF THOSE FILED WITH THE APPLICABLE GOVERNMENTAL AGENCY.

4. REAL PROPERTY:

- A. INTENTION TO SELL: [] (If checked) Seller owns the real property on which the Business operates and intends that the sale of the Business is contingent upon Seller's sale of such real property. A separate real property listing agreement is required.
B. RELATION TO PURCHASE AGREEMENT: Seller acknowledges and agrees that: (i) the agreement between Seller and Buyer supersedes any intention expressed above in paragraph 4A and will ultimately determine whether any real property is included in the sale or whether the sale of the Business is contingent upon the sale of any real property, and (ii) Broker is not responsible for and does not guarantee that any real property will be included in the purchase agreement or that the sale will be contingent upon the sale of any real property.

5. TERMS OF SALE:

A. LIST PRICE: The list price shall be _____ Dollars (\$ _____)
B. ADDITIONAL PURCHASE TERMS: _____



6. COMPENSATION TO BROKER:

- A.** Seller agrees to pay to Broker as compensation for services irrespective of agency relationship(s): EITHER ____ percent of the list price (or if a contract is entered into, of the contract price) (compensation due Broker shall be calculated on all assets of the Business that are either offered for sale on the BDS or in the contract entered into, whichever is applicable), OR \$ _____, as follows:
 - (1) If during the Listing Period, or any extension, Broker, cooperating broker, Seller or any other person procures a ready, willing, and able buyer(s) whose offer to acquire the Business on any price and terms is accepted by Seller, provided the Buyer completes the transaction or is prevented from doing so by Seller. (Broker is entitled to compensation whether any escrow resulting from such offer closes during or after the expiration of the Listing Period, or any extension.)
 - (2) If Seller, within **180** (or _____) **calendar days** after the end of the Listing Period or any extension, enters into a contract to sell, convey, lease or otherwise transfer the Business to anyone ("Prospective Buyer") or that person's related entity: **(i)** who physically entered and was shown the Business during the Listing Period or any extension by Broker or a cooperating broker; **(ii)** for whom Broker or any cooperating broker submitted to Seller a signed, written offer to acquire, lease, exchange or obtain an option on the Business; or **(iii)** to whom Broker submitted written information regarding the Business at the request of such person. Seller, however, shall have no obligation to Broker under this **paragraph 6A(2)** unless, not later than **10 calendar days** after the end of the Listing Period or any extension, Broker has given Seller a written notice of the names of such Prospective Buyers. A Prospective Buyer shall not include a person to whom Broker furnished unsolicited information concerning the Business.
 - (3) If, without Broker's prior written consent, the Business is: **(i)** withdrawn from the market; **(ii)** sold, conveyed, exchanged, optioned, or otherwise transferred; or **(iii)** made unmarketable by a voluntary act of Seller during the Listing Period, or any extension.
 - (4) If, without Broker's prior written consent, the entire entity a majority interest in the entity that owns the Business is transferred. Seller acknowledges that Broker may perform an online search of the Secretary of State database to determine the entity status of the ownership of the Business. Broker is not licensed to sell stock, or partnership interests, or other business entity interests. Seller will seek the advice of a qualified broker or attorney if the transaction is to be accomplished as the sale of an entire or partial interest in an entity rather than the sale of assets by an entity.
- B.** If Seller enters into a listing agreement with another broker within the time period set forth in **paragraph 6A(2)**, Seller shall provide to such broker the names of Prospective Buyers, as supplied to Seller by Broker.
- C.** If completion of the transaction is prevented by a party to the transaction other than Seller, then compensation due under **paragraph 6A** shall be payable only if and when Seller collects damages by suit, arbitration, settlement, or otherwise, and then in an amount equal to the lesser of one-half of the damages recovered or the above compensation, after first deducting title and escrow expenses and the expenses of collection, if any.
- D.** In addition, Seller agrees to pay Broker: _____
- E.** Seller has been advised on Broker's policy regarding cooperation with, and the amount of compensation offered to, buyer's brokers. Broker is authorized to cooperate and compensate brokers: **(i)** in any manner consistent with that policy, **OR (ii)** (if checked) Broker shall only offer: either ____ percent of the sales price, or \$ _____.
- F.** Seller hereby irrevocably assigns to Broker the above compensation from Seller's funds and proceeds in escrow. Broker may submit this listing agreement to any escrow holder as instructions to compensate Broker pursuant to **paragraph 6A**, if the terms of compensation are consistent with the business purchase agreement between Seller and the buyer.
- G.** (1) Seller represents that Seller has not previously entered into a listing agreement with another broker regarding the Business, except as follows: _____
 (2) Seller warrants that Seller has no obligation to pay compensation to any other broker regarding the Business unless the Business is transferred to any of the following individuals or entities: _____
 (3) If the Business is transferred to anyone listed above during the time Seller is obligated to compensate another broker: **(i)** Broker is not entitled to compensation under this Agreement; and **(ii)** Broker is not obligated to represent Seller with respect to such transaction.

7. BUSINESS ESCROW AND APPRAISAL:

- A.** **Business Escrow:** (If checked) Seller agrees to cooperate with and use a business escrow in any resulting sale pursuant to this agreement.
- B.** **Appraisal:** (If checked) Seller agrees to hire and pay for a qualified business appraiser to appraise the Business.

8. MARKETING:

A. MULTIPLE LISTING SERVICE:

- (1) The MLS is a database of properties and businesses for sale that is available and disseminated to and accessible by all other real estate agents who are participants or subscribers to the MLS. Information submitted to the MLS describes the price, terms, and conditions under which the Seller's property or business is offered for sale (including but not limited to the listing broker's offer of compensation to other brokers).
- (2) Information about this listing will not (or will) be provided to the MLS of Broker's selection and all terms of the transaction, including, if applicable, financing, will be provided to the MLS for publication, dissemination and use by persons and entities on terms approved by the MLS. Seller authorizes Broker to comply with all applicable MLS rules.

B. OTHER ADVERTISING PLATFORMS:

- (1) Various other platforms are available to market the Business and provide exposure of what is available on the market. These platforms may be available to not only brokers but also any other individuals who have access to the platform. The rules and terms of use will be dictated by the platform.
- (2) Broker is (or is not) authorized to provide information about the terms of the transaction on any platform that Broker chooses to utilize or only on the following platforms: _____

9. OWNERSHIP OF ASSETS:

- A.** Unless otherwise agreed, Seller warrants that, except as specified in writing: **(i)** Seller has good and marketable ownership to the business and personal property that are offered for sale; and **(ii)** The business and personal property either are free of liens or are capable of being transferred free of liens.
- B.** Upon close of escrow, Seller shall provide any buyer with a Bill of Sale covering the assets of the Business.



Business Name: _____ Date: _____

10. SELLER REPRESENTATIONS: Seller represents that unless otherwise specified in writing, Seller is unaware of: **(i)** any Notice of Default recorded against the Business; **(ii)** any delinquent amounts due under any loan secured by, or other obligation affecting, the Business; **(iii)** any bankruptcy, insolvency or similar proceeding affecting the Business; **(iv)** any current, pending or proposed special assessments affecting the Business; or **(v)** any pending or threatened action or adverse condition which does or may affect the Business or Seller's ability to transfer it, including but not limited to, any litigation, arbitration, administrative action, or government investigation. Seller is not aware of any UCC lien or other encumbrances on the Business or Business assets, except: _____

Seller shall promptly notify Broker in writing if Seller becomes aware of any of these items during the term or any extension of the Listing Period.

11. BROKER'S AND SELLER'S DUTIES: Broker agrees to exercise reasonable effort and due diligence to achieve the purposes of this agreement. Unless Seller gives Broker written instructions to the contrary, Broker is authorized to advertise and market the Business, including the Business name and address, in any method and in any medium, including the internet, selected by Broker, and, to the extent permitted by these media, including MLS, control the dissemination of the information submitted to any medium. Seller agrees to consider offers presented by Broker, and to act in good faith toward accomplishing the transfer of the Business. Seller agrees to immediately refer to Broker any party interested in the Business. All negotiations are to be disclosed to Broker. Seller agrees to provide Broker and transferee(s) all written disclosures, as required by law. Seller further agrees to immediately disclose in writing any condition known to Seller that affects the Business, including, but not limited to, any past or current generation, storage, release, threatened release, disposal, and presence and location of asbestos, PCB transformers, petroleum products, flammable explosives, underground storage tanks and other hazardous, toxic or contaminated substance or condition in, on, or about the Business. Seller shall maintain public liability and property damage insurance on the Business during the Listing Period, or any extension. Seller waives all subrogation rights under any insurance against Broker, cooperating brokers or employees. **Seller further agrees to indemnify, defend and hold Broker harmless from all claims, disputes, litigation, judgments and attorney fees arising from any incorrect information supplied by Seller, or from any material facts that Seller knows but fails to disclose.**

12. DEPOSIT: Broker is authorized to accept and hold on Seller's behalf a deposit to be applied toward the sales price.

13. SIGN: Seller does not (or does) authorize Broker to install a FOR SALE/SOLD sign on the Business premises.

14. INSPECTIONS: Seller shall make the Business available for all inspections called for in any purchase agreement.

15. CONFIDENTIALITY AND NON-DISCLOSURE AGREEMENT:

A. Information about the Business will need to be disclosed to buyers and potentially to interested buyers. This may include financial information or other information that Seller may wish to keep confidential. In order to do so, Seller will need to obtain a confidentiality agreement with a buyer. If a buyer is unwilling to sign a confidentiality agreement or the buyer finds the process too burdensome, they may choose not to make an offer.

B. Seller instructs Broker to obtain a confidentiality agreement (C.A.R. Form CML-CNDA) from a buyer or potential buyer before disclosing any confidential information.

16. AGENCY RELATIONSHIPS:

A. Seller Representation: Broker shall represent Seller in any resulting transaction, except as specified in paragraph 6G.

B. Possible Dual Agency With Buyer: Depending upon the circumstances, it may be necessary or appropriate for Broker to act as an agent for both Seller and Buyer, exchange party, or one or more additional parties ("Buyer"). Broker shall, as soon as practicable, disclose to Seller any election to act as a dual agent representing both Seller and Buyer. If a Buyer is procured directly by Broker or an associate licensee in Broker's firm, Seller hereby consents to Broker acting as a dual agent for Seller and Buyer. Seller understands and agrees that: a dual agent may not, without the express permission of the respective party, disclose to the other party confidential information, including, but not limited to, facts relating to either the Buyer's or Seller's financial position, motivations, bargaining position, or other personal information that may impact price, including the Seller's willingness to accept a price less than the listing price or the Buyer's willingness to pay a price greater than the price offered; and except as set forth above, a dual agent is obligated to disclose known facts materially affecting the value or desirability of the Property to both parties.

C. Confirmation: Broker shall confirm the agency relationship described above, or as modified, in writing, prior to or concurrent with Seller's execution of a purchase agreement.

D. Potentially Competing Sellers and Buyers: Seller understands that Broker may have or obtain listings on other businesses, and that potential buyers may consider, make offers to, or purchase through Broker, businesses the same as or similar to Seller's Business. Seller consents to Broker's representation of sellers and buyers of other businesses before, during, and after the end of this Agreement. Seller acknowledges the receipt of a "Possible Representation of More than One Buyer or Seller - Disclosure and Consent" (C.A.R. Form PRBS).

E. Termination of Agency Relationship: Seller acknowledges and agrees that the representation duties of, and agency relationship with, Broker terminate at the expiration of this Agreement or, if it occurs first, the completion of any transaction specified in this Agreement.

17. EQUAL OPPORTUNITY: The Business is offered in compliance with federal, state, and local anti-discrimination laws.

18. ATTORNEY FEES: In any action, proceeding, or arbitration between Seller and Broker arising out of this Agreement, Seller and Broker are each responsible for their own attorney's fees and costs, except as provided in **paragraph 20A**.

19. ADDITIONAL TERMS: _____

20. DISPUTE RESOLUTION:

A. MEDIATION: Seller and Broker agree to mediate any dispute or claim arising between them under this Agreement, before resorting to arbitration or court action. (2) Mediation fees, if any, shall be divided equally among the parties involved. (3) If, for any dispute or claim to which this paragraph applies, any party (the non-mediating party) **(i)** commences an action without first attempting to resolve the matter through mediation, or **(ii)** before commencement of an action, refuses to mediate after a request has been made, then if the non-mediating party is the losing party in any such action, the prevailing party in such action shall be entitled to recover attorney fees from the non-mediating party, notwithstanding the terms in **paragraph 18**. (4) Exclusions from this mediation agreement are specified in **paragraph 20B**.



Business: _____ Date: _____

B. ADDITIONAL MEDIATION TERMS: The following matters shall be excluded from mediation: (i) a judicial or non-judicial foreclosure or other action or proceeding to enforce a deed of trust, mortgage or installment land sale contract as defined in Civil Code §2985; (ii) an unlawful detainer action; (iii) the filing or enforcement of a mechanic's lien; and (iv) any matter that is within the jurisdiction of a probate, small claims or bankruptcy court. The filing of a court action to enable the recording of a notice of pending action, for order of attachment, receivership, injunction, or other provisional remedies, shall not constitute a waiver or violation of the mediation provisions.

C. ARBITRATION ADVISORY: If Seller and Broker desire to resolve disputes arising between them through arbitration rather than court, they can document their agreement by attaching and signing an Arbitration Agreement (C.A.R. Form ARB).

21. ENTIRE CONTRACT: All prior discussions, negotiations, and agreements between the parties concerning the subject matter of this listing agreement are superseded by this listing agreement, which constitutes the entire contract and a complete and exclusive expression of their agreement, and may not be contradicted by evidence of any prior agreement or contemporaneous oral agreement. If any provision of this listing agreement is held to be ineffective or invalid, the remaining provisions will nevertheless be given full force and effect. This listing agreement and any supplement, addendum, or modification, including any photocopy or facsimile, may be executed in counterparts. This listing agreement and any addendum or modification shall be binding upon, and inure to the benefit of, the heirs, successors and assignees of the parties.

22. LEGALLY AUTHORIZED SIGNER: Wherever the signature or initials of the Legally Authorized Signer, identified in the signature block below, appear on this Agreement or any related documents, it shall be deemed to be in a representative capacity for the entity described and not in an individual capacity, unless otherwise indicated. The Legally Authorized Signer (i) represents that the entity for which that person is acting already exists and is in good standing to do business in California and (ii) shall deliver to Broker, within **3 Days** after execution of this Agreement, evidence of authority to act in that capacity (such as but not limited to: applicable portion of the trust or Certification Of Trust (Probate Code § 18100.5), letters testamentary, court order, power of attorney, corporate resolution, or formation documents of the business entity).

By signing below, Seller acknowledges that Seller has read, understands, accepts, and has received a copy of this Agreement, including any attached schedule of compensation. If additional signatures are required, use an addendum.

ENTITY SELLER: (Note: If this paragraph is completed, a Representative Capacity Signature Disclosure (C.A.R. Form RCSD) is not required for the Legally Authorized Signers designated below.)

1. One or more Sellers is a trust, corporation, LLC, probate estate, partnership, other entity or holds a power of attorney.
2. This Agreement is being Signed by a Legally Authorized Signer in a representative capacity and not for him/herself as an individual. See **paragraph 22** for additional terms.
3. The name(s) of the Legally Authorized Signer(s) is: _____.
4. If a trust, identify Seller as trustee(s) of the trust or by simplified trust name (ex. John Doe, co-trustee, Jane Doe, co-trustee or Doe Revocable Family Trust).
5. If the entity is a trust or under probate, the following is the full name of the trust or probate case, including case #: _____

SELLER SIGNATURE(S):

(Signature) By, _____ Date: _____

Printed name of SELLER: _____

Printed Name of Legally Authorized Signer: _____ Title, if applicable, _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Email _____ Phone # _____

(Signature) By, _____ Date: _____

Printed name of SELLER: _____

Printed Name of Legally Authorized Signer: _____ Title, if applicable, _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Email _____ Phone # _____

Additional Signature Addendum attached (C.A.R. Form ASA)

BROKER SIGNATURE(S):

Real Estate Broker (Firm) _____ DRE Lic# _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

By _____ Tel. _____ E-mail _____ DRE Lic# _____ Date _____

By _____ Tel. _____ E-mail _____ DRE Lic# _____ Date _____

Two Brokers with different companies are co-listing the Property. Co-listing Broker information is on the attached Additional Broker Acknowledgement (C.A.R. Form ABA).

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**BUSINESS PURCHASE AGREEMENT
AND JOINT ESCROW INSTRUCTIONS**
(C.A.R. Form BPA, Revised 6/24)

Date Prepared: _____

1. OFFER:

A. THIS IS AN OFFER FROM _____ (“Buyer”).

Individual(s), A Corporation, A Partnership, An LLC, Other _____.

B. THE BUSINESS to be acquired is doing business as (with a filed fictitious business name) _____, and is situated at _____ (Address), _____ (City), _____ (County), California, _____ (Zip Code), (“Business”).
(Postal/Mailing address may be different from city jurisdiction. Buyer is advised to investigate.)

C. PURCHASE OF REAL PROPERTY: The sale is contingent upon the ability of Buyer’s or Buyer’s related entity to purchase, concurrently with the Close Of Escrow, the real property on which the Business operates. A separate Real Property Purchase Agreement is required (C.A.R. Form CPA).

D. THE TERMS OF THE PURCHASE ARE SPECIFIED BELOW AND ON THE FOLLOWING PAGES.

E. Buyer and Seller are referred to herein as the “Parties.” Brokers and Agents are **not** Parties to this Agreement.

2. AGENCY:

A. DISCLOSURE: The Parties each acknowledge receipt of a “Disclosure Regarding Real Estate Agency Relationships” (C.A.R. Form AD) if represented by a real estate licensee. Buyer’s Agent is not legally required to give to Seller’s Agent the AD form Signed by Buyer. Seller’s Agent is not legally obligated to give to Buyer’s Agent the AD form Signed by Seller.

B. CONFIRMATION: The following agency relationships are hereby confirmed for this transaction.

Seller’s Brokerage Firm _____ License Number _____

Is the broker of (check one): the Seller; or both the Buyer and Seller (Dual Agent).

Seller’s Agent _____ License Number _____

Is (check one): the Seller’s Agent (Salesperson or broker associate); or both the Buyer’s and Seller’s Agent (Dual Agent).

Buyer’s Brokerage Firm _____ License Number _____

Is the broker of (check one): the Buyer; or both the Buyer and Seller (Dual Agent).

Buyer’s Agent _____ License Number _____

Is (check one): the Buyer’s Agent (Salesperson or broker associate); or both the Buyer’s and Seller’s Agent (Dual Agent).

C. More than one Brokerage represents Seller, Buyer. See, Additional Broker Acknowledgement (C.A.R. Form ABA).

D. POTENTIALLY COMPETING BUYERS AND SELLERS: The Parties each acknowledge receipt of a “Possible Representation of More than One Buyer or Seller - Disclosure and Consent” (C.A.R. Form PRBS).

3. TERMS OF PURCHASE AND ALLOCATION OF COSTS: The items in this paragraph are contractual terms of the Agreement. Referenced paragraphs provide further explanation. This form is 15 pages. The Parties are advised to read all 15 pages.

	Paragraph #	Paragraph Title or Contract Term	Terms and Conditions	Additional Terms
A	5, 5B (cash)	Purchase Price	\$ _____	<input type="checkbox"/> All Cash
B(1)	9B(6)	Inventory Value	Inventory Estimated Value is (<input type="checkbox"/> IS NOT) included in Purchase Price	Estimated Value: \$ _____ OR <input type="checkbox"/> shall be provided within 10 (or _____) Days after Acceptance
B(2)	9B(6)	Confirmation of Inventory	To be made by 3rd party OR <input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller	within 10 (or _____) Days prior to Close of Escrow
C		Close Of Escrow (COE)	_____ Days after Acceptance OR on _____ (date) (mm/dd/yyyy)	
D	43A	Expiration of Offer	3 calendar days after all Buyer Signature(s) or _____ (date) at 5PM or <input type="checkbox"/> AM/ <input type="checkbox"/> PM	
E(1)	5A(1)	Initial Deposit Amount	\$ _____	within 3 (or _____) business days after Acceptance by wire transfer OR <input type="checkbox"/> _____
E(2)	5A(2)	<input type="checkbox"/> Increased Deposit	\$ _____	Upon removal of all contingencies OR <input type="checkbox"/> _____ (date) OR <input type="checkbox"/> _____
F(1)	5C(1)	Loan Amount(s): First Interest Rate Points	\$ _____ (_____% of purchase price) Fixed rate or <input type="checkbox"/> Initial adjustable rate, • not to exceed _____% • Buyer to pay up to _____ points to obtain rate above	Small Business Administration <input type="checkbox"/> Seller Financing (SFA attached) <input type="checkbox"/> To be secured by real property <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____



Business Name: _____

Date: _____

	Paragraph #	Paragraph Title or Contract Term	Terms and Conditions	Additional Terms
F(2)	5C(2)	Additional Financed Amount Interest Rate Points	\$ _____ (_____ % of purchase price) Fixed rate or <input type="checkbox"/> Initial adjustable rate • not to exceed _____ % • Buyer to pay up to _____ points to obtain rate above	Seller Financing (SFA attached) <input type="checkbox"/> To be secured by real property <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____
F(3)	5C(4)	<input type="checkbox"/> Real Property Security: The loan specified in 3F(2) (<input type="checkbox"/> 3F(1)) shall be secured by a first (<input type="checkbox"/> _____) deed of trust on real property identified as _____ (<input type="checkbox"/> TBD within _____ Days after Acceptance) and owned by Buyer or Buyer related individual or entity (<input type="checkbox"/> _____) in addition to (<input type="checkbox"/> instead of) being secured by the assets of the Business.		
G	5D	Balance of Down Payment	\$ _____	
		PURCHASE PRICE TOTAL	\$ _____	

H(1)		Seller Credit, if any, to Buyer	<input type="checkbox"/> \$ _____	Seller credit to be applied to closing costs OR <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____
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H(2)	ADDITIONAL FINANCE TERMS: _____			
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J(1)	5B	Verification of All Cash (sufficient funds)	Attached to the offer or <input type="checkbox"/> 3 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	
J(2)	6A	Verification of Down Payment and Closing Costs	Attached to the offer or <input type="checkbox"/> 3 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	
J(3)	6B	Verification of Loan Application	30 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	<input type="checkbox"/> Lender Letter of Intent OR <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____

K	30	Assignment Request	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	
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L	8	CONTINGENCIES	TIME TO REMOVE CONTINGENCIES	ADDITIONAL INFORMATION
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L(1)	8A	Loan(s)	60 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	<input type="checkbox"/> No loan contingency
L(2)	8B	Appraisal: Appraisal contingency based upon appraised value at a minimum of purchase price or <input type="checkbox"/> \$ _____	60 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	<input type="checkbox"/> No appraisal contingency

L(3)	8C, 15	Investigation of Business (excluding inventory)	30 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	
		Informational Access to the Business and the Premises on which it is located 45 (or _____) Days after Acceptance Buyer's right to access is for informational purposes only is NOT a contingency and does NOT create additional cancellation rights for Buyer.		

L(4)	8D	<input type="checkbox"/> Environmental Investigation (Phase 1 or <input type="checkbox"/> _____)	30 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	
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L(5)	8E, 17A	Review of Seller Documents	30 (or _____) Days after Acceptance, or 10 Days after Delivery, whichever is later	
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L(6)	1C, 8F	Purchase of Real Property	Through COE if checked in paragraph 1C	
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L(7)	8G	Lease (check all that apply) <input type="checkbox"/> Assignment of existing lease <input type="checkbox"/> New lease <input type="checkbox"/> Option to extend existing lease for an additional _____ year(s) <input type="checkbox"/> Sublease with Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____	45 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	Lease application to be submitted by 15 (or _____) Days after Acceptance
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L(8)	8H	Licenses/Permits with city, county, and state, if applicable (check all that apply) <input type="checkbox"/> Alcohol Beverage Control <input type="checkbox"/> Tobacco <input type="checkbox"/> Professional License <input type="checkbox"/> Health Permit <input type="checkbox"/> Conditional Use Permit <input type="checkbox"/> Business License <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____	Through COE (or _____) Days after Acceptance	Application/paperwork to be submitted by 30 (or _____) Days after Acceptance
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Business Name: _____

Date: _____

L		CONTINGENCIES	TIME TO REMOVE CONTINGENCIES	ADDITIONAL INFORMATION
L(9)	8I	Franchise Agreement Acceptance by Franchisor	30 (or _____) Days after Acceptance Through COE (or _____) Days after Acceptance	
L(10)	8J, 9B(2)	Review of leased or liened items	30 (or _____) Days after Acceptance, or 5 Days after Delivery, whichever is later	
M		Documents/Fees/Compliance	Time for Performance	
M(1)	15A	Seller Delivery of Documents	7 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	
M(2)	26B	Sign and return Escrow Holder General Provisions, Supplemental Instructions	5 (or _____) Days after Delivery	
M(3)	39	Evidence of representative authority	3 Days after Acceptance	
N Assets Included and Excluded				
N(1)	9	Assets Included - All assets specified in Paragraph 9B are included AND the following, if checked: <input type="checkbox"/> Alcoholic Beverage Control License (indicate license type): _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Tobacco License(s) _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Conditional Use permit _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Inventory _____ <input type="checkbox"/> _____ <input type="checkbox"/> _____ <input type="checkbox"/> _____		
N(2)	9	Excluded Assets: <input type="checkbox"/> _____; <input type="checkbox"/> _____; <input type="checkbox"/> _____		
N(3)	9	Liabilities Included - Buyer is NOT purchasing any liabilities of the Business EXCEPT items checked below: <input type="checkbox"/> Accounts payable, per attached _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Service, maintenance, and advertising agreements, per attached; _____ <input type="checkbox"/> City/County/State license; _____		
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P Allocation of Costs				
	Paragraph #	Item Description	Who Pays (if Both is checked, cost to be split equally unless Otherwise Agreed)	Additional Terms
P(1)		_____ Report	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
P(2)		_____ Report	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
P(3)	13B	Environmental Survey (Phase one)	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
P(4)	10A 10C(1)	Government Required Point of Sale inspections, reports	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
P(5)	10C(1)	Government Required Point of Sale corrective/remedial actions	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
P(6)	26B	Escrow Fees	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Each to pay their own fees	Escrow Holder: _____
P(7)		License fees <input type="checkbox"/> Alcohol Beverage Control License <input type="checkbox"/> _____ <input type="checkbox"/> _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
P(8)	10B	Sales and Use Tax	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
P(9)	22	UCC Search	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
P(10)	21	Publication and Recordation for Bulk Transfer, if applicable	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
P(11)	3B, 9B(6)	Confirmation of Inventory	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
P(12)		_____ fees or costs	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	



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Q		SELLER DISCLOSURES; BUYER INVESTIGATION: <input type="checkbox"/> Inventory, including work progress <input type="checkbox"/> Machinery <input type="checkbox"/> Furniture, fixtures, and other equipment <input type="checkbox"/> Other personal property <input type="checkbox"/> Leases <input type="checkbox"/> Leasehold improvements <input type="checkbox"/> Government licenses and permits <input type="checkbox"/> Franchise agreements <input type="checkbox"/> Fictitious business name statement <input type="checkbox"/> Trade names and trademarks <input type="checkbox"/> Logos <input type="checkbox"/> Copyrights and patents <input type="checkbox"/> Schedule of accounts receivable <input type="checkbox"/> Business appraisal <input type="checkbox"/> Other assets: _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Other assets: _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Schedule of accounts payable <input type="checkbox"/> Other Liabilities: _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Sales tax returns for the years _____ to _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Federal and state income tax returns for the years _____ to _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Employment withholding returns for the years _____ to _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Financial statements for date range _____ to _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Flash Report/Sale Report/POS System Report for date range _____ to _____		
R	17	NOTICE OF VIOLATIONS, if any: _____ Seller shall (or <input type="checkbox"/> shall not) cure any such Notices by COE (or <input type="checkbox"/> 5 Days prior to COE)		
S	Obligations after Close Of Escrow			
		Item Description	Time	Additional Terms
S(1)	18	Consulting and Training	7 (or _____) days after COE	Not to exceed _____ hours
S(2)	19	<input type="checkbox"/> Agreement not to compete	_____ years	_____ miles from current location
T	OTHER TERMS: _____ _____ _____			

4. ADDENDA AND ADVISORIES: (check all that apply)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Addendum # _____ (C.A.R. Form ADM) | <input type="checkbox"/> Probate Agreement Purchase Addendum (C.A.R. Form PA-PA) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Back Up Offer Addendum (C.A.R. Form BUO) | <input type="checkbox"/> Court Confirmation Addendum (C.A.R. Form CCA) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ |

5. ADDITIONAL TERMS AFFECTING PURCHASE PRICE: Buyer represents that funds will be good when deposited with Escrow Holder.

A. DEPOSIT:

- (1) **INITIAL DEPOSIT:** Buyer shall deliver deposit directly to Escrow Holder. If a method other than wire transfer is specified in **paragraph 3E(1)** and such method is unacceptable to Escrow Holder, then upon notice from Escrow Holder, delivery shall be by wire transfer.
- (2) **INCREASED DEPOSIT:** Increased deposit to be delivered to Escrow Holder in the same manner as the Initial Deposit. If the Parties agree to liquidated damages in this Agreement, they also agree to incorporate the increased deposit into the liquidated damages amount by signing a new liquidated damages clause (C.A.R. Form DID) at the time the increased deposit is delivered to Escrow Holder.
- (3) **RETENTION OF DEPOSIT: Paragraph 40, if initialed by all Parties or otherwise incorporated into this Agreement, specifies a remedy for Buyer's default. Buyer and Seller are advised to consult with a qualified California attorney: (i) Before adding any other clause specifying a remedy (such as release or forfeiture of deposit or making a deposit non-refundable) for failure of Buyer to complete the purchase. Any such clause shall be deemed invalid unless the clause independently satisfies the statutory liquidated damages requirements set forth in the Civil Code; and (ii) Regarding possible liability and remedies if Buyer fails to deliver the deposit.**

B. ALL CASH OFFER: If an all cash offer is specified in **paragraph 3A**, no loan is needed to purchase the Business. This Agreement is NOT contingent on Buyer obtaining a loan. Buyer shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3J(1)**, Deliver written verification of funds sufficient for the purchase price and closing costs.

C. LOAN(S):

- (1) **FIRST LOAN:** This loan will provide for Small Business Administration financing **UNLESS** Seller Financing or Other is checked in **paragraph 3F(1)**.
- (2) **ADDITIONAL FINANCED AMOUNT:** If an additional financed amount is specified in **paragraph 3F(2)**, that amount will provide for Seller Financing **UNLESS** Other is checked in **paragraph 3F(2)**.
- (3) **LOAN SECURED BY BUSINESS ASSETS:** Any loan specified in **paragraph 3F** shall be evidenced by a note in favor of Seller or lender secured by the specified assets of the Business, together with a security agreement in the usual and customary form covering all specified assets of the Business, and a UCC-1 filing to be filed with the Secretary of State, which shall include proceeds of collateral. Buyer shall have the right, at Buyer's expense, to conduct a valuation of the assets within the time specified in **paragraph 3L(3)**. If the assets' value is less than the amount of the loan provided for in **paragraph 3F**, then the amount above the assets' value and below the amount in **paragraph 3F** shall become an unsecured loan, unless real property security is also specified in **paragraph 3F**.
- (4) **LOAN SECURED OR CROSS-SECURED BY REAL PROPERTY:** Seller shall Deliver to Buyer the terms of the note and deed of trust within the time for Seller to deliver documents to the Buyer pursuant to **paragraph 3M(1)**. Buyer shall Deliver to Seller approval of the terms of the note and deed of trust within the time for Buyer to remove the Investigation contingency pursuant to **paragraph 3L(3)**.



Business Name: _____

Date: _____

- (5) **BUYER'S LOAN STATUS:** Buyer authorizes Seller and Seller's Authorized Agent to contact Buyer's lender(s) to determine the status of any Buyer's loan specified in **paragraph 3F**, or any alternate loan Buyer pursues, whether or not a contingency of this Agreement. If the contact information for Buyer's lender(s) is different from that provided under the terms of **paragraph 6B**, Buyer shall Deliver the updated contact information within 1 Day of Seller's request.
- D. **BALANCE OF PURCHASE PRICE (DOWN PAYMENT) (including all-cash funds)** to be deposited with Escrow Holder pursuant to Escrow Holder instructions.
- 6. **ADDITIONAL FINANCING TERMS:**
 - A. **VERIFICATION OF DOWN PAYMENT AND CLOSING COSTS:** Written verification of Buyer's down payment and closing costs may be made by Buyer or Buyer's lender or loan broker pursuant to **paragraph 6B**.
 - B. **VERIFICATION OF LOAN APPLICATIONS:** Buyer shall Deliver to Seller, within the time specified in **paragraph 3J(3)** from Buyer's lender or loan broker, a letter of intent to provide the financing specified in **paragraph 3F** or other evidence of financing as specified in **paragraph 3J(3)**. If any loan specified in **paragraph 3F** is an adjustable rate loan, the lender letter shall be based on the qualifying rate, not the initial loan rate.
 - C. **BUYER STATED FINANCING:** Seller is relying on Buyer's representation of the type of financing specified (including, but not limited to, as applicable, all cash, amount of down payment, or contingent or non-contingent loan). Seller has agreed to a specific closing date, purchase price, and to sell to Buyer in reliance on Buyer's specified financing. Buyer shall pursue the financing specified in this Agreement, even if Buyer also elects to pursue an alternative form of financing. Seller has no obligation to cooperate with Buyer's efforts to obtain any financing other than that specified in this Agreement but shall not interfere with closing at the purchase price on the COE date (**paragraph 3C**) even if based upon alternate financing. Buyer's inability to obtain alternate financing does not excuse Buyer from the obligation to purchase the Business and close escrow as specified in this Agreement.
- 7. **CLOSING AND POSSESSION:**
 - A. **CONDITION OF BUSINESS ON CLOSING:**
 - (1) Unless Otherwise Agreed: (i) the Business shall be delivered "As-Is" in its PRESENT condition as of the date of Acceptance, except for Inventory, as explained below; and (ii) all personal property not included in the sale shall be removed by Close Of Escrow or at the time possession is delivered to Buyer, if not on the same date. If items are not removed when possession is delivered to Buyer, all items shall be deemed abandoned. Buyer, after first Delivering to Seller written notice to remove the items within **3 Days**, may pay to have such items removed or disposed of and may bring legal action, as per this Agreement, to receive reasonable costs from Seller.
 - (2) **Buyer is strongly advised to conduct investigations of the entire Business in order to determine its present condition.**
 - B. **At Close Of Escrow:** (i) Seller assigns to Buyer any assignable warranty rights for items included in the sale; and (ii) Seller shall Deliver to Buyer available Copies of any such warranties. Agents cannot and will not determine the assignability of any warranties.
 - C. Seller shall, on Close Of Escrow unless Otherwise Agreed and even if Seller remains in possession, provide keys, passwords, codes and/or means to operate all locks, mailboxes, security systems, alarms; any Point of Sale system, along with means to access and operate the system; and all items included in either **paragraph 3N** or **paragraph 9**. If the Business is located in a common interest development, Seller shall be responsible for securing or providing any such items for Association amenities, facilities, and access that is part of this Agreement.
 - D. **OPERATION OF BUSINESS DURING ESCROW:** During the escrow period and through Close Of Escrow, Seller shall: (i) operate the Business diligently and in substantially the same manner as prior to this offer; (ii) maintain the goodwill of the Business; (iii) keep all equipment and personal property in normal working order.
- 8. **CONTINGENCIES AND REMOVAL OF CONTINGENCIES:**
 - A. **LOAN(S):**
 - (1) This Agreement is, **unless otherwise specified in paragraph 3L(1) or an attached CR form**, contingent upon Buyer obtaining the loan(s) specified. If contingent, Buyer shall act diligently and in good faith to obtain the designated loan(s). **If there is no appraisal contingency or the appraisal contingency has been waived or removed, then failure of the Business to appraise at the purchase price does not entitle Buyer to exercise the cancellation right pursuant to the loan contingency if Buyer is otherwise qualified for the specified loan and Buyer is able to satisfy lender's non-appraisal conditions for closing the loan.**
 - (2) Buyer is advised to investigate the insurability of the Business as early as possible, as this may be a requirement for lending. Buyer's ability to obtain insurance for the Business, including fire insurance, is part of Buyer's Investigation of Business contingency. Failure of Buyer to obtain insurance may justify cancellation based on the Investigation contingency but not the loan contingency.
 - (3) Buyer's contractual obligations regarding deposit, balance of down payment and closing costs **are not contingencies** of this Agreement, unless Otherwise Agreed.
 - (4) If there is an appraisal contingency, removal of the loan contingency shall not be deemed removal of the appraisal contingency.
 - (5) **NO LOAN CONTINGENCY:** If "No loan contingency" is checked in **paragraph 3L(1)**, obtaining any loan specified is NOT a contingency of this Agreement. If Buyer does not obtain the loan specified, and as a result is unable to purchase the Business, Seller may be entitled to Buyer's deposit or other legal remedies.
 - B. **APPRAISAL:**
 - (1) This Agreement is, **unless otherwise specified in paragraph 3L(2) or an attached CR form**, contingent upon a written appraisal of the Business by a licensed or certified appraiser at no less than the amount specified in **paragraph 3L(2)**. The appraisal contingency is solely limited to the value determined by the appraisal. For any cancellation based upon this appraisal contingency, Buyer shall Deliver a Copy of the written appraisal to Seller, upon request by Seller.
 - (2) **NO APPRAISAL CONTINGENCY:** If "No appraisal contingency" is checked in **paragraph 3L(2)**, then Buyer may not use the loan contingency specified in **paragraph 3L(1)** to cancel this Agreement if the sole reason for not obtaining the loan is that the appraisal relied upon by Buyer's lender values the Business at an amount less than that specified in **paragraph 3L(2)**. If Buyer is unable to obtain the loan specified solely for this reason, Seller may be entitled to Buyer's deposit or other legal remedies.
 - C. **INVESTIGATION OF BUSINESS:** This Agreement is, as specified in **paragraph 3L(3)**, contingent upon Buyer's acceptance of the condition of, and any other matter affecting, the Business.
 - D. **ENVIRONMENTAL INVESTIGATION:** If checked in **paragraph 3L(4)**, this Agreement is contingent upon Buyer's investigation and acceptance of the condition of any environmental issues, including but not limited to, performing an environmental survey (phase one and phase two, as applicable).
 - E. **REVIEW OF SELLER DOCUMENTS:** This Agreement is, as specified in **paragraph 3L(5)**, contingent upon Buyer's review and approval of Seller's documents required in **paragraph 15A**.



- F. **PURCHASE OF REAL PROPERTY:** If checked in **paragraph 1C**, this Agreement is, as specified in **paragraph 3L(6)**, contingent upon Buyers ability to purchase and concurrently close escrow on the property in which the Business Operates.
- G. **LEASE:** This Agreement is, as specified in **paragraph 3L(7)**, contingent upon Buyer obtaining any assignment, new lease, option to extend, sublease or other lease selected on terms acceptable to Buyer. Buyer shall submit an application for such lease to Seller's landlord or Seller as applicable within the time specified in **paragraph 3L(7)**.
- H. **LICENSES:**
 - (1) This Agreement is, as specified in **paragraph 3L(8)**, contingent upon Buyer obtaining, or completing the transfer of, the licenses selected. The costs of these licenses shall be paid as indicated in **paragraph 3P(7)**. Buyer is advised to investigate all license requirements before removing this contingency.
 - (2) **LIQUOR:** If transfer of liquor license is included in this sale, Seller shall comply with the Alcoholic Beverage Control Act concerning such transfer. Escrow shall not close, and no funds shall be transferred to Seller, until Escrow Holder is advised by the State of California Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control that the license transfer has been approved. The costs of such transfer shall be paid as specified in **paragraph 3P(7)**.
- I. **FRANCHISE:** This Agreement is, as specified in **paragraph 3L(9)**, contingent upon Buyer's acceptance of the terms of the franchise agreement, and upon Franchisor's acceptance of Buyer.
- J. **BUYER REVIEW OF LEASED OR LIENED ITEMS CONTINGENCY:** Buyer's review of and ability and willingness to assume any lease, maintenance agreement or other ongoing financial obligation, or to accept the Business subject to any lien, disclosed pursuant to **paragraph 9B(2)**, is, as specified in **paragraph 3L(10)**, a contingency of this Agreement. Any assumption of the lease shall not require any financial obligation or contribution by Seller. Seller, after first Delivering a Notice to Buyer to Perform, may cancel this Agreement if Buyer, by the time specified in **paragraph 3L(10)**, refuses to enter into any necessary written agreements to accept responsibility for all obligations of Seller disclosed leased or liened items.
- K. **REMOVAL OR WAIVER OF CONTINGENCIES WITH OFFER:** Buyer shall have no obligation to remove a contractual contingency unless Seller has provided all required documents, reports, disclosures, and information pertaining to that contingency. If Buyer does remove a contingency without first receiving all required information from Seller, Buyer is relinquishing any contractual rights that apply to that contingency. **If Buyer removes or waives any contingencies without an adequate understanding of the Business's condition or Buyer's ability to purchase, Buyer is acting against the advice of Agent.**
- L. **REMOVAL OF CONTINGENCY OR CANCELLATION:**
 - (1) **For any contingency specified in paragraph 3L, 8, or elsewhere, Buyer shall, within the applicable period specified, remove the contingency or cancel this Agreement.**
 - (2) For the contingencies for review of Seller Documents Buyer shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3L** or **5 Days** after Delivery of the applicable Seller Documents, whichever occurs later, remove the applicable contingency in writing or cancel this Agreement.
 - (3) If Buyer does not remove a contingency within the time specified, Seller, after first giving Buyer a Notice to Buyer to Perform (C.A.R. Form NBP), shall have the right to cancel this Agreement.
- 9. **ASSETS INCLUDED IN AND EXCLUDED FROM SALE:**
 - A. **NOTE TO BUYER AND SELLER:** Assets listed as included or excluded in the Multiple Listing Service (MLS), flyers, marketing materials, or disclosures are NOT included in the purchase price or excluded from the sale unless specified in this paragraph or **paragraph 3N** or as Otherwise Agreed.
 - B. **ASSETS TRANSFERRED:**
 - (1) With the exception of cash or cash equivalents on deposit in any financial institution, and assets excluded in **paragraph 3N**, Buyer is purchasing all assets of the Business, including but not limited to machinery, furniture, fixtures and other equipment, leasehold improvements, transferable government license and permits (other than any Alcoholic Beverage Control license), customer lists, fictitious business names, trade names and trademarks, logos, copyrights and patents, goodwill, signs and advertising material, telephone and fax numbers, web sites, URL names, e-mail addresses, social media and internet accounts, distribution rights, employee lists and information, computer software, customer deposits, and all assets specified as included in **paragraph 3N**, if currently existing and owned by Seller at the time of Acceptance. All items transferred that are leased are subject to the terms of the existing lease(s).
 - (2) **LEASED OR LIENED ITEMS AND SYSTEMS:** Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3M(1)**, (i) disclose to Buyer if any item or system specified in **paragraph 3N** or **9B** or otherwise included in the sale is leased, or not owned by Seller, or is subject to any maintenance or other ongoing financial obligation, or specifically subject to a lien or other encumbrance or loan, and (ii) Deliver to Buyer all written materials (such as lease, warranty, financing, etc.) concerning any such item.
 - (3) Seller represents that all items included in the purchase price, unless Otherwise Agreed, (i) are owned by Seller and shall be transferred free and clear of liens and encumbrances, except the items and systems identified pursuant to **paragraph 9B(2)**, and (ii) are transferred without Seller warranty regardless of value.
 - (4) Seller shall deliver title to the personal property by Bill of Sale, free of all liens and encumbrances, and without warranty of condition.
 - (5) As additional security for any note in favor of Seller for any part of the purchase price, Buyer shall execute a UCC-1 Financing Statement to be filed with the Secretary of State, covering the personal property included in the purchase, replacement thereof, and insurance proceeds.
 - (6) **INVENTORY:**
 - (A) Unless checked in **paragraph 3B(1)**, inventory price is included in the purchase price.
 - (B) Whether or not included in the purchase price, Inventory shall have an estimated value. If not agreed in **paragraph 3B(1)** or elsewhere in the Agreement, Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3B(1)**, deliver to Buyer an itemized inventory list with an estimated value. The ability to review this document and investigate the inventory included in the Agreement falls within the review of seller document contingency and the investigation contingency.
 - (C) Parties have the right to confirm the inventory within the time and by the party specified in **paragraph 3B(2)**. If the confirmed value is higher than the estimated value, Buyer shall have the option to pay cash for the additional amount or require Seller to either: (i) provide seller financing or (ii) to take inventory of Buyer's choosing equal to that excess amount. If the confirmed value is lower than the estimated value, the Seller shall provide a credit to Buyer for the amount of difference between the estimated value and confirmed value.
 - C. **ITEMS EXCLUDED FROM SALE:** Unless Otherwise Agreed, all items specified in **paragraph 3N(2)** are excluded from sale.



10. ALLOCATION OF COSTS:

- A. INSPECTIONS, REPORTS, TESTS, AND CERTIFICATES:** Paragraphs 3P(1-2) and (4) only determines who is to pay for the inspection, report, test, certificate or service mentioned; **it does not determine who is to pay for any work recommended or identified in any such document. Agreements for payment of required work should be specified elsewhere in paragraph 3Q, or 3S, or in a separate agreement (such as C.A.R. Forms RR, RRRR, ADM or AEA).** Any reports in these paragraphs shall be Delivered in the time specified in Paragraph 3M(1).
- B. SALES AND USE TAX:** The party indicated in **paragraph 3P(9)** shall pay any sales or use tax payable as a result of the sale. Seller shall report and remit to, as applicable, the California Department of Tax and Fee Administration (“CDTFA”), or any other agency required by law, any sales tax due on the sale of furniture, fixture and equipment.
- C. GOVERNMENT REQUIREMENTS AND CORRECTIVE OR REMEDIAL ACTIONS:**
 - (1) POINT OF SALE REQUIREMENTS:**
 - (A) Point of sale inspections, reports and repairs refer to any such actions required to be completed before or after Close Of Escrow that are required in order to close under any Law. Unless Parties Otherwise Agree to another time period, any such repair shall be completed 5 days prior to Close Of Escrow of Business. If Buyer agrees to pay for any portion of such repair, Buyer, shall **(i)** directly pay to the vendor completing the repair or **(ii)** provide an invoice to Escrow Holder, deposit funds into escrow sufficient to pay for Buyer’s portion of such repair and request Escrow Holder pay the vendor completing the repair.
 - (B) Buyer shall be provided, within the time specified in **paragraph 3M(1)**, unless Parties Otherwise Agree to another time period, a Copy of any required government-conducted or point-of-sale inspection report prepared pursuant to this Agreement or in anticipation of this sale of the Business.
 - (2) INFORMATION AND ADVICE ON REQUIREMENTS:** Buyer and Seller are advised to seek information from a knowledgeable source regarding local and State mandates and whether they are point of sale requirements or requirements of ownership. Agents do not have expertise in this area and cannot ascertain all of the requirements or costs of compliance.

11. SELLER DISCLOSURES:

- A.** Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3M(1)**, provide to Buyer, the lists of items or documents, or Copies thereof, for items checked in **paragraph 3Q**. For each item, as applicable, Seller shall include a statement of whether the item is owned or leased and whether Seller has any legal, proprietary interest, or intellectual property rights in, or restrictions on, the item. Buyer, within the time specified in **paragraph 3L(3)**, shall then investigate the item provided to Buyer.
- B.** Seller represents that: **(i)** the books and records that Seller provides are those maintained in the ordinary and normal course of business; and **(ii)** federal and state tax returns that seller provides are copies of those filed with the applicable government agencies.
- C. PROPOSED ALLOCATION OF PURCHASE PRICE:** If applicable, Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3M(1)**, provide Buyer with a proposed allocation of purchase price (C.A.R. Form BP-APP).
- D. VIOLATION NOTICES:** Within the time specified in **paragraph 3M(1)**, Seller shall disclose any notice of violations of any Law filed or issued against the Business and actually known to Seller
- E. KNOWN MATERIAL FACTS:** Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3M(1)**, DISCLOSE KNOWN MATERIAL FACTS AND DEFECTS affecting the Business, including, but not limited to, known insurance claims within the past five years, or provide Buyer with permission to contact lender to get such information (C.A.R. Form ARC), and make any and all other disclosures required by Law.
- F. BUSINESS DISCLOSURE STATEMENT:** Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3M(1)**, complete and provide Buyer with a Business Disclosure Statement (C.A.R. Form BDS).
- G. SUBSEQUENT DISCLOSURES:** In the event Seller, prior to Close Of Escrow, becomes aware of adverse conditions materially affecting the Business, including but not limited to notices of violation received after acceptance, or any material inaccuracy in disclosures, information, or representations previously provided to Buyer, Seller shall promptly Deliver a subsequent or amended disclosure or notice, in writing, covering those items. **However, a subsequent or amended disclosure shall not be required for conditions and material inaccuracies of which Buyer is otherwise aware or which are disclosed in reports provided to or obtained by Buyer or ordered and paid for by Buyer.**

12. BUYER’S INVESTIGATION OF BUSINESS AND MATTERS AFFECTING BUSINESS:

- A.** Buyer shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3L(3)**, have the right, at Buyer’s expense unless Otherwise Agreed, to conduct inspections, investigations, tests, surveys and other studies (“Buyer Investigations”).
- B.** Without Seller’s prior written consent, Buyer shall neither make nor cause to be made: **(i)** invasive or destructive Buyer Investigations; or **(ii)** inspections by any governmental building or zoning inspector or government employee, unless required by Law.
- C.** Seller shall make the Business available for all Buyer Investigations. Seller is not obligated to move any existing personal property. Seller shall have water, gas, electricity and all operable pilot lights on for Buyer’s Investigations and through the date possession is delivered to Buyer. Buyer shall, **(i)** by the time specified in **paragraph 3L(3)**, complete Buyer Investigations and satisfy themselves as to the condition of the Business, and either remove the contingency or cancel this Agreement, and **(ii)** by the time specified in **paragraph 3L(3)** or **3 Days** after receipt of any Investigation report, whichever is later, give Seller at no cost, complete Copies of all such reports obtained by Buyer, which obligation shall survive the termination of this Agreement. This Delivery of Investigation reports shall not include any appraisal.
- D. Buyer indemnity and Seller protection for entry upon the Business and work done on the Property:** Buyer shall: **(i)** repair all damage arising from Buyer Investigations; and **(ii)** indemnify and hold Seller harmless from all resulting liability, claims, demands, damages and costs. Buyer shall carry, or Buyer shall require anyone acting on Buyer’s behalf to carry, policies of liability, workers’ compensation and other applicable insurance, defending and protecting Seller from liability for any injuries to persons or property occurring during any Buyer Investigations or work done on the Property at Buyer’s direction prior to Close Of Escrow. Buyer’s obligations under this paragraph shall survive the termination of this Agreement.

13. ENVIRONMENTAL

- A. HAZARD CONSULTATION:** Buyer and Seller acknowledge: **(i)** Federal, state, and local legislation impose liability upon existing and former owners and users of real property, in applicable situations, for certain legislatively defined, environmentally hazardous substances; **(ii)** Agent(s) has/have made no representation concerning the applicability of any such Law to this transaction or to Buyer or to Seller, except as otherwise indicated in this Agreement; **(iii)** Agent(s) has/have made no representation concerning the existence, testing, discovery, location, and evaluation of/for, and risks posed by, environmentally hazardous substances, if any, located on or potentially affecting the Business; and **(iv)** Buyer and Seller are each advised to consult with technical and legal experts concerning the existence, testing, discover, location and evaluation of/for, and risks posed by, environmentally hazardous substances, in any, located on or potentially affecting the Business.



- B. ENVIRONMENTAL STUDY/INVESTIGATION:** Buyer shall have the right to investigate any environmental issues related to the purchase of the Business, including any phase one or phase two environmental study. A phase one environmental survey shall be paid for and obtained by the party indicated in **paragraph 3P(2)**. If Buyer is responsible for obtaining and paying for the survey, Buyer shall act diligently and in good faith to obtain such survey within the time specified in **paragraph 3L(4)**. Buyer has **5 Days** after receiving the survey to remove this portion of the Buyer's Investigation contingency.
- 14. TITLE AND VESTING:**
- A.** The Business shall be owned in the form designated in Buyer's escrow instructions. THE MANNER OF TAKING TITLE AND THE FORM OF OWNERSHIP OF THE BUSINESS MAY HAVE SIGNIFICANT LEGAL AND TAX CONSEQUENCES. BUYER IS ADVISED TO CONSULT AN APPROPRIATE PROFESSIONAL.
- B.** Seller shall furnish to Buyer bills of sale and other instruments of transfer or assignment necessary to carry out this Agreement.
- 15. TIME PERIODS; REMOVAL OF CONTINGENCIES; CANCELLATION RIGHTS:** The following time periods may only be extended, altered, modified or changed by mutual written agreement. Any removal of contingencies or cancellation under this paragraph by either Buyer or Seller must be exercised in good faith and in writing (C.A.R. Form CR or CC).
- A. SELLER DELIVERY OF DOCUMENTS:** Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3M(1)**, Deliver to Buyer all reports, disclosures and information ("Reports") for which Seller is responsible as specified in **paragraphs 9B(2), 9B(6), 10, 11A, 11C-G, 13, 15A, 17, and 39**.
- B. BUYER REVIEW OF DOCUMENTS; REPAIR REQUEST; CONTINGENCY REMOVAL OR CANCELLATION**
- (1) Buyer has the time specified in **paragraph 3** to perform Buyer Investigations; review all disclosures, Reports, lease documents to be assumed by Buyer pursuant to **paragraph 9B(2)**, and other applicable information, which Buyer receives from Seller; and approve all matters affecting the Business.
- (2) Buyer may, within the time specified in **paragraph 3L(3)**, request that Seller make repairs or take any other action regarding the Business (C.A.R. Form RR). Seller has no obligation to agree to or respond to Buyer's requests (C.A.R. Form RR or RRRR). If Seller does not agree or does not respond, Buyer is not contractually entitled to have the repairs or other requests made and may only cancel based on contingencies in this Agreement.
- (3) Buyer shall, by the end of the times specified in **paragraph 3L** (or as Otherwise Agreed), Deliver to Seller a removal of the applicable contingency or cancellation of this Agreement (C.A.R. Form CR or CC). Buyer is advised not to remove contingencies related to review of documents until after the documents have been Delivered. If Delivery of any Report occurs after a contractual contingency pertaining to that Report has already been waived or removed, the Delivery of the Report does not revive the contingency but there may be a right to terminate for a subsequent or amended disclosure under **paragraph 11G**.
- (4) **Continuation of Contingency:** Even after the end of the time specified in **paragraph 3L** and before Seller cancels, if at all, pursuant to **paragraph 15C**, Buyer retains the right, in writing, to either (i) remove remaining contingencies, or (ii) cancel this Agreement based on a remaining contingency. Once Buyer's written removal of all contingencies is Delivered to Seller, Seller may not cancel this Agreement pursuant to **paragraph 15C(1)**.
- C. SELLER RIGHT TO CANCEL:**
- (1) **SELLER RIGHT TO CANCEL; BUYER CONTINGENCIES:** If, by the time specified in this Agreement, Buyer does not Deliver to Seller a removal of the applicable contingency or cancellation of this Agreement, then Seller, after first Delivering to Buyer a Notice to Buyer to Perform (C.A.R. Form NBP), may cancel this Agreement. In such event, Seller shall authorize the return of Buyer's deposit, except for fees incurred by Buyer.
- (2) **SELLER RIGHT TO CANCEL; BUYER CONTRACT OBLIGATIONS:** Seller, after first Delivering to Buyer a Notice to Buyer to Perform, may cancel this Agreement if, by the time specified in this Agreement, Buyer does not take the following action(s): (i) Deposit funds as required by **paragraph 3E(1)** or **3E(2)** or if the funds deposited pursuant to **paragraph 3E(1)** or **3E(2)** are not good when deposited; (ii) Deliver updated contact information for Buyer's lender(s) as required by **paragraph 5C(5)**; (iii) Deliver verification, or a satisfactory verification if Seller reasonably disapproves of the verification already provided, as required by **paragraph 5B** or **6A**; (iv) Deliver a letter as required by **paragraph 6B**; (v) In writing assume or accept leases or liens specified in **paragraph 8J**; (vi) Sign or initial a separate liquidated damages form for an increased deposit as required by **paragraph 5A(2)** and **40**; (vii) Provide evidence of authority to Sign in a representative capacity as specified in **paragraph 39**; or (viii) Perform any additional Buyer contractual obligation(s) included in this Agreement. In such event, Seller shall authorize the return of Buyer's deposit, except for fees allocated to Seller in this Agreement and already paid by Escrow prior to cancellation of this Agreement and notification to Escrow.
- (3) **SELLER RIGHT TO CANCEL; SELLER CONTINGENCIES:** Seller may cancel this Agreement by good faith exercise of any Seller contingency included in this Agreement, or Otherwise Agreed, so long as that contingency has not already been removed or waived in writing.
- D. BUYER RIGHT TO CANCEL:**
- (1) **BUYER RIGHT TO CANCEL; SELLER CONTINGENCIES:** If, by the time specified in this Agreement, Seller does not Deliver to Buyer a removal of the applicable contingency or cancellation of this Agreement, then Buyer, after first Delivering to Seller a Notice to Seller to Perform (C.A.R. Form NSP), may cancel this Agreement. In such event, Seller shall authorize the return of Buyer's deposit, except for fees allocated to Seller in the Agreement and already paid by Escrow prior to cancellation of this Agreement and notification to Escrow.
- (2) **BUYER RIGHT TO CANCEL; SELLER CONTRACT OBLIGATIONS:** If, by the time specified, Seller has not Delivered any item specified in **paragraph 3M(1)** or Seller has not performed any Seller contractual obligation included in this Agreement by the time specified, Buyer, after first Delivering to Seller a Notice to Seller to Perform, may cancel this Agreement.
- (3) **BUYER RIGHT TO CANCEL; BUYER CONTINGENCIES:** Buyer may cancel this Agreement by good faith exercise of any Buyer contingency included in **paragraph 8**, or Otherwise Agreed, so long as that contingency has not already been removed in writing.
- E. NOTICE TO BUYER OR SELLER TO PERFORM:** The Notice to Buyer to Perform or Notice to Seller to Perform shall: (i) be in writing; (ii) be Signed by the applicable Buyer or Seller; and (iii) give the other Party at least **2 Days** after Delivery (or until the time specified in the applicable paragraph, whichever occurs last) to take the applicable action. A Notice to Buyer to Perform or Notice to Seller to Perform may not be Delivered any earlier than **2 Days** prior to the Scheduled Performance Day to remove a contingency or cancel this Agreement or meet an obligation specified in **paragraph 15**, except for Close Of Escrow which shall be Delivered under the terms of **paragraph 15G**, whether or not the Scheduled Performance Day falls on a Saturday, Sunday or legal holiday. If a Notice to Buyer to Perform or Notice to Seller to Perform is incorrectly Delivered or specifies a time less than the agreed time, the notice shall be deemed invalid and void. However, if the notice is for multiple items, the notice shall be valid for all contingencies and contractual actions for which the Delivery of the notice is within the time permitted in the Agreement and void as to the others. Seller or Buyer shall be required to Deliver a new Notice to Buyer to Perform or Notice to Seller to Perform with the specified timeframe.

F. EFFECT OF REMOVAL OF CONTINGENCIES:

(1) **REMOVAL OF BUYER CONTINGENCIES:** If Buyer removes any contingency or cancellation rights, unless Otherwise Agreed, Buyer shall conclusively be deemed to have: (i) completed all Buyer Investigations, and review of Reports and other applicable information and disclosures pertaining to that contingency or cancellation right; (ii) elected to proceed with the transaction; and (iii) assumed all liability, responsibility and expense for the non-delivery of any Reports, disclosures or information outside of Seller's control and for any Repairs or corrections pertaining to that contingency or cancellation right, or for the inability to obtain financing.

(2) **REMOVAL OF SELLER CONTINGENCIES:** If Seller removes any contingency or cancellation rights, unless Otherwise Agreed, Seller shall conclusively be deemed to have: (i) satisfied themselves regarding such contingency, (ii) elected to proceed with the transaction; and (iii) given up any right to cancel this Agreement based on such contingency.

G. DEMAND TO CLOSE ESCROW: Before Buyer or Seller may cancel this Agreement for failure of the other Party to close escrow pursuant to this Agreement, Buyer or Seller must first Deliver to the other Party a Demand to Close Escrow (C.A.R. Form DCE). The DCE shall: (i) be Signed by the applicable Buyer or Seller; and (ii) give the other Party at least **3 Days** after Delivery to close escrow. A DCE may not be Delivered any earlier than **3 Days** prior to the Scheduled Performance Day for the Close Of Escrow. If a DCE is incorrectly Delivered or specifies a time less than the agreed time, the DCE shall be deemed invalid and void and Seller or Buyer shall be required to Deliver a new DCE.

H. EFFECT OF CANCELLATION ON DEPOSITS: If Buyer or Seller gives written notice of cancellation pursuant to rights duly exercised under the terms of this Agreement, the Parties agree to Sign and Deliver mutual instructions to cancel the sale and escrow and release deposits, if any, to the Party entitled to the funds, less (i) fees and costs paid by Escrow Holder on behalf of that Party, if required by this Agreement; and (ii) any escrow fee charged to that party. Fees and costs may be payable to service providers and vendors for services and products provided during escrow. **A release of funds will require mutual Signed release instructions from the Parties, judicial decision or arbitration award. Note: Neither Agents nor Escrow Holder are qualified to provide any opinion on whether either Party has acted in good faith or which Party is entitled to the deposited funds. Buyer and Seller are advised to seek the advice of a qualified California real estate attorney regarding this matter.**

16. REPAIRS: Repairs shall be completed prior to final verification of condition unless Otherwise Agreed. Repairs to be performed at Seller's expense may be performed by Seller or through others, provided that the work complies with applicable Law, including governmental permit, inspection and approval requirements. Repairs shall be performed in a good, skillful manner with materials of quality and appearance comparable to existing materials. Buyer acknowledges that exact restoration of appearance or cosmetic items following all Repairs may not be possible. Seller shall: (i) obtain invoices and paid receipts for Repairs performed by others; (ii) prepare a written statement indicating the Repairs performed by Seller and the date of such Repairs; and (iii) provide Copies of invoices and paid receipts and statements to Buyer prior to final verification of condition.

17. NOTICES OF VIOLATIONS: Seller represents that, to the best of Seller's knowledge, no notices of violations of federal, state, or local statute(s), law(s) or regulation(s) exist, or are filed or issued, that affect the operation of the Business, including any such notices regarding the real property in which the Business is situated ("Notices"), EXCEPT as indicated in **paragraph 3R** or post-acceptance notices of violations as disclosed pursuant to **paragraph 11G**. Should any Notices occur or already exist, and Seller has agreed to cure Notices, Seller shall make a good faith attempt to cure any such Notice. If Seller, after exercise of good faith attempts, is unable to cure the Notice by Close Of Escrow (or 5 Days prior to COE): (i) Buyer may cancel this Agreement and Buyer's sole remedy shall be return of deposit(s) and Buyer's reasonable out-of-pocket expenses for inspection reports and appraisal fees under the Agreement, or (ii) Buyer may elect to proceed with the transaction with the Notice in place and waives any claim for other damages or compensation arising out of the Notice.

18. CONSULTING AND TRAINING: Seller shall consult with Buyer to show Buyer methods used in operating the Business. Seller shall provide consulting services for the time specified in **paragraph 3S(1)** at no cost to Buyer, which services shall not exceed the number or hours specified in **paragraph 3S(1)**. Seller shall not be responsible for training Buyer in the basics of operating a business of the type being sold pursuant to this Agreement, but only to alert Buyer to the nuances, as determined by Seller, of operating this type of business. NOTE TO BUYER: If you are not already trained in this type of business, you are strongly advised to seek training.

19. AGREEMENT NOT TO COMPETE: As a material part of the consideration of the sale, Seller agrees not to operate or engage in, directly or indirectly, whether as a principal, agent, manager, employee, owner, member, partner, stockholder, director, or officer of a corporation, trustee, consultant, or any other capacity whatsoever, any business the same as, or substantially similar to, or in competition with the Business within the distance and time specified in **paragraph 3S(2)**, so long as Buyer or Buyer's successor-in-interest, is operating the Business in said area.

20. TAX CLEARANCES: Seller shall Deliver to Escrow Holder any clearance documents available from the CDTFA, Employment Development Department (EDD) regarding unemployment insurance withholdings, or FTB. If there is no bulk transfer, Seller shall Deliver to Escrow Holder any documents required for the county tax assessor regarding unsecured property tax bills or, if applicable, file any necessary form with the assessor. No funds shall be released from escrow before such delivery.

21. BULK TRANSFER: Seller shall comply with the Bulk Sales provision of Division 6 of the Uniform Commercial Code, Bulk Transfer Section, and if the bulk sales involves the transfer of a liquor license also Business and Professions Code § 24074.

22. LIENS; ENCUMBRANCES; RESTRICTIONS: Seller warrants that, to the best of Seller's knowledge, there are no undisclosed liens, encumbrances or restrictions upon the Business. If **paragraph 3P(10)** is checked, Escrow Holder shall obtain a UCC search where the property is located and the Business is incorporated.

23. SELLER REPRESENTATIONS: Seller's representations and warranties set forth herein, or in any written statements delivered to Buyer, shall be true and correct at Close Of Escrow, and shall survive the transfer of ownership of the Business.

24. PRORATIONS OF BUSINESS TAXES AND OTHER ITEMS: Unless Otherwise Agreed, the following items shall be PAID CURRENT and prorated between Buyer and Seller as of Close Of Escrow: unsecured property taxes, business taxes, Owner rental payments, interest, OA regular assessments due prior to Close Of Escrow, common area maintenance charges, and payments on bonds and assessments assumed by Buyer. Seller shall pay any OA special or emergency assessments due prior to Close Of Escrow. The following items shall be assumed by Buyer WITHOUT CREDIT toward the purchase price: OA special or emergency assessments that are due after Close Of Escrow. Seller agrees all service fees, maintenance costs and utility bills will be paid current up and through the date of Close Of Escrow. TAX BILLS AND UTILITY BILLS ISSUED AFTER CLOSE OF ESCROW SHALL BE HANDLED DIRECTLY BETWEEN BUYER AND SELLER. Prorations shall be made based on a 30-day month.

25. BROKERS AND AGENTS:

A. COMPENSATION: Seller or Buyer, or both, as applicable, agree to pay compensation to Broker as specified in a separate written agreement between Broker and that Seller or Buyer. Compensation is payable upon Close Of Escrow, or if escrow does not close, as otherwise specified in the agreement between Broker and that Seller or Buyer.



B. SCOPE OF DUTY: Buyer and Seller acknowledge and agree that Agent: **(i)** Does not decide what price Buyer should pay or Seller should accept; **(ii)** Does not guarantee the condition of the Business; **(iii)** Does not guarantee the performance, adequacy or completeness of inspections, services, products or repairs provided or made by Seller or others; **(iv)** Does not have an obligation to conduct an inspection of common areas or areas off the site of the Business; **(v)** Shall not be responsible for identifying defects on the property on which the Business is located, in common areas, or offsite unless such defects are visually observable by an inspection of reasonably accessible areas of the Business or are known to Agent; **(vi)** Shall not be responsible for inspecting public records or permits concerning the title or use of the Business; **(vii)** Shall not be responsible for identifying the location of boundary lines or other items affecting title; **(viii)** Shall not be responsible for verifying square footage, representations of others or information contained in Investigation reports, Multiple Listing Service, advertisements, flyers or other promotional material; **(ix)** Shall not be responsible for determining the fair market value of the Business or any personal property included in the sale; **(x)** Shall not be responsible for providing legal or tax advice regarding any aspect of a transaction entered into by Buyer or Seller; and **(xi)** Shall not be responsible for providing other advice or information that exceeds the knowledge, education and experience required to perform real estate licensed activity. Buyer and Seller agree to seek legal, tax, insurance, title and other desired assistance from appropriate professionals.

C. BROKERAGE: Neither Buyer nor Seller has utilized the services of, or for any other reason owes compensation to, a licensed real estate broker (individual or corporate), agent, finder, or other entity, other than as specified in this Agreement, in connection with any act relating to the Business, including, but not limited to, inquiries, introductions, consultations, and negotiations leading to this Agreement. Buyer and Seller each agree to indemnify and hold the other, the Brokers specified herein and their agents, harmless from and against any costs, expenses or liability for compensation claimed inconsistent with the warranty and representation in this paragraph.

26. JOINT ESCROW INSTRUCTIONS TO ESCROW HOLDER:

A. The following paragraphs, or applicable portions thereof, of this Agreement constitute the joint escrow instructions of Buyer and Seller to Escrow Holder, which Escrow Holder is to use along with any related counter offers and addenda, and any additional mutual instructions to close the escrow: **paragraphs 1, 3A, 3B, 3D-G, 3N(2), 3Q, 3S, 4A, 4B, 5A(1-2) 5D, 5E, 10B(2)(A), 10B(3), 11A, 11C(2), 16 (except 16D), 17H, 20, 21A, 22, 26, 32, 33, 34, 35, 39, 40, and paragraph 3 of the Real Estate Brokers Section.** If a Copy of the separate compensation agreement(s) provided for in **paragraph 21A or paragraph 3 of the Real Estate Brokers Section** is deposited with Escrow Holder by Agent, Escrow Holder shall accept such agreement(s) and pay out from Buyer's or Seller's funds, or both, as applicable, the Broker's compensation provided for in such agreement(s). The terms and conditions of this Agreement not set forth in the specified paragraphs are additional matters for the information of Escrow Holder, but about which Escrow Holder need not be concerned.

B. Buyer and Seller will receive Escrow Holder's general provisions, if any, directly from Escrow Holder. To the extent the general provisions are inconsistent or conflict with this Agreement, the general provisions will control as to the duties and obligations of Escrow Holder only. Buyer and Seller shall Sign and return Escrow Holder's general provisions or supplemental instructions within the time specified in **paragraph 3M(2).** Buyer and Seller shall execute additional instructions, documents and forms provided by Escrow Holder that are reasonably necessary to close the escrow and, as directed by Escrow Holder, within **3 Days**, shall pay to Escrow Holder or others any fee required by **paragraphs 3, 8, 10, 11,** or elsewhere in this Agreement.

C. A Copy of this Agreement including any counter offer(s) and addenda shall be delivered to Escrow Holder within **3 Days** after **Acceptance.** Buyer and Seller authorize Escrow Holder to accept and rely on Copies and Signatures as defined in this Agreement as originals, to open escrow and for other purposes of escrow. The validity of this Agreement as between Buyer and Seller is not affected by whether or when Escrow Holder Signs this Agreement.

D. Agents are not a party to the escrow except for the sole purpose of receiving compensation pursuant to **paragraph 25A and paragraph 3 of the Real Estate Brokers Section.** If a Copy of the separate compensation agreement(s) provided for in either of those paragraphs is deposited with Escrow Holder by Agent, Escrow Holder shall accept such agreement(s) and pay out from Buyer's or Seller's funds, or both, as applicable, the Broker's compensation provided for in such agreement(s). **Escrow Holder shall provide to Buyer and Seller, either jointly or separately, a closing statement or other written documentation showing the amount of compensation paid to, respectively, Buyer's broker and Seller's Broker.** Buyer and Seller irrevocably assign to Brokers compensation specified in **paragraph 25A,** and irrevocably instruct Escrow Holder to disburse those funds to Brokers at Close Of Escrow or pursuant to any other mutually executed cancellation agreement. Compensation instructions can be amended or revoked only with the written consent of Brokers. Buyer and Seller shall release and hold harmless Escrow Holder from any liability resulting from Escrow Holder's payment to Broker(s) of compensation pursuant to this Agreement.

E. Buyer and Seller acknowledge that Escrow Holder may require invoices for expenses under this Agreement. Buyer and Seller, upon request by Escrow Holder, within **3 Days** or within a sufficient time to close escrow, whichever is sooner, shall provide any such invoices to Escrow Holder.

F. Upon receipt, Escrow Holder shall provide Buyer, Seller, and each Agent verification of Buyer's deposit of funds pursuant to **paragraph 5A(1) and 5A(2).** Once Escrow Holder becomes aware of any of the following, Escrow Holder shall immediately notify each Agent: **(i)** if Buyer's initial or any additional deposit or down payment is not made pursuant to this Agreement, or is not good at time of deposit with Escrow Holder; or **(ii)** if Buyer and Seller instruct Escrow Holder to cancel escrow.

G. A Copy of any amendment that affects any paragraph of this Agreement for which Escrow Holder is responsible shall be delivered to Escrow Holder within **3 Days** after mutual execution of the amendment.

27. SELECTION OF SERVICE PROVIDERS: Agents do not guarantee the performance of any vendors, service or product providers ("Providers"), whether referred by Agent or selected by Buyer, Seller or other person. Buyer and Seller may select ANY Providers of their own choosing.

28. MULTIPLE LISTING SERVICE ("MLS"): Agents are authorized to report to the MLS that an offer has been accepted and, upon Close Of Escrow, the sales price and other terms of this transaction shall be provided to the MLS to be published and disseminated to persons and entities authorized to use the information on terms approved by the MLS. Buyer acknowledges that: **(i)** any pictures, videos, floor plans (collectively, "Images") or other information about the Business that has been or will be inputted into the MLS or internet portals, or both, at the instruction of Seller or in compliance with MLS rules, will not be removed after Close Of Escrow; **(ii)** California Civil Code § 1088(c) requires the MLS to maintain such Images and information for at least three years and as a result they may be displayed or circulated on the Internet, which cannot be controlled or removed by Seller or Agents; and **(iii)** Seller, Seller's Agent, Buyer's Agent, and MLS have no obligation or ability to remove such Images or information from the Internet.

29. ATTORNEY FEES AND COSTS: In any action, proceeding, or arbitration between Buyer and Seller arising out of this Agreement, the prevailing Buyer or Seller shall be entitled to reasonable attorney fees and costs from the non-prevailing Buyer or Seller, except as provided in **paragraph 41A.**



- 30. ASSIGNMENT/NOMINATION:** Buyer shall have the right to assign all of Buyer's interest in this Agreement to Buyer's own trust or to any wholly owned entity of Buyer that is in existence at the time of such assignment. Otherwise, Buyer shall not assign all or any part of Buyer's interest in this Agreement without first having obtained the separate written consent of Seller to a specified assignee. Such consent shall not be unreasonably withheld. Prior to any assignment, Buyer shall disclose to Seller the name of the assignee and the amount of any monetary consideration between Buyer and assignee. Buyer shall provide assignee with all documents related to this Agreement including, but not limited to, the Agreement and any disclosures. If assignee is a wholly owned entity or trust of Buyer, that assignee does not need to re-sign or initial all documents provided. Whether or not an assignment requires Seller's consent, at the time of assignment, assignee shall deliver a letter from assignee's lender that assignee is prequalified or preapproved as specified in **paragraph 6B**. Should assignee fail to deliver such a letter, Seller, after first giving Assignee an Notice to Buyer to Perform, shall have the right to terminate the assignment. Buyer shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3K**, Deliver any request to assign this Agreement for Seller's consent. If Buyer fails to provide the required information within this time frame, Seller's withholding of consent shall be deemed reasonable. Any total or partial assignment shall not relieve Buyer of Buyer's obligations pursuant to this Agreement unless Otherwise Agreed by Seller (C.A.R. Form AOAA). Parties shall provide any assignment agreement to Escrow Holder within 1 Day after the assignment. Any nomination by Buyer shall be subject to the same procedures, requirements, and terms as an assignment as specified in this paragraph.
- 31. SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS:** This Agreement shall be binding upon, and inure to the benefit of, Buyer and Seller and their respective successors and assigns, except as otherwise provided herein.
- 32. AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT:** The Americans With Disabilities Act ("ADA") prohibits discrimination against individuals with disabilities. The ADA affects almost all commercial facilities and public accommodations. Residential properties are not typically covered by the ADA, but may be governed by its provisions if used for certain purposes. The ADA can require, among other things, that building be made readily accessible to the disabled. Different requirements apply to new construction, alterations to existing buildings, and removal of barriers in existing buildings. Compliance with the ADA may require significant costs. Monetary and injunctive remedies may be incurred if the Business is not in compliance. A real estate broker or agent does not have the technical expertise to determine whether a building is in compliance with ADA requirements, or to advise a principal on those requirements. Buyer and Seller are advised to contact a qualified California real estate attorney, contractor, architect, engineer, or other qualified professional of Buyer or Seller's own choosing to determine to what degree, if any, the ADA impacts that principal or this transaction.
- 33. RISK OF LOSS:** Any risk of loss to the Business shall be borne by Seller until ownership has been transferred to Buyer.
- 34. ANTI-DISCRIMINATION LAWS:** The Business is sold in compliance with federal, state and local anti-discrimination Laws.
- 35. COPIES:** Seller and buyer each represent that Copies of all reports, certificates, approvals, and other documents that are furnished to the other are true, correct, and unaltered Copies of the original documents, if the originals are in the possession of the furnishing party.
- 36. DEFINITIONS and INSTRUCTIONS:** The following words are defined terms in this Agreement, shall be indicated by initial capital letters throughout this Agreement, and have the following meaning whenever used:
- A. **"Acceptance"** means the time the offer or final counter offer is fully executed, in writing, by the recipient Party and is Delivered to the offering Party or that Party's Authorized Agent.
 - B. **"Agent"** means the Broker, salesperson, broker-associate or any other real estate licensee licensed under the brokerage firm identified in **paragraph 2B**.
 - C. **"Agreement"** means this document and any counter offers and any incorporated addenda or amendments, collectively forming the binding agreement between the Parties. Addenda and amendments are incorporated only when Signed and Delivered by all Parties.
 - D. **"As-Is"** condition: Seller shall disclose known material facts and defects as specified in this Agreement. Buyer has the right to inspect the Business and, within the time specified, request that Seller make repairs or take other corrective action, or exercise any contingency cancellation rights in this Agreement. Seller is only required to make repairs specified in this Agreement or as Otherwise Agreed.
 - E. **"Authorized Agent"** means an individual real estate licensee specified in the Real Estate Broker Section.
 - F. **"C.A.R. Form"** means the most current version of the specific form referenced or another comparable form agreed to by the Parties.
 - G. **"Close Of Escrow"**, including "COE", means the date of Delivery of the bill(s) of sale and other instruments necessary to transfer or assign the Business and its assets.
 - H. **"Copy"** means copy by any means including photocopy, facsimile and electronic.
 - I. **Counting Days** is done as follows unless Otherwise Agreed: (1) The first Day after an event is the first full calendar date following the event, and ending at 11:59 pm. For example, if a Notice to Buyer to Perform (C.A.R. form NBP) is Delivered at 3 pm on the 7th calendar day of the month, or Acceptance of a counter offer is personally received at 12 noon on the 7th calendar day of the month, then the 7th is Day "0" for purposes of counting days to respond to the NBP or calculating the Close Of Escrow date or contingency removal dates and the 8th of the month is Day 1 for those same purposes. (2) All calendar days are counted in establishing the first Day after an event. (3) All calendar days are counted in determining the date upon which performance must be completed, ending at 11:59 pm on the last day for performance ("Scheduled Performance Day"). (4) After Acceptance, if the Scheduled Performance Day for any act required by this Agreement, including Close Of Escrow, lands on a Saturday, Sunday, or Legal Holiday, the performing party shall be allowed to perform on the next day that is not a Saturday, Sunday or Legal Holiday ("Allowable Performance Day"), and ending at 11:59 pm. "Legal Holiday" shall mean any holiday or optional bank holiday under Civil Code §§ 7 and 7.1 and any holiday under Government Code § 6700. (5) For the purposes of COE, any day that the Recorder's office in the County where the Business is located is closed or any day that the lender or Escrow Holder under this Agreement is closed, the COE shall occur on the next day the Recorder's office in that County, the lender, and the Escrow Holder are open. (6) COE is considered Day 0 for purposes of counting days Seller is allowed to remain in possession, if permitted by this Agreement.
 - J. **"Day"** or **"Days"** means calendar day or days. However, delivery of deposit to escrow is based on business days.
 - K. **"Deliver"**, **"Delivered"** or **"Delivery"** of documents, unless Otherwise Agreed, means and shall be effective upon personal receipt of the document by Buyer or Seller or their Authorized Agent. Personal receipt means (i) a Copy of the document, or as applicable, link to the document, is in the possession of the Party or Authorized Agent, regardless of the Delivery method used (i.e. e-mail, text, other), or (ii) an electronic Copy of the document, or as applicable, link to the document, has been sent to any of the designated electronic delivery addresses specified in the Real Estate Broker Section, **unless Otherwise Agreed in C.A.R. Form DEDA. A document, or as applicable, link to a document, shall be deemed to be "in possession" if it is located in the inbox for the applicable Party or Authorized Agent.** After Acceptance, Agent may change the designated electronic delivery address for that Agent by, in writing, Delivering notice of the change in designated electronic delivery address to the other Party (C.A.R. Form DEDA). Links could be, for example, to DropBox or GoogleDrive or other functionally equivalent program. If the recipient of a link is unable or unwilling to open the link or download the documents or otherwise prefers Delivery of the documents directly, Recipient of a link shall notify the sender in writing, within **3 Days** after Delivery of the link (C.A.R. Form RFR). In such case, Delivery shall be effective upon Delivery of the documents and not the link. Failure to notify sender within the time specified above shall be deemed consent to receive, and Buyer opening, the document by link.

- L. **“Electronic Copy” or “Electronic Signature”** means, as applicable, an electronic copy or signature complying with California Law. Buyer and Seller agree that electronic means will not be used by either Party to modify or alter the content or integrity of this Agreement without the knowledge and consent of the other Party. Unless Otherwise Agreed, Buyer and Seller agreed to the use of Electronic Signatures.
 - M. **“Law”** means any law, code, statute, ordinance, regulation, rule or order, which is adopted by a controlling city, county, state or federal legislative, judicial or executive body or agency.
 - N. **“Legally Authorized Signer”** means an individual who has authority to Sign for the principal as specified in **paragraph 43 or paragraph 44.**
 - O. **“Otherwise Agreed”** means an agreement in writing, signed by both Parties and Delivered to each.
 - P. **“Repairs”** means any repairs (including pest control), alterations, replacements, modifications or retrofitting of the Business provided for under this Agreement.
 - Q. **“Sign” or “Signed”** means either a handwritten or Electronic Signature on an original document, Copy or any counterpart.
- 37. TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF OFFER:** This is an offer to purchase the Business on the terms and conditions herein. The individual Liquidated Damages and Arbitration of Disputes paragraphs are incorporated in this Agreement if initiated by all Parties or if incorporated by mutual agreement in a Counter Offer or addendum. **If at least one but not all Parties initial, a Counter Offer is required until agreement is reached.** Seller has the right to continue to offer the Business for sale and to accept any other offer at any time prior to notification of Acceptance and to market the Business for backup offers after Acceptance. The Parties have read and acknowledge receipt of a Copy of the offer and agree to the confirmation of agency relationships. If this offer is accepted and Buyer subsequently defaults, Buyer may be responsible for payment of Brokers’ compensation. This Agreement and any supplement, addendum or modification, including any Copy, may be Signed in two or more counterparts, all of which shall constitute one and the same writing. By signing this offer or any document in the transaction, the Party Signing the document is deemed to have read the document in its entirety.
- 38. TIME OF ESSENCE; ENTIRE CONTRACT; CHANGES:** Time is of the essence. All understandings between the Parties are incorporated in this Agreement. Its terms are intended by the Parties as a final, complete and exclusive expression of their Agreement with respect to its subject matter and may not be contradicted by evidence of any prior agreement or contemporaneous oral agreement. If any provision of this Agreement is held to be ineffective or invalid, the remaining provisions will nevertheless be given full force and effect. Except as Otherwise Agreed, this Agreement shall be interpreted, and disputes shall be resolved in accordance with the Laws of the State of California. **Neither this Agreement nor any provision in it may be extended, amended, modified, altered or changed, except in writing Signed by Buyer and Seller.**
- 39. LEGALLY AUTHORIZED SIGNER:** Wherever the signature or initials of the Legally Authorized Signer identified in **paragraph 43 or 44** appear on this Agreement or any related documents, it shall be deemed to be in a representative capacity for the entity described and not in an individual capacity, unless otherwise indicated. The Legally Authorized Signer **(i)** represents that the entity for which that person is acting already exists and is in good standing to do business in California and **(ii)** shall Deliver to the other Party and Escrow Holder, within **3 Days after acceptance**, evidence of authority to act in that capacity (such as but not limited to: applicable portion of the trust or Certification Of Trust (Probate Code § 18100.5), letters testamentary, court order, power of attorney, corporate resolution, or formation documents of the business entity).

40. LIQUIDATED DAMAGES:

If Buyer fails to complete this purchase because of Buyer’s default, Seller shall retain, as liquidated damages, the deposit actually paid. Buyer and Seller agree that this amount is a reasonable sum given that it is impractical or extremely difficult to establish the amount of damages that would actually be suffered by Seller in the event Buyer were to breach this Agreement. Release of funds will require mutual, Signed release instructions from both Buyer and Seller, judicial decision or arbitration award. AT THE TIME OF ANY INCREASED DEPOSIT BUYER AND SELLER SHALL SIGN A SEPARATE LIQUIDATED DAMAGES PROVISION INCORPORATING THE INCREASED DEPOSIT AS LIQUIDATED DAMAGES (C.A.R. FORM DID).

Buyer’s Initials _____/_____

Seller’s Initials _____/_____

41. MEDIATION:

- A. The Parties agree to mediate any dispute or claim arising between them out of this Agreement, or any resulting transaction, before resorting to arbitration or court action. The mediation shall be conducted through the C.A.R. Real Estate Mediation Center for Consumers (www.consumermediation.org) or through any other mediation provider or service mutually agreed to by the Parties. The Parties **also agree to mediate any disputes or claims with Agents(s), who, in writing, agree to such mediation prior to, or within a reasonable time after, the dispute or claim is presented to the Agent.** Mediation fees, if any, shall be divided equally among the Parties involved, and shall be recoverable under the prevailing party attorney fees clause. If, for any dispute or claim to which this paragraph applies, any Party **(i)** commences an action without first attempting to resolve the matter through mediation, or **(ii)** before commencement of an action, refuses to mediate after a request has been made, then that Party shall not be entitled to recover attorney fees, even if they would otherwise be available to that Party in any such action. THIS MEDIATION PROVISION APPLIES WHETHER OR NOT THE ARBITRATION PROVISION IS INITIALED.
- B. **ADDITIONAL MEDIATION TERMS: (i) Exclusions from this mediation agreement are specified in paragraph 42B; (ii) The obligation to mediate does not preclude the right of either Party to seek a preservation of rights under paragraph 42C; and (iii) Agent’s rights and obligations are further specified in paragraph 42D. These terms apply even if the Arbitration of Disputes paragraph is not initialed.**



42. ARBITRATION OF DISPUTES:

- A. The Parties agree that any dispute or claim in Law or equity arising between them out of this Agreement or any resulting transaction, which is not settled through mediation, shall be decided by neutral, binding arbitration. The Parties also agree to arbitrate any disputes or claims with Agents(s), who, in writing, agree to such arbitration prior to, or within a reasonable time after, the dispute or claim is presented to the Agent. The arbitration shall be conducted through any arbitration provider or service mutually agreed to by the Parties. The arbitrator shall be a retired judge or justice, or an attorney with at least 5 years of transactional Business Law experience, unless the Parties mutually agree to a different arbitrator. Enforcement of, and any motion to compel arbitration pursuant to, this agreement to arbitrate shall be governed by the procedural rules of the Federal Arbitration Act, and not the California Arbitration Act, notwithstanding any language seemingly to the contrary in this Agreement. The Parties shall have the right to discovery in accordance with Code of Civil Procedure § 1283.05. The arbitration shall be conducted in accordance with Title 9 of Part 3 of the Code of Civil Procedure. Judgment upon the award of the arbitrator(s) may be entered into any court having jurisdiction.
- B. **EXCLUSIONS:** The following matters are excluded from mediation and arbitration: (i) Any matter that is within the jurisdiction of a probate, small claims or bankruptcy court; (ii) an unlawful detainer action; and (iii) a judicial or non-judicial foreclosure or other action or proceeding to enforce a deed of trust, mortgage or installment land sale contract as defined in Civil Code § 2985.
- C. **PRESERVATION OF ACTIONS:** The following shall not constitute a waiver nor violation of the mediation and arbitration provisions: (i) the filing of a court action to preserve a statute of limitations; (ii) the filing of a court action to enable the recording of a notice of pending action, for order of attachment, receivership, injunction, or other provisional remedies, provided the filing party concurrent with, or immediately after such filing, makes a request to the court for a stay of litigation pending any applicable mediation or arbitration proceeding; or (iii) the filing of a mechanic's lien.
- D. **AGENTS:** Agents shall not be obligated nor compelled to mediate or arbitrate unless they agree to do so in writing. Any Agents(s) participating in mediation or arbitration shall not be deemed a party to this Agreement.
- E. **"NOTICE: BY INITIALING IN THE SPACE BELOW YOU ARE AGREEING TO HAVE ANY DISPUTE ARISING OUT OF THE MATTERS INCLUDED IN THE 'ARBITRATION OF DISPUTES' PROVISION DECIDED BY NEUTRAL ARBITRATION AS PROVIDED BY CALIFORNIA LAW AND YOU ARE GIVING UP ANY RIGHTS YOU MIGHT POSSESS TO HAVE THE DISPUTE LITIGATED IN A COURT OR JURY TRIAL. BY INITIALING IN THE SPACE BELOW YOU ARE GIVING UP YOUR JUDICIAL RIGHTS TO DISCOVERY AND APPEAL, UNLESS THOSE RIGHTS ARE SPECIFICALLY INCLUDED IN THE 'ARBITRATION OF DISPUTES' PROVISION. IF YOU REFUSE TO SUBMIT TO ARBITRATION AFTER AGREEING TO THIS PROVISION, YOU MAY BE COMPELLED TO ARBITRATE UNDER THE AUTHORITY OF THE CALIFORNIA CODE OF CIVIL PROCEDURE. YOUR AGREEMENT TO THIS ARBITRATION PROVISION IS VOLUNTARY."**

"WE HAVE READ AND UNDERSTAND THE FOREGOING AND AGREE TO SUBMIT DISPUTES ARISING OUT OF THE MATTERS INCLUDED IN THE 'ARBITRATION OF DISPUTES' PROVISION TO NEUTRAL ARBITRATION."

Buyer's Initials _____ / _____ Seller's Initials _____ / _____

43. OFFER

- A. **EXPIRATION OF OFFER:** This offer shall be deemed revoked and the deposit, if any, shall be returned to Buyer unless by the date and time specified in **paragraph 3C**, the offer is Signed by Seller and a Copy of the Signed offer is Delivered to Buyer or Buyer's Authorized Agent. **Seller has no obligation to respond to an offer made.**
- B. **ENTITY BUYERS: (Note: If this paragraph is completed, a Representative Capacity Signature Disclosure (C.A.R. Form RCSD) is not required for the Legally Authorized Signers designated below.)**
 - (1) One or more Buyers is a trust, corporation, LLC, probate estate, partnership, holding a power of attorney or other entity.
 - (2) This Agreement is being Signed by a Legally Authorized Signer in a representative capacity and not in an individual capacity. See **paragraph 39** for additional terms.
 - (3) The name(s) of the Legally Authorized Signer(s) is/are: _____
 - (4) If a trust, identify Buyer as trustee(s) of the trust or by simplified trust name (ex. John Doe, co-trustee, Jane Doe, co-trustee or Doe Revocable Family Trust).
 - (5) If the entity is a trust or under probate, the following is the full name of the trust or probate case, including case #: _____

C. The BPA has 15 pages. Buyer acknowledges receipt of, and has read and understands, every page and all attachments that make up the Agreement.

D. BUYER SIGNATURE(S):

(Signature) By, _____ **Date:** _____

Printed name of BUYER: _____

Printed Name of Legally Authorized Signer: _____ Title, if applicable, _____

(Signature) By, _____ **Date:** _____

Printed name of BUYER: _____

Printed Name of Legally Authorized Signer: _____ Title, if applicable, _____

IF MORE THAN TWO SIGNERS, USE Additional Signature Addendum (C.A.R. Form ASA).



Business Name: _____ Date: _____

44. ACCEPTANCE

A. ACCEPTANCE OF OFFER: Seller warrants that Seller is the owner of the Business or has the authority to execute this Agreement. Seller accepts the above offer and agrees to sell the Business on the above terms and conditions. Seller has read and acknowledges receipt of a Copy of this Agreement and authorizes Agent to Deliver a Signed Copy to Buyer.

Seller's acceptance is subject to the attached Counter Offer or Back-Up Offer Addendum, or both, checked below. Seller shall return and include the entire agreement with any response.

- Seller Counter Offer** (C.A.R. Form SCO or SMCO)
- Back-Up Offer Addendum** (C.A.R. Form BUO)

B. Entity Sellers: (Note: If this paragraph is completed, a Representative Capacity Signature Disclosure form (C.A.R. Form RCSD) is not required for the Legally Authorized Signers designated below.)

- (1) One or more Sellers is a trust, corporation, LLC, probate estate, partnership, holding a power of attorney or other entity.
- (2) This Agreement is being Signed by a Legally Authorized Signer in a representative capacity and not in an individual capacity. See **paragraph 39** for additional terms.
- (3) The name(s) of the Legally Authorized Signer(s) is/are: _____.
- (4) If a trust, identify Seller as trustee(s) of the trust or by simplified trust name (ex. John Doe, co-trustee, Jane Doe, co-trustee or Doe Revocable Family Trust).
- (5) If the entity is a trust or under probate, the following is the full name of the trust or probate case, including case #: _____.

C. The BPA has 15 pages. Seller acknowledges receipt of, and has read and understands, every page and all attachments that make up the Agreement.

D. SELLER SIGNATURE(S):

(Signature) By, _____ **Date:** _____

Printed name of SELLER: _____

Printed Name of Legally Authorized Signer: _____ Title, if applicable, _____

(Signature) By, _____ **Date:** _____

Printed name of SELLER: _____

Printed Name of Legally Authorized Signer: _____ Title, if applicable, _____

IF MORE THAN TWO SIGNERS, USE Additional Signature Addendum (C.A.R. Form ASA).

OFFER NOT ACCEPTED: _____ / _____ No Counter Offer is being made. This offer was not accepted by Seller _____ (date)
Seller's Initials



REAL ESTATE BROKERS SECTION:

- 1. Real Estate Agents are not parties to the Agreement between Buyer and Seller.
- 2. Agency relationships are confirmed as stated in paragraph 2.
- 3. **Cooperating Broker Compensation:** Seller's Broker agrees to pay Buyer's Broker and Buyer's Broker agrees to accept, out of Seller's Broker's proceeds in escrow, the **compensation** specified in a separate written agreement (C.A.R. Form CBC). **Each Broker agrees to disclose to their Seller or Buyer client the amount in the CBC.** Declaration of License and Tax (C.A.R. Form DLT) may be used to document that tax reporting will be required or that an exemption exists.
- 4. **Presentation of Offer:** Pursuant to the National Association of REALTORS® Standard of Practice 1-7, if Buyer's Agent makes a written request, Seller's Agent shall confirm in writing that this offer has been presented to Seller.
- 5. **Agents' Signatures and designated electronic delivery address:**

A. Buyer's Brokerage Firm _____ Lic. # _____
 By _____ Lic.# _____ Date _____
 By _____ Lic.# _____ Date _____
 Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____
 Email _____ Phone # _____

- More than one agent from the same firm represents Buyer. Additional Agent Acknowledgement (C.A.R. Form AAA) attached.
- More than one brokerage firm represents Buyer. Additional Broker Acknowledgement (C.A.R. Form ABA) attached.

Designated Electronic Delivery Address(es) Email above or _____

Attached DEDA: If Parties elect to have an alternative Delivery method, such method may be indicated on C.A.R. Form DEDA.

B. Seller's Brokerage Firm _____ Lic. # _____
 By _____ Lic.# _____ Date _____
 By _____ Lic.# _____ Date _____
 Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____
 Email _____ Phone # _____

- More than one agent from the same firm represents Seller. Additional Agent Acknowledgement (C.A.R. Form AAA) attached.
- More than one brokerage firm represents Seller. Additional Broker Acknowledgement (C.A.R. Form ABA) attached.

Designated Electronic Delivery Address(es) (To be filled out by Seller's Agent)

Email above or _____

Attached DEDA: If Parties elect to have an alternative Delivery method, such method may be indicated on C.A.R. Form DEDA.

ESCROW HOLDER ACKNOWLEDGMENT:

Escrow Holder acknowledges receipt of a Copy of this Agreement, (if checked, a deposit in the amount of \$ _____), Counter Offer numbers _____ and _____, and agrees to act as Escrow Holder subject to **paragraph 26** of this Agreement, any supplemental escrow instructions and the terms of Escrow Holder's general provisions.

Escrow Holder is advised by _____ that the date of Acceptance of the Agreement is _____

Escrow Holder _____ Escrow # _____

By _____ Date _____

Address _____

Phone/Fax/E-mail _____

Escrow Holder has the following license number # _____

- Department of Financial Protection and Innovation, Department of Insurance, Department of Real Estate.

PRESENTATION OF OFFER: _____ / _____ Seller's Brokerage Firm presented this offer to Seller on _____ (date).
 Broker or Designee Initials

Buyer's Initials _____ / _____ Seller's Initials _____ / _____

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COMPENSATION AGREEMENT (For use if there is no listing agreement, buyer representation agreement, or single party compensation agreement) (C.A.R. Form CA, Revised 6/24)

1. COMPENSATION: Notice: The amount or rate of real estate commissions is not fixed by law. They are set by each broker individually and may be negotiable between the Seller/Buyer/Landlord/Tenant/Optionor/ Optionee ("Principal") and Broker.

_____, ("Principal"), agrees to pay to _____ ("Broker(s)"), as compensation for services, irrespective of agency relationships, the sum of either [] _____ percent of the transaction price, or [] _____ Dollars (\$ _____), for property situated in the City of _____, County of _____, California, described as _____.

Compensation is payable if Principal enters into an agreement on the above described property no later than _____ (date) as follows: (i) On recordation of the deed or other evidence of title or, if a lease, on execution of the lease, or if an option, on execution of the option agreement; or (ii) If completion of the transaction is prevented by default of Principal, then upon such default; or (iii) If completion of the transaction is prevented by a party to the transaction other than Principal, then only if and when Principal collects damages by suit, settlement, or otherwise, and then in an amount equal to the lesser of one-half of the damages recovered, or the above compensation, after first deducting title and escrow expenses and the expenses of collection, if any. Broker may cooperate with other brokers, and divide with other brokers such compensation in any manner acceptable to Broker. Principal hereby irrevocably assigns to Broker the above compensation from Principal's funds and proceeds in escrow.

BENEFITS OF USING THE MLS; IMPACT OF OPTING OUT OF THE MLS; PRESENTING ALL OFFERS

WHAT IS AN MLS? The MLS is a database of properties for sale that is available and disseminated to and accessible by all other real estate agents who are participants or subscribers to the MLS. Property information submitted to the MLS describes the price, terms and conditions under which the Seller's property is offered for sale. It is likely that a significant number of real estate practitioners in any given area are participants or subscribers to the MLS. The MLS may also be part of a reciprocal agreement to which other multiple listing services belong. Real estate agents belonging to other multiple listing services that have reciprocal agreements with the MLS also have access to the information submitted to the MLS. The MLS may further transmit the MLS database to Internet sites that post property listings online.

EXPOSURE TO BUYERS THROUGH MLS: Listing property with an MLS exposes a seller's property to all real estate agents and brokers (and their potential buyer clients) who are participants or subscribers to the MLS or a reciprocating MLS.

CLOSED/PRIVATE LISTING CLUBS OR GROUPS: Closed or private listing clubs or groups are not the same as the MLS. The MLS referred to above is accessible to all eligible real estate licensees and provides broad exposure for a listed property. Private or closed listing clubs or groups of licensees may have been formed outside the MLS. Private or closed listing clubs or groups are accessible to a more limited number of licensees and generally offer less exposure for listed property. Whether listing property through a closed, private network - and excluding it from the MLS - is advantageous or disadvantageous to a seller, and why, should be discussed with the agent taking the Seller's listing.

NOT LISTING PROPERTY IN A LOCAL MLS: If the Property is listed in an MLS which does not cover the geographic area where the Property is located then real estate agents and brokers working that territory, and Buyers they represent looking for property in the neighborhood, may not be aware the Property is for sale.

OPTING OUT OF MLS: If Seller elects to exclude the Property from the MLS, Seller understands and acknowledges that: (a) real estate agents and brokers from other real estate offices, and their buyer clients, who have access to that MLS may not be aware that Seller's Property is offered for sale; (b) Information about Seller's Property will not be transmitted to various real estate Internet sites that are used by the public to search for property listings; (c) real estate agents, brokers and members of the public may be unaware of the terms and conditions under which Seller is marketing the Property.

REDUCTION IN EXPOSURE: Any reduction in exposure of the Property may lower the number of offers and negatively impact the sales price.

PRESENTING ALL OFFERS: Seller understands that Broker must present all offers received for Seller's Property unless Seller gives Broker written instructions to the contrary.

Principal's Initials _____ / _____

Broker's/Agent Initials _____ / _____

2. MLS AND IMAGES: All terms of the transaction, including sales price and financing, may be provided to the MLS even if the Property was not listed with the MLS. Seller consents to Broker providing information related to the transaction, as allowed or required by the Broker's MLS. Seller further assigns any rights in all Images to the Broker/Agent and agrees that such Images are the property of Broker/Agent and that Broker/Agent may use such Images and other information related to the transaction for advertising, including post sale and for Broker/Agent's business in the future.

3. ATTORNEY FEES: In any action, proceeding, or arbitration between Principal and Broker(s) arising out of this Agreement, the prevailing party shall be entitled to reasonable attorney fees and costs except as provided in paragraph 3A.



4. DISPUTE RESOLUTION:

- A. MEDIATION:** Principal and Broker agree to mediate any dispute or claim arising between them regarding the obligation to pay compensation under this Agreement, before resorting to arbitration or court action. Mediation fees, if any, shall be divided equally among the parties involved. If, for any dispute or claim to which this paragraph applies, any party (i) commences an action without first attempting to resolve the matter through mediation, or (ii) before commencement of an action, refuses to mediate after a request has been made, then that party shall not be entitled to recover attorney fees, even if they would otherwise be available to that party in any such action. Exclusions from this mediation agreement are specified in **paragraph 4B.**
- B. ADDITIONAL MEDIATION TERMS:** The following matters shall be excluded from mediation: (i) a judicial or non-judicial foreclosure or other action or proceeding to enforce a deed of trust, mortgage or installment land sale contract as defined in Civil Code § 2985; (ii) an unlawful detainer action; (iii) the filing or enforcement of a mechanic's lien; and (iv) any matter that is within the jurisdiction of a probate, small claims or bankruptcy court. The filing of a court action to enable the recording of a notice of pending action, for order of attachment, receivership, injunction, or other provisional remedies, shall not constitute a waiver or violation of the mediation provisions.
- C. ADVISORY:** If Principal and Broker desire to resolve disputes arising between them through arbitration rather than court, they can document their agreement by attaching and signing an Arbitration Agreement (C.A.R. Form ARB).

5. OTHER TERMS AND CONDITIONS:

OR See Brokerage Addendum.

6. LEGALLY AUTHORIZED SIGNER: Wherever the signature or initials of the Legally Authorized Signer, identified in the signature block below, appear on this Agreement or any related documents, it shall be deemed to be in a representative capacity for the entity described and not in an individual capacity, unless otherwise indicated. The Legally Authorized Signer (i) represents that the entity for which that person is acting already exists and is in good standing to do business in California and (ii) shall deliver to Broker, within **3 Days** after execution of this Agreement, evidence of authority to act in that capacity (such as but not limited to: applicable portion of the trust or Certification Of Trust (Probate Code § 18100.5), letters testamentary, court order, power of attorney, corporate resolution, or formation documents of the business entity).

By signing below, Principal acknowledges that Seller has read, understands, received a copy of and agrees to the terms of this Agreement.

ENTITY PRINCIPALS: (Note: If this paragraph is completed, a Representative Capacity Signature Disclosure (C.A.R. Form RCSD) is not required for the Legally Authorized Signers designated below.)

- (1) One or more Principals is a trust, corporation, LLC, probate estate, partnership, other entity or holds a power of attorney.
- (2) This Agreement is being Signed by a Legally Authorized Signer in a representative capacity and not for him/herself as an individual. See **paragraph 6** for additional terms.
- (3) The name(s) of the Legally Authorized Signer(s) is: _____.
- (4) If a trust, identify Seller as trustee(s) of the trust or by simplified trust name (ex. John Doe, co-trustee, Jane Doe, co-trustee or Doe Revocable Family Trust).
- (5) If the entity is a trust or under probate, the following is the full name of the trust or probate case, including case #: _____.

PRINCIPAL SIGNATURE(S):

(Signature) By, _____ Date _____

Printed name of PRINCIPAL: _____

Printed Name of Legally Authorized Signer: _____ Title, if applicable, _____

(Signature) By, _____ Date _____

Printed name of PRINCIPAL: _____

Printed Name of Legally Authorized Signer: _____ Title, if applicable, _____

Additional Signature Addendum attached (C.A.R. Form ASA)

BROKER SIGNATURE(S):

Real Estate Broker (Firm) _____ Lic# _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

By _____ Tel. _____ E-mail _____ Lic# _____ Date _____

By _____ Tel. _____ E-mail _____ Lic# _____ Date _____

Two Brokers with different companies are co-representing Principal. Co-representing Broker information is on the attached Additional Broker Acknowledgement (C.A.R. Form ABA).

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CONDOMINIUM CONVERSION SUBDIVISION PURCHASE AGREEMENT AND JOINT ESCROW INSTRUCTIONS
 Use only when a residence is part of a Condominium Conversion Project
 (C.A.R. Form CCSPA, Revised 6/24)

Date Prepared: _____

1. OFFER:

- A. **THIS IS AN OFFER FROM** _____ (“Buyer”).
- B. **THE PROPERTY** to be acquired is _____, situated in _____ (City), _____ (County), California, _____ (Zip Code), Assessor’s Parcel No(s) _____ (“Property”).
 (Postal/Mailing address may be different from city jurisdiction. Buyer is advised to investigate.)
- C. **THE TERMS OF THE PURCHASE ARE SPECIFIED BELOW AND ON THE FOLLOWING PAGES.**
- D. **CLOSE OF ESCROW** shall occur as specified in **paragraph 3B** (“Closing Date”). If, through no fault of Buyer, Seller is unable to close on or before the Closing Date, Seller shall, within **15 Days** after the Closing Date, order all of Buyer’s deposits refunded to Buyer.
- E. Buyer and Seller are referred to herein as the “Parties.” Brokers and Agents are **not** Parties to this Agreement.

2. AGENCY:

- A. **DISCLOSURE:** The Parties each acknowledge receipt of a “Disclosure Regarding Real Estate Agency Relationships” (C.A.R. Form AD) if represented by a real estate licensee. Buyer’s Agent is not legally required to give to Seller’s Agent the AD form Signed by Buyer. Seller’s Agent is not legally obligated to give to Buyer’s Agent the AD form Signed by Seller.
- B. **CONFIRMATION:** The following agency relationships are hereby confirmed for this transaction.
Seller’s Brokerage Firm _____ License Number _____
 Is the broker of (check one): the Seller; or both the Buyer and Seller (Dual Agent).
Seller’s Agent _____ License Number _____
 Is (check one): the Seller’s Agent (Salesperson or broker associate); or both the Buyer’s and Seller’s Agent (Dual Agent).
Buyer’s Brokerage Firm _____ License Number _____
 Is the broker of (check one): the Buyer; or both the Buyer and Seller (Dual Agent).
Buyer’s Agent _____ License Number _____
 Is (check one): the Buyer’s Agent (Salesperson or broker associate); or both the Buyer’s and Seller’s Agent (Dual Agent).
 More than one Brokerage represents Seller, Buyer. See, Additional Broker Acknowledgement (C.A.R. Form ABA).
- D. **POTENTIALLY COMPETING BUYERS AND SELLERS:** The Parties each acknowledge receipt of a “Possible Representation of More than One Buyer or Seller - Disclosure and Consent” (C.A.R. Form PRBS).
- E. (If checked) **REFERRAL LICENSEE:** _____ (print Firm Name) is a Referral Licensee only and shall be compensated \$ _____ or _____ % of the Purchase Price. Buyer and Seller acknowledge that Referral Licensee has merely introduced Buyer to the Property and does not represent Buyer or Seller in this transaction. Buyer further acknowledges and agrees that any agency relationship with Referral Licensee, whether existing under a written or oral agreement or by implication, is terminated for this Property as of the date of Buyer’s signature on this Agreement. Referral Licensee is not a part to this Agreement between Buyer and Seller. **Note to Referral Licensee: Do not confirm agency if checking this paragraph. If you become an Agent in the transaction add a Confirmation of Real Estate Agency Relationships at that time (C.A.R. Form AC).**

3. TERMS OF PURCHASE AND ALLOCATION OF COSTS: The items in this paragraph are contractual terms of the Agreement. Referenced paragraphs provide further explanation. This form is **19** pages. The Parties are advised to read all **19** pages.

Paragraph #	Paragraph Title or Contract Term	Terms and Conditions	Additional Terms
A	5, 5B (cash)	Purchase Price	\$ _____ <input type="checkbox"/> All Cash
B	1D, 5A(3)	Close Of Escrow (COE)	_____ Days after Acceptance OR on _____ (date) (mm/dd/yyyy)
C	39A	Expiration of Offer	3 calendar days after all Buyer Signature(s) or _____ (date) at 5PM or <input type="checkbox"/> AM/ <input type="checkbox"/> PM
D(1)	5A(1)	Initial Deposit Amount	\$ _____ (_____% of purchase price) (% number above is for calculation purposes and is not a contractual term) Delivered to Escrow (or <input type="checkbox"/> Seller) within 3 (or _____) business days after Acceptance by wire transfer OR <input type="checkbox"/> Personal Check OR <input type="checkbox"/> _____
D(2)	5A(2)	<input type="checkbox"/> Increased Deposit (Money placed into escrow after the initial deposit. Use form DID at time increased deposit is made.)	\$ _____ (_____% of purchase price) (% number above is for calculation purposes and is not a contractual term) Upon removal of all contingencies OR <input type="checkbox"/> _____ (date) OR <input type="checkbox"/> _____
E(1)	5C(1)	Loan Amount(s): First Interest Rate Points If FHA or VA checked, Deliver list of lender required repairs	\$ _____ (_____% of purchase price) Fixed rate or <input type="checkbox"/> Initial adjustable rate • not to exceed _____ % • Buyer to pay up to _____ points to obtain rate above 17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance Conventional or, if checked, <input type="checkbox"/> FHA (Forms FVAC/HID attached) <input type="checkbox"/> VA (Form FVAC attached) <input type="checkbox"/> Seller Financing <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____



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	Paragraph #	Paragraph Title or Contract Term	Terms and Conditions	Additional Terms
E(2)	5C(2)	Additional Financed Amount Interest Rate Points	\$ _____ (____% of purchase price) • not to exceed ____% • Buyer to pay up to ____ points to obtain rate above	Conventional or, if checked, <input type="checkbox"/> Seller Financing <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____
E(3)	7A	Occupancy Type	Primary, or if checked, <input type="checkbox"/> Secondary <input type="checkbox"/> Investment	
F	5D	Balance of Down Payment	\$ _____	
PURCHASE PRICE TOTAL			\$ _____	
G(1)	5E	Seller Credit, if any, to Buyer	<input type="checkbox"/> \$ _____ (____% of purchase price) (% number above is for calculation purposes and is not a contractual term)	Seller credit to be applied to closing costs OR <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____
G(2)	ADDITIONAL FINANCE TERMS: _____			
G(3)	21	<input type="checkbox"/> Seller agrees to pay the obligation of Buyer to compensate Buyer's Broker under a separate agreement (C.A.R. Form SPBB attached). Seller's Broker's offer, if any, to compensate Buyer's Broker is unaffected unless Otherwise Agreed.		
H(1)	5B	Verification of All Cash (sufficient funds)	Attached to the offer or <input type="checkbox"/> 3 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	
H(2)	6A	Verification of Down Payment and Closing Costs	Attached to the offer or <input type="checkbox"/> 3 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	
H(3)	6B	Verification of Loan Application	Attached to the offer or <input type="checkbox"/> 3 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	<input type="checkbox"/> Prequalification <input type="checkbox"/> Preapproval <input type="checkbox"/> Fully underwritten preapproval
I	Intentionally Left Blank			
J	11	Public Report Status	<input type="checkbox"/> Final Public Report <input type="checkbox"/> Conditional Public Report <input type="checkbox"/> Amended/Renewed Public Report	If Conditional Public Report is checked: Final Public Report shall be issued within <input type="checkbox"/> 6 months or <input type="checkbox"/> 30 months of the date of issuance of the Conditional Public Report.
K	17	Final Verification of Condition	5 (or _____) Days prior to COE	
L	24	Assignment Request	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	
M	8	CONTINGENCIES	TIME TO REMOVE CONTINGENCIES	CONTINGENCY REMOVED
M(1)	8A	Loan(s)	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	<input type="checkbox"/> No loan contingency
M(2)	8B	Appraisal: Appraisal contingency based upon appraised value at a minimum of purchase price or <input type="checkbox"/> \$ _____	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	<input type="checkbox"/> No appraisal contingency Removal of appraisal contingency does not eliminate appraisal cancellation rights in FVAC.
M(3)	8C, 14	Investigation of Property Informational Access to Property Buyer's right to access the Property for informational purposes is NOT a contingency, does NOT create additional cancellation rights, and applies even if contingencies are removed.	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	REMOVAL OR WAIVER OF CONTINGENCY: Any contingency in M(1)-M(9) may be removed or waived by checking the applicable box above or attaching a Contingency Removal Form (C.A.R. Form CR-B) and checking the applicable box therein. Removal or Waiver at time of offer is against Agent advice. See paragraph 8J. <input type="checkbox"/> CR-B attached
M(4)	8D	Insurance	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	
M(5)	8E, 16A	Review of Seller Documents	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance, or 5 Days after Delivery, whichever is later	
M(6)	8F, 11	Review of Public Report	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance, or 5 Days after Delivery, whichever is later	
M(7)	8G, 15A	Preliminary ("Title") Report	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance or 5 Days after Delivery, whichever is later	
M(8)	8H, 12F	Common Interest Disclosures required by Civil Code § 4525 or this Agreement	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance, or 5 Days after Delivery, whichever is later	
M(9)	8I, 9B(6)	Review of leased or liened items (Such as for solar panels or propane tanks or PACE or HERO liens)	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance, or 5 Days after Delivery, whichever is later	
N		Possession	Time for Performance	
N(1)		Delivery of Possession	Upon notice of recordation On COE date	



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	Paragraph #	Paragraph Title or Contract Term	Terms and Conditions	Additional Terms
N(2)		Occupied units by tenants or anyone other than Seller	<input type="checkbox"/> Tenant Occupied Property Addendum (C.A.R. Form TOPA) attached	Seller shall disclose to Buyer If occupied by tenants or persons other than Seller, and attach TOPA in a counter offer if not part of Buyer's offer.
O	Intentionally Left Blank			
P		Documents/Fees/Compliance	Time for Performance	
P(1)	16A	Seller Delivery of Documents	7 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	
P(2)	20C	Sign and return Escrow Holder General Provisions, Supplemental Instructions	5 (or _____) Days after Delivery	
P(3)	12F(2)	Time to pay fees for ordering HOA Documents	3 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	
P(4)	30	Evidence of representative authority	3 Days after Acceptance	
Q	Items Included and Excluded			
Q(1)	9	Items Included - All items specified in Paragraph 9B are included and the following, if checked:		
		<input type="checkbox"/> Stove(s), oven(s), stove/oven combo(s); <input type="checkbox"/> Refrigerator(s); <input type="checkbox"/> Wine Refrigerator(s); <input type="checkbox"/> Washer(s); <input type="checkbox"/> Dryer(s); <input type="checkbox"/> Dishwasher(s); <input type="checkbox"/> Microwave(s); Additional Items Included: <input type="checkbox"/> _____;	<input type="checkbox"/> Video doorbell(s); <input type="checkbox"/> Security camera equipment; <input type="checkbox"/> Security system(s)/alarm(s), other than separate video doorbell and camera equipment; <input type="checkbox"/> Smart home control devices; <input type="checkbox"/> Wall mounted brackets for video or audio equipment; <input type="checkbox"/> _____; <input type="checkbox"/> _____;	<input type="checkbox"/> Above-ground pool(s) / <input type="checkbox"/> spa(s); <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Bathroom mirrors, unless excluded below; <input type="checkbox"/> Electric car charging systems and stations; <input type="checkbox"/> Potted trees/shrubs; <input type="checkbox"/> _____; <input type="checkbox"/> _____;
Q(2)		Excluded Items: <input type="checkbox"/> _____;	<input type="checkbox"/> _____;	<input type="checkbox"/> _____;
R	Allocation of Costs			
	Paragraph #	Item Description	Who Pays (if Both is checked, cost to be split equally unless Otherwise Agreed)	Additional Terms
R(1)	12B	Natural Hazard Zone Disclosure Report, including tax information	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Environmental <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Provided by: _____
R(2)	20C	Escrow Fees	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Each to pay their own fees	Escrow Holder: _____
R(3)	15G	Owner's title insurance policy	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	Title Company (If different from Escrow Holder): _____
R(4)		Buyer's Lender title insurance policy	Buyer	Unless Otherwise Agreed, Buyer shall purchase any title insurance policy insuring Buyer's lender.
R(5)		County transfer tax, fees	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
R(6)		City transfer tax, fees	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
R(7)	12F(2)	HOA fee for preparing disclosures	Seller	
R(8)		HOA certification fee	Buyer	
R(9)		HOA transfer fees	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	Unless Otherwise Agreed, Seller shall pay for separate HOA move-out fee and Buyer shall pay for separate move-in fee. Applies if separately billed or itemized with cost in transfer fee.
R(10)		Private transfer fees	Seller, or if checked, <input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
R(11)		_____ fees or costs	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
R(12)		_____ fees or costs	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
R(13)A		_____ Report	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
R(13)B		_____ Report	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	



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	Paragraph #	Item Description	Who Pays (if Both is checked, cost to be split equally unless Otherwise Agreed)	Additional Terms
R(14)		Optional Wildfire Disclosure Report	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Provided by: _____
R(15)	10	Home warranty plan: _____ _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Buyer waives home warranty plan	Cost not to exceed \$ _____. Issued by: _____
S	7B, 12A	Disclosure of Defects and Malfunctions of Major Systems under Civil Code § 1134: _____		
T	34, 35	SELLER ESTIMATES FOR THIRD PARTY CHARGES: Credit Reports _____ Preliminary Title Reports _____ Escrow Services _____ Appraisals _____ Loan Processing Fees _____		
U	OTHER TERMS: Other terms and conditions are void to the extent that they impair or limit the rights or remedies reserved to Buyer elsewhere in this Agreement. Note to Seller: For any addenda form(s) you intend to attach to this Agreement, you must submit them to, and have them accepted by, the DRE.			

4. **PROPERTY ADVISORIES AND DISCLOSURES:** (check all that apply)

A. **BUYER AND SELLER ADVISORIES:** (Note: All Advisories below are provided for reference purposes only and are not intended to be incorporated into this Agreement.)

- Buyer's Investigation Advisory (C.A.R. Form BIA)
- Wire Fraud Advisory (C.A.R. Form WFA)
- Fair Housing and Discrimination Advisory (C.A.R. Form FHDA)
- Cal. Consumer Privacy Act Advisory (C.A.R. Form CCPA)
(Parties may also receive a privacy disclosure from their own Agent.)
- Wildfire Disaster Advisory (C.A.R. Form WFDA)
- Trust Advisory (C.A.R. Form TA)
- REO Advisory (C.A.R. Form REO)
- Other: _____
- Statewide Buyer and Seller Advisory (C.A.R. Form SBSA)
- Short Sale Information and Advisory (C.A.R. Form SSIA)
- Probate Advisory (C.A.R. Form PA)
- Other _____

B. **ATTACHED DISCLOSURES:**

- (1) If checked, Buyer acknowledges receipt of the following disclosures:
 - Final Public Report
 - Model Plan/Property Description
 - Bonded Debt
 - Notice of Special Tax
 - Smoke Detector
 - DRE 2790.9 (for properties for completed or occupied more than 3 years prior to a public report)
 - Newly Converted Condominium
 - Conditional Public Report
 - Zone Report
 - Property Disclosure Statement
 - HOA Documents
 - Water Heater
 - Industrial, Commercial, Airport Zone
 - Amended/Renewed Public Report
 - Site Report
 - Seller's Limited Warranties
 - Utility Disclosures
 - Transportation Corridors
- (2) **ADDITIONAL DISCLOSURES:** Seller shall provide Buyer with the following additional disclosures: _____

5. **ADDITIONAL TERMS AFFECTING PURCHASE PRICE:** Buyer represents that funds will be good when deposited with Escrow Holder.

A. **DEPOSIT:**

- (1) **INITIAL DEPOSIT:** Buyer shall deliver deposit directly to the party selected in **paragraph 3D(1)**. If being delivered to Seller, Seller must have obtained a bond or bonds meeting the requirements of B&P Code §§ 11013.2(c) or 11013.4(b) or (c), and DRE Regulation 2791.2. If Seller has not obtained such bond(s), then deposit shall be delivered directly to Escrow. **Note to Seller: If the purchase agreement is signed under the authority of a conditional Public Report, all funds must be impounded and held in a neutral escrow depository per B&P Code §§ 11013.4(a) or 11013.2(a).**
- (2) **INCREASED DEPOSIT:** Increased deposit (**paragraph 3D(2)**) to be delivered to Escrow Holder in the same manner as the Initial Deposit. If the Parties agree to liquidated damages in this Agreement, they also agree to incorporate the increased deposit into the liquidated damages amount by signing a new liquidated damages clause (C.A.R. Form DID) at the time the increased deposit is delivered to Escrow Holder.
- (3) **RETURN OF DEPOSIT FOR SELLER FAILURE TO CLOSE:** If Seller is unable to close on or before the Closing Date, Seller shall, within **15 Days** after the Closing Date, order all of Buyer's deposits, including all third party charges (including but not limited to those specified in **paragraphs 34 and 35**) refunded to Buyer (except for liquidated damages paid to Seller pursuant to **paragraph 43**, if applicable).
- (4) **RETENTION OF DEPOSIT:** Paragraph 36, if initialed by all Parties or otherwise incorporated into this Agreement, specifies a remedy for Buyer's default. Buyer and Seller are advised to consult with a qualified California real estate attorney: (i) Before adding any other clause specifying a remedy (such as release or forfeiture of deposit or making a deposit non-refundable) for failure of Buyer to complete the purchase. Any such clause shall be deemed invalid unless the clause independently satisfies the statutory liquidated damages requirements set forth in the Civil Code; and (ii) Regarding possible liability and remedies if Buyer fails to deliver the deposit.

B. **ALL CASH OFFER:** If an all cash offer is specified in **paragraph 3A**, no loan is needed to purchase the Property. This Agreement is NOT contingent on Buyer obtaining a loan. Buyer shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3H(1)**, Deliver written verification of funds sufficient for the purchase price and closing costs.

C. **LOAN(S):**

- (1) **FIRST LOAN:** This loan will provide for conventional financing **UNLESS** FHA, VA, Seller Financing (C.A.R. Form SFA), or Other is checked in **paragraph 3E(1)**.
- (2) **ADDITIONAL FINANCED AMOUNT:** If an additional financed amount is specified in **paragraph 3E(2)**, that amount will provide for conventional financing **UNLESS** Seller Financing (C.A.R. Form SFA), or Other is checked in **paragraph 3E(2)**.
- (3) **BUYER'S LOAN STATUS:** Buyer authorizes Seller and Seller's Authorized Agent to contact Buyer's lender(s) to determine the status of any Buyer's loan specified in **paragraph 3E**, or any alternate loan Buyer pursues, whether or not a contingency of this Agreement. If the contact information for Buyer's lender(s) is different from that provided under the terms of **paragraph 6B**, Buyer shall Deliver the updated contact information within **1 Day** of Seller's request.



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(4) **FHA/VA: If FHA or VA is checked in paragraph 3E(1)**, a FHA/VA amendatory clause (C.A.R. Form FVAC) shall be incorporated and Signed by all Parties. Buyer shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3E(1)**, Deliver to Seller written notice (C.A.R. Form RR or AEA) (i) of any lender requirements that Buyer requests Seller to pay for or otherwise correct or (ii) that there are no lender requirements. Notwithstanding Seller's agreement that Buyer may obtain FHA or VA financing, Seller has no obligation to pay or satisfy any or all lender requirements unless agreed in writing.

D. BALANCE OF PURCHASE PRICE (DOWN PAYMENT) (including all-cash funds) to be deposited with Escrow Holder pursuant to Escrow Holder instructions.

E. LIMITS ON CREDITS TO BUYER: Any credit to Buyer, from any source, for closing or other costs that is agreed to by the Parties ("Contractual Credit") shall be disclosed to Buyer's lender, if any, and made at Close Of Escrow. If the total credit allowed by Buyer's lender ("Lender Allowable Credit") is less than the Contractual Credit, then (i) the Contractual Credit from Seller shall be reduced to the Lender Allowable Credit, and (ii) in the absence of a separate written agreement between the Parties, there shall be no automatic adjustment to the purchase price to make up for the difference between the Contractual Credit and the Lender Allowable Credit.

6. ADDITIONAL FINANCING TERMS:

A. VERIFICATION OF DOWN PAYMENT AND CLOSING COSTS: Written verification of Buyer's down payment and closing costs may be made by Buyer or Buyer's lender or loan broker pursuant to **paragraph 6B**.

B. VERIFICATION OF LOAN APPLICATIONS: Buyer shall Deliver to Seller, within the time specified in **paragraph 3H(3)** a letter from Buyer's lender or loan broker stating that, based on a review of Buyer's written application and credit report, Buyer is prequalified or preapproved for any NEW loan specified in **paragraph 3E**. If any loan specified in **paragraph 3E** is an adjustable rate loan, the prequalification or preapproval letter shall be based on the qualifying rate, not the initial loan rate.

C. BUYER STATED FINANCING: Seller is relying on Buyer's representation of the type of financing specified (including, but not limited to, as applicable, all cash, amount of down payment, or contingent or non-contingent loan). Seller has agreed to a specific closing date, purchase price, and to sell to Buyer in reliance on Buyer's specified financing. Buyer shall pursue the financing specified in this Agreement, even if Buyer also elects to pursue an alternative form of financing. Seller has no obligation to cooperate with Buyer's efforts to obtain any financing other than that specified in this Agreement but shall not interfere with closing at the purchase price on the COE date (**paragraph 3B**) even if based upon alternate financing. Buyer's inability to obtain alternate financing does not excuse Buyer from the obligation to purchase the Property and close escrow as specified in this Agreement.

7. CLOSING AND POSSESSION:

A. OCCUPANCY: If Buyer intends to occupy as a primary or secondary residence as indicated in **paragraph 3E(3)** and unless Otherwise Agreed, such as in C.A.R. Form TOPA: (i) the unit Buyer intends to occupy shall be vacant at the time possession is delivered to Buyer, and (ii) if the Property contains more than one unit, within 3 Days after Acceptance Buyer shall give Seller written notice of which unit Buyer intends to occupy. Occupancy may impact available financing. **Seller shall disclose to Buyer if occupied by tenants or persons other than Seller, and attach C.A.R. Form TOPA in a counter offer if not part of Buyer's offer.**

B. CONDITION OF PROPERTY ON CLOSING; AND STATEMENT OF DEFECTS PER DRE REGULATIONS 2790.8 AND 2790.9; EXISTING SUBDIVISION INTEREST DISCLOSURE (For properties that have been either completed or occupied more than 3 years prior to a public report application being filed with the DRE, the Seller disclosure shall be on the form specified in DRE Regulation 2790.9):

(1) **Condition:** Unless Otherwise Agreed: (i) the Property shall be delivered "**As-Is**" in its PRESENT physical condition as of the date of Acceptance; (ii) the Property, including pool, spa, landscaping and grounds, is to be maintained in substantially the same condition as on the date of Acceptance; (iii) **Except as specified in paragraph 9C, Seller is not responsible to repair any holes left after the removal of any wall hangings (such as pictures and mirrors), brackets, nails or other fastening devices; and (iv)** all debris and personal property not included in the sale shall be removed by Close Of Escrow or at the time possession is delivered to Buyer, if not on the same date. If items are not removed when possession is delivered to Buyer, all items shall be deemed abandoned. Buyer, after first Delivering to Seller written notice to remove the items within **3 Days**, may pay to have such items removed or disposed of and may bring legal action, as per this Agreement, to receive reasonable costs from Seller.

(2) **Renovations:** All renovations affecting this unit disclosed to DRE pursuant to DRE form RE 639 shall be completed prior to Close Of Escrow.

(3) **Buyer is strongly advised to conduct investigations of the entire Property in order to determine its present condition. Seller and Agents may not be aware of all defects affecting the Property or other factors that Buyer considers important. Property improvements may not be built according to code, in compliance with current Law, or have had all required permits issued and/or finalized.**

C. At Close Of Escrow: (i) Seller assigns to Buyer any assignable warranty rights for items included in the sale; and (ii) Seller shall Deliver to Buyer available Copies of any such warranties. Agents cannot and will not determine the assignability of any warranties.

D. Seller shall, on Close Of Escrow unless Otherwise Agreed and even if Seller remains in possession, provide keys, passwords, codes and/or means to operate all locks, mailboxes, security systems, alarms, home automation systems, intranet and Internet-connected devices included in the purchase price, garage door openers, and all items included in either paragraph 3Q or paragraph 9. If the Property is a condominium or located in a common interest development, Seller shall be responsible for securing or providing any such items for Association amenities, facilities, and access. Buyer may be required to pay a deposit to the Homeowners' Association ("HOA") to obtain keys to accessible HOA facilities.

8. CONTINGENCIES AND REMOVAL OF CONTINGENCIES:

A. LOAN(S):

(1) This Agreement is, **unless otherwise specified in paragraph 3M(1) or an attached CR form**, contingent upon Buyer obtaining the loan(s) specified. If contingent, Buyer shall act diligently and in good faith to obtain the designated loan(s). **If there is no appraisal contingency or the appraisal contingency has been waived or removed, then failure of the Property to appraise at the purchase price does not entitle Buyer to exercise the cancellation right pursuant to the loan contingency if Buyer is otherwise qualified for the specified loan and Buyer is able to satisfy lender's non-appraisal conditions for closing the loan.**

(2) Buyer is advised to investigate the insurability of the Property as early as possible, as this may be a requirement for lending. Buyer's ability to obtain insurance for the Property, including fire insurance, is part of Buyer's **Insurance** contingency. Failure of Buyer to obtain insurance may justify cancellation based on the **Insurance** contingency but not the loan contingency.

(3) Buyer's contractual obligations regarding deposit, balance of down payment and closing costs **are not contingencies** of this Agreement, unless Otherwise Agreed.

(4) If there is an appraisal contingency, removal of the loan contingency shall not be deemed removal of the appraisal contingency.



(5) **NO LOAN CONTINGENCY:** If "No loan contingency" is checked in **paragraph 3M(1)**, obtaining any loan specified is NOT a contingency of this Agreement. If Buyer does not obtain the loan specified, and as a result is unable to purchase the Property, Seller may be entitled to Buyer's deposit or other legal remedies.

B. APPRAISAL:

(1) This Agreement is, **unless otherwise specified in paragraph 3M(2) or an attached CR form**, contingent upon a written appraisal of the Property by a licensed or certified appraiser at no less than the amount specified in **paragraph 3M(2)**, without requiring repairs or improvements to the Property. Appraisals are often a reliable source to verify square footage of the subject Property. However, the ability to cancel based on the measurements provided in an appraisal falls within the Investigation of Property contingency. The appraisal contingency is solely limited to the value determined by the appraisal. For any cancellation based upon this appraisal contingency, Buyer shall Deliver a Copy of the written appraisal to Seller, upon request by Seller.

(2) **NO APPRAISAL CONTINGENCY:** If "No appraisal contingency" is checked in **paragraph 3M(2)**, then Buyer may not use the loan contingency specified in **paragraph 3M(1)** to cancel this Agreement if the sole reason for not obtaining the loan is that the appraisal relied upon by Buyer's lender values the property at an amount less than that specified in **paragraph 3M(2)**. If Buyer is unable to obtain the loan specified solely for this reason, Seller may be entitled to Buyer's deposit or other legal remedies.

(3) **Fair Appraisal Act:** See **paragraph 39** for additional information.

C. INVESTIGATION OF PROPERTY: This Agreement is, as specified in **paragraph 3M(3)**, contingent upon Buyer's acceptance of the condition of, and any other matter affecting, the Property.

D. INSURANCE: This Agreement is, as specified in **paragraph 3M(4)**, contingent upon Buyer's assessment of the availability and approval of the cost for any insurance policy desired under this Agreement.

E. REVIEW OF SELLER DOCUMENTS: This Agreement is, as specified in **paragraph 3M(5)**, contingent upon Buyer's review and approval of Seller's documents required in **paragraph 16A**.

F. REVIEW OF PUBLIC REPORT: This Agreement is, as specified in **paragraph 3M(6)**, contingent upon Buyer's review and approval of the Public Report specified in **paragraph 3J** and signing DRE form RE 614E, "Receipt for Public Report."

G. TITLE:

(1) This Agreement is, as specified in **paragraph 3M(7)**, contingent upon Buyer's ability to obtain the title policy provided for in **paragraph 15G** and on Buyer's review of a current Preliminary Report and items that are disclosed or observable even if not on record or not specified in the Preliminary Report, and satisfying Buyer regarding the current status of title. Buyer is advised to review all underlying documents and other matters affecting title, including, but not limited to, any documents or deeds referenced in the Preliminary Report and any plotted easements.

(2) Buyer has **5 Days** after receipt to review a revised Preliminary Report, if any, furnished by the Title Company and cancel the transaction if the revised Preliminary Report reveals material or substantial deviations from a previously provided Preliminary Report.

H. CONDOMINIUM/PLANNED DEVELOPMENT DISCLOSURES (IF APPLICABLE): This Agreement is, as specified in **paragraph 3M(8)**, contingent upon Buyer's review and approval of Common Interest Disclosures required by Civil Code § 4525 and under **paragraph 12F** ("CI Disclosures").

I. BUYER REVIEW OF LEASED OR LIENED ITEMS CONTINGENCY: Buyer's review of and ability and willingness to assume any lease, maintenance agreement or other ongoing financial obligation, or to accept the Property subject to any lien, disclosed pursuant to **paragraph 9B(6)**, is, as specified in **paragraph 3M(9)**, a contingency of this Agreement. Any assumption of the lease shall not require any financial obligation or contribution by Seller. Seller, after first Delivering a Notice to Buyer to Perform, may cancel this Agreement if Buyer, by the time specified in **paragraph 3M(9)**, refuses to enter into any necessary written agreements to accept responsibility for all obligations of Seller-disclosed leased or liened items.

J. REMOVAL OR WAIVER OF CONTINGENCIES WITH OFFER: Buyer shall have no obligation to remove a contractual contingency unless Seller has provided all required documents, reports, disclosures, and information pertaining to that contingency. If Buyer does remove a contingency without first receiving all required information from Seller, Buyer is relinquishing any contractual rights that apply to that contingency. **If Buyer removes or waives any contingencies without an adequate understanding of the Property's condition or Buyer's ability to purchase, Buyer is acting against the advice of Agent.**

K. REMOVAL OF CONTINGENCY OR CANCELLATION:

(1) **For any contingency specified in paragraph 3M, 8, or elsewhere Buyer shall, within the applicable period specified, remove the contingency or cancel this Agreement.**

(2) For the contingencies for review of Seller Documents, Preliminary Report, and Condominium/Planned Development Disclosures, Buyer shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3M** or **5 Days** after Delivery of Seller Documents, Preliminary Report, or CI Disclosures, whichever occurs later, remove the applicable contingency in writing or cancel this Agreement.

(3) If Buyer does not remove a contingency within the time specified, Seller, after first giving Buyer a Notice to Buyer to Perform (C.A.R. Form NBP), shall have the right to cancel this Agreement.

9. ITEMS INCLUDED IN AND EXCLUDED FROM SALE:

A. NOTE TO BUYER AND SELLER: Items listed as included or excluded in the Multiple Listing Service (MLS), flyers, marketing materials, or disclosures are NOT included in the purchase price or excluded from the sale unless specified in this paragraph or **paragraph 3Q** or as Otherwise Agreed. Any items included herein are components of the home and are not intended to affect the price. All items are transferred without Seller warranty.

B. ITEMS INCLUDED IN SALE:

(1) All EXISTING fixtures and fittings that are attached to the Property;

(2) **EXISTING** electrical, mechanical, lighting, plumbing and heating fixtures, ceiling fans, fireplace inserts, gas logs and grates, solar power systems, built-in appliances and appliances for which special openings or encasements have been made (whether or not checked in **paragraph 3Q**), window and door screens, awnings, shutters, window coverings (which includes blinds, curtains, drapery, shutters or any other materials that cover any portion of the window) and any associated hardware and rods, attached floor coverings, television antennas, satellite dishes, air coolers/conditioners, pool/spa equipment (including, but not limited to, any cleaning equipment such as motorized/automatic pool cleaners, pool heaters, pool nets, pool covers), garage door openers/remote controls, mailbox, in-ground landscaping, water features and fountains, water softeners, water purifiers, light bulbs (including smart bulbs) and all items specified as included in **paragraph 3Q, if currently existing at the time of Acceptance. Note:** If Seller does not intend to include any item specified as being included above because it is not owned by Seller, whether placed on the Property by Agent, stager or other third party, the item should be listed as being excluded in **paragraph 3Q(2)** or excluded by Seller in a counter offer.



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- (3) Security System includes any devices, hardware, software, or control units used to monitor and secure the Property, including but not limited to, any motion detectors, door or window alarms, and any other equipment utilized for such purpose. If checked in **paragraph 3Q**, all such items are included in the sale, whether hard wired or not.
- (4) Home Automation (Smart Home Features) includes any electronic devices and features including, but not limited to, thermostat controls, kitchen appliances not otherwise excluded, and lighting systems, that are connected (hard wired or wirelessly) to a control unit, computer, tablet, phone, or other "smart" device. Any Smart Home devices and features that are physically affixed to the real property, and also existing light bulbs, are included in the sale. Buyer is advised to use **paragraph 3Q(1)** or an addendum to address more directly specific items to be included. Seller is advised to use a counter offer to address more directly any items to be excluded.
- (5) Non-Dedicated Devices: All smart home and security system control devices are included in the sale, except for any non-dedicated personal computer, tablet, or phone used to control such features. Buyer acknowledges that a separate device and access to wifi or Internet may be required to operate some smart home features and Buyer may have to obtain such device after Close Of Escrow. Seller shall de-list any devices from any personal accounts and shall cooperate with any transfer of services to Buyer. Buyer is advised to change all passwords and ensure the security of any smart home features.
- (6) **LEASED OR LIENED ITEMS AND SYSTEMS:** Seller, within the time specified in **paragraph 3M(8)**, shall (i) disclose to Buyer if any item or system specified in **paragraph 3Q** or **9B** or otherwise included in the sale is leased, or not owned by Seller, or is subject to any maintenance or other ongoing financial obligation, or specifically subject to a lien or other encumbrance or loan, and (ii) Deliver to Buyer all written materials (such as lease, warranty, financing, etc.) concerning any such item.
- (7) Seller represents that all items included in the purchase price, unless Otherwise Agreed, (i) are owned by Seller and shall be transferred free and clear of liens and encumbrances, except the items and systems identified pursuant to **paragraph 9B(6)**, and (ii) are transferred without Seller warranty regardless of value. Seller shall cooperate with the identification of any software or applications and Buyer's efforts to transfer any services needed to operate any Smart Home Features or other items included in this Agreement, including, but not limited to, utilities or security systems.

C. ITEMS EXCLUDED FROM SALE: Unless Otherwise Agreed, the following items are excluded from sale: (i) All items specified in **paragraph 3Q(2)**; (ii) audio and video components (such as flat screen TVs, speakers and other items) if any such item is not itself attached to the Property, even if a bracket or other mechanism attached to the component or item is attached to the Property; (iii) furniture and other items secured to the Property for earthquake or safety purposes. **Unless otherwise specified in paragraph 3Q(1), brackets attached to walls, floors or ceilings for any such component, furniture or item will be removed and holes or other damage shall be repaired, but not painted.**

10. ALLOCATION OF COSTS FOR INSPECTIONS, REPORTS, TESTS, AND CERTIFICATES: Paragraph 3R(1) only determines who is to pay for the inspection, report, test, certificate or service mentioned; unless Otherwise Agreed, **it does not determine who is to pay for any work recommended or identified in any such document. Agreements for payment of required work should be specified elsewhere in paragraph 3R or 3U, or in a separate agreement (such as C.A.R. Forms RR, RRRR, ADM or AEA).** Buyer shall choose the coverages, regardless of any optional coverages indicated, of the home warranty plan and Buyer shall pay any cost of that plan, chosen by Buyer, that exceeds the amount allocated to Seller in **paragraph 3R(15)**. Any reports in these paragraphs shall be Delivered in the time specified in **Paragraph 3P(1)**.

11. PUBLIC REPORT: The following information describes the current status of the public report process specified in **paragraph 3J**.

- A. FINAL PUBLIC REPORT:** A public report is required to be delivered to Buyer prior to the execution of this Agreement.
- B. CONDITIONAL PUBLIC REPORT:** If the Property is subject to a Conditional Public Report under the B&P Code, escrow will not close, funds will not be released from the escrow, and any interest contracted for and the subject of the escrow will not be conveyed until a current Final Public Report is delivered to Buyer. Furthermore, the entire sum of money paid or advanced by Buyer shall be returned to Buyer under B&P Code § 11013.4(a) or 11013.2(a) if (i) the Final Public Report has not been issued within time specified in **paragraph 3J**. Buyer has the ability to cancel the Agreement if the Final Public Report has not been issued unless a conditional public report is renewed for another 6 months, or (ii) the Buyer is dissatisfied with the Final Public Report because of a change pursuant to B&P Code § 11012.
- C. AMENDED/RENEWED PUBLIC REPORT:** An amended/renewed public report is required to be delivered to Buyer prior to execution of this Agreement.

12. DISCLOSURES:

A. STATEMENT OF DEFECTS:

- (1) As required by DRE Regulation 2790.8, Seller shall complete and provide an "Existing Subdivision Interest Disclosure Statement" form specified in DRE Regulation 2790.9 ("ESI Disclosure") to Buyer as soon as practicable before the transfer of title.
- (2) If any ESI Disclosure is Delivered to Buyer after the offer is Signed, Buyer shall have the right to cancel this Agreement within **3 Days** after Delivery in person or **5 Days** after Delivery by deposit in the mail, or by an electronic record or email satisfying the Uniform Electronic Transactions Act (UETA), by giving written notice of cancellation to Seller or Seller's Agent.
- (3) Seller is obligated to disclose information in the ESI Disclosure based on Seller's actual knowledge, after making a reasonable effort to obtain such information, whether derived from Seller's own investigation and inspection of the Existing Subdivision Interest or from written reports prepared by third parties retained by Seller to perform inspections.
- (4) Seller shall amend any information in an ESI Disclosure after the ESI Disclosure is provided to Buyer, if the information in the ESI Disclosure is or becomes materially inaccurate and the Seller has actual knowledge of the inaccuracy. Seller is otherwise not required to amend the ESI Disclosure once it has been provided to Buyer. If the amended ESI Disclosure shows that the original ESI Disclosure was inaccurate or has become inaccurate in any material respect, Buyer shall have the right to cancel this Agreement within **3 Days** after Delivery in person or **5 Days** after Delivery by deposit in the mail, or by an electronic record or email satisfying the Uniform Electronic Transactions Act (UETA), by giving written notice of cancellation to Seller or Seller's Agent.

B. NATURAL HAZARD ZONES: Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3P(1)**, disclose if Property is located in any of the following: Special Flood Hazard Areas; Potential Flooding (inundation) Areas, Very High Fire Hazard Severity Zones; State Fire Responsibility Areas; Earthquake Fault Zones; Seismic Hazard Zones; or any other federal, state, or local designated zone for which disclosure is required by Law.



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- C. WITHHOLDING TAXES:** Buyer and Seller hereby instruct Escrow Holder to withhold the applicable required amounts to comply with federal and California withholding Laws and forward such amounts to the Internal Revenue Service and Franchise Tax Board, respectively. However, no federal withholding is required if, prior to Close Of Escrow, Seller Delivers **(i)** to Buyer and Escrow Holder a fully completed affidavit (C.A.R. Form AS) sufficient to avoid withholding pursuant to federal withholding Law (FIRPTA); **OR (ii)** to a qualified substitute (usually a title company or an independent escrow company) a fully completed affidavit (C.A.R. Form AS) sufficient to avoid withholding pursuant to federal withholding Law AND the qualified substitute Delivers to Buyer and Escrow Holder an affidavit signed under penalty of perjury (C.A.R. Form QS) that the qualified substitute has received the fully completed Seller's affidavit and the Seller states that no federal withholding is required; **OR (iii)** to Buyer other documentation satisfying the requirements under Internal Revenue Code § 1445 (FIRPTA). No withholding is required under California Law if, prior to Close Of Escrow, Escrow Holder has received sufficient documentation from Seller that no withholding is required, and Buyer has been informed by Escrow Holder.
- D. MEGAN'S LAW DATABASE DISCLOSURE:** Notice: Pursuant to § 290.46 of the Penal Code, information about specified registered sex offenders is made available to the public via an Internet Web site maintained by the Department of Justice at www.meganslaw.ca.gov. Depending on an offender's criminal history, this information will include either the address at which the offender resides or the community of residence and ZIP Code in which he or she resides. (Neither Seller nor Agent are required to check this website. If Buyer wants further information, Agent recommends that Buyer obtain information from this website during Buyer's investigation contingency period. Agents do not have expertise in this area.)
- E. NOTICE REGARDING GAS AND HAZARDOUS LIQUID TRANSMISSION PIPELINES:** This notice is being provided simply to inform you that information about the general location of gas and hazardous liquid transmission pipelines is available to the public via the National Pipeline Mapping System (NPMS) Internet Web site maintained by the United States Department of Transportation at <http://www.npms.phmsa.dot.gov/>. To seek further information about possible transmission pipelines near the Property, you may contact your local gas utility or other pipeline operators in the area. Contact information for pipeline operators is searchable by ZIP Code and county on the NPMS Internet Website. (Neither Seller nor Agent are required to check this website. If Buyer wants further information, Agent recommends that Buyer obtain information from this website during Buyer's investigation contingency period. Agents do not have expertise in this area.)
- F. CONDOMINIUM/PLANNED DEVELOPMENT DISCLOSURES:**
 - (1) Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3P(1)**, disclose to Buyer whether the Property is a condominium or is located in a planned development, other common interest development, or otherwise subject to covenants, conditions, and restrictions (C.A.R. Form SPQ or ESD).
 - (2) If the Property is a condominium or is located in a planned development or other common interest development with a HOA, Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3P(3)**, order from, and pay any required fee for the following items to, the HOA (C.A.R. Form HOA-IR): **(i)** Copies of any documents required by Law (C.A.R. Form HOA-RS); **(ii)** disclosure of any pending or anticipated claim or litigation by or against the HOA; **(iii)** a statement containing the location and number of designated parking and storage spaces; **(iv)** Copies of the most recent 12 months of HOA minutes for regular and special meetings; **(v)** the names and contact information of all HOAs governing the Property; **(vi)** pet restrictions; and **(vii)** smoking restrictions ("CI Disclosures"). Seller shall itemize and Deliver to Buyer all CI Disclosures received from the HOA and any CI Disclosures in Seller's possession. Seller shall, as directed by Escrow Holder, deposit funds into escrow or direct to HOA or management company to pay for any of the above.
- G. SOLAR POWER SYSTEMS:** For properties with any solar panels or solar power systems, Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3P(1)**, Deliver to Buyer all known information about the solar panels or solar power system. Seller shall use the Solar Advisory and Questionnaire (C.A.R. Form SOLAR).
- H. NATURAL AND ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS:** Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3P(1)**, if required by Law: **(i)** Deliver to Buyer the earthquake guide and environmental hazards booklet, and for all residential property with 1-4 units and any manufactured or mobile home built before January 1, 1960, fully complete and Deliver the Residential Earthquake Risk Disclosure Statement; and **(ii)** even if exempt from the obligation to provide a NHD, disclose if the Property is located in a Special Flood Hazard Area; Potential Flooding (Inundation) Area; Very High Fire Hazard Zone; State Fire Responsibility Area; Earthquake Fault Zone; Seismic Hazard Zone; and **(iii)** disclose any other zone as required by Law and provide any other information required for those zones.
- I. PROPOSITION 65 WARNING**
MATERIALS INCLUDED IN THE CONSTRUCTION OF THIS HOUSE WILL EXPOSE YOU TO FORMALDEHYDE, A SUBSTANCE KNOWN TO CAUSE CANCER. FURTHER INFORMATION MAY BE OBTAINED FROM THE BUILDER/SELLER.
 The following information is intended to explain the warning furnished by Seller of this home for exposures to formaldehyde, a substance known to the State of California to cause cancer. The exposures are caused by materials of which the house is or will be built.
 The United States Environmental Protection Agency, the California Air Resources Board, and other agencies have measured the presence of formaldehyde in the indoor air of homes in California. Levels of formaldehyde that present a significant cancer risk have been measured in most homes. Formaldehyde is present in the air because it is emitted by a variety of building materials and home products purchased by Seller from materials suppliers. These materials include carpeting, pressed wood products, insulation, plastics, and glues.
 This home, if constructed prior to entering into this Agreement, has not been tested, and if constructed after entering into this Agreement, will not be tested. Most homes that have been tested elsewhere do contain formaldehyde, although the concentrations vary from home to home with no obvious explanation for the differences. One of the problems is that many suppliers of building materials and home products do not provide information on chemical ingredients to builders. In the absence of specific information on these homes, and in light of the materials used in their construction, Seller believes that a warning is necessary. Buyer may have further questions about these issues. Seller is willing to share any further information Seller has obtained and will provide, upon request, a list of known materials suppliers that may be contacted for further information, and whether any inquiry has been made by Seller.
- J. BALCONIES, EXTERIOR STAIRWAYS AND OTHER ELEVATED ELEMENTS:** For properties with any building containing 3 or more dwelling units with elevated balconies, stairways or other elements, Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, Deliver to Buyer the Wooden Balcony and Stairs Addendum (C.A.R. Form WBSA).
- K. KNOWN MATERIAL FACTS:** Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3P(1)**, DISCLOSE KNOWN MATERIAL FACTS AND DEFECTS affecting the Property, including, but not limited to, known insurance claims within the past five years, or provide Buyer with permission to contact insurer to get such information (C.A.R. Form ARC), and make any and all other disclosures required by Law.



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13. REPAIRS: Repairs shall be completed prior to final verification of condition unless Otherwise Agreed. Repairs to be performed at Seller's expense may be performed by Seller or through others, provided that the work complies with applicable Law, including governmental permit, inspection and approval requirements. Repairs shall be performed in a good, skillful manner with materials of quality and appearance comparable to existing materials. Buyer acknowledges that exact restoration of appearance or cosmetic items following all Repairs may not be possible. Seller shall: **(i)** obtain invoices and paid receipts for Repairs performed by others; **(ii)** prepare a written statement indicating the Repairs performed by Seller and the date of such Repairs; and **(iii)** provide Copies of invoices and paid receipts and statements to Buyer prior to final verification of condition.

14. BUYER'S INVESTIGATION OF PROPERTY AND MATTERS AFFECTING PROPERTY:

- A.** Buyer shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3M(3)**, have the right, at Buyer's expense unless Otherwise Agreed, to conduct inspections, investigations, tests, surveys and other studies ("Buyer Investigations").
- B.** Buyer Investigations include, but are not limited to:
 - (1) Inspections regarding any physical attributes of the Property or items connected to the Property, such as:
 - (A) A general home inspection.
 - (B) An inspection for lead-based paint and other lead-based paint hazards.
 - (C) An inspection specifically for wood destroying pests and organisms. Any inspection for wood destroying pests and organisms shall be prepared by a registered Structural Pest Control company; shall cover the main building and attached structures; may cover detached structures; shall NOT include water tests of shower pans on upper level units unless the owners of property below the shower consent; shall NOT include roof coverings; and, if the Property is a unit in a condominium or other common interest subdivision, the inspection shall include only the separate interest and any exclusive-use areas being transferred, and shall NOT include common areas; and shall include a report ("Pest Control Report") showing the findings of the company which shall be separated into sections for evident infestation or infections (Section 1) and for conditions likely to lead to infestation or infection (Section 2).
 - (D) Any other specific inspections of the physical condition of the land and improvements.
 - (2) Investigation of any other matter affecting the Property, other than those that are specified as separate contingencies. Buyer Investigations **do not** include, **among other things, an assessment** of the availability and cost of general homeowner's insurance, flood insurance, and fire insurance. See, Buyer's Investigation Advisory (C.A.R. Form BIA) for more.
- C.** Without Seller's prior written consent, Buyer shall neither make nor cause to be made: **(i)** invasive or destructive Buyer Investigations, except for minimally invasive testing required to prepare a Pest Control Report, which shall not include any holes or drilling through stucco or similar material; or **(ii)** inspections by any governmental building or zoning inspector or government employee, unless required by Law.
- D.** Seller shall make the Property available for all Buyer Investigations. Seller is not obligated to move any existing personal property. Seller shall have water, gas, electricity and all operable pilot lights on for Buyer's Investigations and through the date possession is delivered to Buyer. Buyer shall, **(i)** by the time specified in **paragraph 3M(3)**, complete Buyer Investigations and satisfy themselves as to the condition of the Property, and either remove the contingency or cancel this Agreement, and **(ii)** by the time specified in **paragraph 3M(3)** or **3 Days** after receipt of any Investigation report, whichever is later, give Seller at no cost, complete Copies of all such reports obtained by Buyer, which obligation shall survive the termination of this Agreement. This Delivery of Investigation reports shall not include any appraisal, except an appraisal received in connection with an FHA or VA loan.
- E. Buyer indemnity and Seller protection for entry upon the Property:** Buyer shall: **(i)** keep the Property free and clear of liens; **(ii)** repair all damage arising from Buyer Investigations; and **(iii)** indemnify and hold Seller harmless from all resulting liability, claims, demands, damages and costs. Buyer shall carry, or Buyer shall require anyone acting on Buyer's behalf to carry, policies of liability, workers' compensation and other applicable insurance, defending and protecting Seller from liability for any injuries to persons or property occurring during any Buyer Investigations or work done on the Property at Buyer's direction prior to Close Of Escrow. Seller is advised that certain protections may be afforded Seller by recording a "Notice of Non-Responsibility" (C.A.R. Form NNR) for Buyer Investigations and work done on the Property at Buyer's direction. Buyer's obligations under this paragraph shall survive the termination of this Agreement.

15. TITLE AND VESTING:

- A.** Buyer shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3P(1)**, be provided a current Preliminary Report by the person responsible for paying for the title policy in **paragraph 3R(3)**. If Buyer is responsible for paying, Buyer shall act diligently and in good faith to obtain such Preliminary Report within the time specified. The Preliminary Report is only an offer by the title insurer to issue a policy of title insurance and may not contain every item affecting title. The company providing the Preliminary Report shall, prior to issuing a Preliminary Report, conduct a search of the General Index for all Sellers except banks or other institutional lenders selling properties they acquired through foreclosure (REOs), corporations, and government entities.
- B.** Title is taken in its present condition subject to all encumbrances, easements, covenants, conditions, restrictions, rights and other matters, whether of record or not, as of the date of Acceptance except for: **(i)** monetary liens of record unless Buyer is assuming those obligations or taking the Property subject to those obligations; and **(ii)** those matters which Seller has agreed to remove in writing. For any lien or matter not being transferred upon sale, Seller will take necessary action to deliver title free and clear of such lien or matter.
- C.** Seller shall within **7 Days** after request, give Escrow Holder necessary information to clear title.
- D.** Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3P(1)**, disclose to Buyer all matters known to Seller affecting title, whether of record or not.
- E.** If Buyer is a legal entity and the Property purchase price is at least \$300,000 and the purchase price is made without a bank loan or similar form of external financing, a Geographic Targeting Order (GTO) issued by the Financial Crimes Enforcement Network, U.S. Department of the Treasury, requires title companies to collect and report certain information about the Buyer, depending on where the Property is located. Buyer agrees to cooperate with the title company's effort to comply with the GTO.
- F.** Buyer shall, after Close Of Escrow, receive a recorded grant deed or any other conveyance document required to convey title (For example, for stock cooperative or tenancy in common, respectively, an assignment of stock certificate or assignment of seller's interest in the real property), including oil, mineral and water rights if currently owned by Seller. Title shall vest as designated in Buyer's vesting instructions. The recording document shall contain Buyer's post-closing mailing address to enable Buyer's receipt of the recorded conveyance document from the County Recorder. **THE MANNER OF TAKING TITLE MAY HAVE SIGNIFICANT LEGAL AND TAX CONSEQUENCES. CONSULT AN APPROPRIATE PROFESSIONAL.**



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G. Buyer shall receive a "ALTA/CLTA Homeowner's Policy of Title Insurance" or equivalent policy of title insurance, if applicable to the type of property and buyer. Escrow Holder shall request this policy. If a ALTA/CLTA Homeowner's Policy of Title Insurance is not offered, Buyer shall receive a CLTA Standard Coverage policy unless Buyer has chosen another policy and instructed Escrow Holder in writing of the policy chosen and agreed to pay any increase in cost. Buyer should consult with the Title Company about the availability, and difference in coverage, and cost, if any, between a ALTA/CLTA Homeowner's Policy and a CLTA Standard Coverage policy and other title policies and endorsements. Buyer should receive notice from the Title Company on its Preliminary (Title) Report of the type of coverage offered. If Buyer is not notified on the Preliminary (Title) Report or is not satisfied with the policy offered, and Buyer nonetheless removes the contingency for Review of the Preliminary Report, Buyer will receive the policy as specified in this paragraph.

16. TIME PERIODS; REMOVAL OF CONTINGENCIES; CANCELLATION RIGHTS: The following time periods may only be extended, altered, modified or changed by mutual written agreement. Any removal of contingencies or cancellation under this paragraph by either Buyer or Seller must be exercised in good faith and in writing (C.A.R. Form CR-B, CR-S or CC).

A. SELLER DELIVERY OF DOCUMENTS: Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3P(1)**, Deliver to Buyer all reports, disclosures and information ("Reports") for which Seller is responsible as specified in **paragraphs 9B(6), 10, 12B, 12C, 12F, 12G, 12H, 12J, 12K, 15A, 15D, 32, and 33**. This paragraph does not apply to the delivery of the Public Report. See **paragraphs 3J and 11** for Public Report delivery requirements.

B. BUYER REVIEW OF DOCUMENTS; REPAIR REQUEST; CONTINGENCY REMOVAL OR CANCELLATION

(1) Buyer has the time specified in **paragraph 3** to: **(i)** perform Buyer Investigations; review all disclosures, Reports, lease documents to be assumed by Buyer pursuant to **paragraph 9B(6)**, and other applicable information, which Buyer receives from Seller; and approve all matters affecting the Property; and **(ii)** Deliver to Seller Signed Copies of Statement of Defects Delivered by Seller in accordance with **paragraph 12A**.

(2) Buyer may, within the time specified in **paragraph 3M(3)**, request that Seller make repairs or take any other action regarding the Property (C.A.R. Form RR). Seller has no obligation to agree to or respond to Buyer's requests (C.A.R. Form RR or RRRR). If Seller does not agree or does not respond, Buyer is not contractually entitled to have the repairs or other requests made and may only cancel based on contingencies in this Agreement.

(3) Buyer shall, by the end of the times specified in **paragraph 3M** (or as Otherwise Agreed), Deliver to Seller a removal of the applicable contingency or cancellation of this Agreement (C.A.R. Form CR-B or CC). **Buyer is advised not to remove contingencies related to review of documents until after the documents have been Delivered**. If Delivery of any Report occurs after a contractual contingency pertaining to that Report has already been waived or removed, the Delivery of the Report does not revive the contingency but there may be a right to terminate for a subsequent or amended disclosure under **paragraph 12A(4)**.

(4) **Continuation of Contingency:** Even after the end of the time specified in **paragraph 3M** and before Seller cancels, if at all, pursuant to **paragraph 16C**, Buyer retains the right, in writing, to either **(i)** remove remaining contingencies, or **(ii)** cancel this Agreement based on a remaining contingency. Once Buyer's written removal of all contingencies is Delivered to Seller, Seller may not cancel this Agreement pursuant to **paragraph 16C(1)**.

C. SELLER RIGHT TO CANCEL:

(1) **SELLER RIGHT TO CANCEL; BUYER CONTINGENCIES:** If, by the time specified in this Agreement, Buyer does not Deliver to Seller a removal of the applicable contingency or cancellation of this Agreement, then Seller, after first Delivering to Buyer a Notice to Buyer to Perform (C.A.R. Form NBP), may cancel this Agreement. In such event, Seller shall authorize the return of Buyer's deposit, except for fees incurred by Buyer.

(2) **SELLER RIGHT TO CANCEL; BUYER CONTRACT OBLIGATIONS:** Seller, after first Delivering to Buyer a Notice to Buyer to Perform, may cancel this Agreement if, by the time specified in this Agreement, Buyer does not take the following action(s): **(i)** Deposit funds as required by **paragraph 3D(1)** or **3D(2)** or if the funds deposited pursuant to **paragraph 3D(1)** or **3D(2)** are not good when deposited; **(ii)** Deliver updated contact information for Buyer's lender(s) as required by **paragraph 5C(3)**; **(iii)** Deliver a notice of FHA or VA costs or terms, if any, as specified by **paragraph 5C(4)** (C.A.R. Form RR); **(iv)** Deliver verification, or a satisfactory verification if Seller reasonably disapproves of the verification already provided, as required by **paragraph 5B** or **6A**; **(v)** Deliver a letter as required by **paragraph 6B**; **(vi)** In writing assume or accept leases or liens specified in **paragraph 8**; **(vii)** Cooperate with the title company's effort to comply with the GTO as required by **paragraph 15E**; **(viii)** Sign or initial a separate liquidated damages form for an increased deposit as required by **paragraph 5A(2)** and **36**; **(ix)** Provide evidence of authority to Sign in a representative capacity as specified in **paragraph 30**; or **(x)** Perform any additional Buyer contractual obligation(s) included in this Agreement. In such event, Seller shall authorize the return of Buyer's deposit, except for fees incurred by Buyer and other expenses already paid by Escrow Holder pursuant to this Agreement prior to Seller's cancellation.

(3) **SELLER RIGHT TO CANCEL; SELLER CONTINGENCIES:** Seller may cancel this Agreement by good faith exercise of any Seller contingency included in this Agreement, or Otherwise Agreed, so long as that contingency has not already been removed or waived in writing.

D. BUYER RIGHT TO CANCEL:

(1) **BUYER RIGHT TO CANCEL; SELLER CONTINGENCIES:** If, by the time specified in this Agreement, Seller does not Deliver to Buyer a removal of the applicable contingency or cancellation of this Agreement, then Buyer, after first Delivering to Seller a Notice to Seller to Perform (C.A.R. Form NSP), may cancel this Agreement. In such event, Seller shall authorize the return of Buyer's deposit, including fees and expenses incurred by Buyer and other expenses already paid by Escrow Holder pursuant to this Agreement prior to Buyer's cancellation.

(2) **BUYER RIGHT TO CANCEL; SELLER CONTRACT OBLIGATIONS:** If, by the time specified, Seller has not Delivered any item specified in **paragraph 3P(1)** or Seller has not performed any Seller contractual obligation included in this Agreement by the time specified, Buyer, after first Delivering to Seller a Notice to Seller to Perform, may cancel this Agreement.

(3) **BUYER RIGHT TO CANCEL; BUYER CONTINGENCIES:** Buyer may cancel this Agreement by good faith exercise of any Buyer contingency included in **paragraph 8**, or Otherwise Agreed, so long as that contingency has not already been removed in writing.



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- E. NOTICE TO BUYER OR SELLER TO PERFORM:** The Notice to Buyer to Perform or Notice to Seller to Perform shall: **(i)** be in writing; **(ii)** be Signed by the applicable Buyer or Seller; and **(iii)** give the other Party at least **2 Days** after Delivery (or until the time specified in the applicable paragraph, whichever occurs last) to take the applicable action. A Notice to Buyer to Perform or Notice to Seller to Perform may not be Delivered any earlier than **2 Days** prior to the Scheduled Performance Day to remove a contingency or cancel this Agreement or meet an obligation specified in **paragraph 16, except for Close of Escrow which shall be Delivered under the terms of paragraph 16G, whether or not the Scheduled Performance Day falls on a Saturday, or Sunday or legal holiday.** If a Notice to Buyer to Perform or Notice to Seller to Perform is incorrectly Delivered or specifies a time less than the agreed time, the notice shall be deemed invalid and void. **However, if the notice is for multiple items, the notice shall be valid for all contingencies and contractual actions for which the Delivery of the notice is within the time permitted in the Agreement and void as to the others.** Seller or Buyer shall be required to Deliver a new Notice to Buyer to Perform or Notice to Seller to Perform with the specified timeframe.
- F. EFFECT OF REMOVAL OF CONTINGENCIES:**
- (1) **REMOVAL OF BUYER CONTINGENCIES:** If Buyer removes any contingency or cancellation rights, unless Otherwise Agreed, Buyer shall conclusively be deemed to have: **(i)** completed all Buyer Investigations, and review of Reports and other applicable information and disclosures pertaining to that contingency or cancellation right; **(ii)** elected to proceed with the transaction; and **(iii)** assumed all liability, responsibility and expense for the non-delivery of any Reports, disclosures or information outside of Seller's control and for any Repairs or corrections pertaining to that contingency or cancellation right, or for the inability to obtain financing.
- (2) **REMOVAL OF SELLER CONTINGENCIES:** If Seller removes any contingency or cancellation rights, unless Otherwise Agreed, Seller shall conclusively be deemed to have: **(i)** satisfied themselves regarding such contingency, **(ii)** elected to proceed with the transaction; and **(iii)** given up any right to cancel this Agreement based on such contingency.
- G. DEMAND TO CLOSE ESCROW:** Before Buyer or Seller may cancel this Agreement for failure of the other Party to close escrow pursuant to this Agreement, Buyer or Seller must first Deliver to the other Party a Demand to Close Escrow (C.A.R. Form DCE). The DCE shall: **(i)** be Signed by the applicable Buyer or Seller; and **(ii)** give the other Party at least **3 Days** after Delivery to close escrow. A DCE may not be Delivered any earlier than **3 Days** prior to the Scheduled Performance Day for the Close Of Escrow. If a DCE is incorrectly Delivered or specifies a time less than the agreed time, the DCE shall be deemed invalid and void, and Seller or Buyer shall be required to Deliver a new DCE.
- H. EFFECT OF CANCELLATION ON DEPOSITS:** If Buyer or Seller gives written notice of cancellation pursuant to rights duly exercised under the terms of this Agreement, the Parties agree to Sign and Deliver mutual instructions to cancel the sale and escrow and release deposits, if any, to the Party entitled to the funds, less **(i)** fees and costs paid by Escrow Holder on behalf of that Party, if required by this Agreement; and **(ii)** any escrow fee charged to that party. Fees and costs may be payable to service providers and vendors for services and products provided during escrow. **A release of funds will require mutual Signed release instructions from the Parties, judicial decision or arbitration award. A Party may be subject to a civil penalty of up to \$1,000 for refusal to Sign cancellation instructions if no good faith dispute exists as to which Party is entitled to the deposited funds (Civil Code § 1057.3). Note: Neither Agents nor Escrow Holder are qualified to provide any opinion on whether either Party has acted in good faith or which Party is entitled to the deposited funds. Buyer and Seller are advised to seek the advice of a qualified California real estate attorney regarding this matter.**
- 17. FINAL VERIFICATION OF CONDITION:** Buyer shall have the right to make a final verification of the Property condition within the time specified in **paragraph 3K, NOT AS A CONTINGENCY OF THE SALE,** but solely to confirm: **(i)** the Property is maintained pursuant to **paragraph 7B;** **(ii)** Repairs have been completed as agreed; and **(iii)** Seller has complied with Seller's other obligations under this Agreement (C.A.R. Form VP).
- 18. PRORATIONS OF PROPERTY TAXES AND OTHER ITEMS:** Unless Otherwise Agreed, the following items shall be PAID CURRENT and prorated between Buyer and Seller as of Close Of Escrow: real property taxes and assessments, interest, Seller rental payments, HOA regular assessments due prior to Close Of Escrow, premiums on insurance assumed by Buyer, payments on bonds and assessments assumed by Buyer, and payments on Mello-Roos and other Special Assessment District bonds and assessments that are now a lien. Seller shall pay any HOA special or emergency assessments due prior to Close Of Escrow. The following items shall be assumed by Buyer WITHOUT CREDIT toward the purchase price: prorated payments on Mello-Roos and other Special Assessment District bonds and assessments and HOA special or emergency assessments that are due after Close Of Escrow. Property will be reassessed upon change of ownership. Any supplemental tax bills delivered to Escrow Holder prior to closing shall be prorated and paid as follows: **(i)** for periods after Close Of Escrow, by Buyer; and **(ii)** for periods prior to Close Of Escrow, by Seller (see C.A.R. Form SPT or SBSA for further information). Seller agrees all service fees, maintenance costs and utility bills will be paid current up and through the date of Close Of Escrow. **TAX BILLS AND UTILITY BILLS ISSUED AFTER CLOSE OF ESCROW SHALL BE HANDLED DIRECTLY BETWEEN BUYER AND SELLER.** Prorations shall be made based on a 30-day month. Any exceptions shall be specified in **paragraph 3U.**
- 19. BROKERS AND AGENTS:**
- A. COMPENSATION:** Seller or Buyer, or both, as applicable, agree to pay compensation to Broker as specified in a separate written agreement between Broker and that Seller or Buyer. Compensation is payable upon Close Of Escrow, or if escrow does not close, as otherwise specified in the agreement between Broker and that Seller or Buyer. If Seller agrees to pay **the obligation of Buyer to compensate Buyer's Broker (see paragraph 3G(3)),** Seller shall be entitled to a copy of the portion of the written compensation agreement between Buyer and Buyer's Broker identifying the compensation to be paid. See C.A.R. Form SPBB for further information.
- B. SCOPE OF DUTY:** Buyer and Seller acknowledge and agree that Agent: **(i)** Does not decide what price Buyer should pay or Seller should accept; **(ii)** Does not guarantee the condition of the Property; **(iii)** Does not guarantee the performance, adequacy or completeness of inspections, services, products or repairs provided or made by Seller or others; **(iv)** Does not have an obligation to conduct an inspection of common areas or areas off the site of the Property; **(v)** Shall not be responsible for identifying defects on the Property, in common areas, or offsite unless such defects are visually observable by an inspection of reasonably accessible areas of the Property or are known to Agent; **(vi)** Shall not be responsible for inspecting public records or permits concerning the title or use of Property; **(vii)** Shall not be responsible for identifying the location of boundary lines or other items affecting title; **(viii)** Shall not be responsible for verifying square footage, representations of others or information contained in Investigation reports, Multiple Listing Service, advertisements, flyers or other promotional material; **(ix)** Shall not be responsible for determining the fair market value of the Property or any personal property included in the sale; **(x)** Shall not be responsible for providing legal or tax advice regarding any aspect of a transaction entered into by Buyer or Seller; and **(xi)** Shall not be responsible for providing other advice or information that exceeds the knowledge, education and experience required to perform real estate licensed activity. Buyer and Seller agree to seek legal, tax, insurance, title and other desired assistance from appropriate professionals.

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C. REFERRAL LICENSEE COMPENSATION: (If checked in **paragraph 2E**), Seller or Buyer, agree that Referral Licensee shall be compensated the amount specified in **paragraph 2E**. **Note to Referral Licensee: Agency relationships can be established by conduct notwithstanding the classification as a referral licensee in the Agreement.**

20. JOINT ESCROW INSTRUCTIONS TO ESCROW HOLDER:

A. The following paragraphs, or applicable portions thereof, of this Agreement constitute the joint escrow instructions of Buyer and Seller to Escrow Holder, which Escrow Holder is to use along with any related counter offers and addenda, and any additional mutual instructions to close the escrow: paragraphs 1, 3A, 3B, 3D-G, 3P(2), 3R, 3U, 5A(1-2) 5D, 5E, 10, 12C, 12F(2), 15 (except 15D), 16H, 18, 19A, 20, 24, 27, 29, 30, 39, 40, and paragraph 3 of the Real Estate Brokers Section. If a Copy of the separate compensation agreement(s) provided for in paragraph 19A or paragraph 3 of the Real Estate Brokers Section is deposited with Escrow Holder by Agent, Escrow Holder shall accept such agreement(s) and pay out from Buyer's or Seller's funds, or both, as applicable, the Broker's compensation provided for in such agreement(s). The terms and conditions of this Agreement not set forth in the specified paragraphs are additional matters for the information of Escrow Holder, but about which Escrow Holder need not be concerned.

B. IF PROPERTY IS SUBJECT TO A PUBLIC REPORT OR EXEMPT FROM A PUBLIC REPORT PURSUANT TO BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONS CODE § 11010.4, THE FOLLOWING ADDITIONAL ESCROW INSTRUCTIONS APPLY:

- (1) **BLANKET ENCUMBRANCE:** For the benefit of Buyer, the escrow shall not close, funds shall not be released from escrow, and title shall not be conveyed to Buyer, until all of the following conditions have been met: (i) Seller has complied with the purchase money handling requirements of B&P Code §§ 11013, 11013.1, 11013.2, or 11013.4, as applicable; and (ii) Buyer has been provided a policy of title insurance showing that the Property is free and clear of any blanket encumbrances as defined in § 11013. For purposes of compliance with § 11013.2(a), a release from a blanket encumbrance resulting from a deed of trust or mortgage shall require satisfaction with either of the following: (a) an instrument has been duly recorded unconditionally reconveying and releasing the Property from the lien or charge of such deed of trust; or (b) Buyer is notified that an agreement or demand constituting a release agreement as defined in DRE Regulation 2791.1(b)(2)(A) has been duly deposited with Escrow Holder and is available to Buyer on request for each deed of trust, and Buyer will be provided with a policy of title insurance insuring Buyer against loss by reason of such deed of trust.
- (2) **COMMON INTEREST SUBDIVISION:** The Property is in a common interest subdivision and the attached Condominium Conversion And Existing Subdivision Supplemental Escrow Instructions (C.A.R. Form CEEI) are made a part of this Agreement. **Note to Seller: For property subject to a public report, you must use the Condominium Conversion and Existing Subdivision Supplemental Escrow Instructions provided with this CCSPA or for any other supplemental escrow instructions you intend to use you must submit them to, and have them be accepted by, the DRE.**
- (3) If escrow does not close within 1 year after Acceptance of this Agreement, and Buyer and Seller have not extended the closing date in writing, and the failure to close escrow is not due to the default of Buyer, escrow is to be cancelled and all funds in escrow immediately returned to Buyer upon Buyer's request.
- (4) Subject to the requirements of Civil Code §§ 1675(c) or (d), 1676, 1677, and 1678, if funds deposited in escrow by Buyer have been disbursed on Seller's instructions as permitted by DRE Regulation 2791, the funds expended by Seller shall be reimbursed to escrow within **15 Days** after Seller's failure to perform within 1 year after Acceptance of this Agreement, and Buyer and Seller have not extended the closing date in writing, and those funds shall be immediately returned to Buyer from escrow.
- (5) Escrow shall not close until Escrow Holder has received written notice from a title insurance company that each and every encumbrance, including without limitation, any mortgage or deed of trust, filed of record prior to the time of recording of the Declaration of Covenants, Conditions, and Restrictions has either (i) fully reconveyed or (ii) expressly subordinated to the Declaration of Covenants, Conditions, and Restrictions.
- (6) If the Property is a newly converted condominium subsection not Civil Code § 1134, Buyer has acknowledged receipt of either a statement listing all substantial defects or malfunctions or a statement of disclaimer and the required rescission period has expired pursuant to Civil Code § 1134.
- (7) For properties that have been either completed or occupied more than 3 years prior to a public report application being filed with the DRE, the Seller disclosure shall be on the form specified in DRE Regulation 2790.9.

C. Buyer and Seller will receive Escrow Holder's general provisions, if any, directly from Escrow Holder. To the extent the general provisions are inconsistent or conflict with this Agreement, the general provisions will control as to the duties and obligations of Escrow Holder only. Buyer and Seller shall Sign and return Escrow Holder's general provisions or supplemental instructions within the time specified in **paragraph 3P(2)**. Buyer and Seller shall execute additional instructions, documents and forms provided by Escrow Holder that are reasonably necessary to close the escrow and, as directed by Escrow Holder, within **3 Days**, shall pay to Escrow Holder or HOA or HOA management company or others any fee required by **paragraphs 3, 8, 10, 12**, or elsewhere in this Agreement.

D. A Copy of this Agreement including any counter offer(s) and addenda shall be delivered to Escrow Holder within **3 Days** after **Acceptance**. Buyer and Seller authorize Escrow Holder to accept and rely on Copies and Signatures as defined in this Agreement as originals, to open escrow and for other purposes of escrow. The validity of this Agreement as between Buyer and Seller is not affected by whether or when Escrow Holder Signs this Agreement. Escrow Holder shall provide Seller's Statement of Information to Title Company when received from Seller, if a separate company is providing title insurance. If Seller delivers an affidavit to Escrow Holder to satisfy Seller's FIRPTA obligation under **paragraph 12C**, Escrow Holder shall deliver to Buyer, Buyer's Agent, and Seller's Agent a Qualified Substitute statement that complies with federal Law. If Escrow Holder's Qualified Substitute statement does not comply with federal law, the Parties instruct escrow to withhold all applicable required amounts under **paragraph 12C**.

E. Agents are not a party to the escrow except for the sole purpose of receiving compensation pursuant to **paragraph 19A and paragraph 3 of the Real Estate Brokers Section**. If a Copy of the separate compensation agreement(s) provided for in either of those paragraphs is deposited with Escrow Holder by Agent, Escrow Holder shall accept such agreement(s) and pay out from Buyer's or Seller's funds, or both, as applicable, the Broker's compensation provided for in such agreement(s). **Escrow Holder shall provide to Buyer and Seller, either jointly or separately, a closing statement or other written documentation showing the amount of compensation paid to, respectively, Buyer's Broker and Seller's Broker.** Buyer and Seller irrevocably assign to Brokers compensation specified in **paragraph 19A**, and irrevocably instruct Escrow Holder to disburse those funds to Brokers at Close Of Escrow or pursuant to any other mutually executed cancellation agreement. Compensation instructions can be amended or revoked only with the written consent of Brokers. Buyer and Seller shall release and hold harmless Escrow Holder from any liability resulting from Escrow Holder's payment to Broker(s) of compensation pursuant to this Agreement.



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- F. Buyer and Seller acknowledge that Escrow Holder may require invoices for expenses under this Agreement. Buyer and Seller, upon request by Escrow Holder, within **3 Days** or within a sufficient time to close escrow, whichever is sooner, shall provide any such invoices to Escrow Holder.
 - G. Upon receipt, Escrow Holder shall provide Buyer, Seller, and each Agent verification of Buyer's deposit of funds pursuant to **paragraphs 5A(1) and 5A(2)**. Once Escrow Holder becomes aware of any of the following, Escrow Holder shall immediately notify each Agent: **(i)** if Buyer's initial or any additional deposit or down payment is not made pursuant to this Agreement, or is not good at time of deposit with Escrow Holder; or **(ii)** if Buyer and Seller instruct Escrow Holder to cancel escrow.
 - H. A Copy of any amendment that affects any paragraph of this Agreement for which Escrow Holder is responsible shall be delivered to Escrow Holder within **3 Days** after mutual execution of the amendment.
21. **SELECTION OF SERVICE PROVIDERS:** Agents do not guarantee the performance of any vendors, service or product providers ("Providers"), whether referred by Agent or selected by Buyer, Seller or other person. Buyer and Seller may select ANY Providers of their own choosing.
 22. **MULTIPLE LISTING SERVICE ("MLS"):** Agents are authorized to report to the MLS that an offer has been accepted and, upon Close Of Escrow, the sales price and other terms of this transaction shall be provided to the MLS to be published and disseminated to persons and entities authorized to use the information on terms approved by the MLS. Buyer acknowledges that: **(i)** any pictures, videos, floor plans (collectively, "Images") or other information about the Property that has been or will be inputted into the MLS or internet portals, or both, at the instruction of Seller or in compliance with MLS rules, will not be removed after Close Of Escrow; **(ii)** California Civil Code § 1088(c) requires the MLS to maintain such Images and information for at least three years and as a result they may be displayed or circulated on the Internet, which cannot be controlled or removed by Seller or Agents; and **(iii)** Seller, Seller's Agent, Buyer's Agent, and MLS have no obligation or ability to remove such Images or information from the Internet.
 23. **ATTORNEY FEES AND COSTS:** In any action, proceeding, or arbitration between Buyer and Seller arising out of this Agreement, the prevailing Buyer or Seller shall be entitled to reasonable attorney fees and costs from the non-prevailing Buyer or Seller, except as provided in **paragraph 37A**.
 24. **ASSIGNMENT/NOMINATION:** Buyer shall have the right to assign all of Buyer's interest in this Agreement to Buyer's own trust or to any wholly owned entity of Buyer that is in existence at the time of such assignment. Otherwise, Buyer shall not assign all or any part of Buyer's interest in this Agreement without first having obtained the separate written consent of Seller to a specified assignee. Such consent shall not be unreasonably withheld. Prior to any assignment, Buyer shall disclose to Seller the name of the assignee and the amount of any monetary consideration between Buyer and assignee. Buyer shall provide assignee with all documents related to this Agreement including, but not limited to, the Agreement and any disclosures. If assignee is a wholly owned entity or trust of Buyer, that assignee does not need to re-sign or initial all documents provided. Whether or not an assignment requires seller's consent, at the time of assignment, assignee shall deliver a letter from assignee's lender that assignee is prequalified or preapproved as specified in **paragraph 6B**. Should assignee fail to deliver such a letter, Seller, after first giving Assignee an Notice to Buyer to Perform, shall have the right to terminate the assignment. Buyer shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3L**, Deliver any request to assign this Agreement for Seller's consent. If Buyer fails to provide the required information within this time frame, Seller's withholding of consent shall be deemed reasonable. Any total or partial assignment shall not relieve Buyer of Buyer's obligations pursuant to this Agreement unless Otherwise Agreed by Seller (C.A.R. Form AOAA). Parties shall provide any assignment agreement to Escrow Holder within 1 Day after the assignment. Any nomination by Buyer shall be subject to the same procedures, requirements, and terms as an assignment as specified in this paragraph.
 25. **SEVERABILITY:** If any term, condition, or provision of this Agreement is declared illegal or invalid for any reason by a court of competent jurisdiction, or arbitrator, the remaining terms, conditions, and provisions shall, nevertheless, remain in full force and effect.
 26. **EQUAL HOUSING OPPORTUNITY:** The Property is sold in compliance with federal, state and local anti-discrimination Laws.
 27. **DEFINITIONS and INSTRUCTIONS:** The following words are defined terms in this Agreement, shall be indicated by initial capital letters throughout this Agreement, and have the following meaning whenever used:
 - A. **"Acceptance"** means the time the offer or final counter offer is fully executed, in writing, by the recipient Party and is Delivered to the offering Party or that Party's Authorized Agent.
 - B. **"Agent"** means the Broker, salesperson, broker-associate or any other real estate licensee licensed under the brokerage firm identified in **paragraph 2B**.
 - C. **"Agreement"** means this document and any counter offers and any incorporated addenda or amendments, collectively forming the binding agreement between the Parties. Addenda and amendments are incorporated only when Signed and Delivered by all Parties.
 - D. **"As-Is"** condition: Seller shall disclose known material facts and defects as specified in this Agreement. Buyer has the right to inspect the Property and, within the time specified, request that Seller make repairs or take other corrective action, or exercise any contingency cancellation rights in this Agreement. Seller is only required to make repairs specified in this Agreement or as Otherwise Agreed.
 - E. **"Authorized Agent"** means an individual real estate licensee specified in the Real Estate Broker Section.
 - F. **"C.A.R. Form"** means the most current version of the specific form referenced or another comparable form agreed to by the Parties.
 - G. **"Close Of Escrow"**, including "COE", means the date the grant deed, or other evidence of transfer of title, is recorded for any real property, or the date of Delivery of a document evidencing the transfer of title for any non-real property transaction.
 - H. **"Copy"** means copy by any means including photocopy, facsimile and electronic.
 - I. **Counting Days** is done as follows unless Otherwise Agreed: (1) The first Day after an event is the first full calendar date following the event, and ending at 11:59 pm. For example, if a Notice to Buyer to Perform (C.A.R. form NBP) is Delivered at 3 pm on the 7th calendar day of the month, or Acceptance of a counter offer is personally received at 12 noon on the 7th calendar day of the month, then the 7th is Day "0" for purposes of counting days to respond to the NBP or calculating the Close Of Escrow date or contingency removal dates and the 8th of the month is Day 1 for those same purposes. (2) All calendar days are counted in establishing the first Day after an event. (3) All calendar days are counted in determining the date upon which performance must be completed, ending at 11:59 pm on the last day for performance ("Scheduled Performance Day"). (4) After Acceptance, if the Scheduled Performance Day for any act required by this Agreement, including Close Of Escrow, lands on a Saturday, Sunday, or Legal Holiday, the performing party shall be allowed to perform on the next day that is not a Saturday, Sunday or Legal Holiday ("Allowable Performance Day"), and ending at 11:59 pm. "Legal Holiday" shall mean any holiday or optional bank holiday under Civil Code §§ 7 and 7.1 and any holiday under Government Code § 6700. (5) For the purposes of COE, any day that the Recorder's office in the County where the Property is located is closed or any day that the lender or Escrow Holder under this Agreement is closed, the COE shall occur on the next day the Recorder's office in that County, the lender, and the Escrow Holder are open. (6) COE is considered Day 0 for purposes of counting days Seller is allowed to remain in possession, if permitted by this Agreement.



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- J. "Day" or "Days" means calendar day or days. However, delivery of deposit to escrow is based on business days.
- K. "Deliver", "Delivered" or "Delivery" of documents, unless Otherwise Agreed, means and shall be effective upon personal receipt of the document by Buyer or Seller or their Authorized Agent. Personal receipt means (i) a Copy of the document, or as applicable, link to the document, is in the possession of the Party or Authorized Agent, regardless of the Delivery method used (i.e. e-mail, text, other), or (ii) an Electronic Copy of the document, or as applicable, link to the document, has been sent to the designated electronic delivery address specified in the Real Estate Broker Section, **unless Otherwise Agreed in C.A.R. Form DEDA**. A document, or as applicable link to a document, shall be deemed to be "in possession" if it located in the in-box for the applicable Party or Authorized Agent. After Acceptance, Agent may change the designated electronic delivery address for that Agent by, in writing, Delivering notice of the change in designated electronic delivery address to the other Party (C.A.R. Form DEDA). Links could be, for example, to DropBox or GoogleDrive or other functionally equivalent program. If the recipient of a link is unable or unwilling to open the link or download the documents or otherwise prefers Delivery of the documents directly, Recipient of a link shall notify the sender in writing, within **3 Days** after Delivery of the link (C.A.R. Form RFR). In such case, Delivery shall be effective upon Delivery of the documents and not the link. Failure to notify sender within the time specified above shall be deemed consent to receive, and Buyer opening, the document by link.
- L. "DRE" means the Department of Real Estate.
- M. "Electronic Copy" or "Electronic Signature" means, as applicable, an electronic copy or signature complying with California Law. Unless Otherwise Agreed, Buyer and Seller agreed to the use of Electronic Signatures. Buyer and Seller agree that electronic means will not be used by either Party to modify or alter the content or integrity of this Agreement without the knowledge and consent of the other Party.
- N. "Law" means any law, code, statute, ordinance, regulation, rule or order, which is adopted by a controlling city, county, state or federal legislative, judicial or executive body or agency.
- O. "Legally Authorized Signer" means an individual who has authority to Sign for the principal as specified in **paragraph 39 or paragraph 40**.
- P. "Otherwise Agreed" means an agreement in writing, signed by both Parties and Delivered to each.
- Q. "Repairs" means any repairs (including pest control), alterations, replacements, modifications or retrofitting of the Property provided for under this Agreement.
- R. "Sign" or "Signed" means either a handwritten or Electronic Signature on an original document, Copy or any counterpart.

- 28. **TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF OFFER:** This is an offer to purchase the Property on the terms and conditions herein. The individual Liquidated Damages and Arbitration of Disputes paragraphs are incorporated in this Agreement if initialed by all Parties or if incorporated by mutual agreement in a Counter Offer or addendum. **If at least one but not all Parties initial, a Counter Offer is required until agreement is reached.** Seller has the right to continue to offer the Property for sale and to accept any other offer at any time prior to notification of Acceptance and to market the Property for backup offers after Acceptance. The Parties have read and acknowledge receipt of a Copy of the offer and agree to the confirmation of agency relationships. If this offer is accepted and Buyer subsequently defaults, Buyer may be responsible for payment of Brokers' compensation. This Agreement and any supplement, addendum or modification, including any Copy, may be Signed in two or more counterparts, all of which shall constitute one and the same writing. By signing this offer or any document in the transaction, the Party Signing the document is deemed to have read the document in its entirety.
- 29. **TIME OF ESSENCE; ENTIRE CONTRACT; CHANGES:** Time is of the essence. All understandings between the Parties are incorporated in this Agreement. Its terms are intended by the Parties as a final, complete and exclusive expression of their Agreement with respect to its subject matter and may not be contradicted by evidence of any prior agreement or contemporaneous oral agreement. If any provision of this Agreement is held to be ineffective or invalid, the remaining provisions will nevertheless be given full force and effect. Except as Otherwise Agreed, this Agreement shall be interpreted, and disputes shall be resolved in accordance with the Laws of the State of California. **Neither this Agreement nor any provision in it may be extended, amended, modified, altered or changed, except in writing Signed by Buyer and Seller.**
- 30. **LEGALLY AUTHORIZED SIGNER:** Wherever the signature or initials of the Legally Authorized Signer identified in **paragraph 39 or 40** appear on this Agreement or any related documents, it shall be deemed to be in a representative capacity for the entity described and not in an individual capacity, unless otherwise indicated. The Legally Authorized Signer (i) represents that the entity for which that person is acting already exists and is in good standing to do business in California and (ii) shall Deliver to the other Party and Escrow Holder, within the time specified in **paragraph 3P(4)**, evidence of authority to act in that capacity (such as but not limited to: applicable portion of the trust or Certification Of Trust (Probate Code § 18100.5), letters testamentary, court order, power of attorney, corporate resolution, or formation documents of the business entity).
- 31. **DOCUMENTATION TO SUBSEQUENT PURCHASERS:** Buyer is instructed to give any subsequent purchasers all documents related to the sale and purchase that Buyer receives from Seller.
- 32. **MAINTENANCE RECOMMENDATIONS:** Provided with the Agreement are Copies of all builder maintenance and preventative maintenance recommendations.
- 33. **MANUFACTURED PRODUCTS MAINTENANCE AND LIMITED WARRANTIES:** Provided with the Agreement are Copies of all manufactured products maintenance, preventative maintenance, and limited warranty information.
- 34. **PURCHASE MONEY DISTRIBUTIONS TO THIRD PARTIES:** Pursuant to DRE Regulation 2791(b), certain distributions and charges may be made against Buyer's deposits to Seller. These charges under Regulation 2791(b), and the Seller estimates of such charges, are set forth in **paragraph 3T**.
- 35. **RETENTION OF BUYER DEPOSITS IN THE EVENT OF BUYER DEFAULT:** In the event Seller has used Buyer's deposits pending consummation of this Agreement, Seller shall immediately, upon alleging Buyer's default, transmit to Escrow Holder funds equal to all of Buyer's deposits so used.



36. LIQUIDATED DAMAGES: IF BUYER FAILS TO COMPLETE THE PURCHASE OF THE PROPERTY BY REASON OF DEFAULT OF BUYER, SELLER MAY PURSUE ANY REMEDY IN LAW OR EQUITY THAT IT MAY HAVE AGAINST BUYER ON ACCOUNT OF THE DEFAULT; PROVIDED, HOWEVER, THAT BY PLACING THEIR INITIALS HERE, BUYER _____ / _____ AND SELLER _____ / _____ AGREE THAT:

- A. THE SUMS PAID ON DEPOSIT PURSUANT TO PARAGRAPHS 3D(1)-(2) AND 5A HEREOF PLUS ANY AMOUNTS PAID FOR ADDITIONAL ITEMS, EXTRAS AND/OR CUSTOMER SELECTED MATERIALS ORDERED BY BUYER (“PURCHASE MONEY DEPOSIT”) SHALL CONSTITUTE LIQUIDATED DAMAGES PAYABLE TO SELLER IF BUYER FAILS TO COMPLETE THE PURCHASE OF THE PROPERTY BECAUSE OF A DEFAULT BY BUYER.**
- B. THE PAYMENT OF SUCH LIQUIDATED DAMAGES TO SELLER SHALL CONSTITUTE THE EXCLUSIVE REMEDY OF SELLER ON ACCOUNT OF THE DEFAULT OF BUYER.**
- C. LIQUIDATED DAMAGES SHALL BE PAYABLE TO SELLER OUT OF BUYER’S DEPOSIT TOWARD PURCHASE OF THE PROPERTY ACCORDING TO THE FOLLOWING PROCEDURES:**
- (1) SELLER SHALL GIVE WRITTEN NOTICE (“SELLER’S NOTICE AND DEMAND”), IN THE MANNER PRESCRIBED BY § 116.340 OF THE CODE OF CIVIL PROCEDURE FOR SERVICE IN A SMALL CLAIMS ACTION, TO ESCROW HOLDER AND TO BUYER THAT BUYER IS IN DEFAULT UNDER THE CONTRACT AND THAT SELLER IS DEMANDING THAT ESCROW HOLDER REMIT THE PURCHASE MONEY DEPOSIT TO SELLER AS LIQUIDATED DAMAGES UNLESS, WITHIN 20 DAYS, BUYER GIVES ESCROW HOLDER BUYER’S WRITTEN OBJECTION TO DISBURSEMENT OF PURCHASE MONEY AS LIQUIDATED DAMAGES (“BUYER’S OBJECTION”).**
 - (2) BUYER HAS A PERIOD OF 20 DAYS FROM THE DATE OF RECEIPT OF SELLER’S NOTICE AND DEMAND IN WHICH TO GIVE ESCROW HOLDER BUYER’S OBJECTION.**
 - (3) IF BUYER FAILS TO GIVE ESCROW HOLDER BUYER’S OBJECTION WITHIN 20 DAYS FROM THE DATE OF RECEIPT OF SELLER’S NOTICE AND DEMAND: (i) ESCROW HOLDER SHALL PROMPTLY REMIT THE AMOUNT DEMANDED TO SELLER; AND (ii) SELLER IS RELEASED FROM ANY OBLIGATION TO SELL THE PROPERTY TO BUYER.**
 - (4) IF BUYER GIVES ESCROW HOLDER BUYER’S OBJECTION WITHIN 20 DAYS FROM THE DATE OF RECEIPT OF SELLER’S NOTICE AND DEMAND, THEN THE DETERMINATION AS TO WHETHER SELLER IS ENTITLED TO THE DISBURSEMENT OF PURCHASE MONEY AS LIQUIDATED DAMAGES, AND EVERY OTHER CAUSE OF ACTION THAT HAS ARISEN BETWEEN BUYER AND SELLER UNDER THIS AGREEMENT, SHALL BE DECIDED IN ACCORDANCE WITH PARAGRAPHS 37 AND 38 OF THIS AGREEMENT.**
 - (5) IF THE DETERMINATION AS TO WHETHER SELLER IS ENTITLED TO THE DISBURSEMENT OF PURCHASE MONEY AS LIQUIDATED DAMAGES IS REFERRED TO ARBITRATION, ANY FEE TO INITIATE ARBITRATION SHALL BE PAID BY SELLER, BUT THE COST OF ARBITRATION SHALL ULTIMATELY BE BORNE AS DETERMINED BY THE ARBITRATOR.**

SELLER AGREES TO INDEMNIFY AND HOLD ESCROW HOLDER HARMLESS FROM ANY CLAIM BY BUYER ARISING OUT OF ANY DISTRIBUTIONS MADE BY ESCROW HOLDER IN ACCORDANCE WITH, AND PURSUANT TO, THE PROVISIONS OF THIS PARAGRAPH.

REMITTANCE OF THE AFORESAID LIQUIDATED DAMAGES TO SELLER SHALL PRECLUDE ANY RIGHT OF ACTION SELLER MAY HAVE TO CONTEST THE REASONABLENESS OF THE AMOUNT ACTUALLY PAID AS LIQUIDATED DAMAGES OR THE VALIDITY OF THIS LIQUIDATED DAMAGES PROVISION.

NOTE 1: CIVIL CODE § 1675(D) IS APPLICABLE TO THIS PROVISION. § 1675(D) PROVIDES “IF THE AMOUNT ACTUALLY PAID PURSUANT TO THE LIQUIDATED DAMAGES PROVISION EXCEEDS 3 PERCENT OF THE PURCHASE PRICE, THE PROVISION IS INVALID UNLESS THE PARTY SEEKING TO UPHOLD THE PROVISION ESTABLISHES THAT THE AMOUNT ACTUALLY PAID IS REASONABLE AS LIQUIDATED DAMAGES.

NOTE 2: IF THE PROPERTY IS AN ATTACHED RESIDENTIAL CONDOMINIUM LOCATED WITHIN A STRUCTURE OF 10 OR MORE RESIDENTIAL CONDOMINIUM UNITS AND PARTIES HAVE AGREED TO LIQUIDATED DAMAGES IN THIS ADDENDUM, SELLER’S RETENTION OF ANY AMOUNT IN EXCESS OF 3 PERCENT OF THE PURCHASE PRICE SHALL BE SUBJECT TO CALIFORNIA CIVIL CODE § 1675(F).

37. MEDIATION:

- A. The Parties agree to mediate any dispute or claim arising between them out of this Agreement, or any resulting transaction, before resorting to arbitration or court action. The mediation shall be conducted through the C.A.R. Real Estate Mediation Center for Consumers (www.consumermediation.org) or through any other mediation provider or service mutually agreed to by the Parties. The Parties also agree to mediate any disputes or claims with Agents(s), who, in writing, agree to such mediation prior to, or within a reasonable time after, the dispute or claim is presented to the Agent. Mediation fees, if any, shall be divided equally among the Parties involved, and shall be recoverable under the prevailing party attorney fees clause. If, for any dispute or claim to which this paragraph applies, any Party (i) commences an action without first attempting to resolve the matter through mediation, or (ii) before commencement of an action, refuses to mediate after a request has been made, then that Party shall not be entitled to recover attorney fees, even if they would otherwise be available to that Party in any such action. THIS MEDIATION PROVISION APPLIES WHETHER OR NOT THE ARBITRATION PROVISION IS INITIALED.**

The fees necessary to initiate the mediation shall be advanced by Seller, with the costs of the mediation to be borne as determined by the parties. If the parties cannot resolve their dispute through mediation and they proceed to arbitration or court, then the costs of mediation shall be borne as determined by the arbitrator of judge.

B. ADDITIONAL MEDIATION TERMS: (i) Exclusions from this mediation agreement are specified in paragraph 38B; (ii) The obligation to mediate does not preclude the right of either Party to seek a preservation of rights under paragraph 38C; and (iii) Agent's rights and obligations are further specified in paragraph 38D. These terms apply even if the Arbitration of Disputes paragraph is not initialed.

38. ARBITRATION OF DISPUTES:

A. THE PARTIES AGREE THAT ANY CONTROVERSY BETWEEN THEM REGARDING LIQUIDATED DAMAGES, TERMINATION OF THIS AGREEMENT BEFORE CLOSE OF ESCROW, BUYER'S INTEREST IN THE PROPERTY OF OTHER ISSUES WHICH ARISE BEFORE CLOSE OF ESCROW, INCLUDING CONTROVERSY CREATED BY CONFLICTING NOTICES BY BUYER AND SELLER, AND THE DISPOSITION OF FUNDS HELD BY ESCROW HOLDER SHALL BE SETTLED BY ARBITRATION IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE COMMERCIAL ARBITRATION RULES OF THE AMERICAN ARBITRATION ASSOCIATION, PROVIDED THAT THOSE RULES ARE CONSISTENT WITH THE FOLLOWING REQUIREMENTS:

- (1) THE FEES NECESSARY TO INITIATE THE ARBITRATION SHALL BE ADVANCED BY SELLER, WITH COSTS AND FEES (INCLUDING ONGOING COSTS AND FEES) TO BE PAID AS AGREED BY THE PARTIES. IF THE PARTIES CANNOT AGREE ON THE PAYMENT OF SUCH COSTS AND FEES, ALL COSTS AND FEES OF THE ARBITRATION SHALL ULTIMATELY BE BORNE AS DETERMINED BY THE ARBITRATION.
- (2) THE ARBITRATION SHALL BE ADMINISTERED BY A NEUTRAL AND IMPARTIAL PERSON(S).
- (3) A NEUTRAL AND IMPARTIAL INDIVIDUAL(S) SHALL BE APPOINTED TO SERVE AS ARBITRATOR(S) WITHIN THE SPECIFIED PERIOD OF TIME, WHICH SHALL IN NO EVENT BE MORE THAN 60 DAYS FROM THE ADMINISTRATOR'S RECEIPT OF A WRITTEN REQUEST FROM A PARTY TO ARBITRATE THE CLAIM OR DISPUTE. THE PROVISIONS OF SECTION 1297.121, OR 1297.124 OF THE CALIFORNIA CODE OF CIVIL PROCEDURE.
- (4) THE VENUE OF THE ARBITRATION SHALL BE IN THE COUNTY WHERE THE PROPERTY IS LOCATED UNLESS THE BUYER AND SELLER AGREE TO SOME OTHER LOCATION.
- (5) THE ARBITRATION SHALL BE COMMENCED PROMPTLY AND TIMELY IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE RULES OF ARBITRATION. IF THE RULES OF ARBITRATION DO NOT SPECIFY A DATE BY WHICH THE ARBITRATION MUST COMMENCE, THEN IT SHALL COMMENCE ON A DATE AGREED TO BY THE PARTIES. IF THE PARTIES CANNOT AGREE ON AN ARBITRATION COMMENCEMENT DATE, IT SHALL COMMENCE ON THE DATE DETERMINED BY THE ARBITRATOR(S).
- (6) THE ARBITRATION SHALL BE CONDUCTED IN ACCORDANCE WITH RULES AND PROCEDURES WHICH ARE REASONABLE AND FAIR TO BUYER AND SELLER. THE AMERICAN ARBITRATION ASSOCIATION COMMERCIAL RULES OF ARBITRATION IN EFFECT AS OF THE DATE OF THIS AGREEMENT SHALL BE DEEMED IN COMPLIANCE WITH THIS REQUIREMENT.
- (7) THE ARBITRATION SHALL CONCLUDE PROMPTLY AND TIMELY.
- (8) THE ARBITRATOR(S) ARE AUTHORIZED TO PROVIDE ALL RECOGNIZED REMEDIES AVAILABLE IN LAW OR EQUITY FOR ANY CAUSE OF ACTION THAT IS THE BASIS OF THE ARBITRATION
- (9) JUDGMENT UPON THE DECISION RENDERED BY THE ARBITRATOR(S) MAY BE ENTERED INTO ANY COURT HAVING PROPER JURISDICTION.

B. EXCLUSIONS: The following matters are excluded from mediation and arbitration: (i) any matter that is within the jurisdiction of a probate, small claims or bankruptcy court; (ii) a judicial or non-judicial foreclosure or other action or proceeding to enforce a deed of trust, mortgage or installment land sale contract as defined in Civil Code § 2985; and (iii) an unlawful detainer action.

C. PRESERVATION OF ACTIONS: The following shall not constitute a waiver nor violation of the mediation and arbitration provisions: (i) the filing of a court action to preserve a statute of limitations; (ii) the filing of a court action to enable the recording of a notice of pending action, for order of attachment, receivership, injunction, or other provisional remedies, provided the filing party concurrent with, or immediately after such filing, makes a request to the court for a stay of litigation pending any applicable mediation or arbitration proceeding; or (iii) the filing of a mechanic's lien.

D. AGENTS; REFERRAL LICENSEE: Neither Agents nor Referral Licensee shall not be obligated nor compelled to mediate or arbitrate unless they agree to do so in writing. Any Agent(s) or Referral Licensee participating in mediation or arbitration shall not be deemed a party to this Agreement.

E. "NOTICE: BY INITIALING IN THE SPACE BELOW YOU ARE AGREEING TO HAVE ANY DISPUTE ARISING OUT OF THE MATTERS INCLUDED IN THE 'ARBITRATION OF DISPUTES' PROVISION DECIDED BY NEUTRAL ARBITRATION AS PROVIDED BY CALIFORNIA LAW AND YOU ARE GIVING UP ANY RIGHTS YOU MIGHT POSSESS TO HAVE THE DISPUTE LITIGATED IN A COURT OR JURY TRIAL. BY INITIALING IN THE SPACE BELOW YOU ARE GIVING UP YOUR JUDICIAL RIGHTS TO DISCOVERY AND APPEAL, UNLESS THOSE RIGHTS ARE SPECIFICALLY INCLUDED IN THE 'ARBITRATION OF DISPUTES' PROVISION. IF YOU REFUSE TO SUBMIT TO ARBITRATION AFTER AGREEING TO THIS PROVISION, YOU MAY BE COMPELLED TO ARBITRATE UNDER THE AUTHORITY OF THE CALIFORNIA CODE OF CIVIL PROCEDURE. YOUR AGREEMENT TO THIS ARBITRATION PROVISION IS VOLUNTARY."

"WE HAVE READ AND UNDERSTAND THE FOREGOING AND AGREE TO SUBMIT DISPUTES ARISING OUT OF THE MATTERS INCLUDED IN THE 'ARBITRATION OF DISPUTES' PROVISION TO NEUTRAL ARBITRATION."

Buyer's Initials _____ / _____

Seller's Initials _____ / _____



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39. FAIR APPRAISAL ACT NOTICE:

- A.** Any appraisal of the property is required to be unbiased, objective, and not influenced by improper or illegal considerations, including, but not limited to, any of the following: race, color, religion (including religious dress, grooming practices, or both), gender (including, but not limited to, pregnancy, childbirth, breastfeeding, and related conditions, and gender identity and gender expression), sexual orientation, marital status, medical condition, military or veteran status, national origin (including language use and possession of a driver's license issued to persons unable to provide their presence in the United States is authorized under federal law), source of income, ancestry, disability (mental and physical, including, but not limited to, HIV/AIDS status, cancer diagnosis, and genetic characteristics), genetic information, or age.
- B.** If a buyer or seller believes that the appraisal has been influenced by any of the above factors, the seller or buyer can report this information to the lender or mortgage broker that retained the appraiser and may also file a complaint with the Bureau of Real Estate Appraisers at <https://www2.brea.ca.gov/complaint/> or call (916) 552-9000 for further information on how to file a complaint.

40. BUYER'S OFFER

- A. EXPIRATION OF OFFER:** This offer shall be deemed revoked and the deposit, if any, shall be returned to Buyer unless by the date and time specified in **paragraph 3C**, the offer is Signed by Seller and a Copy of the Signed offer is Delivered to Buyer or Buyer's Authorized Agent. **Seller has no obligation to respond to an offer made.**
- B. ENTITY BUYERS: (Note: If this paragraph is completed, a Representative Capacity Signature Disclosure (C.A.R. Form RCSD) is not required for the Legally Authorized Signers designated below.)**
 - (1) One or more Buyers is a trust, corporation, LLC, probate estate, partnership, holding a power of attorney or other entity.
 - (2) This Agreement is being Signed by a Legally Authorized Signer in a representative capacity and not in an individual capacity. See **paragraph 30** for additional terms.
 - (3) The name(s) of the Legally Authorized Signer(s) is/are: _____.
 - (4) **A.** If a trust, identify **Buyer** as trustee(s) of the trust or by simplified trust name (ex. John Doe, co-trustee, Jane Doe, co-trustee or Doe Revocable Family Trust).
 - B.** If Property is sold under the jurisdiction of a probate court, identify Buyer as executor or administrator, or by a simplified probate name (John Doe, executor, or Estate (or Conservatorship) of John Doe).
- (5) If the entity is a trust or under probate, the following is the full name of the trust or probate case, including case #: _____.
- C.** The CCSPA has **19** pages. Buyer acknowledges receipt of, and has read and understands, every page and all attachments that make up the Agreement.

D. BUYER SIGNATURE(S):

(Signature) By, _____ Date: _____

Printed name of BUYER: _____

Printed Name of Legally Authorized Signer: _____ Title, if applicable, _____

(Signature) By, _____ Date: _____

Printed name of BUYER: _____

Printed Name of Legally Authorized Signer: _____ Title, if applicable, _____

IF MORE THAN TWO SIGNERS, USE Additional Signature Addendum (C.A.R. Form ASA).



Property Address: _____ Date: _____

41. ACCEPTANCE

A. ACCEPTANCE OF OFFER: Seller warrants that Seller is the owner of the Property or has the authority to execute this Agreement. Seller accepts the above offer and agrees to sell the Property on the above terms and conditions. Seller has read and acknowledges receipt of a Copy of this Agreement and authorizes Agent to Deliver a Signed Copy to Buyer.
Seller's acceptance is subject to the attached Counter Offer or Back-Up Offer Addendum, or both, checked below.
Seller shall return and include the entire agreement with any response.

- Seller Counter Offer** (C.A.R. Form SCO or SMCO)
- Back-Up Offer Addendum** (C.A.R. Form BUO)

Note to Seller: For any counter offer or back-up addendum you intend to use with this Agreement, you must submit them to, and have them accepted by, the DRE.

B. ENTITY SELLERS: (Note: If this paragraph is completed, a Representative Capacity Signature Disclosure form (C.A.R. Form RCSD) is not required for the Legally Authorized Signers designated below.)

- (1) One or more Sellers is a trust, corporation, LLC, probate estate, partnership, holding a power of attorney or other entity.
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C. The CCSPA has **19** pages. Seller acknowledges receipt of, and has read and understands, every page and all attachments that make up the Agreement.

D. SELLER SIGNATURE(S):

(Signature) By, _____ Date: _____

Printed name of SELLER: _____

Printed Name of Legally Authorized Signer: _____ Title, if applicable, _____

(Signature) By, _____ Date: _____

Printed name of SELLER: _____

Printed Name of Legally Authorized Signer: _____ Title, if applicable, _____

IF MORE THAN TWO SIGNERS, USE Additional Signature Addendum (C.A.R. Form ASA).

OFFER NOT ACCEPTED: _____/_____/_____ No Counter Offer is being made. This offer was not accepted by Seller _____ (date)
Seller's Initials



REAL ESTATE BROKERS SECTION:

1. **Real Estate Agents are not parties to the Agreement between Buyer and Seller.**
2. **Agency relationships are confirmed as stated in paragraph 2.**
3. **Confirmation of Offered Compensation:** Seller's Broker agrees to pay Buyer's Broker and Buyer's Broker agrees to accept, out of Seller's Broker's proceeds in escrow, the **compensation** specified in a separate written agreement (C.A.R. Form CBC). **Each Broker agrees to disclose to their Seller or Buyer client the amount in the CBC.** Declaration of License and Tax (C.A.R. Form DLT) may be used to document that tax reporting will be required or that an exemption exists.
4. **Presentation of Offer:** Pursuant to the National Association of REALTORS® Standard of Practice 1-7, if Buyer's Agent makes a written request, Seller's Agent shall confirm in writing that this offer has been presented to Seller.
5. **Agents' Signatures and designated electronic delivery address:**

A. Buyer's Brokerage Firm _____ Lic. # _____
 By _____ Lic. # _____ Date _____
 By _____ Lic. # _____ Date _____
 Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____
 Email _____ Phone # _____

- More than one agent from the same firm represents Buyer. Additional Agent Acknowledgement (C.A.R. Form AAA) attached.
- More than one brokerage firm represents Buyer. Additional Broker Acknowledgement (C.A.R. Form ABA) attached.

Designated Electronic Delivery Address(es): Email above or _____
 Attached DEDA: If Parties elect to have an alternative Delivery method, such method may be indicated on C.A.R. Form DEDA.

B. Seller's Brokerage Firm _____ Lic. # _____
 By _____ Lic. # _____ Date _____
 By _____ Lic. # _____ Date _____
 Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____
 Email _____ Phone # _____

- More than one agent from the same firm represents Seller. Additional Agent Acknowledgement (C.A.R. Form AAA) attached.
- More than one brokerage firm represents Seller. Additional Broker Acknowledgement (C.A.R. Form ABA) attached.

Designated If Parties elect to have an alternative Delivery method, such method may be indicated on DEDA.
Electronic Delivery Address(es) (To be filled out by Seller's Agent): Email above or _____
 Attached DEDA: If Parties elect to have an alternative Delivery method, such method may be indicated on C.A.R. Form DEDA.

ESCROW HOLDER ACKNOWLEDGMENT:

Escrow Holder acknowledges receipt of a Copy of this Agreement, (if checked, a deposit in the amount of \$ _____), Counter Offer numbers _____ and _____, and agrees to act as Escrow Holder subject to **paragraph 20** of this Agreement, any supplemental escrow instructions and the terms of Escrow Holder's general provisions.

Escrow Holder is advised by _____ that the date of Acceptance of the Agreement is _____
 Escrow Holder _____ Escrow # _____
 By _____ Date _____
 Address _____
 Phone/Fax/E-mail _____

Escrow Holder has the following license number # _____
 Department of Financial Protection and Innovation, Department of Insurance, Department of Real Estate.

PRESENTATION OF OFFER: _____ / _____ Seller's Brokerage Firm presented this offer to Seller on _____ (date).
 Agent or Seller's Initials

Buyer's Initials _____ / _____ Seller's Initials _____ / _____

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**CANCELLATION OF CONTRACT,
DISPOSITION OF DEPOSIT
AND CANCELLATION OF ESCROW**
(C.A.R. Form CC, Revised 6/24)

In accordance with the terms and conditions of the Purchase Agreement, OR Other _____
 _____ (“Agreement”), dated _____, including all amendments
 and related documents, on property known as _____ (“Property”),
 between _____ (“Buyer”)
 and _____ (“Seller”).
 Buyer and Seller are referred to as the “Parties.”

ADVISORY AND INSTRUCTIONS: The Party cancelling the Agreement is required to act in good faith. Disputes over cancellation and deposit can be complex legal issues and can be expensive to resolve. **Agents are not qualified to provide any opinion on who is entitled to the deposited funds or whether a cancellation was made in good faith. Buyer and Seller are advised to seek the advice of a qualified California real estate attorney regarding this matter.**

The party cancelling the Agreement, and not the Agent, needs to determine if a cancellation right applies. Cancellation must be exercised in good faith and in accordance with the rights and procedures within the Agreement, including any applicable Notice to Perform or Demand to Close Escrow. Section 1 allows for either a one-party cancellation (see **paragraph 1A**), or for a proposed mutual cancellation which becomes effective upon a mutual execution of Section 2 (see **paragraph 1B**).

If there is an open escrow, Escrow Holder will need mutual agreement and instructions from both Parties regarding the deposit and cancelling of escrow. If the Parties agree on the release of the deposit, then the Parties can exercise a mutual instruction with full release in **paragraph 2C** below. If the Parties are cancelling the Agreement but are disputing the deposit, then the Partial Release section can be used in **paragraph 2D**.

Parties are advised to consult with a qualified California real estate attorney regarding potential damages and remedies, including, but not limited to, retaining the deposit, seeking other monetary damages, and pursuing specific performance. Any dispute will have to be resolved in the manner specified in the Agreement.

Both paragraphs 1 and 2 are escrow instructions to Escrow Holder. Cancellation under paragraph 1A, requires the signature of either Buyer or Seller, but not both. Paragraphs 1B and 2 require the signatures of both parties to be effective.

1. CANCELLATION OF CONTRACT:

A. One-party cancellation: This paragraph is used to cancel the Agreement by Buyer or Seller. Its terms apply whether or not both Parties agree to disposition of the deposit and cancellation of escrow in paragraph 2 below.

The Buyer or Seller Signing below cancel(s) the Agreement for the following reason:

- (1) As permitted by the good faith exercise of paragraph(s) _____ of the Agreement.
- (2) Buyer has failed to remove the applicable contingency or take the applicable contractual action after being given a Notice to Buyer to Perform (C.A.R. Form NBP).
- (3) Seller has failed to remove the applicable contingency or take the applicable contractual action after being given a Notice to Seller to Perform (C.A.R. Form NSP).
- (4) The other Party has failed to close escrow after being given a Demand to Close Escrow (C.A.R. Form DCE).
- (5) Other _____.

B. Proposed mutual cancellation: The Buyer or Seller Signing below proposes a mutual cancellation of the Agreement. The cancellation is only effective if agreement is reached and both Parties Sign in **paragraph 2** below as follows. This Proposed mutual cancellation **(i)** may be withdrawn by the Party initiating it any time prior to agreement by the other party in **paragraph 2** below, and **(ii)** shall be deemed revoked unless by 5:00 PM on the third Day after it is Signed by the initiating Party in **paragraph 1** (or by _____ AM/ PM on _____ date) it is Signed by the other Party in **paragraph 2** and a Copy of this completed form is Delivered to the initiating Party.

Buyer's or Seller's Signature (party cancelling the contract) _____ Date

Buyer's or Seller's Signature (party cancelling the contract) _____ Date

*****SIGN IN THIS SECTION SOLELY FOR CANCELLATION OF CONTRACT. PROCEED TO PAGE 2 FOR DISPOSITION OF DEPOSIT AND CANCELLATION OF ESCROW.*****



2. DISPOSITION OF DEPOSIT and CANCELLATION OF ESCROW

A. PURPOSE OF PARAGRAPH 2: This paragraph is used to instruct Escrow Holder (i) to cancel the escrow for the purchase/sale or other designated transaction for the Property and (ii) what to do with the deposit. Any cancellation of contract pursuant to paragraph 1A, remains in effect even if both Parties to the Agreement do not sign below.

B. RELEASE OF FUNDS NOT AUTOMATIC: Release of funds by Escrow Holder (pursuant to paragraph 2) requires mutually Signed release instructions from Buyer and Seller, judicial decision or arbitration award. A party may be subject to a civil penalty of up to \$1,000 for refusal to sign such instructions if no good faith dispute exists as to who is entitled to the deposited funds (Civil Code §1057.3).

C. FULL RELEASE AND DISPOSITION OF DEPOSIT (Select one of the options in C, or complete D, but not both.): Buyer and Seller cancel escrow # _____ with _____. The parties (i) mutually release each other from any obligation to buy, sell or exchange the Property under the Agreement; (ii) mutually release each other from all other claims, actions and demands that each may have against the other(s) by reason of the Agreement; and (iii) intend that all other rights and obligations arising out of the Agreement are null and void.

(1) Seller authorizes release of Buyer's deposit to Buyer, less Buyer's fees and costs (i) already incurred, and (ii) agreed in the contract to be paid through escrow (including any escrow fee). If checked, Seller agrees to pay for Buyer out-of-pocket expenses for inspection reports and appraisal fees as specified in the Agreement. Buyer shall Deliver receipts for such expenses to Escrow Holder.

OR (2) Buyer authorizes release of Buyer's deposit to Seller, less Seller's fees and costs (i) already incurred, and (ii) agreed in the contract to be paid through escrow (including any escrow fee). Pursuant to a properly executed liquidated damages clause, Buyer's authorization of release of deposit to Seller is limited to no more than 3% of the purchase price, if the Property is a dwelling with no more than four units, one of which Buyer intended to occupy. Any additional deposit shall be returned to Buyer.

OR (3) Buyer authorizes release of \$ _____ from Buyer's deposit to Seller. The balance to be returned to Buyer. Each Party to pay for their own unpaid contractual fees and costs (i) already incurred and (ii) agreed in the contract to be paid through escrow (including any escrow fee). Such fees and costs shall be deducted from the amount specified above.

OR (4) There is no deposit in escrow. Each Party to pay for their own unpaid contractual fees and costs, if any, (i) already incurred, and (ii) agreed in the contract to be paid through escrow (including any escrow fee).

D. PARTIAL RELEASE AND RESERVATION OF RIGHTS: Buyer and Seller cancel escrow # _____ with _____. The Parties:

(1) Mutually release each other from any obligation to buy, sell or exchange the Property under the Agreement;

(2) Reserve all rights and retain any obligations they have toward each other under the Agreement, except for the obligation, as applicable, to buy, sell, or exchange the Property; and

(3) Authorize Escrow Holder or _____ to hold any deposit until receiving subsequent mutual instructions, judicial decision or arbitration award, or there is no deposit in escrow.

Buyer _____ Date _____

Buyer _____ Date _____

Seller _____ Date _____

Seller _____ Date _____

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CANCELLATION OF BUYER REPRESENTATION (C.A.R. Form COBR, Revised 6/24)

- 1. PARTIES AND PROPERTY: ... ("Broker") has agreed to represent ... ("Buyer") for the purpose of locating and acquiring real property or a manufactured home ("Buyer Representation"). The Buyer Representation is pursuant to a written () or oral) agreement.
2. NOTICE OF CANCELLATION OF BUYER REPRESENTATION: The representation may be cancelled by either Buyer or Broker or both by signing in the applicable box below paragraph 2 and delivering to the other party. However, compensation may still be owed based on the contractual rights of the Buyer Representation agreement or otherwise.
A. By signing in the applicable box below this paragraph 2, () Buyer () Broker () Both hereby gives notice to the other to cancel the Buyer Representation and terminate their agency relationship, duties, and responsibilities with and to each other. Compensation may be payable as specified below.
B. Effective date of cancellation:
(1) If there is no written agreement between Buyer and Broker or if there is a written agreement and such agreement is for non-exclusive representation, the cancellation is effective immediately upon (or () pursuant to a written Buyer Representation agreement, ___ days after receipt of) this notice.
(2) If there is a written agreement and such agreement is for exclusive representation, the cancellation is effective 30-days after receipt of this notice.
(3) Regardless of the agreement between Buyer and Broker, the parties may agree to mutually cancel the Buyer Representation immediately upon (or () ___ days after) the last signature in the mutual cancellation box.
C. The notice applies to all properties that may be subject to the Buyer Representation (or () only for the following property(ies): _____).
D. Broker will NOT be Buyer's agent during any negotiation or transaction that results between Buyer and Seller regarding any property. Any questions that Buyer has about the Property shall be directed to the seller's broker, if any, or to seller.
E. COMPENSATION DUE BROKER:
(1) If a written Buyer Representation agreement provides for compensation in the event of cancellation of the agreement, Buyer agrees to pay Broker as specified in the written agreement between them. C.A.R. Form BRBC provides in the event of cancellation, Broker shall be entitled to compensation for those properties for which there was Broker Involvement, as defined in the BRBC, if any such property is acquired during the Representation Period. Broker shall give Buyer a list of such properties within 5 calendar days after receipt of this Cancellation of Buyer Representation.
OR (2) () Compensation shall be paid as specified in paragraph 3, below, and only if both parties agree by signing below paragraph 3.
F. BUYER TO OBTAIN OTHER ADVICE: Broker advises buyer to obtain real estate, legal, tax, title, insurance and other desired advice from a qualified California professional.

Unilateral Buyer OR Broker Cancellation:
Buyer's or Broker's Signature (party cancelling the representation) Date
Buyer's or Broker's Signature (party cancelling the representation) Date

OR

Buyer AND Broker Mutual Cancellation:
Buyer's Signature Date
Buyer's Signature Date
Broker's Signature (By _____) Date



**3. (ONLY APPLIES IF PARAGRAPH 2E(2) IS CHECKED ABOVE AND BOTH PARTIES SIGN BELOW)
BUYER AGREES TO PAY BROKER AS FOLLOWS:**

- A. SUBSEQUENT ACQUISITION OF PROPERTY DURING REPRESENTATION PERIOD OR EXTENSION FOR WHICH THERE WAS BROKER INVOLVEMENT PRIOR TO CANCELLATION:** The amount of compensation specified in the written Buyer Representation agreement if, within _____ calendar days after (i) this Cancellation of Buyer Representation; or (ii) the Representation Period specified in the Buyer Representation Agreement: Buyer enters into contract to buy, lease, or otherwise acquire any **property specified below** for which (a) Buyer physically entered and was shown the Property by Broker; (b) Broker showed the Property to Buyer virtually; (c) Broker submitted to seller a signed, written offer from Buyer to acquire, lease, exchange or obtain an option on the Property; or (d) the Property was introduced to Buyer by Broker or one for which Broker acted on Buyer's behalf (merely sending a list of properties without other documented action by Broker would not satisfy this requirement):

- B. EXPENSES INCURRED:** Buyer agrees to pay Broker \$_____ for out-of-pocket expenses, costs incurred, and services rendered to Buyer prior to cancellation of Buyer Representation.
- C. BROKER TO RECEIVE A REFERRAL FEE:** Broker will receive a referral fee from another broker pursuant to a separate written agreement with Broker.
- D. BROKER TO RECEIVE COMPENSATION FROM SELLER:** Broker, pursuant to a separate written agreement, will receive compensation from the seller as compensation for services provided and completed.
- E. NO COMPENSATION:** Buyer owes no compensation to Broker.
- F. SUBSEQUENT ACQUISITION OF PROPERTY DURING REPRESENTATION PERIOD OR EXTENSION REGARDLESS OF BROKER INVOLVEMENT: (This paragraph is only applicable to an exclusive buyer representation agreement for which there was no contractual right of cancellation.)** The amount of compensation specified in the written Buyer Representation agreement if prior to end of the Representation Period specified in the written Buyer Representation agreement or any extension Buyer enters into a contract to buy, lease, or otherwise acquire the property specified in the Buyer Representation Agreement.
- G. OTHER:** _____

Buyer and Broker each acknowledge by signing below that they have received a copy of this Cancellation of Buyer Representation and have read, understands, and accepts its terms.

Buyer _____ Date _____
Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____
Telephone _____ E-mail _____
Real Estate Broker (Firm) _____ DRE Lic# _____
Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____
By _____ Tel. _____ E-mail _____ DRE Lic# _____ Date _____

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CONTINGENCY FOR SALE OF BUYER'S PROPERTY (C.A.R. Form COP, Revised 6/24)

This is an addendum to the Purchase Agreement, OR [] Other [] ("Agreement"), dated [] on property known as [] ("Seller's Property"), between [] ("Buyer") and [] ("Seller"). Buyer's Property [] ("Buyer's Property").

- 1. BUYER'S PROPERTY CONTINGENCY: The Agreement is contingent upon: A. Buyer entering into a contract for the sale of, and closing escrow on, Buyer's Property (paragraphs 2 and 4). OR B. [] Only entering into a contract for the sale of Buyer's Property (paragraph 2). OR C. [] Only the close of escrow of Buyer's Property (paragraph 4), which is already in escrow with [] (Escrow Company), Escrow # [], and has a contractual close of escrow date of []. A copy of the contract for sale of Buyer's Property and the contact information and escrow # for that sale (collectively, "Escrow Evidence") is attached to this COP form or [] will be Delivered to Seller within 2 (or []) Days after Acceptance. 2. BUYER ENTERING INTO CONTRACT FOR SALE OF BUYER'S PROPERTY: If 1A or 1B applies, A. Buyer shall have 17 (or []) Days after Acceptance to enter into a contract for the sale of Buyer's Property. B. By the earlier of (i) the time specified in 2A or (ii) within 2 (or []) Days after Buyer entering into contract for the sale of Buyer's Property, Buyer shall Deliver Escrow Evidence to Seller and Escrow Holder. 3. LISTING AND MLS STATUS OF BUYER'S PROPERTY: If 1A or 1B applies: A. Buyer has signed a listing agreement for Buyer's Property with (OR [] shall, within 3 (or []) Days after Acceptance, sign a listing with) [] (Real Estate Brokerage). B. Buyer's Property is or will be submitted to the MLS in the geographical area where Buyer's Property is located OR [] Buyer's Property will NOT be submitted to the MLS in the geographical area where Buyer's Property is located. C. Buyer shall Deliver to Seller evidence of both the listing agreement and, if applicable, the MLS listing within 1 Day after Acceptance if Buyer's Property is already listed with a Real Estate Brokerage or if not already listed, within 1 Day after listing with a Real Estate Brokerage. 4. CLOSE OF ESCROW OF BUYER'S PROPERTY: If 1A or 1C applies, Buyer has until the following time to close escrow on the sale of Buyer's Property: (i) the scheduled close of escrow of Seller's Property or (ii) if checked, [] no later than 5 (or []) Days prior to the scheduled close of escrow of Seller's Property. Once Buyer's Property closes, Buyer can no longer use this contingency to cancel the Agreement. 5. STATUS OF SALE OF BUYER'S PROPERTY: If 1A or 1C applies, A. Buyer agrees to keep Seller informed about the status of the transaction for the sale of Buyer's Property, including any changes, modifications, addenda or amendments to the terms of the accepted offer or delays to or removals of contingencies ("Updates"). B. Within 2 (or []) Days after Seller's written request, but no earlier than the applicable time to remove contingencies in the contract for sale of Buyer's Property, Buyer shall Deliver to Seller evidence of the removal of those identified contingencies. 6. CANCELLATION OF BUYER'S PROPERTY: If Buyer's Property is in or enters escrow, and either party to that escrow gives the other a notice of cancellation of contract, Buyer, within 2 (or []) Days thereafter, shall Deliver to Seller written notice of that cancellation. 7. BACK UP OFFERS AND SELLER RIGHT TO REQUIRE BUYER TO REMOVE CONTINGENCIES OR CANCEL: A. Back-up Offers: After Acceptance, Seller shall have the right to continue to offer Seller's Property for sale for back-up offers. The Parties acknowledge that Brokers shall not violate MLS rules requiring accurate property status reporting. B. Removal of Buyer Contingencies and Proof of Funds: Unless paragraph 7C(3) is selected, if Seller accepts a written back-up offer and provides Buyer a Copy of the signed, accepted back-up offer, within the time specified in paragraph 7C(1) or (2), Seller shall have the right to give written notice to Buyer to, in writing: (i) remove this contingency; (ii) remove the loan contingency, if any; and (iii) provide verification of sufficient funds to close escrow without the sale of Buyer's Property. Seller may use the bottom of page 2 of this form to comply with the written notice requirement of this paragraph. If Buyer fails to complete these actions within 2 (or []) Days after Delivery of such notice, Seller may then immediately cancel the Agreement in writing. C. Time to Give Notice to Remove Contingencies: Seller shall have the right to invoke the notice provisions in paragraph 7B: (1) Immediate Right to Notify Buyer: Any time after Acceptance; OR (2) [] Delayed Right to Notify Buyer: No earlier than 17 (or []) Days after Acceptance; OR (3) [] No Right to Notify Buyer: Seller shall NOT have the right to invoke the provisions of paragraph 7B during the entire term of the Agreement. 8. REMOVAL OF CONTINGENCIES: This contingency can only be removed in writing. Even if Buyer removes this contingency, unless Buyer also performs all actions pursuant to paragraph 7B, Seller retains the right to cancel under paragraph 9. 9. SELLER RIGHT TO CANCEL: Seller may cancel the Agreement in writing as follows: A. After first giving Buyer a written Notice to Remove Buyer Contingencies and Provide Proof of Funds (below), if Buyer fails to take all actions specified in paragraph 7B. B. After first giving Buyer a NBP, if Buyer fails to enter into contract for the sale of Buyer's Property within the time specified in paragraph 2A. C. After first giving Buyer a NBP, if Buyer fails to close escrow for the sale of Buyer's Property within the time specified in paragraph 4. D. After first giving Buyer a NBP, if Buyer fails to Deliver Escrow Evidence within the time specified in paragraph 1C or 2B. E. After first giving Buyer a NBP, if Buyer fails to Deliver evidence of the listing of Buyer's Property or, as applicable, the submission of Buyer's Property listing to the MLS within the time specified in paragraph 3C. F. If Buyer fails to Deliver evidence of removal of contingencies in the sale of Buyer's property as specified in paragraph 5B. G. If Buyer gives notice to Seller of either party's cancellation of contract for Buyer's Property.



- 10. BUYER RIGHT TO CANCEL:** Buyer may cancel the Agreement in writing if, prior to Buyer's removal of the Buyer's Property contingency specified in **paragraph 1A, B or C**, as applicable:
- A.** (if **1A** or **1B** applies) Buyer is unable to enter into contract on Buyer's Property within the time specified in **paragraph 2A**; or
 - B.** (if **1A** or **1C** applies) Either party for Buyer's Property gives notice to the other to cancel the contract for purchase Buyer's Property; or
 - C.** (if **1A** or **1C** applies) Buyer is unable to close escrow on Buyer's Property within the time specified in **paragraph 4**.
- 11. TIME FOR PERFORMANCE OF CONTRACT OBLIGATIONS AND DELIVERY OF BUYER DEPOSIT:**
- A. CONTRACT OBLIGATIONS OTHER THAN DEPOSIT:** Time periods in the Agreement for inspections, contingencies, covenants, close of escrow, and other obligations excluding those in this addendum shall begin as specified in the Agreement, or on the Day after Buyer Delivers to Seller any of the following: **(i)** Escrow Evidence for Buyer's Property, or **(ii)** Buyer's election in writing, signed by Buyer, to begin time periods, or **(iii)** Buyer's removal of this contingency for the sale of Buyer's Property.
 - B. BUYER'S DEPOSIT:** Buyer's deposit shall be delivered to escrow within the time specified in the Agreement, or within 3 business days after Buyer Delivers to Seller any of the following: **(i)** Escrow Evidence for Buyer's Property, or **(ii)** Buyer's election in writing, signed by Buyer, to begin time periods, or **(iii)** Buyer's removal of this Buyer's Property contingency.

By signing below, Buyer and Seller each acknowledge that they have read, understand, accept and have received a Copy of this Addendum.

Buyer _____ Date _____
 Buyer _____ Date _____
 Seller _____ Date: _____
 Seller _____ Date: _____

NOTICE TO REMOVE BUYER CONTINGENCIES AND PROVIDE PROOF OF FUNDS: Seller hereby gives notice to Buyer to **(i)** remove this Sale of Buyer's Property contingency; **(ii)** remove the loan contingency, if any; and **(iii)** provide verification of sufficient funds to close escrow without the sale of Buyer's Property. If Buyer fails to complete these actions within the time specified in **paragraph 7B**, Seller may then immediately cancel the Agreement in writing. (Note: This Notice to Remove Buyer Contingencies and Provide Proof of Funds is not to be delivered until the time specified in **Paragraph 7C**.)

Seller _____ Date: _____
 Seller _____ Date: _____

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**COMMERCIAL PURCHASE AGREEMENT
AND JOINT ESCROW INSTRUCTIONS**
(C.A.R. Form CPA, Revised 6/24)

Date Prepared: _____

1. OFFER:

A. THIS IS AN OFFER FROM _____ (“Buyer”).
Individual(s), A Corporation, A Partnership, An LLC, Other _____.

B. THE PROPERTY to be acquired is _____, situated
in _____ (City), _____ (County), California, _____ (Zip Code),
Assessor’s Parcel No(s) _____ (“Property”).
(Postal/Mailing address may be different from city jurisdiction. Buyer is advised to investigate.)

C. THE TERMS OF THE PURCHASE ARE SPECIFIED BELOW AND ON THE FOLLOWING PAGES.

D. Buyer and Seller are referred to herein as the “Parties.” Brokers and Agents are **not** Parties to this Agreement.

2. AGENCY:

A. DISCLOSURE: The Parties each acknowledge receipt of a “Disclosure Regarding Real Estate Agency Relationships” (C.A.R. Form AD) if represented by a real estate licensee. Buyer’s Agent is not legally required to give to Seller’s Agent the AD form Signed by Buyer. Seller’s Agent is not legally obligated to give to Buyer’s Agent the AD form Signed by Seller.

B. CONFIRMATION: The following agency relationships are hereby confirmed for this transaction.

Seller’s Brokerage Firm _____ License Number _____
Is the broker of (check one): the Seller; or both the Buyer and Seller (Dual Agent).

Seller’s Agent _____ License Number _____
Is (check one): the Seller’s Agent (Salesperson or broker associate); or both the Buyer’s and Seller’s Agent (Dual Agent).

Buyer’s Brokerage Firm _____ License Number _____
Is the broker of (check one): the Buyer; or both the Buyer and Seller (Dual Agent).

Buyer’s Agent _____ License Number _____
Is (check one): the Buyer’s Agent (Salesperson or broker associate); or both the Buyer’s and Seller’s Agent (Dual Agent).

C. More than one Brokerage represents Seller, Buyer. See, Additional Broker Acknowledgement (C.A.R. Form ABA).

D. POTENTIALLY COMPETING BUYERS AND SELLERS: The Parties each acknowledge receipt of a “Possible Representation of More than One Buyer or Seller - Disclosure and Consent” (C.A.R. Form PRBS).

3. TERMS OF PURCHASE AND ALLOCATION OF COSTS: The items in this paragraph are contractual terms of the Agreement. Referenced paragraphs provide further explanation. This form is 17 pages. The Parties are advised to read all 17 pages.

	Paragraph #	Paragraph Title or Contract Term	Terms and Conditions	Additional Terms
A	5, 5B (cash)	Purchase Price	\$ _____	<input type="checkbox"/> All Cash
B		Close Of Escrow (COE)	____ Days after Acceptance OR on _____ (date) (mm/dd/yyyy)	
C	39A	Expiration of Offer	3 calendar days after all Buyer Signature(s) or _____ (date) at 5PM or <input type="checkbox"/> AM/ <input type="checkbox"/> PM	
D(1)	5A(1)	Initial Deposit Amount	\$ _____ (____ % of purchase price) (% number above is for calculation purposes and is not a contractual term)	within 3 (or _____) business days after Acceptance by wire transfer OR <input type="checkbox"/> _____
D(2)	5A(2)	<input type="checkbox"/> Increased Deposit (Money placed into escrow after the initial deposit. Use form DID at time increased deposit is made.)	\$ _____ (____ % of purchase price) (% number above is for calculation purposes and is not a contractual term)	Upon removal of all contingencies OR <input type="checkbox"/> _____ (date) OR <input type="checkbox"/> _____
E(1)	5C(1)	Loan Amount(s): First Interest Rate Points If FHA or VA is checked, Deliver list of lender required repairs	\$ _____ (____ % of purchase price) Fixed rate or <input type="checkbox"/> Initial adjustable rate, • not to exceed _____ % • Buyer to pay up to _____ points to obtain rate above 17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	Conventional or, if checked, <input type="checkbox"/> Seller Financing <input type="checkbox"/> Assumed Financing <input type="checkbox"/> Subject To Financing <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____
E(2)	5C(2)	Additional Financed Amount Interest Rate Points	\$ _____ (____ % of purchase price) Fixed rate or <input type="checkbox"/> Initial adjustable rate • not to exceed _____ % • Buyer to pay up to _____ points to obtain rate above	Conventional or, if checked, <input type="checkbox"/> Seller Financing <input type="checkbox"/> Assumed Financing <input type="checkbox"/> Subject To Financing <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____
E(3)	7A	Occupancy Type	Investment	
F	5D	Balance of Down Payment	\$ _____	
		PURCHASE PRICE TOTAL	\$ _____	



Property Address: _____

Date: _____

	Paragraph #	Paragraph Title or Contract Term	Terms and Conditions	Additional Terms
G(1)	5E	Seller Credit, if any, to Buyer	<input type="checkbox"/> \$ _____ (_____ % of purchase price) (% number above is for calculation purposes and is not a contractual term)	Seller credit to be applied to closing costs OR <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____
G(2)	ADDITIONAL FINANCE TERMS: _____			
G(3)	21	<input type="checkbox"/> Seller agrees to pay the obligation of Buyer to compensate Buyer's Broker under a separate agreement (C.A.R. Form SPBB attached). Seller's Broker's offer, if any, to compensate Buyer's Broker is unaffected unless Otherwise Agreed		
H(1)	5B	Verification of All Cash (sufficient funds)	Attached to the offer or <input type="checkbox"/> 3 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	
H(2)	6A	Verification of Down Payment and Closing Costs	Attached to the offer or <input type="checkbox"/> 3 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	
H(3)	6B	Verification of Loan Application	Attached to the offer or <input type="checkbox"/> 3 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	<input type="checkbox"/> Prequalification <input type="checkbox"/> Preapproval
I	Intentionally Left Blank			
J	19	Final Verification of Condition	5 (or _____) Days prior to COE	
K	26	Assignment Request	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	
L	8	CONTINGENCIES	TIME TO REMOVE CONTINGENCIES	CONTINGENCY REMOVED
L(1)	8A	Loan(s)	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	<input type="checkbox"/> No loan contingency
L(2)	8B	Appraisal: Appraisal contingency based upon appraised value at a minimum of purchase price or <input type="checkbox"/> \$ _____	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	<input type="checkbox"/> No appraisal contingency Removal of appraisal contingency does not eliminate appraisal cancellation rights in FVAC.
L(3)	8C, 15	Investigation of Property	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	REMOVAL OR WAIVER OF CONTINGENCY: Any contingency in L(1)-L(8) may be removed or waived by checking the applicable box above or attaching a Contingency Removal (C.A.R. Form CR-B) and checking the applicable box therein. Removal or Waiver at time of offer is against Agent advice. See paragraph 8I. <input type="checkbox"/> CR attached
		Informational Access to Property	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance Buyer's right to access the Property for informational purposes only is NOT a contingency and does NOT create additional cancellation rights for Buyer.	
L(4)	8D	Insurance	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	
L(5)	8E, 17A	Review of Seller Documents	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance, or 5 Days after Delivery, whichever is later	
L(6)	8F, 16A	Preliminary ("Title") Report	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance or 5 Days after Delivery, whichever is later	
L(7)	8G, 11C	Common Interest Disclosures Per by Civil Code § 4525 or this Agreement	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance, or 5 Days after Delivery, whichever is later	
L(8)	8H, 9B(6)	Review of leased or liened items (E.g. solar panels or propane tanks)	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance, or 5 Days after Delivery, whichever is later	
L(9)	8K	Sale of Buyer's Property Sale of Buyer's property is not a contingency, UNLESS checked here: <input type="checkbox"/> C.A.R. Form COP attached		
M		Possession	Time for Performance	Additional Terms
M(1)		Vacant Units: Tenant Occupied Units being delivered subject to tenant rights	Upon notice of recordation On COE date	<input type="checkbox"/> Tenant Occupied Unit(s) to be delivered vacant (#s _____)
M(2)	7C	Seller Occupied	Upon Notice or recordation, OR <input type="checkbox"/> 6 PM or _____ <input type="checkbox"/> AM/ <input type="checkbox"/> PM COE date or, if checked below, <input type="checkbox"/> _____ days after COE (29 or fewer days) <input type="checkbox"/> _____ days after COE (30 or more days)	C.A.R. Form SIP attached if 29 or fewer days. C.A.R. Form CL attached if 30 or more days.
N		Documents/Fees/Compliance	Time for Performance	
N(1)	17A	Seller Delivery of Documents	7 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	
N(2)	22B	Sign and return Escrow Holder General Provisions, Supplemental Instructions	5 (or _____) Days after Delivery	
N(3)	11C(2)	Time to pay fees for ordering HOA Documents	3 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	
N(4)	10B(1)	Install smoke alarm(s), CO detector(s), water heater bracing	7 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	
N(5)	35	Evidence of representative authority	3 Days after Acceptance	



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P	Items Included and Excluded			
P(1)	9	Items Included - All items specified in Paragraph 9B are included and the following, if checked:		
		<input type="checkbox"/> _____	<input type="checkbox"/> _____	<input type="checkbox"/> _____
P(2)	9	Excluded Items:		
		<input type="checkbox"/> _____;	<input type="checkbox"/> _____;	<input type="checkbox"/> _____;
Q	Allocation of Costs			
	Paragraph #	Item Description	Who Pays (if Both is checked, cost to be split equally unless Otherwise Agreed)	Additional Terms
Q(1)	10A, 11D	Natural Hazard Zone Disclosure Report, including tax information	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Environmental <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Provided by: _____
Q(2)		Optional Wildfire Disclosure Report	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	Provided by: _____
Q(3)A Q(3)B	15B(1)(D)	Environmental Survey _____ Report	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
Q(4)	10B(1)	Smoke alarms, CO detectors, water heater bracing	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
Q(5)	10A 10B(2)	Government Required Point of Sale inspections, reports	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
Q(6)	10B(2)(A)	Government Required Point of Sale corrective/remedial actions	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
Q(7)	22B	Escrow Fees	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Each to pay their own fees	Escrow Holder: _____
Q(8)	16	Owner's title insurance policy	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	Title Company (If different from Escrow Holder): _____
Q(9)		Buyer's Lender title insurance policy	Buyer	Unless Otherwise Agreed, Buyer shall purchase any title insurance policy insuring Buyer's lender.
Q(10)		County transfer tax, fees	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
Q(11)		City transfer tax, fees	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
Q(12)	11C(2)	HOA fee for preparing disclosures	Seller	
Q(13)		HOA certification fee	Buyer	
Q(14)		HOA transfer fees	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	Unless Otherwise Agreed, Seller shall pay for separate HOA move-out fee and Buyer shall pay for separate move-in fee. Applies if separately billed or itemized with cost in transfer fee.
Q(15)		Private transfer fees	Seller, or if checked, <input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
Q(16)	10B(4)	Installation of safety features, required by law	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
Q(17)		_____ fees or costs	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
R	Additional Tenancy Documents: <input type="checkbox"/> Income and Expense Statements <input type="checkbox"/> Tenant Estoppel Certificate			
S	OTHER TERMS: _____ _____ _____			

4. PROPERTY ADDENDA AND ADVISORIES: (check all that apply)

A. PROPERTY TYPE ADDENDA: This Agreement is subject to the terms contained in the Addenda checked below:

- Probate Agreement Purchase Addendum (C.A.R. Form PA-PA) Residential Units Purchase Addendum (RU-PA)
 Other _____

B. OTHER ADDENDA: This Agreement is subject to the terms contained in the Addenda checked below:

- Addendum # _____ (C.A.R. Form ADM) Assumed Financing Addendum (C.A.R. Form AFA)
 Back Up Offer Addendum (C.A.R. Form BUO) Short Sale Addendum (C.A.R. Form SSA)
 Court Confirmation Addendum (C.A.R. Form CCA) Seller Intent to Exchange Addendum (C.A.R. Form SXA)
 Septic, Well, Property Monument and Propane Addendum (C.A.R. Form SWPI)
 Buyer Intent to Exchange Addendum (C.A.R. Form BXA)
 Other _____ Other _____



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C. BUYER AND SELLER ADVISORIES: (Note: All Advisories below are provided for reference purposes only and are not intended to be incorporated into this Agreement.)

- Buyer's Investigation Advisory (C.A.R. Form BIA)
- Wire Fraud Advisory (C.A.R. Form WFA)
- Wildfire Disaster Advisory (C.A.R. Form WFDA)
- Trust Advisory (C.A.R. Form TA)
- REO Advisory (C.A.R. Form REO)
- Other: _____
- Fair Housing and Discrimination Advisory (C.A.R. Form FHDA)
- Cal. Consumer Privacy Act Advisory (C.A.R. Form CCPA)
- (Parties may also receive a privacy disclosure from their own Agent.)
- Statewide Buyer and Seller Advisory (C.A.R. Form SBSA)
- Short Sale Information and Advisory (C.A.R. Form SSIA)
- Probate Advisory (C.A.R. Form PA)
- Other _____

5. ADDITIONAL TERMS AFFECTING PURCHASE PRICE: Buyer represents that funds will be good when deposited with Escrow Holder.

A. DEPOSIT:

- (1) **INITIAL DEPOSIT:** Buyer shall deliver deposit directly to Escrow Holder. If a method other than wire transfer is specified in **paragraph 3D(1)** and such method is unacceptable to Escrow Holder, then upon notice from Escrow Holder, delivery shall be by wire transfer.
- (2) **INCREASED DEPOSIT:** Increased deposit to be delivered to Escrow Holder in the same manner as the Initial Deposit. If the Parties agree to liquidated damages in this Agreement, they also agree to incorporate the increased deposit into the liquidated damages amount by signing a new liquidated damages clause (C.A.R. Form DID) at the time the increased deposit is delivered to Escrow Holder.
- (3) **RETENTION OF DEPOSIT: Paragraph 36, if initialed by all Parties or otherwise incorporated into this Agreement, specifies a remedy for Buyer's default. Buyer and Seller are advised to consult with a qualified California real estate attorney: (i) Before adding any other clause specifying a remedy (such as release or forfeiture of deposit or making a deposit non-refundable) for failure of Buyer to complete the purchase. Any such clause shall be deemed invalid unless the clause independently satisfies the statutory liquidated damages requirements set forth in the Civil Code; and (ii) Regarding possible liability and remedies if Buyer fails to deliver the deposit.**

B. ALL CASH OFFER: If an all cash offer is specified in **paragraph 3A**, no loan is needed to purchase the Property. This Agreement is NOT contingent on Buyer obtaining a loan. Buyer shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3H(1)**, Deliver written verification of funds sufficient for the purchase price and closing costs.

C. LOAN(S):

- (1) **FIRST LOAN:** This loan will provide for conventional financing **UNLESS** FHA, VA, Seller Financing (C.A.R. Form SFA), Subject To Financing, Assumed Financing, or Other is checked in **paragraph 3E(1)**.
- (2) **ADDITIONAL FINANCED AMOUNT:** If an additional financed amount is specified in **paragraph 3E(2)**, that amount will provide for conventional financing **UNLESS** Seller Financing (C.A.R. Form SFA), Subject To Financing, Assumed Financing, or Other is checked in **paragraph 3E(2)**.
- (3) **BUYER'S LOAN STATUS:** Buyer authorizes Seller and Seller's Authorized Agent to contact Buyer's lender(s) to determine the status of any Buyer's loan specified in **paragraph 3E**, or any alternate loan Buyer pursues, whether or not a contingency of this Agreement. If the contact information for Buyer's lender(s) is different from that provided under the terms of **paragraph 6B**, Buyer shall Deliver the updated contact information within 1 Day of Seller's request.
- (4) **ASSUMED OR SUBJECT TO FINANCING:** Seller represents that Seller is not delinquent on any payments due on any loans. If the Property is acquired subject to an existing loan, Buyer and Seller are advised to consult with legal counsel regarding the ability of an existing lender to call the loan due, and the consequences thereof.
- (5) Buyer shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3E(1)**, Deliver to Seller written notice (C.A.R. Form RR or AEA) **(i)** of any lender requirements that Buyer requests Seller to pay for or otherwise correct or **(ii)** that there are no lender requirements.

D. BALANCE OF PURCHASE PRICE (DOWN PAYMENT) (including all-cash funds) to be deposited with Escrow Holder pursuant to Escrow Holder instructions.

E. LIMITS ON CREDITS TO BUYER: Any credit to Buyer, from any source, for closing or other costs that is agreed to by the Parties ("Contractual Credit") shall be disclosed to Buyer's lender, if any, and made at Close Of Escrow. If the total credit allowed by Buyer's lender ("Lender Allowable Credit") is less than the Contractual Credit, then **(i)** the Contractual Credit from Seller shall be reduced to the Lender Allowable Credit, and **(ii)** in the absence of a separate written agreement between the Parties, there shall be no automatic adjustment to the purchase price to make up for the difference between the Contractual Credit and the Lender Allowable Credit.

6. ADDITIONAL FINANCING TERMS:

A. VERIFICATION OF DOWN PAYMENT AND CLOSING COSTS: Written verification of Buyer's down payment and closing costs may be made by Buyer or Buyer's lender or loan broker pursuant to **paragraph 6B**.

B. VERIFICATION OF LOAN APPLICATIONS: Buyer shall Deliver to Seller, within the time specified in **paragraph 3H(3)** a letter from Buyer's lender or loan broker stating that, based on a review of Buyer's written application and credit report, Buyer is prequalified or preapproved for any NEW loan specified in **paragraph 3E**. If any loan specified in **paragraph 3E** is an adjustable rate loan, the prequalification or preapproval letter shall be based on the qualifying rate, not the initial loan rate.

C. BUYER STATED FINANCING: Seller is relying on Buyer's representation of the type of financing specified (including, but not limited to, as applicable, all cash, amount of down payment, or contingent or non-contingent loan). Seller has agreed to a specific closing date, purchase price, and to sell to Buyer in reliance on Buyer's specified financing. Buyer shall pursue the financing specified in this Agreement, even if Buyer also elects to pursue an alternative form of financing. Seller has no obligation to cooperate with Buyer's efforts to obtain any financing other than that specified in this Agreement but shall not interfere with closing at the purchase price on the COE date (**paragraph 3B**) even if based upon alternate financing. Buyer's inability to obtain alternate financing does not excuse Buyer from the obligation to purchase the Property and close escrow as specified in this Agreement.

7. CLOSING AND POSSESSION:

A. OCCUPANCY: Buyer intends to occupy the Property as indicated in **paragraph 3E(3)**. Occupancy may impact available financing.



B. CONDITION OF PROPERTY ON CLOSING:

Unless Otherwise Agreed: (i) the Property shall be delivered "As-Is" in its PRESENT physical condition as of the date of Acceptance; (ii) the Property, including pool, spa, landscaping and grounds, is to be maintained in substantially the same condition as on the date of Acceptance; (iii) Except as specified in paragraph 9C, Seller is not responsible to repair any holes left after the removal of any wall hangings (such as pictures and mirrors), brackets, nails or other fastening devices; and (iv) all debris and personal property not included in the sale shall be removed by Close Of Escrow or at the time possession is delivered to Buyer, if not on the same date. If items are not removed when possession is delivered to Buyer, all items shall be deemed abandoned. Buyer, after first Delivering to Seller written notice to remove the items within 3 Days, may pay to have such items removed or disposed of and may bring legal action, as per this Agreement, to receive reasonable costs from Seller.

C. Buyer is strongly advised to conduct investigations of the entire Property in order to determine its present condition. Seller and Agents may not be aware of all defects affecting the Property or other factors that Buyer considers important. Property improvements may not be built according to code, in compliance with current Law, or have had all required permits issued and/or finalized.

D. SELLER REMAINING IN POSSESSION AFTER CLOSE OF ESCROW: If Seller has the right to remain in possession after Close Of Escrow pursuant to paragraph 3M(2) or as Otherwise Agreed, (i) the Parties are advised to consult with their insurance and legal advisors for information about liability and damage or injury to persons and personal and real property; (ii) Buyer is advised to consult with Buyer's lender about the impact of Seller's occupancy on Buyer's loan; and (iii) consult with a qualified California real estate attorney where the Property is located to determine the ongoing rights and responsibilities of both Buyer and Seller with regard to each other, including possible tenant rights, and what type of written agreement to use to document the relationship between the Parties.

E. At Close Of Escrow: (i) Seller assigns to Buyer any assignable warranty rights for items included in the sale; and (ii) Seller shall Deliver to Buyer available Copies of any such warranties. Agents cannot and will not determine the assignability of any warranties.

F. Seller shall, on Close Of Escrow unless Otherwise Agreed and even if Seller remains in possession, provide keys, passwords, codes and/or means to operate all locks, mailboxes, security systems, alarms, home automation systems, intranet and Internet-connected devices included in the purchase price, garage door openers, and all items included in either paragraph 3P or paragraph 9. If the Property is a condominium or located in a common interest development, Seller shall be responsible for securing or providing any such items for Association amenities, facilities, and access. Buyer may be required to pay a deposit to the Owners' Association ("HOA") to obtain keys and accessible HOA facilities.

8. CONTINGENCIES AND REMOVAL OF CONTINGENCIES:

A. LOAN(S):

(1) This Agreement is, unless otherwise specified in paragraph 3L(1) or an attached CR form, contingent upon Buyer obtaining the loan(s) specified. If contingent, Buyer shall act diligently and in good faith to obtain the designated loan(s). **If there is no appraisal contingency or the appraisal contingency has been waived or removed, then failure of the Property to appraise at the purchase price does not entitle Buyer to exercise the cancellation right pursuant to the loan contingency if Buyer is otherwise qualified for the specified loan and Buyer is able to satisfy lender's non-appraisal conditions for closing the loan.**

(2) Buyer is advised to investigate the insurability of the Property as early as possible, as this may be a requirement for lending. Buyer's ability to obtain insurance for the Property, including fire insurance, is part of Buyer's Insurance contingency. Failure of Buyer to obtain insurance may justify cancellation based on the Insurance contingency but not the loan contingency.

(3) Buyer's contractual obligations regarding deposit, balance of down payment and closing costs are not contingencies of this Agreement, unless Otherwise Agreed.

(4) If there is an appraisal contingency, removal of the loan contingency shall not be deemed removal of the appraisal contingency.

(5) **NO LOAN CONTINGENCY:** If "No loan contingency" is checked in paragraph 3L(1), obtaining any loan specified is NOT a contingency of this Agreement. If Buyer does not obtain the loan specified, and as a result is unable to purchase the Property, Seller may be entitled to Buyer's deposit or other legal remedies.

B. APPRAISAL:

(1) This Agreement is, unless otherwise specified in paragraph 3L(2) or an attached CR form, contingent upon a written appraisal of the Property by a licensed or certified appraiser at no less than the amount specified in paragraph 3L(2), without requiring repairs or improvements to the Property. Appraisals are often a reliable source to verify square footage of the subject Property. However, the ability to cancel based on the measurements provided in an appraisal falls within the Investigation of Property contingency. The appraisal contingency is solely limited to the value determined by the appraisal. For any cancellation based upon this appraisal contingency, Buyer shall Deliver a Copy of the written appraisal to Seller, upon request by Seller.

(2) **NO APPRAISAL CONTINGENCY:** If "No appraisal contingency" is checked in paragraph 3L(2), then Buyer may not use the loan contingency specified in paragraph 3L(1) to cancel this Agreement if the sole reason for not obtaining the loan is that the appraisal relied upon by Buyer's lender values the property at an amount less than that specified in paragraph 3L(2). If Buyer is unable to obtain the loan specified solely for this reason, Seller may be entitled to Buyer's deposit or other legal remedies.

(3) **Fair Appraisal Act:** See paragraph 38 for additional information.

C. INVESTIGATION OF PROPERTY: This Agreement is, as specified in paragraph 3L(3), contingent upon Buyer's acceptance of the condition of, and any other matter affecting, the Property.

D. INSURANCE: This Agreement is, as specified in paragraph 3L(4), contingent upon Buyer's assessment of the availability and approval of the cost for any insurance policy desired under this Agreement.

E. REVIEW OF SELLER DOCUMENTS: This Agreement is, as specified in paragraph 3L(5), contingent upon Buyer's review and approval of Seller's documents required in paragraph 16A.

F. TITLE:

(1) This Agreement is, as specified in paragraph 3L(6), contingent upon Buyer's ability to obtain the title policy provided for in paragraph 16G and on Buyer's review of a current Preliminary Report and items that are disclosed or observable even if not on record or not specified in the Preliminary Report, and satisfying Buyer regarding the current status of title. Buyer is advised to review all underlying documents and other matters affecting title, including, but not limited to, any documents or deeds referenced in the Preliminary Report and any plotted easements.

(2) Buyer has 5 Days after receipt to review a revised Preliminary Report, if any, furnished by the Title Company and cancel the transaction if the revised Preliminary Report reveals material or substantial deviations from a previously provided Preliminary Report.



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- G. CONDOMINIUM/PLANNED DEVELOPMENT DISCLOSURES (IF APPLICABLE):** This Agreement is, as specified in **paragraph 3L(7)**, contingent upon Buyer's review and approval of Common Interest Disclosures required by Civil Code § 4525 and under **paragraph 11C** ("CI Disclosures").
- H. BUYER REVIEW OF LEASED OR LIENED ITEMS CONTINGENCY:** Buyer's review of and ability and willingness to assume any lease, maintenance agreement or other ongoing financial obligation, or to accept the Property subject to any lien, disclosed pursuant to **paragraph 9B(6)**, is, as specified in **paragraph 3L(8)**, a contingency of this Agreement. Any assumption of the lease shall not require any financial obligation or contribution by Seller. Seller, after first Delivering a Notice to Buyer to Perform, may cancel this Agreement if Buyer, by the time specified in **paragraph 3L(8)**, refuses to enter into any necessary written agreements to accept responsibility for all obligations of Seller disclosed leased or lienied items.
- I. REMOVAL OR WAIVER OF CONTINGENCIES WITH OFFER:** Buyer shall have no obligation to remove a contractual contingency unless Seller has provided all required documents, reports, disclosures, and information pertaining to that contingency. If Buyer does remove a contingency without first receiving all required information from Seller, Buyer is relinquishing any contractual rights that apply to that contingency. **If Buyer removes or waives any contingencies without an adequate understanding of the Property's condition or Buyer's ability to purchase, Buyer is acting against the advice of Agent.**
- J. REMOVAL OF CONTINGENCY OR CANCELLATION:**
 - (1) **For any contingency specified in paragraph 3L, 8, or elsewhere, Buyer shall, within the applicable period specified, remove the contingency or cancel this Agreement.**
 - (2) For the contingencies for review of Seller Documents, Preliminary Report, and Condominium/Planned Development Disclosures, Buyer shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3L** or **5 Days** after Delivery of the applicable Seller Documents, Preliminary Report, or CI Disclosures, whichever occurs later, remove the applicable contingency in writing or cancel this Agreement.
 - (3) If Buyer does not remove a contingency within the time specified, Seller, after first giving Buyer a Notice to Buyer to Perform (C.A.R. Form NBP), shall have the right to cancel this Agreement.
- K. SALE OF BUYER'S PROPERTY:** This Agreement and Buyer's ability to obtain financing are NOT contingent upon the sale of any property owned by Buyer unless the Sale of Buyer's Property (C.A.R. Form COP) is checked as a contingency of this Agreement in **paragraph 3L(9)**.

9. ITEMS INCLUDED IN AND EXCLUDED FROM SALE:

A. NOTE TO BUYER AND SELLER: Items listed as included or excluded in the Multiple Listing Service (MLS), flyers, marketing materials, or disclosures are NOT included in the purchase price or excluded from the sale unless specified in this paragraph or **paragraph 3P** or as Otherwise Agreed. Any items included herein are components of the Property and are not intended to affect the price. All items are transferred without Seller warranty.

B. ITEMS INCLUDED IN SALE:

- (1) All EXISTING fixtures and fittings that are attached to the Property;
- (2) EXISTING electrical, mechanical, lighting, plumbing and heating fixtures, ceiling fans, fireplace inserts, gas logs and grates, solar power systems, built-in appliances and appliances for which special openings or encasements have been made (whether or not included in **paragraph 3P**), window and door screens, awnings, shutters, window coverings (which includes blinds, curtains, drapery, shutters or any other materials that cover any portion of the window) and any associated hardware and rods, attached floor coverings, television antennas, satellite dishes, air coolers/conditioners, pool/spa equipment (including, but not limited to, any cleaning equipment such as motorized/automatic pool cleaners, pool heaters, pool nets, pool covers), garage door openers/remote controls, mailbox, in-ground landscaping, water features and fountains, water softeners, water purifiers, light bulbs (including smart bulbs) and all items specified as included in **paragraph 3P, if currently existing and owned by Seller at the time of Acceptance.**
Note: If Seller does not intend to include any item specified as being included above because it is not owned by Seller, whether placed on the Property by Agent, stager, tenant, or other third party, the item should be listed as being excluded in **paragraph 3P(2)** or excluded by Seller in a counter offer.
- (3) Security System includes any devices, hardware, software, or control units used to monitor and secure the Property, including but not limited to, any motion detectors, door or window alarms, and any other equipment utilized for such purpose. If checked in **paragraph 3P**, all such items are included in the sale, whether hard wired or not. Buyer is advised to use **paragraph 3P(1)** or an addendum to address more directly specific items to be included. Seller is advised to use a counter offer to address more directly any items to be excluded.
- (4) Home Automation (Smart Home Features) includes any electronic devices and features including, but not limited to, thermostat controls, kitchen appliances not otherwise excluded, and lighting systems, that are connected (hard wired or wirelessly) to a control unit, computer, tablet, phone, or other "smart" device. Any Smart Home devices and features that are physically affixed to the real property, and also existing light bulbs, are included in the sale. Buyer is advised to use **paragraph 3P(1)** or an addendum to address more directly specific items to be included. Seller is advised to use a counter offer to address more directly any items to be excluded.
- (5) Non-Dedicated Devices: All smart home and security system control devices are included in the sale, except for any non-dedicated personal computer, tablet, or phone used to control such features. Buyer acknowledges that a separate device and access to wifi or Internet may be required to operate some smart home features and Buyer may have to obtain such device after Close Of Escrow. Seller shall de-list any devices from any personal accounts and shall cooperate with any transfer of services to Buyer. Buyer is advised to change all passwords and ensure the security of any smart home features.
- (6) **LEASED OR LIENED ITEMS AND SYSTEMS:** Seller, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, shall (i) disclose to Buyer if any item or system specified in **paragraph 3P** or **9B** or otherwise included in the sale is leased, or not owned by Seller, or is subject to any maintenance or other ongoing financial obligation, or specifically subject to a lien or other encumbrance or loan, and (ii) Deliver to Buyer all written materials (such as lease, warranty, financing, etc.) concerning any such item.
- (7) Seller represents that all items included in the purchase price, unless Otherwise Agreed, (i) are owned by Seller and shall be transferred free and clear of liens and encumbrances, except the items and systems identified pursuant to **paragraph 9B(6)**, and (ii) are transferred without Seller warranty regardless of value. Seller shall cooperate with the identification of any software or applications and Buyer's efforts to transfer any services needed to operate any Smart Home Features or other items included in this Agreement, including, but not limited to, utilities or security systems.
- (8) A complete inventory of all personal property of Seller currently used in the operation of the Property and included in the purchase price shall be delivered to Buyer within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**.
- (9) Seller shall deliver title to the personal property by Bill of Sale, free of all liens and encumbrances, and without warranty of condition.



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(10) As additional security for any note in favor of Seller for any part of the purchase price, Buyer shall execute a UCC-1 Financing Statement to be filed with the Secretary of State, covering the personal property included in the purchase, replacement thereof, and insurance proceeds.

C. ITEMS EXCLUDED FROM SALE: Unless Otherwise Agreed, the following items are excluded from sale: **(i)** All items specified in **paragraph 3P(2)**; **(ii)** audio and video components (such as flat screen TVs, speakers and other items) if any such item is not itself attached to the Property, even if a bracket or other mechanism attached to the component or item is attached to the Property; **(iii)** furniture and other items secured to the Property for earthquake or safety purposes. **Unless otherwise specified in paragraph 3P(1), brackets attached to walls, floors or ceilings for any such component, furniture or item will be removed and holes or other damage shall be repaired, but not painted.**

10. ALLOCATION OF COSTS:

A. INSPECTIONS, REPORTS, TESTS, AND CERTIFICATES: Paragraphs **3Q(1-3)** and **(5)** only determines who is to pay for the inspection, report, test, certificate or service mentioned; **it does not determine who is to pay for any work recommended or identified in any such document. Agreements for payment of required work should be specified elsewhere in paragraph 3Q, or 3S, or in a separate agreement (such as C.A.R. Forms RR, RRRR, ADM or AEA).** Any reports in these paragraphs shall be Delivered in the time specified in **Paragraph 3N(1)**.

B. GOVERNMENT REQUIREMENTS AND CORRECTIVE OR REMEDIAL ACTIONS:

(1) **LEGALLY REQUIRED INSTALLATIONS AND PROPERTY IMPROVEMENTS:** Any required installation of smoke alarm or carbon monoxide device(s) or securing of water heater shall be completed within **the time specified in paragraph 3N(4)**. If Buyer is to pay for these items, Buyer, as instructed by Escrow Holder, shall deposit funds into escrow or directly to the vendor completing the repair or installation. Prior to Close Of Escrow, Seller shall Deliver to Buyer written statement(s) of compliance in accordance with any Law, unless Seller is exempt. If Seller is to pay for these items and does not fulfill Seller's obligation in the time specified, and Buyer incurs costs to comply with lender requirements concerning those items, Seller shall be responsible for Buyer's costs.

(2) **POINT OF SALE REQUIREMENTS:**

(A) Point of sale inspections, reports and repairs refer to any such actions required to be completed before or after Close Of Escrow that are required in order to close under any Law. Unless Parties Otherwise Agree to another time period, any such repair, shall be completed prior to final verification of Property. If Buyer agrees to pay for any portion of such repair, Buyer, shall **(i)** directly pay to the vendor completing the repair or **(ii)** provide an invoice to Escrow Holder, deposit funds into escrow sufficient to pay for Buyer's portion of such repair and request Escrow Holder pay the vendor completing the repair.

(B) Buyer shall be provided, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, unless Parties Otherwise Agree to another time period, a Copy of any required government-conducted or point-of-sale inspection report prepared pursuant to this Agreement or in anticipation of this sale of the Property.

(3) **REINSPECTION FEES:** If any repair in **paragraph 10B(1)** is not completed within the time specified and the lender requires an additional inspection to be made, Seller shall be responsible for any corresponding reinspection fee. If Buyer incurs costs to comply with lender requirements concerning those items, Seller shall be responsible for those costs.

(4) **INSTALLATION OF SAFETY FEATURES:**

(A) The following installations shall be completed prior to final verification of condition unless Otherwise Agreed: **(i)** approved fire extinguisher(s), sprinkler(s), and hose(s), if required by law; and **(ii)** drain cover and anti-entrapment device or system meeting the minimum requirements permitted by the U.S. Consumer Products and Safety Commission for any pool or spa.

(B) If Buyer is to pay for these installations, Buyer, as instructed by Escrow Holder, shall deposit funds into escrow or directly to the vendor completing the installation.

(5) **INFORMATION AND ADVICE ON REQUIREMENTS:** Buyer and Seller are advised to seek information from a knowledgeable source regarding local and State mandates and whether they are point of sale requirements or requirements of ownership. Agents do not have expertise in this area and cannot ascertain all of the requirements or costs of compliance.

11. SELLER DISCLOSURES:

A. WITHHOLDING TAXES: Buyer and Seller hereby instruct Escrow Holder to withhold the applicable required amounts to comply with federal and California withholding Laws and forward such amounts to the Internal Revenue Service and Franchise Tax Board, respectively. However, no federal withholding is required if, prior to Close Of Escrow, Seller Delivers **(i)** to Buyer and Escrow Holder a fully completed affidavit (C.A.R. Form AS) sufficient to avoid withholding pursuant to federal withholding Law (FIRPTA); **OR (ii)** to a qualified substitute (usually a title company or an independent escrow company) a fully completed affidavit (C.A.R. Form AS) sufficient to avoid withholding pursuant to federal withholding Law AND the qualified substitute Delivers to Buyer and Escrow Holder an affidavit signed under penalty of perjury (C.A.R. Form QS) that the qualified substitute has received the fully completed Seller's affidavit and the Seller states that no federal withholding is required; **OR (iii)** to Buyer other documentation satisfying the requirements under Internal Revenue Code § 1445 (FIRPTA). No withholding is required under California Law if, prior to Close Of Escrow, Escrow Holder has received sufficient documentation from Seller that no withholding is required, and Buyer has been informed by Escrow Holder.

B. NOTICE REGARDING GAS AND HAZARDOUS LIQUID TRANSMISSION PIPELINES: This notice is being provided simply to inform you that information about the general location of gas and hazardous liquid transmission pipelines is available to the public via the National Pipeline Mapping System (NPMS) Internet Web site maintained by the United States Department of Transportation at <http://www.npms.phmsa.dot.gov/>. To seek further information about possible transmission pipelines near the Property, you may contact your local gas utility or other pipeline operators in the area. Contact information for pipeline operators is searchable by ZIP Code and county on the NPMS Internet Website. (Neither Seller nor Agent are required to check this website. If Buyer wants further information, Agent recommends that Buyer obtain information from this website during Buyer's investigation contingency period. Agents do not have expertise in this area.)

C. CONDOMINIUM/PLANNED DEVELOPMENT DISCLOSURES:

(1) Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, disclose to Buyer whether the Property is a condominium or is located in a planned development, other common interest development, or otherwise subject to covenants, conditions, and restrictions (C.A.R. Form **CSPQ**).



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- (2) If the Property is a condominium or is located in a planned development or other common interest development with a HOA, Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(3)**, order from, and pay any required fee for the following items to the HOA (C.A.R. Form HOA-IR): **(i)** Copies of any documents required by Law (C.A.R. Form HOA-RS); **(ii)** disclosure of any pending or anticipated claim or litigation by or against the HOA; **(iii)** a statement containing the location and number of designated parking and storage spaces; **(iv)** Copies of the most recent 12 months of HOA minutes for regular and special meetings; **(v)** the names and contact information of all HOAs governing the Property; **(vi)** pet restrictions; and **(vii)** smoking restrictions ("CI Disclosures"). Seller shall itemize and Deliver to Buyer all CI Disclosures received from the HOA and any CI Disclosures in Seller's possession. Seller shall, as directed by Escrow Holder, deposit funds into escrow or direct to HOA or management company to pay for any of the above.
- D. SOLAR SYSTEMS:** For properties with any solar panels or solar power systems, Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, Deliver to Buyer all known information about the solar panels or solar system. Seller shall use the Solar Advisory and Questionnaire (C.A.R. Form SOLAR).
- E. NATURAL AND ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS:** Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, if required by Law: **(i)** Deliver to Buyer the earthquake guide and environmental hazards booklet, and for all residential property with 1-4 units and any manufactured or mobile home built before January 1, 1960, fully complete and Deliver the Residential Earthquake Risk Disclosure Statement; and **(ii)** even if exempt from the obligation to provide a NHD, disclose if the Property is located in a Special Flood Hazard Area; Potential Flooding (Inundation) Area; Very High Fire Hazard Zone; State Fire Responsibility Area; Earthquake Fault Zone; Seismic Hazard Zone; and **(iii)** disclose any other zone as required by Law and provide any other information required for those zones.
- F. WATER CONSERVING PLUMBING DEVICES:** Civil Code § 1101.5 requires all multi-family residential and commercial real property be equipped with water-conserving plumbing devices. Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, disclose in writing whether the property includes any noncompliant plumbing fixtures. Seller may use C.A.R. Form SPQ or ESD. See C.A.R. Form WCMD for more information.
- G. SURVEY, PLANS, AND ENGINEERING DOCUMENTS:** Seller, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, shall provide to Buyer, Copies of surveys, plans, specifications, and engineering documents, if any, prepared on Seller's behalf on in Seller's possession.
- H. PERMITS:** Seller, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, shall provide to Buyer, if in Seller's possession, copies of all permits and approvals, certificates of occupancy, conditional use permits, development plans, and licenses and permits pertaining to the operation of the Property.
- I. STRUCTURAL MODIFICATIONS:** Seller, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, shall in writing disclose to Buyer, known structural additions or alterations to, or the installation, alteration, repair or replacement of, significant components of the structure(s) upon the Property.
- J. GOVERNMENTAL COMPLIANCE:** Within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**,
 - (1) Seller shall disclose to Buyer any improvements, additions, alterations, or repairs to the Property made by Seller, or known to Seller to have been made, without required governmental permits, final inspections, and approvals
 - (2) Seller shall disclose to Buyer if Seller has actual knowledge of any notice of violations of Law filed or issued against the Property.
- K. VIOLATION NOTICES:** Within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, Seller shall disclose any notice of violations of any Law filed or issued against the Property and actually known to Seller
- L. BALCONIES, EXTERIOR STAIRWAYS AND OTHER ELEVATED ELEMENTS:** For properties with any building containing 3 or more dwelling units with elevated balconies, stairways or other elements, Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, Deliver to Buyer the **Wooden Balcony and Stairs Addendum (C.A.R. Form WBSA)**.
- M. KNOWN MATERIAL FACTS:** Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, DISCLOSE KNOWN MATERIAL FACTS AND DEFECTS affecting the Property, including, but not limited to, known insurance claims within the past five years, or provide Buyer with permission to contact insurer to get such information (C.A.R. Form ARC), and make any and all other disclosures required by Law.
- N. COMMERCIAL SELLER PROPERTY QUESTIONNAIRE:** Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, complete and provide Buyer with a Commercial Seller Property Questionnaire (C.A.R. Form CSPQ).
- O. SUBSEQUENT DISCLOSURES:** In the event Seller, prior to Close Of Escrow, becomes aware of adverse conditions materially affecting the Property, or any material inaccuracy in disclosures, information, or representations previously provided to Buyer, Seller shall promptly Deliver a subsequent or amended disclosure or notice, in writing, covering those items. **However, a subsequent or amended disclosure shall not be required for conditions and material inaccuracies of which Buyer is otherwise aware or which are disclosed in reports provided to or obtained by Buyer or ordered and paid for by Buyer.**
- 12. TENANCY RELATED DISCLOSURES:** Within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, and subject to Buyer's right of review, Seller shall disclose, make available or Deliver, as applicable, to Buyer, the following information:
 - A. RENTAL/SERVICE AGREEMENTS:** **(i)** All current leases, rental agreements, service contracts, and other agreements pertaining to the operation of the Property; **(ii)** A rental statement including names of tenants, rental rates, period or rental, date of last rent increase, security deposits, rental concessions, rebates or other benefits, if any, and a list of delinquent rents and their duration. Seller represents that no tenant is entitled to any rebate, concession, or other benefit, except as set forth in these documents. Seller represents that the documents to be furnished are those maintained in the ordinary and normal course of business.
 - B. INCOME AND EXPENSE STATEMENTS:** If checked in **paragraph 3R**, the books and records for the Property, if any, including a statement of income and expense for the 12 months preceding Acceptance. Seller represents that the books and records are those maintained in the ordinary and normal course of business and used by Seller in the computation of federal and state income tax returns.
 - C. TENANT ESTOPPEL CERTIFICATES:** If checked in **paragraph 3R**, Tenant Estoppel Certificates (C.A.R. Form TEC). Tenant Estoppel Certificates shall be completed by Seller or Seller's agent and delivered to tenant(s) for tenant(s) to sign and acknowledge: **(i)** that tenant(s)' rental or lease agreements are unmodified and in full force and effect, (or if modified, stating all such modifications); **(ii)** that no lessor defaults exist; and **(iii)** stating the amount of any prepaid rent or security deposit. Seller shall exercise good faith to obtain tenant(s)' signature(s), but Seller cannot guarantee tenant(s)' cooperation. In the event Seller cannot obtain signed Tenant Estoppel Certificates within the time specified above, Seller shall notify Buyer and provide the unsigned one that was provided to tenant(s). If, after the time specified for Seller to Deliver the TEC to Buyer, any tenant(s) sign and return a TEC to Seller, Seller shall Deliver that TEC to Buyer.



- D. SELLER REPRESENTATIONS:** Unless otherwise disclosed under **paragraph 11, paragraph 12**, or under any disclosure Delivered to Buyer:
- (1) Seller represents that Seller has no actual knowledge that any tenant(s): **(i)** has any current pending lawsuit(s), investigation(s), Inquiry(ies), action(s), or other proceeding(s) affecting the Property of the right to use and occupy it; **(ii)** has any unsatisfied mechanics or materialman lien(s) affecting the Property; and **(iii)** is the subject of a bankruptcy. If Seller receives any such notice, prior to Close Of Escrow, Seller shall immediately notify Buyer.
 - (2) Seller represents that no tenant is entitled to any rebate, concessions, or other benefit, except as set forth in the rental service agreements.
 - (3) Seller represents that the documents to be furnished are those maintained in the ordinary and normal course of business and the income and expense statements are and used by Seller in the computation of federal and state income tax returns.
- 13. CHANGES DURING ESCROW:**
- A.** Prior to Close Of Escrow, Seller may engage in the following acts (“Proposed Changes”), subject to Buyer’s rights in **paragraph 13B**: **(i)** rent or lease any vacant unit or other part of the premises; **(ii)** alter, modify, or extend any existing rental or lease agreement; **(iii)** enter into, alter, modify, or extend any service contract(s); or **(iv)** change the status of the condition of the Property.
 - B.**
 - (1) At least **7 Days** prior to any Proposed Changes, Seller shall Deliver written notice to Buyer of such Proposed Change
 - (2) Within **5 Days** after receipt of such notice, Buyer, in writing, may give Seller notice of Buyer’s objection to the Proposed Changes in which case Seller shall not make the Proposed Changes.
- 14. SECURITY DEPOSITS AND UNEARNED RENT:** Security deposits, if any, to the extent they have not been applied by Seller in accordance with any rental agreement and current Law, **and all prepaid but unearned rents, if any**, shall be transferred to Buyer on Close Of Escrow. Seller shall notify each tenant **regarding the security deposit**, in compliance with the California Civil Code.
- 15. BUYER’S INVESTIGATION OF PROPERTY AND MATTERS AFFECTING PROPERTY:**
- A.** Buyer shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3L(3)**, have the right, at Buyer’s expense unless Otherwise Agreed, to conduct inspections, investigations, tests, surveys and other studies (“Buyer Investigations”).
 - B.** Buyer Investigations include, but are not limited to:
 - (1) Inspections regarding any physical attributes of the Property or items connected to the Property, such as:
 - (A) A general inspection.
 - (B) An inspection for lead-based paint and other lead-based paint hazards.
 - (C) An inspection specifically for wood destroying pests and organisms. Any inspection for wood destroying pests and organisms shall be prepared by a registered Structural Pest Control company; shall cover the main building and attached structures; may cover detached structures; shall NOT include water tests of shower pans on upper level units unless the owners of property below the shower consent; shall NOT include roof coverings; and, if the Property is a unit in a condominium or other common interest subdivision, the inspection shall include only the separate interest and any exclusive-use areas being transferred, and shall NOT include common areas; and shall include a report (“Pest Control Report”) showing the findings of the company which shall be separated into sections for evident infestation or infections (Section 1) and for conditions likely to lead to infestation or infection (Section 2).
 - (D) A phase one environmental survey, paid for and obtained by the party indicated in **paragraph 3Q(3)A**. If Buyer is responsible for obtaining and paying for the survey, Buyer shall act diligently and in good faith to obtain such survey within the time specified in **paragraph 3L(3)**. Buyer has **5 Days** after receiving the survey to remove this portion of the Buyer’s Investigation contingency.
 - (2) Investigations of any other matter affecting the Property, other than those that are specified as separate contingencies. Buyer Investigations **do not** include, **among other things, an assessment** of the availability and cost of general homeowner’s insurance, flood insurance, and fire insurance. See, Buyer’s Investigation Advisory (C.A.R. Form BIA) for more.
 - C.** Without Seller’s prior written consent, Buyer shall neither make nor cause to be made: **(i)** invasive or destructive Buyer Investigations, except for minimally invasive testing required to prepare a Pest Control Report, which shall not include any holes or drilling through stucco or similar material; or **(ii)** inspections by any governmental building or zoning inspector or government employee, unless required by Law.
 - D.** Seller shall make the Property available for all Buyer Investigations. Seller is not obligated to move any existing personal property. Seller shall have water, gas, electricity and all operable pilot lights on for Buyer’s Investigations and through the date possession is delivered to Buyer. Buyer shall, **(i)** by the time specified in **paragraph 3L(3)**, complete Buyer Investigations and satisfy themselves as to the condition of the Property, and either remove the contingency or cancel this Agreement, and **(ii)** by the time specified in **paragraph 3L(3)** or **3 Days** after receipt of any Investigation report, whichever is later, give Seller at no cost, complete Copies of all such reports obtained by Buyer, which obligation shall survive the termination of this Agreement. This Delivery of Investigation reports shall not include any appraisal, except an appraisal received in connection with an FHA or VA loan.
 - E. Buyer indemnity and Seller protection for entry upon the Property:** Buyer shall: **(i)** keep the Property free and clear of liens; **(ii)** repair all damage arising from Buyer Investigations; and **(iii)** indemnify and hold Seller harmless from all resulting liability, claims, demands, damages and costs. Buyer shall carry, or Buyer shall require anyone acting on Buyer’s behalf to carry, policies of liability, workers’ compensation and other applicable insurance, defending and protecting Seller from liability for any injuries to persons or property occurring during any Buyer Investigations or work done on the Property at Buyer’s direction prior to Close Of Escrow. Seller is advised that certain protections may be afforded Seller by recording a “Notice of Non-Responsibility” (C.A.R. Form NNR) for Buyer Investigations and work done on the Property at Buyer’s direction. Buyer’s obligations under this paragraph shall survive the termination of this Agreement.
- 16. TITLE AND VESTING:**
- A.** Buyer shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, be provided a current Preliminary Report by the person responsible for paying for the title report in **paragraph 3Q(8)**. If Buyer is responsible for paying, Buyer shall act diligently and in good faith to obtain such Preliminary Report within the time specified. The Preliminary Report is only an offer by the title insurer to issue a policy of title insurance and may not contain every item affecting title. The company providing the Preliminary Report shall, prior to issuing a Preliminary Report, conduct a search of the General Index for all Sellers except banks or other institutional lenders selling properties they acquired through foreclosure (REOs), corporations, and government entities.
 - B.** Title is taken in its present condition subject to all encumbrances, easements, covenants, conditions, restrictions, rights and other matters, whether of record or not, as of the date of Acceptance except for: **(i)** monetary liens of record unless Buyer is assuming those obligations or taking the Property subject to those obligations; and **(ii)** those matters which Seller has agreed to remove in writing. For any lien or matter not being transferred upon sale, Seller will take necessary action to deliver title free and clear of such lien or matter.
 - C.** Seller shall within **7 Days** after request, give Escrow Holder necessary information to clear title.
 - D.** Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, disclose to Buyer all matters known to Seller affecting title, whether of record or not.

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- E. If Buyer is a legal entity and the Property purchase price is at least \$300,000 and the purchase price is made without a bank loan or similar form of external financing, a Geographic Targeting Order (GTO) issued by the Financial Crimes Enforcement Network, U.S. Department of the Treasury, requires title companies to collect and report certain information about the Buyer, depending on where the Property is located. Buyer agrees to cooperate with the title company's effort to comply with the GTO.
 - F. Buyer shall, after Close Of Escrow, receive a recorded grant deed or any other conveyance document required to convey title (For example, for stock cooperative or tenancy in common, respectively, an assignment of stock certificate or assignment of seller's interest in the real property), including oil, mineral and water rights if currently owned by Seller. Title shall vest as designated in Buyer's vesting instructions. The recording document shall contain Buyer's post-closing mailing address to enable Buyer's receipt of the recorded conveyance document from the County Recorder. THE MANNER OF TAKING TITLE MAY HAVE SIGNIFICANT LEGAL AND TAX CONSEQUENCES. CONSULT AN APPROPRIATE PROFESSIONAL.
 - G. Buyer shall receive a Standard Coverage Owner's CLTA policy of title insurance. An ALTA policy or the addition of endorsements may provide greater coverage for Buyer. A title company, at Buyer's request, can provide information about the availability, desirability, coverage, and cost of various title insurance coverages and endorsements. If Buyer desires title coverage other than that required by this paragraph, Buyer shall instruct Escrow Holder in writing and shall pay any increase in cost.
- 17. TIME PERIODS; REMOVAL OF CONTINGENCIES; CANCELLATION RIGHTS: The following time periods may only be extended, altered, modified or changed by mutual written agreement. Any removal of contingencies or cancellation under this paragraph by either Buyer or Seller must be exercised in good faith and in writing (C.A.R. Form CR-B, CR-S or CC).**
- A. **SELLER DELIVERY OF DOCUMENTS:** Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, Deliver to Buyer all reports, disclosures and information ("Reports") for which Seller is responsible as specified in **paragraphs 9B(6), 9B(8), 10, 11A, 11C-M, 12, 16A, 16D, and 35**.
 - B. **BUYER REVIEW OF DOCUMENTS; REPAIR REQUEST; CONTINGENCY REMOVAL OR CANCELLATION**
 - (1) Buyer has the time specified in **paragraph 3** to perform Buyer Investigations; review all disclosures, Reports, lease documents to be assumed by Buyer pursuant to **paragraph 9B(6)**, and other applicable information, which Buyer receives from Seller; and approve all matters affecting the Property.
 - (2) Buyer may, within the time specified in **paragraph 3L(3)**, request that Seller make repairs or take any other action regarding the Property (C.A.R. Form RR). Seller has no obligation to agree to or respond to Buyer's requests (C.A.R. Form RR or RRRR). If Seller does not agree or does not respond, Buyer is not contractually entitled to have the repairs or other requests made and may only cancel based on contingencies in this Agreement.
 - (3) Buyer shall, by the end of the times specified in **paragraph 3L** (or as Otherwise Agreed), Deliver to Seller a removal of the applicable contingency or cancellation of this Agreement (C.A.R. Form CR-B or CC). **Buyer is advised not to remove contingencies related to review of documents until after the documents have been Delivered.** If Delivery of any Report occurs after a contractual contingency pertaining to that Report has already been waived or removed, the Delivery of the Report does not revive the contingency but there may be a right to terminate for a subsequent or amended disclosure under **paragraph 11L**.
 - (4) **Continuation of Contingency:** Even after the end of the time specified in **paragraph 3L** and before Seller cancels, if at all, pursuant to **paragraph 17C**, Buyer retains the right, in writing, to either **(i)** remove remaining contingencies, or **(ii)** cancel this Agreement based on a remaining contingency. Once Buyer's written removal of all contingencies is Delivered to Seller, Seller may not cancel this Agreement pursuant to **paragraph 17C(1)**.
 - C. **SELLER RIGHT TO CANCEL:**
 - (1) **SELLER RIGHT TO CANCEL; BUYER CONTINGENCIES:** If, by the time specified in this Agreement, Buyer does not Deliver to Seller a removal of the applicable contingency or cancellation of this Agreement, then Seller, after first Delivering to Buyer a Notice to Buyer to Perform (C.A.R. Form NBP), may cancel this Agreement. In such event, Seller shall authorize the return of Buyer's deposit, except for fees incurred by Buyer.
 - (2) **SELLER RIGHT TO CANCEL; BUYER CONTRACT OBLIGATIONS:** Seller, after first Delivering to Buyer a Notice to Buyer to Perform, may cancel this Agreement if, by the time specified in this Agreement, Buyer does not take the following action(s): **(i)** Deposit funds as required by **paragraph 3D(1)** or **3D(2)** or if the funds deposited pursuant to **paragraph 3D(1)** or **3D(2)** are not good when deposited; **(ii)** Deliver updated contact information for Buyer's lender(s) as required by **paragraph 5C(3)**; **(iii)** Deliver a notice of FHA or VA costs or terms, if any, as specified by **paragraph 5C(5)** (C.A.R. Form RR); **(iv)** Deliver verification, or a satisfactory verification if Seller reasonably disapproves of the verification already provided, as required by **paragraph 5B** or **6A**; **(v)** Deliver a letter as required by **paragraph 6B**; **(vi)** In writing assume or accept leases or liens specified in **paragraph 8H**; **(vii)** Cooperate with the title company's effort to comply with the GTO as required by **paragraph 16E**; **(viii)** Sign or initial a separate liquidated damages form for an increased deposit as required by **paragraph 5A(2)** and **36**; **(ix)** Provide evidence of authority to Sign in a representative capacity as specified in **paragraph 35**; or **(x)** Perform any additional Buyer contractual obligation(s) included in this Agreement. In such event, Seller shall authorize the return of Buyer's deposit, except for fees allocated to Seller in this Agreement and already paid by Escrow prior to cancellation of this Agreement and notification to Escrow.
 - (3) **SELLER RIGHT TO CANCEL; SELLER CONTINGENCIES:** Seller may cancel this Agreement by good faith exercise of any Seller contingency included in this Agreement, or Otherwise Agreed, so long as that contingency has not already been removed or waived in writing.
 - D. **BUYER RIGHT TO CANCEL:**
 - (1) **BUYER RIGHT TO CANCEL; SELLER CONTINGENCIES:** If, by the time specified in this Agreement, Seller does not Deliver to Buyer a removal of the applicable contingency or cancellation of this Agreement, then Buyer, after first Delivering to Seller a Notice to Seller to Perform (C.A.R. Form NSP), may cancel this Agreement. In such event, Seller shall authorize the return of Buyer's deposit, except for fees allocated to Seller in the Agreement and already paid by Escrow prior to cancellation of this Agreement and notification to Escrow.
 - (2) **BUYER RIGHT TO CANCEL; SELLER CONTRACT OBLIGATIONS:** If, by the time specified, Seller has not Delivered any item specified in **paragraph 3N(1)** or Seller has not performed any Seller contractual obligation included in this Agreement by the time specified, Buyer, after first Delivering to Seller a Notice to Seller to Perform, may cancel this Agreement.
 - (3) **BUYER RIGHT TO CANCEL; BUYER CONTINGENCIES:** Buyer may cancel this Agreement by good faith exercise of any Buyer contingency included in **paragraph 8**, or Otherwise Agreed, so long as that contingency has not already been removed in writing.



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- E. NOTICE TO BUYER OR SELLER TO PERFORM:** The Notice to Buyer to Perform or Notice to Seller to Perform shall: **(i)** be in writing; **(ii)** be Signed by the applicable Buyer or Seller; and **(iii)** give the other Party at least **2 Days** after Delivery (or until the time specified in the applicable paragraph, whichever occurs last) to take the applicable action. A Notice to Buyer to Perform or Notice to Seller to Perform may not be Delivered any earlier than **2 Days** prior to the Scheduled Performance Day to remove a contingency or cancel this Agreement or meet an obligation specified in **paragraph 17, except for Close of Escrow which shall be Delivered under the terms of paragraph 17G**, whether or not the Scheduled Performance Day falls on a Saturday, or Sunday or legal holiday. If a Notice to Buyer to Perform or Notice to Seller to Perform is incorrectly Delivered or specifies a time less than the agreed time, the notice shall be deemed invalid and void. **However, if the notice is for multiple items, the notice shall be valid for all contingencies and contractual actions for which the Delivery of the notice is within the time permitted in the Agreement and void as to the others.** Seller or Buyer shall be required to Deliver a new Notice to Buyer to Perform or Notice to Seller to Perform with the specified timeframe.
- F. EFFECT OF REMOVAL OF CONTINGENCIES:**
- (1) **REMOVAL OF BUYER CONTINGENCIES:** If Buyer removes any contingency or cancellation rights, unless Otherwise Agreed, Buyer shall conclusively be deemed to have: **(i)** completed all Buyer Investigations, and review of Reports and other applicable information and disclosures pertaining to that contingency or cancellation right; **(ii)** elected to proceed with the transaction; and **(iii)** assumed all liability, responsibility and expense for the non-delivery of any Reports, disclosures or information outside of Seller's control and for any Repairs or corrections pertaining to that contingency or cancellation right, or for the inability to obtain financing.
- (2) **REMOVAL OF SELLER CONTINGENCIES:** If Seller removes any contingency or cancellation rights, unless Otherwise Agreed, Seller shall conclusively be deemed to have: **(i)** satisfied themselves regarding such contingency, **(ii)** elected to proceed with the transaction; and **(iii)** given up any right to cancel this Agreement based on such contingency.
- G. DEMAND TO CLOSE ESCROW:** Before Buyer or Seller may cancel this Agreement for failure of the other Party to close escrow pursuant to this Agreement, Buyer or Seller must first Deliver to the other Party a Demand to Close Escrow (C.A.R. Form DCE). The DCE shall: **(i)** be Signed by the applicable Buyer or Seller; and **(ii)** give the other Party at least **3 Days** after Delivery to close escrow. A DCE may not be Delivered any earlier than **3 Days** prior to the Scheduled Performance Day for the Close Of Escrow. If a DCE is incorrectly Delivered or specifies a time less than the agreed time, the DCE shall be deemed invalid and void and Seller or Buyer shall be required to Deliver a new DCE.
- H. EFFECT OF CANCELLATION ON DEPOSITS:** If Buyer or Seller gives written notice of cancellation pursuant to rights duly exercised under the terms of this Agreement, the Parties agree to Sign and Deliver mutual instructions to cancel the sale and escrow and release deposits, if any, to the Party entitled to the funds, less **(i)** fees and costs paid by Escrow Holder on behalf of that Party, if required by this Agreement; and **(ii)** any escrow fee charged to that party. Fees and costs may be payable to service providers and vendors for services and products provided during escrow. **A release of funds will require mutual Signed release instructions from the Parties, judicial decision or arbitration award. A Party may be subject to a civil penalty of up to \$1,000 for refusal to Sign cancellation instructions if no good faith dispute exists as to which Party is entitled to the deposited funds (Civil Code § 1057.3). Note: Neither Agents nor Escrow Holder are qualified to provide any opinion on whether either Party has acted in good faith or which Party is entitled to the deposited funds. Buyer and Seller are advised to seek the advice of a qualified California real estate attorney regarding this matter.**
- 18. REPAIRS:** Repairs shall be completed prior to final verification of condition unless Otherwise Agreed. Repairs to be performed at Seller's expense may be performed by Seller or through others, provided that the work complies with applicable Law, including governmental permit, inspection and approval requirements. Repairs shall be performed in a good, skillful manner with materials of quality and appearance comparable to existing materials. Buyer acknowledges that exact restoration of appearance or cosmetic items following all Repairs may not be possible. Seller shall: **(i)** obtain invoices and paid receipts for Repairs performed by others; **(ii)** prepare a written statement indicating the Repairs performed by Seller and the date of such Repairs; and **(iii)** provide Copies of invoices and paid receipts and statements to Buyer prior to final verification of condition.
- 19. FINAL VERIFICATION OF CONDITION:** Buyer shall have the right to make a final verification of the Property condition within the time specified in **paragraph 3J**, NOT AS A CONTINGENCY OF THE SALE, but solely to confirm: **(i)** the Property is maintained pursuant to **paragraph 7B**; **(ii)** Repairs have been completed as agreed; and **(iii)** Seller has complied with Seller's other obligations under this Agreement (C.A.R. Form VP).
- 20. PRORATIONS OF PROPERTY TAXES AND OTHER ITEMS:** Unless Otherwise Agreed, the following items shall be PAID CURRENT and prorated between Buyer and Seller as of Close Of Escrow: real property taxes and assessments, interest, Seller rental payments, HOA regular assessments due prior to Close Of Escrow, premiums on insurance assumed by Buyer, payments on bonds and assessments assumed by Buyer, and payments on Mello-Roos and other Special Assessment District bonds and assessments that are now a lien. Seller shall pay any HOA special or emergency assessments due prior to Close Of Escrow. The following items shall be assumed by Buyer WITHOUT CREDIT toward the purchase price: prorated payments on Mello-Roos and other Special Assessment District bonds and assessments and OA special or emergency assessments that are due after Close Of Escrow. Property will be reassessed upon change of ownership. Any supplemental tax bills delivered to Escrow Holder prior to closing shall be prorated and paid as follows: **(i)** for periods after Close Of Escrow, by Buyer; and **(ii)** for periods prior to Close Of Escrow, by Seller (see C.A.R. Form SPT or SBSA for further information). Seller agrees all service fees, maintenance costs and utility bills will be paid current up and through the date of Close Of Escrow. **TAX BILLS AND UTILITY BILLS ISSUED AFTER CLOSE OF ESCROW SHALL BE HANDLED DIRECTLY BETWEEN BUYER AND SELLER.** Prorations shall be made based on a 30-day month.
- 21. BROKERS AND AGENTS:**
- A. COMPENSATION:** Seller or Buyer, or both, as applicable, agree to pay compensation to Broker as specified in a separate written agreement between Broker and that Seller or Buyer. Compensation is payable upon Close Of Escrow, or if escrow does not close, as otherwise specified in the agreement between Broker and that Seller or Buyer. If Seller agrees to pay **the obligation of Buyer to compensate** Buyer's Broker (see **paragraph 3G(3)**), Seller shall be entitled to a copy of the portion of the written compensation agreement between Buyer and Buyer's Broker identifying the compensation to be paid. See C.A.R. Form SPBB for further information.

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B. SCOPE OF DUTY: Buyer and Seller acknowledge and agree that Agent: **(i)** Does not decide what price Buyer should pay or Seller should accept; **(ii)** Does not guarantee the condition of the Property; **(iii)** Does not guarantee the performance, adequacy or completeness of inspections, services, products or repairs provided or made by Seller or others; **(iv)** Does not have an obligation to conduct an inspection of common areas or areas off the site of the Property; **(v)** Shall not be responsible for identifying defects on the Property, in common areas, or offsite unless such defects are visually observable by an inspection of reasonably accessible areas of the Property or are known to Agent; **(vi)** Shall not be responsible for inspecting public records or permits concerning the title or use of Property; **(vii)** Shall not be responsible for identifying the location of boundary lines or other items affecting title; **(viii)** Shall not be responsible for verifying square footage, representations of others or information contained in Investigation reports, Multiple Listing Service, advertisements, flyers or other promotional material; **(ix)** Shall not be responsible for determining the fair market value of the Property or any personal property included in the sale; **(x)** Shall not be responsible for providing legal or tax advice regarding any aspect of a transaction entered into by Buyer or Seller; and **(xi)** Shall not be responsible for providing other advice or information that exceeds the knowledge, education and experience required to perform real estate licensed activity. Buyer and Seller agree to seek legal, tax, insurance, title and other desired assistance from appropriate professionals.

C. BROKERAGE: Neither Buyer nor Seller has utilized the services of, or for any other reason owes compensation to, a licensed real estate broker (individual or corporate), agent, finder, or other entity, other than as specified in this Agreement, in connection with any act relating to the Property, including, but not limited to, inquiries, introductions, consultations, and negotiations leading to this Agreement. Buyer and Seller each agree to indemnify and hold the other, the Brokers specified herein and their agents, harmless from and against any costs, expenses or liability for compensation claimed inconsistent with the warranty and representation in this paragraph.

22. JOINT ESCROW INSTRUCTIONS TO ESCROW HOLDER:

A. The following paragraphs, or applicable portions thereof, of this Agreement constitute the joint escrow instructions of Buyer and Seller to Escrow Holder, which Escrow Holder is to use along with any related counter offers and addenda, and any additional mutual instructions to close the escrow: paragraphs 1, 3A, 3B, 3D-G, 3N(2), 3Q, 3S, 4A, 4B, 5A(1-2) 5D, 5E, 10B(2)(A), 10B(3), 11A, 11C(2), 16 (except 16D), 17H, 20, 21A, 22, 26, 32, 33, 34, 35, 39, 40, and paragraph 3 of the Real Estate Brokers Section. If a Copy of the separate compensation agreement(s) provided for in paragraph 21A or paragraph 3 of the Real Estate Brokers Section is deposited with Escrow Holder by Agent, Escrow Holder shall accept such agreement(s) and pay out from Buyer's or Seller's funds, or both, as applicable, the Broker's compensation provided for in such agreement(s). The terms and conditions of this Agreement not set forth in the specified paragraphs are additional matters for the information of Escrow Holder, but about which Escrow Holder need not be concerned.

B. Buyer and Seller will receive Escrow Holder's general provisions, if any, directly from Escrow Holder. To the extent the general provisions are inconsistent or conflict with this Agreement, the general provisions will control as to the duties and obligations of Escrow Holder only. Buyer and Seller shall Sign and return Escrow Holder's general provisions or supplemental instructions within the time specified in paragraph 3N(2). Buyer and Seller shall execute additional instructions, documents and forms provided by Escrow Holder that are reasonably necessary to close the escrow and, as directed by Escrow Holder, within 3 Days, shall pay to Escrow Holder or HOA or HOA management company or others any fee required by paragraphs 3, 8, 10, 11, or elsewhere in this Agreement.

C. A Copy of this Agreement including any counter offer(s) and addenda shall be delivered to Escrow Holder within 3 Days after Acceptance. Buyer and Seller authorize Escrow Holder to accept and rely on Copies and Signatures as defined in this Agreement as originals, to open escrow and for other purposes of escrow. The validity of this Agreement as between Buyer and Seller is not affected by whether or when Escrow Holder Signs this Agreement. Escrow Holder shall provide Seller's Statement of Information to Title Company when received from Seller, if a separate company is providing title insurance. If Seller delivers an affidavit to Escrow Holder to satisfy Seller's FIRPTA obligation under paragraph 11A, Escrow Holder shall deliver to Buyer, Buyer's Agent, and Seller's Agent a Qualified Substitute statement that complies with federal Law. If Escrow Holder's Qualified Substitute statement does not comply with federal law, the Parties instruct escrow to withhold all applicable required amounts under paragraph 11A.

D. Agents are not a party to the escrow except for the sole purpose of receiving compensation pursuant to paragraph 21A and paragraph 3 of the Real Estate Brokers Section. If a Copy of the separate compensation agreement(s) provided for in either of those paragraphs is deposited with Escrow Holder by Agent, Escrow Holder shall accept such agreement(s) and pay out from Buyer's or Seller's funds, or both, as applicable, the Broker's compensation provided for in such agreement(s). Escrow Holder shall provide to Buyer and Seller, either jointly or separately, a closing statement or other written documentation showing the amount of compensation paid to, respectively, Buyer's Broker and Seller's Broker. Buyer and Seller irrevocably assign to Brokers compensation specified in paragraph 21A, and irrevocably instruct Escrow Holder to disburse those funds to Brokers at Close Of Escrow or pursuant to any other mutually executed cancellation agreement. Compensation instructions can be amended or revoked only with the written consent of Brokers. Buyer and Seller shall release and hold harmless Escrow Holder from any liability resulting from Escrow Holder's payment to Broker(s) of compensation pursuant to this Agreement.

E. Buyer and Seller acknowledge that Escrow Holder may require invoices for expenses under this Agreement. Buyer and Seller, upon request by Escrow Holder, within 3 Days or within a sufficient time to close escrow, whichever is sooner, shall provide any such invoices to Escrow Holder.

F. Upon receipt, Escrow Holder shall provide Buyer, Seller, and each Agent verification of Buyer's deposit of funds pursuant to paragraph 5A(1) and 5A(2). Once Escrow Holder becomes aware of any of the following, Escrow Holder shall immediately notify each Agent: (i) if Buyer's initial or any additional deposit or down payment is not made pursuant to this Agreement, or is not good at time of deposit with Escrow Holder; or (ii) if Buyer and Seller instruct Escrow Holder to cancel escrow.

G. A Copy of any amendment that affects any paragraph of this Agreement for which Escrow Holder is responsible shall be delivered to Escrow Holder within 3 Days after mutual execution of the amendment.

23. SELECTION OF SERVICE PROVIDERS: Agents do not guarantee the performance of any vendors, service or product providers ("Providers"), whether referred by Agent or selected by Buyer, Seller or other person. Buyer and Seller may select ANY Providers of their own choosing.

24. MULTIPLE LISTING SERVICE ("MLS"): Agents are authorized to report to the MLS that an offer has been accepted and, upon Close Of Escrow, the sales price and other terms of this transaction shall be provided to the MLS to be published and disseminated to persons and entities authorized to use the information on terms approved by the MLS. Buyer acknowledges that: **(i)** any pictures, videos, floor plans (collectively, "Images") or other information about the Property that has been or will be inputted into the MLS or internet portals, or both, at the instruction of Seller or in compliance with MLS rules, will not be removed after Close Of Escrow; **(ii)** California Civil Code § 1088(c) requires the MLS to maintain such Images and information for at least three years and as a result they may be displayed or circulated on the Internet, which cannot be controlled or removed by Seller or Agents; and **(iii)** Seller, Seller's Agent, Buyer's Agent, and MLS have no obligation or ability to remove such Images or information from the Internet.



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- 25. **ATTORNEY FEES AND COSTS:** In any action, proceeding, or arbitration between Buyer and Seller arising out of this Agreement, the prevailing Buyer or Seller shall be entitled to reasonable attorney fees and costs from the non-prevailing Buyer or Seller, except as provided in **paragraph 37A**.
- 26. **ASSIGNMENT/NOMINATION:** Buyer shall have the right to assign all of Buyer's interest in this Agreement to Buyer's own trust or to any wholly owned entity of Buyer that is in existence at the time of such assignment. Otherwise, Buyer shall not assign all or any part of Buyer's interest in this Agreement without first having obtained the separate written consent of Seller to a specified assignee. Such consent shall not be unreasonably withheld. Prior to any assignment, Buyer shall disclose to Seller the name of the assignee and the amount of any monetary consideration between Buyer and assignee. Buyer shall provide assignee with all documents related to this Agreement including, but not limited to, the Agreement and any disclosures. If assignee is a wholly owned entity or trust of Buyer, that assignee does not need to re-sign or initial all documents provided. Whether or not an assignment requires seller's consent, at the time of assignment, assignee shall deliver a letter from assignee's lender that assignee is prequalified or preapproved as specified in **paragraph 6B**. Should assignee fail to deliver such a letter, Seller, after first giving Assignee an Notice to Buyer to Perform, shall have the right to terminate the assignment. Buyer shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3K**, Deliver any request to assign this Agreement for Seller's consent. If Buyer fails to provide the required information within this time frame, Seller's withholding of consent shall be deemed reasonable. Any total or partial assignment shall not relieve Buyer of Buyer's obligations pursuant to this Agreement unless Otherwise Agreed by Seller (C.A.R. Form AOAA). Parties shall provide any assignment agreement to Escrow Holder within 1 Day after the assignment. Any nomination by Buyer shall be subject to the same procedures, requirements, and terms as an assignment as specified in this paragraph.
- 27. **SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS:** This Agreement shall be binding upon, and inure to the benefit of, Buyer and Seller and their respective successors and assigns, except as otherwise provided herein.
- 28. **ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARD CONSULTATION:** Buyer and Seller acknowledge: (i) Federal, state, and local legislation impose liability upon existing and former owners and users of real property, in applicable situations, for certain legislatively defined, environmentally hazardous substances; (ii) Agent(s) has/have made no representation concerning the applicability of any such Law to this transaction or to Buyer or to Seller, except as otherwise indicated in this Agreement; (iii) Agent(s) has/have made no representation concerning the existence, testing, discovery, location, and evaluation of/for, and risks posed by, environmentally hazardous substances, if any, located on or potentially affecting the Property; and (iv) Buyer and Seller are each advised to consult with technical and legal experts concerning the existence, testing, discover, location and evaluation of/for, and risks posed by, environmentally hazardous substances, in any, located on or potentially affecting the Property.
- 29. **AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT:** The Americans With Disabilities Act ("ADA") prohibits discrimination against individuals with disabilities. The ADA affects almost all commercial facilities and public accommodations. Residential properties are not typically covered by the ADA, but may be governed by its provisions if used for certain purposes. The ADA can require, among other things, that building be made readily accessible to the disabled. Different requirements apply to new construction, alterations to existing buildings, and removal of barriers in existing buildings. Compliance with the ADA may require significant costs. Monetary and injunctive remedies may be incurred if the Property is not in compliance. A real estate broker or agent does not have the technical expertise to determine whether a building is in compliance with ADA requirements, or to advise a principal on those requirements. Buyer and Seller are advised to contact a qualified California real estate attorney, contractor, architect, engineer, or other qualified professional of Buyer or Seller's own choosing to determine to what degree, if any, the ADA impacts that principal or this transaction.
- 30. **EQUAL HOUSING OPPORTUNITY:** The Property is sold in compliance with federal, state and local anti-discrimination Laws.
- 31. **COPIES:** Seller and buyer each represent that Copies of all reports, certificates, approvals, and other documents that are furnished to the other are true, correct, and unaltered Copies of the original documents, if the originals are in the possession of the furnishing party.
- 32. **DEFINITIONS and INSTRUCTIONS:** The following words are defined terms in this Agreement, shall be indicated by initial capital letters throughout this Agreement, and have the following meaning whenever used:
 - A. **"Acceptance"** means the time the offer or final counter offer is fully executed, in writing, by the recipient Party and is Delivered to the offering Party or that Party's Authorized Agent.
 - B. **"Agent"** means the Broker, salesperson, broker-associate or any other real estate licensee licensed under the brokerage firm identified in **paragraph 2B**.
 - C. **"Agreement"** means this document and any counter offers and any incorporated addenda or amendments, collectively forming the binding agreement between the Parties. Addenda and amendments are incorporated only when Signed and Delivered by all Parties.
 - D. **"As-Is"** condition: Seller shall disclose known material facts and defects as specified in this Agreement. Buyer has the right to inspect the Property and, within the time specified, request that Seller make repairs or take other corrective action, or exercise any contingency cancellation rights in this Agreement. Seller is only required to make repairs specified in this Agreement or as Otherwise Agreed.
 - E. **"Authorized Agent"** means an individual real estate licensee specified in the Real Estate Broker Section.
 - F. **"C.A.R. Form"** means the most current version of the specific form referenced or another comparable form agreed to by the Parties.
 - G. **"Close Of Escrow"**, including "COE", means the date the grant deed, or other evidence of transfer of title, is recorded for any real property, or the date of Delivery of a document evidencing the transfer of title for any non-real property transaction.
 - H. **"Copy"** means copy by any means including photocopy, facsimile and electronic.
 - I. **Counting Days** is done as follows unless Otherwise Agreed: (1) The first Day after an event is the first full calendar date following the event, and ending at 11:59 pm. For example, if a Notice to Buyer to Perform (C.A.R. form NBP) is Delivered at 3 pm on the 7th calendar day of the month, or Acceptance of a counter offer is personally received at 12 noon on the 7th calendar day of the month, then the 7th is Day "0" for purposes of counting days to respond to the NBP or calculating the Close Of Escrow date or contingency removal dates and the 8th of the month is Day 1 for those same purposes. (2) All calendar days are counted in establishing the first Day after an event. (3) All calendar days are counted in determining the date upon which performance must be completed, ending at 11:59 pm on the last day for performance ("Scheduled Performance Day"). (4) After Acceptance, if the Scheduled Performance Day for any act required by this Agreement, including Close Of Escrow, lands on a Saturday, Sunday, or Legal Holiday, the performing party shall be allowed to perform on the next day that is not a Saturday, Sunday or Legal Holiday ("Allowable Performance Day"), and ending at 11:59 pm. "Legal Holiday" shall mean any holiday or optional bank holiday under Civil Code §§ 7 and 7.1 and any holiday under Government Code § 6700. (5) For the purposes of COE, any day that the Recorder's office in the County where the Property is located is closed or any day that the lender or Escrow Holder under this Agreement is closed, the COE shall occur on the next day the Recorder's office in that County, the lender, and the Escrow Holder are open. (6) COE is considered Day 0 for purposes of counting days Seller is allowed to remain in possession, if permitted by this Agreement.
 - J. **"Day"** or **"Days"** means calendar day or days. However, delivery of deposit to escrow is based on business days.



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- K. **“Deliver”, “Delivered” or “Delivery”** of documents, unless Otherwise Agreed, means and shall be effective upon personal receipt of the document by Buyer or Seller or their Authorized Agent. Personal receipt means (i) a Copy of the document, or as applicable, link to the document, is in the possession of the Party or Authorized Agent, regardless of the Delivery method used (i.e. e-mail, text, other), or (ii) an electronic Copy of the document, or as applicable, link to the document, has been sent to the designated electronic delivery address specified in the Real Estate Broker Section, **unless Otherwise Agreed in C.A.R. Form DEDA**. A document, or as applicable link to a document, shall be deemed to be **“in possession”** if it located in the in-box for the applicable Party or Authorized Agent. After Acceptance, Agent may change the designated electronic delivery address for that Agent by, in writing, Delivering notice of the change in designated electronic delivery address to the other Party (C.A.R. Form DEDA). Links could be, for example, to DropBox or GoogleDrive or other functionally equivalent program. If the recipient of a link is unable or unwilling to open the link or download the documents or otherwise prefers Delivery of the documents directly, Recipient of a link shall notify the sender in writing, within **3 Days** after Delivery of the link (C.A.R. Form RFR). In such case, Delivery shall be effective upon Delivery of the documents and not the link. Failure to notify sender within the time specified above shall be deemed consent to receive, and Buyer opening, the document by link.
 - L. **“Electronic Copy” or “Electronic Signature”** means, as applicable, an electronic copy or signature complying with California Law. Unless Otherwise Agreed, Buyer and Seller agreed to the use of Electronic Signatures. Buyer and Seller agree that electronic means will not be used by either Party to modify or alter the content or integrity of this Agreement without the knowledge and consent of the other Party.
 - M. **“Law”** means any law, code, statute, ordinance, regulation, rule or order, which is adopted by a controlling city, county, state or federal legislative, judicial or executive body or agency.
 - N. **“Legally Authorized Signer”** means an individual who has authority to Sign for the principal as specified in **paragraph 39 or paragraph 40**.
 - O. **“Otherwise Agreed”** means an agreement in writing, signed by both Parties and Delivered to each.
 - P. **“Repairs”** means any repairs (including pest control), alterations, replacements, modifications or retrofitting of the Property provided for under this Agreement.
 - Q. **“Sign” or “Signed”** means either a handwritten or Electronic Signature on an original document, Copy or any counterpart.
33. **TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF OFFER:** This is an offer to purchase the Property on the terms and conditions herein. The individual Liquidated Damages and Arbitration of Disputes paragraphs are incorporated in this Agreement if initialed by all Parties or if incorporated by mutual agreement in a Counter Offer or addendum. **If at least one but not all Parties initial, a Counter Offer is required until agreement is reached.** Seller has the right to continue to offer the Property for sale and to accept any other offer at any time prior to notification of Acceptance and to market the Property for backup offers after Acceptance. The Parties have read and acknowledge receipt of a Copy of the offer and agree to the confirmation of agency relationships. If this offer is accepted and Buyer subsequently defaults, Buyer may be responsible for payment of Brokers’ compensation. This Agreement and any supplement, addendum or modification, including any Copy, may be Signed in two or more counterparts, all of which shall constitute one and the same writing. By signing this offer or any document in the transaction, the Party Signing the document is deemed to have read the document in its entirety.
34. **TIME OF ESSENCE; ENTIRE CONTRACT; CHANGES:** Time is of the essence. All understandings between the Parties are incorporated in this Agreement. Its terms are intended by the Parties as a final, complete and exclusive expression of their Agreement with respect to its subject matter and may not be contradicted by evidence of any prior agreement or contemporaneous oral agreement. If any provision of this Agreement is held to be ineffective or invalid, the remaining provisions will nevertheless be given full force and effect. Except as Otherwise Agreed, this Agreement shall be interpreted, and disputes shall be resolved in accordance with the Laws of the State of California. **Neither this Agreement nor any provision in it may be extended, amended, modified, altered or changed, except in writing Signed by Buyer and Seller.**
35. **LEGALLY AUTHORIZED SIGNER:** Wherever the signature or initials of the Legally Authorized Signer identified in **paragraph 39 or 40** appear on this Agreement or any related documents, it shall be deemed to be in a representative capacity for the entity described and not in an individual capacity, unless otherwise indicated. The Legally Authorized Signer (i) represents that the entity for which that person is acting already exists and is in good standing to do business in California and (ii) shall Deliver to the other Party and Escrow Holder, within as specified in **paragraph 3N(5)**, evidence of authority to act in that capacity (such as but not limited to: applicable portion of the trust or Certification Of Trust (Probate Code § 18100.5), letters testamentary, court order, power of attorney, corporate resolution, or formation documents of the business entity).

36. **LIQUIDATED DAMAGES:**

If Buyer fails to complete this purchase because of Buyer’s default, Seller shall retain, as liquidated damages, the deposit actually paid. Buyer and Seller agree that this amount is a reasonable sum given that it is impractical or extremely difficult to establish the amount of damages that would actually be suffered by Seller in the event Buyer were to breach this Agreement. Release of funds will require mutual, Signed release instructions from both Buyer and Seller, judicial decision or arbitration award. AT THE TIME OF ANY INCREASED DEPOSIT BUYER AND SELLER SHALL SIGN A SEPARATE LIQUIDATED DAMAGES PROVISION INCORPORATING THE INCREASED DEPOSIT AS LIQUIDATED DAMAGES (C.A.R. FORM DID).

Buyer’s Initials _____ / _____

Seller’s Initials _____ / _____



37. MEDIATION:

- A.** The Parties agree to mediate any dispute or claim arising between them out of this Agreement, or any resulting transaction, before resorting to arbitration or court action. The mediation shall be conducted through the C.A.R. Real Estate Mediation Center for Consumers (www.consumermediation.org) or through any other mediation provider or service mutually agreed to by the Parties. The Parties **also agree to mediate any disputes or claims with Agents(s), who, in writing, agree to such mediation prior to, or within a reasonable time after, the dispute or claim is presented to the Agent.** Mediation fees, if any, shall be divided equally among the Parties involved, and shall be recoverable under the prevailing party attorney fees clause. If, for any dispute or claim to which this paragraph applies, any Party **(i)** commences an action without first attempting to resolve the matter through mediation, or **(ii)** before commencement of an action, refuses to mediate after a request has been made, then that Party shall not be entitled to recover attorney fees, even if they would otherwise be available to that Party in any such action. **THIS MEDIATION PROVISION APPLIES WHETHER OR NOT THE ARBITRATION PROVISION IS INITIALED.**
- B. ADDITIONAL MEDIATION TERMS:** (i) Exclusions from this mediation agreement are specified in paragraph 37D; (ii) The obligation to mediate does not preclude the right of either Party to seek a preservation of rights under paragraph 37E; and (iii) Agent's rights and obligations are further specified in paragraph 37F. These terms apply even if the Arbitration of Disputes paragraph is not initialed.
- C. ARBITRATION OF DISPUTES:** The Parties agree that any dispute or claim in Law or equity arising between them out of this Agreement or any resulting transaction, which is not settled through mediation, shall be decided by neutral, binding arbitration. The Parties also agree to arbitrate any disputes or claims with Agents(s), who, in writing, agree to such arbitration prior to, or within a reasonable time after, the dispute or claim is presented to the Agent. The arbitration shall be conducted through any arbitration provider or service mutually agreed to by the Parties. The arbitrator shall be a retired judge or justice, or an attorney with at least 5 years of transactional real estate Law experience, unless the Parties mutually agree to a different arbitrator. Enforcement of, and any motion to compel arbitration pursuant to, this agreement to arbitrate shall be governed by the procedural rules of the Federal Arbitration Act, and not the California Arbitration Act, notwithstanding any language seemingly to the contrary in this Agreement. The Parties shall have the right to discovery in accordance with Code of Civil Procedure § 1283.05. The arbitration shall be conducted in accordance with Title 9 of Part 3 of the Code of Civil Procedure. Judgment upon the award of the arbitrator(s) may be entered into any court having jurisdiction.
- D. EXCLUSIONS:** The following matters are excluded from mediation and arbitration: (i) Any matter that is within the jurisdiction of a probate, small claims or bankruptcy court; (ii) an unlawful detainer action; and (iii) a judicial or non-judicial foreclosure or other action or proceeding to enforce a deed of trust, mortgage or installment land sale contract as defined in Civil Code § 2985.
- E. PRESERVATION OF ACTIONS:** The following shall not constitute a waiver nor violation of the mediation and arbitration provisions: (i) the filing of a court action to preserve a statute of limitations; (ii) the filing of a court action to enable the recording of a notice of pending action, for order of attachment, receivership, injunction, or other provisional remedies, provided the filing party concurrent with, or immediately after such filing, makes a request to the court for a stay of litigation pending any applicable mediation or arbitration proceeding; or (iii) the filing of a mechanic's lien.
- F. AGENTS:** Agents shall not be obligated nor compelled to mediate or arbitrate unless they agree to do so in writing. Any Agents(s) participating in mediation or arbitration shall not be deemed a party to this Agreement.
- G. "NOTICE: BY INITIALING IN THE SPACE BELOW YOU ARE AGREEING TO HAVE ANY DISPUTE ARISING OUT OF THE MATTERS INCLUDED IN THE 'ARBITRATION OF DISPUTES' PROVISION DECIDED BY NEUTRAL ARBITRATION AS PROVIDED BY CALIFORNIA LAW AND YOU ARE GIVING UP ANY RIGHTS YOU MIGHT POSSESS TO HAVE THE DISPUTE LITIGATED IN A COURT OR JURY TRIAL. BY INITIALING IN THE SPACE BELOW YOU ARE GIVING UP YOUR JUDICIAL RIGHTS TO DISCOVERY AND APPEAL, UNLESS THOSE RIGHTS ARE SPECIFICALLY INCLUDED IN THE 'ARBITRATION OF DISPUTES' PROVISION. IF YOU REFUSE TO SUBMIT TO ARBITRATION AFTER AGREEING TO THIS PROVISION, YOU MAY BE COMPELLED TO ARBITRATE UNDER THE AUTHORITY OF THE CALIFORNIA CODE OF CIVIL PROCEDURE. YOUR AGREEMENT TO THIS ARBITRATION PROVISION IS VOLUNTARY."**

"WE HAVE READ AND UNDERSTAND THE FOREGOING AND AGREE TO SUBMIT DISPUTES ARISING OUT OF THE MATTERS INCLUDED IN THE 'ARBITRATION OF DISPUTES' PROVISION TO NEUTRAL ARBITRATION."

Buyer's Initials _____ / _____

Seller's Initials _____ / _____

38. FAIR APPRAISAL ACT NOTICE:

- A.** Any appraisal of the property is required to be unbiased, objective, and not influenced by improper or illegal considerations, including, but not limited to, any of the following: race, color, religion (including religious dress, grooming practices, or both), gender (including, but not limited to, pregnancy, childbirth, breastfeeding, and related conditions, and gender identity and gender expression), sexual orientation, marital status, medical condition, military or veteran status, national origin (including language use and possession of a driver's license issued to persons unable to provide their presence in the United States is authorized under federal law), source of income, ancestry, disability (mental and physical, including, but not limited to, HIV/AIDS status, cancer diagnosis, and genetic characteristics), genetic information, or age.
- B.** If a buyer or seller believes that the appraisal has been influenced by any of the above factors, the seller or buyer can report this information to the lender or mortgage broker that retained the appraiser and may also file a complaint with the Bureau of Real Estate Appraisers at <https://www2.brea.ca.gov/complaint/> or call (916) 552-9000 for further information on how to file a complaint.



39. OFFER

- A. EXPIRATION OF OFFER:** This offer shall be deemed revoked and the deposit, if any, shall be returned to Buyer unless by the date and time specified in **paragraph 3C**, the offer is Signed by Seller and a Copy of the Signed offer is Delivered to Buyer or Buyer's Authorized Agent. **Seller has no obligation to respond to an offer made.**
- B. ENTITY BUYERS:** (Note: If this paragraph is completed, a Representative Capacity Signature Disclosure (C.A.R. Form RCSD) is not required for the Legally Authorized Signers designated below.)
 - (1) One or more Buyers is a trust, corporation, LLC, probate estate, partnership, holding a power of attorney or other entity.
 - (2) This Agreement is being Signed by a Legally Authorized Signer in a representative capacity and not in an individual capacity. See **paragraph 35** for additional terms.
 - (3) The name(s) of the Legally Authorized Signer(s) is/are: _____.
 - (4) **A.** If a trust, identify Buyer as trustee(s) of the trust or by simplified trust name (ex. John Doe, co-trustee, Jane Doe, co-trustee or Doe Revocable Family Trust).
 - B.** If Property is sold under the jurisdiction of a probate court, identify Buyer as executor or administrator, or by a simplified probate name (John Doe, executor, or Estate (or Conservatorship) of John Doe).
 - (5) If the entity is a trust or under probate, the following is the full name of the trust or probate case, including case #: _____.

C. The CPA has 17 pages. Buyer acknowledges receipt of, and has read and understands, every page and all attachments that make up the Agreement.

D. BUYER SIGNATURE(S):

(Signature) By, _____ **Date:** _____
 Printed name of BUYER: _____
 Printed Name of Legally Authorized Signer: _____ Title, if applicable, _____
 (Signature) By, _____ **Date:** _____
 Printed name of BUYER: _____
 Printed Name of Legally Authorized Signer: _____ Title, if applicable, _____

IF MORE THAN TWO SIGNERS, USE Additional Signature Addendum (C.A.R. Form ASA).

40. ACCEPTANCE

A. ACCEPTANCE OF OFFER: Seller warrants that Seller is the owner of the Property or has the authority to execute this Agreement. Seller accepts the above offer and agrees to sell the Property on the above terms and conditions. Seller has read and acknowledges receipt of a Copy of this Agreement and authorizes Agent to Deliver a Signed Copy to Buyer.

Seller's acceptance is subject to the attached Counter Offer or Back-Up Offer Addendum, or both, checked below. Seller shall return and include the entire agreement with any response.

- Seller Counter Offer** (C.A.R. Form SCO or SMCO)
- Back-Up Offer Addendum** (C.A.R. Form BUO)

- B. ENTITY SELLERS:** (Note: If this paragraph is completed, a Representative Capacity Signature Disclosure form (C.A.R. Form RCSD) is not required for the Legally Authorized Signers designated below.)
 - (1) One or more Sellers is a trust, corporation, LLC, probate estate, partnership, holding a power of attorney or other entity.
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 - B.** If Property is sold under the jurisdiction of a probate court, identify Seller as executor or administrator, or by a simplified probate name (John Doe, executor, or Estate (or Conservatorship) of John Doe).
 - (5) If the entity is a trust or under probate, the following is the full name of the trust or probate case, including case #: _____.

C. The CPA has 17 pages. Seller acknowledges receipt of, and has read and understands, every page and all attachments that make up the Agreement.

D. SELLER SIGNATURE(S):

(Signature) By, _____ **Date:** _____
 Printed name of SELLER: _____
 Printed Name of Legally Authorized Signer: _____ Title, if applicable, _____
 (Signature) By, _____ **Date:** _____
 Printed name of SELLER: _____
 Printed Name of Legally Authorized Signer: _____ Title, if applicable, _____

IF MORE THAN TWO SIGNERS, USE Additional Signature Addendum (C.A.R. Form ASA).

OFFER NOT ACCEPTED: _____ / _____ No Counter Offer is being made. This offer was not accepted by Seller _____ (date)
 Seller's Initials



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REAL ESTATE BROKERS SECTION:

- 1. Real Estate Agents are not parties to the Agreement between Buyer and Seller.
- 2. Agency relationships are confirmed as stated in paragraph 2.
- 3. **Confirmation of Offered Compensation:** Seller's Broker agrees to pay Buyer's Broker and Buyer's Broker agrees to accept, out of Seller's Broker's proceeds in escrow, the **compensation** specified in a separate written agreement (C.A.R. Form CBC). **Each Broker agrees to disclose to their Seller or Buyer client the amount in the CBC.** Declaration of License and Tax (C.A.R. Form DLT) may be used to document that tax reporting will be required or that an exemption exists.
- 4. **Presentation of Offer:** Pursuant to the National Association of REALTORS® Standard of Practice 1-7, if Buyer's Agent makes a written request, Seller's Agent shall confirm in writing that this offer has been presented to Seller.
- 5. **Agents' Signatures and designated electronic delivery address:**

A. Buyer's Brokerage Firm _____ Lic. # _____
 By _____ Lic. # _____ Date _____
 By _____ Lic. # _____ Date _____
 Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____
 Email _____ Phone # _____

- More than one agent from the same firm represents Buyer. Additional Agent Acknowledgement (C.A.R. Form AAA) attached.
- More than one brokerage firm represents Buyer. Additional Broker Acknowledgement (C.A.R. Form ABA) attached.

Designated Electronic Delivery Address(es): Email above or _____

Attached DEDA: If Parties elect to have an alternative Delivery method, such method may be indicated on C.A.R. Form DEDA.

B. Seller's Brokerage Firm _____ Lic. # _____
 By _____ Lic. # _____ Date _____
 By _____ Lic. # _____ Date _____
 Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____
 Email _____ Phone # _____

- More than one agent from the same firm represents Seller. Additional Agent Acknowledgement (C.A.R. Form AAA) attached.
- More than one brokerage firm represents Seller. Additional Broker Acknowledgement (C.A.R. Form ABA) attached.

Designated if Parties elect to have an alternative Delivery method, such method may be indicated on DEDA.

Electronic Delivery Address(es) (To be filled out by Seller's Agent): Email above or _____

Attached DEDA: If Parties elect to have an alternative Delivery method, such method may be indicated on C.A.R. Form DEDA.

ESCROW HOLDER ACKNOWLEDGMENT:

Escrow Holder acknowledges receipt of a Copy of this Agreement, (if checked, a deposit in the amount of \$ _____), Counter Offer numbers _____ and _____, and agrees to act as Escrow Holder subject to **paragraph 22** of this Agreement, any supplemental escrow instructions and the terms of Escrow Holder's general provisions.

Escrow Holder is advised by _____ that the date of Acceptance of the Agreement is _____

Escrow Holder _____ Escrow # _____

By _____ Date _____

Address _____

Phone/Fax/E-mail _____

Escrow Holder has the following license number # _____

- Department of Financial Protection and Innovation, Department of Insurance, Department of Real Estate.

PRESENTATION OF OFFER: _____ / _____ Seller's Brokerage Firm presented this offer to Seller on _____ (date).
 Broker or Designee Initials

Buyer's Initials _____ / _____ Seller's Initials _____ / _____

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BUYER CONTINGENCY REMOVAL No. _____
(C.A.R. Form CR-B, Revised 6/24)

In accordance with the terms and conditions of the Purchase Agreement, OR [] Request For Repair (C.A.R. Form RR), [] Response And Reply To Request For Repair (C.A.R Form RRRR), [] Other _____ dated _____, ("Agreement"), on property known as _____ ("Property"), between _____ ("Buyer") and _____ ("Seller"). Buyer and Seller are referred to as the "Parties."

- 1. BUYER REMOVAL OF BUYER CONTINGENCIES: With respect to any contingency and cancellation right that Buyer removes, unless Otherwise Agreed in a separate written agreement between Buyer and Seller, Buyer shall conclusively be deemed to have: (i) completed all Buyer Investigations and review of reports and other applicable information and disclosures; (ii) elected to proceed with the transaction; and (iii) assumed all liability, responsibility and, expense, if any, for Repairs, corrections, or for the inability to obtain financing. Waiver of statutory disclosures is prohibited by law.
2. Buyer removes ONLY the following individually checked Buyer contingencies: (Paragraph numbers refer to C.A.R. Form RPA. Applicable paragraph numbers may be different for different forms.)
A. [] Loan (Paragraph 3L(1) and 8A)
B. [] Appraisal (Paragraph 3L(2) and 8B)
C. Investigation of Property (Paragraph 3L(3), 8C, and 12)
(1) [] Entire Buyer's Investigation Contingency (Paragraph 12)
OR (2) [] Only the part of the Investigation related to inspections concerning physical attributes of the Property (Paragraph 12B(1))
OR (3) [] All Buyer Investigations other than the physical attributes (Paragraph 12B(2) and (3))
OR (4) [] Entire Buyer's Investigation Contingency, EXCEPT: [] Other: _____
D. [] Insurance (paragraph 3L(4) and 8D)
E. Review of Seller Documents:
(1) [] Review of All Seller Documents (Paragraph 3L(5), 8E, 9B(6), 10A, and 11)
OR (2) [] Review of All Seller Documents, EXCEPT:
[] Government Reports (Paragraph 10A);
[] Statutory and other Disclosures (Paragraph 11);
[] Other: _____
F. [] Preliminary ("Title") Report (Paragraph 3L(6), 8F, and 13)
G. [] Common Interest (HOA or OA) Disclosures (Paragraph 3L(7), 8G and 11L)
H. [] Review of leased or liened items (Paragraph 3L(8), 8H, and 9B(6))
I. Sale of Buyer's Property (Paragraph 3L(9) and 8K)
[] Entering into contract for Buyer's Property [] Close of Escrow on Buyer's Property
J. [] Other: _____
3. [] ALL Buyer contingencies are removed, EXCEPT:
[] Loan Contingency (Paragraph 3L(1) and 8A);
[] Appraisal Contingency (Paragraph 3L(2) and 8B);
[] Insurance (Paragraph 3L(4) and 8D)
[] Contingency for the Close of Buyer's Property (Paragraph 3L(9) and 8K);
[] Condominium/Planned Development (HOA) Disclosures (Paragraph 3L(6), 8F and 11L);
[] Other: _____
4. [] BUYER HEREBY REMOVES ANY AND ALL BUYER CONTINGENCIES.
5. Once all contingencies are removed, whether or not Buyer has satisfied themselves regarding all contingencies or received any information relating to those contingencies, Buyer may not be entitled to a return of Buyer's deposit if Buyer does not close escrow. This could happen even if, for example, Buyer does not approve of some aspect of the Property or lender does not approve Buyer's loan.

NOTE: If this form is attached to a Request for Repairs (C.A.R. Form RR), Seller Response and Buyer Reply to Request for Repairs (C.A.R. Form RRRR), or another form or document such as an addendum (C.A.R. Form ADM) or Amendment to Existing Agreement (C.A.R. Form AEA) it is only valid if Buyer and Seller agree to the requests made on that form or document.

Buyer _____ Date _____
Buyer _____ Date _____



In accordance with the terms and conditions of the Purchase Agreement, OR Other _____ ("Agreement"), dated _____, on property known as _____ ("Property"), between _____ ("Buyer"), and _____ ("Seller") with an agreed upon Close Of Escrow date of _____. Buyer and Seller are referred to as the "Parties."

1. Seller hereby demands that Buyer close escrow on the Property:

- A. Within 3 (or _____ (but no less than 3 Days as specified in the Agreement)) Days after Delivery of this Demand To Close Escrow but no earlier than the agreed upon Close Of Escrow date.
OR B. By _____ (Date), which is at least 3 Days after Delivery of this Demand to Close Escrow but no earlier than the agreed upon Close Of Escrow date.

Note To Buyer: If you do not close escrow by the end of the time period specified in this Demand to Close Escrow, and Seller has fully performed, Seller may (i) immediately cancel the Agreement; (ii) bring legal action against you for damages (including but not limited to the deposit); or (iii) bring legal action against you to force you to buy the Property (specific performance).

Seller _____ Date _____
Seller _____ Date _____

2. Buyer hereby demands that Seller close escrow on the Property:

- A. Within 3 (or _____ (but no less than 3 Days as specified in the Agreement)) Days after Delivery of this Demand To Close Escrow, but no earlier than the agreed upon Close Of Escrow date.
OR B. By _____ (Date), which is at least 3 Days after Delivery of this Demand to Close Escrow but no earlier than the agreed upon Close Of Escrow date.

Note To Seller: If you do not close escrow by the end of the time period specified in this Demand to Close Escrow, and Buyer has fully performed, Buyer may (i) cancel the Agreement and bring legal action against you for damages because of your breach of contract, (ii) bring legal action against you to force you to sell the Property (specific performance), or (iii) both.

Buyer _____ Date _____
Buyer _____ Date _____

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DESIGNATED ELECTRONIC DELIVERY ADDRESS AMENDMENT (May be used to establish or change a designated electronic delivery address) (C.A.R. Form DEDA, Revised 6/24)

The following terms and conditions, as applicable, are hereby incorporated in and made part of, and amend, the Purchase Agreement, OR [] Other _____ ("Agreement"), dated _____, on property known as _____ ("Property"), between _____ ("Buyer") and _____ ("Seller").

- 1. BUYER'S AGENT DESIGNATED ELECTRONIC DELIVERY ADDRESS: The addresses below, if completed, are intended to replace all designated electronic delivery addresses, if any, specified in the Agreement for Buyer's Authorized Agent (to be completed by the Authorized Agent identified):
A. Email _____ Text # _____
Alternate: _____
B. [] if checked, Delivery shall be made to the alternate designated electronic delivery address only.
2. SELLER'S AGENT DESIGNATED ELECTRONIC DELIVERY ADDRESS: The addresses below, if completed, are intended to replace all designated electronic delivery addresses, if any, specified in the Agreement for Seller's Authorized Agent (to be completed by the Authorized Agent identified):
A. Email _____ Text # _____
Alternate: _____
B. [] if checked, Delivery shall be made to the alternate designated electronic delivery address only.
3. EFFECTIVE DATE OF ELECTRONIC DELIVERY- WHEN SENT: Unless paragraph 4 is checked, Delivery to any designated electronic delivery address above shall be effective when sent, as per the Agreement, even if Opt-Out was selected previously.
4. [] OPT-OUT: If checked, the act of sending, in and of itself, of any notice or document to the Designated Electronic Delivery Address shall not constitute Delivery. Delivery to any designated electronic delivery address above shall only be effective when in the possession of the Party or Authorized Agent.

By signing below, Buyer and Seller and their Authorized Agents acknowledge that each has read, understands, has received a copy of, and agrees to this Designated Electronic Delivery Address Amendment.

Buyer: _____ Date _____
Buyer: _____ Date _____
Seller: _____ Date _____
Seller: _____ Date _____
Buyer's Brokerage Firm: _____ Date _____
By _____
Seller's Brokerage Firm: _____ Date _____
By _____

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INTERIM OCCUPANCY AGREEMENT
Buyer in Possession Prior to Close of Escrow
(Intended for possession of 30 or more days)
(C.A.R. Form IOA, Revised 6/24)

Date: _____, _____ (“Seller/Housing Provider”) and _____ (“Buyer/Tenant”)

have entered into a purchase agreement for the real property described below. Close of escrow for the purchase agreement is scheduled to occur on _____ (date). Seller, as **Housing Provider**, and Buyer, as Tenant, agree as follows (“Agreement”):

1. PROPERTY:

A. Housing Provider rents to Tenant and Tenant rents from **Housing Provider**, the real property and improvements described as: _____ (“Premises”).

B. The Premises are for the sole use as a personal residence by the following named person(s) **only**: _____

C. The personal property listed in the purchase agreement, maintained pursuant to **paragraph 11**, is included.

D. The Premises may be subject to a local rent control ordinance _____

2. TERM: The term begins on (date) _____ (“Commencement Date”) and shall terminate at _____ AM/ PM on the earliest of: **(a)** the date scheduled for close of escrow of the purchase agreement as specified above, or as modified in writing; or **(b)** mutual cancellation of the purchase agreement. Tenant shall vacate the Premises upon termination of this Agreement, unless: **(i)** **Housing Provider** and Tenant have signed a new agreement, **(ii)** mandated by any rent increase cap or just cause eviction control under any state or local law, or **(iii)** **Housing Provider** accepts Rent from Tenant (other than past due Rent), in which case a month-to-month tenancy shall be created which either party may terminate pursuant to California Civil Code § 1946.1. Rent shall be at a rate agreed to by **Housing Provider** and Tenant, or as allowed by law. All other terms and conditions of this Agreement shall remain in full force and effect.

3. RENT: “Rent” shall mean all monetary obligations of Tenant to **Housing Provider** under the terms of this Agreement, except security deposit.

A. Tenant agrees to pay \$ _____ per month for the term of this Agreement.

B. Rent is payable in advance on the **1st** (or _____) day of each calendar month, and is delinquent on the next day.

C. If Commencement Date falls on any day other than the day Rent is payable under **paragraph 3B**, and Tenant has paid one full month’s Rent in advance of Commencement Date, Rent for the second calendar month shall be prorated and Tenant shall pay 1/30th of the monthly rent per day for each day remaining in the prorated second month.

D. PAYMENT:

(1) Rent shall be paid by personal check, money order, cashier’s check, through escrow (per escrow instructions), wire/electronic transfer, or other _____ made payable to _____

(2) Rent shall be delivered to (name) _____ (whose phone number is) _____ at (address) _____

(or at any other location subsequently specified by **Housing Provider** in writing to Tenant) (and if checked, rent may be paid personally, between the hours of _____ and _____ on the following days _____).

(3) If any payment is returned for non-sufficient funds (“NSF”) or because tenant stops payment, then, after that: **(i)** **Housing Provider** may, in writing, require Tenant to pay Rent in cash for three months and **(ii)** all future Rent shall be paid by money order, or cashier’s check.

E. Rent payments received by **Housing Provider** shall be applied to the earliest amount(s) due or past due.

4. SECURITY DEPOSIT:

A. Tenant agrees to pay \$ _____ as a security deposit.

(The maximum amount of security deposit paid on or before initial occupancy, however designated, cannot exceed one month’s Rent unless an exception applies. See Security Deposit Exception Disclosure and Addendum, C.A.R. Form SDDA, for additional information.)

B. Security deposit is in addition to any advance payment of first month’s Rent. Security deposit law does not prohibit the payment of advance rent of not less than six months’ rent if the term of the lease is six months or longer.

C. Security deposit will be transferred to and held by Seller; or held in Seller’s Broker’s trust account; or held in escrow (per escrow instructions).

D. (1) If the tenancy is terminated due to the close of escrow by Buyer under the purchase agreement, the full amount of the security deposit, less any deductions below, shall be credited to Buyer’s down payment on the purchase (or, if checked returned to Buyer from Seller’s proceeds in escrow). If required by lender for closing, Seller shall place the security deposit into escrow prior to the signing of loan documents by Buyer.

(2) All or any portion of the security deposit may be used, as reasonably necessary, to: **(i)** cure Tenant’s default in payment of Rent (which includes Late Charges, NSF fees or other sums due); **(ii)** repair damage, excluding ordinary wear and tear, caused by Tenant or by a guest or licensee of Tenant; **(iii)** clean Premises, if necessary, upon termination of the tenancy; and **(iv)** replace or return personal property or appurtenances. **SECURITY DEPOSIT SHALL NOT BE USED BY TENANT IN LIEU OF PAYMENT OF LAST MONTH’S RENT.** If all or any portion of the security deposit is used during the tenancy, Tenant agrees to reinstate the total security deposit within 5 days after written notice is delivered to Tenant.

(3) Within 21 days after Tenant vacates the Premises, **Housing Provider** shall: **(i)** furnish Tenant an itemized statement indicating the amount of any security deposit received and the basis for its disposition; and **(ii)** return any remaining portion of the security deposit to Tenant.

E. Except when escrow closes, security deposit will not be returned until all Tenants have vacated the Premises. Any security deposit returned by check shall be made out to all Tenants named on this Agreement, or as subsequently modified.

F. No interest will be paid on security deposit unless required by local Law.

Premises: _____ Date: _____

G. If the security deposit is held by Seller, Tenant agrees not to hold Broker responsible for its return. If the security deposit is held in Seller's Broker's trust account, and Broker's authority is terminated before expiration of this Agreement, and security deposit is released to someone other than Tenant, then Broker shall notify Tenant, in writing, where and to whom security deposit has been released. Once Tenant has been provided such notice, Tenant agrees not to hold Broker responsible for the security deposit.

5. **MOVE-IN COSTS RECEIVED/DUE:** Move-in funds made payable to _____ shall be paid by personal check, money order, cashier's check, through escrow (per escrow instructions), or wire/electronic transfer.

Category	Total Due	Payment Received	Balance Due	Date Due
Rent from _____ to _____ (date)				
*Security Deposit				
Other _____				
Other _____				
Total				

6. **LATE CHARGE; RETURNED CHECKS:**

A. Tenant acknowledges either late payment of Rent or issuance of a returned check may cause Housing Provider to incur costs and expenses, the exact amounts of which are extremely difficult and impractical to determine. These costs may include, but are not limited to, processing, enforcement and accounting expenses, and late charges imposed on Housing Provider. If any installment of Rent due from Tenant is not received by Housing Provider within 5 (or _____) calendar days after the date due, or if a check is returned, Tenant shall pay to Housing Provider, respectively, an additional sum of \$ _____ or _____% of the Rent due as a Late Charge and \$25.00 as a NSF fee for the first returned check and \$35.00 as a NSF fee for each additional returned check, either or both of which shall be deemed additional Rent.

B. Housing Provider and Tenant agree these charges represent a fair and reasonable estimate of the costs Housing Provider may incur by reason of Tenant's late or NSF payment. Any Late Charge or NSF fee due shall be paid with the current installment of Rent. Housing Provider's acceptance of any Late Charge or NSF fee shall not constitute a waiver as to any default of Tenant. Housing Provider's right to collect a Late Charge or NSF fee shall not be deemed an extension of the date Rent is due under paragraph 3 or prevent Housing Provider from exercising any other rights and remedies under this Agreement and as provided by law.

7. **PARKING: (Check A or B)**

A. Parking is permitted as follows: _____

The right to parking is is not included in the Rent charged pursuant to paragraph 3. If not included in the Rent, the parking rental fee shall be an additional \$ _____ per month. Parking space(s) are to be used for parking properly licensed and operable motor vehicles, except for trailers, boats, campers, buses, or trucks (other than pick-up trucks). Tenant shall park in assigned space(s) only. Parking space(s) are to be kept clean. Vehicles leaking oil, gas or other motor vehicle fluids shall not be parked on the Premises. Mechanical work, or storage of inoperable vehicles, or storage of any kind is not permitted in parking space(s) or elsewhere on the Premises except as specified in paragraph 8.

OR B. Parking is not permitted on the real property of which the Premises is a part.

8. **STORAGE: (Check A or B)**

A. Storage is permitted as follows: _____
The right to separate storage space is is not included in the Rent charged pursuant to paragraph 3. If not included in the Rent, storage space fee shall be an additional \$ _____ per month. Tenant shall store only personal property Tenant owns, and shall not store property claimed by another or in which another has any right, title, or interest. Tenant shall not store any improperly packaged food or perishable goods, flammable materials, explosives, hazardous waste or other inherently dangerous material, or illegal substances.

OR B. Except for Tenant's personal property, contained entirely within the Premises, storage is not permitted on the Premises.

9. **UTILITIES:** Tenant agrees to pay for all utilities and services, and the following charges: _____, except _____, which shall be paid for by Housing Provider. If any utilities are not separately metered, Tenant shall pay Tenant's proportional share, as reasonably determined and directed by Housing Provider. If utilities are separately metered, Tenant shall place utilities in Tenant's name as of the Commencement Date. Housing Provider is only responsible for installing and maintaining one usable phone jack and one telephone line to the Premises. Tenant shall pay any cost for conversion from existing utilities service provider.

- A. Water Submeters: Water use on the Premises is measured by a submeter and Tenant will be separately billed for water usage based on the submeter. See attached Water Submeter Addendum (C.A.R. Form WSM) for additional terms.
- B. Gas Meter: The Premises does not have a separate gas meter.
- C. Electric Meter: The Premises does not have a separate electrical meter.

10. **CONDITION OF PREMISES:** Tenant has examined Premises and, if any, all furniture, furnishings, appliances, landscaping and fixtures, including smoke alarm(s) and carbon monoxide detector(s). (Check all that apply:)

- A. Tenant's acknowledgment of the condition of these items is contained in an attached statement of conditions (C.A.R. Form MII).
- B. (i) Housing Provider will Deliver to Tenant a statement of condition (C.A.R. Form MII) within 3 days after execution of this Agreement; prior to the Commencement Date; within 3 days after the Commencement Date.
(ii) Tenant shall complete and return the MII to Housing Provider within 3 (or _____) days after Delivery. Tenant's failure to return the MII within that time shall conclusively be deemed Tenant's Acknowledgement of the condition as stated in the MII.
- C. Tenant will provide Housing Provider a list of items that are damaged or not in operable condition within 3 (or _____) days after Commencement Date, not as a contingency of this Agreement but rather as an acknowledgement of the condition of the Premises.
- D. Other: _____



11. MAINTENANCE USE AND REPORTING:

- A. Tenant shall properly use, operate and safeguard Premises, including if applicable, any landscaping, furniture, furnishings and appliances, and all mechanical, electrical, gas and plumbing fixtures, carbon monoxide detector(s) and smoke alarms, and keep them and the Premises clean, sanitary and well ventilated. Tenant shall be responsible for checking and maintaining all carbon monoxide detectors and any additional phone lines beyond the one line and jack that Housing Provider shall provide and maintain. Tenant shall replace any burned out or malfunctioning light bulbs. Tenant shall immediately notify Housing Provider, in writing, of any problem, malfunction or damage with any item including carbon monoxide detector(s) and smoke alarms on the property. Tenant shall be charged for all repairs or replacements caused by Tenant, pets, guests or licensees of Tenant, excluding ordinary wear and tear. Tenant shall be charged for all damage to Premises as a result of failure to report a problem in a timely manner. Tenant shall be charged for repair of drain blockages or stoppages, unless caused by defective plumbing parts or tree roots invading sewer lines.
- B. Housing Provider Tenant shall water the garden, landscaping, trees and shrubs, except: _____
- C. Housing Provider Tenant shall maintain the garden, landscaping, trees and shrubs, except: _____
- D. Housing Provider Tenant shall maintain _____
- E. Housing Provider and Tenant agree that State or local water use restrictions shall supersede any obligation of Housing Provider or Tenant to water or maintain any garden, landscaping, trees or shrubs pursuant to paragraphs 11B, 11C, and 11D.
- F. Tenant's failure to maintain any item for which Tenant is responsible shall give Housing Provider the right to hire someone to perform such maintenance and charge Tenant to cover the cost of such maintenance.
- G. Personal property belonging to the Seller/Housing Provider at the Close of Escrow of the purchase of the Premises shall be removed by Housing Provider and Buyer/Tenant shall provide access the following items of personal property are included in the Premises without warranty and Housing Provider will not maintain, repair or replace them: _____
- H. Tenant understands that if Premises is located in a Common Interest Development, Housing Provider may not have authority or control over certain parts of the Premises such as roof, electrical, gas or plumbing features inside certain walls, and common areas such as shared parking structure or garage.
- I. Tenant shall not use the premises to plant, grow, cultivate or sell marijuana.

12. NEIGHBORHOOD CONDITIONS: Tenant is advised to satisfy themselves as to neighborhood or area conditions, including, but not limited to, schools, proximity and adequacy of law enforcement, crime statistics, proximity of registered felons or offenders, fire protection, other governmental services, availability, adequacy and cost of any wired, wireless internet connections or other telecommunications or other technology services and installations, proximity to commercial, industrial or agricultural activities, existing and proposed transportation, construction and development that may affect noise, view, or traffic, airport noise, noise or odor from any source, wild and domestic animals, other nuisances, hazards, or circumstances, cemeteries, facilities and condition of common areas, conditions and influences of significance to certain cultures and/or religions, and personal needs, requirements and preferences of Tenant.

13. PETS: Unless otherwise provided in California Civil Code § 54.2, or other law, no animal or pet shall be kept on or about the Premises without Housing Provider's prior written consent, except as agreed to in the attached Pet Addendum (C.A.R. Form PET).

14. SMOKING:

- A. (i) Tenant is responsible for all damage caused by smoking including, but not limited to stains, burns, odors and removal of debris; (ii) Tenant acknowledges that in order to remove odor caused by smoking, Housing Provider may need to replace carpet and drapes and paint the entire premises regardless of when these items were last cleaned, replaced or repainted. Such actions and other necessary steps will impact the return of any security deposit.
- B. The Premises of common areas may be subject to a local non-smoking ordinance.
- C. **NO SMOKING** of any substance is allowing on the Premises or common areas. (i) Tenant is in material breach of this Agreement; (ii) Tenant, guests, and all others may be required to leave the Premises. Smoking of the following substances only is allowed: _____

15. RULES/REGULATIONS:

- A. Tenant agrees to comply with all Housing Provider rules and regulations that are at any time posted on the Premises or delivered to Tenant. Tenant shall not, and shall ensure that guests, invitees and licensees of Tenant shall not, disturb, annoy, endanger or interfere with other tenants of the building or neighbors, or use the Premises for any unlawful purposes, under federal, state or local law including, but not limited to, using, manufacturing, selling, storing or transporting illicit drugs or other contraband, or violate any law or ordinance, or commit a waste or nuisance on or about the Premises.
- B. **(If applicable, check one):**

(1) Housing Provider shall provide Tenant with a copy of the rules and regulations within _____ days or _____

OR (2) Tenant has been provided with, and acknowledges receipt of, a copy of the rules and regulations.

16. (If checked) CONDOMINIUM; PLANNED UNIT DEVELOPMENT:

- A. The Premises is a unit in a condominium, planned unit development, common interest subdivision, or other development governed by a homeowners' association ("HOA"). The name of the HOA is _____ Tenant agrees to comply with all HOA covenants, conditions and restrictions, bylaws, rules and regulations, and decisions ("HOA Rules"). Tenant shall reimburse Housing Provider for any fines or charges imposed by HOA or other authorities, due to any violation by Tenant, or the guests or licensees of Tenant or Housing Provider shall have the right to deduct such amounts from the security deposit.
- B. If applicable, Tenant is required to pay a fee to the HOA to gain access to certain areas within the development such as but not necessarily including or limited to the front gate, pool, and recreational facilities. If not specified in paragraph 5, Tenant is solely responsible for payment and satisfying any HOA requirements prior to or upon or after the Commencement Date.
- C. **(Check one):**

(1) Housing Provider shall provide Tenant with a copy of the HOA rules and regulations within _____ days or _____

OR (2) Tenant has been provided with, and acknowledges receipt of, a copy of the HOA rules and regulations.

17. ALTERATIONS; REPAIRS: Unless otherwise specified by law or paragraph 24C, without Housing Provider's prior written consent: (i) Tenant shall not make any repairs, alterations or improvements in or about the Premises including: painting, wallpapering, adding or changing locks, installing antenna or satellite dish(es), placing signs, displays or exhibits, or using screws, fastening devices, large nails or adhesive materials; (ii) Housing Provider shall not be responsible for the costs of alterations or repairs made by Tenant; (iii) Tenant shall not deduct from Rent the costs of any repairs, alterations or improvements; and (iv) any deduction made by Tenant shall be considered unpaid Rent.



Premises: _____ Date: _____

18. KEYS; LOCKS:

A. Tenant acknowledges receipt of (or Tenant will receive prior to the Commencement Date, or _____):

<input type="checkbox"/> _____ key(s) to Premises,	<input type="checkbox"/> _____ remote control device(s) for garage door/gate opener(s),
<input type="checkbox"/> _____ key(s) to mailbox,	<input type="checkbox"/> _____,
<input type="checkbox"/> _____ key(s) to common area(s),	<input type="checkbox"/> _____.

B. Tenant acknowledges that locks to the Premises have, have not, been re-keyed.

C. If Tenant re-keys existing locks or opening devices, Tenant shall immediately deliver copies of all keys to **Housing Provider**. Tenant shall pay all costs and charges related to loss of any keys or opening devices. Tenant may not remove locks, even if installed by Tenant.

19. ENTRY:

A. Tenant shall make Premises available to **Housing Provider** or **Housing Provider's** representative for the purpose of entering to make necessary or agreed repairs (including, but not limited to, installing, repairing, testing, and maintaining smoke detectors and carbon monoxide devices, and bracing, anchoring or strapping water heaters, or repairing dilapidation relating to the presence of mold), decorations, alterations, or improvements; or supplying necessary or agreed services; or to show Premises to prospective or actual purchasers, tenants, mortgagees, lenders, appraisers, contractors and other (collectively "Interested Persons"). Tenant agrees that **Housing Provider**, Broker and Interested Persons may take photos of the Premises.

B. **Housing Provider** and Tenant agree that 24-hour written notice shall be reasonable and sufficient notice, except as follows:

- (1) 48-hour written notice is required to conduct an inspection of the Premises prior to the Tenant moving out, unless the Tenant waives the right to such notice.
- (2) If **Housing Provider** has in writing informed Tenant that the Premises are for sale and that Tenant will be notified orally to show the premises (C.A.R. Form NSE), then, for the next 120 days following the delivery of the NSE, notice may be given orally to show the Premises to actual or prospective purchasers.
- (3) No written notice is required if **Housing Provider** and Tenant orally agree to an entry for agreed services or repairs if the date and time of entry are within one week of the oral agreement.
- (4) No notice is required to (i) enter in case of an emergency; (ii) if the Tenant is present and consents at the time of entry; or (iii) the Tenant has abandoned or surrendered the Premises.

C. (If checked) Tenant authorizes the use of a keysafe/lockbox to allow entry into the Premises and agrees to sign a keysafe/lockbox addendum (C.A.R. Form KLA).

20. PHOTOGRAPHS AND INTERNET ADVERTISING:

A. In order to effectively market the Premises for sale or rental it is often necessary to provide photographs, virtual tours and other media to Interested Persons. Tenant agrees that Broker may photograph or otherwise electronically capture images of the exterior and interior of the Premises ("Images") for static and/or virtual tours of the Premises by Interested Persons for use on Broker's website, the MLS, and other marketing materials and sites. Tenant acknowledges that once Images are placed on the Internet neither Broker nor **Housing Provider** has control over who can view such Images and what use viewers may make of the Images, or how long such Images may remain available on the Internet.

B. Tenant acknowledges that prospective Interested Persons coming onto the Premises may take photographs, videos or other images of the Premises. Tenant understands that Broker does not have the ability to control or block the take and use of Images by any such persons. Once Images are taken and/or put into electronic display on the Internet or otherwise, neither Broker nor **Housing Provider** has control over who views such Images nor what use viewers may make of the Images.

21. SIGNS: Tenant authorizes **Housing Provider** to place FOR SALE/LEASE signs on the Premises.

22. ASSIGNMENT; SUBLETTING:

A. Tenant shall not sublet all or any part of Premises, or parking or storages spaces, or assign or transfer this Agreement or any interest in it, without **Housing Provider's** prior written consent. Unless such consent is obtained, any assignment, transfer or subletting of Premises or this Agreement or tenancy, by voluntary act of Tenant, operation of law or otherwise, shall, at the option of **Housing Provider**, terminate this Agreement. Any proposed assignee, transferee or sublessee shall submit to **Housing Provider** an application and credit information for **Housing Provider's** approval and, if approved, sign a separate written agreement with **Housing Provider** and Tenant. **Housing Provider's** consent to any one assignment, transfer or sublease, shall not be construed as consent to any subsequent assignment, transfer or sublease and does not release Tenant of Tenant's obligations under this Agreement.

B. This prohibition also applies (does not apply) to short term, vacation, and transient rentals such as, but not limited to, those arranged through AirBnB, VRBO, HomeAway or other short term rental services.

C. Any violation of this prohibition is a non-curable, material breach of this Agreement.

23. JOINT AND INDIVIDUAL OBLIGATIONS: If there is more than one Tenant, each one shall be individually and completely responsible for the performance of all obligations of Tenant under this Agreement, jointly with every other Tenant, and individually, whether or not in possession.

24. TENANT'S OBLIGATIONS UPON VACATING PREMISES:

A. Upon termination of this Agreement, Tenant shall: (i) give **Housing Provider** all copies of all keys and any opening devices to Premises, including any common areas; (ii) vacate and surrender Premises to **Housing Provider**, empty of all persons; and personal property belonging to Tenant (iii) vacate any/all parking and/or storage space; (iv) clean and deliver Premises, as specified in **paragraph C** below, to **Housing Provider** in the same condition as referenced in **paragraph 10**; (v) remove all debris; (vi) give written notice to **Housing Provider** of Tenant's forwarding address; and (vii) _____

B. All alterations/improvements made by or caused to be made by Tenant, with or without **Housing Provider's** consent, become the property of **Housing Provider** upon termination. **Housing Provider** may charge Tenant for restoration of the Premises to the conditions it was in prior to any alterations/improvements.



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C. Right to Pre-Move-Out Inspection and Repairs: (i) After giving or receiving notice of termination of tenancy (C.A.R. Form NTT), or before the expiration of this Agreement, Tenant has the right to request that an inspection of the Premises take place prior to termination (C.A.R. Form NRI). If Tenant requests such an inspection, Tenant shall be given an opportunity to remedy identified deficiencies prior to termination, consistent with the terms of this Agreement. (ii) Any repairs or alterations made to the Premises as a result of this inspection (collectively, "Repairs") shall be made at Tenant's expense. Repairs may be performed by Tenant or through others, who have adequate insurance and licenses and are approved by Housing Provider. The work shall comply with applicable law, including governmental permit, inspection and approval requirements. Repairs shall be performed in a good, skillful manner with materials of quality and appearance comparable to existing materials. It is understood that exact restoration of appearance or cosmetic items following all Repairs may not be possible. (iii) Tenant shall: (a) obtain receipts for Repairs performed by others; (b) prepare a written statement indicating the Repairs performed by Tenant and the date of such Repairs; and (c) provide copies of receipts and statement to Housing Provider prior to termination. Paragraph 24C does not apply when the tenancy is terminated pursuant to California Code of Civil Procedure § 1161(2), (3), or (4).

25. BREACH OF CONTRACT; EARLY TERMINATION: In addition to any obligations established by paragraph 24, in event of termination by Tenant prior to completion of the original term of the Agreement, Tenant shall also be responsible for lost Rent, rental commissions, advertising expenses and painting costs necessary to ready Premises for re-rental. Housing Provider may withhold any such amounts from Tenant's security deposit.

26. TEMPORARY RELOCATION: Subject to local law, Tenant agrees, upon demand of Housing Provider, to temporarily vacate Premises for a reasonable period, to allow for fumigation (or other methods) to control wood destroying pests or organisms, or other repairs to control, fumigation or other work, including bagging or storage food and medicine, and removal of perishables and valuables. Tenant shall only be entitled to a credit of Rent equal to the per diem Rent for the period of time Tenant is required to vacate Premises.

27. DAMAGE TO PREMISES: If, by no fault of Tenant, Premises are totally or partially damaged or destroyed by fire, earthquake, accident or other casualty that render Premises totally or partially uninhabitable, either Housing Provider or Tenant may terminate this Agreement by giving the other written notice. Rent shall be abated as of the date Premises become totally or partially uninhabitable. The abated amount shall be the current monthly Rent prorated on a 30-day period. If this Agreement is not terminated, Housing Provider shall promptly repair the damage, and Rent shall be reduced based on the extent to which the damage interferes with Tenant's reasonable use of Premises. If damage occurs as a result of an act of Tenant or Tenant's guests, only Housing Provider shall have the right of termination, and no reduction in Rent shall be made.

28. INSURANCE:

- A. Tenant's, guest's, invitees or licensee's personal property and vehicles are not insured by Housing Provider, manager or, if applicable, HOA, against loss or damage due to fire, theft, vandalism, rain, water, criminal or negligent acts of others, or any other cause. Tenant is advised to carry Tenant's own insurance (renter's insurance) to protect Tenant from any such loss or damage.
- B. Tenant shall comply with any requirement imposed on Tenant by Housing Provider's insurer to avoid: (i) an increase in Housing Provider's premium (or Tenant shall pay for the increase in premium); or (ii) loss of insurance.
- C. Tenant shall obtain liability insurance, in an amount not less than \$_____, naming Housing Provider and, if applicable, Property Manager as additional insured for injury or damage to, or upon, the Premises during the term of this agreement or any extension. Tenant shall provide Housing Provider a copy of the insurance policy before commencement of this Agreement, and a rider prior to renewal.

29. WATERBEDS/PORTABLE WASHERS: Tenant shall not use or have waterbeds on the Premises unless: (i) Tenant obtains a valid waterbed insurance policy; (ii) Tenant increases the security deposit in an amount equal to one-half of one month's Rent; and (iii) the bed conforms to the floor load capacity of Premises.

Tenant shall not use on the Premises Portable Dishwasher Portable Washing Machine.

30. WAIVER: The waiver of any breach shall not be construed as a continuing waiver of the same or any subsequent breach.

31. NOTICE: Notices may be served at the following address, or at any other location subsequently designated:

Housing Provider: _____ Tenant: _____

32. TENANT ESTOPPEL CERTIFICATE: Tenant shall execute and return a tenant estoppel certificate delivered to Tenant by Housing Provider or Housing Provider's agent within 3 days after its receipt. Failure to comply with this requirement shall be deemed Tenant's acknowledgment that the tenant estoppel certificate is true and correct, and may be relied upon by a lender or purchaser.

33. MEDIATION:

- A. Consistent with paragraphs B and C below, Housing Provider and Tenant agree to mediate any dispute or claim arising between them out of this Agreement, or any resulting transaction, before resorting to court action. Mediation fees, if any, shall be divided equally among the parties involved. If, for any dispute or claim to which this paragraph applies, any party commences an action without first attempting to resolve the matter through mediation, or refuses to mediate after a request has been made, then that party shall not be entitled to recover attorney fees, even if they would otherwise be available to that party in any such action.
- B. The following matters are excluded from mediation: (i) an unlawful detainer action; (ii) the filing or enforcement of a mechanic's lien; and (iii) any matter within the jurisdiction of a probate, small claims or bankruptcy court. The filing of a court action to enable the recording of a notice of pending action, for order of attachment, receivership, injunction, or other provisional remedies, shall not constitute a waiver of the mediation provision.
- C. Housing Provider and Tenant agree to mediate disputes or claims involving Listing Agent, Leasing Agent or property manager ("Broker"), provided Broker shall have agreed to such mediation prior to, or within a reasonable time after, the dispute or claim is presented to such Broker. Any election by Broker to participate in mediation shall not result in Broker being deemed a party to this Agreement.

34. ATTORNEY FEES: In any action or proceeding arising out of the Agreement, the prevailing party between Housing Provider and Tenant shall be entitled to reasonable attorney fees and costs collectively not to exceed \$1,000 (or \$_____), except as provided in paragraph 33A.

35. C.A.R. FORM: C.A.R. Form means the specific form referenced or another comparable form agreed to by the parties.

36. STATUTORY DISCLOSURES:

- A. MOLD AND DAMPNESS: Exposure to mold may have potential health risks. Tenant acknowledges receipt of the attached booklet titled, "Information on Dampness and Mold for Renters in California" before signing this Residential Lease or Month-to-Month Rental Agreement.



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- B. BED BUGS:** Housing Provider has no knowledge of any infestation in the Premises by bed bugs. See attached Bed Bug Disclosure (C.A.R. Form BBD) for further information. Tenant shall report suspected bed bug infestation to Housing Provider or, if applicable, property manager and cooperate with any inspection for and treatment of bed bugs. Housing Provider will notify tenants of any units infested by bed bugs.
- C. MEGAN'S LAW DATABASE DISCLOSURE:** Notice: Pursuant to § 290.46 of the Penal Code, information about specified registered sex offenders is made available to the public via an Internet Website maintained by the Department of Justice at www.meganslaw.ca.gov. Depending on an offender's criminal history, this information will include either the address at which the offender resides or the community of residence and ZIP Code in which he or she resides. (Neither Housing Provider nor Brokers, if any, are required to check this website. If Tenant wants further information, Tenant should obtain information directly from this website.)
- D. RESIDENTIAL ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS BOOKLET:** Tenant acknowledges receipt of the residential environmental hazards booklet.
- E. FLOOD HAZARD DISCLOSURE:** Flooding has the potential to cause significant damage to personal property owned by Tenant. See attached Tenant Flood Hazard Disclosure (C.A.R. Form TFHD) for additional information.
- F. OTHER MATERIAL FACTS:** _____

G. ADDITIONAL DISCLOSURES: RPO shall make additional disclosures regarding the following matters, if applicable, on the Rental Property Owner Disclosure (C.A.R. Form RPOD): Lead-based Paint; Methamphetamine Contamination; Periodic Pest Control Contracts; Water Submeters; Mold; Asbestos; Homeowners Associations/Condominiums/Planned Developments; Military Ordnance Locations; Death on the Premises.

37. SERVICEMEMBERS CIVIL RELIEF ACT: Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in paragraphs 2, 4, 25 or elsewhere in this Agreement, the Servicemembers Civil Relief Act applies to this Agreement and any effort to terminate it, as specified in §§ 2951 and 2955 of the Act.

38. TIME OF ESSENCE; ENTIRE AGREEMENT: Time is of the essence. All understandings between the parties are incorporated in this Agreement. Its terms are intended by the parties as a final, complete and exclusive expression of their Agreement with respect to its subject matter, and may not be contradicted by evidence of any prior agreement or contemporaneous oral agreement. If any provision of this Agreement is held to be ineffective or invalid, the remaining provisions will nevertheless be given full force and effect. Neither this Agreement nor any provision in it may be extended, amended, modified, altered or changed except in writing. This Agreement and any supplement, addendum or modification, including any copy, may be signed in two or more counterparts, all which shall constitute one and the same writing.

39. AGENCY:

A. CONFIRMATION: The following agency relationship(s) are hereby confirmed for this transaction:

Housing Provider's Brokerage Firm _____ License Number _____

Is the broker of (check one): the Housing Provider; or both the Tenant and Housing Provider (Dual Agent).

Housing Provider's Agent _____ License Number _____

Is (check one): the Housing Provider's Agent. (salesperson or broker associate); or both the Tenant's and Housing Provider's Agent (Dual Agent).

Tenant's Brokerage Firm _____ License Number _____

Is the broker of (check one): the Tenant; or both the Tenant and Housing Provider (Dual Agent).

Tenant's Agent _____ License Number _____

Is (check one): the Tenant's Agent. (salesperson or broker associate); or both the Tenant's and Housing Provider's Agent (Dual Agent).

B. DISCLOSURE: (If checked): The term of this lease exceeds one year. A disclosure regarding real estate agency relationships (C.A.R. Form AD) has been provided to Housing Provider and Tenant, who each acknowledge its receipt.

40. NOTICE OF RIGHT TO RECEIVE FOREIGN LANGUAGE TRANSLATION OF LEASE/RENTAL AGREEMENTS: California Civil Code requires a Housing Provider or property manager to provide a tenant with a foreign language translation copy of a lease or rental agreement if the agreement was negotiated primarily in Spanish, Chinese, Korean, Tagalog or Vietnamese. If applicable, every term of the lease/rental needs to be translated except for, among others, names, dollar amounts and dates written as numerals, and words with no generally accepted non-English translation.

41. RECEIPT: If specified in paragraph 5, Housing Provider or Broker, acknowledges receipt of move-in funds.

42. OTHER TERMS AND CONDITIONS: If checked, the following ATTACHED documents are incorporated in this Agreement:

Keysafe/Lockbox Addendum (C.A.R. Form KLA); Lead-Based Paint and Lead-Based Paint Hazards Disclosure (C.A.R. Form LPD);

Lease/Rental Mold and Ventilation Addendum (C.A.R. Form LRM); Bed Bug Disclosure (C.A.R. Form BBD);

Tenant Flood Hazard Disclosure (C.A.R. Form TFHD) Rent Cap and Just Cause Addendum (C.A.R. Form RCJC)

Other: _____

43. LEGALLY AUTHORIZED SIGNER: Wherever the signature or initials of the Legally Authorized Signer identified in paragraphs 46 or 47 appear on this Agreement or any related documents, it shall be deemed to be in a representative capacity for the entity described and not in an individual capacity, unless otherwise indicated. The Legally Authorized Signer (i) represents that the entity for which that person is acting already exists and is in good standing to do business in California and (ii) shall Deliver to the other Party, upon request, evidence of authority to act in that capacity (such as but not limited to: applicable portion of the trust or Certification Of Trust (Probate Code § 18100.5), letters testamentary, court order, power of attorney, corporate resolution, or formation documents of the business entity).

Housing Provider and Tenant acknowledge and agree Brokers: (a) do not guarantee the condition of the Premises; (b) do not verify representations made by others; (c) cannot provide legal or tax advice; (d) will not provide other advice or information that exceeds the knowledge, education or experience required to obtain a real estate license. Furthermore, Brokers: (e) do not decide what rental rate a Tenant should pay or Housing Provider should accept; and (f) do not decide upon the length or other terms of tenancy. Housing Provider and Tenant agree they will seek legal, tax, insurance and other desired assistance from appropriate professionals.



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44. **INTERPRETER/TRANSLATOR:** The terms of this Agreement have been interpreted for Tenant into the following language: _____ **Housing Provider** and Tenant acknowledge receipt of the attached interpretator/translator agreement, (C.A.R. Form ITA).

45. The Premises is being managed by Owner, (or, if checked):
 Housing Provider's Brokerage Firm in Real Estate Brokerage section
 Tenant's Brokerage Firm in Real Estate Brokers section
 Property Management firm immediately below

Real Estate Broker(Property Manager) _____ DRE Lic # _____
By (Agent) _____ DRE Lic # _____
Address _____ Telephone # _____

46. Tenant/Buyer agrees to rent the Premises on the above terms and conditions.

- ENTITY TENANT:** (Note: If this paragraph is completed, a Representative Capacity Signature Disclosure (C.A.R. Form RCSD) is not required for the Legally Authorized Signers designated below.)
(1) One or more Tenant is a trust, corporation, LLC, probate estate, partnership, holding a power of attorney or other entity.
(2) This Agreement is being Signed by a Legally Authorized Signer in a representative capacity and not for him/herself as an individual. See **paragraph 43** for additional terms.
(3) The name(s) of the Legally Authorized Signer(s) is: _____
(4) If a trust, identify Tenant as trustee(s) of the trust or by simplified trust name (ex. John Doe, co-trustee, Jane Doe, co-trustee or Doe Revocable Family Trust).
(5) If the entity is a trust or under probate, the following is the full name of the trust or probate case, including case #: _____

TENANT SIGNATURE(S):

(Signature) By, _____ Date: _____
Printed name of Tenant: _____
 Printed Name of Legally Authorized Signer: _____ Title, if applicable, _____
Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____
Email _____ Phone # _____

(Signature) By, _____ Date: _____
Printed name of Tenant: _____
 Printed Name of Legally Authorized Signer: _____ Title, if applicable, _____
Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____
Email _____ Phone # _____

Additional Signature Addendum attached (C.A.R. Form ASA)

47. Housing Provider/Seller agrees to rent the Premises on the above terms and conditions.

- ENTITY HOUSING PROVIDER:** (Note: If this paragraph is completed, a Representative Capacity Signature Disclosure (C.A.R. Form RCSD) is not required for the Legally Authorized Signers designated below.)
(1) One or more Housing Provider is a trust, corporation, LLC, probate estate, partnership, holding a power of attorney or other entity.
(2) This Agreement is being Signed by a Legally Authorized Signer in a representative capacity and not for him/herself as an individual. See paragraph 43 for additional terms.
(3) The name(s) of the Legally Authorized Signer(s) is: _____
(4) If a trust, identify Housing Provide as trustee(s) of the trust or by simplified trust name (ex. John Doe, co-trustee, Jane Doe, co-trustee or Doe Revocable Family Trust).
(5) If the entity is a trust or under probate, the following is the full name of the trust or probate case, including case #: _____

HOUSING PROVIDER SIGNATURE(S):

(Signature) By, _____ Date: _____
Printed name of Housing Provider: _____
 Printed Name of Legally Authorized Signer: _____ Title, if applicable, _____
Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____
Telephone _____ Text _____ E-mail _____

(Signature) By, _____ Date: _____
Printed name of Housing Provider: _____
 Printed Name of Legally Authorized Signer: _____ Title, if applicable, _____
Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____
Telephone _____ Text _____ E-mail _____

Additional Signature Addendum attached (C.A.R. Form ASA)



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REAL ESTATE BROKERS:

- A. Real estate brokers who are not also **Housing Provider** under this Agreement are not parties to the Agreement between **Housing Provider/Seller** and **Tenant/Buyer**.
- B. Agency relationships are confirmed in **paragraph 39**.
- C. **COOPERATING BROKER COMPENSATION:** Unless **Otherwise Agreed**, compensation for this **Interim Occupancy Agreement** is **included in any compensation received from purchase of the real property described in this Agreement**, or (if checked) the amount specified in a separate written agreement between **Housing Provider's Broker** and **Tenant's Broker**.

Tenant's/Seller's Brokerage Firm _____ DRE Lic. # _____

By (Agent) _____ DRE Lic. # _____ Date _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Telephone _____ **Text** _____ E-mail _____

Housing Provider's/Buyer's Brokerage Firm _____ DRE Lic. # _____

By (Agent) _____ DRE Lic. # _____ Date _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Telephone _____ **Text** _____ E-mail _____

Tenant's Initials _____ / _____ **Housing Provider's Initials** _____ / _____

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1. **MARKET CONDITIONS:** Real estate markets are cyclical and can change over time. It is impossible to predict future market conditions with accuracy. In a competitive or “hot” real estate market, there are generally more Buyers than Sellers. This will often lead to multiple buyers competing for the same property. As a result, in order to make their offers more attractive, some Buyers may offer more than originally planned or eliminate certain contingencies in their offers. In a less competitive or “cool” market there are generally more Sellers than Buyers, often causing real estate prices to level off or drop, sometimes precipitously. The sales price of homes being sold as foreclosures and short sales is difficult to anticipate and can affect the value of other homes in the area. Brokers, appraisers, Sellers and Buyers take these “distressed” property sales and listings into consideration when valuing property. In light of the real estate market’s cyclical nature it is important that Buyers understand the potential for little or no appreciation in value, or an actual loss in value, of the property they purchase. This Advisory discusses some of the potential risks inherent in changing market conditions.
2. **BUYER CONSIDERATIONS:**
 - A. **OFFERING PRICE: AS A BUYER, YOU ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR DETERMINING THE PRICE YOU WANT TO OFFER FOR A PROPERTY.** Although Brokers may provide you with comparable sales data, generally from information published in the local multiple listing service, you should know that the reporting of this data is often delayed and prices may change, up or down, faster than reported sales indicate. All buyers should be sure they are comfortable with the price they are offering or the price they are accepting in a counter offer. You should be aware of and think about the following: **(i)** If your offer is accepted, the property’s value may not increase and may even decrease. **(ii)** If your offer is accepted, you may have “Buyer’s remorse” that you paid too much. **(iii)** If your offer is rejected there can be no guarantee that you will find a similar property at the same price. **(iv)** If your offer is rejected, you may not be satisfied that the amount you offered was right for you. Only you can determine that your offer was reasonable and prudent in light of the property and your circumstances.
 - B. **NON-CONTINGENT OFFERS:** Most residential purchase agreements contain contingencies allowing a Buyer within a specified period of time to cancel a purchase if: **(i)** the Buyer cannot obtain a loan; **(ii)** if the property does not appraise at a certain value ; **(iii)** if the Buyer is dissatisfied with the property’s condition after an inspection; **(iv)** if an insurance policy cannot be obtained for an acceptable cost; or **(v)** for any other contingency within the purchase agreement. To make their offers more attractive, Buyers will sometimes write offers with few or no contingencies or offer to remove contingencies within a short period of time. In a “hot” market, sellers will sometimes insist that Buyers write offers with no contingencies. Broker recommends that Buyers do not write non-contingent offers and if you do so, you are acting against Broker’s advice. However, if you do write a non-contingent offer these are some of the contractual rights you may be giving up:
 - (1) **LOAN CONTINGENCY:** If you give up your loan contingency, and you cannot obtain a loan, whether through your fault or the fault of your lender, and as a result, you do not or cannot purchase the property, you may legally be in default under the contract and required to pay damages or forfeit your deposit to the seller.
 - (2) **APPRAISAL CONTINGENCY:** If your lender’s (or your own) appraiser does not believe the property is worth what you have agreed to pay for it, your lender may not loan the full amount needed for the purchase or may not loan any amount at all because of a low appraisal. As a result, if you do not purchase the property, and you have removed your appraisal contingency, you may legally be in default under the contract and could be required to pay damages to, or forfeit your deposit to, the Seller. The Seller is not obligated to reduce the purchase price to match the appraised value.
 - (3) **INVESTIGATION CONTINGENCY:** If you disapprove of the condition of the property and as a result, you do not purchase the property, you may legally be in default under the contract and required to pay damages to, or forfeit your deposit to, the Seller if you have removed your investigation contingency. However, even if you make an offer without an investigation contingency or you remove that contingency, the Seller may still be obligated to disclose to you material facts about the property. In some cases, once you receive that information the law gives you an independent right to cancel for a limited period of time.

(4) **INSURANCE CONTINGENCY:** If you cannot obtain insurance or disapprove of the cost, and you do not purchase the property, you may legally be in default under the contract and required to pay damages to, or forfeit your deposit to, the Seller if you have removed your insurance contingency.

There is inherent risk in writing a non-contingent offer. Only you, after careful consultation and deliberation with your attorney, accountant, or financial advisor can decide how much risk you are willing to take. IT IS YOUR DECISION ALONE AND CANNOT BE MADE BY YOUR BROKER OR REAL ESTATE AGENT.

C. BROKER RECOMMENDATIONS. Broker recommends that you do not write a non-contingent offer, even if you are planning on paying all cash for the property. If you intend to write a non-contingent offer, Broker recommends that, prior to writing the offer, you: **(i)** review all available Seller reports, disclosures, information and documents; **(ii)** have an appropriate professional inspect the property (even if it is being sold “as is” in its present condition); and **(iii)** carefully assess your financial position and risk with your attorney, accountant or financial advisor.

D. MULTIPLE OFFERS: At times Buyers may write offers on more than one property even though the Buyer intends to purchase only one. This may occur in a short sale when the approval process can take a considerable amount of time, or it could also occur in a hot market when the Buyer is having difficulty getting an offer accepted. While it is not illegal to make offers on multiple properties with intent to purchase only one, the Buyer can be obligated to many Sellers if more than one accepts the Buyer’s offers. Additionally, if any offer is accepted without contingencies, and the buyer does not perform, there can be a breach. If the Buyer has not disclosed that the Buyer is writing multiple offers with the intent to purchase only one and the Buyer subsequently cancels without using a contingency created for this purpose, the Seller may claim the Buyer is in breach of contract because the Buyer fraudulently induced the Seller to enter into a contract. This claim may even be possible when the Buyer has all the standard contingencies remaining in the contract, as the Seller could argue that a cancellation for this reason would not fall under the good faith exercise of any of the those contingencies.

3. SELLER CONSIDERATIONS: As a Seller, you are responsible for determining the asking price for your property. Although Brokers may provide you with comparable sales data, generally from information published in the local multiple listing service, you should know that the reporting of this data is often delayed and prices may change, up or down, faster than reported sales indicate. All Sellers should be sure they are comfortable with the asking price they are setting and the price they are accepting. There is not, and cannot be, any guarantee that the price you decide to ask for your property, or the price at which you agree to sell your property is the highest available price obtainable for the property. It is solely your decision as to how much to ask for your property and at which price to sell your property.

Buyer/Seller acknowledges each has read, understands and has received a copy of this Market Conditions Advisory.

Buyer _____ Date _____
Buyer _____ Date _____
Seller _____ Date _____
Seller _____ Date _____

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MANUFACTURED OR MOBILE HOME PURCHASE ADDENDUM (C.A.R. Form MH-PA, Revised 6/24)

The following terms and conditions are hereby incorporated in and made a part of the Purchase Agreement, OR Other: dated _____, on property known as _____ in which _____ is referred to as ("Seller") and _____ is referred to as ("Buyer"). This addendum is to be used for the purchase of any manufactured home or mobile home ("Manufactured Home"). Buyer and Seller are referred to as the "Parties."

1. TYPE OF MANUFACTURED HOME: (Check the applicable box below: paragraphs A1, A2 or B.)(Check ONLY one box.)

A. PERSONAL PROPERTY MANUFACTURED HOME:

(1) [] A Manufactured Home On Leased Or Rented Land (complete paragraph 2).

Space Number _____ Park Name _____ City _____ County _____, CA Zip _____ Park Address _____

OR (2) [] A Manufactured Home To Be Sold with Real Property (complete paragraph 2).

Real Property Situated in _____ City _____ County _____, CA Zip _____ Assessor's Parcel No. _____

PURCHASE PRICE ALLOCATED AS FOLLOWS:

Manufactured Home \$ _____ Real Property \$ _____

OR B. [] A REAL PROPERTY MANUFACTURED HOME situated in (also complete applicable parts of paragraph 2):

City _____ County _____, CA Zip _____ Assessor's Parcel No. _____ A real property manufactured home is one that meets the following requirements:

(i) A building permit is obtained from local authorities pursuant to Health and Safety Code § 18551; (ii) the manufactured home is affixed to a foundation pursuant to Health and Safety Code § 18551; (iii) a certificate of occupancy is issued by local authorities; and (iv) there is recordation with the local authorities of a form pursuant to Health and Safety Code § 18551.

2. ADDITIONAL DESCRIPTION:

Manufacturer's Name _____ Model _____ Date Of Manufacture _____

Date Of First Sale _____

Property is: [] On Local Property Tax Roll or [] Annual Registration and in Lieu Tax, (sale/use tax may apply). Property shall be registered with the Department of Housing and Community Development ("HCD"), which must be notified upon sale, unless (i) Property has been converted to real property and title and registration surrendered to HCD or (ii) otherwise specified in writing.

Approximate Width _____ Approximate Length _____ (Without Hitch) Expando Size _____

HCD/HUD License/Decal Number: _____

SERIAL NUMBERS: 1. _____ 2. _____ 3. _____

HCD/HUD Label/Insignia: 1. _____ 2. _____ 3. _____

3. ADDITIONAL SELLER FINANCING TERMS: The following terms apply ONLY to financing of a personal property manufactured home extended by Seller under this Agreement. Buyer's security agreement and other appropriate documents shall incorporate and implement the following additional terms: (i) a clause requiring Buyer to comply with the terms of any rental/lease agreement entered into between Buyer and Park Owner/Landlord/Homeowners' Association (HOA) and to deliver to Seller a Copy of any modifications to the rental/lease agreement within 30 days of Buyer's receipt; (ii) a clause requiring Buyer to provide Seller a written 30-day notice prior to relocating the Property; and (iii) a clause prohibiting Buyer from installing the manufactured home on a permanent foundation system or otherwise affixing the manufactured home to land in any way that could alter its legal character as personal property, without Seller's prior written consent.

4. ASSUMPTION: IF THIS IS AN ASSUMPTION OF A VA OR CAL VET LOAN, THE SALE IS CONTINGENT UPON SELLER RECEIVING A RELEASE OF LIABILITY AND SUBSTITUTION OF ELIGIBILITY, UNLESS OTHERWISE AGREED IN WRITING.

5. CAUTION: Obligations secured by mixed collateral (i.e; both personal and real property) are subject to complex rules and court decisions under the Civil Code, Commercial Code, and Code of Civil Procedure. Buyer and Seller are strongly cautioned to consult legal counsel in connection with the securing and enforcement of such obligations.

6. ADDITIONAL ALLOCATION OF COSTS (if both is checked, costs to be split equally unless Otherwise Agreed):

A. HCD fees for providing registration and title documents: Paid by [] Buyer [] Seller [] Both _____

B. Use Tax charged at the point of sale: Paid by [] Buyer [] Seller [] Both _____

7. SELLER DOCUMENTATION AND ADDITIONAL DISCLOSURE: Within the time specified for Delivery of Documents in the Agreement to which this Addendum is attached, Seller shall Deliver to Buyer, in writing, the following disclosure documentation and information:

A. REAL PROPERTY MANUFACTURED HOME: Manufactured homes, even when converted to real property, must comply with HCD permit and approval requirements for alterations and repairs. If known to Seller, Seller shall disclose any alterations or repairs done without HCD permits or approvals.



- B. ADDITIONAL REAL PROPERTY DISCLOSURES:** If the Property is or includes real property, Seller shall disclose to Buyer the existence of any of the following items of which Seller has actual knowledge: **(i)** whether the Property is subject to restrictions for agricultural use pursuant to the Williamson Act (Government Code §§ 51200-51295); **(ii)** whether the Property is in, or adjacent to, and area with Right to Farm rights (Civil Code § 3482.5 and § 3482.6); **(iii)** the presence of endangered, threatened, "candidate" species or wetlands on the Property; **(iv)** any features of the Property shared in common with adjoining landowners, such as walls, fences, roads and driveways, whose use or responsibility for maintenance may have an effect on the Property; and **(v)** any abandoned mining operations on the Property.
- C. SMOKE DETECTOR:** Available manufacturer's information describing the operation, method and frequency of testing and property maintenance of any smoke alarm.
- D. MANUFACTURED HOME AND MOBILE HOME TRANSFER DISCLOSURE STATEMENT:** As applicable, all references to the Real Estate Transfer Disclosure Statement (TDS) in the Agreement to which this Addendum is attached, shall be read as, and shall mean, the Manufactured Home and Mobile Home: Transfer Disclosure Statement (MHTDS).
- 8. RESIDENCY APPLICATION AND PARK RULES FOR PROPERTY LOCATED ON LEASED OR RENTED LAND:**
- A.** Buyer's approval of the lease or rental agreement is a contingency of the Agreement. Within the time specified in the Agreement for removal of the Investigation of Property contingency or **5 Days** after Delivery of the Park rules and regulation, whichever occurs last, Buyer shall Deliver to Seller Buyer's written approval of Park rules and regulations.
- B.** Buyer shall, within **5 (or _____) Days** after Acceptance, submit a completed residency application, and other required information, to Park/Landlord/HOA.
- C.** Buyer obtaining residency approval is a contingency of the Agreement in favor of Buyer. Such approval shall be obtained **5 (or _____) Days** prior to Close Of Escrow. If approval is not obtained prior to this time, Buyer may cancel the Agreement. If Buyer removes this contingency without first having obtained park approval, and the park rejects the Buyer's residency application, Buyer understands that Buyer may be contractually obligated to complete the purchase even though Buyer may be required to remove the home from the park.
- 9. PARK CONDITIONS FOR CLOSING:** If completion of repairs or improvements are required by the Park pursuant to Civil Code § 798.73.5 as a condition for closing and approval of the sale to Buyer, then further written agreement between Buyer and Seller regarding the payment of the costs of such repairs or improvements is required. If agreement is not reached within the time for removal of the Investigation of Property contingency or **5 Days** after Delivery of the Park conditions for closing, whichever occurs later, then either Party may cancel this Agreement.
- 10. SELLER ASSIGNMENT OR SUBLET:** Seller is not assigning or subletting the space the manufactured home occupies in its present location.
- 11. CAUTION; OCCUPANCY AND CONDITION OF PROPERTY:**
- A.** Notwithstanding that the Agreement to which this Addendum is attached may provide that the Property is sold "AS IS", Buyer and Seller acknowledge that: **(i)** Sellers not using a licensed real estate agent or a licensed manufactured home dealer are prohibited from selling a personal property manufactured home "AS IS" unless the manufactured home meets, as applicable, the requirements of HCD or the National Manufactured Housing Construction and Safety Standards Act of 1974; and **(ii)** the licensed real estate agent or manufactured home dealer, if any, must conduct a reasonably competent and diligent visual inspection of the home and disclose material facts that such an investigation would reveal.
- B. OCCUPYING A USED MANUFACTURED HOME OR MOBILEHOME:** Even though a manufactured home or mobilehome may be sold in its present physical condition, the Mobilehome Parks Act (Health and Safety Code §§ 18200 through 18700) prohibits the occupancy of a manufactured home or mobilehome wherever located not meeting certain standards. Those standards are set forth in Health and Safety Code § 18550 as follows:
 "It is unlawful for any person to use or cause, or permit to be used for occupancy, any of the following manufactured homes or mobilehomes wherever the manufactured homes or mobilehomes are located...:
 (1) Any manufactured home or mobilehome, supplied with fuel, gas, water, electricity, or sewage connections unless the connections and installations conform to regulations of the department.
 (2) Any manufactured home or mobilehome that is permanently attached with underpinning or foundation to the ground, except for a manufactured home or mobilehome bearing a department insignia or federal label, that is installed in accordance with this part.
 (3) Any manufactured home or mobilehome that does not conform to the registration requirements of the department.
 (4) Any manufactured home, mobilehome in an unsafe or unsanitary condition.
 (5) Any manufactured home, mobilehome that is structurally unsound and does not protect its occupants against the elements."
- C. BROKER RECOMMENDATION: Broker recommends Buyer obtain an inspection to determine if the Property is in compliance with the above requirements. Broker does not have expertise in this area.**

By signing below Buyer and Seller acknowledge that each has read, understands, has received a copy of, and agrees to the terms of this Manufactured or Mobile Home Purchase Addendum.

Buyer _____ Date _____

Buyer _____ Date _____

Seller _____ Date _____

Seller _____ Date _____

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NOTICE TO BUYER TO PERFORM No. _____
(C.A.R. Form NBP, Revised 6/24)

In accordance with the terms and conditions of the Purchase Agreement, or [] Other _____
("Agreement"), dated _____,
on property known as _____ ("Property"),
between _____ ("Buyer"),
and _____ ("Seller").
Buyer and Seller are referred to as the "Parties."

SELLER hereby gives Buyer notice to, as applicable, remove the specified contingencies and take the specified contractual action as follows (If for any contingency or contractual action selected, this NBP is delivered before the time permitted in the Agreement, the notice shall be void for only those specific contingencies or contractual actions, but this NBP shall be valid for all other contingencies and contractual actions selected. If "ALL CONTINGENCIES" is selected, this NBP shall be valid for all contingencies for which the Delivery of this notice is within the time permitted in the Agreement and void as to the others.):

I. Contingency

[] ALL CONTINGENCIES

- A. [] Loan (Paragraph 8A)
B. [] Appraisal (Paragraph 8B)
C. [] Buyer Investigation (Paragraph 8C)
D. [] Insurance (Paragraph 8D)
E. [] Review of Seller Documents, including Disclosures and Reports (Paragraph 8E)
F. [] Title: Preliminary Report (Paragraph 8F)
G. [] Condominium/Planned Development Disclosures (HOA or OA) (Paragraph 8G)
H. [] Buyer Review of Leased or Liened Items (Paragraph 8H)
I. [] Entering into contract for Sale of Buyer's Property (C.A.R. Form COP, Paragraph 2A)
J. [] Closing escrow on Buyer's Property (C.A.R. form COP, Paragraph 4)
K. [] _____
L. [] _____

II. Contractual Action

- M. [] Initial Deposit (Paragraph 3D(1), 5A(1))
N. [] Delivery of Increased Deposit (Paragraph 3D(2), 5A(2))
O. [] Delivery of Signed Liquidated Damage clause with Increased Deposit (Paragraph 5A(2), 29)
P. [] Updated Lender Information (Paragraph 5C(3))
Q. [] Notice of FHA/VA Requirements, if any (paragraph 5C(4))
R. [] Verification of Funds (Paragraph 3H(1), 3H(2), 5B, 6A)
S. [] Verification of Loan Application (Paragraph 3H(3), 6B)
T. [] Assume or Accept Leases or Liens (paragraph 8G)
U. [] Return of Statutory Disclosures (Paragraph 11A)
V. [] Return of Lead Disclosures (Paragraph 11B)
W. [] Return of Signed Fire Hardening and Defensible Space Advisory, Disclosure and Addendum (Paragraph 11C-D)
X. [] Comply with Title's effort to comply with GTO (Paragraph 13E)
Y. [] Assignee's Delivery of Preapproval/Prequalification (Paragraph 23)
Z. [] Delivery of evidence of authority to act (Paragraphs 28 and 32B)
AA. [] Escrow Evidence, Sale of Buyer's Property (C.A.R. Form COP, Paragraph 1C or 2B)
BB. [] Evidence of Listing of Buyer's Property (C.A.R. Form COP, Paragraph 3C)
CC. [] Evidence of Removal of Contingencies in Buyer's Property sale (C.A.R. Form COP, Paragraph 5B)
DD. [] _____

NOTE: Paragraph numbers refer to the Residential Purchase Agreement (C.A.R. Form RPA). Applicable paragraph numbers for each contingency or contractual action in other C.A.R. contracts may be different.

BUYER: If you do not remove the specified contingency(ies) (C.A.R. Forms CR or RR) and take the specified contractual actions indicated above within 2 (or [] _____ (no less than 2 Days as specified in the Agreement)) Days after Delivery of this Notice to Buyer to Perform, Seller may cancel the Agreement.

Seller _____ Date _____
Seller _____ Date _____

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NON-CONTINGENT OFFER ADVISORY (C.A.R. Form NCOA, Revised 6/24)

- 1. MARKET CONDITIONS: Buyer has been informed, and is aware, that market conditions are cyclical and change over time. In a competitive or "hot" market with limited inventory, Buyers will sometimes consider making "non-contingent" or "contingent free" offers in an attempt to convince the Seller to accept their offer instead of another's. These types of offers have no contingencies: For a physical inspection of the property; For obtaining a loan; For a minimum appraisal value; For other investigations of the property; or for other matters which are commonly included in the Residential Purchase Agreements at other times.
2. NON-CONTINGENT OFFERS: Most residential purchase agreements contain contingencies allowing a Buyer a specified period of time to cancel a purchase: (i) if the Buyer cannot obtain a loan; (ii) if the property does not appraise at a certain value; (iii) if the Buyer is dissatisfied with the property's condition after an inspection; (iv) if an insurance policy cannot be obtained for an acceptable cost; or (v) for any other contingency within the purchase agreement. To make their offers more attractive, Buyers will sometimes write offers with few or no contingencies or offer to remove contingencies within a short period of time. In a "hot" market, sellers will sometimes insist that Buyers write offers with no contingencies. While making a "contingency free" offer may give the Buyer a better chance of getting a Seller to accept their offer, there are risks in writing such an offer. Broker recommends that Buyers do not write non-contingent offers and if you do so, you are acting against Broker's advice. Each contingency may stand alone and may not be a reason to use a different contingency (i.e. cannot use the loan contingency because of a low appraisal even if that is the reason the lender denies the loan). If you remove a specific contingency and try to cancel for that reason, you may legally be in default under the contract and could be required to pay damages or forfeit your deposit to Seller. However, if you do write a non-contingent offer these are some of the contractual rights you may be giving up:
A. LOAN CONTINGENCY: A loan contingency allows you to cancel the contract, without penalty, if during the contingency period, you cannot obtain the loan specified in the agreement. Without this contingency, you cannot cancel if the loan is declined, whether through your fault or the fault of your lender.
B. APPRAISAL CONTINGENCY: An appraisal contingency allows you to cancel the contract, without penalty, if during the contingency period, your lender's (or your own) appraiser does not believe the property is worth what you have agreed to pay for it. If you give up your appraisal contingency, and the property does not appraise at the specified price, your lender may not loan the full amount needed for the purchase or may not loan any amount at all because of a low appraisal. The Seller is not obligated to reduce the purchase price to match the appraised value.
C. INVESTIGATION CONTINGENCY: An investigation contingency allows you to examine the property, and matters pertaining to it. If you give up your investigation contingency, you could lose the right to cancel based on information you later discover, which is why it is important to conduct an investigation early. However, even if you make an offer without an investigation contingency or you remove that contingency, the Seller may still be obligated to disclose to you material facts about the property. In some cases, once you receive that information the law gives you an independent right to cancel for a limited period of time.
D. INSURANCE CONTINGENCY: An insurance contingency allows you to determine the availability and cost of insurance for the property. With rising replacement costs and increased natural disasters, insurance is becoming harder and more expensive to find. The ability to acquire insurance may affect your willingness to own the property and may affect your lender's ability to give you a loan, however the insurance contingency is not necessarily part of the investigation or loan contingency. You should investigate this early in the process.
3. BROKER RECOMMENDATIONS:
A. Broker recommends that you do not write a non-contingent offer, even if you are planning on paying all cash for the property. If you intend to write a non-contingent offer, Broker recommends that, prior to writing the offer, you: (i) review all available Seller reports, disclosures, information and documents; (ii) have an appropriate professional inspect the property (even if it is being sold "as is" in its present condition); and (iii) carefully assess your financial position and risk with your attorney, accountant or financial advisor.
B. There is inherent risk in writing a non-contingent offer. Only you, after careful consultation and deliberation with a qualified California real estate attorney, accountant, or financial advisor can decide how much risk you are willing to take. IT IS YOUR DECISION ALONE AND CANNOT BE MADE BY YOUR BROKER OR REAL ESTATE AGENT

Buyer acknowledges that Buyer has read, understands and has received a copy of this Non-Contingent Offer Advisory.

Buyer _____ Date _____

Buyer _____ Date _____

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NEW CONSTRUCTION PURCHASE AGREEMENT AND JOINT ESCROW INSTRUCTIONS

(C.A.R. FORM NCPA, Revised 6/24)

Date Prepared: _____

1. OFFER:

A. THIS IS AN OFFER FROM _____ ("Buyer").

B. FOR THE PURCHASE OF the following described real estate together with the dwelling to be erected thereon and further described as: Lot/Unit No. _____, Phase No. _____, Plan/Elevation _____, Tract No. _____, Standard Subdivision, Planned Unit Development, Condominium (which will be created in a Condominium Plan), Recorded in Book _____ of Maps at page _____ Official Records of _____ County, California, Address _____ ("Property").

(Postal/Mailing address may be different from city jurisdiction. Buyer is advised to investigate.)

C. THE TERMS OF THE PURCHASE ARE SPECIFIED BELOW AND ON THE FOLLOWING PAGES.

D. CLOSE OF ESCROW

- (1) Close Of Escrow shall occur at the earlier of: **(i)** the time specified in **paragraph 4B** or **(ii)** no later than **10 Days** after Buyer receives notice from Seller of the issuance of a certificate of occupancy from the applicable local government ("Closing Date"). Seller shall notify Buyer when work is completed and Seller intends to request the final inspection. If, through no fault of Buyer, escrow does not close within 1 year after Acceptance, then Buyer shall not be obligated to close escrow, unless Otherwise Agreed or specified in this Agreement.
- (2) Seller agrees to complete construction of the Property and file a notice of completion thereon on or before the time specified in **paragraph 4B**, which shall not be more than 1 year after Acceptance. Seller shall have the unilateral right to extend the Close Of Escrow beyond the Closing Date to any other date that is up to 1 year after Acceptance for any delays related to acts of God, strike, labor dispute, or unavailability or shortage of materials necessary to complete construction of the Property. Seller shall in no event be responsible to Buyer or any third parties for any such delays.
- (3) If escrow does not close on or before the time specified in **paragraph 4B**, or after 1 year of Acceptance, as otherwise extended by Seller and Buyer in writing after Acceptance or by Seller under **paragraph 1D(2)**, due to no fault of Buyer, then Seller shall, within **15 Days** after the time specified in **paragraph 4B** or as extended, return Buyer's deposit, including: **(i)** all third-party charges such as those specified in **paragraphs 40 and 41**; and **(ii)** charges for Optional Items specified in **paragraph 2**. In clarification of the foregoing, Buyer shall have the option to either: (a) cancel this Agreement based on the Close Of Escrow as established in **paragraph 18G**; (b) continue with the purchase of the Property and close no later than **10 Days** after Buyer receives notice from Seller of the issuance of a certificate of occupancy from the applicable local government; or (c) pursue any other legal remedies. If Buyer fails to notify Seller that Buyer is electing to continue, then Seller, after first serving a Notice to Buyer to Perform (C.A.R. Form NBP) to make an election, may cancel this Agreement, and then return Buyer's deposit, including: **(i)** all third-party charges such as those specified in **paragraphs 40 and 41**; and **(ii)** charges for Optional Items specified in **paragraph 2**.
- (4) If Buyer is at fault, Seller shall not be obligated to return any amount paid to Seller as liquidated damages pursuant to **paragraph 42**, if applicable.

E. Buyer and Seller are referred to herein as the "Parties." Brokers and Agents are **not** Parties to this Agreement.

2. OPTIONAL ITEMS:

- A. SELECTIONS:** Buyer agrees to make any color and optional items selections, if applicable, from the choices offered by Seller or Seller's agents within **15 Days** after such choices are offered. If Buyer does not make such selections within such time period, then Seller may make such selections, which shall be final. Buyer shall not have the right to make any such selection which would delay the Close Of Escrow.
- B. (1) UPGRADES:** If, concurrent with or subsequent to the execution of this Agreement, Buyer requests any changes or extras from Seller, an Options and Upgrades addendum (C.A.R. Form NCOU), a copy of which is provided with this Agreement, shall be executed by Buyer and Seller, and Buyer shall deposit into escrow a cash deposit against the agreed cost of such changes or extras ("Option Deposit"). **Note to Seller: For property sold subject to a public report, you must use the Options and Upgrades amendment provided with this NCPA or for any other options and upgrades amendment you intend to use you must submit them to, and have them be accepted by, the DRE.**
- (2) INCREASE IN PURCHASE PRICE:** If after execution of this Agreement you select options and upgrades as provided in **paragraph 2B(1)**, the total purchase price will increase by the amount of options and upgrades selected.
- (3) TREATMENT OF OPTION DEPOSIT:** The Option Deposit shall be held in escrow and be paid to Seller at closing. If escrow does not close and Seller deems Buyer is in default, disposition of the Option Deposit shall be made in accordance with the provisions of **paragraph 42** of this Agreement, unless Otherwise Agreed. In the event of Seller default, any Option Deposit paid pursuant to this paragraph shall be returned to Buyer.

3. AGENCY:

A. DISCLOSURE: The Parties each acknowledge receipt of a "Disclosure Regarding Real Estate Agency Relationships" (C.A.R. Form AD) if represented by a real estate licensee. Buyer's Agent is not legally required to give to Seller's Agent the AD form Signed by Buyer. Seller's Agent is not legally obligated to give to Buyer's Agent the AD form Signed by Seller.

B. CONFIRMATION: The following agency relationships are hereby confirmed for this transaction.

Seller's Brokerage Firm _____ License Number _____
 Is the broker of (check one): the Seller; or both the Buyer and Seller (Dual Agent).
 Seller's Agent _____ License Number _____
 Is (check one): the Seller's Agent (Salesperson or broker associate); or both the Buyer's and Seller's Agent (Dual Agent).
Buyer's Brokerage Firm _____ License Number _____
 Is the broker of (check one): the Buyer; or both the Buyer and Seller (Dual Agent).
 Buyer's Agent _____ License Number _____
 Is (check one): the Buyer's Agent (Salesperson or broker associate); or both the Buyer's and Seller's Agent (Dual Agent).



Property Address: _____ Date: _____

- C. More than one Brokerage represents Seller, Buyer. See, Additional Broker Acknowledgement (C.A.R. Form ABA).
- D. **POTENTIALLY COMPETING BUYERS AND SELLERS:** The Parties each acknowledge receipt of a "Possible Representation of More than One Buyer or Seller - Disclosure and Consent" (C.A.R. Form PRBS).
- E. (If checked) REFERRAL LICENSEE: _____ (print Firm Name) is a Referral Licensee only and shall be compensated \$ _____ or _____% of the Purchase Price. Buyer and Seller acknowledge that Referral Licensee has merely introduced Buyer to the Property and does not represent Buyer or Seller in this transaction. Buyer further acknowledges and agrees that any agency relationship with Referral Licensee, whether existing under a written or oral agreement or by implication, is terminated for this Property as of the date of Buyer's signature on this Agreement. Referral Licensee is not a part to this Agreement between Buyer and Seller. **Note to Referral Licensee: Do not confirm agency if checking this paragraph. If you later become an Agent in the transaction add a Confirmation of Real Estate Agency Relationships at that time (C.A.R. Form AC).**

4. **TERMS OF PURCHASE AND ALLOCATION OF COSTS:** The items in this paragraph are contractual terms of the Agreement. Referenced paragraphs provide further explanation. This form is 18 pages. The Parties are advised to read all 18 pages.

	Paragraph #	Paragraph Title or Contract Term	Terms and Conditions	Additional Terms
A	6, 6B (cash)	Purchase Price	\$ _____ (excluding options and upgrades)	<input type="checkbox"/> All Cash
B	1D	Close Of Escrow (COE)	_____ Days after Acceptance OR on _____ (date) (mm/dd/yyyy)	
C	45	Expiration of Offer	3 calendar days after all Buyer Signature(s) or _____ (date) at 5PM or _____ <input type="checkbox"/> AM/ <input type="checkbox"/> PM	
D(1)	6A(1)	Initial Deposit Amount	\$ _____ (_____% of purchase price) (% number above is for calculation purposes and is not a contractual term)	Delivered to Escrow (or <input type="checkbox"/> Seller) within 3 (or _____) business days after Acceptance by wire transfer OR <input type="checkbox"/> Personal Check OR <input type="checkbox"/> _____
D(2)	6A(2)	<input type="checkbox"/> Increased Deposit (Money placed into escrow after the initial deposit. Use form DID at time increased deposit is made.)	\$ _____ (_____% of purchase price) (% number above is for calculation purposes and is not a contractual term)	Upon removal of all contingencies OR <input type="checkbox"/> _____ (date) OR <input type="checkbox"/> _____
D(3)	2, 6A(4)	<input type="checkbox"/> Option and Upgrade Deposit (Money placed into escrow for the purchase of optional or upgraded items concurrent with this contract.)	\$ _____	Options and Upgrades purchased after execution of this Agreement may alter Purchase Price.
E(1)	6C(1)	Loan Amount(s): First Interest Rate _____ Points _____ If FHA or VA checked, Deliver list of lender required repairs	\$ _____ (_____% of purchase price) Fixed rate or <input type="checkbox"/> Initial adjustable rate • not to exceed _____% • Buyer to pay up to _____ points to obtain rate above 17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	Conventional or, if checked, <input type="checkbox"/> FHA (Forms FVAC/HID attached) <input type="checkbox"/> VA (Form FVAC attached) <input type="checkbox"/> Seller Financing <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____
E(2)	6C(2)	Additional Financed Amount _____ Interest Rate _____ Points _____	\$ _____ (_____% of purchase price) Fixed rate or <input type="checkbox"/> Initial adjustable rate • not to exceed _____% • Buyer to pay up to _____ points to obtain rate above	Conventional or, if checked, <input type="checkbox"/> Seller Financing <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____
E(3)	8A	Occupancy Type	Primary, or if checked, <input type="checkbox"/> Secondary <input type="checkbox"/> Investment	
F	6D	Balance of Down Payment	\$ _____	
PURCHASE PRICE TOTAL			\$ _____	
G(1)	6E	Seller Credit, if any, to Buyer	<input type="checkbox"/> \$ _____ (_____% of purchase price) (% number above is for calculation purposes and is not a contractual term)	Seller credit to be applied to closing costs OR <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____
G(2)	ADDITIONAL FINANCE TERMS: _____			
G(3)	21	<input type="checkbox"/> Seller agrees to pay the obligation of Buyer to compensate Buyer's Broker under a separate agreement (C.A.R. Form SPBB attached). Seller's Broker's offer, if any, to compensate Buyer's Broker is unaffected unless Otherwise Agreed		
H(1)	6B	Verification of All Cash (sufficient funds)	Attached to the offer or <input type="checkbox"/> 3 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	
H(2)	7A	Verification of Down Payment and Closing Costs	Attached to the offer or <input type="checkbox"/> 3 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	
H(3)	7B	Verification of Loan Application	Attached to the offer or <input type="checkbox"/> 3 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	<input type="checkbox"/> Prequalification <input type="checkbox"/> Preapproval <input type="checkbox"/> Fully underwritten preapproval

Property Address: _____ Date: _____

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J	12	Public Report Status	<input type="checkbox"/> Final Public Report <input type="checkbox"/> No Public Report Required <input type="checkbox"/> Conditional Public Report <input type="checkbox"/> Amended/Renewed Public Report		If Conditional Public Report is checked: Final Public Report shall be issued within <input type="checkbox"/> 6 months or <input type="checkbox"/> 30 months of the date of issuance of the Conditional Public Report.				
K	19	Final Verification of Condition	5 (or _____) Days prior to COE						
L	26	Assignment Request	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance						
M	9	CONTINGENCIES	TIME TO REMOVE CONTINGENCIES		CONTINGENCY REMOVED				
M(1)	9A	Loan(s)	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance		<input type="checkbox"/> No loan contingency				
M(2)	9B, 15	Investigation of Property	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance		REMOVAL OR WAIVER OF CONTINGENCY: Any contingency in M(1)-M(8) may be removed or waived by checking the applicable box above or attaching a Contingency Removal form (C.A.R. Form CR-B) and checking the applicable box therein. Removal or Waiver at time of offer is against Agent advice. See paragraph 9I. <input type="checkbox"/> CR-B attached				
M(3)	9C	Insurance	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance						
M(4)	9D, 18A	Review of Seller Documents	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance, or 5 Days after Delivery, whichever is later						
M(5)	9E, 12	Review of Public Report	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance or 5 Days after Delivery, whichever is later						
M(6)	9F, 17	Preliminary ("Title") Report	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance or 5 Days after Delivery, whichever is later						
M(7)	9G, 13F	Common Interest Disclosures required by Civil Code § 4525 or this Agreement	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance, or 5 Days after Delivery, whichever is later						
M(8)	9H, 10C	Review of leased or liened items (E.g. solar panels or propane tanks)	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance, or 5 Days after Delivery, whichever is later						
		Possession	Time for Performance		Additional Terms				
N		Delivery of Possession	Upon notice of recordation On COE date		Property shall be delivered vacant unless Otherwise Agreed.				
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P		Documents/Fees/Compliance	Time for Performance						
P(1)	18A	Seller Delivery of Documents	7 (or _____) Days after Acceptance						
P(2)	22C	Sign and return Escrow Holder General Provisions, Supplemental Instructions	5 (or _____) Days after Delivery						
P(3)	13F(2)	Time to pay fees for ordering HOA Documents	3 (or _____) Days after Acceptance						
P(4)	32	Evidence of representative authority	3 Days after Acceptance						
Q					Allocation of Costs				
		Paragraph #	Item Description	Who Pays (if Both is checked, cost to be split equally unless Otherwise Agreed)	Additional Terms				
Q(1)	13A, 13B	Natural Hazard Zone Disclosure Report, including tax information	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____ _____ _____		<input type="checkbox"/> Environmental <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Provided by: _____				
Q(2)	22C	Escrow Fees	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Each to pay their own fees		Escrow Holder: _____				
Q(3)	17G	Owner's title insurance policy	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____		Title Company (If different from Escrow Holder): _____				
Q(4)		Buyer's Lender title insurance policy	Buyer		Unless Otherwise Agreed, Buyer shall purchase any title insurance policy insuring Buyer's lender.				
Q(5)		County transfer tax, fees	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____						
Q(6)		City transfer tax, fees	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____						
Q(7)	13F(2)	HOA fee for preparing disclosures	Seller						
Q(8)		HOA certification fee	Buyer						
Q(9)		HOA transfer fees	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____						
					Unless Otherwise Agreed, Seller shall pay for separate HOA move-out fee and Buyer shall pay for separate move-in fee. Applies if separately billed or itemized with cost in transfer fee.				



Property Address: _____

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	Paragraph #	Item Description	Who Pays (if Both is checked, cost to be split equally unless Otherwise Agreed)	
Q(10)		Termite pre-spray or treatment	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
Q(11)		Optional Wildfire Disclosure Report	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	Provided by: _____
Q(12)A Q(12)B Q(12)C		_____ fees or costs _____ fees or costs _____ Report _____ Report	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
R	14	INSULATION INFORMATION: Exterior Walls: Type _____ Thickness _____ R-Value _____ Ceilings: Type _____ Thickness _____ R-Value _____ Interior Walls: Type _____ Thickness _____ R-Value _____ Other _____: Type _____ Thickness _____ R-Value _____		
S	40, 41	SELLER ESTIMATES FOR THIRD PARTY CHARGES: Credit Reports _____ Preliminary Title Reports _____ Escrow Services _____ Appraisals _____ Loan Processing Fees _____		
T	36	WARRANTY BEING PROVIDED: Standard Warranty		
U		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Fair Appraisal Act: The Parties acknowledge receipt of the attached Fair Appraisal Act Addendum (C.A.R. Form FAAA)		
V		OTHER TERMS: Other terms and conditions are void to the extent that they impair or limit the rights or remedies reserved to Buyer elsewhere in this Agreement. Note to Seller: For property sold subject to a public report, you must submit any addenda form(s) you intend to attach to this Agreement to, and have them be accepted by, the DRE.		

5. PROPERTY ADVISORIES AND DISCLOSURES: (check all that apply)

A. BUYER AND SELLER ADVISORIES: (Note: All Advisories below are provided for reference purposes only and are not intended to be BUYER AND SELLER ADVISORIES incorporated into this Agreement.)

- Buyer's Investigation Advisory (C.A.R. Form BIA)
- Wire Fraud Advisory (C.A.R. Form WFA)
- Fair Housing and Discrimination Advisory (C.A.R. Form FHDA)
- Cal. Consumer Privacy Act Advisory (C.A.R. Form CCPA)
- Wildfire Disaster Advisory (C.A.R. Form WFDA)
- Trust Advisory (C.A.R. Form TA)
- REO Advisory (C.A.R. Form REO)
- Other: _____
- Statewide Buyer and Seller Advisory (C.A.R. Form SBSA)
- Short Sale Information and Advisory (C.A.R. Form SSIA)
- Probate Advisory (C.A.R. Form PA)
- Other _____

B. ATTACHED DISCLOSURES:

- (1) If checked, Buyer acknowledges receipt of the following disclosures:
- Final Public Report
 - Model Plan/Property Description
 - Bonded Debt
 - Notice of Special Tax
 - Smoke Detector
 - Newly converted condominium
 - DRE 2790.9 (for properties for completed or occupied more than 3 years prior to a public report)
 - Conditional Public Report
 - Zone Report
 - Property Disclosure Statement
 - HOA Documents
 - Water Heater
 - Industrial, Commercial, Airport Zone
 - Amended/Renewed Public Report
 - Site Report
 - Seller's Warranty
 - Utility Disclosures
 - Transportation Corridors

(2) **ADDITIONAL DISCLOSURES:** Seller shall provide Buyer with the following additional disclosures: _____

6. ADDITIONAL TERMS AFFECTING PURCHASE PRICE: Buyer represents that funds will be good when deposited with Escrow Holder.

A. DEPOSIT:

- (1) **INITIAL DEPOSIT:** Buyer shall deliver deposit directly to the party selected in paragraph 4D(1). If being delivered to Seller, Seller must have obtained a bond or bonds meeting the requirements of B&P Code §§ 11013.2(c) or 11013.4(b) or (c), and DRE Regulation 2791.2. If Seller has not obtained such bond(s), then deposit shall be delivered directly to Escrow. **Note to Seller: If the purchase agreement is signed under the authority of a conditional Public Report, all funds must be impounded and held in a neutral escrow depository per B&P Code §§ 11013.4(a) or 11013.2(a).**
- (2) **INCREASED DEPOSIT:** Increased deposit (paragraph 4D(2)) to be delivered to Escrow Holder in the same manner as the Initial Deposit. If the Parties agree to liquidated damages in this Agreement, they also agree to incorporate the increased deposit into the liquidated damages amount by signing a new liquidated damages clause (C.A.R. Form DID) at the time the increased deposit is delivered to Escrow Holder.
- (3) **OPTION DEPOSIT:** Option deposit (paragraph 4D(3)) to be delivered to Escrow Holder in the same manner and subject to the same terms as the Initial Deposit and subject to the terms of the Options and Upgrades Addendum (C.A.R. Form NCOU).
- (4) **RETENTION OF DEPOSIT:** Paragraph 42, if initialed by all Parties or otherwise incorporated into this Agreement, and if applicable an Options and Upgrade Addendum (C.A.R. Form NCOU), specifies a remedy for Buyer's default. Buyer and Seller are advised to consult with a qualified California real estate attorney: (i) Before adding any other clause specifying a remedy (such as release or forfeiture of deposit or making a deposit non-refundable) for failure of Buyer to complete the purchase. Any such clause shall be deemed invalid unless the clause independently satisfies the statutory liquidated damages requirements set forth in the Civil Code; and (ii) Regarding possible liability and remedies if Buyer fails to deliver the deposit.

B. ALL CASH OFFER: If an all cash offer is specified in paragraph 4A, no loan is needed to purchase the Property. This Agreement is NOT contingent on Buyer obtaining a loan. Buyer shall, within the time specified in paragraph 4H(1), Deliver written verification of funds sufficient for the purchase price and closing costs.



C. LOAN(S):

- (1) **FIRST LOAN:** This loan will provide for conventional financing **UNLESS** FHA, VA, Seller Financing (C.A.R. Form SFA), or Other is checked in **paragraph 4E(1)**.
- (2) **ADDITIONAL FINANCED AMOUNT:** If an additional financed amount is specified in **paragraph 4E(2)**, that amount will provide for conventional financing **UNLESS** Seller Financing (C.A.R. Form SFA), or Other is checked in **paragraph 4E(2)**.
- (3) **BUYER'S LOAN STATUS:** Buyer authorizes Seller and Seller's Authorized Agent to contact Buyer's lender(s) to determine the status of any Buyer's loan specified in **paragraph 4E**, or any alternate loan Buyer pursues, whether or not a contingency of this Agreement. If the contact information for Buyer's lender(s) is different from that provided under the terms of **paragraph 7B**, Buyer shall Deliver the updated contact information within **1 Day** of Seller's request.
- (4) **FHA/VA: If FHA or VA is checked in paragraph 4E(1)**, a FHA/VA amendatory clause (C.A.R. Form FVAC) shall be incorporated and Signed by all Parties. Buyer shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 4E(1)**, Deliver to Seller written notice (C.A.R. Form RR or AEA) **(i)** of any lender requirements that Buyer requests Seller to pay for or otherwise correct or **(ii)** that there are no lender requirements. Notwithstanding Seller's agreement that Buyer may obtain FHA or VA financing, Seller has no obligation to pay or satisfy any or all lender requirements unless agreed in writing.

D. BALANCE OF PURCHASE PRICE (DOWN PAYMENT) (including all-cash funds) to be deposited with Escrow Holder pursuant to Escrow Holder instructions.

E. LIMITS ON CREDITS TO BUYER: Any credit to Buyer, from any source, for closing or other costs that is agreed to by the Parties ("Contractual Credit") shall be disclosed to Buyer's lender, if any, and made at Close Of Escrow. If the total credit allowed by Buyer's lender ("Lender Allowable Credit") is less than the Contractual Credit, then **(i)** the Contractual Credit from Seller shall be reduced to the Lender Allowable Credit, and **(ii)** in the absence of a separate written agreement between the Parties, there shall be no automatic adjustment to the purchase price to make up for the difference between the Contractual Credit and the Lender Allowable Credit.

7. ADDITIONAL FINANCING TERMS:

A. VERIFICATION OF DOWN PAYMENT AND CLOSING COSTS: Written verification of Buyer's down payment and closing costs may be made by Buyer or Buyer's lender or loan broker pursuant to **paragraph 7B**.

B. VERIFICATION OF LOAN APPLICATIONS: Buyer shall Deliver to Seller, within the time specified in **paragraph 4H(3)** a letter from Buyer's lender or loan broker stating that, based on a review of Buyer's written application and credit report, Buyer is prequalified or preapproved for any NEW loan specified in **paragraph 4E**. If any loan specified in **paragraph 4E** is an adjustable rate loan, the prequalification or preapproval letter shall be based on the qualifying rate, not the initial loan rate.

C. BUYER STATED FINANCING: Seller is relying on Buyer's representation of the type of financing specified (including, but not limited to, as applicable, all cash, amount of down payment, or contingent or non-contingent loan). Seller has agreed to a specific Closing Date, purchase price, and to sell to Buyer in reliance on Buyer's specified financing. Buyer shall pursue the financing specified in this Agreement, even if Buyer also elects to pursue an alternative form of financing. Seller has no obligation to cooperate with Buyer's efforts to obtain any financing other than that specified in this Agreement but shall not interfere with closing at the purchase price on the COE date (**paragraph 4B**) even if based upon alternate financing. Buyer's inability to obtain alternate financing does not excuse Buyer from the obligation to purchase the Property and close escrow as specified in this Agreement.

8. CLOSING AND POSSESSION:

A. OCCUPANCY: Buyer intends to occupy the Property as indicated in **paragraph 4E(3)**. Occupancy may impact available financing.

B. CONDITION OF PROPERTY ON CLOSING:

- (1) Seller agrees to complete, in a good workmanlike manner, the improvements upon the Property, and shall furnish all labor and materials. Such improvements shall be constructed substantially in conformance with the plans and specifications on file with, and approved by, the appropriate governmental authorities.
- (2) All debris and personal property not included in the sale shall be removed by Close Of Escrow.
- (3) No custom work may be performed by Buyer on the Property until after the Close Of Escrow.

C. CHANGES IN CONSTRUCTION FROM MODEL: The model plan or property description represents the intended proposal and should indicate items included in the purchase. Buyer acknowledges that Seller's models or descriptions may not reflect exactly the Property which could be due to changes in design and components made after the construction of the models. Buyer also acknowledges that Seller reserve the right to make changes mandated by the building inspectors or other governmental Uniform Building Code enforcement officials, and that Buyer's consent shall be required only if such changes are material or substantial in nature. If Buyer does not consent, Buyer shall have the right to cancel this Agreement in writing and to recover all deposits paid. Acceptance of title by Buyer at Close Of Escrow shall satisfy all consent requirements.

D. At Close Of Escrow: (i) Seller assigns to Buyer any assignable warranty rights for items included in the sale; and **(ii)** Seller shall Deliver to Buyer available Copies of any such warranties. Agents cannot and will not determine the assignability of any warranties.

E. Seller shall, on Close Of Escrow unless Otherwise Agreed and even if Seller remains in possession, provide keys, passwords, codes and/or means to operate all locks, mailboxes, security systems, alarms, home automation systems, intranet and Internet-connected devices included in the purchase price, garage door openers, and all items included in this Agreement. If the Property is a condominium or located in a common interest development, Seller shall be responsible for securing or providing any such items for Association amenities, facilities, and access. Buyer may be required to pay a deposit to the Homeowners' Association ("HOA") to obtain keys to accessible HOA facilities.

9. CONTINGENCIES AND REMOVAL OF CONTINGENCIES:

A. LOAN(S):

- (1) This Agreement is, **unless otherwise specified in paragraph 4M(1) or an attached CR form**, contingent upon Buyer obtaining the loan(s) specified. If contingent, Buyer shall act diligently and in good faith to obtain the designated loan(s). **If there is no appraisal contingency or the appraisal contingency has been waived or removed, then failure of the Property to appraise at the purchase price does not entitle Buyer to exercise the cancellation right pursuant to the loan contingency if Buyer is otherwise qualified for the specified loan and Buyer is able to satisfy lender's non-appraisal conditions for closing the loan.**
- (2) Buyer is advised to investigate the insurability of the Property as early as possible, as this may be a requirement for lending. Buyer's ability to obtain insurance for the Property, including fire insurance, is part of Buyer's **Insurance** contingency. Failure of Buyer to obtain insurance may justify cancellation based on the **Insurance** contingency but not the loan contingency.
- (3) Buyer's contractual obligations regarding deposit, balance of down payment and closing costs **are not contingencies** of this Agreement, unless Otherwise Agreed.
- (4) **NO LOAN CONTINGENCY:** If "No loan contingency" is checked in **paragraph 4M(1)**, obtaining any loan specified is NOT a contingency of this Agreement. If Buyer does not obtain the loan specified, and as a result is unable to purchase the Property, Seller may be entitled to Buyer's deposit or other legal remedies.



- B. INVESTIGATION OF PROPERTY:** This Agreement is, as specified in **paragraph 4M(2)**, contingent upon Buyer’s acceptance of the condition of, and any other matter affecting, the Property.
 - C. INSURANCE:** This Agreement is, as specified in **paragraph 4M(3)**, contingent upon Buyer’s assessment of the availability and approval of the cost for any insurance policy desired under this Agreement.
 - D. REVIEW OF SELLER DOCUMENTS:** This Agreement is, as specified in **paragraph 4M(4)**, contingent upon Buyer’s review and approval of Seller’s documents required in **paragraph 18A**.
 - E. REVIEW OF PUBLIC REPORT:** This Agreement is, as specified in **paragraph 4M(5)**, contingent upon Buyer’s review and approval of the Public Report specified in **paragraph 4J** and signing DRE form RE 614E, “Receipt for Public Report.”
 - F. TITLE:**
 - (1) This Agreement is, as specified in **paragraph 4M(6)**, contingent upon Buyer’s ability to obtain the title policy provided for in **paragraph 17G** and on Buyer’s review of a current Preliminary Report and items that are disclosed or observable even if not on record or not specified in the Preliminary Report, and satisfying Buyer regarding the current status of title. Buyer is advised to review all underlying documents and other matters affecting title, including, but not limited to, any documents or deeds referenced in the Preliminary Report and any plotted easements.
 - (2) Buyer has **5 Days** after receipt to review a revised Preliminary Report, if any, furnished by the Title Company and cancel the transaction if the revised Preliminary Report reveals material or substantial deviations from a previously provided Preliminary Report.
 - G. CONDOMINIUM/PLANNED DEVELOPMENT DISCLOSURES (IF APPLICABLE):** This Agreement is, as specified in **paragraph 4M(7)**, contingent upon Buyer’s review and approval of Common Interest Disclosures required by Civil Code § 4525 and under **paragraph 13F** (“CI Disclosures”).
 - H. BUYER REVIEW OF LEASED OR LIENED ITEMS CONTINGENCY:** Buyer’s review of and ability and willingness to assume any lease, maintenance agreement or other ongoing financial obligation, or to accept the Property subject to any lien, disclosed pursuant to **paragraph 10C**, is, as specified in **paragraph 4M(8)**, a contingency of this Agreement. Any assumption of the lease shall not require any financial obligation or contribution by Seller. Seller, after first Delivering a Notice to Buyer to Perform, may cancel this Agreement if Buyer, by the time specified in **paragraph 4M(8)**, refuses to enter into any necessary written agreements to accept responsibility for all obligations of Seller disclosed leased or liened items.
 - I. REMOVAL OR WAIVER OF CONTINGENCIES WITH OFFER:** Buyer shall have no obligation to remove a contractual contingency unless Seller has provided all required documents, reports, disclosures, and information pertaining to that contingency. If Buyer does remove a contingency without first receiving all required information from Seller, Buyer is relinquishing any contractual rights that apply to that contingency. If Buyer removes or waives any contingencies without an adequate understanding of the Property’s condition or Buyer’s ability to purchase, Buyer is acting against the advice of Agent.
 - J. REMOVAL OF CONTINGENCY OR CANCELLATION:**
 - (1) For any contingency specified in **paragraph 4M, 9, or elsewhere**, Buyer shall, within the applicable period specified, remove the contingency or cancel this Agreement.
 - (2) For the contingencies for review of Seller Documents, Public Report, Preliminary Report, and Condominium/Planned Development Disclosures, Buyer shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 4M or 5 Days** after Delivery of Seller Documents or CI Disclosures, whichever occurs later, remove the applicable contingency in writing or cancel this Agreement.
 - (3) If Buyer does not remove a contingency within the time specified, Seller, after first giving Buyer a Notice to Buyer to Perform (C.A.R. Form NBP), shall have the right to cancel this Agreement.
- 10. ITEMS INCLUDED IN AND EXCLUDED FROM SALE:**
- A. NOTE TO BUYER AND SELLER:** Items listed as included or excluded in the Multiple Listing Service (MLS), flyers, marketing materials, or disclosures are NOT included in the purchase price or excluded from the sale unless specified in this Agreement, the model plan/property description, or as Otherwise Agreed. Any items included herein are components of the home and are not intended to affect the price. All items are transferred without Seller warranty.
 - B. ITEMS INCLUDED IN SALE:** Items included are those specifically indicated in this Agreement, the model plan/property description, or as Otherwise Agreed.
 - C. LEASED OR LIENED ITEMS AND SYSTEMS:** Seller, within the time specified in **paragraph 4P(1)**, shall (i) disclose to Buyer if any item or system specified in this Agreement or otherwise included in the sale is leased, or not owned by Seller, or is subject to any maintenance or other ongoing financial obligation, or specifically subject to a lien or other encumbrance or loan, and (ii) Deliver to Buyer all written materials (such as lease, warranty, financing, etc.) concerning any such item.
- 11. ALLOCATION OF COSTS FOR INSPECTIONS, REPORTS, TESTS, AND CERTIFICATES:** Paragraphs in **4Q** only determines who is to pay for the inspection, report, test, certificate or service mentioned; unless Otherwise Agreed they do not determine who is to pay for any work recommended or identified in any such document. Agreements for payment of required work should be specified elsewhere in **paragraph 4Q, or 4U, or in a separate agreement (such as C.A.R. Forms RR, RRRR, ADM or AEA)**. Any reports in these paragraphs shall be Delivered in the time specified in **Paragraph 4P(1)**.
- 12. PUBLIC REPORTS:** The following information describes the current status of the public report process specified in **paragraph 4J**.
- A. FINAL PUBLIC REPORT:** A public report is required to be delivered to Buyer prior to the execution of this Agreement.
 - B. NO PUBLIC REPORT REQUIRED:** No public report is required.
 - C. CONDITIONAL PUBLIC REPORT:** If the Property is subject to a Conditional Public Report under the B&P Code, escrow will not close, funds will not be released from the escrow, and any interest contracted for and the subject of the escrow will not be conveyed until a current Final Public Report is delivered to Buyer. Furthermore, the entire sum of money paid or advanced by Buyer shall be returned to Buyer under B&P Code § 11013.4(a) or 11013.2(a) if (i) the Final Public Report has not been issued within time specified in **paragraph 4J**. Buyer has the ability to cancel the Agreement if the Final Public Report has not been issued unless a conditional public report is renewed for another 6 months, or (ii) the Buyer is dissatisfied with the Final Public Report because of a change pursuant to B&P Code § 11012.
 - D. AMENDED/RENEWED PUBLIC REPORT:** An amended/renewed public report is required to be delivered to Buyer prior to execution of this Agreement.



13. DISCLOSURES:

A. STATUTORY DISCLOSURES WHEN NO PUBLIC REPORT IS REQUIRED:

(1) TDS, NHD, AND OTHER STATUTORY AND SUPPLEMENTAL DISCLOSURES:

- (A) Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 4P(1)**, Deliver to Buyer: unless exempt, fully completed disclosures or notices required by §§ 1102 et. seq. and 1103 et. seq. of the Civil Code ("Statutory Disclosures"). Statutory Disclosures include, but are not limited to, a Real Estate Transfer Disclosure Statement (C.A.R. Form TDS), Natural Hazard Disclosure Statement ("NHD"), notice or actual knowledge of release of illegal controlled substance, notice of special tax and/or assessments (or, if allowed, substantially equivalent notice regarding the Mello-Roos Community Facilities Act of 1982 and Improvement Bond Act of 1915) and, if Seller has actual knowledge, of industrial use and military ordnance location (C.A.R. Form SPQ or ESD), and, if the Property is in a high or very high fire hazard severity area, the information, notices, documentation, and agreements required by §§ 1102.6(f) and 1102.19 of the Civil Code (C.A.R. Form FHDS).
- (B) The Real Estate Transfer Disclosure Statement required by this paragraph is considered fully completed if Seller has completed the section titled Coordination with Other Disclosure Forms by checking a box (Section I), and Seller has completed and answered all questions and Signed the Seller's Information section (Section II) and the Seller's Agent, if any, has completed and Signed the Seller's Agent's section (Section III), or, if applicable, an Agent Visual Inspection Disclosure (C.A.R. Form AVID). Section V acknowledgment of receipt of a Copy of the TDS shall be Signed after all previous sections, if applicable, have been completed. Nothing stated herein relieves a Buyer's Agent, if any, from the obligation to **(i)** conduct a reasonably competent and diligent visual inspection of the accessible areas of the Property and disclose, on Section IV of the TDS, or an AVID, material facts affecting the value or desirability of the Property that were or should have been revealed by such an inspection or **(ii)** complete any sections on all disclosures required to be completed by Buyer's Agent.
- (C) Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 4P(1)**, provide "Supplemental Disclosures" as follows: **(i)** unless exempt from the obligation to provide a TDS, complete a Seller Property Questionnaire (C.A.R. Form SPQ) by answering all questions and Signing and Delivering a Copy to Buyer; **(ii)** if exempt from the obligation to provide a TDS, complete an Exempt Seller Disclosure (C.A.R. Form ESD) by answering all questions and Signing and Delivering a Copy to Buyer.
- (D) In the event Seller or Seller's Agent, prior to Close Of Escrow, becomes aware of adverse conditions materially affecting the Property, or any material inaccuracy in disclosures, information or representations previously provided to Buyer under this paragraph, Seller shall, in writing, promptly provide a subsequent or amended TDS, Seller Property Questionnaire or other document, in writing, covering those items. Any such document shall be deemed an amendment to the TDS or SPQ. **However, a subsequent or amended disclosure shall not be required for conditions and material inaccuracies of which Buyer is otherwise aware, or which are discovered by Buyer or disclosed in reports or documents provided to or ordered and paid for by Buyer.**

(2) DEFENSIBLE SPACE DISCLOSURE AND ADDENDUM: For any transaction in which a TDS is required and the property is located in a high or very high fire hazard severity zone, Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 4P(1)**, Deliver to Buyer **(i)** a disclosure of whether the Property is in compliance with any applicable defensible space laws designed to protect a structure on the Property from fire; and **(ii)** an addendum allocating responsibility for compliance with any such defensible space law (C.A.R. Form FHDS).

(3) WAIVER PROHIBITED: Waiver of Statutory and other Disclosures in **paragraph 13** are prohibited by Law.

(4) RETURN OF SIGNED COPIES: Buyer shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 4M(4) OR 5 Days** after Delivery of any disclosures specified in **paragraph 13** and defensible space addendum in **paragraph 13A(2)**, whichever is later, return Signed Copies of the disclosures, and if applicable, addendum, to Seller.

(5) TERMINATION RIGHTS:

- (A) **Statutory and Other Disclosures:** If any disclosure specified in **paragraphs 13A(1) and (2)**, or subsequent or amended disclosure to those just specified, is Delivered to Buyer after the offer is Signed, Buyer shall have the right to terminate this Agreement within **3 Days** after Delivery in person, or **5 Days** after Delivery by deposit in the mail, or by an electronic record or email satisfying the Uniform Electronic Transactions Act (UETA), by giving written notice of rescission to Seller or Seller's Authorized Agent. If Buyer does not rescind within this time period, Buyer has been deemed to have approved the disclosure and shall not have the right to cancel.
- (B) **Defensible Space Compliance:** If, by the time specified in **paragraph 13A(4)**, Buyer does not agree to the terms regarding defensible space compliance Delivered by Seller, as indicated by mutual signatures on the FHDS, then Seller, after first Delivering a Notice to Buyer to Perform, may cancel this Agreement.

B. NATURAL HAZARD ZONES: If a Natural Hazard Disclosure Statement is not required under **paragraph 13A(1)(A)**, Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 4P(1)**, disclose if Property is located in any of the following: Special Flood Hazard Areas; Potential Flooding (inundation) Areas, Very High Fire Hazard Severity Zones; State Fire Responsibility Areas; Earthquake Fault Zones; Seismic Hazard Zones; or any other federal, state, or local designated zone for which disclosure is required by Law.

C. WITHHOLDING TAXES: Buyer and Seller hereby instruct Escrow Holder to withhold the applicable required amounts to comply with federal and California withholding Laws and forward such amounts to the Internal Revenue Service and Franchise Tax Board, respectively. However, no federal withholding is required if, prior to Close Of Escrow, Seller Delivers **(i)** to Buyer and Escrow Holder a fully completed affidavit (C.A.R. Form AS) sufficient to avoid withholding pursuant to federal withholding Law (FIRPTA); **OR (ii)** to a qualified substitute (usually a title company or an independent escrow company) a fully completed affidavit (C.A.R. Form AS) sufficient to avoid withholding pursuant to federal withholding Law AND the qualified substitute Delivers to Buyer and Escrow Holder an affidavit signed under penalty of perjury (C.A.R. Form QS) that the qualified substitute has received the fully completed Seller's affidavit and the Seller states that no federal withholding is required; **OR (iii)** to Buyer other documentation satisfying the requirements under Internal Revenue Code § 1445 (FIRPTA). No withholding is required under California Law if, prior to Close Of Escrow, Escrow Holder has received sufficient documentation from Seller that no withholding is required, and Buyer has been informed by Escrow Holder.

D. MEGAN'S LAW DATABASE DISCLOSURE: Notice: Pursuant to § 290.46 of the Penal Code, information about specified registered sex offenders is made available to the public via an Internet Web site maintained by the Department of Justice at **www.meganslaw.ca.gov**. Depending on an offender's criminal history, this information will include either the address at which the offender resides or the community of residence and ZIP Code in which he or she resides. (Neither Seller nor Agent are required to check this website. If Buyer wants further information, Agent recommends that Buyer obtain information from this website during Buyer's investigation contingency period. Agents do not have expertise in this area.)



E. NOTICE REGARDING GAS AND HAZARDOUS LIQUID TRANSMISSION PIPELINES: This notice is being provided simply to inform you that information about the general location of gas and hazardous liquid transmission pipelines is available to the public via the National Pipeline Mapping System (NPMS) Internet Web site maintained by the United States Department of Transportation at <http://www.npms.phmsa.dot.gov/>. To seek further information about possible transmission pipelines near the Property, you may contact your local gas utility or other pipeline operators in the area. Contact information for pipeline operators is searchable by ZIP Code and county on the NPMS Internet Website. (Neither Seller nor Agent are required to check this website. If Buyer wants further information, Agent recommends that Buyer obtain information from this website during Buyer's investigation contingency period. Agents do not have expertise in this area.)

F. CONDOMINIUM/PLANNED DEVELOPMENT DISCLOSURES:

- (1) Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 4P(1)**, disclose to Buyer whether the Property is a condominium or is located in a planned development, other common interest development, or otherwise subject to covenants, conditions, and restrictions (C.A.R. Form SPQ or ESD).
- (2) If the Property is a condominium or is located in a planned development or other common interest development with a HOA, Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 4P(3)**, order from, and pay any required fee for the following items to the HOA (C.A.R. Form HOA-IR): **(i)** Copies of any documents required by Law (C.A.R. Form HOA-RS); **(ii)** disclosure of any pending or anticipated claim or litigation by or against the HOA; **(iii)** a statement containing the location and number of designated parking and storage spaces; **(iv)** Copies of the most recent 12 months of HOA minutes for regular and special meetings; **(v)** the names and contact information of all HOAs governing the Property; **(vi)** pet restrictions; and **(vii)** smoking restrictions ("CI Disclosures"). Seller shall itemize and Deliver to Buyer all CI Disclosures received from the HOA and any CI Disclosures in Seller's possession. Seller shall, as directed by Escrow Holder, deposit funds into escrow or direct to HOA or management company to pay for any of the above.

G. SOLAR POWER SYSTEMS: For properties with any solar panels or solar power systems, Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 4P(1)**, Deliver to Buyer all known information about the solar panels or solar power system. Seller shall use the Solar Advisory and Questionnaire (C.A.R. Form SOLAR).

H. NATURAL AND ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS: Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 4P(1)**, if required by Law: **(i)** Deliver to Buyer the earthquake guide and environmental hazards booklet, and for all residential property with 1-4 units and any manufactured or mobile home built before January 1, 1960, fully complete and Deliver the Residential Earthquake Risk Disclosure Statement; and **(ii)** even if exempt from the obligation to provide a NHD, disclose if the Property is located in a Special Flood Hazard Area; Potential Flooding (Inundation) Area; Very High Fire Hazard Zone; State Fire Responsibility Area; Earthquake Fault Zone; Seismic Hazard Zone; and **(iii)** disclose any other zone as required by Law and provide any other information required for those zones.

I. PROPOSITION 65 WARNING

MATERIALS INCLUDED IN THE CONSTRUCTION OF THIS HOUSE WILL EXPOSE YOU TO FORMALDEHYDE, A SUBSTANCE KNOWN TO CAUSE CANCER. FURTHER INFORMATION MAY BE OBTAINED FROM THE BUILDER/SELLER.

The following information is intended to explain the warning furnished by Seller of this home for exposures to formaldehyde, a substance known to the State of California to cause cancer. The exposures are caused by materials of which the house is or will be built.

The United States Environmental Protection Agency, the California Air Resources Board, and other agencies have measured the presence of formaldehyde in the indoor air of homes in California. Levels of formaldehyde that present a significant cancer risk have been measured in most homes. Formaldehyde is present in the air because it is emitted by a variety of building materials and home products purchased by Seller from materials suppliers. These materials include carpeting, pressed wood products, insulation, plastics, and glues.

This home, if constructed prior to entering into this Agreement, has not been tested, and if constructed after entering into this Agreement, will not be tested. Most homes that have been tested elsewhere do contain formaldehyde, although the concentrations vary from home to home with no obvious explanation for the differences. One of the problems is that many suppliers of building materials and home products do not provide information on chemical ingredients to builders. In the absence of specific information on these homes, and in light of the materials used in their construction, Seller believes that a warning is necessary.

Buyer may have further questions about these issues. Seller is willing to share any further information Seller has obtained and will provide, upon request, a list of known materials suppliers that may be contacted for further information, and whether any inquiry has been made by Seller.

J. BALCONIES, EXTERIOR STAIRWAYS AND OTHER ELEVATED ELEMENTS: For properties with any building containing 3 or more dwelling units with elevated balconies, stairways or other elements, Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 4P(1)**, Deliver to Buyer the Wooden Balcony and Stairs Addendum (C.A.R. Form WBSA).

K. KNOWN MATERIAL FACTS: Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 4P(1)**, DISCLOSE KNOWN MATERIAL FACTS AND DEFECTS affecting the Property, including, but not limited to, known insurance claims within the past five years, or provide Buyer with permission to contact insurer to get such information (C.A.R. Form ARC), and make any and all other disclosures required by Law.

14. INSULATION: The Federal Trade Commission requires that a new home seller must include in every new home sales contract the following information regarding type, thickness, and R-value of insulation to be installed in each part of the residence and is specified in **paragraph 4R**.

15. BUYER'S INVESTIGATION OF PROPERTY AND MATTERS AFFECTING PROPERTY: Buyer shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 4M(2)**, have the right, at Buyer's expense unless Otherwise Agreed, complete all Buyer Investigations (does not include access to the Property), approve all disclosures reports, and other applicable information; and approval all other matters affecting the Property (including those concerning the registered sex offender database on **paragraph 13D**).

16. ENTRY UPON PROPERTY

A. Buyer agrees to cooperate with Seller in the construction of the Property in accordance with the terms of this Agreement. Buyer understands that, in order to allow work to progress in an orderly fashion, no interference with the work may be permitted. Because of requirements of the California and Federal Occupational and Safety and Health Acts, as well as insurance requirements of Seller and its subcontractors, Buyer further understands and agrees that Buyer may not enter upon the construction site. Should Buyer or Buyer's guests or agents visit the Property prior to Close Of Escrow, Buyer agrees to indemnify and hold Seller harmless from any and all liability, claims, demands, damages, and costs arising from, or related to, Buyer's or Buyer's guests' or agents' entry upon the Property.

B. After this Agreement is fully executed and during the term of the escrow, neither Buyer nor Buyer's agent may enter upon the Property for the purpose of showing the Property to any prospective purchaser thereof from Buyer.



Property Address: _____ Date: _____

- C. After this Agreement is fully executed and during the term of escrow, Buyer shall not place any signs on, about, or near the Property without the prior written consent of Seller.

17. TITLE AND VESTING:

- A. Buyer shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 4P(1)**, be provided a current Preliminary Report by the person responsible for paying for the title policy in **paragraph 4Q(3)**. If Buyer is responsible for paying, Buyer shall act diligently and in good faith to obtain such Preliminary Report within the time specified. The Preliminary Report is only an offer by the title insurer to issue a policy of title insurance and may not contain every item affecting title. The company providing the Preliminary Report shall, prior to issuing a Preliminary Report, conduct a search of the General Index for all Sellers except banks or other institutional lenders selling properties they acquired through foreclosure (REOs), corporations, and government entities.
- B. Title is taken in its present condition subject to all encumbrances, easements, covenants, conditions, restrictions, rights and other matters, whether of record or not, as of the date of Acceptance except for: (i) monetary liens of record unless Buyer is assuming those obligations or taking the Property subject to those obligations; and (ii) those matters which Seller has agreed to remove in writing. For any lien or matter not being transferred upon sale, Seller will take necessary action to deliver title free and clear of such lien or matter.
- C. Seller shall within **7 Days** after request, give Escrow Holder necessary information to clear title.
- D. Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 4P(1)**, disclose to Buyer all matters known to Seller affecting title, whether of record or not.
- E. If Buyer is a legal entity and the Property purchase price is at least \$300,000 and the purchase price is made without a bank loan or similar form of external financing, a Geographic Targeting Order (GTO) issued by the Financial Crimes Enforcement Network, U.S. Department of the Treasury, requires title companies to collect and report certain information about the Buyer, depending on where the Property is located. Buyer agrees to cooperate with the title company's effort to comply with the GTO.
- F. Buyer shall, after Close Of Escrow, receive a recorded grant deed or any other conveyance document required to convey title (For example, for stock cooperative or tenancy in common, respectively, an assignment of stock certificate or assignment of seller's interest in the real property), including oil, mineral and water rights if currently owned by Seller. Title shall vest as designated in Buyer's vesting instructions. The recording document shall contain Buyer's post-closing mailing address to enable Buyer's receipt of the recorded conveyance document from the County Recorder. **THE MANNER OF TAKING TITLE MAY HAVE SIGNIFICANT LEGAL AND TAX CONSEQUENCES. CONSULT AN APPROPRIATE PROFESSIONAL.**
- G. Buyer shall receive a "ALTA/CLTA Homeowner's Policy of Title Insurance" or equivalent policy of title insurance, if applicable to the type of property and buyer. Escrow Holder shall request this policy. If a ALTA/CLTA Homeowner's Policy of Title Insurance is not offered, Buyer shall receive a CLTA Standard Coverage policy unless Buyer has chosen another policy and instructed Escrow Holder in writing of the policy chosen and agreed to pay any increase in cost. Buyer should consult with the Title Company about the availability, and difference in coverage, and cost, if any, between a ALTA/CLTA Homeowner's Policy and a CLTA Standard Coverage policy and other title policies and endorsements. Buyer should receive notice from the Title Company on its Preliminary (Title) Report of the type of coverage offered. If Buyer is not notified on the Preliminary (Title) Report or is not satisfied with the policy offered, and Buyer nonetheless removes the contingency for Review of the Preliminary Report, Buyer will receive the policy as specified in this paragraph.

18. TIME PERIODS; REMOVAL OF CONTINGENCIES; CANCELLATION RIGHTS: The following time periods may only be extended, altered, modified or changed by mutual written agreement. Any removal of contingencies or cancellation under this paragraph by either Buyer or Seller must be exercised in good faith and in writing (C.A.R. Form CR-B, CR-S or CC).

- A. **SELLER DELIVERY OF DOCUMENTS:** Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 4P(1)**, Deliver to Buyer all reports, disclosures and information ("Reports") for which Seller is responsible as specified in **paragraphs 10C, 11, 13A(1) and (2), 13B, 13C, 13F, 13G, 13I, 13J, 17A, 17D, 32, 34, 35, and 36**. This paragraph does not apply to the delivery of the Public Report. See **paragraphs 4 and 12** for Public Report delivery requirements.
- B. **BUYER REVIEW OF DOCUMENTS; CONTINGENCY REMOVAL OR CANCELLATION**
- (1) Buyer has the time specified in **paragraph 4M** to: (i) perform Buyer Investigations; review all disclosures, Reports, lease documents to be assumed by Buyer pursuant to **paragraph 10C**, and other applicable information, which Buyer receives from Seller; and approve all matters affecting the Property; and (ii) Deliver to Seller Signed Copies of Statutory and Other Disclosures Delivered by Seller in accordance with **paragraph 13A(4)**.
- (2) Buyer shall, by the end of the times specified in **paragraph 4M** (or as Otherwise Agreed), Deliver to Seller a removal of the applicable contingency or cancellation of this Agreement (C.A.R. Form CR-B or CC). **Buyer is advised not to remove contingencies related to review of documents until after the documents have been Delivered.** If Delivery of any Report occurs after a contractual contingency pertaining to that Report has already been waived or removed, the Delivery of the Report does not revive the contingency but there may be a right to terminate for a subsequent or amended disclosure under **paragraph 13A(1)(D)**.
- (3) **Continuation of Contingency:** Even after the end of the time specified in **paragraph 4M** and before Seller cancels, if at all, pursuant to **paragraph 18C**, Buyer retains the right, in writing, to either (i) remove remaining contingencies, or (ii) cancel this Agreement based on a remaining contingency. Once Buyer's written removal of all contingencies is Delivered to Seller, Seller may not cancel this Agreement pursuant to **paragraph 18C(1)**.
- C. **SELLER RIGHT TO CANCEL:**
- (1) **SELLER RIGHT TO CANCEL; BUYER CONTINGENCIES:** If, by the time specified in this Agreement, Buyer does not Deliver to Seller a removal of the applicable contingency or cancellation of this Agreement, then Seller, after first Delivering to Buyer a Notice to Buyer to Perform (C.A.R. Form NBP), may cancel this Agreement. In such event, Seller shall authorize the return of Buyer's deposit, except for fees incurred by Buyer.
- (2) **SELLER RIGHT TO CANCEL; BUYER CONTRACT OBLIGATIONS:** Seller, after first Delivering to Buyer a Notice to Buyer to Perform, may cancel this Agreement if, by the time specified in this Agreement, Buyer does not take the following action(s): (i) Deposit funds as required by **paragraph 4D(1-3)** or if the funds deposited pursuant to **paragraph 4D(1-3)** are not good when deposited; (ii) Deliver updated contact information for Buyer's lender(s) as required by **paragraph 6C(3)**; (iii) Deliver a notice of FHA or VA costs or terms, if any, as specified by **paragraph 6C(4)** (C.A.R. Form RR); (iv) Deliver verification, or a satisfactory verification if Seller reasonably disapproves of the verification already provided, as required by **paragraph 6B or 7A**; (v) Deliver a letter as required by **paragraph 7B**; (vi) In writing assume or accept leases or liens specified in **paragraph 9H**; (vii) Return Statutory and Other Disclosures as required by **paragraph 13A(4)**; (viii) Cooperate with the title company's effort to comply with the GTO as required by **paragraph 17E**; (ix) Sign or initial a separate liquidated damages form for an increased deposit as required by **paragraph 6A(2) and 42**; (x) Provide evidence of authority to Sign in a representative capacity as specified in **paragraph 32**; or (xi) Perform any additional Buyer contractual obligation(s) included in this Agreement. In such event, Seller shall authorize the return of Buyer's deposit, except for fees incurred by Buyer and other expenses already paid by Escrow Holder pursuant to this Agreement prior to Seller's cancellation.

(3) **SELLER RIGHT TO CANCEL; SELLER CONTINGENCIES:** Seller may cancel this Agreement by good faith exercise of any Seller contingency included in this Agreement, or Otherwise Agreed, so long as that contingency has not already been removed or waived in writing.

D. BUYER RIGHT TO CANCEL:

(1) **BUYER RIGHT TO CANCEL; SELLER CONTINGENCIES:** If, by the time specified in this Agreement, Seller does not Deliver to Buyer a removal of the applicable contingency or cancellation of this Agreement, then Buyer, after first Delivering to Seller a Notice to Seller to Perform (C.A.R. Form NSP), may cancel this Agreement. In such event, Seller shall authorize the return of Buyer's deposit, including fees and expenses incurred by Buyer and other expenses already paid by Escrow Holder pursuant to this Agreement prior to Buyer's cancellation.

(2) **BUYER RIGHT TO CANCEL; SELLER CONTRACT OBLIGATIONS:** If, by the time specified, Seller has not Delivered any item specified in **paragraph 4P(1)** or Seller has not performed any Seller contractual obligation included in this Agreement by the time specified, Buyer, after first Delivering to Seller a Notice to Seller to Perform, may cancel this Agreement.

(3) **BUYER RIGHT TO CANCEL; BUYER CONTINGENCIES:** Buyer may cancel this Agreement by good faith exercise of any Buyer contingency included in **paragraph 9**, or Otherwise Agreed, so long as that contingency has not already been removed in writing.

E. NOTICE TO BUYER OR SELLER TO PERFORM: The Notice to Buyer to Perform or Notice to Seller to Perform shall: (i) be in writing; (ii) be Signed by the applicable Buyer or Seller; and (iii) give the other Party at least **2 Days** after Delivery (or until the time specified in the applicable paragraph, whichever occurs last) to take the applicable action. A Notice to Buyer to Perform or Notice to Seller to Perform may not be Delivered any earlier than **2 Days** prior to the Scheduled Performance Day to remove a contingency or cancel this Agreement or meet an obligation specified in **paragraph 18**, **except for Close of Escrow which shall be Delivered under the terms of paragraph 18G**, whether or not the Scheduled Performance Day falls on a Saturday, or Sunday or legal holiday. If a Notice to Buyer to Perform or Notice to Seller to Perform is incorrectly Delivered or specifies a time less than the agreed time, the notice shall be deemed invalid and void. **However, if the notice is for multiple items, the notice shall be valid for all contingencies and contractual actions for which the Delivery of the notice is within the time permitted in the Agreement and void as to the others.** Seller or Buyer shall be required to Deliver a new Notice to Buyer to Perform or Notice to Seller to Perform with the specified timeframe.

F. EFFECT OF REMOVAL OF CONTINGENCIES:

(1) **REMOVAL OF BUYER CONTINGENCIES:** If Buyer removes any contingency or cancellation rights, unless Otherwise Agreed, Buyer shall conclusively be deemed to have: (i) completed all Buyer Investigations, and review of Reports and other applicable information and disclosures pertaining to that contingency or cancellation right; (ii) elected to proceed with the transaction; and (iii) assumed all liability, responsibility and expense for the non-delivery of any Reports, disclosures or information outside of Seller's control and for any Repairs or corrections pertaining to that contingency or cancellation right, or for the inability to obtain financing.

(2) **REMOVAL OF SELLER CONTINGENCIES:** If Seller removes any contingency or cancellation rights, unless Otherwise Agreed, Seller shall conclusively be deemed to have: (i) satisfied themselves regarding such contingency, (ii) elected to proceed with the transaction; and (iii) given up any right to cancel this Agreement based on such contingency.

G. DEMAND TO CLOSE ESCROW: Before Buyer or Seller may cancel this Agreement for failure of the other Party to close escrow pursuant to this Agreement, Buyer or Seller must first Deliver to the other Party a Demand to Close Escrow (C.A.R. Form DCE). The DCE shall: (i) be Signed by the applicable Buyer or Seller; and (ii) give the other Party at least **3 Days** after Delivery to close escrow. A DCE may not be Delivered any earlier than **3 Days** prior to the Scheduled Performance Day for the Close Of Escrow. If a DCE is incorrectly Delivered or specifies a time less than the agreed time, the DCE shall be deemed invalid and void, and Seller or Buyer shall be required to Deliver a new DCE.

H. EFFECT OF CANCELLATION ON DEPOSITS: If Buyer or Seller gives written notice of cancellation pursuant to rights duly exercised under the terms of this Agreement, the Parties agree to Sign and Deliver mutual instructions to cancel the sale and escrow and release deposits, if any, to the Party entitled to the funds, less (i) fees and costs paid by Escrow Holder on behalf of that Party, if required by this Agreement; and (ii) any escrow fee charged to that party. Fees and costs may be payable to service providers and vendors for services and products provided during escrow. **A release of funds will require mutual Signed release instructions from the Parties, judicial decision or arbitration award. A Party may be subject to a civil penalty of up to \$1,000 for refusal to Sign cancellation instructions if no good faith dispute exists as to which Party is entitled to the deposited funds (Civil Code § 1057.3). Note: Neither Agents nor Escrow Holder are qualified to provide any opinion on whether either Party has acted in good faith or which Party is entitled to the deposited funds. Buyer and Seller are advised to seek the advice of a qualified California real estate attorney regarding this matter.**

19. FINAL VERIFICATION OF CONDITION: Buyer shall have the right to make a final inspection of the Property accompanied by Seller within the time specified in **paragraph 4K**, NOT AS A CONTINGENCY OF THE SALE, but solely for the purpose of preparing a list of corrective work, if any, which may be necessary. Seller shall provide Buyer with notice at least **3 Days** prior to the date on which the Property is to be inspected and shall have the right to accompany Buyer on such inspection. Buyer's failure to make the final inspection on the agreed date, the existence of minor defects in the welling, or any corrective work agreed to be performed by Seller pursuant to this paragraph shall not cause a delay in the Close Of Escrow or entitle Buyer to withhold any portion of the purchase price. Seller shall, prior to or after the Close Of Escrow, proceed diligently to complete all corrective work agreed to and acknowledged by Buyer and Seller in writing in a reasonably prompt manner in accordance with Seller's Warranty.

20. PRORATIONS OF PROPERTY TAXES AND OTHER ITEMS: Unless Otherwise Agreed, the following items shall be PAID CURRENT and prorated between Buyer and Seller as of Close Of Escrow: real property taxes and assessments, interest, Seller rental payments, HOA regular assessments due prior to Close Of Escrow, premiums on insurance assumed by Buyer, payments on bonds and assessments assumed by Buyer, and payments on Mello-Roos and other Special Assessment District bonds and assessments that are now a lien. Seller shall pay any HOA special or emergency assessments due prior to Close Of Escrow. The following items shall be assumed by Buyer WITHOUT CREDIT toward the purchase price: prorated payments on Mello-Roos and other Special Assessment District bonds and assessments and HOA special or emergency assessments that are due after Close Of Escrow. Property will be reassessed upon change of ownership. Any supplemental tax bills delivered to Escrow Holder prior to closing shall be prorated and paid as follows: (i) for periods after Close Of Escrow, by Buyer; and (ii) for periods prior to Close Of Escrow, by Seller (see C.A.R. Form SPT or SBSA for further information). Seller agrees all service fees, maintenance costs and utility bills will be paid current up and through the date of Close Of Escrow. **TAX BILLS AND UTILITY BILLS ISSUED AFTER CLOSE OF ESCROW SHALL BE HANDLED DIRECTLY BETWEEN BUYER AND SELLER.** Prorations shall be made based on a 30-day month.



21. BROKERS AND AGENTS:

- A. COMPENSATION:** Seller or Buyer, or both, as applicable, agree to pay compensation to Broker as specified in a separate written agreement between Broker and that Seller or Buyer. Compensation is payable upon Close Of Escrow, or if escrow does not close, as otherwise specified in the agreement between Broker and that Seller or Buyer. If Seller agrees to pay **the obligation of Buyer to compensate** Buyer's Broker (see **paragraph 3G(3)**), Seller shall be entitled to a copy of the portion of the written compensation agreement between Buyer and Buyer's Broker identifying the compensation to be paid. See C.A.R. Form SPBB for further information.
- B. SCOPE OF DUTY:** Buyer and Seller acknowledge and agree that Agent: **(i)** Does not decide what price Buyer should pay or Seller should accept; **(ii)** Does not guarantee the condition of the Property; **(iii)** Does not guarantee the performance, adequacy or completeness of inspections, services, products or repairs provided or made by Seller or others; **(iv)** Does not have an obligation to conduct an inspection of common areas or areas off the site of the Property; **(v)** Shall not be responsible for identifying defects on the Property, in common areas, or offsite unless such defects are visually observable by an inspection of reasonably accessible areas of the Property or are known to Agent; **(vi)** Shall not be responsible for inspecting public records or permits concerning the title or use of Property; **(vii)** Shall not be responsible for identifying the location of boundary lines or other items affecting title; **(viii)** Shall not be responsible for verifying square footage, representations of others or information contained in Investigation reports, Multiple Listing Service, advertisements, flyers or other promotional material; **(ix)** Shall not be responsible for determining the fair market value of the Property or any personal property included in the sale; **(x)** Shall not be responsible for providing legal or tax advice regarding any aspect of a transaction entered into by Buyer or Seller; and **(xi)** Shall not be responsible for providing other advice or information that exceeds the knowledge, education and experience required to perform real estate licensed activity. Buyer and Seller agree to seek legal, tax, insurance, title and other desired assistance from appropriate professionals.
- C. REFERRAL LICENSEE COMPENSATION:** (If checked in **paragraph 3E**, Seller or Buyer, agree that Referral Licensee shall be compensated the amount specified in **paragraph 3E**. **Note to Referral Licensee: Agency relationships can be established by conduct notwithstanding the classification as a referral licensee in the Agreement.**

22. JOINT ESCROW INSTRUCTIONS TO ESCROW HOLDER:

- A. The following paragraphs, or applicable portions thereof, of this Agreement constitute the joint escrow instructions of Buyer and Seller to Escrow Holder, which Escrow Holder is to use along with any related counter offers and addenda, and any additional mutual instructions to close the escrow: paragraphs 1, 4A, 4B, 4D-G, 4P(2), 4Q, 4U, 6A(1-3) 6D, 6E, 11, 13F(2), 17 (except 17D), 18H, 20, 21A, 22, 26, 29, 31, 45, 46, and paragraph 3 of the Real Estate Brokers Section. If a Copy of the separate compensation agreement(s) provided for in paragraph 21A or paragraph 3 of the Real Estate Brokers Section is deposited with Escrow Holder by Agent, Escrow Holder shall accept such agreement(s) and pay out from Buyer's or Seller's funds, or both, as applicable, the Broker's compensation provided for in such agreement(s). The terms and conditions of this Agreement not set forth in the specified paragraphs are additional matters for the information of Escrow Holder, but about which Escrow Holder need not be concerned.**
- B. IF PROPERTY IS SUBJECT TO A PUBLIC REPORT OR EXEMPT FROM A PUBLIC REPORT PUSUANT TO BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONS CODE § 11010.4, THE FOLLOWING ADDITIONAL ESCROW INSTRUCTIONS APPLY:**
 - (1) **BLANKET ENCUMBRANCE:** Not as a condition of Seller's duty to complete construction under **paragraph 1D(2)**, but solely for the benefit of Buyer, the escrow shall not close, funds shall not be released from escrow, and title shall not be conveyed to Buyer, until all of the following conditions have been met: **(i)** Seller has complied with the purchase money handling requirements of B&P Code §§ 11013, 11013.1, 11013.2, or 11013.4, as applicable; and **(ii)** Buyer has been provided a policy of title insurance showing that the Property is free and clear of any blanket encumbrances as defined in § 11013. For purposes of compliance with § 11013.2(a), a release from a blanket encumbrance resulting from a deed of trust or mortgage shall require satisfaction with either of the following: (a) an instrument has been duly recorded unconditionally reconveying and releasing the Property from the lien or charge of such deed of trust; or (b) Buyer is notified that an agreement or demand constituting a release agreement as defined in DRE Regulation 2791.1(b)(2)(A) has been duly deposited with Escrow Holder and is available to Buyer on request for each deed of trust, and Buyer will be provided with a policy of title insurance insuring Buyer against loss by reason of such deed of trust.
 - (2) **COMMON INTEREST SUBDIVISION:** If Seller discloses property is in a common interest subdivision, as required under **paragraph 13F**, the attached Common Interest Subdivision Supplemental Escrow Instructions (C.A.R. Form NCEI) are made a part of this Agreement. **Note to Seller: For property subject to a public report, you must use the Common Interest Subdivision Supplemental Escrow Instructions provided with this NCPA or for any other supplemental escrow instructions you intend to use you must submit them to, and have them be accepted by, the DRE.**
 - (3) If escrow does not close within 1 year after Acceptance of this Agreement, and Buyer and Seller have not extended the Closing Date in writing, and the failure to close escrow is not due to the default of Buyer, escrow is to be cancelled and all funds in escrow immediately returned to Buyer upon Buyer's request.
 - (4) Subject to the requirements of Civil Code §§ 1675(c) or (d), 1676, 1677, and 1678, if funds deposited in escrow by Buyer have been disbursed on Seller's instructions as permitted by DRE Regulation 2791, the funds expended by Seller shall be reimbursed to escrow within **15 Days** after Seller's failure to perform within 1 year after Acceptance of this Agreement, and Buyer and Seller have not extended the Closing Date in writing, and those funds shall be immediately returned to Buyer from escrow.
 - (5) Escrow shall not close until Escrow Holder has received written notice from a title insurance company that each and every encumbrance, including without limitation, any mortgage or deed of trust, filed of record prior to the time of recording of the Declaration of Covenants, Conditions, and Restrictions has either been **(i)** fully reconveyed or **(ii)** expressly subordinated to the Declaration of Covenants, Conditions, and Restrictions.
- C. Buyer and Seller will receive Escrow Holder's general provisions, if any, directly from Escrow Holder. To the extent the general provisions are inconsistent or conflict with this Agreement, the general provisions will control as to the duties and obligations of Escrow Holder only. Buyer and Seller shall Sign and return Escrow Holder's general provisions or supplemental instructions within the time specified in paragraph 4P(2). Buyer and Seller shall execute additional instructions, documents and forms provided by Escrow Holder that are reasonably necessary to close the escrow and, as directed by Escrow Holder, within 3 Days, shall pay to Escrow Holder or HOA or HOA management company or others any fee required by paragraphs 4, 9, 11, 13 or elsewhere in this Agreement.**



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- D. A Copy of this Agreement including any counter offer(s) and addenda shall be delivered to Escrow Holder within **3 Days** after **Acceptance**. Buyer and Seller authorize Escrow Holder to accept and rely on Copies and Signatures as defined in this Agreement as originals, to open escrow and for other purposes of escrow. The validity of this Agreement as between Buyer and Seller is not affected by whether or when Escrow Holder Signs this Agreement. Escrow Holder shall provide Seller's Statement of Information to Title Company when received from Seller, if a separate company is providing title insurance. If Seller delivers an affidavit to Escrow Holder to satisfy Seller's FIRPTA obligation under **paragraph 13C**, Escrow Holder shall deliver to Buyer, Buyer's Agent, and Seller's Agent a Qualified Substitute statement that complies with federal Law. If Escrow Holder's Qualified Substitute statement does not comply with federal law, the Parties instruct escrow to withhold all applicable required amounts under **paragraph 13C**.
 - E. Agents are not a party to the escrow except for the sole purpose of receiving compensation pursuant to **paragraph 21A and paragraph 3 of the Real Estate Brokers Section**. If a Copy of the separate compensation agreement(s) provided for in either of those paragraphs is deposited with Escrow Holder by Agent, Escrow Holder shall accept such agreement(s) and pay out from Buyer's or Seller's funds, or both, as applicable, the Broker's compensation provided for in such agreement(s). **Escrow Holder shall provide to Buyer and Seller, either jointly or separately, a closing statement or other written documentation showing the amount of compensation paid to, respectively, Buyer's Broker and Seller's Broker.** Buyer and Seller irrevocably assign to Brokers compensation specified in **paragraph 21A**, and irrevocably instruct Escrow Holder to disburse those funds to Brokers at Close Of Escrow or pursuant to any other mutually executed cancellation agreement. Compensation instructions can be amended or revoked only with the written consent of Brokers. Buyer and Seller shall release and hold harmless Escrow Holder from any liability resulting from Escrow Holder's payment to Broker(s) of compensation pursuant to this Agreement.
 - F. Buyer and Seller acknowledge that Escrow Holder may require invoices for expenses under this Agreement. Buyer and Seller, upon request by Escrow Holder, within **3 Days** or within a sufficient time to close escrow, whichever is sooner, shall provide any such invoices to Escrow Holder.
 - G. Upon receipt, Escrow Holder shall provide Buyer, Seller, and each Agent verification of Buyer's deposit of funds pursuant to **paragraph 6A(1)**. Once Escrow Holder becomes aware of any of the following, Escrow Holder shall immediately notify each Agent: **(i)** if Buyer's initial or any additional deposit or down payment is not made pursuant to this Agreement, or is not good at time of deposit with Escrow Holder; or **(ii)** if Buyer and Seller instruct Escrow Holder to cancel escrow.
 - H. A Copy of any amendment that affects any paragraph of this Agreement for which Escrow Holder is responsible shall be delivered to Escrow Holder within **3 Days** after mutual execution of the amendment.
- 23. SELECTION OF SERVICE PROVIDERS:** Agents do not guarantee the performance of any vendors, service or product providers ("Providers"), whether referred by Agent or selected by Buyer, Seller or other person. Buyer and Seller may select ANY Providers of their own choosing.
- 24. MULTIPLE LISTING SERVICE ("MLS"):** Agents are authorized to report to the MLS that an offer has been accepted and, upon Close Of Escrow, the sales price and other terms of this transaction shall be provided to the MLS to be published and disseminated to persons and entities authorized to use the information on terms approved by the MLS. Buyer acknowledges that: **(i)** any pictures, videos, floor plans (collectively, "Images") or other information about the Property that has been or will be inputted into the MLS or internet portals, or both, at the instruction of Seller or in compliance with MLS rules, will not be removed after Close Of Escrow; **(ii)** California Civil Code § 1088(c) requires the MLS to maintain such Images and information for at least three years and as a result they may be displayed or circulated on the Internet, which cannot be controlled or removed by Seller or Agents; and **(iii)** Seller, Seller's Agent, Buyer's Agent, and MLS have no obligation or ability to remove such Images or information from the Internet.
- 25. ATTORNEY FEES AND COSTS:** In any action, proceeding, or arbitration between Buyer and Seller arising out of this Agreement, the prevailing Buyer or Seller shall be entitled to reasonable attorney fees and costs from the non-prevailing Buyer or Seller, except as provided in **paragraph 43**.
- 26. ASSIGNMENT/NOMINATION:** Buyer shall have the right to assign all of Buyer's interest in this Agreement to Buyer's own trust or to any wholly owned entity of Buyer that is in existence at the time of such assignment. Otherwise, Buyer shall not assign all or any part of Buyer's interest in this Agreement without first having obtained the separate written consent of Seller to a specified assignee. Such consent shall not be unreasonably withheld. Prior to any assignment, Buyer shall disclose to Seller the name of the assignee and the amount of any monetary consideration between Buyer and assignee. Buyer shall provide assignee with all documents related to this Agreement including, but not limited to, the Agreement and any disclosures. If assignee is a wholly owned entity or trust of Buyer, that assignee does not need to re-sign or initial all documents provided. Whether or not an assignment requires seller's consent, at the time of assignment, assignee shall deliver a letter from assignee's lender that assignee is prequalified or preapproved as specified in **paragraph 7B**. Should assignee fail to deliver such a letter, Seller, after first giving Assignee an Notice to Perform, shall have the right to terminate the assignment. Buyer shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 4L**, Deliver any request to assign this Agreement for Seller's consent. If Buyer fails to provide the required information within this time frame, Seller's withholding of consent shall be deemed reasonable. Any total or partial assignment shall not relieve Buyer of Buyer's obligations pursuant to this Agreement unless Otherwise Agreed by Seller (C.A.R. Form AOAA). Parties shall provide any assignment agreement to Escrow Holder within 1 Day after the assignment. Any nomination by Buyer shall be subject to the same procedures, requirements, and terms as an assignment as specified in this paragraph.
- 27. SEVERABILITY:** If any term, condition, or provision of this Agreement is declared illegal or invalid for any reason by a court of competent jurisdiction, or arbitrator, the remaining terms, conditions, and provisions shall, nevertheless, remain in full force and effect.
- 28. EQUAL HOUSING OPPORTUNITY:** The Property is sold in compliance with federal, state and local anti-discrimination Laws.
- 29. DEFINITIONS and INSTRUCTIONS:** The following words are defined terms in this Agreement, shall be indicated by initial capital letters throughout this Agreement, and have the following meaning whenever used:
- A. "**Acceptance**" means the time the offer or final counter offer is fully executed, in writing, by the recipient Party and is Delivered to the offering Party or that Party's Authorized Agent.
 - B. "**Agent**" means the Broker, salesperson, broker-associate or any other real estate licensee licensed under the brokerage firm identified in **paragraph 3**.
 - C. "**Agreement**" means this document and any counter offers and any incorporated addenda or amendments, collectively forming the binding agreement between the Parties. Addenda and amendments are incorporated only when Signed and Delivered by all Parties.
 - D. "**As-Is**" condition: Seller shall disclose known material facts and defects as specified in this Agreement. Buyer has the right to inspect the Property and, within the time specified, request that Seller make repairs or take other corrective action, or exercise any contingency cancellation rights in this Agreement. Seller is only required to make repairs specified in this Agreement or as Otherwise Agreed.
 - E. "**Authorized Agent**" means an individual real estate licensee specified in the Real Estate Broker Section.
 - F. "**C.A.R. Form**" means the most current version of the specific form referenced or another comparable form agreed to by the Parties.

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- G. **"Close Of Escrow"**, including "COE", means the date the grant deed, or other evidence of transfer of title, is recorded for any real property, or the date of Delivery of a document evidencing the transfer of title for any non-real property transaction.
- H. **"Copy"** means copy by any means including photocopy, facsimile and electronic.
- I. **Counting Days** is done as follows unless Otherwise Agreed: (1) The first Day after an event is the first full calendar date following the event, and ending at 11:59 pm. For example, if a Notice to Buyer to Perform (C.A.R. form NBP) is Delivered at 3 pm on the 7th calendar day of the month, or Acceptance of a counter offer is personally received at 12 noon on the 7th calendar day of the month, then the 7th is Day "0" for purposes of counting days to respond to the NBP or calculating the Close Of Escrow date or contingency removal dates and the 8th of the month is Day 1 for those same purposes. (2) All calendar days are counted in establishing the first Day after an event. (3) All calendar days are counted in determining the date upon which performance must be completed, ending at 11:59 pm on the last day for performance ("Scheduled Performance Day"). (4) After Acceptance, if the Scheduled Performance Day for any act required by this Agreement, including Close Of Escrow, lands on a Saturday, Sunday, or Legal Holiday, the performing party shall be allowed to perform on the next day that is not a Saturday, Sunday or Legal Holiday ("Allowable Performance Day"), and ending at 11:59 pm. "Legal Holiday" shall mean any holiday or optional bank holiday under Civil Code §§ 7 and 7.1 and any holiday under Government Code § 6700. (5) For the purposes of COE, any day that the Recorder's office in the County where the Property is located is closed or any day that the lender or Escrow Holder under this Agreement is closed, the COE shall occur on the next day the Recorder's office in that County, the lender, and the Escrow Holder are open. (6) COE is considered Day 0 for purposes of counting days Seller is allowed to remain in possession, if permitted by this Agreement.
- J. **"Day"** or **"Days"** means calendar day or days. However, delivery of deposit to escrow is based on business days.
- K. **"Deliver", "Delivered" or "Delivery"** of documents, unless Otherwise Agreed, means and shall be effective upon personal receipt of the document by Buyer or Seller or their Authorized Agent. Personal receipt means (i) a Copy of the document, or as applicable, link to the document, is in the possession of the Party or Authorized Agent, regardless of the Delivery method used (i.e. e-mail, text, other), or (ii) an Electronic Copy of the document, or as applicable, link to the document, has been sent to the designated electronic delivery address specified in the Real Estate Broker Section, unless Otherwise Agreed in C.A.R. Form DEDA. A document, or as applicable link to a document, shall be deemed to be "in possession" if it located in the in-box for the applicable Party or Authorized Agent. After Acceptance, Agent may change the designated electronic delivery address for that Agent by, in writing, Delivering notice of the change in designated electronic delivery address to the other Party (C.A.R. Form DEDA). Links could be, for example, to DropBox or GoogleDrive or other functionally equivalent program. If the recipient of a link is unable or unwilling to open the link or download the documents or otherwise prefers Delivery of the documents directly, Recipient of a link shall notify the sender in writing, within **3 Days** after Delivery of the link (C.A.R. Form RFR). In such case, Delivery shall be effective upon Delivery of the documents and not the link. Failure to notify sender within the time specified above shall be deemed consent to receive, and Buyer opening, the document by link.
- L. **"DRE"** means the Department of Real Estate.
- M. **"Electronic Copy" or "Electronic Signature"** means, as applicable, an electronic copy or signature complying with California Law. Buyer and Seller agree that electronic means will not be used by either Party to modify or alter the content or integrity of this Agreement without the knowledge and consent of the other Party. Unless Otherwise Agreed, Buyer and Seller agreed to the use of Electronic Signatures.
- N. **"Law"** means any law, code, statute, ordinance, regulation, rule or order, which is adopted by a controlling city, county, state or federal legislative, judicial or executive body or agency.
- O. **"Legally Authorized Signer"** means an individual who has authority to Sign for the principal as specified in **paragraph 45 or paragraph 46**.
- P. **"Otherwise Agreed"** means an agreement in writing, signed by both Parties and Delivered to each.
- Q. **"Repairs"** means any repairs (including pest control), alterations, replacements, modifications or retrofitting of the Property provided for under this Agreement.
- R. **"Sign" or "Signed"** means either a handwritten or Electronic Signature on an original document, Copy or any counterpart.
- 30. **TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF OFFER:** This is an offer to purchase the Property on the terms and conditions herein. The individual Liquidated Damages and Arbitration of Disputes paragraphs are incorporated in this Agreement if initialed by all Parties or if incorporated by mutual agreement in a Counter Offer or addendum. **If at least one but not all Parties initial, a Counter Offer is required until agreement is reached.** Seller has the right to continue to offer the Property for sale and to accept any other offer at any time prior to notification of Acceptance and to market the Property for backup offers after Acceptance. The Parties have read and acknowledge receipt of a Copy of the offer and agree to the confirmation of agency relationships. If this offer is accepted and Buyer subsequently defaults, Buyer may be responsible for payment of Brokers' compensation. This Agreement and any supplement, addendum or modification, including any Copy, may be Signed in two or more counterparts, all of which shall constitute one and the same writing. By signing this offer or any document in the transaction, the Party Signing the document is deemed to have read the document in its entirety.
- 31. **TIME OF ESSENCE; ENTIRE CONTRACT; CHANGES:** Time is of the essence. All understandings between the Parties are incorporated in this Agreement. Its terms are intended by the Parties as a final, complete and exclusive expression of their Agreement with respect to its subject matter and may not be contradicted by evidence of any prior agreement or contemporaneous oral agreement. If any provision of this Agreement is held to be ineffective or invalid, the remaining provisions will nevertheless be given full force and effect. Except as Otherwise Agreed, this Agreement shall be interpreted, and disputes shall be resolved in accordance with the Laws of the State of California. **Neither this Agreement nor any provision in it may be extended, amended, modified, altered or changed, except in writing Signed by Buyer and Seller.**
- 32. **LEGALLY AUTHORIZED SIGNER:** Wherever the signature or initials of the Legally Authorized Signer identified in **paragraph 45 or 46** appear on this Agreement or any related documents, it shall be deemed to be in a representative capacity for the entity described and not in an individual capacity, unless otherwise indicated. The Legally Authorized Signer (i) represents that the entity for which that person is acting already exists and is in good standing to do business in California and (ii) shall Deliver to the other Party and Escrow Holder, within the time specified in **paragraph 4P(4)**, evidence of authority to act in that capacity (such as but not limited to: applicable portion of the trust or Certification Of Trust (Probate Code § 18100.5), letters testamentary, court order, power of attorney, corporate resolution, or formation documents of the business entity).
- 33. **DOCUMENTATION TO SUBSEQUENT PURCHASERS:** Buyer is instructed to give any subsequent purchasers all documents related to the sale and purchase that Buyer receives from Seller.
- 34. **MAINTENANCE RECOMMENDATIONS:** Provided with the Agreement are Copies of all builder maintenance and preventative maintenance recommendations.
- 35. **MANUFACTURED PRODUCTS MAINTENANCE AND LIMITED WARRANTIES:** Provided with the Agreement are Copies of all manufactured products maintenance, preventative maintenance, and limited warranty information.



36. SELLER'S STANDARD WARRANTY:

- A. Seller (i) warrants the Property against defective materials and workmanship, for the minimum periods of time established by Civil Code § 896; and (ii) warrants fit and finish items specified in Civil Code § 900 for one year. Seller's Standard Warranty only applies if Seller receives notice of such defect(s) within the warranty period. Items or defects that were inspected and approved under **paragraph 15** or thereafter, minor settling cracks, damage caused by Buyer or movers, or damage due to alterations or additions made other than by Seller, are excluded from Seller's Standard Warranty. For defects that are covered by the Seller's Standard Warranty, Seller will, within a reasonable time, at Seller's option repair or replace any covered defect in the Property.
- B. Seller shall not be liable for, or have any obligation to provide, warranty services with respect to any defect expressly accepted by Buyer at Close Of Escrow.
- C. THE SELLER'S STANDARD WARRANTY IS PROVIDED IN LIEU OF ALL OTHER WARRANTIES, EXPRESS OR IMPLIED, INCLUDING ANY IMPLIED WARRANTY OF MERCHANTABILITY OF FITNESS, AND IN LIEU OF ANY STRICT LIABILITY OF SELLER IN TORT, TO THE EXTENT SUCH LIABILITY MAY BE DISCLAIMED UNDER CALIFORNIA LAW. THE SELLER'S STANDARD WARRANTY ALSO EXCLUDES LIABILITY FOR CONSEQUENTIAL DAMAGES TO THE EXTENT THAT SUCH LIABILITY MAY BE DISCLAIMED UNDER CALIFORNIA LAW.
- D. WHETHER OR NOT SELLER WARRANTS ANY ASPECT OF THE PROPERTY, SELLER IS OBLIGATED TO DISCLOSE KNOWN MATERIAL FACTS, AND TO MAKE OTHER DISCLOSURES REQUIRED BY LAW.
- E. Buyer and Seller understand and acknowledge that Brokers or Referral Licensee shall not be liable for any breach of this paragraph.

37. BUILDER LIMITED CONTRACTUAL WARRANTIES: Provided with this Agreement are Copies of all builder limited contractual warranties not specified in **paragraph 36** of this Agreement or elsewhere in writing.

38. PROCEDURES FOR ACTIONS ON CONSTRUCTION DEFECTS AND ESCROW INSTRUCTION: This sale is governed by Civil Code §§ 895-945.5 and all of the terms of **paragraph 38** apply.

- A. **"Notice:** California law establishes procedures that must be followed prior to the filing of any action related to a claimed construction defect. These procedures impact the legal rights of a homeowner. These procedures may be found in Title 7 of Part 2 of Division 2 of the California Civil Code commenting with § 895."
- B. **Escrow Holder Instruction:** By signing this document, the Parties are instructing Escrow Holder to insert in the deed the language specified in quotes in **paragraph 38A** above.
- C. **If not previously provided to Buyer, or separately provided as an addendum to this Agreement, attached to the Agreement is a Copy of California Civil Code §§ 895-945.5 (C.A.R. Document SB 800).** (NOTE: REALTORS® may obtain a copy in the EPubs library in zipForm®.)
- D. By initialing here, Buyer and Seller acknowledge that each has received and read this paragraph and the copy of California Civil Code §§ 895-945.5 provided.

Buyer's Initials _____ / _____

Seller's Initials _____ / _____

E. **AGENT FOR NOTICE:** Claims and requests for information relating to construction defect allegations made pursuant to Chapter 4 of Title 7 of Part 2 of Division 2 of the California Civil Code commencing with § 910 may be made to the following person at the following address: _____

By initialing here, Buyer and Seller acknowledge that each has read and understands this paragraph

Buyer's Initials _____ / _____

Seller's Initials _____ / _____

39. NON-ADVERSARIAL PROCEDURE OF CALIFORNIA CIVIL CODE: Seller elects to engage in the non-adversarial procedure set forth in California Civil Code § 914 for construction defect claims, unless initialed in this paragraph. If initialed here, Seller opts out and Buyer and Seller agree to be bound by the alternative procedure, set forth in the attached Addendum.

Buyer's Initials _____ / _____

Seller's Initials _____ / _____

WARNING: DO NOT INITIAL HERE UNLESS BOTH PARTIES INTEND TO OPT OUT OF NON-ADVERSARIAL PROCEDURES

40. PURCHASE MONEY DISTRIBUTIONS TO THIRD PARTIES: Pursuant to DRE Regulation 2791(b), certain distributions and charges may be made against Buyer's deposits to Seller. These charges under Regulation 2791(b), and the Seller Estimates for Third Party Charges, are set forth in **paragraph 4S**.

41. RETENTION OF BUYER DEPOSITS IN THE EVENT OF BUYER DEFAULT: In the event Seller has used Buyer's deposits pending consummation of this Agreement, Seller shall immediately, upon alleging Buyer's default, transmit to Escrow Holder funds equal to all of Buyer's deposits so used.



42. LIQUIDATED DAMAGES: IF BUYER FAILS TO COMPLETE THE PURCHASE OF THE PROPERTY BY REASON OF DEFAULT OF BUYER, SELLER MAY PURSUE ANY REMEDY IN LAW OR EQUITY THAT IT MAY HAVE AGAINST BUYER ON ACCOUNT OF THE DEFAULT; PROVIDED, HOWEVER, THAT BY PLACING THEIR INITIALS HERE, BUYER _____ / _____ AND SELLER _____ / _____ AGREE THAT:

A. THE SUMS PAID ON DEPOSIT PURSUANT TO PARAGRAPHS 4D(1) AND 7A HEREOF PLUS ANY AMOUNTS PAID FOR ADDITIONAL ITEMS, EXTRAS AND/OR CUSTOMER SELECTED MATERIALS ORDERED BY BUYER ("PURCHASE MONEY DEPOSIT") SHALL CONSTITUTE LIQUIDATED DAMAGES PAYABLE TO SELLER IS BUYER FAILS TO COMPLETE THE PURCHASE OF THE PROPERTY BECAUSE OF A DEFAULT BY BUYER.

B. THE PAYMENT OF SUCH LIQUIDATED DAMAGES TO SELLER SHALL CONSTITUTE THE EXCLUSIVE REMEDY OF SELLER ON ACCOUNT OF THE DEFAULT OF BUYER.

C. LIQUIDATED DAMAGES SHALL BE PAYABLE TO SELLER OUT OF BUYER'S DEPOSIT TOWARD PURCHASE OF THE PROPERTY ACCORDING TO THE FOLLOWING PROCEDURES:

(1) SELLER SHALL GIVE WRITTEN NOTICE ("SELLER'S NOTICE AND DEMAND"), IN THE MANNER PRESCRIBED BY SECTION 116.340 OF THE CODE OF CIVIL PROCEDURE FOR SERVICE IN A SMALL CLAIMS ACTION, TO ESCROW HOLDER AND TO BUYER THAT BUYER IS IN DEFAULT UNDER THE CONTRACT AND THAT SELLER IS DEMANDING THAT ESCROW HOLDER REMIT THE PURCHASE MONEY DEPOSIT TO SELLER AS LIQUIDATED DAMAGES UNLESS, WITHIN 20 DAYS, BUYER GIVES ESCROW HOLDER BUYER'S WRITTEN OBJECTION TO DISBURSEMENT OF PURCHASE MONEY AS LIQUIDATED DAMAGES ("BUYER'S OBJECTION").

(2) BUYER HAS A PERIOD OF 20 DAYS FROM THE DATE OF RECEIPT OF SELLER'S NOTICE AND DEMAND IN WHICH TO GIVE ESCROW HOLDER BUYER'S OBJECTION.

(3) IF BUYER FAILS TO GIVE ESCROW HOLDER BUYER'S OBJECTION WITHIN 20 DAYS FROM THE DATE OF RECEIPT OF SELLER'S NOTICE AND DEMAND: (i) ESCROW HOLDER SHALL PROMPTLY REMIT THE AMOUNT DEMANDED TO SELLER; AND (ii) SELLER IS RELEASED FROM ANY OBLIGATION TO SELL THE PROPERTY TO BUYER.

(4) IF BUYER GIVES ESCROW HOLDER BUYER'S OBJECTION WITHIN 20 DAYS FROM THE DATE OF RECEIPT OF SELLER'S NOTICE AND DEMAND, THEN THE DETERMINATION AS TO WHETHER SELLER IS ENTITLED TO THE DISBURSEMENT OF PURCHASE MONEY AS LIQUIDATED DAMAGES, AND EVERY OTHER CAUSE OF ACTION THAT HAS ARISEN BETWEEN BUYER AND SELLER UNDER THIS AGREEMENT, SHALL BE DECIDED IN ACCORDANCE WITH PARAGRAPHS 43 AND 44 OF THIS AGREEMENT.

(5) IF THE DETERMINATION AS TO WHETHER SELLER IS ENTITLED TO THE DISBURSEMENT OF PURCHASE MONEY AS LIQUIDATED DAMAGES IS REFERRED TO ARBITRATION, ANY FEE TO INITIATE ARBITRATION SHALL BE PAID BY SELLER, BUT THE COST OF ARBITRATION SHALL ULTIMATELY BE BORNE AS DETERMINED BY THE ARBITRATOR.

SELLER AGREES TO INDEMNIFY AND HOLD ESCROW HOLDER HARMLESS FROM ANY CLAIM BY BUYER ARISING OUT OF ANY DISTRIBUTIONS MADE BY ESCROW HOLDER IN ACCORDANCE WITH, AND PURSUANT TO, THE PROVISIONS OF THIS PARAGRAPH.

REMITTANCE OF THE AFORESAID LIQUIDATED DAMAGES TO SELLER SHALL PRECLUDE ANY RIGHT OF ACTION SELLER MAY HAVE TO CONTEST THE REASONABLENESS OF THE AMOUNT ACTUALLY PAID AS LIQUIDATED DAMAGES OR THE VALIDITY OF THIS LIQUIDATED DAMAGES PROVISION.

NOTE 1: CIVIL CODE SECTION 1675(D) IS APPLICABLE TO THIS PROVISION. SECTION 1675(D) PROVIDES "IF THE AMOUNT ACTUALLY PAID PURSUANT TO THE LIQUIDATED DAMAGES PROVISION EXCEEDS 3 PERCENT OF THE PURCHASE PRICE, THE PROVISION IS INVALID UNLESS THE PARTY SEEKING TO UPHOLD THE PROVISION ESTABLISHES THAT THE AMOUNT ACTUALLY PAID IS REASONABLE AS LIQUIDATED DAMAGES.

NOTE 2: IF THE PROPERTY IS AN ATTACHED RESIDENTIAL CONDOMINIUM LOCATED WITHIN A STRUCTURE OF 10 OR MORE RESIDENTIAL CONDOMINIUM UNITS AND PARTIES HAVE AGREED TO LIQUIDATED DAMAGES IN THIS ADDENDUM, SELLER'S RETENTION OF ANY AMOUNT IN EXCESS OF 3 PERCENT OF THE PURCHASE PRICE SHALL BE SUBJECT TO CALIFORNIA CIVIL CODE §1675(F).

43. MEDIATION:

A. The Parties agree to mediate any dispute or claim arising between them out of this Agreement, or any resulting transaction, before resorting to arbitration or court action. The mediation shall be conducted through the C.A.R. Real Estate Mediation Center for Consumers (www.consumermediation.org) or through any other mediation provider or service mutually agreed to by the Parties. The Parties also agree to mediate any disputes or claims with Agent(s), who, in writing, agree to such mediation prior to, or within a reasonable time after, the dispute or claim is presented to the Agent. If, for any dispute or claim to which this paragraph applies, any Party (i) commences an action without first attempting to resolve the matter through mediation, or (ii) before commencement of an action, refuses to mediate after a request has been made, then that Party shall not be entitled to recover attorney fees, even if they would otherwise be available to that Party in any such action. THIS MEDIATION PROVISION APPLIES WHETHER OR NOT THE ARBITRATION PROVISION IS INITIALED.

The fees necessary to initiate the mediation shall be advanced by Seller, with the costs of the mediation to be borne as determined by the parties. If the parties cannot resolve their dispute through mediation and they proceed to arbitration or court, then the costs of mediation shall be borne as determined by the arbitrator of judge.



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B. **ADDITIONAL MEDIATION TERMS:** (i) Exclusions from this mediation agreement are specified in paragraph 44B; (ii) The obligation to mediate does not preclude the right of either Party to seek a preservation of rights under paragraph 44C; and (iii) Agent's rights and obligations are further specified in paragraph 44D. These terms apply even if the Arbitration of Disputes paragraph is not initialed.

44. ARBITRATION OF DISPUTES:

A. **THE PARTIES AGREE THAT ANY CONTROVERSY BETWEEN THEM REGARDING LIQUIDATED DAMAGES, TERMINATION OF THIS AGREEMENT BEFORE CLOSE OF ESCROW, BUYER'S INTEREST IN THE PROPERTY OF OTHER ISSUES WHICH ARISE BEFORE CLOSE OF ESCROW, INCLUDING CONTROVERSY CREATED BY CONFLICTING NOTICES BY BUYER AND SELLER, AND THE DISPOSITION OF FUNDS HELD BY ESCROW HOLDER SHALL BE SETTLED BY ARBITRATION IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE COMMERCIAL ARBITRATION RULES OF THE AMERICAN ARBITRATION ASSOCIATION, PROVIDED THAT THOSE RULES ARE CONSISTENT WITH THE FOLLOWING REQUIREMENTS:**

- (1) **THE FEES NECESSARY TO INITIATE THE ARBITRATION SHALL BE ADVANCED BY SELLER, WITH COSTS AND FEES (INCLUDING ONGOING COSTS AND FEES) TO BE PAID AS AGREED BY THE PARTIES. IF THE PARTIES CANNOT AGREE ON THE PAYMENT OF SUCH COSTS AND FEES, ALL COSTS AND FEES OF THE ARBITRATION SHALL ULTIMATELY BE BORNE AS DETERMINED BY THE ARBITRATION.**
- (2) **THE ARBITRATION SHALL BE ADMINISTERED BY A NEUTRAL AND IMPARTIAL PERSON(S).**
- (3) **A NEUTRAL AND IMPARTIAL INDIVIDUAL(S) SHALL BE APPOINTED TO SERVE AS ARBITRATOR(S) WITHIN THE SPECIFIED PERIOD OF TIME, WHICH SHALL IN NO EVENT BE MORE THAN 60 DAYS FROM THE ADMINISTRATOR'S RECEIPT OF A WRITTEN REQUEST FROM A PARTY TO ARBITRATE THE CLAIM OR DISPUTE. THE PROVISIONS OF SECTION 1297.121, OR 1297.124 OF THE CALIFORNIA CODE OF CIVIL PROCEDURE.**
- (4) **THE VENUE OF THE ARBITRATION SHALL BE IN THE COUNTY WHERE THE PROPERTY IS LOCATED UNLESS THE BUYER AND SELLER AGREE TO SOME OTHER LOCATION.**
- (5) **THE ARBITRATION SHALL BE COMMENCED PROMPTLY AND TIMELY IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE RULES OF ARBITRATION. IF THE RULES OF ARBITRATION DO NOT SPECIFY A DATE BY WHICH THE ARBITRATION MUST COMMENCE, THEN IT SHALL COMMENCE ON A DATE AGREED TO BY THE PARTIES. IF THE PARTIES CANNOT AGREE ON AN ARBITRATION COMMENCEMENT DATE, IT SHALL COMMENCE ON THE DATE DETERMINED BY THE ARBITRATOR(S).**
- (6) **THE ARBITRATION SHALL BE CONDUCTED IN ACCORDANCE WITH RULES AND PROCEDURES WHICH ARE REASONABLE AND FAIR TO BUYER AND SELLER. THE AMERICAN ARBITRATION ASSOCIATION COMMERCIAL RULES OF ARBITRATION IN EFFECT AS OF THE DATE OF THIS AGREEMENT SHALL BE DEEMED IN COMPLIANCE WITH THIS REQUIREMENT.**
- (7) **THE ARBITRATION SHALL CONCLUDE PROMPTLY AND TIMELY.**
- (8) **THE ARBITRATOR(S) ARE AUTHORIZED TO PROVIDE ALL RECOGNIZED REMEDIES AVAILABLE IN LAW OR EQUITY FOR ANY CAUSE OF ACTION THAT IS THE BASIS OF THE ARBITRATION**
- (9) **JUDGMENT UPON THE DECISION RENDERED BY THE ARBITRATOR(S) MAY BE ENTERED INTO ANY COURT HAVING PROPER JURISDICTION.**

B. **EXCLUSIONS:** The following matters are excluded from mediation and arbitration: (i) any matter that is within the jurisdiction of a probate, small claims or bankruptcy court; (ii) a judicial or non-judicial foreclosure or other action or proceeding to enforce a deed of trust, mortgage or installment land sale contract as defined in Civil Code § 2985; and (iii) an unlawful detainer action.

C. **PRESERVATION OF ACTIONS:** The following shall not constitute a waiver nor violation of the mediation and arbitration provisions: (i) the filing of a court action to preserve a statute of limitations; (ii) the filing of a court action to enable the recording of a notice of pending action, for order of attachment, receivership, injunction, or other provisional remedies, provided the filing party concurrent with, or immediately after such filing, makes a request to the court for a stay of litigation pending any applicable mediation or arbitration proceeding; or (iii) the filing of a mechanic's lien.

D. **AGENTS; REFERRAL LICENSEE:** Neither Agents nor Referral Licensee shall not be obligated nor compelled to mediate or arbitrate unless they agree to do so in writing. Any Agent(s) or Referral Licensee participating in mediation or arbitration shall not be deemed a party to this Agreement.

E. **"NOTICE: BY INITIALING IN THE SPACE BELOW YOU ARE AGREEING TO HAVE ANY DISPUTE ARISING OUT OF THE MATTERS INCLUDED IN THE 'ARBITRATION OF DISPUTES' PROVISION DECIDED BY NEUTRAL ARBITRATION AS PROVIDED BY CALIFORNIA LAW AND YOU ARE GIVING UP ANY RIGHTS YOU MIGHT POSSESS TO HAVE THE DISPUTE LITIGATED IN A COURT OR JURY TRIAL. BY INITIALING IN THE SPACE BELOW YOU ARE GIVING UP YOUR JUDICIAL RIGHTS TO DISCOVERY AND APPEAL, UNLESS THOSE RIGHTS ARE SPECIFICALLY INCLUDED IN THE 'ARBITRATION OF DISPUTES' PROVISION. IF YOU REFUSE TO SUBMIT TO ARBITRATION AFTER AGREEING TO THIS PROVISION, YOU MAY BE COMPELLED TO ARBITRATE UNDER THE AUTHORITY OF THE CALIFORNIA CODE OF CIVIL PROCEDURE. YOUR AGREEMENT TO THIS ARBITRATION PROVISION IS VOLUNTARY."**

"WE HAVE READ AND UNDERSTAND THE FOREGOING AND AGREE TO SUBMIT DISPUTES ARISING OUT OF THE MATTERS INCLUDED IN THE 'ARBITRATION OF DISPUTES' PROVISION TO NEUTRAL ARBITRATION."

Buyer's Initials _____ / _____

Seller's Initials _____ / _____



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45. BUYER'S OFFER

- A. EXPIRATION OF OFFER:** This offer shall be deemed revoked and the deposit, if any, shall be returned to Buyer unless by the date and time specified in **paragraph 4C**, the offer is Signed by Seller and a Copy of the Signed offer is Delivered to Buyer or Buyer's Authorized Agent. **Seller has no obligation to respond to an offer made.**
- B. ENTITY BUYERS:** (Note: If this paragraph is completed, a Representative Capacity Signature Disclosure (C.A.R. Form RCSD) is not required for the Legally Authorized Signers designated below.)
 - (1) One or more Buyers is a trust, corporation, LLC, probate estate, partnership, holding a power of attorney or other entity.
 - (2) This Agreement is being Signed by a Legally Authorized Signer in a representative capacity and not in an individual capacity. See **paragraph 32** for additional terms.
 - (3) The name(s) of the Legally Authorized Signer(s) is/are: _____.
 - (4) **A.** If a trust, identify **Buyer** as trustee(s) of the trust or by simplified trust name (ex. John Doe, co-trustee, Jane Doe, co-trustee or Doe Revocable Family Trust).
 - B.** If Property is sold under the jurisdiction of a probate court, identify Buyer as executor or administrator, or by a simplified probate name (John Doe, executor, or Estate (or Conservatorship) of John Doe).
 - (5) If the entity is a trust or under probate, the following is the full name of the trust or probate case, including case #: _____.

C. The NCPA has 18 pages. Buyer acknowledges receipt of, and has read and understands, every page and all attachments that make up the Agreement.

D. BUYER SIGNATURE(S):

(Signature) By, _____ **Date:** _____
 Printed name of BUYER: _____
 Printed Name of Legally Authorized Signer: _____ Title, if applicable, _____

(Signature) By, _____ **Date:** _____
 Printed name of BUYER: _____
 Printed Name of Legally Authorized Signer: _____ Title, if applicable, _____

IF MORE THAN TWO SIGNERS, USE Additional Signature Addendum (C.A.R. Form ASA).

46. ACCEPTANCE

A. ACCEPTANCE OF OFFER: Seller warrants that Seller is the owner of the Property or has the authority to execute this Agreement. Seller accepts the above offer and agrees to sell the Property on the above terms and conditions. Seller has read and acknowledges receipt of a Copy of this Agreement and authorizes Agent to Deliver a Signed Copy to Buyer.

Seller's acceptance is subject to the attached Counter Offer or Back-Up Offer Addendum, or both, checked below. Seller shall return and include the entire agreement with any response.

- Seller Counter Offer** (C.A.R. Form SCO or SMCO)
- Back-Up Offer Addendum** (C.A.R. Form BUO)

Note to Seller: For property sold subject to a public report, for any counter offer or back-up addendum you intend to use with this Agreement, you must submit them to, and have them be accepted by, the DRE.

- B. ENTITY SELLERS:** (Note: If this paragraph is completed, a Representative Capacity Signature Disclosure form (C.A.R. Form RCSD) is not required for the Legally Authorized Signers designated below.)
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 - B.** If Property is sold under the jurisdiction of a probate court, identify Seller as executor or administrator, or by a simplified probate name (John Doe, executor, or Estate (or Conservatorship) of John Doe).
 - (5) If the entity is a trust or under probate, the following is the full name of the trust or probate case, including case #: _____.

C. The NCPA has 18 pages. Seller acknowledges receipt of, and has read and understands, every page and all attachments that make up the Agreement.

D. SELLER SIGNATURE(S):

(Signature) By, _____ **Date:** _____
 Printed name of SELLER: _____
 Printed Name of Legally Authorized Signer: _____ Title, if applicable, _____

(Signature) By, _____ **Date:** _____
 Printed name of SELLER: _____
 Printed Name of Legally Authorized Signer: _____ Title, if applicable, _____

IF MORE THAN TWO SIGNERS, USE Additional Signature Addendum (C.A.R. Form ASA).

OFFER NOT ACCEPTED: _____/_____/_____ No Counter Offer is being made. This offer was not accepted by Seller _____ (date)
 Seller's Initials



REAL ESTATE BROKERS SECTION:

1. **Real Estate Agents are not parties to the Agreement between Buyer and Seller.**
2. **Agency relationships are confirmed as stated in paragraph 3.**
3. **Confirmation of Offered Compensation:** Seller's Broker agrees to pay Buyer's Broker and Buyer's Broker agrees to accept, out of Seller's Broker's proceeds in escrow, the **compensation** specified in a separate written agreement (C.A.R. Form CBC). **Each Broker agrees to disclose to their Seller or Buyer client the amount in the CBC.** Declaration of License and Tax (C.A.R. Form DLT) may be used to document that tax reporting will be required or that an exemption exists.
4. **Presentation of Offer:** Pursuant to the National Association of REALTORS® Standard of Practice 1-7, if Buyer's Agent makes a written request, Seller's Agent shall confirm in writing that this offer has been presented to Seller.
5. **Agents' Signatures and designated electronic delivery address:**

A. Buyer's Brokerage Firm _____ Lic. # _____
 By _____ Lic. # _____ Date _____
 By _____ Lic. # _____ Date _____
 Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____
 Email _____ Phone # _____

- More than one agent from the same firm represents Buyer. Additional Agent Acknowledgement (C.A.R. Form AAA) attached.
- More than one brokerage firm represents Buyer. Additional Broker Acknowledgement (C.A.R. Form ABA) attached.

Designated Electronic Delivery Address(es): Email above or _____

Attached DEDA: If Parties elect to have an alternative Delivery method, such method may be indicated on C.A.R. Form DEDA.

B. Seller's Brokerage Firm _____ Lic. # _____
 By _____ Lic. # _____ Date _____
 By _____ Lic. # _____ Date _____
 Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____
 Email _____ Phone # _____

- More than one agent from the same firm represents Seller. Additional Agent Acknowledgement (C.A.R. Form AAA) attached.
- More than one brokerage firm represents Seller. Additional Broker Acknowledgement (C.A.R. Form ABA) attached.

Designated if Parties elect to have an alternative Delivery method, such method may be indicated on DEDA.

Electronic Delivery Address(es) (To be filled out by Seller's Agent): Email above or _____

Attached DEDA: If Parties elect to have an alternative Delivery method, such method may be indicated on C.A.R. Form DEDA.

ESCROW HOLDER ACKNOWLEDGMENT:

Escrow Holder acknowledges receipt of a Copy of this Agreement, (if checked, a deposit in the amount of \$ _____), Counter Offer numbers _____ and _____, and agrees to act as Escrow Holder subject to **paragraph 22** of this Agreement, any supplemental escrow instructions and the terms of Escrow Holder's general provisions.

Escrow Holder is advised by _____ that the date of Acceptance of the Agreement is _____

Escrow Holder _____ Escrow # _____

By _____ Date _____

Address _____

Phone/Fax/E-mail _____

Escrow Holder has the following license number # _____

Department of Financial Protection and Innovation, Department of Insurance, Department of Real Estate.

PRESENTATION OF OFFER: _____ / _____ Seller's Brokerage Firm presented this offer to Seller on _____ (date).
Agent or Seller Initials

Buyer's Initials _____ / _____ Seller's Initials _____ / _____

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NOTICE OF DEFAULT PURCHASE AGREEMENT
(FOR USE WHEN AN INVESTOR BUYER OFFERS TO PURCHASE AN OWNER-OCCUPIED
RESIDENTIAL DWELLING AGAINST WHICH A NOTICE OF DEFAULT HAS BEEN
RECORDED)
(C.A.R. FORM NODPA, Revised 6/24)

If this sale has been negotiated in a language other than English, this Agreement must be translated into that other language under California Civil Code § 1695.2.

Date Prepared: _____

1. OFFER:
 - A. THIS IS AN OFFER FROM _____ (“Buyer”).
Individual(s), A Corporation, A Partnership, An LLC, Other _____
 - B. THE PROPERTY to be acquired is _____, situated in _____ (City), _____ (County), California, _____ (Zip Code), Assessor’s Parcel No(s) _____ (“Property”).
(Postal/Mailing address may be different from city jurisdiction. Buyer is advised to investigate.)
 - C. THE TERMS OF THE PURCHASE ARE SPECIFIED BELOW AND ON THE FOLLOWING PAGES.
 - D. Buyer and Seller are referred to herein as the “Parties.” Brokers and Agents are not Parties to this Agreement.
2. AGENCY:
 - A. DISCLOSURE: The Parties each acknowledge receipt of a “Disclosure Regarding Real Estate Agency Relationships” (C.A.R. Form AD) if represented by a real estate licensee. Buyer’s Agent is not legally required to give to Seller’s Agent the AD form Signed by Buyer. Seller’s Agent is not legally obligated to give to Buyer’s Agent the AD form Signed by Seller.
 - B. CONFIRMATION: The following agency relationships are hereby confirmed for this transaction.
Seller’s Brokerage Firm _____ License Number _____
Is the broker of (check one): the Seller; or both the Buyer and Seller (Dual Agent).
Seller’s Agent _____ License Number _____
Is (check one): the Seller’s Agent (Salesperson or broker associate); or both the Buyer’s and Seller’s Agent (Dual Agent).
Buyer’s Brokerage Firm _____ License Number _____
Is the broker of (check one): the Buyer; or both the Buyer and Seller (Dual Agent).
Buyer’s Agent _____ License Number _____
Is (check one): the Buyer’s Agent (Salesperson or broker associate); or both the Buyer’s and Seller’s Agent (Dual Agent).
 - C. More than one Brokerage represents Seller Buyer. See Additional Broker Acknowledgement (C.A.R. Form ABA).
 - D. POTENTIALLY COMPETING BUYERS AND SELLERS: The Parties each acknowledge receipt of a “Possible Representation of More than One Buyer or Seller - Disclosure and Consent” (C.A.R. Form PRBS).
3. TERMS OF PURCHASE AND ALLOCATION OF COSTS: The items in this paragraph are contractual terms of the Agreement. Referenced paragraphs provide further explanation. This form is 19 pages. The Parties are advised to read all 19 pages.

Paragraph #	Paragraph Title or Contract Term	Terms and Conditions	Additional Terms
A	5, 5B (cash)	Purchase Price	\$ _____ <input type="checkbox"/> All Cash
B		Close Of Escrow (COE)	_____ Days after Acceptance OR on _____ (date)
C	32A	Expiration of Offer	3 calendar days after all Buyer Signature(s) or _____ (date) at 5PM or _____ <input type="checkbox"/> AM/ <input type="checkbox"/> PM
D(1)	5A(1)	Initial Deposit Amount	\$ _____ (_____% of purchase price) (% number above is for calculation purposes and is not a contractual term)
D(2)	5A(2)	<input type="checkbox"/> Increased Deposit (Money placed into escrow after the initial deposit. Use form DID at time increased deposit is made.)	within 3 (or _____) business days after Acceptance by wire transfer OR <input type="checkbox"/> _____ Upon removal of all contingencies OR <input type="checkbox"/> _____ (date) OR <input type="checkbox"/> _____
E(1)	5C(1)	Loan Amount(s): First Interest Rate Points If FHA or VA checked, Deliver list of lender required repairs	\$ _____ (_____% of purchase price) Fixed rate or <input type="checkbox"/> Initial adjustable rate • not to exceed _____% • Buyer to pay up to _____ points to obtain rate above 17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance Conventional or, if checked, <input type="checkbox"/> FHA (Forms FVAC/HID attached) <input type="checkbox"/> VA (Form FVAC attached) <input type="checkbox"/> Seller Financing <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____



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E(2)	5C(2)	Additional Financed Amount Interest Rate Points	\$ _____ (____% of purchase price) Fixed rate or <input type="checkbox"/> Initial adjustable rate • not to exceed ____% • Buyer to pay up to ____ points to obtain rate above	Conventional or, if checked, <input type="checkbox"/> Seller Financing <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____
E(3)	7A	Occupancy Type	Investment	
F	5D	Balance of Down Payment	\$ _____	
PURCHASE PRICE TOTAL			\$ _____	
G(1)	5E	Seller Credit, if any, to Buyer	<input type="checkbox"/> \$ _____ (____% of purchase price) (% number above is for calculation purposes and is not a contractual term)	Seller credit to be applied to closing costs OR <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____
G(2)	ADDITIONAL FINANCE TERMS: _____			
G(3)	18	<input type="checkbox"/> Seller agrees to pay the obligation of Buyer to compensate Buyer's Broker under a separate agreement (C.A.R. Form SPBB attached). Seller's Broker's offer, if any, to compensate Buyer's Broker is unaffected unless Otherwise Agreed.		
H(1)	5B	Verification of All Cash (sufficient funds)	Attached to the offer or <input type="checkbox"/> 3 (or ____) Days after Acceptance	
H(2)	6A	Verification of Down Payment and Closing Costs	Attached to the offer or <input type="checkbox"/> 3 (or ____) Days after Acceptance	
H(3)	6B	Verification of Loan Application	Attached to the offer or <input type="checkbox"/> 3 (or ____) Days after Acceptance	
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J	16	Final Verification of Condition	5 (or ____) Days prior to COE	
K	23	Assignment Request	17 (or ____) Days after Acceptance	
L	8	CONTINGENCIES	TIME TO REMOVE CONTINGENCIES	
L(1)	8A	Loan(s)	17 (or ____) Days after Acceptance	<input type="checkbox"/> No loan contingency
L(2)	8B	Appraisal: Appraisal contingency based upon appraised value at a minimum of purchase price or <input type="checkbox"/> \$ _____	17 (or ____) Days after Acceptance	<input type="checkbox"/> No appraisal contingency Removal of appraisal contingency does not eliminate appraisal cancellation rights in FVAC.
L(3)	8C, 12	Investigation of Property	17 (or ____) Days after Acceptance	REMOVAL OR WAIVER OF CONTINGENCY: Any contingency in L(1)-L(9) may be removed or waived by checking the applicable box above or attaching a Contingency Removal (C.A.R. Form CR-B) and checking the applicable box therein. Removal or Waiver at time of offer is against Agent advice. See paragraph 8I. <input type="checkbox"/> CR-B attached
		Informational Access to Property	17 (or ____) Days after Acceptance	
		Buyer's right to access the Property for informational purposes only is NOT a contingency and does NOT create additional cancellation rights for Buyer.		
L(4)	8D	Insurance	17 (or ____) Days after Acceptance	
L(5)	8E, 14A	Review of Seller Documents	17 (or ____) Days after Acceptance, or 5 Days after Delivery, whichever is later	
L(6)	8F, 13A	Preliminary ("Title") Report	17 (or ____) Days after Acceptance or 5 Days after Delivery, whichever is later	
L(7)	8G, 11L	Common Interest Disclosures required by Civil Code § 4525 or this Agreement	17 (or ____) Days after Acceptance, or 5 Days after Delivery, whichever is later	
L(8)	8H, 9B(6)	Review of leased or liened items (E.g. solar panels or propane tanks)	17 (or ____) Days after Acceptance, or 5 Days after Delivery, whichever is later	
L(9)	8K	Sale of Buyer's Property Sale of Buyer's property is not a contingency, UNLESS checked here: <input type="checkbox"/> C.A.R. Form COP attached		
M		Possession	Time for Performance	Additional Terms
M(1)		Time of Possession	Upon notice of recordation, OR <input type="checkbox"/> 6 PM or <input type="checkbox"/> AM/ <input type="checkbox"/> PM on date specified, as applicable, in 3M(2) or attached TOPA.	
M(2)	7C	Seller Occupied or Vacant units	COE date or, if checked below, <input type="checkbox"/> ____ days after COE (29 or fewer days) <input type="checkbox"/> ____ days after COE (30 or more days)	C.A.R. Form SIP attached if 29 or fewer days. C.A.R. Form RLAS attached if 30 or more days.



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M(3)	4A, 7A	Occupied units by Tenants or anyone other than Seller	<input type="checkbox"/> Tenant Occupied Property Addendum (C.A.R. form TOPA) attached	Seller shall disclose to Buyer if occupied by tenants or persons other than Seller, and attach TOPA in a counter offer if not part of Buyer's offer.
N		Documents/Fees/Compliance	Time for Performance	
N(1)	14A	Seller Delivery of Documents	7 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	
N(2)	19	Sign and return Escrow Holder General Provisions, Supplemental Instructions	5 (or _____) Days after receipt	
N(3)	11L(2)	Time to pay fees for ordering HOA Documents	3 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	
N(4)	10B(1)	Install smoke alarm(s), CO detector(s), water heater bracing	7 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	
N(5)	28	Evidence of representative authority	3 Days after Acceptance	
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P Items Included and Excluded				
P(1)	9	Items Included - All items specified in Paragraph 9B are included and the following, if checked:		
		<input type="checkbox"/> Stove(s), oven(s), stove/oven combo(s); <input type="checkbox"/> Refrigerator(s); <input type="checkbox"/> Wine Refrigerator(s); <input type="checkbox"/> Washer(s); <input type="checkbox"/> Dryer(s); <input type="checkbox"/> Dishwasher(s); <input type="checkbox"/> Microwave(s); Additional Items Included: <input type="checkbox"/> _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Video doorbell(s); <input type="checkbox"/> Security camera equipment; <input type="checkbox"/> Security system(s)/alarm(s), other than separate video doorbell and camera equipment; <input type="checkbox"/> Smart home control devices; <input type="checkbox"/> Wall mounted brackets for video or audio equipment; <input type="checkbox"/> _____ <input type="checkbox"/> _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Above-ground pool(s) / spa(s); <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Bathroom mirrors, unless excluded below; <input type="checkbox"/> Electric car charging systems and stations; <input type="checkbox"/> Potted trees/shrubs; <input type="checkbox"/> _____ <input type="checkbox"/> _____
P(2)	9	Excluded Items:	<input type="checkbox"/> _____;	<input type="checkbox"/> _____;
Q Allocation of Costs				
	Paragraph #	Item Description	Who Pays (if Both is checked, cost to be split equally unless Otherwise Agreed)	Additional Terms
Q(1)	10	Natural Hazard Zone Disclosure Report, including tax information	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Environmental <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Provided by: _____
Q(2)		Optional Wildfire Disclosure Report	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Provided by: _____
Q(3)A		_____ Report	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
Q(3)B		_____ Report	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
Q(4)	10B(1)	Smoke alarms, CO detectors, water heater bracing	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
Q(5)	10A, 10B(2)	Government Required Point of Sale inspections, reports	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
Q(6)	10B(2)	Government Required Point of Sale corrective/remedial actions	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
Q(7)	19B	Escrow Fees	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Each to pay their own fees	Escrow Holder: _____
Q(8)	13	Owner's title insurance policy	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	Title Company (if different from Escrow Holder): _____
Q(9)		Buyer's Lender title insurance policy	Buyer	Unless Otherwise Agreed, Buyer shall purchase any title insurance policy insuring Buyer's lender.
Q(10)		County transfer tax, fees	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
Q(11)		City transfer tax, fees	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
Q(12)	11L(2)	HOA fee for preparing disclosures	Seller	
Q(13)		HOA certification fee	Buyer	



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Paragraph #	Item Description	Who Pays (if Both is checked, cost to be split equally unless Otherwise Agreed)	Additional Terms
Q(14)	HOA transfer fees	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	Unless Otherwise Agreed, Seller shall pay for separate HOA move-out fee and Buyer shall pay for separate move-in fee. Applies if separately billed or itemized with cost in transfer fee.
Q(15)	Private transfer fees	Seller, or if checked, <input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
Q(16)	_____ fees or costs	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
Q(17)	_____ fees or costs	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
Q(18)	10C Home warranty plan, chosen by Buyer. Coverage includes, but is not limited to: _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Buyer waives home warranty plan	If Seller or Both checked, Seller's cost not to exceed \$ _____. Issued by: _____
R	OTHER TERMS: _____		

4. PROPERTY ADDENDA AND ADVISORIES: (check all that apply)

- A. PROPERTY TYPE ADDENDA: This Agreement is subject to the terms contained in the Addenda checked below:
- Tenant Occupied Property Addendum (C.A.R. Form TOPA) (Should be checked whether current tenants will remain or not.)
 - Probate Agreement Purchase Addendum (C.A.R. Form PA-PA)
 - Manufactured Home Purchase Addendum (C.A.R. Form MH-PA)
 - Tenancy in Common Purchase Addendum (C.A.R. Form TIC-PA)
 - Stock Cooperative Purchase Addendum (C.A.R. Form COOP-PA)
 - Mixed Use Purchase Addendum (C.A.R. Form MU-PA) Other _____
- B. OTHER ADDENDA: This Agreement is subject to the terms contained in the Addenda checked below:
- Addendum # _____ (C.A.R. Form ADM) Short Sale Addendum (C.A.R. Form SSA)
 - Back Up Offer Addendum (C.A.R. Form BUO) Court Confirmation Addendum (C.A.R. Form CCA)
 - Septic, Well, Property Monument and Propane Addendum (C.A.R. Form SWPI)
 - Buyer Intent to Exchange Addendum (C.A.R. Form BXA) Seller Intent to Exchange Addendum (C.A.R. Form SXA)
 - Other _____ Other _____
- C. BUYER AND SELLER ADVISORIES: (Note: All Advisories below are provided for reference purposes only and are not intended to be incorporated into this Agreement.)
- Buyer's Investigation Advisory (C.A.R. Form BIA) Fair Housing and Discrimination Advisory (C.A.R. Form FHDA)
 - Wire Fraud Advisory (C.A.R. Form WFA) Cal. Consumer Privacy Act Advisory (C.A.R. Form CCPA)
- (Parties may also receive a privacy disclosure from their own Agent.)
- Wildfire Disaster Advisory (C.A.R. Form WFDA) Statewide Buyer and Seller Advisory (C.A.R. Form SBSA)
 - Trust Advisory (C.A.R. Form TA) Short Sale Information and Advisory (C.A.R. Form SSIA)
 - REO Advisory (C.A.R. Form REO) Probate Advisory (C.A.R. Form PA)
 - Other: _____ Other _____

5. ADDITIONAL TERMS AFFECTING PURCHASE PRICE: Buyer represents that funds will be good when deposited with Escrow Holder.

- A. DEPOSIT:
- (1) INITIAL DEPOSIT: Buyer shall deliver deposit directly to Escrow Holder. If a method other than wire transfer is specified in paragraph 3D(1) and such method is unacceptable to Escrow Holder, then upon notice from Escrow Holder, delivery shall be by wire transfer.
 - (2) INCREASED DEPOSIT: Increased deposit specified in paragraph 3D(2) is to be delivered to Escrow Holder in the same manner as the Initial Deposit. If the Parties agree to liquidated damages in this Agreement, they also agree to incorporate the increased deposit into the liquidated damages amount by signing a new liquidated damages clause (C.A.R. Form DID) at the time the increased deposit is delivered to Escrow Holder.
 - (3) RETENTION OF DEPOSIT: Paragraph 27, if initialed by all Parties or otherwise incorporated into this Agreement, specifies a remedy for Buyer's default. Buyer and Seller are advised to consult with a qualified California real estate attorney: (i) Before adding any other clause specifying a remedy (such as release or forfeiture of deposit or making a deposit non-refundable) for failure of Buyer to complete the purchase. Any such clause shall be deemed invalid unless the clause independently satisfies the statutory liquidated damages requirements set forth in the Civil Code; and (ii) Regarding possible liability and remedies if Buyer fails to deliver the deposit.
- B. ALL CASH OFFER: If an all cash offer is specified in paragraph 3A, no loan is needed to purchase the Property. This Agreement is NOT contingent on Buyer obtaining a loan. Buyer shall, within the time specified in paragraph 3H(1), Deliver written verification of funds sufficient for the purchase price and closing costs.
- C. LOAN(S):
- (1) FIRST LOAN: This loan will provide for conventional financing UNLESS FHA, VA, Seller Financing (C.A.R. Form SFA), or Other is checked in paragraph 3E(1).
 - (2) ADDITIONAL FINANCED AMOUNT: If an additional financed amount is specified in paragraph 3E(2), that amount will provide for conventional financing UNLESS Seller Financing (C.A.R. Form SFA), or Other is checked in paragraph 3E(2).



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- (3) **BUYER'S LOAN STATUS:** Buyer authorizes Seller and Seller's Authorized Agent to contact Buyer's lender(s) to determine the status of any Buyer's loan specified in paragraph 3E, or any alternate loan Buyer pursues, whether or not a contingency of this Agreement. If the contact information for Buyer's lender(s) is different from that provided under the terms of paragraph 6B, Buyer shall Deliver the updated contact information within 1 Day of Seller's request.
- (4) **FHA/VA:** If FHA or VA is checked in paragraph 3E(1), a FHA/VA amendatory clause (C.A.R. Form FVAC) shall be incorporated and Signed by all Parties. Buyer shall, within the time specified in paragraph 3E(1), Deliver to Seller written notice (C.A.R. Form RR or AEA) (i) of any lender requirements that Buyer requests Seller to pay for or otherwise correct or (ii) that there are no lender requirements. Notwithstanding Seller's agreement that Buyer may obtain FHA or VA financing, Seller has no obligation to pay or satisfy any or all lender requirements unless agreed in writing.
- D. **BALANCE OF PURCHASE PRICE (DOWN PAYMENT, paragraph 3F)** (including all-cash funds) to be deposited with Escrow Holder pursuant to Escrow Holder instructions.
- E. **LIMITS ON CREDITS TO BUYER:** Any credit to Buyer as specified in paragraph 3G(1) or Otherwise Agreed, from any source, for closing or other costs that is agreed to by the Parties ("Contractual Credit") shall be disclosed to Buyer's lender, if any, and made at Close Of Escrow. If the total credit allowed by Buyer's lender ("Lender Allowable Credit") is less than the Contractual Credit, then (i) the Contractual Credit from Seller shall be reduced to the Lender Allowable Credit, and (ii) in the absence of a separate written agreement between the Parties, there shall be no automatic adjustment to the purchase price to make up for the difference between the Contractual Credit and the Lender Allowable Credit.
6. **ADDITIONAL FINANCING TERMS:**
- A. **VERIFICATION OF DOWN PAYMENT AND CLOSING COSTS:** Written verification of Buyer's down payment and closing costs, within the time specified in paragraph 3H(2) may be made by Buyer or Buyer's lender or loan broker pursuant to paragraph 6B.
- B. **VERIFICATION OF LOAN APPLICATIONS:** Buyer shall Deliver to Seller, within the time specified in paragraph 3H(3) a letter from Buyer's lender or loan broker stating that, based on a review of Buyer's written application and credit report, Buyer is prequalified or preapproved for any NEW loan specified in paragraph 3E. If any loan specified in paragraph 3E is an adjustable rate loan, the prequalification or preapproval letter shall be based on the qualifying rate, not the initial loan rate.
- C. **BUYER STATED FINANCING:** Seller is relying on Buyer's representation of the type of financing specified (including, but not limited to, as applicable, all cash, amount of down payment, or contingent or non-contingent loan). Seller has agreed to a specific closing date, purchase price, and to sell to Buyer in reliance on Buyer's specified financing. Buyer shall pursue the financing specified in this Agreement, even if Buyer also elects to pursue an alternative form of financing. Seller has no obligation to cooperate with Buyer's efforts to obtain any financing other than that specified in this Agreement but shall not interfere with closing at the purchase price on the COE date (paragraph 3B) even if based upon alternate financing. Buyer's inability to obtain alternate financing does not excuse Buyer from the obligation to purchase the Property and close escrow as specified in this Agreement.
7. **CLOSING AND POSSESSION:**
- A. **OCCUPANCY:** If Buyer intends to occupy as a primary or secondary residence (see paragraph 3E(3)), and unless Otherwise Agreed, such as in C.A.R. Form TOPA: (i) the unit Buyer intends to occupy shall be vacant at the time possession is delivered to Buyer, and (ii) if the Property contains more than one unit, within 3 Days after Acceptance Buyer shall give Seller written notice of which unit Buyer intends to occupy. Occupancy may impact available financing. Seller shall disclose to Buyer if occupied by tenants or persons other than Seller, and attach C.A.R. Form TOPA in a counter offer if not part of Buyer's offer.
- B. **CONDITION OF PROPERTY ON CLOSING:**
Unless Otherwise Agreed: (i) the Property shall be delivered "As-Is" in its PRESENT physical condition as of the date of Acceptance; (ii) the Property, including pool, spa, landscaping and grounds, is to be maintained in substantially the same condition as on the date of Acceptance; (iii) **Except as specified in paragraph 9C, Seller is not responsible to repair any holes left after the removal of any wall hangings (such as pictures and mirrors), brackets, nails or other fastening devices; and (iv) all debris and personal property not included in the sale shall be removed by Close Of Escrow or at the time possession is delivered to Buyer, if not on the same date. If items are not removed when possession is delivered to Buyer, all items shall be deemed abandoned. Buyer, after first Delivering to Seller written notice to remove the items within 3 Days, may pay to have such items removed or disposed of and may bring legal action, as per this Agreement, to receive reasonable costs from Seller.**
- C. Buyer is strongly advised to conduct investigations of the entire Property in order to determine its present condition. Seller and Agents may not be aware of all defects affecting the Property or other factors that Buyer considers important. Property improvements may not be built according to code, in compliance with current Law, or have had all required permits issued and/or finalized.
- D. **SELLER REMAINING IN POSSESSION AFTER CLOSE OF ESCROW:** If Seller has the right to remain in possession after Close Of Escrow pursuant to paragraph 3M(2) or as Otherwise Agreed: The Parties are advised to (i) consult with their insurance and legal advisors for information about liability and damage or injury to persons and personal and real property; and (ii) consult with a qualified California real estate attorney where the Property is located to determine the ongoing rights and responsibilities of both Buyer and Seller with regard to each other, including possible tenant rights, and what type of written agreement to use to document the relationship between the Parties. Buyer is advised to consult with Buyer's lender about the impact of Seller's occupancy on Buyer's loan.
- E. **At Close Of Escrow:** (i) Seller assigns to Buyer any assignable warranty rights for items included in the sale; and (ii) Seller shall Deliver to Buyer available Copies of any such warranties. Agents cannot and will not determine the assignability of any warranties.
- F. Seller shall, on Close Of Escrow unless Otherwise Agreed and even if Seller remains in possession, provide keys, passwords, codes and/or means to operate all locks, mailboxes, security systems, alarms, home automation systems, intranet and Internet-connected devices included in the purchase price, garage door openers, and all items included in either paragraph 3P or paragraph 9. If the Property is a condominium or located in a common interest development, Seller shall be responsible for securing or providing any such items for Association amenities, facilities, and access. Buyer may be required to pay a deposit to the Homeowners' Association ("HOA") to obtain keys to accessible HOA facilities.

8. CONTINGENCIES AND REMOVAL OF CONTINGENCIES:

A. LOAN(S):

- (1) This Agreement is, unless otherwise specified in paragraph 3L(1) or an attached CR-B form, contingent upon Buyer obtaining the loan(s) specified. If contingent, Buyer shall act diligently and in good faith to obtain the designated loan(s). If there is no appraisal contingency or the appraisal contingency has been waived or removed, then failure of the Property to appraise at the purchase price does not entitle Buyer to exercise the cancellation right pursuant to the loan contingency if Buyer is otherwise qualified for the specified loan and Buyer is able to satisfy lender's non-appraisal conditions for closing the loan.
- (2) Buyer is advised to investigate the insurability of the Property as early as possible, as this may be a requirement for lending. Buyer's ability to obtain insurance for the Property, including fire insurance, is part of Buyer's **Insurance** contingency. Failure of Buyer to obtain insurance may justify cancellation based on the **Insurance** contingency but not the loan contingency.
- (3) Buyer's contractual obligations regarding deposit, balance of down payment and closing costs are not contingencies of this Agreement, unless Otherwise Agreed.
- (4) If there is an appraisal contingency, removal of the loan contingency shall not be deemed removal of the appraisal contingency.
- (5) **NO LOAN CONTINGENCY:** If "No loan contingency" is checked in paragraph 3L(1), obtaining any loan specified is NOT a contingency of this Agreement. If Buyer does not obtain the loan specified, and as a result is unable to purchase the Property, Seller may be entitled to Buyer's deposit or other legal remedies.

B. APPRAISAL:

- (1) This Agreement is, unless otherwise specified in paragraph 3L(2) or an attached CR-B form, contingent upon a written appraisal of the Property by a licensed or certified appraiser at no less than the amount specified in paragraph 3L(2), without requiring repairs or improvements to the Property. Appraisals are often a reliable source to verify square footage of the subject Property. However, the ability to cancel based on the measurements provided in an appraisal falls within the Investigation of Property contingency. The appraisal contingency is solely limited to the value determined by the appraisal. For any cancellation based upon this appraisal contingency, Buyer shall Deliver a Copy of the written appraisal to Seller, upon request by Seller.
- (2) **NO APPRAISAL CONTINGENCY:** If "No appraisal contingency" is checked in paragraph 3L(2), then Buyer may not use the loan contingency specified in paragraph 3L(1) to cancel this Agreement if the sole reason for not obtaining the loan is that the appraisal relied upon by Buyer's lender values the property at an amount less than that specified in paragraph 3L(2). If Buyer is unable to obtain the loan specified solely for this reason, Seller may be entitled to Buyer's deposit or other legal remedies.
- (3) **Fair Appraisal Act:** See paragraph 29 for additional information.

C. INVESTIGATION OF PROPERTY: This Agreement is, as specified in paragraph 3L(3), contingent upon Buyer's acceptance of the condition of, and any other matter affecting, the Property. See paragraph 12.

D. INSURANCE: This Agreement is, as specified in paragraph 3L(4), contingent upon Buyer's assessment of the availability and approval of the cost for any insurance policy desired under this Agreement.

E. REVIEW OF SELLER DOCUMENTS: This Agreement is, as specified in paragraph 3L(5), contingent upon Buyer's review and approval of Seller's documents required in paragraph 14A.

F. TITLE:

- (1) This Agreement is, as specified in paragraph 3L(6), contingent upon Buyer's ability to obtain the title policy provided for in paragraph 13G and on Buyer's review of a current Preliminary Report and items that are disclosed or observable even if not on record or not specified in the Preliminary Report, and satisfying Buyer regarding the current status of title. Buyer is advised to review all underlying documents and other matters affecting title, including, but not limited to, any documents or deeds referenced in the Preliminary Report and any plotted easements.
- (2) Buyer has 5 Days after receipt to review a revised Preliminary Report, if any, furnished by the Title Company and cancel the transaction if the revised Preliminary Report reveals material or substantial deviations from a previously provided Preliminary Report.

G. CONDOMINIUM/PLANNED DEVELOPMENT DISCLOSURES (IF APPLICABLE): This Agreement is, as specified in paragraph 3L(7), contingent upon Buyer's review and approval of Common Interest Disclosures required by Civil Code § 4525 and under paragraph 11L ("CI Disclosures").

H. BUYER REVIEW OF LEASED OR LIENED ITEMS CONTINGENCY: Buyer's review of and ability and willingness to assume any lease, maintenance agreement or other ongoing financial obligation, or to accept the Property subject to any lien, disclosed pursuant to paragraph 9B(6), is, as specified in paragraph 3L(8), a contingency of this Agreement. Any assumption of the lease shall not require any financial obligation or contribution by Seller. Seller, after first Delivering a Notice to Buyer to Perform, may cancel this Agreement if Buyer, by the time specified in paragraph 3L(8), refuses to enter into any necessary written agreements to accept responsibility for all obligations of Seller-disclosed leased or liened items.

I. REMOVAL OR WAIVER OF CONTINGENCIES WITH OFFER: Buyer shall have no obligation to remove a contractual contingency unless Seller has provided all required documents, reports, disclosures, and information pertaining to that contingency. If Buyer does remove a contingency without first receiving all required information from Seller, Buyer is relinquishing any contractual rights that apply to that contingency. If Buyer removes or waives any contingencies without an adequate understanding of the Property's condition or Buyer's ability to purchase, Buyer is acting against the advice of Agent.

J. REMOVAL OF CONTINGENCY OR CANCELLATION:

- (1) For any contingency specified in paragraph 3L, 8, or elsewhere, Buyer shall, within the applicable period specified, remove the contingency or cancel this Agreement.
- (2) For the contingencies for review of Seller Documents, Preliminary Report, and Condominium/Planned Development Disclosures, Buyer shall, within the time specified in paragraph 3L or 5 Days after Delivery of Seller Documents or CI Disclosures, whichever occurs later, remove the applicable contingency in writing or cancel this Agreement.
- (3) If Buyer does not remove a contingency within the time specified, Seller, after first giving Buyer a Notice to Buyer to Perform (C.A.R. Form NBP), shall have the right to cancel this Agreement.

K. SALE OF BUYER'S PROPERTY: This Agreement and Buyer's ability to obtain financing are NOT contingent upon the sale of any property owned by Buyer unless the Sale of Buyer's Property (C.A.R. Form COP) is checked as a contingency of this Agreement in paragraph 3L(9).



9. ITEMS INCLUDED IN AND EXCLUDED FROM SALE:

A. NOTE TO BUYER AND SELLER: Items listed as included or excluded in the Multiple Listing Service (MLS), flyers, marketing materials, or disclosures are NOT included in the purchase price or excluded from the sale unless specified in this paragraph or paragraph 3P or as Otherwise Agreed. Any items included herein are components of the home and are not intended to affect the price. All items are transferred without Seller warranty.

B. ITEMS INCLUDED IN SALE:

- (1) All EXISTING fixtures and fittings that are attached to the Property;
- (2) EXISTING electrical, mechanical, lighting, plumbing and heating fixtures, ceiling fans, fireplace inserts, gas logs and grates, solar power systems, built-in appliances and appliances for which special openings or encasements have been made (whether or not checked in paragraph 3P), window and door screens, awnings, shutters, window coverings (which includes blinds, curtains, drapery, shutters or any other materials that cover any portion of the window) and any associated hardware and rods, attached floor coverings, television antennas, satellite dishes, air coolers/conditioners, pool/spa equipment (including, but not limited to, any cleaning equipment such as motorized/automatic pool cleaners, pool heaters, pool nets, pool covers), garage door openers/remote controls, mailbox, in-ground landscaping, water features and fountains, water softeners, water purifiers, light bulbs (including smart bulbs) and all items specified as included in paragraph 3P, if currently existing at the time of Acceptance.

Note: If Seller does not intend to include any item specified as being included above because it is not owned by Seller, whether placed on the Property by Agent, stager or other third party, the item should be listed as being excluded in paragraph 3P or excluded by Seller in a counter offer.

- (3) Security System includes any devices, hardware, software, or control units used to monitor and secure the Property, including but not limited to, any motion detectors, door or window alarms, and any other equipment utilized for such purpose. If checked in paragraph 3P, all such items are included in the sale, whether hard wired or not.
- (4) Home Automation (Smart Home Features) includes any electronic devices and features including, but not limited to, thermostat controls, kitchen appliances not otherwise excluded, and lighting systems, that are connected (hard wired or wirelessly) to a control unit, computer, tablet, phone, or other "smart" device. Any Smart Home devices and features that are physically affixed to the real property, and also existing light bulbs, are included in the sale. Buyer is advised to use paragraph 3P(1) or an addendum to address more directly specific items to be included. Seller is advised to use a counter offer to address more directly any items to be excluded.
- (5) Non-Dedicated Devices: If checked in paragraph 3P, all smart home and security system control devices are included in the sale, except for any non-dedicated personal computer, tablet, or phone used to control such features. Buyer acknowledges that a separate device and access to wifi or Internet may be required to operate some smart home features and Buyer may have to obtain such device after Close Of Escrow. Seller shall de-list any devices from any personal accounts and shall cooperate with any transfer of services to Buyer. Buyer is advised to change all passwords and ensure the security of any smart home features.
- (6) LEASED OR LIENED ITEMS AND SYSTEMS: Seller, within the time specified in paragraph 3N(1), shall (i) disclose to Buyer if any item or system specified in paragraph 3P or 9B or otherwise included in the sale is leased, or not owned by Seller, or is subject to any maintenance or other ongoing financial obligation, or specifically subject to a lien or other encumbrance or loan, and (ii) Deliver to Buyer all written materials (such as lease, warranty, financing, etc.) concerning any such item.
- (7) Seller represents that all items included in the purchase price, unless Otherwise Agreed, (i) are owned by Seller and shall be transferred free and clear of liens and encumbrances, except the items and systems identified pursuant to paragraph 9B(6), and (ii) are transferred without Seller warranty regardless of value. Seller shall cooperate with the identification of any software or applications and Buyer's efforts to transfer any services needed to operate any Smart Home Features or other items included in this Agreement, including, but not limited to, utilities or security systems.

C. ITEMS EXCLUDED FROM SALE: Unless Otherwise Agreed, the following items are excluded from sale: (i) All items specified in paragraph 3P(2); (ii) audio and video components (such as flat screen TVs, speakers and other items) if any such item is not itself attached to the Property, even if a bracket or other mechanism attached to the component or item is attached to the Property; (iii) furniture and other items secured to the Property for earthquake or safety purposes. Unless otherwise specified in paragraph 3P(1), brackets attached to walls, floors or ceilings for any such component, furniture or item will be removed and holes or other damage shall be repaired, but not painted.

10. ALLOCATION OF COSTS:

A. INSPECTIONS, REPORTS, TESTS AND CERTIFICATES: Paragraphs 3Q(1), (2), (3), and (5) only determines who is to pay for the inspection, report, test, certificate or service mentioned; it does not determine who is to pay for any work recommended or identified in any such document. Agreements for payment of required work should be specified elsewhere in paragraph 3Q, or 3R, or in a separate agreement (such as C.A.R. Forms RR, RRRR, ADM or AEA). Any reports in these paragraphs shall be Delivered in the time specified in paragraph 3N(1).

B. GOVERNMENT REQUIREMENTS AND CORRECTIVE OR REMEDIAL ACTIONS:

- (1) LEGALLY REQUIRED INSTALLATIONS AND PROPERTY IMPROVEMENTS: Any required installation of smoke alarm or carbon monoxide device(s) or securing of water heater shall be completed within the time specified in paragraph 3N(4) and paid by the Party specified in paragraph 3Q(4). If Buyer is to pay for these items, Buyer, as instructed by Escrow Holder, shall deposit funds into escrow or directly to the vendor completing the repair or installation. Prior to Close Of Escrow, Seller shall Deliver to Buyer written statement(s) of compliance in accordance with any Law, unless Seller is exempt. If Seller is to pay for these items and does not fulfill Seller's obligation in the time specified, and Buyer incurs costs to comply with lender requirements concerning those items, Seller shall be responsible for Buyer's costs.

(2) POINT OF SALE REQUIREMENTS:

(A) Point of sale inspections, reports and repairs refer to any such actions required to be completed before or after Close Of Escrow that are required in order to close under any Law and paid by Party specified in paragraphs 3Q(5) and 3Q(6). Unless Parties Otherwise Agree to another time period, any such repair, shall be completed prior to final verification of Property. If Buyer agrees to pay for any portion of such repair, Buyer, shall (i) directly pay to the vendor completing the repair or (ii) provide an invoice to Escrow Holder, deposit funds into escrow sufficient to pay for Buyer's portion of such repair and request Escrow Holder pay the vendor completing the repair.



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(B) Buyer shall be provided, within the time specified in paragraph 3N(1), unless Parties Otherwise Agree to another time period, a Copy of any required government-conducted or point-of-sale inspection report prepared pursuant to this Agreement or in anticipation of this sale of the Property.

(3) REINSPECTION FEES: If any repair in paragraph 10B(1) is not completed within the time specified and the lender requires an additional inspection to be made, Seller shall be responsible for any corresponding reinspection fee. If Buyer incurs costs to comply with lender requirements concerning those items, Seller shall be responsible for those costs.

(4) INFORMATION AND ADVICE ON REQUIREMENTS: Buyer and Seller are advised to seek information from a knowledgeable source regarding local and State mandates and whether they are point of sale requirements or requirements of ownership. Agents do not have expertise in this area and cannot ascertain all of the requirements or costs of compliance.

C. HOME WARRANTY:

(1) Buyer shall choose the home warranty plan and any optional coverages. Buyer shall pay any cost of that plan, chosen by Buyer, that exceeds the amount allocated to Seller in paragraph 3Q(18). Buyer is informed that home warranty plans have many optional coverages, including but not limited to, coverages for Air Conditioner and Pool/Spa. Buyer is advised to investigate these coverages to determine those that may be suitable for Buyer and their cost.

(2) If Buyer waives the purchase of a home warranty plan in paragraph 3Q(18), Buyer may still purchase a home warranty plan, at Buyer's expense, prior to Close Of Escrow.

11. STATUTORY AND OTHER DISCLOSURES (INCLUDING LEAD-BASED PAINT HAZARD DISCLOSURES) AND CANCELLATION RIGHTS:

A. TDS, NHD, AND OTHER STATUTORY AND SUPPLEMENTAL DISCLOSURES:

(1) Seller shall, within the time specified in paragraph 3N(1), Deliver to Buyer: unless exempt, fully completed disclosures or notices required by §§ 1102 et. seq. and 1103 et. seq. of the Civil Code ("Statutory Disclosures"). Statutory Disclosures include, but are not limited to, a Real Estate Transfer Disclosure Statement (C.A.R. Form TDS), Natural Hazard Disclosure Statement ("NHD"), notice or actual knowledge of release of illegal controlled substance, notice of special tax and/or assessments (or, if allowed, substantially equivalent notice regarding the Mello-Roos Community Facilities Act of 1982 and Improvement Bond Act of 1915) and, if Seller has actual knowledge, of industrial use and military ordnance location (C.A.R. Form SPQ or ESD), and, if the Property is in a high or very high fire hazard severity area, the information, notices, documentation, and agreements required by §§ 1102.6(f) and 1102.19 of the Civil Code (C.A.R. Form FHDS).

(2) The Real Estate Transfer Disclosure Statement required by this paragraph is considered fully completed if Seller has completed the section titled Coordination with Other Disclosure Forms by checking a box (Section I), and Seller has completed and answered all questions and Signed the Seller's Information section (Section II) and the Seller's Agent, if any, has completed and Signed the Seller's Agent's section (Section III), or, if applicable, an Agent Visual Inspection Disclosure (C.A.R. Form AVID). Section V acknowledgment of receipt of a Copy of the TDS shall be Signed after all previous sections, if applicable, have been completed. Nothing stated herein relieves a Buyer's Agent, if any, from the obligation to (i) conduct a reasonably competent and diligent visual inspection of the accessible areas of the Property and disclose, on Section IV of the TDS, or an AVID, material facts affecting the value or desirability of the Property that were or should have been revealed by such an inspection or (ii) complete any sections on all disclosures required to be completed by Buyer's Agent.

(3) Seller shall, within the time specified in paragraph 3N(1), provide "Supplemental Disclosures" as follows: (i) unless exempt from the obligation to provide a TDS, complete a Seller Property Questionnaire (C.A.R. Form SPQ) by answering all questions and Signing and Delivering a Copy to Buyer; (ii) if exempt from the obligation to provide a TDS, complete an Exempt Seller Disclosure (C.A.R. Form ESD) by answering all questions and Signing and Delivering a Copy to Buyer.

(4) In the event Seller or Seller's Agent, prior to Close Of Escrow, becomes aware of adverse conditions materially affecting the Property, or any material inaccuracy in disclosures, information or representations previously provided to Buyer under this paragraph, Seller shall, in writing, promptly provide a subsequent or amended TDS, Seller Property Questionnaire or other document, in writing, covering those items. Any such document shall be deemed an amendment to the TDS or SPQ. However, a subsequent or amended disclosure shall not be required for conditions and material inaccuracies of which Buyer is otherwise aware, or which are discovered by Buyer or disclosed in reports or documents provided to or ordered and paid for by Buyer.

B. LEAD DISCLOSURES:

(1) Seller shall, within the time specified in paragraph 3N(1), for any residential property built before January 1, 1978, unless exempted by Law, Deliver to Buyer a fully completed Federal Lead-Based Paint Disclosures (C.A.R. Form LPD) and pamphlet ("Lead Disclosures").

(2) Buyer shall, within the time specified in paragraph 3L(3), have the opportunity to conduct a risk assessment or to inspect for the presence of lead-based paint hazards.

C. HOME FIRE HARDENING DISCLOSURE AND ADVISORY: For any transaction where a TDS is required, the property is located in a high or very high fire hazard severity zone, and the home was constructed before January 1, 2010, Seller shall, within the time specified in paragraph 3N(1), Deliver to Buyer: (i) a home hardening disclosure required by law; and (ii) a statement of features of which the Seller is aware that may make the home vulnerable to wildfire and flying embers; and (iii) a final inspection report regarding compliance with defensible space requirements if one was prepared pursuant to Government Code § 51182 (C.A.R. Form FHDS).

D. DEFENSIBLE SPACE DISCLOSURE AND ADDENDUM: For any transaction in which a TDS is required and the property is located in a high or very high fire hazard severity zone, Seller shall, within the time specified in paragraph 3N(1), Deliver to Buyer (i) a disclosure of whether the Property is in compliance with any applicable defensible space laws designed to protect a structure on the Property from fire; and (ii) an addendum allocating responsibility for compliance with any such defensible space law (C.A.R. Form FHDS).

E. WAIVER PROHIBITED: Waiver of Statutory, Lead, and other Disclosures in paragraphs 11A(1), 11B, 11C, and 11D are prohibited by Law.

F. RETURN OF SIGNED COPIES: Buyer shall, within the time specified in paragraph 3L(5) OR 5 Days after Delivery of any disclosures specified in paragraphs 11A, B, C or D, and defensible space addendum in paragraph 11D, whichever is later, return Signed Copies of the disclosures, and if applicable, addendum, to Seller.



G. TERMINATION RIGHTS:

- (1) **Statutory and Other Disclosures:** If any disclosure specified in paragraphs 11A, B, C, or D, or subsequent or amended disclosure to those just specified, is Delivered to Buyer after the offer is Signed, Buyer shall have the right to terminate this Agreement within 3 Days after Delivery in person, or 5 Days after Delivery by deposit in the mail, or by an electronic record or email satisfying the Uniform Electronic Transactions Act (UETA), by giving written notice of rescission to Seller or Seller's Authorized Agent. If Buyer does not rescind within this time period, Buyer has been deemed to have approved the disclosure and shall not have the right to cancel.
- (2) **Defensible Space Compliance:** If, by the time specified in paragraph 11F, Buyer does not agree to the terms regarding defensible space compliance Delivered by Seller, as indicated by mutual signatures on the FHDS, then Seller, after first Delivering a Notice to Buyer to Perform, may cancel this Agreement.

H. WITHHOLDING TAXES: Buyer and Seller hereby instruct Escrow Holder to withhold the applicable required amounts to comply with federal and California withholding Laws and forward such amounts to the Internal Revenue Service and Franchise Tax Board, respectively. However, no federal withholding is required if, prior to Close Of Escrow, Seller Delivers (i) to Buyer and Escrow Holder a fully completed affidavit (C.A.R. Form AS) sufficient to avoid withholding pursuant to federal withholding Law (FIRPTA); OR (ii) to a qualified substitute (usually a title company or an independent escrow company) a fully completed affidavit (C.A.R. Form AS) sufficient to avoid withholding pursuant to federal withholding Law AND the qualified substitute Delivers to Buyer and Escrow Holder an affidavit signed under penalty of perjury (C.A.R. Form QS) that the qualified substitute has received the fully completed Seller's affidavit and the Seller states that no federal withholding is required; OR (iii) to Buyer other documentation satisfying the requirements under Internal Revenue Code § 1445 (FIRPTA). No withholding is required under California Law if, prior to Close Of Escrow, Escrow Holder has received sufficient documentation from Seller that no withholding is required, and Buyer has been informed by Escrow Holder.

I. MEGAN'S LAW DATABASE DISCLOSURE: Notice: Pursuant to § 290.46 of the Penal Code, information about specified registered sex offenders is made available to the public via an Internet Web site maintained by the Department of Justice at www.meganslaw.ca.gov. Depending on an offender's criminal history, this information will include either the address at which the offender resides or the community of residence and ZIP Code in which he or she resides. (Neither Seller nor Agent are required to check this website. If Buyer wants further information, Agent recommends that Buyer obtain information from this website during Buyer's investigation contingency period. Agents do not have expertise in this area.)

J. NOTICE REGARDING GAS AND HAZARDOUS LIQUID TRANSMISSION PIPELINES: This notice is being provided simply to inform you that information about the general location of gas and hazardous liquid transmission pipelines is available to the public via the National Pipeline Mapping System (NPMS) Internet Web site maintained by the United States Department of Transportation at http://www.npms.phmsa.dot.gov/. To seek further information about possible transmission pipelines near the Property, you may contact your local gas utility or other pipeline operators in the area. Contact information for pipeline operators is searchable by ZIP Code and county on the NPMS Internet Website. (Neither Seller nor Agent are required to check this website. If Buyer wants further information, Agent recommends that Buyer obtain information from this website during Buyer's investigation contingency period. Agents do not have expertise in this area.)

K. NATURAL AND ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS: Seller shall, within the time specified in paragraph 3N(1), if required by Law: (i) Deliver to Buyer the earthquake guide and environmental hazards booklet, and for all residential property with 1-4 units and any manufactured or mobile home built before January 1, 1960, fully complete and Deliver the Residential Earthquake Risk Disclosure Statement; and (ii) even if exempt from the obligation to provide a NHD, disclose if the Property is located in a Special Flood Hazard Area; Potential Flooding (Inundation) Area; Very High Fire Hazard Zone; State Fire Responsibility Area; Earthquake Fault Zone; Seismic Hazard Zone; and (iii) disclose any other zone as required by Law and provide any other information required for those zones.

L. CONDOMINIUM/PLANNED DEVELOPMENT DISCLOSURES:

- (1) Seller shall, within the time specified in paragraph 3N(1), disclose to Buyer whether the Property is a condominium or is located in a planned development, other common interest development, or otherwise subject to covenants, conditions, and restrictions (C.A.R. Form SPQ or ESD).
- (2) If the Property is a condominium or is located in a planned development or other common interest development with a HOA, Seller shall, within the time specified in paragraph 3N(3), order from, and pay any required fee as specified in paragraph 3Q(12) for the following items to the HOA (C.A.R. Form HOA-IR): (i) Copies of any documents required by Law (C.A.R. Form HOA-RS); (ii) disclosure of any pending or anticipated claim or litigation by or against the HOA; (iii) a statement containing the location and number of designated parking and storage spaces; (iv) Copies of the most recent 12 months of HOA minutes for regular and special meetings; (v) the names and contact information of all HOAs governing the Property; (vi) pet restrictions; and (vii) smoking restrictions ("CI Disclosures"). Seller shall itemize and Deliver to Buyer all CI Disclosures received from the HOA and any CI Disclosures in Seller's possession. Seller shall, as directed by Escrow Holder, deposit funds into escrow or direct to HOA or management company to pay for any of the above.

M. SOLAR POWER SYSTEMS: For properties with any solar panels or solar power systems, Seller shall, within the time specified in paragraph 3N(1), Deliver to Buyer all known information about the solar panels or solar power system. Seller shall use the Solar Advisory and Questionnaire (C.A.R. Form SOLAR).

N. BALCONIES, EXTERIOR STAIRWAYS AND OTHER ELEVATED ELEMENTS: For properties with any building containing 3 or more dwelling units with elevated balconies, stairways or other elements, Seller shall, within the time specified in paragraph 3N(1), Deliver to Buyer the Wooden Balcony and Stairs Addendum (C.A.R. Form WBSA).

O. KNOWN MATERIAL FACTS: Seller shall, within the time specified in paragraph 3N(1), DISCLOSE KNOWN MATERIAL FACTS AND DEFECTS affecting the Property, including, but not limited to, known insurance claims within the past five years, or provide Buyer with permission to contact insurer to get such information (C.A.R. Form ARC), and make any and all other disclosures required by Law.

12. BUYER'S INVESTIGATION OF PROPERTY AND MATTERS AFFECTING PROPERTY:

A. Buyer shall, within the time specified in paragraph 3L(3), have the right, at Buyer's expense unless Otherwise Agreed, to conduct inspections, investigations, tests, surveys and other studies ("Buyer Investigations").



- B. Buyer Investigations include, but are not limited to:
 - (1) Inspections regarding any physical attributes of the Property or items connected to the Property, such as:
 - (A) A general home inspection.
 - (B) An inspection for lead-based paint and other lead-based paint hazards.
 - (C) An inspection specifically for wood destroying pests and organisms. Any inspection for wood destroying pests and organisms shall be prepared by a registered Structural Pest Control company; shall cover the main building and attached structures; may cover detached structures; shall NOT include water tests of shower pans on upper level units unless the owners of property below the shower consent; shall NOT include roof coverings; and, if the Property is a unit in a condominium or other common interest subdivision, the inspection shall include only the separate interest and any exclusive-use areas being transferred, and shall NOT include common areas; and shall include a report ("Pest Control Report") showing the findings of the company which shall be separated into sections for evident infestation or infections (Section 1) and for conditions likely to lead to infestation or infection (Section 2).
 - (D) Any other specific inspections of the physical condition of the land and improvements.
 - (2) Investigation of any other matter affecting the Property, other than those that are specified as separate contingencies. Buyer Investigations **do not include, among other things, an assessment of the availability and cost of general homeowner's insurance, flood insurance, and fire insurance.** See, Buyer's Investigation Advisory (C.A.R. Form BIA) for more.
- C. Without Seller's prior written consent, Buyer shall neither make nor cause to be made: (i) invasive or destructive Buyer Investigations, except for minimally invasive testing required to prepare a Pest Control Report, which shall not include any holes or drilling through stucco or similar material; or (ii) inspections by any governmental building or zoning inspector or government employee, unless required by Law.
- D. Seller shall make the Property available for all Buyer Investigations. Seller is not obligated to move any existing personal property. Seller shall have water, gas, electricity and all operable pilot lights on for Buyer's Investigations and through the date possession is delivered to Buyer. Buyer shall, (i) by the time specified in paragraph 3L(3), complete Buyer Investigations and satisfy themselves as to the condition of the Property, and either remove the contingency or cancel this Agreement, and (ii) by the time specified in paragraph 3L(3) or 3 Days after receipt of any Investigation report, whichever is later, give Seller at no cost, complete Copies of all such reports obtained by Buyer, which obligation shall survive the termination of this Agreement. This Delivery of Investigation reports shall not include any appraisal, except an appraisal received in connection with an FHA or VA loan.
- E. Buyer indemnity and Seller protection for entry upon the Property: Buyer shall: (i) keep the Property free and clear of liens; (ii) repair all damage arising from Buyer Investigations; and (iii) indemnify and hold Seller harmless from all resulting liability, claims, demands, damages and costs. Buyer shall carry, or Buyer shall require anyone acting on Buyer's behalf to carry, policies of liability, workers' compensation and other applicable insurance, defending and protecting Seller from liability for any injuries to persons or property occurring during any Buyer Investigations or work done on the Property at Buyer's direction prior to Close Of Escrow. Seller is advised that certain protections may be afforded Seller by recording a "Notice of Non-Responsibility" (C.A.R. Form NNR) for Buyer Investigations and work done on the Property at Buyer's direction. Buyer's obligations under this paragraph shall survive the termination of this Agreement.

13. TITLE AND VESTING:

- A. Buyer shall, within the time specified in paragraph 3N(1), be provided a current Preliminary Report by the person responsible for paying for the title report in paragraph 3Q(8). If Buyer is responsible for paying, Buyer shall act diligently and in good faith to obtain such Preliminary Report within the time specified. The Preliminary Report is only an offer by the title insurer to issue a policy of title insurance and may not contain every item affecting title. The company providing the Preliminary Report shall, prior to issuing a Preliminary Report, conduct a search of the General Index for all Sellers except banks or other institutional lenders selling properties they acquired through foreclosure (REOs), corporations, and government entities.
- B. Title is taken in its present condition subject to all encumbrances, easements, covenants, conditions, restrictions, rights and other matters, whether of record or not, as of the date of Acceptance except for: (i) monetary liens of record unless Buyer is assuming those obligations or taking the Property subject to those obligations; and (ii) those matters which Seller has agreed to remove in writing. For any lien or matter not being transferred upon sale, Seller will take necessary action to deliver title free and clear of such lien or matter.
- C. Seller shall within 7 Days after request, give Escrow Holder necessary information to clear title.
- D. Seller shall, within the time specified in paragraph 3N(1), disclose to Buyer all matters known to Seller affecting title, whether of record or not.
- E. If Buyer is a legal entity and the Property purchase price is at least \$300,000 and the purchase price is made without a bank loan or similar form of external financing, a Geographic Targeting Order (GTO) issued by the Financial Crimes Enforcement Network, U.S. Department of the Treasury, requires title companies to collect and report certain information about the Buyer, depending on where the Property is located. Buyer agrees to cooperate with the title company's effort to comply with the GTO.
- F. Buyer shall, after Close Of Escrow, receive a recorded grant deed or any other conveyance document required to convey title (or, for stock cooperative or long-term lease, an assignment of stock certificate or of Seller's leasehold interest), including oil, mineral and water rights if currently owned by Seller. Title shall vest as designated in Buyer's vesting instructions. The recording document shall contain Buyer's post-closing mailing address to enable Buyer's receipt of the recorded conveyance document from the County Recorder. **THE MANNER OF TAKING TITLE MAY HAVE SIGNIFICANT LEGAL AND TAX CONSEQUENCES. CONSULT AN APPROPRIATE PROFESSIONAL.**
- G. Buyer shall receive a "ALTA Homeowner's Policy of Title Insurance" or equivalent policy of title insurance, if applicable to the type of property and buyer. Escrow Holder shall request this policy. If a ALTA Homeowner's Policy of Title Insurance is not offered, Buyer shall receive a CLTA Standard Coverage policy unless Buyer has chosen another policy and instructed Escrow Holder in writing of the policy chosen and agreed to pay any increase in cost. Buyer should consult with the Title Company about the availability, and difference in coverage, and cost, if any, between a ALTA Homeowner's Policy and a CLTA Standard Coverage policy and other title policies and endorsements. Buyer should receive notice from the Title Company on its Preliminary (Title) Report of the type of coverage offered. If Buyer is not notified on the Preliminary (Title) Report or is not satisfied with the policy offered, and Buyer nonetheless removes the contingency for Review of the Preliminary Report, Buyer will receive the policy as specified in this paragraph.



- 14. TIME PERIODS; REMOVAL OF CONTINGENCIES; CANCELLATION RIGHTS:** The following time periods may only be extended, altered, modified or changed by mutual written agreement. Any removal of contingencies or cancellation under this paragraph by either Buyer or Seller must be exercised in good faith and in writing (C.A.R. Form CR-B, CR-S or CC).
- A. SELLER DELIVERY OF DOCUMENTS:** Seller shall, within the time specified in paragraph 3N(1), Deliver to Buyer all reports, disclosures and information ("Reports") for which Seller is responsible as specified in paragraphs 7A, 9B(6), 10, 11A, 11B, 11C, 11D, 11H, 11K, 11L, 11M, 11N, **11O**, 13A, 13C, and **29**.
- B. BUYER REVIEW OF DOCUMENTS; REPAIR REQUEST; CONTINGENCY REMOVAL OR CANCELLATION**
- (1) Buyer has the time specified in paragraph 3 to: (i) perform Buyer Investigations; review all disclosures, Reports, lease documents to be assumed by Buyer pursuant to paragraph 9B(6), and other applicable information, which Buyer receives from Seller; and approve all matters affecting the Property; and (ii) Deliver to Seller Signed Copies of Statutory and Other Disclosures Delivered by Seller in accordance with paragraph 11.
 - (2) Buyer may, within the time specified in paragraph 3L(3), request that Seller make repairs or take any other action regarding the Property (C.A.R. Form RR). Seller has no obligation to agree to or respond to Buyer's requests (C.A.R. Form RR or RRRR). If Seller does not agree or does not respond, Buyer is not contractually entitled to have the repairs or other requests made and may only cancel based on contingencies in this Agreement.
 - (3) Buyer shall, by the end of the times specified in paragraph 3L (or as Otherwise Agreed), Deliver to Seller a removal of the applicable contingency or cancellation of this Agreement (C.A.R. Form CR-B or CC). **Buyer is advised not to remove contingencies related to review of documents until after the documents have been Delivered.** If Delivery of any Report occurs after a contractual contingency pertaining to that Report has already been waived or removed, the Delivery of the Report does not revive the contingency but there may be a right to terminate for a subsequent or amended disclosure under paragraph 11G.
 - (4) Continuation of Contingency: Even after the end of the time specified in paragraph 3L and before Seller cancels, if at all, pursuant to paragraph 14C, Buyer retains the right, in writing, to either (i) remove remaining contingencies, or (ii) cancel this Agreement based on a remaining contingency. Once Buyer's written removal of contingency is Delivered to Seller before Seller cancels, Seller may not cancel this Agreement based on that contingency pursuant to paragraph 14C(1).
- C. SELLER RIGHT TO CANCEL:**
- (1) **SELLER RIGHT TO CANCEL; BUYER CONTINGENCIES:** If, by the time specified in this Agreement, Buyer does not Deliver to Seller a removal of the applicable contingency or cancellation of this Agreement, then Seller, after first Delivering to Buyer a Notice to Buyer to Perform (C.A.R. Form NBP), may cancel this Agreement. In such event, Seller shall authorize the return of Buyer's deposit, except for fees incurred by Buyer.
 - (2) **SELLER RIGHT TO CANCEL; BUYER CONTRACT OBLIGATIONS:** Seller, after first Delivering to Buyer a Notice to Buyer to Perform, may cancel this Agreement if, by the time specified in this Agreement, Buyer does not take the following action(s): (i) Deposit funds as required by paragraph 3D(1) or 3D(2) or if the funds deposited pursuant to paragraph 3D(1) or 3D(2) are not good when deposited; (ii) Deliver updated contact information for Buyer's lender(s) as required by paragraph 5C(3); (iii) Deliver a notice of FHA or VA costs or terms, if any, as specified by paragraph 5C(4) (C.A.R. Form RR); (iv) Deliver verification, or a satisfactory verification if Seller reasonably disapproves of the verification already provided, as required by paragraph 5B or 6A; (v) Deliver a letter as required by paragraph 6B; (vi) In writing assume or accept leases or liens specified in paragraph 8H; (vii) Return Statutory and Other Disclosures as required by paragraph 11F; (viii) Cooperate with the title company's effort to comply with the GTO as required by paragraph 13E; (ix) Sign or initial a separate liquidated damages form for an increased deposit as required by paragraph 27; (x) Provide evidence of authority to Sign in a representative capacity as specified in paragraph 32; or (xi) Perform any additional Buyer contractual obligation(s) included in this Agreement. In such event, Seller shall authorize the return of Buyer's deposit, except for fees incurred by Buyer and other expenses already paid by Escrow Holder pursuant to this Agreement prior to Seller's cancellation.
 - (3) **SELLER RIGHT TO CANCEL; SELLER CONTINGENCIES:** Seller may cancel this Agreement by good faith exercise of any Seller contingency included in this Agreement, or Otherwise Agreed, so long as that contingency has not already been removed or waived in writing.
- D. BUYER RIGHT TO CANCEL:**
- (1) **BUYER RIGHT TO CANCEL; SELLER CONTINGENCIES:** If, by the time specified in this Agreement, Seller does not Deliver to Buyer a removal of the applicable contingency or cancellation of this Agreement, then Buyer, after first Delivering to Seller a Notice to Seller to Perform (C.A.R. Form NSP), may cancel this Agreement. In such event, Seller shall authorize the return of Buyer's deposit, except for fees incurred by Buyer and other expenses already paid by Escrow Holder pursuant to this Agreement prior to Buyer's cancellation.
 - (2) **BUYER RIGHT TO CANCEL; SELLER CONTRACT OBLIGATIONS:** If, by the time specified, Seller has not Delivered any item specified in paragraph 3N(1) or Seller has not performed any Seller contractual obligation included in this Agreement by the time specified, Buyer, after first Delivering to Seller a Notice to Seller to Perform, may cancel this Agreement.
 - (3) **BUYER RIGHT TO CANCEL; BUYER CONTINGENCIES:** Buyer may cancel this Agreement by good faith exercise of any Buyer contingency included in paragraph 8, or Otherwise Agreed, so long as that contingency has not already been removed in writing.
- E. NOTICE TO BUYER OR SELLER TO PERFORM:** The Notice to Buyer to Perform or Notice to Seller to Perform shall: (i) be in writing; (ii) be Signed by the applicable Buyer or Seller; and (iii) give the other Party at least 2 Days after Delivery (or until the time specified in the applicable paragraph, whichever occurs last) to take the applicable action. A Notice to Buyer to Perform or Notice to Seller to Perform may not be Delivered any earlier than 2 Days prior to the Scheduled Performance Day to remove a contingency or cancel this Agreement or meet an obligation specified in paragraph 14, **except for Close of Escrow which shall be Delivered under the terms of paragraph 14G**, whether or not the Scheduled Performance Day falls on a Saturday, Sunday or legal holiday. If a Notice to Buyer to Perform or Notice to Seller to Perform is incorrectly Delivered or specifies a time less than the agreed time, the notice shall be deemed invalid and void. **However, if the notice is for multiple items, the notice shall be valid for all contingencies and contractual actions for which the Delivery of the notice is within the time permitted in the Agreement and void as to the others.** Seller or Buyer shall be required to Deliver a new Notice to Buyer to Perform or Notice to Seller to Perform with the specified timeframe.

F. EFFECT OF REMOVAL OF CONTINGENCIES:

(1) **REMOVAL OF BUYER CONTINGENCIES:** If Buyer removes any contingency or cancellation rights, unless Otherwise Agreed, Buyer shall conclusively be deemed to have: (i) completed all Buyer Investigations, and review of Reports and other applicable information and disclosures pertaining to that contingency or cancellation right; (ii) elected to proceed with the transaction; and (iii) assumed all liability, responsibility and expense for the non-delivery of any Reports, disclosures or information outside of Seller's control and for any Repairs or corrections pertaining to that contingency or cancellation right, or for the inability to obtain financing.

(2) **REMOVAL OF SELLER CONTINGENCIES:** If Seller removes any contingency or cancellation rights, unless Otherwise Agreed, Seller shall conclusively be deemed to have: (i) satisfied themselves regarding such contingency, (ii) elected to proceed with the transaction; and (iii) given up any right to cancel this Agreement based on such contingency.

G. DEMAND TO CLOSE ESCROW: Before Buyer or Seller may cancel this Agreement for failure of the other Party to close escrow pursuant to this Agreement, Buyer or Seller must first Deliver to the other Party a Demand to Close Escrow (C.A.R. Form DCE). The DCE shall: (i) be Signed by the applicable Buyer or Seller; and (ii) give the other Party at least 3 Days after Delivery to close escrow. A DCE may not be Delivered any earlier than 3 Days prior to the Scheduled Performance Day for the Close Of Escrow. If a DCE is incorrectly Delivered or specifies a time less than the above timeframe, the DCE shall be deemed invalid and void, and Seller or Buyer shall be required to Deliver a new DCE.

H. EFFECT OF CANCELLATION ON DEPOSITS: If Buyer or Seller gives written notice of cancellation pursuant to rights duly exercised under the terms of this Agreement, the Parties agree to Sign and Deliver mutual instructions to cancel the sale and escrow and release deposits, if any, to the Party entitled to the funds, less (i) fees and costs paid by Escrow Holder on behalf of that Party, if required by this Agreement; and (ii) any escrow fee charged to that party. Fees and costs may be payable to service providers and vendors for services and products provided during escrow. A release of funds will require mutual Signed release instructions from the Parties, judicial decision or arbitration award. A Party may be subject to a civil penalty of up to \$1,000 for refusal to Sign cancellation instructions if no good faith dispute exists as to which Party is entitled to the deposited funds (Civil Code § 1057.3). Note: Neither Agents nor Escrow Holder are qualified to provide any opinion on whether either Party has acted in good faith or which Party is entitled to the deposited funds. Buyer and Seller are advised to seek the advice of a qualified California real estate attorney regarding this matter.

15. REPAIRS: Repairs shall be completed prior to final verification of condition unless Otherwise Agreed. Repairs to be performed at Seller's expense may be performed by Seller or through others, provided that the work complies with applicable Law, including governmental permit, inspection and approval requirements. Repairs shall be performed in a good, skillful manner with materials of quality and appearance comparable to existing materials. Buyer acknowledges that exact restoration of appearance or cosmetic items following all Repairs may not be possible. Seller shall: (i) obtain invoices and paid receipts for Repairs performed by others; (ii) prepare a written statement indicating the Repairs performed by Seller and the date of such Repairs; and (iii) provide Copies of invoices and paid receipts and statements to Buyer prior to final verification of condition.

16. FINAL VERIFICATION OF CONDITION: Buyer shall have the right to make a final verification of the Property condition within the time specified in paragraph 3J, NOT AS A CONTINGENCY OF THE SALE, but solely to confirm: (i) the Property is maintained pursuant to paragraph 7B; (ii) Repairs have been completed as agreed; and (iii) Seller has complied with Seller's other obligations under this Agreement (C.A.R. Form VP).

17. PRORATIONS OF PROPERTY TAXES AND OTHER ITEMS: Unless Otherwise Agreed, the following items shall be PAID CURRENT and prorated between Buyer and Seller as of Close Of Escrow: real property taxes and assessments, interest, Seller rental payments to third parties, HOA regular assessments due prior to Close Of Escrow, premiums on insurance assumed by Buyer, payments on bonds and assessments assumed by Buyer, and payments on Mello-Roos and other Special Assessment District bonds and assessments that are now a lien. Seller shall pay any HOA special or emergency assessments due prior to Close Of Escrow. The following items shall be assumed by Buyer WITHOUT CREDIT toward the purchase price: prorated payments on Mello-Roos and other Special Assessment District bonds and assessments and HOA special or emergency assessments that are due after Close Of Escrow. Property will be reassessed upon change of ownership. Any supplemental tax bills delivered to Escrow Holder prior to closing shall be prorated and paid as follows: (i) for periods after Close Of Escrow, by Buyer; and (ii) for periods prior to Close Of Escrow, by Seller (see C.A.R. Form SPT or SBSA for further information). Seller agrees all service fees, maintenance costs and utility bills will be paid current up and through the date of Close Of Escrow. TAX BILLS AND UTILITY BILLS ISSUED AFTER CLOSE OF ESCROW SHALL BE HANDLED DIRECTLY BETWEEN BUYER AND SELLER. Prorations shall be made based on a 30-day month.

18. BROKERS AND AGENTS:

A. COMPENSATION: Seller or Buyer, or both, as applicable, agree to pay compensation to Broker as specified in a separate written agreement between Broker and that Seller or Buyer. Compensation is payable upon Close Of Escrow, or if escrow does not close, as otherwise specified in the agreement between Broker and that Seller or Buyer. If Seller agrees to pay the obligation of Buyer to compensate Buyer's Broker (see paragraph 3G(3)), Seller shall be entitled to a copy of the written portion of the compensation agreement between Buyer and Buyer's Broker identifying the compensation to be paid. See C.A.R. Form SPBB for further information.

B. SCOPE OF DUTY: Buyer and Seller acknowledge and agree that Agent: (i) Does not decide what price Buyer should pay or Seller should accept; (ii) Does not guarantee the condition of the Property; (iii) Does not guarantee the performance, adequacy or completeness of inspections, services, products or repairs provided or made by Seller or others; (iv) Does not have an obligation to conduct an inspection of common areas or areas off the site of the Property; (v) Shall not be responsible for identifying defects on the Property, in common areas, or offsite unless such defects are visually observable by an inspection of reasonably accessible areas of the Property or are known to Agent; (vi) Shall not be responsible for inspecting public records or permits concerning the title or use of Property; (vii) Shall not be responsible for identifying the location of boundary lines or other items affecting title; (viii) Shall not be responsible for verifying square footage, representations of others or information contained in Investigation reports, Multiple Listing Service, advertisements, flyers or other promotional material; (ix) Shall not be responsible for determining the fair market value of the Property or any personal property included in the sale; (x) Shall not be responsible for providing legal or tax advice regarding any aspect of a transaction entered into by Buyer or Seller; and (xi) Shall not be responsible for providing other advice or information that exceeds the knowledge, education and experience required to perform real estate licensed activity. Buyer and Seller agree to seek legal, tax, insurance, title and other desired assistance from appropriate professionals.



19. JOINT ESCROW INSTRUCTIONS TO ESCROW HOLDER:

- A. The following paragraphs, or applicable portions thereof, of this Agreement constitute the joint escrow instructions of Buyer and Seller to Escrow Holder, which Escrow Holder is to use along with any related counter offers and addenda, and any additional mutual instructions to close the escrow: paragraphs 1, 3A, 3B, 3D-G, 3N(2), 3Q, 3R, 4A, 4B, 5A(1-2) 5D, 5E, 10B(2)(A), 10B(3), 10C, 11H, 11L(2), 13 (except 13D), 14H, 17, 18A, 19, 23, 26, 28, 29, 33, 34, and paragraph 3 of the Real Estate Brokers Section. If a Copy of the separate compensation agreement(s) provided for in paragraph 18A or paragraph 3 of the Real Estate Brokers Section is deposited with Escrow Holder by Agent, Escrow Holder shall accept such agreement(s) and pay out from Buyer's or Seller's funds, or both, as applicable, the Broker's compensation provided for in such agreement(s). The terms and conditions of this Agreement not set forth in the specified paragraphs are additional matters for the information of Escrow Holder, but about which Escrow Holder need not be concerned.
 - B. Buyer and Seller will receive Escrow Holder's general provisions, if any, directly from Escrow Holder. To the extent the general provisions are inconsistent or conflict with this Agreement, the general provisions will control as to the duties and obligations of Escrow Holder only. Buyer and Seller shall Sign and return Escrow Holder's general provisions or supplemental instructions within the time specified in paragraph 3N(2). Buyer and Seller shall execute additional instructions, documents and forms provided by Escrow Holder that are reasonably necessary to close the escrow and, as directed by Escrow Holder, within 3 Days, shall pay to Escrow Holder or HOA or HOA management company or others any fee required by paragraphs 3, 8, 10, 11, or elsewhere in this Agreement.
 - C. A Copy of this Agreement including any counter offer(s) and addenda shall be delivered to Escrow Holder within 3 Days after Acceptance. Buyer and Seller authorize Escrow Holder to accept and rely on Copies and Signatures as defined in this Agreement as originals, to open escrow and for other purposes of escrow. The validity of this Agreement as between Buyer and Seller is not affected by whether or when Escrow Holder Signs this Agreement. Escrow Holder shall provide Seller's Statement of Information to Title Company when received from Seller, if a separate company is providing title insurance. If Seller delivers an affidavit to Escrow Holder to satisfy Seller's FIRPTA obligation under paragraph 11H, Escrow Holder shall deliver to Buyer, Buyer's Agent, and Seller's Agent a Qualified Substitute statement that complies with federal Law. If Escrow Holder's Qualified Substitute statement does not comply with federal law, the Parties instruct escrow to withhold all applicable required amounts under paragraph 11H.
 - D. Agents are not a party to the escrow, except for Brokers for the sole purpose of compensation pursuant to paragraph 18A and paragraph 3 of the Real Estate Brokers Section. If a Copy of the separate compensation agreement(s) provided for in either of those paragraphs is deposited with Escrow Holder by Agent, Escrow Holder shall accept such agreement(s) and pay out from Buyer's or Seller's funds, or both, as applicable, the Broker's compensation provided for in such agreement(s). **Escrow Holder shall provide to Buyer and Seller, either jointly or separately, a closing statement or other written documentation showing the amount of compensation paid to, respectively, Buyer's Broker and Seller's Broker.** Buyer and Seller irrevocably assign to Brokers compensation specified in paragraph 18A, and irrevocably instruct Escrow Holder to disburse those funds to Brokers at Close Of Escrow or pursuant to any other mutually executed cancellation agreement. Compensation instructions can be amended or revoked only with the written consent of Brokers. Buyer and Seller shall release and hold harmless Escrow Holder from any liability resulting from Escrow Holder's payment to Broker(s) of compensation pursuant to this Agreement.
 - E. Buyer and Seller acknowledge that Escrow Holder may require invoices for expenses under this Agreement. Buyer and Seller, upon request by Escrow Holder, within 3 Days or within a sufficient time to close escrow, whichever is sooner, shall provide any such invoices to Escrow Holder.
 - F. Upon receipt, Escrow Holder shall provide Buyer, Seller, and each Agent verification of Buyer's deposit of funds pursuant to paragraphs 5A(1) and 5A(2). Once Escrow Holder becomes aware of any of the following, Escrow Holder shall immediately notify each Agent: (i) if Buyer's initial or any additional deposit or down payment is not made pursuant to this Agreement, or is not good at time of deposit with Escrow Holder; or (ii) if Buyer and Seller instruct Escrow Holder to cancel escrow.
 - G. A Copy of any amendment that affects any paragraph of this Agreement for which Escrow Holder is responsible shall be delivered to Escrow Holder within 3 Days after mutual execution of the amendment.
20. **SELECTION OF SERVICE PROVIDERS:** Agents do not guarantee the performance of any vendors, service or product providers ("Providers"), whether referred by Agent or selected by Buyer, Seller or other person. Buyer and Seller may select ANY Providers of their own choosing.
21. **MULTIPLE LISTING SERVICE ("MLS"):** Agents are authorized to report to the MLS that an offer has been accepted and, upon Close Of Escrow, the sales price and other terms of this transaction shall be provided to the MLS to be published and disseminated to persons and entities authorized to use the information on terms approved by the MLS. Buyer acknowledges that: (i) any pictures, videos, floor plans (collectively, "Images") or other information about the Property that has been or will be inputted into the MLS or internet portals, or both, at the instruction of Seller or in compliance with MLS rules, will not be removed after Close Of Escrow; (ii) California Civil Code § 1088(c) requires the MLS to maintain such Images and information for at least three years and as a result they may be displayed or circulated on the Internet, which cannot be controlled or removed by Seller or Agents; and (iii) Seller, Seller's Agent, Buyer's Agent, and MLS have no obligation or ability to remove such Images or information from the Internet.
22. **ATTORNEY FEES AND COSTS:** In any action, proceeding, or arbitration between Buyer and Seller arising out of this Agreement, the prevailing Buyer or Seller shall be entitled to reasonable attorney fees and costs from the non-prevailing Buyer or Seller, except as provided in paragraph 28A.



Property Address: _____

Date: _____

- 23. ASSIGNMENT/NOMINATION:** Buyer shall have the right to assign all of Buyer’s interest in this Agreement to Buyer’s own trust or to any wholly owned entity of Buyer that is in existence at the time of such assignment. Otherwise, Buyer shall not assign all or any part of Buyer’s interest in this Agreement without first having obtained the separate written consent of Seller to a specified assignee. Such consent shall not be unreasonably withheld. Prior to any assignment, Buyer shall disclose to Seller the name of the assignee and the amount of any monetary consideration between Buyer and assignee. Buyer shall provide assignee with all documents related to this Agreement including, but not limited to, the Agreement and any disclosures. If assignee is a wholly owned entity or trust of Buyer, that assignee does not need to re-sign or initial all documents provided. Whether or not an assignment requires seller’s consent, at the time of assignment, assignee shall deliver a letter from assignee’s lender that assignee is prequalified or preapproved as specified in paragraph 6B. Should assignee fail to deliver such a letter, Seller, after first giving Assignee an Notice to Buyer to Perform, shall have the right to terminate the assignment. Buyer shall, within the time specified in paragraph 3K, Deliver any request to assign this Agreement for Seller’s consent. If Buyer fails to provide the required information within this time frame, Seller’s withholding of consent shall be deemed reasonable. Any total or partial assignment shall not relieve Buyer of Buyer’s obligations pursuant to this Agreement unless Otherwise Agreed by Seller (C.A.R. Form AOAA). Parties shall provide any assignment agreement to Escrow Holder within 1 Day after the assignment. Any nomination by Buyer shall be subject to the same procedures, requirements, and terms as an assignment as specified in this paragraph.
- 24. EQUAL HOUSING OPPORTUNITY:** The Property is sold in compliance with federal, state and local anti-discrimination Laws.
- 25. A. AGREEMENT SUBJECT TO CIVIL CODE:** This Agreement is used when an investor buyer offers to purchase a residential dwelling containing one to four units, one of which is occupied by the owner as his or her principal residence, and a Notice of Default has been recorded against the Property. The purchase is subject to Civil Code §§ 1695 through 1695.17. If certain provisions of those code sections are violated: (i) Buyer may be responsible for actual damages and attorney fees and costs incurred by Seller, and either exemplary damages or a civil penalty of up to \$2,500; (ii) buyer may be subject to a fine of up to \$25,000 or imprisonment for not more than one year or both fine and imprisonment; and (iii) the transaction may be rescinded by the Seller up to two years after Close Of Escrow
- B. SELLER CANCELLATION RIGHT:** Seller may cancel this Agreement until midnight on the fifth business day following the day on which Seller signs this Agreement or until 8:00 a.m. on the day scheduled for the sale of the Property pursuant to a power of sale conferred in a deed of trust, whichever occurs first.
- C. BUYER RESTRICTIONS PRIOR TO EXPIRATION OF CANCELLATION RIGHT:** Until Seller’s right to cancel has lapsed, Buyer shall not: (i) accept from Seller an execution of, or induce Seller to execute, any instrument conveying any interest in the Property; (ii) record any instrument signed by Seller; (iii) transfer or encumber or purport to transfer or encumber any interest in the Property to any third party; or (iv) pay Seller any consideration.
- D. REAL ESTATE AGENT LICENSE AND BONDING:**
- (1) Civil Code § 1695.17 requires an Equity Purchaser’s Representative (a person who solicits, induces or causes the Property owner to transfer title) (Buyer’s agent) (i) to have a valid current real estate license, (ii) to have a bond equal to twice the fair market value of the property, and (iii) to notify, and provide proof to, the Seller of the Representative’s license status and bond.
 - (2) In 2007, a California court of appeal (Schweitzer vs Westminster Investments) ruled that the bond requirement is unconstitutional. Therefore, unless contradicted by a different court of appeal, the California Supreme Court or superseding legislation, the bond, and proof of the bond, is not required.
 - (3) The Equity Purchaser’s Representative must still comply with the licensing notification and proof requirements of the statute. If not, the contract is voidable by Seller and can subject the Equity Purchaser’s Representative to damages. The Purchaser’s Representative may satisfy the requirement on the attached Declaration.
- 26. DEFINITIONS and INSTRUCTIONS:** The following words are defined terms in this Agreement, shall be indicated by initial capital letters throughout this Agreement, and have the following meaning whenever used:
- A. “Acceptance” means the time the offer or final counter offer is fully executed, in writing, by the recipient Party and is Delivered to the offering Party or that Party’s Authorized Agent.
 - B. “Agent” means the Broker, salesperson, broker-associate or any other real estate licensee licensed under the brokerage firm identified in paragraph 2B.
 - C. “Agreement” means this document and any counter offers and any incorporated addenda or amendments, collectively forming the binding agreement between the Parties. Addenda and amendments are incorporated only when Signed and Delivered by all Parties.
 - D. “As-Is” condition: Seller shall disclose known material facts and defects as specified in this Agreement. Buyer has the right to inspect the Property and, within the time specified, request that Seller make repairs or take other corrective action, or exercise any contingency cancellation rights in this Agreement. Seller is only required to make repairs specified in this Agreement or as Otherwise Agreed.
 - E. “Authorized Agent” means an individual real estate licensee specified in the Real Estate Broker Section.
 - F. “C.A.R. Form” means the most current version of the specific form referenced or another comparable form agreed to by the Parties.
 - G. “Close Of Escrow”, including “COE”, means the date the grant deed, or other evidence of transfer of title, is recorded for any real property, or the date of Delivery of a document evidencing the transfer of title for any non-real property transaction.
 - H. “Copy” means copy by any means including photocopy, facsimile and electronic.



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Date: _____

- I. Counting Days is done as follows unless Otherwise Agreed: (1) The first Day after an event is the first full calendar date following the event, and ending at 11:59 pm. For example, if a Notice to Buyer to Perform (C.A.R. form NBP) is Delivered at 3 pm on the 7th calendar day of the month, or Acceptance of a counter offer is personally received at 12 noon on the 7th calendar day of the month, then the 7th is Day "0" for purposes of counting days to respond to the NBP or calculating the Close Of Escrow date or contingency removal dates and the 8th of the month is Day 1 for those same purposes. (2) All calendar days are counted in establishing the first Day after an event. (3) All calendar days are counted in determining the date upon which performance must be completed, ending at 11:59 pm on the last day for performance ("Scheduled Performance Day"). (4) After Acceptance, if the Scheduled Performance Day for any act required by this Agreement, including Close Of Escrow, lands on a Saturday, Sunday, or Legal Holiday, the performing party shall be allowed to perform on the next day that is not a Saturday, Sunday or Legal Holiday ("Allowable Performance Day"), and ending at 11:59 pm. "Legal Holiday" shall mean any holiday or optional bank holiday under Civil Code §§ 7 and 7.1, any holiday under Government Code § 6700. (5) For the purposes of COE, any day that the Recorder's office in the County where the Property is located is closed or any day that the lender or Escrow Holder under this Agreement is closed, the COE shall occur on the next day the Recorder's office in that County, the lender, and the Escrow Holder is open. (6) COE is considered Day 0 for purposes of counting days Seller is allowed to remain in possession, if permitted by this Agreement.
- J. "Day" or "Days" means calendar day or days. However, delivery of deposit to escrow is based on business days.
- K. "Deliver", "Delivered" or "Delivery" of documents, unless Otherwise Agreed, means and shall be effective upon personal receipt of the document by Buyer or Seller or their Authorized Agent. Personal receipt means (i) a Copy of the document, or as applicable, link to the document, is in the possession of the Party or Authorized Agent, regardless of the Delivery method used (i.e. e-mail, text, other), or (ii) an Electronic Copy of the document, or as applicable, link to the document, has been sent to the designated electronic delivery address specified in the Real Estate Broker Section, unless Otherwise Agreed in C.A.R. Form DEDA. A document, or as applicable link to a document, shall be deemed to be "in possession" if it is located in the inbox for the applicable Party or Authorized Agent. After Acceptance, Agent may change the designated electronic delivery address for that Agent by, in writing, Delivering notice of the change in designated electronic delivery address to the other Party (C.A.R. Form DEDA). Links could be, for example, to DropBox or GoogleDrive or other functionally equivalent program. If the recipient of a link is unable or unwilling to open the link or download the documents or otherwise prefers Delivery of the documents directly, Recipient of a link shall notify the sender in writing, within 3 Days after Delivery of the link (C.A.R. Form RFR). In such case, Delivery shall be effective upon Delivery of the documents and not the link. Failure to notify sender within the time specified above shall be deemed consent to receive, and Buyer opening, the document by link.
- L. "Electronic Copy" or "Electronic Signature" means, as applicable, an electronic copy or signature complying with California Law. Unless Otherwise Agreed, Buyer and Seller agree to the use of Electronic Signatures. Buyer and Seller agree that electronic means will not be used by either Party to modify or alter the content or integrity of this Agreement without the knowledge and consent of the other Party.
- M. "Law" means any law, code, statute, ordinance, regulation, rule or order, which is adopted by a controlling city, county, state or federal legislative, judicial or executive body or agency.
- N. "Legally Authorized Signer" means an individual who has authority to Sign for the principal as specified in paragraph 33 or paragraph 34.
- O. "Otherwise Agreed" means an agreement in writing, signed by both Parties and Delivered to each.
- P. "Repairs" means any repairs (including pest control), alterations, replacements, modifications or retrofitting of the Property provided for under this Agreement.
- Q. "Sign" or "Signed" means either a handwritten or Electronic Signature on an original document, Copy or any counterpart.

27. LIQUIDATED DAMAGES (By initialing in the space below, you are agreeing to Liquidated Damages):

If Buyer fails to complete this purchase because of Buyer's default, Seller shall retain, as liquidated damages, the deposit actually paid. If the Property is a dwelling with no more than four units, one of which Buyer intends to occupy, then the amount retained shall be no more than 3% of the purchase price. Any excess shall be returned to Buyer. Release of funds will require mutual, Signed release instructions from both Buyer and Seller, judicial decision or arbitration award. **AT THE TIME OF ANY INCREASED DEPOSIT BUYER AND SELLER SHALL SIGN A SEPARATE LIQUIDATED DAMAGES PROVISION INCORPORATING THE INCREASED DEPOSIT AS LIQUIDATED DAMAGES (C.A.R. FORM DID).**

Buyer's Initials _____ / _____

Seller's Initials _____ / _____

28. MEDIATION:

- A. The Parties agree to mediate any dispute or claim arising between them out of this Agreement, or any resulting transaction, before resorting to arbitration or court action. The mediation shall be conducted through the C.A.R. Real Estate Mediation Center for Consumers (www.consumermediation.org) or through any other mediation provider or service mutually agreed to by the Parties. The Parties also agree to mediate any disputes or claims with Agent(s), who, in writing, agree to such mediation prior to, or within a reasonable time after, the dispute or claim is presented to the Agent. Mediation fees, if any, shall be divided equally among the Parties involved, and shall be recoverable under the prevailing party attorney fees clause. If, for any dispute or claim to which this paragraph applies, any Party (i) commences an action without first attempting to resolve the matter through mediation, or (ii) before commencement of an action, refuses to mediate after a request has been made, then that Party shall not be entitled to recover attorney fees, even if they would otherwise be available to that Party in any such action. **THIS MEDIATION PROVISION APPLIES WHETHER OR NOT THE ARBITRATION PROVISION IS INITIALED.**
- B. **ADDITIONAL MEDIATION TERMS:** (i) Exclusions from this mediation agreement are specified in paragraph 28D; (ii) The obligation to mediate does not preclude the right of either Party to seek a preservation of rights under paragraph 28E; and (iii) Agent's rights and obligations are further specified in paragraph 28F. These terms apply even if the Arbitration of Disputes paragraph is not initiated.



C. ARBITRATION OF DISPUTES:

The Parties agree that any dispute or claim in Law or equity arising between them out of this Agreement or any resulting transaction, which is not settled through mediation, shall be decided by neutral, binding arbitration. The Parties also agree to arbitrate any disputes or claims with Agents(s), who, in writing, agree to such arbitration prior to, or within a reasonable time after, the dispute or claim is presented to the Agent. The arbitration shall be conducted through any arbitration provider or service mutually agreed to by the Parties. The arbitrator shall be a retired judge or justice, or an attorney with at least 5 years of residential real estate Law experience, unless the Parties mutually agree to a different arbitrator. Enforcement of, and any motion to compel arbitration pursuant to, this agreement to arbitrate shall be governed by the procedural rules of the Federal Arbitration Act, and not the California Arbitration Act, notwithstanding any language seemingly to the contrary in this Agreement. The Parties shall have the right to discovery in accordance with Code of Civil Procedure § 1283.05. The arbitration shall be conducted in accordance with Title 9 of Part 3 of the Code of Civil Procedure. Judgment upon the award of the arbitrator(s) may be entered into any court having jurisdiction.

D. EXCLUSIONS: The following matters are excluded from mediation and arbitration: (i) Any matter that is within the jurisdiction of a probate, small claims or bankruptcy court; (ii) an unlawful detainer action; and (iii) a judicial or non-judicial foreclosure or other action or proceeding to enforce a deed of trust, mortgage or installment land sale contract as defined in Civil Code § 2985.

E. PRESERVATION OF ACTIONS: The following shall not constitute a waiver nor violation of the mediation and arbitration provisions: (i) the filing of a court action to preserve a statute of limitations; (ii) the filing of a court action to enable the recording of a notice of pending action, for order of attachment, receivership, injunction, or other provisional remedies, provided the filing party concurrent with, or immediately after such filing makes a request to the court for a stay of litigation pending any applicable mediation or arbitration proceeding; or (iii) the filing of a mechanic's lien.

F. AGENTS: Agents shall not be obligated nor compelled to mediate or arbitrate unless they agree to do so in writing. Any Agents(s) participating in mediation or arbitration shall not be deemed a party to this Agreement.

G. "NOTICE: BY INITIALING IN THE SPACE BELOW YOU ARE AGREEING TO HAVE ANY DISPUTE ARISING OUT OF THE MATTERS INCLUDED IN THE 'ARBITRATION OF DISPUTES' PROVISION DECIDED BY NEUTRAL ARBITRATION AS PROVIDED BY CALIFORNIA LAW AND YOU ARE GIVING UP ANY RIGHTS YOU MIGHT POSSESS TO HAVE THE DISPUTE LITIGATED IN A COURT OR JURY TRIAL. BY INITIALING IN THE SPACE BELOW YOU ARE GIVING UP YOUR JUDICIAL RIGHTS TO DISCOVERY AND APPEAL, UNLESS THOSE RIGHTS ARE SPECIFICALLY INCLUDED IN THE 'ARBITRATION OF DISPUTES' PROVISION. IF YOU REFUSE TO SUBMIT TO ARBITRATION AFTER AGREEING TO THIS PROVISION, YOU MAY BE COMPELLED TO ARBITRATE UNDER THE AUTHORITY OF THE CALIFORNIA CODE OF CIVIL PROCEDURE. YOUR AGREEMENT TO THIS ARBITRATION PROVISION IS VOLUNTARY."

"WE HAVE READ AND UNDERSTAND THE FOREGOING AND AGREE TO SUBMIT DISPUTES ARISING OUT OF THE MATTERS INCLUDED IN THE 'ARBITRATION OF DISPUTES' PROVISION TO NEUTRAL ARBITRATION."

Buyer's Initials _____ / _____

Seller's Initials _____ / _____

29. FAIR APPRAISAL ACT NOTICE:

A. Any appraisal of the property is required to be unbiased, objective, and not influenced by improper or illegal considerations, including, but not limited to, any of the following: race, color, religion (including religious dress, grooming practices, or both), gender (including, but not limited to, pregnancy, childbirth, breastfeeding, and related conditions, and gender identity and gender expression), sexual orientation, marital status, medical condition, military or veteran status, national origin (including language use and possession of a driver's license issued to persons unable to provide their presence in the United States is authorized under federal law), source of income, ancestry, disability (mental and physical, including, but not limited to, HIV/AIDS status, cancer diagnosis, and genetic characteristics), genetic information, or age.

B. If a buyer or seller believes that the appraisal has been influenced by any of the above factors, the seller or buyer can report this information to the lender or mortgage broker that retained the appraiser and may also file a complaint with the Bureau of Real Estate Appraisers at <https://www2.brea.ca.gov/complaint/> or call (916) 552-9000 for further information on how to file a complaint.

30. TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF OFFER: This is an offer to purchase the Property on the terms and conditions herein. The individual Liquidated Damages and Arbitration of Disputes paragraphs are incorporated in this Agreement if initialed by all Parties or if incorporated by mutual agreement in a counter offer or addendum. If at least one but not all Parties initial, a counter offer is required until agreement is reached. Seller has the right to continue to offer the Property for sale and to accept any other offer at any time prior to notification of Acceptance and to market the Property for backup offers after Acceptance. The Parties have read and acknowledge receipt of a Copy of the offer and agree to the confirmation of agency relationships. If this offer is accepted and Buyer subsequently defaults, Buyer may be responsible for payment of Brokers' compensation. This Agreement and any supplement, addendum or modification, including any Copy, may be Signed in two or more counterparts, all of which shall constitute one and the same writing. By Signing this offer or any document in the transaction, the Party Signing the document is deemed to have read the document in its entirety.

31. TIME OF ESSENCE; ENTIRE CONTRACT; CHANGES: Time is of the essence. All understandings between the Parties are incorporated in this Agreement. Its terms are intended by the Parties as a final, complete and exclusive expression of their Agreement with respect to its subject matter and may not be contradicted by evidence of any prior agreement or contemporaneous oral agreement. If any provision of this Agreement is held to be ineffective or invalid, the remaining provisions will nevertheless be given full force and effect. Except as Otherwise Agreed, this Agreement shall be interpreted, and disputes shall be resolved in accordance with the Laws of the State of California. Neither this Agreement nor any provision in it may be extended, amended, modified, altered or changed, except in writing Signed by Buyer and Seller.



Property Address: _____ Date: _____

32. LEGALLY AUTHORIZED SIGNER: Wherever the signature or initials of the Legally Authorized Signer identified in paragraphs 33 or 34 appear on this Agreement or any related documents, it shall be deemed to be in a representative capacity for the entity described and not in an individual capacity, unless otherwise indicated. The Legally Authorized Signer (i) represents that the entity for which that person is acting already exists and is in good standing to do business in California and (ii) shall Deliver to the other Party and Escrow Holder, within **3 Days after Acceptance**, evidence of authority to act in that capacity (such as but not limited to: applicable portion of the trust or Certification Of Trust (Probate Code § 18100.5), letters testamentary, court order, power of attorney, corporate resolution, or formation documents of the business entity).

33. OFFER

A. EXPIRATION OF OFFER: This offer shall be deemed revoked and the deposit, if any, shall be returned to Buyer unless by the date and time specified in paragraph 3C, the offer is Signed by Seller and a Copy of the Signed offer is Delivered to Buyer or Buyer's Authorized Agent. Seller has no obligation to respond to an offer made.

B. ENTITY BUYERS: (Note: If this paragraph is completed, a Representative Capacity Signature Disclosure (C.A.R. Form RCSD) is not required for the Legally Authorized Signers designated below.)

(1) One or more Buyers is a trust, corporation, LLC, probate estate, partnership, holding a power of attorney or other entity.

(2) This Agreement is being Signed by a Legally Authorized Signer in a representative capacity and not in an individual capacity. See paragraph 32 for additional terms.

(3) The name(s) of the Legally Authorized Signer(s) is/are: _____.

(4) **A.** If a trust, identify Buyer as trustee(s) of the trust or by simplified trust name (ex. John Doe, co-trustee, Jane Doe, co-trustee or Doe Revocable Family Trust).

B. If Property is sold under the jurisdiction of a probate court, identify Buyer as executor or administrator, or by a simplified probate name (John Doe, executor, or Estate (or Conservatorship) of John Doe).

(5) If the entity is a trust or under probate, the following is the full name of the trust or probate case, including case #: _____

C. The NODPA has **19** pages. Buyer acknowledges receipt of, and has read and understands, every page and all attachments that make up the Agreement.

D. BUYER SIGNATURE(S):

(Signature) By, _____ Date: _____

Printed name of BUYER: _____

Printed Name of Legally Authorized Signer: _____ Title, if applicable, _____

(Signature) By, _____ Date: _____

Printed name of BUYER: _____

Printed Name of Legally Authorized Signer: _____ Title, if applicable, _____

IF MORE THAN TWO SIGNERS, USE Additional Signature Addendum (C.A.R. Form ASA).

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34. ACCEPTANCE

A. ACCEPTANCE OF OFFER: Seller warrants that Seller is the owner of the Property or has the authority to execute this Agreement. Seller accepts the above offer and agrees to sell the Property on the above terms and conditions. Seller has read and acknowledges receipt of a Copy of this Agreement and authorizes Agent to Deliver a Signed Copy to Buyer.

Seller's acceptance is subject to the attached Counter Offer or Back-Up Offer Addendum, or both, checked below. Seller shall return and include the entire agreement with any response.

- Seller Counter Offer (C.A.R. Form SCO or SMCO)
- Back-Up Offer Addendum (C.A.R. Form BUO)

B. ENTITY SELLERS: (Note: If this paragraph is completed, a Representative Capacity Signature Disclosure form (C.A.R. Form RCSD) is not required for the Legally Authorized Signers designated below.)

- (1) One or more Sellers is a trust, corporation, LLC, probate estate, partnership, holding a power of attorney or other entity.
- (2) This Agreement is being Signed by a Legally Authorized Signer in a representative capacity and not in an individual capacity. See paragraph 32 for additional terms.
- (3) The name(s) of the Legally Authorized Signer(s) is/are: _____.
- (4) **A.** If a trust, identify Seller as trustee(s) of the trust or by simplified trust name (ex. John Doe, co-trustee, Jane Doe, co-trustee or Doe Revocable Family Trust).
B. If Property is sold under the jurisdiction of a probate court, identify Seller as executor or administrator, or by a simplified probate name (John Doe, executor, or Estate (or Conservatorship) of John Doe).
- (5) If the entity is a trust or under probate, the following is the full name of the trust or probate case, including case #: _____.

C. The NODPA has 19 pages. Seller acknowledges receipt of, and has read and understands, every page and all attachments that make up the Agreement.

D. SELLER SIGNATURE(S):

(Signature) By, _____ Date: _____

Printed name of SELLER: _____

Printed Name of Legally Authorized Signer: _____ Title, if applicable, _____

(Signature) By, _____ Date: _____

Printed name of SELLER: _____

Printed Name of Legally Authorized Signer: _____ Title, if applicable, _____

IF MORE THAN TWO SIGNERS, USE Additional Signature Addendum (C.A.R. Form ASA).

NOTICE REQUIRED BY CALIFORNIA LAW

UNTIL YOUR RIGHT TO CANCEL THIS CONTRACT HAS ENDED,

_____ (BUYER'S NAME)

OR ANYONE WORKING FOR

_____ (BUYER'S NAME)

CANNOT ASK YOU TO SIGN OR HAVE YOU SIGN ANY DEED OR ANY OTHER DOCUMENT.

You may cancel this contract for the sale of your house without any penalty or obligation at any time before midnight on _____ (Enter date five business days after date of contract) or 8 a.m. on _____ (the day of the scheduled foreclosure sale) whichever occurs first.

See the attached notice of cancellation form for an explanation of this right.

OFFER NOT ACCEPTED: _____ / _____ No Counter Offer is being made. This offer was not accepted by Seller _____
Seller's Initials (date)



REAL ESTATE BROKERS SECTION

1. Real Estate Agents are not parties to the Agreement between Buyer and Seller.
2. Agency relationships are confirmed as stated in paragraph 2.
3. Cooperating Broker Compensation: Seller's Broker agrees to pay Buyer's Broker and Buyer's Broker agrees to accept, out of Seller's Broker's proceeds in escrow, the **compensation** specified in a separate written agreement (C.A.R. Form CBC). **Each Broker agrees to disclose to their Seller or Buyer client the amount in the CBC.** Declaration of License and Tax (C.A.R. Form DLT) may be used to document that tax reporting will be required or that an exemption exists.
4. Presentation of Offer: Pursuant to the National Association of REALTORS® Standard of Practice 1-7, if Buyer's Agent makes a written request, Seller's Agent shall confirm in writing that this offer has been presented to Seller.
5. Agents' Signatures and designated electronic delivery address:

A. Buyer's Brokerage Firm _____ Lic. # _____

By _____ Lic. # _____ Date _____

By _____ Lic. # _____ Date _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Email _____ Phone # _____

- More than one agent from the same firm represents Buyer. Additional Agent Acknowledgement (C.A.R. Form AAA) attached.
 - More than one brokerage firm represents Buyer. Additional Broker Acknowledgement (C.A.R. Form ABA) attached.
- Designated Electronic Delivery Address(es): **Email above or** _____
- Attached DEDA: If Parties elect to have an alternative Delivery method, such method may be indicated on C.A.R. Form DEDA.**

B. Seller's Brokerage Firm _____ Lic. # _____

By _____ Lic. # _____ Date _____

By _____ Lic. # _____ Date _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Email _____ Phone # _____

- More than one agent from the same firm represents Seller. Additional Agent Acknowledgement (C.A.R. Form AAA) attached.
 - More than one brokerage firm represents Seller. Additional Broker Acknowledgement (C.A.R. Form ABA) attached.
- Designated Electronic Delivery Address(es) (To be filled out by Seller's Agent): **Email above or** _____
- Attached DEDA: If Parties elect to have an alternative Delivery method, such method may be indicated on C.A.R. Form DEDA.**

ESCROW HOLDER ACKNOWLEDGMENT:

Escrow Holder acknowledges receipt of a Copy of this Agreement, (if checked, a deposit in the amount of \$ _____), Counter Offer numbers _____ and _____, and agrees to act as Escrow Holder subject to paragraph 19 of this Agreement, any supplemental escrow instructions and the terms of Escrow Holder's general provisions.

Escrow Holder is advised by _____ that the date of Acceptance of the Agreement is _____

Escrow Holder _____ Escrow # _____

By _____ Date _____

Address _____

Phone/Fax/E-mail _____

Escrow Holder has the following license number # _____

Department of Financial Protection and Innovation, Department of Insurance, Department of Real Estate.

PRESENTATION OF OFFER: _____ / _____ Seller's Brokerage Firm presented this offer to Seller on _____.

Agent or Seller Initials (date)

Buyer's Initials _____ / _____ Seller's Initials _____ / _____

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The following terms and conditions are hereby incorporated in and made a part of the Purchase Agreement, OR [] Other ("Agreement"), dated _____, on property known as _____ ("Property"), in which _____ is referred to as ("Seller") and _____ is referred to as ("Buyer"). Buyer and Seller are referred to as the "Parties."

1. TYPE OF PROBATE:

- A. The Property is part of a probate decedent's estate OR [] conservatorship, [] guardianship, [] receivership [] other _____
B. If property is being sold as part of a decedent's estate, paragraph 3A applies unless 3B is checked.
C. If the property is being sold through a conservatorship, guardianship, or receivership, then court confirmation is required, and the sale shall proceed under paragraph 3B.
D. If the type of probate is incorrectly identified in paragraph 1A, Seller shall inform Buyer of the correct type of probate sale no later than the time for Seller Disclosures in the Agreement.

2. The Probate Advisory (C.A.R. form PA) is hereby incorporated.

3. COURT CONFIRMATION (Check the option below that applies):

A. Court Confirmation Undetermined at time of offer:

- (1) Seller shall Deliver written notice to Buyer, at time of [] Acceptance or [] within the time for Seller Delivery of Documents in the Time Period paragraph in the Agreement if court confirmation is or is not required
(2) If court confirmation is not initially required, notice of the terms of sale to beneficiaries/heirs is still necessary. If any beneficiary/heir objects, then court confirmation shall be required. Seller shall promptly Deliver written notice to Buyer once Seller has notice of any objection by a beneficiary/heir.
(3) If, after the offer is made, Seller notifies Buyer that court confirmation is required, or court confirmation becomes required as a result of an objection to terms of sale by a beneficiary/heir, then Buyer, within 3 Days after Delivery of Seller's notice, may cancel the Agreement and shall be entitled to return of any deposit paid.
(4) If court confirmation is or becomes required, and Buyer has not cancelled pursuant to paragraph 3A(3), then the sale shall proceed under paragraph 3B. [] Obtaining a court confirmation hearing date within 60 (or _____) Days after Acceptance, is a contingency of the Agreement in favor of Buyer.

B. [] Court Confirmation Required: The sale is contingent upon court confirmation, which is a court hearing that allows for open, competitive bidding for the Property. The minimum overbid price shall be an amount equal to the accepted purchase price, plus five percent of that amount, plus \$500. The court shall determine any further incremental overbidding amounts. See paragraph 4 for terms of court confirmation of the sale. [] Obtaining a court confirmation hearing date within 60 (or _____) Days after Acceptance, is a contingency of the Agreement in favor of Buyer.

4. WHEN COURT CONFIRMATION IS REQUIRED: Seller shall file a Petition to confirm the sale of the Property with the court. Seller shall notify Buyer in writing of the court confirmation hearing date, time and location at least 15 (or _____) Days prior to the court confirmation hearing date. Broker strongly recommends that Buyer personally appear at the court confirmation hearing to protect Buyer's position in the event of overbidding. California Probate Code may require a legal notice to be published in a local newspaper advertising the sale of the Property. If publication is required, Buyer understands that Seller is unable to accept Buyer's offer until after the expiration of the period set forth in the published notice. In such case, acceptance of this offer prior to publication is VOIDABLE. If the court approves the sale to Buyer, all deposit money held on behalf of Seller shall be applied toward the purchase price. If the sale is not confirmed to Buyer due to an overbid or other reason that is not a breach by Buyer, Buyer's deposit money, less applicable costs, shall be returned to Buyer. If the sale is confirmed by the court, an Order Confirming Sale to Buyer will be issued by the court. Buyer shall pay the balance of the purchase price, and escrow shall close, within 10 (or _____) Days from receipt of such Order by Escrow Holder or Buyer. Seller shall not be obligated to sign escrow instructions or incur any escrow costs prior to court confirmation.

A. The purchase price offered must be at least 90 percent of the probate referee's appraised or re-appraised value of the Property, unless exempt. If the purchase price is less than 90 percent of the probate referee's appraised value, Buyer may increase the purchase price to the minimum amount required or may withdraw from this transaction and receive a refund of Buyer's deposit, less applicable costs.

IF BUYER DEFAULTS AFTER COURT CONFIRMATION, THE ORDER CONFIRMING SALE MAY BE VACATED. THIS MAY RESULT IN BUYER'S FORFEITURE OF THE FULL DEPOSIT, OR ANY AMOUNT THE COURT MAY DETERMINE TO SATISFY ANY DEFICIENCY OF SALE PRICE, COSTS, OR OTHER LOSSES BY THE SELLER.

B. Seller may remove the Property from the court calendar if Buyer has not removed all contingencies (or, only these contingencies checked below) at least 10 (or _____) Days prior to the court confirmation hearing date. NOTE: Local probate court rules may require that all contingencies be removed before a petition for confirmation can be filed.

- [] Loan Contingency
[] Appraisal Contingency
[] Lead-Based Paint Hazard Disclosures
[] Natural and Environmental Disclosures
[] Condominium/Planned Unit Development Disclosures
[] Buyer's Investigation of Property
[] Review of Preliminary (Title) Report



5. **VESTING:** Buyer intends to take title as follows: _____
 Seller will not petition the Court for confirmation until vesting has been designated. If vesting is not designated above, Buyer has **10 (or _____) Days** after Acceptance to designate in writing how title is to be taken. **THE MANNER OF TAKING TITLE MAY HAVE SERIOUS LEGAL AND TAX CONSEQUENCES. BUYER IS ADVISED TO CONSULT WITH AN APPROPRIATE PROFESSIONAL.**
6. **DISPUTE RESOLUTION:** Even if initialed in the body of the Agreement, the paragraphs for Liquidated Damages, Mediation, and Arbitration are deleted from the Agreement due to the probate court having jurisdiction over the resolution of disputes and the damages awarded. If the property is under Independent Administration of Estates Act (IAEA) and the Parties are attempting to modify the Agreement to include any of these provisions, the Parties are advised to seek the counsel of a qualified California probate attorney before adding any such provision.
7. **OTHER TERMS:** _____

By signing below Buyer and Seller acknowledge that each has read, understands, has received a copy of, and agrees to the terms of this Probate Agreement Purchase Addendum.

Buyer _____ Date _____
 Buyer _____ Date _____
 Seller _____ Date _____
 Seller _____ Date _____

REAL ESTATE BROKERS:

- A. COMMISSION IN EVENT OF AN OVERBID REPRESENTED BY ANOTHER BROKER:** In the event court confirmation of the sale is required, the Buyer's Broker identified in the Agreement agrees to waive all commission rights in the event of a successful overbid in court by a different buyer represented by another Broker.
- B. If court confirmation of the sale is required, the court will determine the commission amount.** Commissions awarded vary from county to county. Commissions are payable by Seller only if the sale closes. Seller is not liable for a commission to any broker or associate licensee who is directly or indirectly a purchaser of the Property or has an interest in the purchaser.

By signing below Buyer's Broker and Seller's Broker acknowledge that each has read, understands, has received a copy of, and agrees to the terms of the Real Estate Broker section of this Probate Agreement Purchase Addendum.

Buyer's Brokerage Firm: _____
 By _____ Date _____
 Seller's Brokerage Firm: _____
 By _____ Date _____

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PROBATE LISTING ADDENDUM AND ADVISORY

(C.A.R. Form PLA, Revised 6/24)

The following terms and conditions are hereby incorporated in and made a part of the [] Residential Listing Agreement, [] Other _____ ("Listing"), dated _____, on property known as _____, in which _____ is referred to as ("Seller") and _____ is referred to as ("Broker").

- 1. The Property is part of a probate estate or, if checked [] conservatorship [] guardianship [] receivership [] other
2. The Listing Period shall be the shorter of 90 Days or the length of time specified in the Listing.
3. Court confirmation of the sale [] is required (limited authority), [] may be required (full authority).
4. [] Information about this listing will NOT be provided to the MLS specified in the Listing.
5. Compensation specified to Broker and any cooperating broker is subject to any restrictions imposed by the California Probate Code and the determination of the court.
6. The Dispute Resolution paragraph is deleted in its entirety. If the property is under Independent Administration of Estates Act (IAEA) and the Parties are attempting to modify the Agreement to include any of these provisions, the Parties are advised to seek the counsel of a qualified California probate attorney before adding any such provision.
7. The Probate Advisory (C.A.R. Form PA) is attached to this Agreement.
8. Notwithstanding any term in the Listing to the contrary: Seller warrants that title to the Property is as follows:

The foregoing terms and conditions are hereby agreed to, and the undersigned acknowledge receipt of a copy of this document.

Seller _____ Date _____

Seller _____ Date _____

Real Estate Broker (Listing Firm) _____ DRE Lic. # _____

By _____ DRE Lic. # _____ Date _____

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PROPERTY MANAGEMENT AGREEMENT THIS FORM IS NOT BINDING ON BROKER UNLESS SIGNED BY A BROKER OR OFFICE MANAGER ON BROKER'S BEHALF (C.A.R. Form PMA, Revised 6/24)

Date Prepared: _____

_____ ("Rental Property Owner" or "RPO"), and _____ ("Broker"), agree as follows:

1. APPOINTMENT OF BROKER:

A. RPO employs and grants Broker (hereinafter "Property Manager") the exclusive right to rent, lease, operate and manage the property(ies) known as _____

and any additional property that may later be added to this Agreement ("Property"), upon the terms below, for the period beginning (date) _____ and ending (date) _____, at 11:59 PM. After the exclusive term expires, this Property Management Agreement ("Agreement") shall continue as a non-exclusive agreement that either party may terminate by giving at least 30 days written notice to the other.

B. EARLY TERMINATION:

- (1) Either party may terminate this Agreement on at least 30 days written notice _____ months after the original commencement date of this Agreement.
(2) Either party may terminate this Agreement at any time, upon written notice, for cause.

2. PROPERTY MANAGER ACCEPTANCE: Property Manager accepts the appointment and grant, and agrees to:

- A. Use due diligence in the performance of this Agreement.
B. Furnish the services for the rental, leasing, operation and management of the Property at the reasonable discretion of the Property Manager.

3. AUTHORITY AND POWERS: RPO grants Property Manager the authority and power, at RPO's expense, to:

A. ADVERTISING: Display FOR RENT/LEASE and similar signs on the Property. Advertise the availability of the Property, or any part thereof, for rental or lease in a Multiple Listing Service, on the Internet, online and in other media, or any other method selected by Broker.

B. RENTAL; LEASING; DIRECT ELECTRONIC RENTAL PAYMENTS:

- (1) Initiate, sign, renew, modify or cancel rental agreements and leases for the Property, or any part thereof; collect and give receipts for rents, other fees, charges and security deposits.
(2) Any lease or rental agreement executed by Property Manager for RPO shall not exceed _____ year(s) or shall be month-to-month.
(3) Unless RPO authorizes a lower amount, rent shall be: at market rate; OR a minimum of \$ _____ per _____; OR see attachment.
(4) If RPO permits Tenant to pay rent by direct deposit such as wire or electronic payment or other online method, RPO should discuss with a Landlord-Tenant attorney the implications of doing so in the event Tenant defaults and an eviction becomes necessary. See also: Wire Fraud Advisory (C.A.R. Form WFA) for additional information.

C. TENANCY TERMINATION: Sign and serve in RPO's name notices that are required or appropriate; commence and prosecute actions to evict tenants; recover possession of the Property in RPO's name; recover rents and other sums due; and, when expedient, settle, compromise and release claims, actions and suits and/or reinstate tenancies.

D. REPAIR; MAINTENANCE: Make, cause to be made, and/or supervise repairs, improvements, alterations and decorations to the Property; purchase, and pay bills for, services and supplies. RPO agrees that state and local water use restrictions will supersede any obligation by Property Manager or any Tenant (Lessee) to water/maintain gardens, landscaping trees or shrubs.

E. REPORTS, NOTICES AND SIGNS: Comply with federal, state or local law requiring delivery of reports or notices and/or posting of signs or notices.

F. BROKER AND THIRD-PARTY VENDOR SERVICES:

- (1) Contract, hire, supervise and/or discharge firms and persons required for the operation and maintenance of the Property. Property Manager may perform any of Property Manager's duties through, if applicable, attorneys, or agents, employees, or independent contractors operating through Property Manager's broker's license.
(2) Property Manager's is authorized to supervise the activity of any RPO's employees or independent contractors performing services required for the operation and maintenance of the Property. However, Property Manager shall not be responsible for the acts, omissions, defaults, negligence of any such employees or independent contractors of RPO, or for any associated costs and RPO agrees to indemnify, defend and hold Property Manager harmless for the foregoing as set forth in section 4C below.

G. EXPENSE PAYMENTS: Pay expenses and costs for the Property from RPO's funds held by Property Manager, subject to availability of sufficient funds on reserve and the timely delivery to Property Manager of all necessary billing statements, as set forth below. Expenses and costs may include, but are not limited to, property management compensation, fees and charges, expenses for goods and services, and other expenses related to this Agreement. However, for the following items, RPO shall make direct payments, unless Broker is checked or it is otherwise agreed:

- (1) Property taxes: RPO Pays or, if checked Broker Pays
(2) Mortgage Payment: RPO Pays or, if checked Broker Pays
(3) HOA dues and fees: RPO Pays or, if checked Broker Pays
(4) Property insurance: RPO Pays or, if checked Broker Pays
(5) Utilities: RPO Pays or, if checked Broker Pays
(6) Other: RPO Pays or, if checked Broker Pays
(7) Other: RPO Pays or, if checked Broker Pays



RPO Name: _____ Date: _____

H. LIMITATIONS ON PAYMENTS, AND EXCEPTIONS:

- (1) Property Manager shall obtain prior approval of RPO for all expenditures over \$ _____ for any one item.
- (2) For any vacancy, total expenses shall not exceed \$ _____ per vacant unit (per month) without prior approval of RPO.
- (3) Prior approval shall not be required for monthly or recurring operating charges, or, if in Property Manager's opinion, emergency expenditures over the maximum are needed to protect the Property or other property(ies) from damage, prevent injury to persons, avoid suspension of necessary services, avoid penalties or fines, or suspension of services to tenants required by a lease or rental agreement or by law, including, but not limited to, maintaining the Property in a condition fit for human habitation as required by Civil Code §§ 1941 and 1941.1 and Health and Safety Code §§ 17920.3 and 17920.10.

I. SECURITY DEPOSITS:

- (1) Receive security deposits from tenants, which deposits shall be given to RPO, or placed in Property Manager's trust account and, if held in Property Manager's trust account, pay from RPO's funds all interest on tenants' security deposits if required by local law or ordinance. RPO shall be responsible to tenants for return of security deposits and all interest due on security deposits held by RPO.
- (2) RPO represents that:
 - (a) (i) RPO is a natural person, or if a limited liability company all members of the LLC are natural persons AND (ii) RPO owns no more than two residential rental properties that collectively include no more than four dwelling units offered for rent. The one-month maximum security deposit that is permitted by statute for residential tenancies does not apply to RPO.
 - OR (b) RPO is not a natural person or if RPO is a limited liability company at least one member of the LLC is not a natural person or RPO owns more than two residential rental properties or RPO owns more than four dwelling units offered for rent. The maximum security deposit that is permitted by statute for residential tenancies is the equivalent of one-month's rent.

J. TRUST FUNDS: Deposit all receipts collected for RPO, less any sums properly deducted or disbursed, in a financial institution whose deposits are insured by an agency of the United States government. The funds shall be held in a trust account separate from Property Manager's personal accounts. Property Manager shall not be liable in event of bankruptcy or failure of a financial institution.

K. RESERVES: Maintain a reserve in Property Manager's trust account of \$ _____.

L. DISBURSEMENTS: Disburse RPO's funds held in Property Manager's trust account in the following order:

- (1) Compensation due Property Manager under paragraph 8.
- (2) All other operating expenses, costs and disbursements payable from RPO's funds held by Property Manager.
- (3) Reserves and security deposits held by Property Manager.
- (4) Balance to RPO.

M. RPO DISTRIBUTION: Remit funds, if any are available, monthly (or _____), to RPO.

N. RPO STATEMENTS: Deliver monthly (or Quarterly, or _____), and year-end statements of receipts, expenses and charges for each Property.

O. PROPERTY MANAGER FUNDS: Property Manager shall not advance Property Manager's own funds in connection with the Property or this Agreement.

P. KEYSAFE/LOCKBOX: (if checked) RPO authorizes the use of a keysafe/lockbox to allow entry into the Property and agrees to sign a keysafe/lockbox addendum (C.A.R. Form KLA).

Q. MAIL FORWARDING: Under no circumstances shall Property Manager be responsible for the forwarding of any mail directed to any previous occupant, all of which may be refused and returned to sender.

4. RENTAL PROPERTY OWNER RESPONSIBILITIES: RPO shall:

- A.** Provide all documentation and records as required by law or required by Property Manager to manage and operate the Property, and immediately notify Property Manager if RPO becomes aware of any change in such documentation, records, or any matter affecting the habitability of the Property.
- B.** RPO agrees to complete a Rental Property Owner Disclosure (C.A.R. Form RPOD) and Rental Property Owner Questionnaire (C.A.R. Form RPOQ), which shall be provided to Broker within **3 Days** of completing (or with) this Agreement. RPO authorizes Broker to provide tenant with the RPOD completed by RPO with any lease or rental agreement.
- C.** Indemnify, defend and hold harmless Property Manager, and all persons in Property Manager's firm, as permitted by law, from all costs, expenses, suits, claims, liabilities, damages, judgements, attorney fees and claims of every type, including but not limited to those arising out of injury or death of any person, or damage to any real or personal property of any person, including RPO, (i) for any repairs performed by RPO or by others hired directly by RPO; (ii) for those acts relating to the management, leasing, rental, security deposits, or operation of the Property by Property Manager, or any person operating through Property Manager's broker's license, or the performance or exercise of any of the duties, powers or authorities granted to Property Manager; (iii) from any incorrect or incomplete information supplied by RPO, or from any material facts that RPO knows but fails to disclose including dangerous or hidden conditions on the Premises; and (iv) actions brought by the Department of Fair Employment and Housing or other government regulatory body. This paragraph shall apply to all actions and claims, including those arising out of Property Manager's negligence but not to the willful misconduct or gross negligence of Property Manager and shall extend to claims occurring after this Agreement is terminated as well as while it is in force. RPO's obligations under this paragraph will not be limited by insurance requirements or by any other provision of this Agreement..
- D.** Maintain the Property in a condition fit for human habitation as required by Civil Code §§ 1941 and 1941.1 and Health and Safety Code §§ 17920.3 and 17920.10 and other applicable law.
- E.** Pay all interest on tenants' security deposits if required by local law or ordinance.
- F.** Carry and pay for: (i) public and premises liability insurance in an amount of no less than \$1,000,000 (or \$ _____). If RPO fails to do so, RPO authorizes Property Manager to obtain such insurance and charge RPO pursuant to **paragraph 3**; and (ii) property damage and worker's compensation insurance adequate to protect the interests of RPO and Property Manager. Property Manager shall be, and RPO authorizes Property Manager to be, named as an additional insured party on RPO's policies.
- G.** Pay any late charges, penalties and/or interest imposed by lenders or other parties for failure to make payment to those parties, if the failure is due to insufficient funds in Property Manager's trust account available for such payment.
- H.** Immediately replace any funds required if there are insufficient funds in Property Manager's trust account to cover RPO's responsibilities.



RPO Name: _____ Date: _____

5. RENTAL PROPERTY RPO REPRESENTATIONS:

RPO represents that, unless otherwise specified in writing, RPO is unaware of: **(i)** any recorded Notice of Default affecting the Property; **(ii)** any delinquent amounts due under any loan secured by, or other obligation affecting, the Property; **(iii)** any bankruptcy, insolvency or similar proceeding affecting the Property; **(iv)** any litigation, arbitration, administrative action, government investigation, or other pending or threatened action that does or may affect the Property or RPO's ability to transfer it; and **(v)** any current, pending or proposed special assessments affecting the Property. RPO shall promptly notify Property Manager in writing if RPO becomes aware of any of these items during the term of this Agreement.

6. TAX WITHHOLDING AND REPORTING:

- A. RPO authorizes Property Manager to withhold and transmit to California Franchise Tax Board ("FTB") 7% of the GROSS payments to RPO that exceed \$1,500 received by Property Manager in a calendar year, unless RPO completes and transmits to Property Manager: **(i)** If RPO is not a California Resident or a corporation or LLC qualified to conduct business in California, FTB form 589, nonresident reduced withholding request, or FTB form 588, nonresident withholding waiver; or **(ii)** If RPO is a California Resident or a corporation or LLC qualified to conduct business in California, FTB form 590, withholding exemption certificate.
- B. If RPO is a nonresident alien individual, a foreign entity, or other non-U.S. person (Foreign Investor) RPO authorizes Property Manager to withhold and transmit to the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) 30% of the GROSS rental receipts unless RPO elects to treat rental income as "effectively connected income" by submitting to Property Manager a fully completed IRS form W-8ECI, Certificate of Foreign Person's Claim for Exemption From Withholding on Income Effectively Connected With the Conduct of a Trade of Business in the United States. A Foreign investor RPO will need to obtain a U.S. tax payer identification number and file a declaration with the IRS regarding effectively connected income in order to complete the form given to Property Manager. Further, the Foreign Investor RPO will be responsible for making any necessary estimated tax payments.
- C. Broker has a legal duty to report rental income received to tax collection agencies via IRS form 1099.

7. COMPENSATION:

- A. RPO agrees to pay Property Manager fees in the amounts indicated below for:
 - (1) Management: _____
 - (2) Renting or Leasing: _____
 - (3) Evictions (fee is in addition to any attorney fees and court costs):
 - For preparation/prelitigation _____
 - To perform/participate in an eviction proceeding _____
 - (4) Preparing Property for rental or lease: _____
 - (5) Managing Property during extended periods of vacancy: _____
 - (6) An overhead and service fee added to the cost of all work performed by, or at the direction of, Property Manager: _____
 - (7) On Boarding/Set Up fee: _____
 - (8) Cancellation (by RPO or Property Manager):
 - During Term _____
 - At any other time _____
 - Off Boarding/File Preparation and File Closing fee _____
 - (9) Tax Withholding and Reporting: _____
 - (10) Other: _____
- B. This Agreement does not include providing on-site management services, property sales, refinancing, preparing Property for sale or refinancing, modernization, fire or major damage restoration, rehabilitation, obtaining income tax, accounting or legal advice, representation before public agencies, advising on proposed new construction, debt collection, counseling, attending RPO's Association meetings or _____

If RPO requests Property Manager to perform services not included in this Agreement, a fee shall be agreed upon before these services are performed.

- C. Property Manager may divide compensation, fees and charges due under this Agreement in any manner acceptable to Property Manager.
- D. RPO further agrees that:
 - (1) Property Manager may receive and keep fees and charges from tenants, or as applicable be reimbursed for fees charged for: **(i)** requesting an assignment of lease or sublease of the Property; **(ii)** processing credit applications; **(iii)** any returned checks and/or (if checked) late payments; **(iv)** any bank credits or credit card points/credit received; **(v)** any technology platform credits, fees, and charges; **(vi)** lock-boxes/keysafes; and **(vii)** eviction protection services. Property Manager shall disclose any such fees and charges. Attached is Property Manager's schedule of fees and charges.
 - (2) Property Manager may perform any of Property Manager's duties, and obtain necessary products and services, through affiliated companies or organizations in which Property Manager may own an interest. Property Manager may receive fees, commissions and/or profits from these affiliated companies or organizations. Property Manager has an ownership interest in the following affiliated companies or organizations: _____

Property Manager shall disclose to RPO any other such relationships as they occur. Property Manager shall not receive any fees, commissions or profits from unaffiliated companies or organizations in the performance of this Agreement, without prior disclosure to RPO.

- (3) Other: _____

8. AGENCY RELATIONSHIPS: Property Manager may act, and RPO hereby consents to Property Manager acting, as dual agent for RPO and tenant(s) in any resulting transaction. If the Property includes residential property with one-to-four dwelling units and this Agreement permits a tenancy in excess of one year, RPO acknowledges receipt of the "Disclosure Regarding Agency Relationships" (C.A.R. Form AD). RPO understands that Property Manager may have or obtain property management agreements on other property, and that potential tenants may consider, make offers on, or lease through Property Manager, property the same as or similar to RPO's Property. RPO consents to Property Manager's representation of other RPOs' properties before, during and after the expiration of this Agreement.



RPO Name: _____ Date: _____

9. **NOTICES:** Any written notice to RPO or Property Manager from the other party required under this Agreement shall be served by sending such notice (i) by first class mail to that party at the address below, or at any different address the parties may later designate for this purpose. (ii) to the following email address: _____ Mailed notice, including notice under **paragraph 14**, shall be deemed received three (3) calendar days after deposit into the United States mail. Electronic notice shall be deemed received the next business day after it is sent.

10. **SECURITY AND INSURANCE:** Property Manager is not responsible for loss of or damage to personal or real property, or person, whether attributable to use of a keysafe/lockbox, a showing of the Property, or otherwise. Third parties, including, but not limited to, inspectors, brokers and prospective tenants, may have access to, and take videos and photographs of, the interior of the Premises. RPO agrees: (i) to take reasonable precautions to safeguard and protect valuables that might be accessible during showings of the Premises; and (ii) to obtain insurance to protect against these risks. Broker does not maintain insurance to protect RPO.

11. **ATTORNEY FEES:** In any action, proceeding or arbitration between RPO and Property Manager arising out of this Agreement, RPO and Property Manager are each responsible for paying their own attorney fees and costs, except as provided in **paragraph 12A**.

12. **DISPUTE RESOLUTION:**

A. **MEDIATION:**

- (1) RPO and Property Manager agree to mediate any dispute or claim arising between them out of this Agreement, or any resulting transaction, before resorting to arbitration or court action.
- (2) Mediation fees, if any, shall be divided equally among the parties involved.
- (3) If, for any dispute or claim to which this paragraph applies, any party (i) commences an action without first attempting to resolve the matter through mediation, or (ii) before commencement of an action, refuses to mediate after a request has been made, and that party is the losing party in any such action, the prevailing party shall be entitled to recover attorney fees, notwithstanding **paragraph 11**. Exclusions from this mediation agreement are specified in **paragraph 12B**.

B. **ADDITIONAL MEDIATION TERMS:** The following matters shall be excluded from mediation and arbitration: (i) a judicial or non-judicial foreclosure or other action or proceeding to enforce a deed of trust, mortgage or installment land sale contract as defined in Civil Code §2985; (ii) an unlawful detainer action; (iii) the filing or enforcement of a mechanic's lien; and (iv) any matter that is within the jurisdiction of a probate, small claims or bankruptcy court. The filing of a court action to enable the recording of a notice of pending action, for order of attachment, receivership, injunction, or other provisional remedies, shall not constitute a waiver or violation of the mediation provisions.

C. **ADVISORY:** If RPO and Property Manager desire to resolve disputes arising between them rather than court, they can document their agreement by attaching and signing an Arbitration Agreement (C.A.R. Form ARB).

13. **EQUAL HOUSING OPPORTUNITY:** The Property is offered in compliance with federal, state and local anti-discrimination laws.

14. **MODIFICATION OF AGREEMENT:** Property Manager may modify the terms of this Agreement upon first providing **30** (or _____) days written notice to RPO. If RPO objects to the modified terms in writing during that timeframe, Property Manager may either rescind the modification or allow the RPO to terminate the Agreement. If RPO terminates the agreement under this provision, no cancellation fee pursuant to **paragraph 7A(8)** is owed.

15. **ADDITIONAL TERMS:**

- A. Rental Property Owner Disclosure (C.A.R. Form RPOD);
- B. Rental Property Owner Questionnaire (C.A.R. Form RPOQ);
- C. Fair Housing and Discrimination Advisory (C.A.R. Form FHDA);
- D. California Consumer Privacy Act Advisory (C.A.R. Form CCPA);
- E. Disclosure Regarding Real Estate Agency Relationships (C.A.R. Form AD)
- F. Keysafe/Lockbox-Addendum (C.A.R. Form KLA);
- G. Other: _____

16. **TIME OF ESSENCE; ENTIRE CONTRACT; CHANGES:** Time is of the essence. All understandings between the parties are incorporated in this Agreement. Its terms are intended by the parties as a final, complete and exclusive expression of their Agreement with respect to its subject matter, and may not be contradicted by evidence of any prior agreement or contemporaneous oral agreement. If any provision of this Agreement is held to be ineffective or invalid, the remaining provisions will nevertheless be given full force and effect. Neither this Agreement nor any provision in it may be extended, amended, modified, altered or changed except in writing. This Agreement and any supplement, addendum or modification, including any copy, may be signed in two or more counterparts, all of which shall constitute one and the same writing.

17. **LEGALLY AUTHORIZED SIGNER:** Wherever the signature or initials of the Legally Authorized Signer, identified in the signature block below, appear on this Agreement or any related documents, it shall be deemed to be in a representative capacity for the entity described and not in an individual capacity, unless otherwise indicated. The Legally Authorized Signer (i) represents that the entity for which that person is acting already exists and is in good standing to do business in California and (ii) shall deliver to Broker, within **3 Days** after execution of this Agreement, evidence of authority to act in that capacity (such as but not limited to: applicable portion of the trust or Certification Of Trust (Probate Code § 18100.5), letters testamentary, court order, power of attorney, corporate resolution, or formation documents of the business entity).

18. **OWNERSHIP, TITLE AND AUTHORITY:** RPO warrants that: (i) RPO is the legal RPO of the Premises; (ii) no other persons or entities have title to the Premises; and (iii) RPO has the authority to both execute this Agreement and lease or rent the Premises. Exceptions to ownership, title and authority are as follows: _____



RPO Name: _____ Date: _____
By signing below, RPO acknowledges that RPO has read, understands, accepts and has received a copy of this Agreement and understands that the Agreement is not binding on Broker unless signed below by Broker or an office manager.

ENTITY RENTAL PROPERTY OWNERS: (Note: If this paragraph is completed, a Representative Capacity Signature Disclosure (C.A.R. Form RCSD) is not required for the Legally Authorized Signers designated below.)

- (1) One or more RPOs is a trust, corporation, LLC, probate estate, partnership, other entity or holds a power of attorney.
- (2) This Agreement is being Signed by a Legally Authorized Signer in a representative capacity and not for him/herself as an individual. See **paragraph 17** for additional terms.
- (3) The name(s) of the Legally Authorized Signer(s) is: _____.
- (4) If a trust, identify RPO as trustee(s) of the trust or by simplified trust name (ex. John Doe, co-trustee, Jane Doe, co-trustee or Doe Revocable Family Trust).
- (5) If the entity is a trust or under probate, the following is the full name of the trust or probate case, including case #: _____

RENTAL PROPERTY OWNER SIGNATURE(S):

(Signature) By, _____ Date: _____

Printed name of RPO: _____

Printed Name of Legally Authorized Signer: _____ Title, if applicable, _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Email _____ Phone # _____

Social Security/Tax ID # (for reporting purposes): _____

(Signature) By, _____ Date: _____

Printed name of RPO: _____

Printed Name of Legally Authorized Signer: _____ Title, if applicable, _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Email _____ Phone # _____

Social Security/Tax ID # (for reporting purposes): _____

Additional Signature Addendum attached (C.A.R. Form ASA)

BROKER SIGNATURE(S) (Must be signed by Broker or Office Manager):

Real Estate Broker (Firm) _____ DRE Lic# _____

By (Broker/Office Manager) _____ Lic. # _____ Date _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Email _____ Phone # _____

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RESIDENTIAL INCOME PURCHASE AGREEMENT AND JOINT ESCROW INSTRUCTIONS

(C.A.R. FORM RIPA, Revised 6/24)

Date Prepared: _____

1. **OFFER:**
 - A. **THIS IS AN OFFER FROM** _____ (“Buyer”).
Individual(s), A Corporation, A Partnership, An LLC, Other _____.
 - B. **THE PROPERTY** to be acquired is _____, situated in _____ (City), _____ (County), California, _____ (Zip Code), Assessor’s Parcel No(s) _____ (“Property”).
(Postal/Mailing address may be different from city jurisdiction. Buyer is advised to investigate.)
 - C. **THE TERMS OF THE PURCHASE ARE SPECIFIED BELOW AND ON THE FOLLOWING PAGES.**
 - D. Buyer and Seller are referred to herein as the “Parties.” Brokers and Agents are **not** Parties to this Agreement.
2. **AGENCY:**
 - A. **DISCLOSURE:** The Parties each acknowledge receipt of a “Disclosure Regarding Real Estate Agency Relationships” (C.A.R. Form AD) if represented by a real estate licensee. Buyer’s Agent is not legally required to give to Seller’s Agent the AD form Signed by Buyer. Seller’s Agent is not legally obligated to give to Buyer’s Agent the AD form Signed by Seller.
 - B. **CONFIRMATION:** The following agency relationships are hereby confirmed for this transaction.
Seller’s Brokerage Firm _____ License Number _____
 Is the broker of (check one): the Seller; or both the Buyer and Seller (Dual Agent).
 Seller’s Agent _____ License Number _____
 Is (check one): the Seller’s Agent (Salesperson or broker associate); or both the Buyer’s and Seller’s Agent (Dual Agent).
Buyer’s Brokerage Firm _____ License Number _____
 Is the broker of (check one): the Buyer; or both the Buyer and Seller (Dual Agent).
 Buyer’s Agent _____ License Number _____
 Is (check one): the Buyer’s Agent (Salesperson or broker associate); or both the Buyer’s and Seller’s Agent (Dual Agent).
 - C. More than one Brokerage represents Seller, Buyer. See, Additional Broker Acknowledgement (C.A.R. Form ABA).
 - D. **POTENTIALLY COMPETING BUYERS AND SELLERS:** The Parties each acknowledge receipt of a “Possible Representation of More than One Buyer or Seller - Disclosure and Consent” (C.A.R. Form PRBS).
3. **TERMS OF PURCHASE AND ALLOCATION OF COSTS:** The items in this paragraph are contractual terms of the Agreement. Referenced paragraphs provide further explanation. This form is 18 pages. The Parties are advised to read all 18 pages.

Paragraph #	Paragraph Title or Contract Term	Terms and Conditions	Additional Terms	
A	5, 5B (cash)	Purchase Price	\$ _____ <input type="checkbox"/> All Cash	
B		Close Of Escrow (COE)	_____ Days after Acceptance OR on _____ (date) (mm/dd/yyyy)	
C	39A	Expiration of Offer	3 calendar days after all Buyer Signature(s) or _____ (date) at 5PM or <input type="checkbox"/> AM/ <input type="checkbox"/> PM	
D(1)	5A(1)	Initial Deposit Amount	\$ _____ (_____% of purchase price) (% number above is for calculation purposes and is not a contractual term)	within 3 (or _____) business days after Acceptance by wire transfer OR <input type="checkbox"/> _____
D(2)	5A(2)	<input type="checkbox"/> Increased Deposit (Money placed into escrow after the initial deposit. Use form DID at time increased deposit is made.)	\$ _____ (_____% of purchase price) (% number above is for calculation purposes and is not a contractual term)	Upon removal of all contingencies OR <input type="checkbox"/> _____ (date) OR <input type="checkbox"/> _____
E(1)	5C(1)	Loan Amount(s): First Interest Rate _____ Points _____ If FHA or VA checked, Deliver list of lender required repairs	\$ _____ (_____% of purchase price) Fixed rate or <input type="checkbox"/> Initial adjustable rate • not to exceed _____% • Buyer to pay up to _____ points to obtain rate above 17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	Conventional or, if checked, <input type="checkbox"/> FHA (Forms FVAC/HID attached) <input type="checkbox"/> VA (Form FVAC attached) <input type="checkbox"/> Seller Financing <input type="checkbox"/> Assumed Financing <input type="checkbox"/> Subject To Financing <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____
E(2)	5C(2)	Additional Financed Amount _____ Interest Rate _____ Points _____	\$ _____ (_____% of purchase price) Fixed rate or <input type="checkbox"/> Initial adjustable rate • not to exceed _____% • Buyer to pay up to _____ points to obtain rate above	Conventional or, if checked, <input type="checkbox"/> Seller Financing <input type="checkbox"/> Assumed Financing <input type="checkbox"/> Subject To Financing <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____
E(3)	7A	Occupancy Type	Investment, or if checked, <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> Secondary	
F	5D	Balance of Down Payment	\$ _____	
		PURCHASE PRICE TOTAL	\$ _____	



Property Address: _____

Date: _____

	Paragraph #	Paragraph Title or Contract Term	Terms and Conditions	Additional Terms
G(1)	5E	Seller Credit, if any, to Buyer	<input type="checkbox"/> \$ _____ (_____ % of purchase price) (% number above is for calculation purposes and is not a contractual term)	Seller credit to be applied to closing costs OR <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____
G(2)	ADDITIONAL FINANCE TERMS: _____			
G(3)	21	<input type="checkbox"/> Seller agrees to pay the obligation of Buyer to compensate Buyer's Broker under a separate agreement (C.A.R. Form SPBB attached). Seller's Broker's offer, if any, to compensate Buyer's Broker is unaffected unless Otherwise Agreed.		
H(1)	5B	Verification of All Cash (sufficient funds)	Attached to the offer or <input type="checkbox"/> 3 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	
H(2)	6A	Verification of Down Payment and Closing Costs	Attached to the offer or <input type="checkbox"/> 3 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	
H(3)	6B	Verification of Loan Application	Attached to the offer or <input type="checkbox"/> 3 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	<input type="checkbox"/> Prequalification <input type="checkbox"/> Preapproval <input type="checkbox"/> Fully underwritten preapproval
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J	19	Final Verification of Condition	5 (or _____) Days prior to COE	
K	26	Assignment Request	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	
L	8	CONTINGENCIES	TIME TO REMOVE CONTINGENCIES	CONTINGENCY REMOVED
L(1)	8A	Loan(s)	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	<input type="checkbox"/> No loan contingency
L(2)	8B	Appraisal: Appraisal contingency based upon appraised value at a minimum of purchase price or <input type="checkbox"/> \$ _____	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	<input type="checkbox"/> No appraisal contingency Removal of appraisal contingency does not eliminate appraisal cancellation rights in FVAC.
L(3)	8C, 15	Investigation of Property	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	REMOVAL OR WAIVER OF CONTINGENCY: Any contingency in L(1)-L(8) may be removed or waived by checking the applicable box above or attaching a Contingency Removal (C.A.R. Form CR-B) and checking the applicable box therein. Removal or Waiver at time of offer is against Agent advice. See paragraph 8I. <input type="checkbox"/> CR-B attached
		Informational Access to Property Buyer's right to access the Property for informational purposes only is NOT a contingency and does NOT create additional cancellation rights for Buyer.	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	
L(4)	8D	Insurance	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	
L(5)	8E, 17A	Review of Seller Documents	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance, or 5 Days after Delivery, whichever is later	
L(6)	8F, 16A	Preliminary ("Title") Report	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance or 5 Days after Delivery, whichever is later	
L(7)	8G, 11H	Common Interest Disclosures required by Civil Code § 4525 or this Agreement	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance, or 5 Days after Delivery, whichever is later	
L(8)	8H, 9B(6)	Review of leased or liened items (E.g. solar panels or propane tanks)	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance, or 5 Days after Delivery, whichever is later	
L(9)	8K	Sale of Buyer's Property Sale of Buyer's property is not a contingency, UNLESS checked here: <input type="checkbox"/> C.A.R. Form COP attached		
M		Possession	Time for Performance	Additional Terms
M(1)	3E(3), 7A	Vacant Units to be delivered Vacant Tenant Occupied Units to be delivered subject to tenant rights	Upon notice of recordation On COE date	<input type="checkbox"/> Unit(s) _____ to be delivered vacant. C.A.R. Form TOPA attached.
M(2)	7D	Seller Occupied to be delivered vacant	Upon Notice or recordation, OR <input type="checkbox"/> 6 PM or _____ <input type="checkbox"/> AM/ <input type="checkbox"/> PM On COE date or, if checked below, <input type="checkbox"/> _____ days after COE (29 or fewer days) <input type="checkbox"/> _____ days after COE (30 or more days)	C.A.R. Form SIP attached if 29 or fewer days. C.A.R. Form RLAS attached if 30 or more days.
N		Documents/Fees/Compliance	Time for Performance	
N(1)	17A	Seller Delivery of Documents	7 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	
N(2)	22B	Sign and return Escrow Holder General Provisions, Supplemental Instructions	5 (or _____) Days after Delivery	
N(3)	11H(2)	Time to pay fees for ordering HOA Documents	3 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	
N(4)	10B(1)	Install smoke alarm(s), CO detector(s), water heater bracing	7 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	
N(5)	35	Evidence of representative authority	3 Days after Acceptance	



Property Address: _____ Date: _____

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P	Items Included and Excluded			
P(1)	9	Items Included - All items specified in Paragraph 9B are included and the following, if checked:		
		<input type="checkbox"/> _____.	<input type="checkbox"/> _____.	<input type="checkbox"/> _____.
P(2)		Excluded Items:		
		<input type="checkbox"/> _____;	<input type="checkbox"/> _____;	<input type="checkbox"/> _____;
Q	Allocation of Costs			
	Paragraph #	Item Description	Who Pays (if Both is checked, cost to be split equally unless Otherwise Agreed)	Additional Terms
Q(1)	10A, 11B(1)(A)	Natural Hazard Zone Disclosure Report, including tax information	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Environmental <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Provided by: _____
Q(2)		Optional Wildfire Disclosure Report	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	Provided by: _____
Q(3)A Q(3)B		_____ Report _____ Report	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
Q(4)	10B(1)	Smoke alarms, CO detectors, water heater bracing	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
Q(5)	10A 10B(2)	Government Required Point of Sale inspections, reports	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
Q(6)	10B(2)	Government Required Point of Sale corrective/remedial actions	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
Q(7)	10B(4)(A)	Fire extinguishers, sprinklers, hoses	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
Q(8)	10B(4)(B)	Drain cover and anti-entrapment devices for pool/spa	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
Q(9)	22B	Escrow Fees	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Each to pay their own fees	Escrow Holder: _____
Q(10)	16	Owner's title insurance policy	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	Title Company (If different from Escrow Holder): _____
Q(11)		Buyer's Lender title insurance policy	Buyer	Unless Otherwise Agreed, Buyer shall purchase any title insurance policy insuring Buyer's lender.
Q(12)		County transfer tax, fees	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
Q(13)		City transfer tax, fees	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
Q(14)	11H(2)	HOA fee for preparing disclosures	Seller	
Q(15)		HOA certification fee	Buyer	
Q(16)		HOA transfer fees	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	Unless Otherwise Agreed, Seller shall pay for separate HOA move-out fee and Buyer shall pay for separate move-in fee. Applies if separately billed or itemized with cost in transfer fee.
Q(17)		Private transfer fees	Seller, or if checked, <input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
Q(18)	10B(4)	Installation of safety features, required by law	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
Q(19)		_____ fees or costs	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
Q(20)	10C	Home warranty plan, chosen by Buyer. Coverage includes, but is not limited to: _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Buyer waives home warranty plan	If Seller or Both checked, Seller's cost not to exceed \$ _____. Issued by: _____
R	Additional Tenancy Documents: <input type="checkbox"/> Income and Expense Statements <input type="checkbox"/> Tenant Estoppel Certificate			
S	OTHER TERMS: _____			

4. **PROPERTY ADDENDA AND ADVISORIES:** (check all that apply)
A. PROPERTY TYPE ADDENDA: This Agreement is subject to the terms contained in the Addenda checked below:
 Probate Agreement Purchase Addendum (C.A.R. Form PA-PA)
 Mixed Use Purchase Addendum (C.A.R. Form MU-PA) Other _____



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- B. OTHER ADDENDA:** This Agreement is subject to the terms contained in the Addenda checked below:
- Addendum # _____ (C.A.R. Form ADM)
 - Short Sale Addendum (C.A.R. Form SSA)
 - Court Confirmation Addendum (C.A.R. Form CCA)
 - Septic, Well, Property Monument and Propane Addendum (C.A.R. Form SWPI)
 - Buyer Intent to Exchange Addendum (C.A.R. Form BXA)
 - Other _____
 - Assumed Financing Addendum (C.A.R. Form AFA)
 - Back Up Offer Addendum (C.A.R. Form BUO)
 - Seller Intent to Exchange Addendum (C.A.R. Form SXA)
 - Other _____

C. BUYER AND SELLER ADVISORIES: (Note: All Advisories below are provided for reference purposes only and are not intended to be incorporated into this Agreement.)

- Buyer's Investigation Advisory (C.A.R. Form BIA)
- Wire Fraud Advisory (C.A.R. Form WFA)
- Wildfire Disaster Advisory (C.A.R. Form WFDA)
- Trust Advisory (C.A.R. Form TA)
- REO Advisory (C.A.R. Form REO)
- Other: _____
- Fair Housing and Discrimination Advisory (C.A.R. Form FHDA)
- Cal. Consumer Privacy Act Advisory (C.A.R. Form CCPA)
(Parties may also receive a privacy disclosure from their own Agent.)
- Statewide Buyer and Seller Advisory (C.A.R. Form SBSA)
- Short Sale Information and Advisory (C.A.R. Form SSIA)
- Probate Advisory (C.A.R. Form PA)
- Other _____

5. ADDITIONAL TERMS AFFECTING PURCHASE PRICE: Buyer represents that funds will be good when deposited with Escrow Holder.

A. DEPOSIT:

- (1) **INITIAL DEPOSIT:** Buyer shall deliver deposit directly to Escrow Holder. If a method other than wire transfer is specified in **paragraph 3D(1)** and such method is unacceptable to Escrow Holder, then upon notice from Escrow Holder, delivery shall be by wire transfer.
- (2) **INCREASED DEPOSIT:** Increased deposit to be delivered to Escrow Holder in the same manner as the Initial Deposit. If the Parties agree to liquidated damages in this Agreement, they also agree to incorporate the increased deposit into the liquidated damages amount by signing a new liquidated damages clause (C.A.R. Form DID) at the time the increased deposit is delivered to Escrow Holder.
- (3) **RETENTION OF DEPOSIT:** Paragraph 36, if initialed by all Parties or otherwise incorporated into this Agreement, specifies a remedy for Buyer's default. Buyer and Seller are advised to consult with a qualified California real estate attorney: (i) Before adding any other clause specifying a remedy (such as release or forfeiture of deposit or making a deposit non-refundable) for failure of Buyer to complete the purchase. Any such clause shall be deemed invalid unless the clause independently satisfies the statutory liquidated damages requirements set forth in the Civil Code; and (ii) Regarding possible liability and remedies if Buyer fails to deliver the deposit.

B. ALL CASH OFFER: If an all cash offer is specified in **paragraph 3A**, no loan is needed to purchase the Property. This Agreement is NOT contingent on Buyer obtaining a loan. Buyer shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3H(1)**, Deliver written verification of funds sufficient for the purchase price and closing costs.

C. LOAN(S):

- (1) **FIRST LOAN:** This loan will provide for conventional financing **UNLESS** FHA, VA, Seller Financing (C.A.R. Form SFA), Assumed Financing, Subject To Financing, or Other is checked in **paragraph 3E(1)**.
- (2) **ADDITIONAL FINANCED AMOUNT:** If an additional financed amount is specified in **paragraph 3E(2)**, that amount will provide for conventional financing **UNLESS** Seller Financing (C.A.R. Form SFA), Assumed Financing, Subject To Financing, or Other is checked in **paragraph 3E(2)**.
- (3) **BUYER'S LOAN STATUS:** Buyer authorizes Seller and Seller's Authorized Agent to contact Buyer's lender(s) to determine the status of any Buyer's loan specified in **paragraph 3E**, or any alternate loan Buyer pursues, whether or not a contingency of this Agreement. If the contact information for Buyer's lender(s) is different from that provided under the terms of **paragraph 6B**, Buyer shall Deliver the updated contact information within 1 Day of Seller's request.
- (4) **FHA/VA:** If **FHA** or **VA** is checked in **paragraph 3E(1)**, a FHA/VA amendatory clause (C.A.R. Form FVAC) shall be incorporated and Signed by all Parties. Buyer shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3E(1)**, Deliver to Seller written notice (C.A.R. Form RR or AEA) (i) of any lender requirements that Buyer requests Seller to pay for or otherwise correct or (ii) that there are no lender requirements. Notwithstanding Seller's agreement that Buyer may obtain FHA or VA financing, Seller has no obligation to pay or satisfy any or all lender requirements unless agreed in writing.
- (5) **ASSUMED OR SUBJECT TO FINANCING:** Seller represents that Seller is not delinquent on any payments due on any loans. If the Property is acquired subject-to an existing loan, Buyer and Seller are advised to consult with legal counsel regarding the ability of an existing lender to call the loan due, and the consequences thereof.

D. BALANCE OF PURCHASE PRICE (DOWN PAYMENT) (including all-cash funds) to be deposited with Escrow Holder pursuant to Escrow Holder instructions.

E. LIMITS ON CREDITS TO BUYER: Any credit to Buyer, from any source, for closing or other costs that is agreed to by the Parties ("Contractual Credit") shall be disclosed to Buyer's lender, if any, and made at Close Of Escrow. If the total credit allowed by Buyer's lender ("Lender Allowable Credit") is less than the Contractual Credit, then (i) the Contractual Credit from Seller shall be reduced to the Lender Allowable Credit, and (ii) in the absence of a separate written agreement between the Parties, there shall be no automatic adjustment to the purchase price to make up for the difference between the Contractual Credit and the Lender Allowable Credit.

6. ADDITIONAL FINANCING TERMS:

A. VERIFICATION OF DOWN PAYMENT AND CLOSING COSTS: Written verification of Buyer's down payment and closing costs may be made by Buyer or Buyer's lender or loan broker pursuant to **paragraph 6B**.

B. VERIFICATION OF LOAN APPLICATIONS: Buyer shall Deliver to Seller, within the time specified in **paragraph 3H(3)** a letter from Buyer's lender or loan broker stating that, based on a review of Buyer's written application and credit report, Buyer is prequalified or preapproved for any NEW loan specified in **paragraph 3E**. If any loan specified in **paragraph 3E** is an adjustable rate loan, the prequalification or preapproval letter shall be based on the qualifying rate, not the initial loan rate.

C. BUYER STATED FINANCING: Seller is relying on Buyer's representation of the type of financing specified (including, but not limited to, as applicable, all cash, amount of down payment, or contingent or non-contingent loan). Seller has agreed to a specific closing date, purchase price, and to sell to Buyer in reliance on Buyer's specified financing. Buyer shall pursue the financing specified in this Agreement, even if Buyer also elects to pursue an alternative form of financing. Seller has no obligation to cooperate with Buyer's efforts to obtain any financing other than that specified in this Agreement but shall not interfere with closing at the purchase price on the COE date (**paragraph 3B**) even if based upon alternate financing. Buyer's inability to obtain alternate financing does not excuse Buyer from the obligation to purchase the Property and close escrow as specified in this Agreement.



7. CLOSING AND POSSESSION:

- A. OCCUPANCY:** Seller shall disclose to Buyer which unit(s) are occupied by tenants (including any adult other than Seller). If a tenant occupied unit is to be delivered vacant pursuant to **paragraphs 3M(1)** or elsewhere, unless Otherwise Agreed, such as in a counter offer or C.A.R. Form TOPA, Seller is responsible for delivering the unit vacant. Occupancy may impact available financing.
- B. CONDITION OF PROPERTY ON CLOSING:** Unless Otherwise Agreed: **(i)** the Property shall be delivered **“As-Is”** in its PRESENT physical condition as of the date of Acceptance; **(ii)** the Property, including pool, spa, landscaping and grounds, is to be maintained in substantially the same condition as on the date of Acceptance; **(iii) Except as specified in paragraph 9C, Seller is not responsible to repair any holes left after the removal of any wall hangings (such as pictures and mirrors), brackets, nails or other fastening devices; and (iv)** all debris and personal property not included in the sale shall be removed by Close Of Escrow or at the time possession is delivered to Buyer, if not on the same date. If items are not removed when possession is delivered to Buyer, all items shall be deemed abandoned. Buyer, after first Delivering to Seller written notice to remove the items within **3 Days**, may pay to have such items removed or disposed of and may bring legal action, as per this Agreement, to receive reasonable costs from Seller.
- C. Buyer is strongly advised to conduct investigations of the entire Property in order to determine its present condition. Seller and Agents may not be aware of all defects affecting the Property or other factors that Buyer considers important. Property improvements may not be built according to code, in compliance with current Law, or have had all required permits issued and/or finalized.**
- D. SELLER REMAINING IN POSSESSION AFTER CLOSE OF ESCROW:** If Seller has the right to remain in possession after Close Of Escrow pursuant to **paragraph 3M(2)** or as Otherwise Agreed, **(i)** the Parties are advised to consult with their insurance and legal advisors for information about liability and damage or injury to persons and personal and real property; **(ii)** Buyer is advised to consult with Buyer’s lender about the impact of Seller’s occupancy on Buyer’s loan; and **(iii)** consult with a qualified California real estate attorney where the Property is located to determine the ongoing rights and responsibilities of both Buyer and Seller with regard to each other, including possible tenant rights, and what type of written agreement to use to document the relationship between the Parties.
- E. At Close Of Escrow: (i)** Seller assigns to Buyer any assignable warranty rights for items included in the sale; and **(ii)** Seller shall Deliver to Buyer available Copies of any such warranties. Agents cannot and will not determine the assignability of any warranties.
- F.** Seller shall, on Close Of Escrow unless Otherwise Agreed and even if Seller remains in possession, provide keys, passwords, codes and/or means to operate all locks, mailboxes, security systems, alarms, home automation systems, intranet and Internet-connected devices included in the purchase price, garage door openers, and all items included in either **paragraph 3P** or **paragraph 9**. If the Property is a condominium or located in a common interest development, Seller shall be responsible for securing or providing any such items for Association amenities, facilities, and access. Buyer may be required to pay a deposit to the Homeowners’ Association (“HOA”) to obtain keys to accessible HOA facilities.

8. CONTINGENCIES AND REMOVAL OF CONTINGENCIES:

A. LOAN(S):

- (1) This Agreement is, **unless otherwise specified in paragraph 3L(1) or an attached CR form**, contingent upon Buyer obtaining the loan(s) specified. If contingent, Buyer shall act diligently and in good faith to obtain the designated loan(s). **If there is no appraisal contingency or the appraisal contingency has been waived or removed, then failure of the Property to appraise at the purchase price does not entitle Buyer to exercise the cancellation right pursuant to the loan contingency if Buyer is otherwise qualified for the specified loan and Buyer is able to satisfy lender’s non-appraisal conditions for closing the loan.**
- (2) Buyer is advised to investigate the insurability of the Property as early as possible, as this may be a requirement for lending. Buyer’s ability to obtain insurance for the Property, including fire insurance, is part of Buyer’s **Insurance** contingency. Failure of Buyer to obtain insurance may justify cancellation based on the **Insurance** contingency but not the loan contingency.
- (3) Buyer’s contractual obligations regarding deposit, balance of down payment and closing costs **are not contingencies** of this Agreement, unless Otherwise Agreed.
- (4) If there is an appraisal contingency, removal of the loan contingency shall not be deemed removal of the appraisal contingency.
- (5) **NO LOAN CONTINGENCY:** If "No loan contingency" is checked in **paragraph 3L(1)**, obtaining any loan specified is NOT a contingency of this Agreement. If Buyer does not obtain the loan specified, and as a result is unable to purchase the Property, Seller may be entitled to Buyer’s deposit or other legal remedies.

B. APPRAISAL:

- (1) This Agreement is, **unless otherwise specified in paragraph 3L(2) or an attached CR form**, contingent upon a written appraisal of the Property by a licensed or certified appraiser at no less than the amount specified in **paragraph 3L(2)**, without requiring repairs or improvements to the Property. Appraisals are often a reliable source to verify square footage of the subject Property. However, the ability to cancel based on the measurements provided in an appraisal falls within the Investigation of Property contingency. The appraisal contingency is solely limited to the value determined by the appraisal. For any cancellation based upon this appraisal contingency, Buyer shall Deliver a Copy of the written appraisal to Seller, upon request by Seller.
- (2) **NO APPRAISAL CONTINGENCY:** If "No appraisal contingency" is checked in **paragraph 3L(2)**, then Buyer may not use the loan contingency specified in **paragraph 3L(1)** to cancel this Agreement if the sole reason for not obtaining the loan is that the appraisal relied upon by Buyer’s lender values the property at an amount less than that specified in **paragraph 3L(2)**. If Buyer is unable to obtain the loan specified solely for this reason, Seller may be entitled to Buyer’s deposit or other legal remedies.
- (3) **Fair Appraisal Act: See paragraph 38 for additional information.**

C. INVESTIGATION OF PROPERTY: This Agreement is, as specified in **paragraph 3L(3)**, contingent upon Buyer’s acceptance of the condition of, and any other matter affecting, the Property.

D. INSURANCE: This Agreement is, as specified in **paragraph 3L(4)**, contingent upon Buyer’s assessment of the availability and approval of the cost for any insurance policy desired under this Agreement.

E. REVIEW OF SELLER DOCUMENTS: This Agreement is, as specified in **paragraph 3L(5)**, contingent upon Buyer’s review and approval of Seller’s documents required in **paragraph 17A**.

F. TITLE; Preliminary (Title) Report:

- (1) This Agreement is, as specified in **paragraph 3L(6)**, contingent upon Buyer’s ability to obtain the title policy provided for in **paragraph 16G** and on Buyer’s review of a current Preliminary Report and items that are disclosed or observable even if not on record or not specified in the Preliminary Report, and satisfying Buyer regarding the current status of title. Buyer is advised to review all underlying documents and other matters affecting title, including, but not limited to, any documents or deeds referenced in the Preliminary Report and any plotted easements.



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(2) Buyer has **5 Days** after receipt to review a revised Preliminary Report, if any, furnished by the Title Company and cancel the transaction if the revised Preliminary Report reveals material or substantial deviations from a previously provided Preliminary Report.

G. CONDOMINIUM/PLANNED DEVELOPMENT DISCLOSURES (IF APPLICABLE): This Agreement is, as specified in **paragraph 3L(7)**, contingent upon Buyer's review and approval of Common Interest Disclosures required by Civil Code § 4525 and under **paragraph 11J** ("CI Disclosures").

H. BUYER REVIEW OF LEASED OR LIENED ITEMS CONTINGENCY: Buyer's review of and ability and willingness to assume any lease, maintenance agreement or other ongoing financial obligation, or to accept the Property subject to any lien, disclosed pursuant to **paragraph 9B(6)**, is, as specified in **paragraph 3L(8)**, a contingency of this Agreement. Any assumption of the lease shall not require any financial obligation or contribution by Seller. Seller, after first Delivering a Notice to Buyer to Perform, may cancel this Agreement if Buyer, by the time specified in **paragraph 3L(8)**, refuses to enter into any necessary written agreements to accept responsibility for all obligations of Seller-disclosed leased or lienied items.

I. REMOVAL OR WAIVER OF CONTINGENCIES WITH OFFER: Buyer shall have no obligation to remove a contractual contingency unless Seller has provided all required documents, reports, disclosures, and information pertaining to that contingency. If Buyer does remove a contingency without first receiving all required information from Seller, Buyer is relinquishing any contractual rights that apply to that contingency. **If Buyer removes or waives any contingencies without an adequate understanding of the Property's condition or Buyer's ability to purchase, Buyer is acting against the advice of Agent.**

J. REMOVAL OF CONTINGENCY OR CANCELLATION:

(1) **For any contingency specified in paragraph 3L, 8, or elsewhere, Buyer shall, within the applicable period specified, remove the contingency or cancel this Agreement.**

(2) For the contingencies for review of Seller Documents, Preliminary Report, and Condominium/Planned Development Disclosures, Buyer shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3L** or **5 Days** after Delivery of applicable Seller Documents, Preliminary Report, or CI Disclosures, whichever occurs later, remove the applicable contingency in writing or cancel this Agreement.

(3) If Buyer does not remove a contingency within the time specified, Seller, after first giving Buyer a Notice to Buyer to Perform (C.A.R. Form NBP), shall have the right to cancel this Agreement.

K. SALE OF BUYER'S PROPERTY: This Agreement and Buyer's ability to obtain financing are NOT contingent upon the sale of any property owned by Buyer unless the Sale of Buyer's Property (C.A.R. Form COP) is checked as a contingency of this Agreement in **paragraph 3L(9)**.

9. ITEMS INCLUDED IN AND EXCLUDED FROM SALE:

A. NOTE TO BUYER AND SELLER: Items listed as included or excluded in the Multiple Listing Service (MLS), flyers, marketing materials, or disclosures are NOT included in the purchase price or excluded from the sale unless specified in this paragraph or **paragraph 3P** or as Otherwise Agreed. Any items included herein are components of the Property and are not intended to affect the price. All items are transferred without Seller warranty.

B. ITEMS INCLUDED IN SALE:

(1) All EXISTING fixtures and fittings that are attached to the Property;

(2) EXISTING electrical, mechanical, lighting, plumbing and heating fixtures, ceiling fans, fireplace inserts, gas logs and grates, solar power systems, built-in appliances and appliances for which special openings or encasements have been made (whether or not included in **paragraph 3P**), window and door screens, awnings, shutters, window coverings (which includes blinds, curtains, drapery, shutters or any other materials that cover any portion of the window) and any associated hardware and rods, attached floor coverings, television antennas, satellite dishes, air coolers/conditioners, pool/spa equipment (including, but not limited to, any cleaning equipment such as motorized/automatic pool cleaners, pool heaters, pool nets, pool covers), garage door openers/remote controls, mailbox, in-ground landscaping, water features and fountains, water softeners, water purifiers, light bulbs (including smart bulbs) and all items specified as included in **paragraph 3P, if currently existing and owned by Seller at the time of Acceptance.**

Note: If Seller does not intend to include any item specified as being included above because it is not owned by Seller, whether placed on the Property by Agent, stager, tenant, or other third party, the item should be listed as being excluded in **paragraph 3P** or excluded by Seller in a counter offer.

(3) Security System includes any devices, hardware, software, or control units used to monitor and secure the Property, including but not limited to, any motion detectors, door or window alarms, and any other equipment utilized for such purpose. If checked in **paragraph 3P**, all such items are included in the sale, whether hard wired or not.

(4) Home Automation (Smart Home Features) includes any electronic devices and features including, but not limited to, thermostat controls, kitchen appliances not otherwise excluded, and lighting systems, that are connected (hard wired or wirelessly) to a control unit, computer, tablet, phone, or other "smart" device. Any Smart Home devices and features that are physically affixed to the real property, and also existing light bulbs, are included in the sale. Buyer is advised to use **paragraph 3P(1)** or an addendum to address more directly specific items to be included. Seller is advised to use a counter offer to address more directly any items to be excluded.

(5) Non-Dedicated Devices: All smart home and security system included in the sale include control devices, except for any non-dedicated personal computer, tablet, or phone used to control such features. Buyer acknowledges that a separate device and access to wifi or Internet may be required to operate some smart home features and Buyer may have to obtain such device after Close Of Escrow. Seller shall de-list any devices from any personal accounts and shall cooperate with any transfer of services to Buyer. Buyer is advised to change all passwords and ensure the security of any smart home features.

(6) **LEASED OR LIENED ITEMS AND SYSTEMS:** Seller, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, shall (i) disclose to Buyer if any item or system specified in **paragraph 3P** or **9B** or otherwise included in the sale is leased, or not owned by Seller, or is subject to any maintenance or other ongoing financial obligation, or specifically subject to a lien or other encumbrance or loan, and (ii) Deliver to Buyer all written materials (such as lease, warranty, financing, etc.) concerning any such item.

(7) Seller represents that all items included in the purchase price, unless Otherwise Agreed, (i) are owned by Seller and shall be transferred free and clear of liens and encumbrances, except the items and systems identified pursuant to **paragraph 9B(6)**, and (ii) are transferred without Seller warranty regardless of value. Seller shall cooperate with the identification of any software or applications and Buyer's efforts to transfer any services needed to operate any Smart Home Features or other items included in this Agreement, including, but not limited to, utilities or security systems.

(8) A complete inventory of all personal property of Seller currently used in the operation of the Property and included in the purchase price shall be delivered to Buyer within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**.



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- (9) Seller shall deliver title to the personal property by Bill of Sale, free of all liens and encumbrances, and without warranty of condition.
- (10) As additional security for any note in favor of Seller for any part of the purchase price, Buyer shall execute a UCC-1 Financing Statement to be filed with the Secretary of State, covering the personal property included in the purchase, replacement thereof, and insurance proceeds.
- C. ITEMS EXCLUDED FROM SALE:** Unless Otherwise Agreed, the following items are excluded from sale: **(i)** All items specified in **paragraph 3P(2)**; **(ii)** audio and video components (such as flat screen TVs, speakers and other items) if any such item is not itself attached to the Property, even if a bracket or other mechanism attached to the component or item is attached to the Property; **(iii)** furniture and other items secured to the Property for earthquake or safety purposes. **Unless otherwise specified in paragraph 3P(1), brackets attached to walls, floors or ceilings for any such component, furniture or item will be removed and holes or other damage shall be repaired, but not painted.**
- 10. ALLOCATION OF COSTS:**
- A. INSPECTIONS, REPORTS, TESTS, AND CERTIFICATES:** Paragraphs **3Q(1-3)** and **(5)** only determines who is to pay for the inspection, report, test, certificate or service mentioned; **it does not determine who is to pay for any work recommended or identified in the any such document. Agreements for payment of required work should be specified elsewhere in paragraph 3Q, or 3S, or in a separate agreement (such as C.A.R. Forms RR, RRRR, ADM or AEA).** Any reports in these paragraphs shall be Delivered in the time specified in **Paragraph 3N(1)**.
- B. GOVERNMENT REQUIREMENTS AND CORRECTIVE OR REMEDIAL ACTIONS:**
- (1) **LEGALLY REQUIRED INSTALLATIONS AND PROPERTY IMPROVEMENTS:** Any required installation of smoke alarm or carbon monoxide device(s) or securing of water heater shall be completed within **the time specified in paragraph 3N(4)**. If Buyer is to pay for these items, Buyer, as instructed by Escrow Holder, shall deposit funds into escrow or directly to the vendor completing the repair or installation. Prior to Close Of Escrow, Seller shall Deliver to Buyer written statement(s) of compliance in accordance with any Law, unless Seller is exempt. If Seller is to pay for these items and does not fulfill Seller's obligation in the time specified, and Buyer incurs costs to comply with lender requirements concerning those items, Seller shall be responsible for Buyer's costs.
- (2) **POINT OF SALE REQUIREMENTS:**
- (A) Point of sale inspections, reports and repairs refer to any such actions required to be completed before or after Close Of Escrow that are required in order to close under any Law. Unless Parties Otherwise Agree to another time period, any such repair, shall be completed prior to final verification of Property. If Buyer agrees to pay for any portion of such repair, Buyer, shall **(i)** directly pay to the vendor completing the repair or **(ii)** provide an invoice to Escrow Holder, deposit funds into escrow sufficient to pay for Buyer's portion of such repair and request Escrow Holder pay the vendor completing the repair.
- (B) Buyer shall be provided, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, unless Parties Otherwise Agree to another time period, a Copy of any required government-conducted or point-of-sale inspection report prepared pursuant to this Agreement or in anticipation of this sale of the Property.
- (3) **REINSPECTION FEES:** If any repair in **paragraph 10B(1)** is not completed within the time specified and the lender requires an additional inspection to be made, Seller shall be responsible for any corresponding reinspection fee. If Buyer incurs costs to comply with lender requirements concerning those items, Seller shall be responsible for those costs.
- (4) **INSTALLATION OF SAFETY FEATURES:**
- (A) The following installations shall be completed prior to final verification of condition unless Otherwise Agreed: **(i)** approved fire extinguisher(s), sprinkler(s), and hose(s), if required by law; and **(ii)** drain cover and anti-entrapment device or system meeting the minimum requirements permitted by the U.S. Consumer Products and Safety Commission for any pool or spa.
- (B) If Buyer is to pay for these installations, Buyer, as instructed by Escrow Holder, shall deposit funds into escrow or directly to the vendor completing the repair or installation.
- (5) **INFORMATION AND ADVICE ON REQUIREMENTS:** Buyer and Seller are advised to seek information from a knowledgeable source regarding local and State mandates and whether they are point of sale requirements or requirements of ownership. Agents do not have expertise in this area and cannot ascertain all of the requirements or costs of compliance.
- C. HOME WARRANTY:**
- (1) Buyer shall choose the home warranty plan and any optional coverages indicated. Buyer shall pay any cost of that plan, chosen by Buyer, that exceeds the amount allocated to Seller in **paragraph 3Q(20)**. Buyer is informed that home warranty plans have many optional coverages, including but not limited to, coverages for Air Conditioner and Pool/Spa. Buyer is advised to investigate these coverages to determine those that may be suitable for Buyer and their cost.
- (2) **If Buyer waives the purchase of a home warranty plan in paragraph 3Q(20), Buyer may still purchase a home warranty plan, at Buyer's expense, prior to Close Of Escrow.**
- 11. STATUTORY AND OTHER DISCLOSURES (INCLUDING LEAD-BASED PAINT HAZARD DISCLOSURES) AND CANCELLATION RIGHTS:**
- A. LEAD DISCLOSURES:**
- (1) Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, for any residential property built before January 1, 1978, unless exempted by Law, Deliver to Buyer a fully completed Federal Lead-Based Paint Disclosures (C.A.R. Form LPD) and pamphlet ("Lead Disclosures").
- (2) Buyer shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3L(3)**, have the opportunity to conduct a risk assessment or to inspect for the presence of lead-based paint hazards.
- B. RESIDENTIAL 1-4 PROPERTY DISCLOSURES:**
- (1) **TDS, NHD, AND OTHER STATUTORY AND SUPPLEMENTAL DISCLOSURES:**
- (A) Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, Deliver to Buyer: unless exempt, fully completed disclosures or notices required by §§ 1102 et. seq. and 1103 et. seq. of the Civil Code ("Statutory Disclosures"). Statutory Disclosures include, but are not limited to, a Real Estate Transfer Disclosure Statement (C.A.R. Form TDS), Natural Hazard Disclosure Statement ("NHD"), notice or actual knowledge of release of illegal controlled substance, notice of special tax and/or assessments (or, if allowed, substantially equivalent notice regarding the Mello-Roos Community Facilities Act of 1982 and Improvement Bond Act of 1915) and, if Seller has actual knowledge, of industrial use and military ordnance location (C.A.R. Form SPQ or ESD), and, if the Property is in a high or very high fire hazard severity area, the information, notices, documentation, and agreements required by §§ 1102.6(f) and 1102.19 of the Civil Code (C.A.R. Form FHDS).

- (B) The Real Estate Transfer Disclosure Statement required by this paragraph is considered fully completed if Seller has completed the section titled Coordination with Other Disclosure Forms by checking a box (Section I), and Seller has completed and answered all questions and Signed the Seller's Information section (Section II) and the Seller's Agent, if any, has completed and Signed the Seller's Agent's section (Section III), or, if applicable, an Agent Visual Inspection Disclosure (C.A.R. Form AVID). Section V acknowledgment of receipt of a Copy of the TDS shall be Signed after all previous sections, if applicable, have been completed. Nothing stated herein relieves a Buyer's Agent, if any, from the obligation to (i) conduct a reasonably competent and diligent visual inspection of the accessible areas of the Property and disclose, on Section IV of the TDS, or an AVID, material facts affecting the value or desirability of the Property that were or should have been revealed by such an inspection or (ii) complete any sections on all disclosures required to be completed by Buyer's Agent.
- (C) Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, provide "Supplemental Disclosures" as follows: (i) unless exempt from the obligation to provide a TDS, complete a Seller Property Questionnaire (C.A.R. Form SPQ) by answering all questions and Signing and Delivering a Copy to Buyer; (ii) if exempt from the obligation to provide a TDS, complete an Exempt Seller Disclosure (C.A.R. Form ESD) by answering all questions and Signing and Delivering a Copy to Buyer.
- (D) In the event Seller or Seller's Agent, prior to Close Of Escrow, becomes aware of adverse conditions materially affecting the Property, or any material inaccuracy in disclosures, information or representations previously provided to Buyer under this paragraph, Seller shall, in writing, promptly provide a subsequent or amended TDS, Seller Property Questionnaire or other document, in writing, covering those items. Any such document shall be deemed an amendment to the TDS or SPQ. **However, a subsequent or amended disclosure shall not be required for conditions and material inaccuracies of which Buyer is otherwise aware, or which are discovered by Buyer or disclosed in reports or documents provided to or ordered and paid for by Buyer.**
- (2) **HOME FIRE HARDENING DISCLOSURE AND ADVISORY:** For any transaction where a TDS is required, the property is located in a high or very high fire hazard severity zone, and the home was constructed before January 1, 2010, Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, Deliver to Buyer: (i) a home hardening disclosure required by law; and (ii) a statement of features of which the Seller is aware that may make the home vulnerable to wildfire and flying embers; and (iii) a final inspection report regarding compliance with defensible space requirements if one was prepared pursuant to Government Code § 51182 (C.A.R. Form FHDS).
- (3) **DEFENSIBLE SPACE DISCLOSURE AND ADDENDUM:** For any transaction in which a TDS is required and the property is located in a high or very high fire hazard severity zone, Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, Deliver to Buyer (i) a disclosure of whether the Property is in compliance with any applicable defensible space laws designed to protect a structure on the Property from fire; and (ii) an addendum allocating responsibility for compliance with any such defensible space law (C.A.R. Form FHDS).
- C. WAIVER PROHIBITED:** Waiver of Statutory, Lead, and other Disclosures in **paragraphs 11A, 11B(1)(A), 11B(2), and 11B(3)** are prohibited by Law.
- D. RETURN OF SIGNED COPIES:** Buyer shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3L(5) OR 5 Days** after Delivery of any disclosures specified in **paragraphs 11A, B(1), B(2), B(3)**, and defensible space addendum in **paragraph 11B(3)**, whichever is later, return Signed Copies of the disclosures, and if applicable, addendum, to Seller.
- E. TERMINATION RIGHTS:**
- (1) **Statutory and Other Disclosures:** If any disclosure specified in **paragraphs 11A, B(1), B(2), or B(3)**, or subsequent or amended disclosure to those just specified, is Delivered to Buyer after the offer is Signed, Buyer shall have the right to terminate this Agreement within **3 Days** after Delivery in person, or **5 Days** after Delivery by deposit in the mail, or by an electronic record or email satisfying the Uniform Electronic Transactions Act (UETA), by giving written notice of rescission to Seller or Seller's Authorized Agent. If Buyer does not rescind within this time period, Buyer has been deemed to have approved the disclosure and shall not have the right to cancel.
- (2) **Defensible Space Compliance:** If, by the time specified in **paragraph 11C**, Buyer does not agree to the terms regarding defensible space compliance Delivered by Seller, as indicated by mutual signatures on the FHDS, then Seller, after first Delivering a Notice to Buyer to Perform, may cancel this Agreement.
- F. WITHHOLDING TAXES:** Buyer and Seller hereby instruct Escrow Holder to withhold the applicable required amounts to comply with federal and California withholding Laws and forward such amounts to the Internal Revenue Service and Franchise Tax Board, respectively. However, no federal withholding is required if, prior to Close Of Escrow, Seller Delivers (i) to Buyer and Escrow Holder a fully completed affidavit (C.A.R. Form AS) sufficient to avoid withholding pursuant to federal withholding Law (FIRPTA); **OR (ii)** to a qualified substitute (usually a title company or an independent escrow company) a fully completed affidavit (C.A.R. Form AS) sufficient to avoid withholding pursuant to federal withholding Law AND the qualified substitute Delivers to Buyer and Escrow Holder an affidavit signed under penalty of perjury (C.A.R. Form QS) that the qualified substitute has received the fully completed Seller's affidavit and the Seller states that no federal withholding is required; **OR (iii)** to Buyer other documentation satisfying the requirements under Internal Revenue Code § 1445 (FIRPTA). No withholding is required under California Law if, prior to Close Of Escrow, Escrow Holder has received sufficient documentation from Seller that no withholding is required, and Buyer has been informed by Escrow Holder.
- G. MEGAN'S LAW DATABASE DISCLOSURE:** Notice: Pursuant to § 290.46 of the Penal Code, information about specified registered sex offenders is made available to the public via an Internet Web site maintained by the Department of Justice at **www.meganslaw.ca.gov**. Depending on an offender's criminal history, this information will include either the address at which the offender resides or the community of residence and ZIP Code in which he or she resides. (Neither Seller nor Agent are required to check this website. If Buyer wants further information, Agent recommends that Buyer obtain information from this website during Buyer's investigation contingency period. Agents do not have expertise in this area.)
- H. NOTICE REGARDING GAS AND HAZARDOUS LIQUID TRANSMISSION PIPELINES:** This notice is being provided simply to inform you that information about the general location of gas and hazardous liquid transmission pipelines is available to the public via the National Pipeline Mapping System (NPMS) Internet Web site maintained by the United States Department of Transportation at **http://www.npms.phmsa.dot.gov/**. To seek further information about possible transmission pipelines near the Property, you may contact your local gas utility or other pipeline operators in the area. Contact information for pipeline operators is searchable by ZIP Code and county on the NPMS Internet Website. (Neither Seller nor Agent are required to check this website. If Buyer wants further information, Agent recommends that Buyer obtain information from this website during Buyer's investigation contingency period. Agents do not have expertise in this area.)

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- I. NATURAL AND ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS:** Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, if required by Law: **(i)** Deliver to Buyer the earthquake guide and environmental hazards booklet, and for all residential property with 1-4 units and any manufactured or mobile home built before January 1, 1960, fully complete and Deliver the Residential Earthquake Risk Disclosure Statement; and **(ii)** even if exempt from the obligation to provide a NHD, disclose if the Property is located in a Special Flood Hazard Area; Potential Flooding (Inundation) Area; Very High Fire Hazard Zone; State Fire Responsibility Area; Earthquake Fault Zone; Seismic Hazard Zone; and **(iii)** disclose any other zone as required by Law and provide any other information required for those zones.
- J. CONDOMINIUM/PLANNED DEVELOPMENT DISCLOSURES:**
 - (1) Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, disclose to Buyer whether the Property is a condominium or is located in a planned development, other common interest development, or otherwise subject to covenants, conditions, and restrictions (C.A.R. Form SPQ or ESD).
 - (2) If the Property is a condominium or is located in a planned development or other common interest development with a HOA, Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(3)**, order from, and pay any required fee for the following items to the HOA (C.A.R. Form HOA-IR): **(i)** Copies of any documents required by Law (C.A.R. Form HOA-RS); **(ii)** disclosure of any pending or anticipated claim or litigation by or against the HOA; **(iii)** a statement containing the location and number of designated parking and storage spaces; **(iv)** Copies of the most recent 12 months of HOA minutes for regular and special meetings; **(v)** the names and contact information of all HOAs governing the Property; **(vi)** pet restrictions; and **(vii)** smoking restrictions ("CI Disclosures"). Seller shall itemize and Deliver to Buyer all CI Disclosures received from the HOA and any CI Disclosures in Seller's possession. Seller shall, as directed by Escrow Holder, deposit funds into escrow or direct to HOA or management company to pay for any of the above.
- K. SOLAR POWER SYSTEMS:** For properties with any solar panels or solar power systems, Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, Deliver to Buyer all known information about the solar panels or solar power system. Seller shall use the Solar Advisory and Questionnaire (C.A.R. Form SOLAR).
- L. WATER CONSERVING PLUMBING DEVICES:** Civil Code § 1101.5 requires all multi-family residential and commercial real property be equipped with water-conserving plumbing devices. Seller, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, shall disclose in writing whether the property includes any noncompliant plumbing fixtures. Seller may use C.A.R. Form SPQ or ESD. See C.A.R. Form WCMD for more information.
- M. ELEVATED ELEMENTS:** If the Property is part of a building with 3 or more dwelling units, Health and Safety Code § 17973(m) requires that an inspection of any exterior elevated elements (such as, but not limited to, balconies, decks, stairways, and walkways) be completed by January 1, 2025 and every 6 years thereafter. Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)** provide to Buyer: (1) a copy of the inspection and accompanying report and, if any corrective work is required, proof that corrective work has been completed in accordance with code and permit requirements, or (2) a statement **(i)** that no such inspection has been made or **(ii)** if made, that no corrective work has been completed in accordance with the Health and Safety Code.
- N. SURVEY, PLANS, AND ENGINEERING DOCUMENTS:** Seller, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, shall provide to Buyer, Copies of surveys, plans, specifications, and engineering documents, if any, prepared on Seller's behalf on in Seller's possession.
- O. PERMITS:** Seller, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, shall provide to Buyer, if in Seller's possession, copies of all permits and approvals, certificates of occupancy, conditional use permits, development plans, and licenses and permits pertaining to the operation of the Property.
- P. STRUCTURAL MODIFICATIONS:** Seller, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, shall in writing disclose to Buyer, Known structural additions or alterations to, or the installation, alteration, repair or replacement of, significant components of the structure(s) upon the Property.
- Q. GOVERNMENTAL COMPLIANCE:** Within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**,
 - (1) Seller shall disclose to Buyer any improvements, additions, alterations, or repairs to the Property made by Seller, or known to Seller to have been made, without required governmental permits, final inspections, and approvals
 - (2) Seller shall disclose to Buyer if Seller has actual knowledge of any notice of violations of Law filed or issued against the Property.
- R. BALCONIES, EXTERIOR STAIRWAYS AND OTHER ELEVATED ELEMENTS:** For properties with any building containing 3 or more dwelling units with elevated balconies, stairways or other elements, Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, Deliver to Buyer the Wooden Balcony and Stairs Addendum (C.A.R. Form WBSA).
- S. KNOWN MATERIAL FACTS:** Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, DISCLOSE KNOWN MATERIAL FACTS AND DEFECTS affecting the Property, including, but not limited to, known insurance claims within the past five years, or provide Buyer with permission to contact lender to get such information (C.A.R. Form ARC), and make any and all other disclosures required by Law.
- T. COMMERCIAL SELLER PROPERTY QUESTIONNAIRE:** If Seller is not providing a SPQ, Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, complete and provide Buyer with a Commercial Seller Property Questionnaire (C.A.R. Form CSPQ).
- U. SUBSEQUENT DISCLOSURES:** In the event Seller, prior to Close Of Escrow, becomes aware of adverse conditions materially affecting the Property, or any material inaccuracy in disclosures, information, or representations previously provided to Buyer, Seller shall promptly Deliver a subsequent or amended disclosure or notice, in writing, covering those items, if not already required under **paragraph 11B(1)(D)**. However, a subsequent or amended disclosure shall not be required for conditions and material inaccuracies of which Buyer is otherwise aware or which are disclosed in reports provided to or obtained by Buyer or ordered and paid for by Buyer.
- 12. TENANCY RELATED DISCLOSURES:** Within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, and subject to Buyer's right of review, Seller shall disclose, make available or Deliver, as applicable, to Buyer, the following information:
 - A. RENTAL/SERVICE AGREEMENTS:** **(i)** All current leases, rental agreements, service contracts, and other agreements pertaining to the operation of the Property; **(ii)** A rental statement including names of tenants, rental rates, period or rental, date of last rent increase, security deposits, rental concessions, rebates or other benefits, if any, and a list of delinquent rents and their duration. Seller represents that no tenant is entitled to any rebate, concession, or other benefit, except as set forth in these documents. Seller represents that the documents to be furnished are those maintained in the ordinary and normal course of business.
 - B. INCOME AND EXPENSE STATEMENTS:** If checked in **paragraph 3R**, the books and records for the Property, if any, including a statement of income and expense for the 12 months preceding Acceptance. Seller represents that the books and records are those maintained in the ordinary and normal course of business and used by Seller in the computation of federal and state income tax returns.



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C. TENANT ESTOPPEL CERTIFICATES: If checked in **paragraph 3R**, Tenant Estoppel Certificates (C.A.R. Form TEC). Tenant Estoppel Certificates shall be completed by Seller or Seller's agent and delivered to tenant(s) for tenant(s) to sign and acknowledge: **(i)** that tenant(s)' rental or lease agreements are unmodified and in full force and effect, (or if modified, stating all such modifications); **(ii)** that no lessor defaults exist; and **(iii)** stating the amount of any prepaid rent or security deposit. Seller shall exercise good faith to obtain tenant(s)' signature(s), but Seller cannot guarantee tenant(s)' cooperation. In the event Seller cannot obtain signed Tenant Estoppel Certificates within the time specified above, Seller shall notify Buyer and provide the unsigned one that was provided to tenant(s). If, after the time specified for Seller to Deliver the TEC to Buyer, any tenant(s) sign and return a TEC to Seller, Seller shall Deliver that TEC to Buyer.

D. SELLER REPRESENTATIONS: Unless otherwise disclosed under **paragraph 11, paragraph 12**, or under any disclosure Delivered to Buyer:

- (1) Seller represents that Seller has no actual knowledge that any tenant(s): **(i)** has any current pending lawsuit(s), investigation(s), Inquiry(ies), action(s), or other proceeding(s) affecting the Property of the right to use and occupy it; **(ii)** has any unsatisfied mechanics or materialman lien(s) affecting the Property; and **(iii)** is the subject of a bankruptcy. If Seller receives any such notice, prior to Close Of Escrow, Seller shall immediately notify Buyer.
- (2) Seller represents that no tenant is entitled to any rebate, concessions, or other benefit, except as set forth in the rental service agreements.
- (3) Seller represents that the documents to be furnished are those maintained in the ordinary and normal course of business and the income and expense statements are and used by Seller in the computation of federal and state income tax returns.

13. CHANGES DURING ESCROW:

- A.** Prior to Close Of Escrow, Seller may engage in the following acts ("Proposed Changes"), subject to Buyer's rights in **paragraph 13B**: **(i)** rent or lease any vacant unit or other part of the premises; **(ii)** alter, modify, or extend any existing rental or lease agreement; **(iii)** enter into, alter, modify, or extend any service contract(s); or **(iv)** change the status of the condition of the Property.
- B.** (1) At least **7 Days** prior to any Proposed Changes, Seller shall Deliver written notice to Buyer of such Proposed Change.
(2) Within **5 Days** after receipt of such notice, Buyer, in writing, may give Seller notice of Buyer's objection to the Proposed Changes in which case Seller shall not make the Proposed Changes.

14. SECURITY DEPOSITS AND UNEARNED RENT: Security deposits, if any, to the extent they have not been applied by Seller in accordance with any rental agreement and current Law, and all prepaid but unearned rents, if any, shall be transferred to Buyer on Close Of Escrow. Seller shall notify each tenant regarding the security deposit, in compliance with the California Civil Code.

15. BUYER'S INVESTIGATION OF PROPERTY AND MATTERS AFFECTING PROPERTY:

- A.** Buyer shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3L(3)**, have the right, at Buyer's expense unless Otherwise Agreed, to conduct inspections, investigations, tests, surveys and other studies ("Buyer Investigations").
- B.** Buyer Investigations include, but are not limited to:
 - (1) Inspections regarding any physical attributes of the Property or items connected to the Property, such as:
 - (A) A general home inspection.
 - (B) An inspection for lead-based paint and other lead-based paint hazards.
 - (C) An inspection specifically for wood destroying pests and organisms. Any inspection for wood destroying pests and organisms shall be prepared by a registered Structural Pest Control company; shall cover the main building and attached structures; may cover detached structures; shall NOT include water tests of shower pans on upper level units unless the owners of property below the shower consent; shall NOT include roof coverings; and, if the Property is a unit in a condominium or other common interest subdivision, the inspection shall include only the separate interest and any exclusive-use areas being transferred, and shall NOT include common areas; and shall include a report ("Pest Control Report") showing the findings of the company which shall be separated into sections for evident infestation or infections (Section 1) and for conditions likely to lead to infestation or infection (Section 2).
 - (D) Any other specific inspections of the physical condition of the land and improvements.
 - (2) Investigation of any other matter affecting the Property, other than those that are specified as separate contingencies. Buyer Investigations **do not include, among other things, an assessment of the availability and cost of general homeowner's insurance, flood insurance, and fire insurance.** See, Buyer's Investigation Advisory (C.A.R. Form BIA) for more.
- C.** Without Seller's prior written consent, Buyer shall neither make nor cause to be made: **(i)** invasive or destructive Buyer Investigations, except for minimally invasive testing required to prepare a Pest Control Report, which shall not include any holes or drilling through stucco or similar material; or **(ii)** inspections by any governmental building or zoning inspector or government employee, unless required by Law.
- D.** Seller shall make the Property available for all Buyer Investigations. Seller is not obligated to move any existing personal property. Seller shall have water, gas, electricity and all operable pilot lights on for Buyer's Investigations and through the date possession is delivered to Buyer. Buyer shall, **(i)** by the time specified in **paragraph 3L(3)**, complete Buyer Investigations and satisfy themselves as to the condition of the Property, and either remove the contingency or cancel this Agreement, and **(ii)** by the time specified in **paragraph 3L(3)** or **3 Days** after receipt of any Investigation report, whichever is later, give Seller at no cost, complete Copies of all such reports obtained by Buyer, which obligation shall survive the termination of this Agreement. This Delivery of Investigation reports shall not include any appraisal, except an appraisal received in connection with an FHA or VA loan.
- E. Buyer indemnity and Seller protection for entry upon the Property:** Buyer shall: **(i)** keep the Property free and clear of liens; **(ii)** repair all damage arising from Buyer Investigations; and **(iii)** indemnify and hold Seller harmless from all resulting liability, claims, demands, damages and costs. Buyer shall carry, or Buyer shall require anyone acting on Buyer's behalf to carry, policies of liability, workers' compensation and other applicable insurance, defending and protecting Seller from liability for any injuries to persons or property occurring during any Buyer Investigations or work done on the Property at Buyer's direction prior to Close Of Escrow. Seller is advised that certain protections may be afforded Seller by recording a "Notice of Non-Responsibility" (C.A.R. Form NNR) for Buyer Investigations and work done on the Property at Buyer's direction. Buyer's obligations under this paragraph shall survive the termination of this Agreement.

16. TITLE AND VESTING:

- A.** Buyer shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, be provided a current Preliminary Report by the person responsible for paying for the title report in **paragraph 3Q(10)**. If Buyer is responsible for paying, Buyer shall act diligently and in good faith to obtain such Preliminary Report within the time specified. The Preliminary Report is only an offer by the title insurer to issue a policy of title insurance and may not contain every item affecting title. The company providing the Preliminary Report shall, prior to issuing a Preliminary Report, conduct a search of the General Index for all Sellers except banks or other institutional lenders selling properties they acquired through foreclosure (REOs), corporations, and government entities.



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- B.** Title is taken in its present condition subject to all encumbrances, easements, covenants, conditions, restrictions, rights and other matters, whether of record or not, as of the date of Acceptance except for: **(i)** monetary liens of record unless Buyer is assuming those obligations or taking the Property subject to those obligations; and **(ii)** those matters which Seller has agreed to remove in writing. For any lien or matter not being transferred upon sale, Seller will take necessary action to deliver title free and clear of such lien or matter.
- C.** Seller shall within **7 Days** after request, give Escrow Holder necessary information to clear title.
- D.** Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, disclose to Buyer all matters known to Seller affecting title, whether of record or not.
- E.** If Buyer is a legal entity and the Property purchase price is at least \$300,000 and the purchase price is made without a bank loan or similar form of external financing, a Geographic Targeting Order (GTO) issued by the Financial Crimes Enforcement Network, U.S. Department of the Treasury, requires title companies to collect and report certain information about the Buyer, depending on where the Property is located. Buyer agrees to cooperate with the title company's effort to comply with the GTO.
- F.** Buyer shall, after Close Of Escrow, receive a recorded grant deed or any other conveyance document required to convey title (For example, for stock cooperative or tenancy in common, respectively, an assignment of stock certificate or assignment of seller's interest in the real property), including oil, mineral and water rights if currently owned by Seller. Title shall vest as designated in Buyer's vesting instructions. The recording document shall contain Buyer's post-closing mailing address to enable Buyer's receipt of the recorded conveyance document from the County Recorder. **THE MANNER OF TAKING TITLE MAY HAVE SIGNIFICANT LEGAL AND TAX CONSEQUENCES. CONSULT AN APPROPRIATE PROFESSIONAL.**
- G.** Buyer shall receive a Standard Coverage Owner's CLTA policy of title insurance. An ALTA policy or the addition of endorsements may provide greater coverage for Buyer. A title company, at Buyer's request, can provide information about the availability, desirability, coverage, and cost of various title insurance coverages and endorsements. If Buyer desires title coverage other than that required by this paragraph, Buyer shall instruct Escrow Holder in writing and shall pay any increase in cost.
- 17. TIME PERIODS; REMOVAL OF CONTINGENCIES; CANCELLATION RIGHTS: The following time periods may only be extended, altered, modified or changed by mutual written agreement. Any removal of contingencies or cancellation under this paragraph by either Buyer or Seller must be exercised in good faith and in writing (C.A.R. Form CR-B, CR-S or CC).**
- A. SELLER DELIVERY OF DOCUMENTS:** Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, Deliver to Buyer all reports, disclosures and information ("Reports") for which Seller is responsible as specified in **paragraphs 9B(6), 9B(8), 10, 11A, 11B, 11F, 11I-T, 12, 16A, 16D, and 35.**
- B. BUYER REVIEW OF DOCUMENTS; REPAIR REQUEST; CONTINGENCY REMOVAL OR CANCELLATION**
- (1) Buyer has the time specified in **paragraph 3** to: **(i)** perform Buyer Investigations; review all disclosures, Reports, lease documents to be assumed by Buyer pursuant to **paragraph 9B(6)**, and other applicable information, which Buyer receives from Seller; and approve all matters affecting the Property; and **(ii)** Deliver to Seller Signed Copies of Statutory and Other Disclosures Delivered by Seller in accordance with **paragraph 11.**
- (2) Buyer may, within the time specified in **paragraph 3L(3)**, request that Seller make repairs or take any other action regarding the Property (C.A.R. Form RR). Seller has no obligation to agree to or respond to Buyer's requests (C.A.R. Form RR or RRRR). If Seller does not agree or does not respond, Buyer is not contractually entitled to have the repairs or other requests made and may only cancel based on contingencies in this Agreement.
- (3) Buyer shall, by the end of the times specified in **paragraph 3L** (or as Otherwise Agreed), Deliver to Seller a removal of the applicable contingency or cancellation of this Agreement (C.A.R. Form CR-B or CC). **Buyer is advised not to remove contingencies related to review of documents until after the documents have been Delivered.** If Delivery of any Report occurs after a contractual contingency pertaining to that Report has already been waived or removed, the Delivery of the Report does not revive the contingency but there may be a right to terminate for a subsequent or amended disclosure under **paragraph 11E.**
- (4) **Continuation of Contingency:** Even after the end of the time specified in **paragraph 3L** and before Seller cancels, if at all, pursuant to **paragraph 17C**, Buyer retains the right, in writing, to either **(i)** remove remaining contingencies, or **(ii)** cancel this Agreement based on a remaining contingency. Once Buyer's written removal of all contingencies is Delivered to Seller, Seller may not cancel this Agreement pursuant to **paragraph 17C(1).**
- C. SELLER RIGHT TO CANCEL:**
- (1) **SELLER RIGHT TO CANCEL; BUYER CONTINGENCIES:** If, by the time specified in this Agreement, Buyer does not Deliver to Seller a removal of the applicable contingency or cancellation of this Agreement, then Seller, after first Delivering to Buyer a Notice to Buyer to Perform (C.A.R. Form NBP), may cancel this Agreement. In such event, Seller shall authorize the return of Buyer's deposit, except for fees incurred by Buyer.
- (2) **SELLER RIGHT TO CANCEL; BUYER CONTRACT OBLIGATIONS:** Seller, after first Delivering to Buyer a Notice to Buyer to Perform, may cancel this Agreement if, by the time specified in this Agreement, Buyer does not take the following action(s): **(i)** Deposit funds as required by **paragraph 3D(1)** or **3D(2)** or if the funds deposited pursuant to **paragraph 3D(1)** or **3D(2)** are not good when deposited; **(ii)** Deliver updated contact information for Buyer's lender(s) as required by **paragraph 5C(3)**; **(iii)** Deliver a notice of FHA or VA costs or terms, if any, as specified by **paragraph 5C(4)** (C.A.R. Form RR); **(iv)** Deliver verification, or a satisfactory verification if Seller reasonably disapproves of the verification already provided, as required by **paragraph 5B** or **6A**; **(v)** Deliver a letter as required by **paragraph 6B**; **(vi)** In writing assume or accept leases or liens specified in **paragraph 8H**; **(vii)** Return Statutory and Other Disclosures as required by **paragraph 11C**; **(viii)** Cooperate with the title company's effort to comply with the GTO as required by **paragraph 16E**; **(ix)** Sign or initial a separate liquidated damages form for an increased deposit as required by **paragraph 5A(2)** and **36**; **(x)** Provide evidence of authority to Sign in a representative capacity as specified in **paragraph 35**; or **(xi)** Perform any additional Buyer contractual obligation(s) included in this Agreement. In such event, Seller shall authorize the return of Buyer's deposit, except for fees allocated to Seller in this Agreement and already paid by Escrow prior to cancellation of this Agreement and notification to Escrow.
- (3) **SELLER RIGHT TO CANCEL; SELLER CONTINGENCIES:** Seller may cancel this Agreement by good faith exercise of any Seller contingency included in this Agreement, or Otherwise Agreed, so long as that contingency has not already been removed or waived in writing.
- D. BUYER RIGHT TO CANCEL:**
- (1) **BUYER RIGHT TO CANCEL; SELLER CONTINGENCIES:** If, by the time specified in this Agreement, Seller does not Deliver to Buyer a removal of the applicable contingency or cancellation of this Agreement, then Buyer, after first Delivering to Seller a Notice to Seller to Perform (C.A.R. Form NSP), may cancel this Agreement. In such event, Seller shall authorize the return of Buyer's deposit, except for fees allocated to Seller in the Agreement and already paid by Escrow prior to cancellation of this Agreement and notification to Escrow.

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- (2) **BUYER RIGHT TO CANCEL; SELLER CONTRACT OBLIGATIONS:** If, by the time specified, Seller has not Delivered any item specified in **paragraph 3N(1)** or Seller has not performed any Seller contractual obligation included in this Agreement by the time specified, Buyer, after first Delivering to Seller a Notice to Seller to Perform, may cancel this Agreement.
- (3) **BUYER RIGHT TO CANCEL; BUYER CONTINGENCIES:** Buyer may cancel this Agreement by good faith exercise of any Buyer contingency included in **paragraph 8**, or Otherwise Agreed, so long as that contingency has not already been removed in writing.
- E. NOTICE TO BUYER OR SELLER TO PERFORM:** The Notice to Buyer to Perform or Notice to Seller to Perform shall: **(i)** be in writing; **(ii)** be Signed by the applicable Buyer or Seller; and **(iii)** give the other Party at least **2 Days** after Delivery (or until the time specified in the applicable paragraph, whichever occurs last) to take the applicable action. A Notice to Buyer to Perform or Notice to Seller to Perform may not be Delivered any earlier than **2 Days** prior to the Scheduled Performance Day to remove a contingency or cancel this Agreement or meet an obligation specified in **paragraph 17**, **except for Close of Escrow which shall be Delivered under the terms of paragraph 17G**, whether or not the Scheduled Performance Day falls on a Saturday, Sunday or legal holiday. If a Notice to Buyer to Perform or Notice to Seller to Perform is incorrectly Delivered or specifies a time less than the agreed time, the notice shall be deemed invalid and void. **However, if the notice is for multiple items, the notice shall be valid for all contingencies and contractual actions for which the Delivery of the notice is within the time permitted in the Agreement and void as to the others.** Seller or Buyer shall be required to Deliver a new Notice to Buyer to Perform or Notice to Seller to Perform with the specified timeframe.
- F. EFFECT OF REMOVAL OF CONTINGENCIES:**
 - (1) **REMOVAL OF BUYER CONTINGENCIES:** If Buyer removes any contingency or cancellation rights, unless Otherwise Agreed, Buyer shall conclusively be deemed to have: **(i)** completed all Buyer Investigations, and review of Reports and other applicable information and disclosures pertaining to that contingency or cancellation right; **(ii)** elected to proceed with the transaction; and **(iii)** assumed all liability, responsibility and expense for the non-delivery of any Reports, disclosures or information outside of Seller's control and for any Repairs or corrections pertaining to that contingency or cancellation right, or for the inability to obtain financing.
 - (2) **REMOVAL OF SELLER CONTINGENCIES:** If Seller removes any contingency or cancellation rights, unless Otherwise Agreed, Seller shall conclusively be deemed to have: **(i)** satisfied themselves regarding such contingency, **(ii)** elected to proceed with the transaction; and **(iii)** given up any right to cancel this Agreement based on such contingency.
- G. DEMAND TO CLOSE ESCROW:** Before Buyer or Seller may cancel this Agreement for failure of the other Party to close escrow pursuant to this Agreement, Buyer or Seller must first Deliver to the other Party a Demand to Close Escrow (C.A.R. Form DCE). The DCE shall: **(i)** be Signed by the applicable Buyer or Seller; and **(ii)** give the other Party at least **3 Days** after Delivery to close escrow. A DCE may not be Delivered any earlier than **3 Days** prior to the Scheduled Performance Day for the Close Of Escrow. If a DCE is incorrectly Delivered or specifies a time less than the agreed time, the DCE shall be deemed invalid and void and Seller or Buyer shall be required to Deliver a new DCE.
- H. EFFECT OF CANCELLATION ON DEPOSITS:** If Buyer or Seller gives written notice of cancellation pursuant to rights duly exercised under the terms of this Agreement, the Parties agree to Sign and Deliver mutual instructions to cancel the sale and escrow and release deposits, if any, to the Party entitled to the funds, less **(i)** fees and costs paid by Escrow Holder on behalf of that Party, if required by this Agreement; and **(ii)** any escrow fee charged to that party. Fees and costs may be payable to service providers and vendors for services and products provided during escrow. **A release of funds will require mutual Signed release instructions from the Parties, judicial decision or arbitration award. A Party may be subject to a civil penalty of up to \$1,000 for refusal to Sign cancellation instructions if no good faith dispute exists as to which Party is entitled to the deposited funds (Civil Code § 1057.3). Note: Neither Agents nor Escrow Holder are qualified to provide any opinion on whether either Party has acted in good faith or which Party is entitled to the deposited funds. Buyer and Seller are advised to seek the advice of a qualified California real estate attorney regarding this matter.**
- 18. REPAIRS:** Repairs shall be completed prior to final verification of condition unless Otherwise Agreed. Repairs to be performed at Seller's expense may be performed by Seller or through others, provided that the work complies with applicable Law, including governmental permit, inspection and approval requirements. Repairs shall be performed in a good, skillful manner with materials of quality and appearance comparable to existing materials. Buyer acknowledges that exact restoration of appearance or cosmetic items following all Repairs may not be possible. Seller shall: **(i)** obtain invoices and paid receipts for Repairs performed by others; **(ii)** prepare a written statement indicating the Repairs performed by Seller and the date of such Repairs; and **(iii)** provide Copies of invoices and paid receipts and statements to Buyer prior to final verification of condition.
- 19. FINAL VERIFICATION OF CONDITION:** Buyer shall have the right to make a final verification of the Property condition within the time specified in **paragraph 3J**, NOT AS A CONTINGENCY OF THE SALE, but solely to confirm: **(i)** the Property is maintained pursuant to **paragraph 7B**; **(ii)** Repairs have been completed as agreed; and **(iii)** Seller has complied with Seller's other obligations under this Agreement (C.A.R. Form VP).
- 20. PRORATIONS OF PROPERTY TAXES AND OTHER ITEMS:** Unless Otherwise Agreed, the following items shall be PAID CURRENT and prorated between Buyer and Seller as of Close Of Escrow: real property taxes and assessments, interest, Seller rental payments, HOA regular assessments due prior to Close Of Escrow, premiums on insurance assumed by Buyer, payments on bonds and assessments assumed by Buyer, and payments on Mello-Roos and other Special Assessment District bonds and assessments that are now a lien. Seller shall pay any HOA special or emergency assessments due prior to Close Of Escrow. The following items shall be assumed by Buyer WITHOUT CREDIT toward the purchase price: prorated payments on Mello-Roos and other Special Assessment District bonds and assessments and HOA special or emergency assessments that are due after Close Of Escrow. Property will be reassessed upon change of ownership. Any supplemental tax bills delivered to Escrow Holder prior to closing shall be prorated and paid as follows: **(i)** for periods after Close Of Escrow, by Buyer; and **(ii)** for periods prior to Close Of Escrow, by Seller (see C.A.R. Form SPT or SBSA for further information). Seller agrees all service fees, maintenance costs and utility bills will be paid current up and through the date of Close Of Escrow. **TAX BILLS AND UTILITY BILLS ISSUED AFTER CLOSE OF ESCROW SHALL BE HANDLED DIRECTLY BETWEEN BUYER AND SELLER.** Prorations shall be made based on a 30-day month.
- 21. BROKERS AND AGENTS:**
 - A. COMPENSATION:** Seller or Buyer, or both, as applicable, agree to pay compensation to Broker as specified in a separate written agreement between Broker and that Seller or Buyer. Compensation is payable upon Close Of Escrow, or if escrow does not close, as otherwise specified in the agreement between Broker and that Seller or Buyer. If Seller agrees to pay **the obligation of Buyer to compensate Buyer's Broker** (see **paragraph 3G(3)**), Seller shall be entitled to a copy of the portion of the written compensation agreement between Buyer and Buyer's Broker identifying the compensation to be paid. See C.A.R. Form SPBB for further information.



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B. SCOPE OF DUTY: Buyer and Seller acknowledge and agree that Agent: **(i)** Does not decide what price Buyer should pay or Seller should accept; **(ii)** Does not guarantee the condition of the Property; **(iii)** Does not guarantee the performance, adequacy or completeness of inspections, services, products or repairs provided or made by Seller or others; **(iv)** Does not have an obligation to conduct an inspection of common areas or areas off the site of the Property; **(v)** Shall not be responsible for identifying defects on the Property, in common areas, or offsite unless such defects are visually observable by an inspection of reasonably accessible areas of the Property or are known to Agent; **(vi)** Shall not be responsible for inspecting public records or permits concerning the title or use of Property; **(vii)** Shall not be responsible for identifying the location of boundary lines or other items affecting title; **(viii)** Shall not be responsible for verifying square footage, representations of others or information contained in Investigation reports, Multiple Listing Service, advertisements, flyers or other promotional material; **(ix)** Shall not be responsible for determining the fair market value of the Property or any personal property included in the sale; **(x)** Shall not be responsible for providing legal or tax advice regarding any aspect of a transaction entered into by Buyer or Seller; and **(xi)** Shall not be responsible for providing other advice or information that exceeds the knowledge, education and experience required to perform real estate licensed activity. Buyer and Seller agree to seek legal, tax, insurance, title and other desired assistance from appropriate professionals.

C. BROKERAGE: Neither Buyer nor Seller has utilized the services of, or for any other reason owes compensation to, a licensed real estate broker (individual or corporate), agent, finder, or other entity, other than as specified in this Agreement, in connection with any act relating to the Property, including, but not limited to, inquiries, introductions, consultations, and negotiations leading to this Agreement. Buyer and Seller each agree to indemnify and hold the other, the Brokers specified herein and their agents, harmless from and against any costs, expenses or liability for compensation claimed inconsistent with the warranty and representation in this paragraph.

22. JOINT ESCROW INSTRUCTIONS TO ESCROW HOLDER:

A. The following paragraphs, or applicable portions thereof, of this Agreement constitute the joint escrow instructions of Buyer and Seller to Escrow Holder, which Escrow Holder is to use along with any related counter offers and addenda, and any additional mutual instructions to close the escrow: paragraphs 1, 3A, 3B, 3D-G, 3N(2), 3Q, 3S, 4A, 4B, 5A(1-2) 5D, 5E, 10B(2)(A), 10B(3), 10B(4)(B), 10C, 11E, 11H(2), 16 (except 16D), 17H, 20, 21A, 22, 26, 32, 34, 35, 39, 40, and paragraph 3 of the Real Estate Brokers Section. If a Copy of the separate compensation agreement(s) provided for in paragraph 21A or paragraph 3 of the Real Estate Brokers Section is deposited with Escrow Holder by Agent, Escrow Holder shall accept such agreement(s) and pay out from Buyer's or Seller's funds, or both, as applicable, the Broker's compensation provided for in such agreement(s). The terms and conditions of this Agreement not set forth in the specified paragraphs are additional matters for the information of Escrow Holder, but about which Escrow Holder need not be concerned.

B. Buyer and Seller will receive Escrow Holder's general provisions, if any, directly from Escrow Holder. To the extent the general provisions are inconsistent or conflict with this Agreement, the general provisions will control as to the duties and obligations of Escrow Holder only. Buyer and Seller shall Sign and return Escrow Holder's general provisions or supplemental instructions within the time specified in paragraph 3N(2). Buyer and Seller shall execute additional instructions, documents and forms provided by Escrow Holder that are reasonably necessary to close the escrow and, as directed by Escrow Holder, within 3 Days, shall pay to Escrow Holder or HOA or HOA management company or others any fee required by paragraphs 3, 8, 10, 11, or elsewhere in this Agreement.

C. A Copy of this Agreement including any counter offer(s) and addenda shall be delivered to Escrow Holder within 3 Days after Acceptance. Buyer and Seller authorize Escrow Holder to accept and rely on Copies and Signatures as defined in this Agreement as originals, to open escrow and for other purposes of escrow. The validity of this Agreement as between Buyer and Seller is not affected by whether or when Escrow Holder Signs this Agreement. Escrow Holder shall provide Seller's Statement of Information to Title Company when received from Seller, if a separate company is providing title insurance. If Seller delivers an affidavit to Escrow Holder to satisfy Seller's FIRPTA obligation under paragraph 11E, Escrow Holder shall deliver to Buyer, Buyer's Agent, and Seller's Agent a Qualified Substitute statement that complies with federal Law. If Escrow Holder's Qualified Substitute statement does not comply with federal law, the Parties instruct escrow to withhold all applicable required amounts under paragraph 11E.

D. Agents are not a party to the escrow except for the sole purpose of receiving compensation pursuant to paragraph 21A and paragraph 3 of the Real Estate Brokers Section. If a Copy of the separate compensation agreement(s) provided for in either of those paragraphs is deposited with Escrow Holder by Agent, Escrow Holder shall accept such agreement(s) and pay out from Buyer's or Seller's funds, or both, as applicable, the Broker's compensation provided for in such agreement(s). Escrow Holder shall provide to Buyer and Seller, either jointly or separately, a closing statement or other written documentation showing the amount of compensation paid to, respectively, Buyer's Broker and Seller's Broker. Buyer and Seller irrevocably assign to Brokers compensation specified in paragraph 21A, and irrevocably instruct Escrow Holder to disburse those funds to Brokers at Close Of Escrow or pursuant to any other mutually executed cancellation agreement. Compensation instructions can be amended or revoked only with the written consent of Brokers. Buyer and Seller shall release and hold harmless Escrow Holder from any liability resulting from Escrow Holder's payment to Broker(s) of compensation pursuant to this Agreement.

E. Buyer and Seller acknowledge that Escrow Holder may require invoices for expenses under this Agreement. Buyer and Seller, upon request by Escrow Holder, within 3 Days or within a sufficient time to close escrow, whichever is sooner, shall provide any such invoices to Escrow Holder.

F. Upon receipt, Escrow Holder shall provide Buyer, Seller, and each Agent verification of Buyer's deposit of funds pursuant to paragraph 5A(1) and 5A(2). Once Escrow Holder becomes aware of any of the following, Escrow Holder shall immediately notify each Agent: (i) if Buyer's initial or any additional deposit or down payment is not made pursuant to this Agreement, or is not good at time of deposit with Escrow Holder; or (ii) if Buyer and Seller instruct Escrow Holder to cancel escrow.

G. A Copy of any amendment that affects any paragraph of this Agreement for which Escrow Holder is responsible shall be delivered to Escrow Holder within 3 Days after mutual execution of the amendment.

23. SELECTION OF SERVICE PROVIDERS: Agents do not guarantee the performance of any vendors, service or product providers ("Providers"), whether referred by Agent or selected by Buyer, Seller or other person. Buyer and Seller may select ANY Providers of their own choosing.

24. MULTIPLE LISTING SERVICE ("MLS"): Agents are authorized to report to the MLS that an offer has been accepted and, upon Close Of Escrow, the sales price and other terms of this transaction shall be provided to the MLS to be published and disseminated to persons and entities authorized to use the information on terms approved by the MLS. Buyer acknowledges that: **(i)** any pictures, videos, floor plans (collectively, "Images") or other information about the Property that has been or will be inputted into the MLS or internet portals, or both, at the instruction of Seller or in compliance with MLS rules, will not be removed after Close Of Escrow; **(ii)** California Civil Code § 1088(c) requires the MLS to maintain such Images and information for at least three years and as a result they may be displayed or circulated on the Internet, which cannot be controlled or removed by Seller or Agents; and **(iii)** Seller, Seller's Agent, Buyer's Agent, and MLS have no obligation or ability to remove such Images or information from the Internet.



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- 25. **ATTORNEY FEES AND COSTS:** In any action, proceeding, or arbitration between Buyer and Seller arising out of this Agreement, the prevailing Buyer or Seller shall be entitled to reasonable attorney fees and costs from the non-prevailing Buyer or Seller, except as provided in **paragraph 37A**.
- 26. **ASSIGNMENT/NOMINATION:** Buyer shall have the right to assign all of Buyer's interest in this Agreement to Buyer's own trust or to any wholly owned entity of Buyer that is in existence at the time of such assignment. Otherwise, Buyer shall not assign all or any part of Buyer's interest in this Agreement without first having obtained the separate written consent of Seller to a specified assignee. Such consent shall not be unreasonably withheld. Prior to any assignment, Buyer shall disclose to Seller the name of the assignee and the amount of any monetary consideration between Buyer and assignee. Buyer shall provide assignee with all documents related to this Agreement including, but not limited to, the Agreement and any disclosures. If assignee is a wholly owned entity or trust of Buyer, that assignee does not need to re-sign or initial all documents provided. Whether or not an assignment requires seller's consent, at the time of assignment, assignee shall deliver a letter from assignee's lender that assignee is prequalified or preapproved as specified in **paragraph 6B**. Should assignee fail to deliver such a letter, Seller, after first giving Assignee an Notice to Buyer to Perform, shall have the right to terminate the assignment. Buyer shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3K**, Deliver any request to assign this Agreement for Seller's consent. If Buyer fails to provide the required information within this time frame, Seller's withholding of consent shall be deemed reasonable. Any total or partial assignment shall not relieve Buyer of Buyer's obligations pursuant to this Agreement unless Otherwise Agreed by Seller (C.A.R. Form AOAA). Parties shall provide any assignment agreement to Escrow Holder within 1 Day after the assignment. Any nomination by Buyer shall be subject to the same procedures, requirements, and terms as an assignment as specified in this paragraph.
- 27. **SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS:** This Agreement shall be binding upon, and inure to the benefit of, Buyer and Seller and their respective successors and assigns, except as otherwise provided herein.
- 28. **ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARD CONSULTATION:** Buyer and Seller acknowledge: (i) Federal, state, and local legislation impose liability upon existing and former owners and users of real property, in applicable situations, for certain legislatively defined, environmentally hazardous substances; (ii) Agent(s) has/have made no representation concerning the applicability of any such Law to this transaction or to Buyer or to Seller, except as otherwise indicated in this Agreement; (iii) Agent(s) has/have made no representation concerning the existence, testing, discovery, location, and evaluation of/for, and risks posed by, environmentally hazardous substances, if any, located on or potentially affecting the Property; and (iv) Buyer and Seller are each advised to consult with technical and legal experts concerning the existence, testing, discover, location and evaluation of/for, and risks posed by, environmentally hazardous substances, in any, located on or potentially affecting the Property.
- 29. **AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT:** The Americans With Disabilities Act ("ADA") prohibits discrimination against individuals with disabilities. The ADA affects almost all commercial facilities and public accommodations. Residential properties are not typically covered by the ADA, but may be governed by its provisions if used for certain purposes. The ADA can require, among other things, that building be made readily accessible to the disabled. Different requirements apply to new construction, alterations to existing buildings, and removal of barriers in existing buildings. Compliance with the ADA may require significant costs. Monetary and injunctive remedies may be incurred if the Property is not in compliance. A real estate broker or agent does not have the technical expertise to determine whether a building is in compliance with ADA requirements, or to advise a principal on those requirements. Buyer and Seller are advised to contact a qualified California real estate attorney, contractor, architect, engineer, or other qualified professional of Buyer or Seller's own choosing to determine to what degree, if any, the ADA impacts that principal or this transaction.
- 30. **EQUAL HOUSING OPPORTUNITY:** The Property is sold in compliance with federal, state and local anti-discrimination Laws.
- 31. **COPIES:** Seller and buyer each represent that Copies of all reports, certificates, approvals, and other documents that are furnished to the other are true, correct, and unaltered Copies of the original documents, if the originals are in the possession of the furnishing party.
- 32. **DEFINITIONS and INSTRUCTIONS:** The following words are defined terms in this Agreement, shall be indicated by initial capital letters throughout this Agreement, and have the following meaning whenever used:
 - A. **"Acceptance"** means the time the offer or final counter offer is fully executed, in writing, by the recipient Party and is Delivered to the offering Party or that Party's Authorized Agent.
 - B. **"Agent"** means the Broker, salesperson, broker-associate or any other real estate licensee licensed under the brokerage firm identified in **paragraph 2B**.
 - C. **"Agreement"** means this document and any counter offers and any incorporated addenda or amendments, collectively forming the binding agreement between the Parties. Addenda and amendments are incorporated only when Signed and Delivered by all Parties.
 - D. **"As-Is"** condition: Seller shall disclose known material facts and defects as specified in this Agreement. Buyer has the right to inspect the Property and, within the time specified, request that Seller make repairs or take other corrective action, or exercise any contingency cancellation rights in this Agreement. Seller is only required to make repairs specified in this Agreement or as Otherwise Agreed.
 - E. **"Authorized Agent"** means an individual real estate licensee specified in the Real Estate Broker Section.
 - F. **"C.A.R. Form"** means the most current version of the specific form referenced or another comparable form agreed to by the Parties.
 - G. **"Close Of Escrow"**, including "COE", means the date the grant deed, or other evidence of transfer of title, is recorded for any real property, or the date of Delivery of a document evidencing the transfer of title for any non-real property transaction.
 - H. **"Copy"** means copy by any means including photocopy, facsimile and electronic.
 - I. **Counting Days** is done as follows unless Otherwise Agreed: (1) The first Day after an event is the first full calendar date following the event, and ending at 11:59 pm. For example, if a Notice to Buyer to Perform (C.A.R. form NBP) is Delivered at 3 pm on the 7th calendar day of the month, or Acceptance of a counter offer is personally received at 12 noon on the 7th calendar day of the month, then the 7th is Day "0" for purposes of counting days to respond to the NBP or calculating the Close Of Escrow date or contingency removal dates and the 8th of the month is Day 1 for those same purposes. (2) All calendar days are counted in establishing the first Day after an event. (3) All calendar days are counted in determining the date upon which performance must be completed, ending at 11:59 pm on the last day for performance ("Scheduled Performance Day"). (4) After Acceptance, if the Scheduled Performance Day for any act required by this Agreement, including Close Of Escrow, lands on a Saturday, Sunday, or Legal Holiday, the performing party shall be allowed to perform on the next day that is not a Saturday, Sunday or Legal Holiday ("Allowable Performance Day"), and ending at 11:59 pm. "Legal Holiday" shall mean any holiday or optional bank holiday under Civil Code §§ 7 and 7.1 and any holiday under Government Code § 6700. (5) For the purposes of COE, any day that the Recorder's office in the County where the Property is located is closed or any day that the lender or Escrow Holder under this Agreement is closed, the COE shall occur on the next day the Recorder's office in that County, the lender, and the Escrow Holder are open. (6) COE is considered Day 0 for purposes of counting days Seller is allowed to remain in possession, if permitted by this Agreement.
 - J. **"Day"** or "Days" means calendar day or days. However, delivery of deposit to escrow is based on business days.



Property Address: _____

Date: _____

- K. **“Deliver”, “Delivered” or “Delivery”** of documents, unless Otherwise Agreed, means and shall be effective upon personal receipt of the document by Buyer or Seller or their Authorized Agent. Personal receipt means (i) a Copy of the document, or as applicable, link to the document, is in the possession of the Party or Authorized Agent, regardless of the Delivery method used (i.e. e-mail, text, other), or (ii) an Electronic Copy of the document, or as applicable, link to the document, has been sent to the designated electronic delivery address specified in the Real Estate Broker Section, **unless Otherwise Agreed in C.A.R. Form DEDA**. A document, or as applicable link to a document, shall be deemed to be **“in possession”** if it located in the in-box for the applicable Party or Authorized Agent. After Acceptance, Agent may change the designated electronic delivery address for that Agent by, in writing, Delivering notice of the change in designated electronic delivery address to the other Party (C.A.R. Form DEDA). Links could be, for example, to DropBox or GoogleDrive or other functionally equivalent program. If the recipient of a link is unable or unwilling to open the link or download the documents or otherwise prefers Delivery of the documents directly, Recipient of a link shall notify the sender in writing, within **3 Days** after Delivery of the link (C.A.R. Form RFR). In such case, Delivery shall be effective upon Delivery of the documents and not the link. Failure to notify sender within the time specified above shall be deemed consent to receive, and Buyer opening, the document by link.
 - L. **“Electronic Copy” or “Electronic Signature”** means, as applicable, an electronic copy or signature complying with California Law. Unless Otherwise Agreed, Buyer and Seller agreed to the use of Electronic Signatures. Buyer and Seller agree that electronic means will not be used by either Party to modify or alter the content or integrity of this Agreement without the knowledge and consent of the other Party.
 - M. **“Law”** means any law, code, statute, ordinance, regulation, rule or order, which is adopted by a controlling city, county, state or federal legislative, judicial or executive body or agency.
 - N. **“Legally Authorized Signer”** means an individual who has authority to Sign for the principal as specified in **paragraph 39 or paragraph 40**.
 - O. **“Otherwise Agreed”** means an agreement in writing, signed by both Parties and Delivered to each.
 - P. **“Repairs”** means any repairs (including pest control), alterations, replacements, modifications or retrofitting of the Property provided for under this Agreement.
 - Q. **“Sign” or “Signed”** means either a handwritten or Electronic Signature on an original document, Copy or any counterpart.
33. **TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF OFFER:** This is an offer to purchase the Property on the terms and conditions herein. The individual Liquidated Damages and Arbitration of Disputes paragraphs are incorporated in this Agreement if initiated by all Parties or if incorporated by mutual agreement in a Counter Offer or addendum. **If at least one but not all Parties initial, a Counter Offer is required until agreement is reached.** Seller has the right to continue to offer the Property for sale and to accept any other offer at any time prior to notification of Acceptance and to market the Property for backup offers after Acceptance. The Parties have read and acknowledge receipt of a Copy of the offer and agree to the confirmation of agency relationships. If this offer is accepted and Buyer subsequently defaults, Buyer may be responsible for payment of Brokers’ compensation. This Agreement and any supplement, addendum or modification, including any Copy, may be Signed in two or more counterparts, all of which shall constitute one and the same writing. By signing this offer or any document in the transaction, the Party Signing the document is deemed to have read the document in its entirety.
34. **TIME OF ESSENCE; ENTIRE CONTRACT; CHANGES:** Time is of the essence. All understandings between the Parties are incorporated in this Agreement. Its terms are intended by the Parties as a final, complete and exclusive expression of their Agreement with respect to its subject matter and may not be contradicted by evidence of any prior agreement or contemporaneous oral agreement. If any provision of this Agreement is held to be ineffective or invalid, the remaining provisions will nevertheless be given full force and effect. Except as Otherwise Agreed, this Agreement shall be interpreted, and disputes shall be resolved in accordance with the Laws of the State of California. **Neither this Agreement nor any provision in it may be extended, amended, modified, altered or changed, except in writing Signed by Buyer and Seller.**
35. **LEGALLY AUTHORIZED SIGNER:** Wherever the signature or initials of the Legally Authorized Signer identified in **paragraph 39 or 40** appear on this Agreement or any related documents, it shall be deemed to be in a representative capacity for the entity described and not in an individual capacity, unless otherwise indicated. The Legally Authorized Signer (i) represents that the entity for which that person is acting already exists and is in good standing to do business in California and (ii) shall Deliver to the other Party and Escrow Holder, as specified in **paragraph 3N(5)**, evidence of authority to act in that capacity (such as but not limited to: applicable portion of the trust or Certification Of Trust (Probate Code § 18100.5), letters testamentary, court order, power of attorney, corporate resolution, or formation documents of the business entity).

36. LIQUIDATED DAMAGES:

If Buyer fails to complete this purchase because of Buyer’s default, Seller shall retain, as liquidated damages, the deposit actually paid. If the Property is a dwelling with no more than four units, one of which Buyer intends to occupy, then the amount retained shall be no more than 3% of the purchase price. Any excess shall be returned to Buyer. Release of funds will require mutual, Signed release instructions from both Buyer and Seller, judicial decision or arbitration award. AT THE TIME OF ANY INCREASED DEPOSIT BUYER AND SELLER SHALL SIGN A SEPARATE LIQUIDATED DAMAGES PROVISION INCORPORATING THE INCREASED DEPOSIT AS LIQUIDATED DAMAGES (C.A.R. FORM DID).

Buyer’s Initials _____ / _____

Seller’s Initials _____ / _____



37. MEDIATION:

- A.** The Parties agree to mediate any dispute or claim arising between them out of this Agreement, or any resulting transaction, before resorting to arbitration or court action. The mediation shall be conducted through the C.A.R. Real Estate Mediation Center for Consumers (www.consumermediation.org) or through any other mediation provider or service mutually agreed to by the Parties. The Parties **also agree to mediate any disputes or claims with Agents(s), who, in writing, agree to such mediation prior to, or within a reasonable time after, the dispute or claim is presented to the Agent.** Mediation fees, if any, shall be divided equally among the Parties involved, and shall be recoverable under the prevailing party attorney fees clause. If, for any dispute or claim to which this paragraph applies, any Party (i) commences an action without first attempting to resolve the matter through mediation, or (ii) before commencement of an action, refuses to mediate after a request has been made, then that Party shall not be entitled to recover attorney fees, even if they would otherwise be available to that Party in any such action. THIS MEDIATION PROVISION APPLIES WHETHER OR NOT THE ARBITRATION PROVISION IS INITIALED.
- B. ADDITIONAL MEDIATION TERMS:** (i) Exclusions from this mediation agreement are specified in paragraph 37D; (ii) The obligation to mediate does not preclude the right of either Party to seek a preservation of rights under paragraph 37E; and (iii) Agent's rights and obligations are further specified in paragraph 37F. These terms apply even if the Arbitration of Disputes paragraph is not initialed.
- C. ARBITRATION OF DISPUTES:** The Parties agree that any dispute or claim in Law or equity arising between them out of this Agreement or any resulting transaction, which is not settled through mediation, shall be decided by neutral, binding arbitration. The Parties also agree to arbitrate any disputes or claims with Agents(s), who, in writing, agree to such arbitration prior to, or within a reasonable time after, the dispute or claim is presented to the Agent. The arbitration shall be conducted through any arbitration provider or service mutually agreed to by the Parties. The arbitrator shall be a retired judge or justice, or an attorney with at least 5 years of residential real estate Law experience, unless the Parties mutually agree to a different arbitrator. Enforcement of, and any motion to compel arbitration pursuant to, this agreement to arbitrate shall be governed by the procedural rules of the Federal Arbitration Act, and not the California Arbitration Act, notwithstanding any language seemingly to the contrary in this Agreement. The Parties shall have the right to discovery in accordance with Code of Civil Procedure § 1283.05. The arbitration shall be conducted in accordance with Title 9 of Part 3 of the Code of Civil Procedure. Judgment upon the award of the arbitrator(s) may be entered into any court having jurisdiction.
- D. EXCLUSIONS:** The following matters are excluded from mediation and arbitration: (i) Any matter that is within the jurisdiction of a probate, small claims or bankruptcy court; (ii) an unlawful detainer action; and (iii) a judicial or non-judicial foreclosure or other action or proceeding to enforce a deed of trust, mortgage or installment land sale contract as defined in Civil Code § 2985.
- E. PRESERVATION OF ACTIONS:** The following shall not constitute a waiver nor violation of the mediation and arbitration provisions: (i) the filing of a court action to preserve a statute of limitations; (ii) the filing of a court action to enable the recording of a notice of pending action, for order of attachment, receivership, injunction, or other provisional remedies, provided the filing party concurrent with, or immediately after such filing, makes a request to the court for a stay of litigation pending any applicable mediation or arbitration proceeding; or (iii) the filing of a mechanic's lien.
- F. AGENTS:** Agents shall not be obligated nor compelled to mediate or arbitrate unless they agree to do so in writing. Any Agents(s) participating in mediation or arbitration shall not be deemed a party to this Agreement.
- G. "NOTICE: BY INITIALING IN THE SPACE BELOW YOU ARE AGREEING TO HAVE ANY DISPUTE ARISING OUT OF THE MATTERS INCLUDED IN THE 'ARBITRATION OF DISPUTES' PROVISION DECIDED BY NEUTRAL ARBITRATION AS PROVIDED BY CALIFORNIA LAW AND YOU ARE GIVING UP ANY RIGHTS YOU MIGHT POSSESS TO HAVE THE DISPUTE LITIGATED IN A COURT OR JURY TRIAL. BY INITIALING IN THE SPACE BELOW YOU ARE GIVING UP YOUR JUDICIAL RIGHTS TO DISCOVERY AND APPEAL, UNLESS THOSE RIGHTS ARE SPECIFICALLY INCLUDED IN THE 'ARBITRATION OF DISPUTES' PROVISION. IF YOU REFUSE TO SUBMIT TO ARBITRATION AFTER AGREEING TO THIS PROVISION, YOU MAY BE COMPELLED TO ARBITRATE UNDER THE AUTHORITY OF THE CALIFORNIA CODE OF CIVIL PROCEDURE. YOUR AGREEMENT TO THIS ARBITRATION PROVISION IS VOLUNTARY."**

"WE HAVE READ AND UNDERSTAND THE FOREGOING AND AGREE TO SUBMIT DISPUTES ARISING OUT OF THE MATTERS INCLUDED IN THE 'ARBITRATION OF DISPUTES' PROVISION TO NEUTRAL ARBITRATION."

Buyer's Initials _____ / _____

Seller's Initials _____ / _____

38. FAIR APPRAISAL ACT NOTICE:

- A.** Any appraisal of the property is required to be unbiased, objective, and not influenced by improper or illegal considerations, including, but not limited to, any of the following: race, color, religion (including religious dress, grooming practices, or both), gender (including, but not limited to, pregnancy, childbirth, breastfeeding, and related conditions, and gender identity and gender expression), sexual orientation, marital status, medical condition, military or veteran status, national origin (including language use and possession of a driver's license issued to persons unable to provide their presence in the United States is authorized under federal law), source of income, ancestry, disability (mental and physical, including, but not limited to, HIV/AIDS status, cancer diagnosis, and genetic characteristics), genetic information, or age.
- B.** If a buyer or seller believes that the appraisal has been influenced by any of the above factors, the seller or buyer can report this information to the lender or mortgage broker that retained the appraiser and may also file a complaint with the Bureau of Real Estate Appraisers at <https://www2.brea.ca.gov/complaint/> or call (916) 552-9000 for further information on how to file a complaint.



Property Address: _____ Date: _____

39. OFFER

- A. EXPIRATION OF OFFER:** This offer shall be deemed revoked and the deposit, if any, shall be returned to Buyer unless by the date and time specified in **paragraph 3C**, the offer is Signed by Seller and a Copy of the Signed offer is Delivered to Buyer or Buyer's Authorized Agent. **Seller has no obligation to respond to an offer made.**
- B. ENTITY BUYERS:** (Note: If this paragraph is completed, a Representative Capacity Signature Disclosure (C.A.R. Form RCSD) is not required for the Legally Authorized Signers designated below.)
 - (1) One or more Buyers is a trust, corporation, LLC, probate estate, partnership, holding a power of attorney or other entity:
 - (2) This Agreement is being Signed by a Legally Authorized Signer in a representative capacity and not in an individual capacity. See **paragraph 35** for additional terms.
 - (3) The name(s) of the Legally Authorized Signer(s) is/are: _____
 - (4) **A.** If a trust, identify **Buyer** as trustee(s) of the trust or by simplified trust name (ex. John Doe, co-trustee, Jane Doe, co-trustee or Doe Revocable Family Trust).
 - B.** If Property is sold under the jurisdiction of a probate court, identify Buyer as executor or administrator, or by a simplified probate name (John Doe, executor, or Estate (or Conservatorship) of John Doe).
 - (5) If the entity is a trust or under probate, the following is the full name of the trust or probate case, including case #: _____

C. The RIPA has 18 pages. Buyer acknowledges receipt of, and has read and understands, every page and all attachments that make up the Agreement.

D. BUYER SIGNATURE(S):

(Signature) By, _____ Date: _____
 Printed name of BUYER: _____
 Printed Name of Legally Authorized Signer: _____ Title, if applicable, _____

(Signature) By, _____ Date: _____
 Printed name of BUYER: _____
 Printed Name of Legally Authorized Signer: _____ Title, if applicable, _____

IF MORE THAN TWO SIGNERS, USE Additional Signature Addendum (C.A.R. Form ASA).

40. ACCEPTANCE

A. ACCEPTANCE OF OFFER: Seller warrants that Seller is the owner of the Property or has the authority to execute this Agreement. Seller accepts the above offer and agrees to sell the Property on the above terms and conditions. Seller has read and acknowledges receipt of a Copy of this Agreement and authorizes Agent to Deliver a Signed Copy to Buyer.

Seller's acceptance is subject to the attached Counter Offer or Back-Up Offer Addendum, or both, checked below. Seller shall return and include the entire agreement with any response.

- Seller Counter Offer** (C.A.R. Form SCO or SMCO)
- Back-Up Offer Addendum** (C.A.R. Form BUO)

- B. ENTITY SELLERS:** (Note: If this paragraph is completed, a Representative Capacity Signature Disclosure form (C.A.R. Form RCSD) is not required for the Legally Authorized Signers designated below.)
 - (1) One or more Sellers is a trust, corporation, LLC, probate estate, partnership, holding a power of attorney or other entity.
 - (2) This Agreement is being Signed by a Legally Authorized Signer in a representative capacity and not in an individual capacity. See **paragraph 35** for additional terms.
 - (3) The name(s) of the Legally Authorized Signer(s) is/are: _____
 - (4) **A.** If a trust, identify Seller as trustee(s) of the trust or by simplified trust name (ex. John Doe, co-trustee, Jane Doe, co-trustee or Doe Revocable Family Trust).
 - B.** If Property is sold under the jurisdiction of a probate court, identify Seller as executor or administrator, or by a simplified probate name (John Doe, executor, or Estate (or Conservatorship) of John Doe).
 - (5) If the entity is a trust or under probate, the following is the full name of the trust or probate case, including case #: _____

C. The RIPA has 18 pages. Seller acknowledges receipt of, and has read and understands, every page and all attachments that make up the Agreement.

SELLER SIGNATURE(S):

(Signature) By, _____ Date: _____
 Printed name of SELLER: _____
 Printed Name of Legally Authorized Signer: _____ Title, if applicable, _____

(Signature) By, _____ Date: _____
 Printed name of SELLER: _____
 Printed Name of Legally Authorized Signer: _____ Title, if applicable, _____

Additional Signature Addendum attached (C.A.R. Form ASA)

OFFER NOT ACCEPTED: _____/_____/_____ No Counter Offer is being made. This offer was not accepted by Seller _____ (date)
 Seller's Initials



REAL ESTATE BROKERS SECTION:

1. **Real Estate Agents are not parties to the Agreement between Buyer and Seller.**
2. **Agency relationships are confirmed as stated in paragraph 2.**
3. **Cooperating Broker Compensation:** Seller's Broker agrees to pay Buyer's Broker and Buyer's Broker agrees to accept, out of Seller's Broker's proceeds in escrow, the **compensation** specified in a separate written agreement (C.A.R. Form CBC). **Each Broker agrees to disclose to their Seller or Buyer client the amount in the CBC.** Declaration of License and Tax (C.A.R. Form DLT) may be used to document that tax reporting will be required or that an exemption exists.
4. **Presentation of Offer:** Pursuant to the National Association of REALTORS® Standard of Practice 1-7, if Buyer's Agent makes a written request, Seller's Agent shall confirm in writing that this offer has been presented to Seller.
5. **Agents' Signatures and designated electronic delivery address:**

A. Buyer's Brokerage Firm _____ Lic. # _____
 By _____ Lic. # _____ Date _____
 By _____ Lic. # _____ Date _____
 Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____
 Email _____ Phone # _____

- More than one agent from the same firm represents Buyer. Additional Agent Acknowledgement (C.A.R. Form AAA) attached.
- More than one brokerage firm represents Buyer. Additional Broker Acknowledgement (C.A.R. Form ABA) attached.

Designated Electronic Delivery Address(es): Email above or _____

Attached DEDA: If Parties elect to have an alternative Delivery method, such method may be indicated on C.A.R. Form DEDA.

B. Seller's Brokerage Firm _____ Lic. # _____
 By _____ Lic. # _____ Date _____
 By _____ Lic. # _____ Date _____
 Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____
 Email _____ Phone # _____

- More than one agent from the same firm represents Seller. Additional Agent Acknowledgement (C.A.R. Form AAA) attached.
- More than one brokerage firm represents Seller. Additional Broker Acknowledgement (C.A.R. Form ABA) attached.

Designated If Parties elect to have an alternative Delivery method, such method may be indicated on DEDA.

Electronic Delivery Address(es) (To be filled out by Seller's Agent): Email above or _____

Attached DEDA: If Parties elect to have an alternative Delivery method, such method may be indicated on C.A.R. Form DEDA.

ESCROW HOLDER ACKNOWLEDGMENT:

Escrow Holder acknowledges receipt of a Copy of this Agreement, (if checked, a deposit in the amount of \$ _____), Counter Offer numbers _____ and _____, and agrees to act as Escrow Holder subject to **paragraph 22** of this Agreement, any supplemental escrow instructions and the terms of Escrow Holder's general provisions.

Escrow Holder is advised by _____ that the date of Acceptance of the Agreement is _____

Escrow Holder _____ Escrow # _____

By _____ Date _____

Address _____

Phone/Fax/E-mail _____

Escrow Holder has the following license number # _____

Department of Financial Protection and Innovation, Department of Insurance, Department of Real Estate.

PRESENTATION OF OFFER: _____ / _____ Seller's Brokerage Firm presented this offer to Seller on _____ (date).
 Broker or Designee Initials

Buyer's Initials _____ / _____ Seller's Initials _____ / _____

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RESIDENTIAL LEASE AFTER SALE
Seller in Possession After Close of Escrow
(Intended for possession of 30 or more days)
(C.A.R. Form RLAS, Revised 6/24)

Date: _____, _____ ("Seller/Tenant")
and _____ ("Buyer/Housing Provider")
have entered into a purchase agreement for the real property described below. Close of escrow for the purchase agreement is scheduled to occur on (date) _____ Buyer, as Housing Provider, and Seller, as Tenant, agree as follows ("Agreement"):

- 1. PROPERTY:
A. Housing Provider rents to Tenant and Tenant rents from Housing Provider, the real property and improvements described as: _____ ("Premises").
B. The Premises are for the sole use as a personal residence by the following named person(s) only: _____

Any person in the Premises, other than those listed in this paragraph are considered guests. Guests are not permitted to stay more than 14 (or [] _____) days without Housing Provider's written consent.

- C. The personal property listed in the purchase agreement, maintained pursuant to paragraph 11, is included.
2. TERM: The term begins on the day after escrow closes on the purchase and sale agreement ("Commencement Date"), and shall terminate _____ calendar days after Close Of Escrow (or [] on _____ (date)) at 6 PM (or [] _____ []AM/[]PM). Tenant shall vacate the Premises upon termination of this Agreement, unless (i) Housing Provider and Tenant have signed a new agreement, (ii) mandated by any rent increase cap or just cause eviction control under any state or local law, or (iii) Housing Provider accepts Rent from Tenant (other than past due Rent), in which case a month-to-month tenancy shall be created which either party may terminate pursuant to California Civil Code § 1946.1. Rent shall be at a rate agreed to by Housing Provider and Tenant, or as allowed by law. All other terms and conditions of this Agreement shall remain in full force and effect.
3. ESCROW PAYMENTS: (Check all that apply) [] Security deposit, [] First month's Rent, [] Rent for the entire lease term (if lease term is at least 6 months), [] Other _____, per escrow instructions, shall be paid out of Seller's proceeds from the escrow for the purchase of the Premises.
4. RENT: "Rent" shall mean all monetary obligations of Tenant to Housing Provider under the terms of this Agreement, except security deposit.

- A. Tenant agrees to pay, per month, \$ _____ for the term of the Agreement.
B. Rent is payable in advance on the 1st (or [] _____) day of each calendar month, and is delinquent on the next day.
C. If Commencement Date falls on any day other than the day Rent is payable under paragraph 4B and Tenant has paid one full month's Rent in advance of Commencement Date, Rent for the second calendar month shall be prorated based on a 30 day period.
D. PAYMENT:
(1) The Rent shall be paid by [] personal check, [] money order, [] cashier's check, [] through escrow (see paragraph 3), [] wire/electronic payment, or [] other _____. Payment via electronic apps such as PayPal or Venmo will not ([] will) be accepted.
(2) Rent shall be delivered to (name) _____ (whose phone number is) _____ at (address) _____ (or at any other location subsequently specified by Housing Provider in writing to Tenant) (and [] if checked, rent may be paid personally, between the hours of _____ and _____ on the following days _____).
(3) If any payment is returned for non-sufficient funds ("NSF") or because tenant stops payment, then, after that: (i) Housing Provider may, in writing, require Tenant to pay Rent in cash for three months and (ii) all future Rent shall be paid by [] money order, or [] cashier's check.
E. Rent payments received by Housing Provider shall be applied to the earliest amount(s) due or past due.

- 5. SECURITY DEPOSIT:
A. Tenant agrees to pay \$ _____ as a security deposit. The maximum amount of security deposit, however designated, cannot exceed one month's Rent unless an exception applies. If security deposit exceeds this amount, Buyer/Housing Provider and Seller/Tenant are advised to discuss with a qualified California real estate attorney. See Security Deposit Exception Disclosure and Addendum, C.A.R. Form SDDA, for additional information. Security deposit will be paid by [] personal check, [] money order, [] cashier check, [] through escrow (see paragraph 3), wire/electronic payment, or [] other _____. Security deposit will be [] transferred to and held by the Owner of the Premises, or [] held in Owner's Broker's trust account.
B. All or any portion of the security deposit may be used, as reasonably necessary, to: (i) cure Tenant's default in payment of Rent (which includes Late Charges, NSF fees, or other sums due); (ii) repair damage, excluding ordinary wear and tear, caused by Tenant or by a guest, invitee or licensee of Tenant; (iii) clean Premises, if necessary, upon termination of tenancy; and (iv) replace or return personal property or appurtenances. SECURITY DEPOSIT SHALL NOT BE USED BY TENANT IN LIEU OF PAYMENT OF LAST MONTH'S RENT. If all or any portion of the security deposit is used during tenancy, Tenant agrees to reinstate the total security deposit within 5 Days after written notice is delivered to Tenant. Within 21 Days after Tenant vacates the Premises, Housing Provider shall:
(1) Furnish Tenant an itemized statement indicating the amount of any security deposit received and the basis for its disposition and supporting documentation as required by California Civil Code § 1950.5(g); and
(2) Return any remaining portion of the security deposit to Tenant.
C. Security deposit will not be returned until all Tenants have vacated the Premises and all keys returned. Any security deposit returned by check shall be made out to all Tenants named on this Agreement, or as subsequently modified.
D. No interest will be paid on security deposit unless required by local law.



Premises: _____ Date: _____

E. If the security deposit is held by Owner, Tenant agrees not to hold Broker responsible for its return. If the security deposit is held in Owner's Broker's trust account, **and** Broker's authority is terminated before expiration of this Agreement, **and** security deposit is released to someone other than Tenant, **then** Broker shall notify Tenant, in writing, where and to whom security deposit has been released. Once Tenant has been provided such notice, Tenant agrees not to hold Broker responsible for the security deposit.

6. LATE CHARGE; RETURNED CHECKS:

A. Tenant acknowledges either late payment of Rent or issuance of a returned check (NSF) may cause Housing Provider to incur costs and expenses, the exact amounts of which are extremely difficult and impractical to determine. These costs may include, but are not limited to, processing, enforcement and accounting expenses, and late charges imposed on Housing Provider. If any installment of Rent due from Tenant is not received by Housing Provider within **5 (or _____) calendar days** after date due, or if a check is returned, Tenant shall pay to Housing Provider, respectively, an additional sum of \$ _____ or _____% of the Rent due as a Late Charge and \$25.00 as a NSF fee for the first returned check and \$35.00 as a NSF fee for each additional returned check, either or both of which shall be deemed additional Rent.

B. Housing Provider and Tenant agree that these charges represent a fair and reasonable estimate of the costs Housing Provider may incur by reason of Tenant's late or NSF payment. Any Late Charge or NSF fee due shall be paid with the current installment of Rent. Housing Provider's acceptance of any Late Charge or NSF fee shall not constitute a waiver as to any default or Tenant. Housing Provider's right to collect a Late Charge or NSF fee shall neither be deemed an extension of the date Rent is due under **paragraph 3** nor prevent Housing Provider from exercising any other rights and remedies under this Agreement and as provided by law.

7. PARKING: (Check A or B)

A. Parking is permitted as follows: _____

The right to parking is is not included in the Rent charged pursuant to **paragraph 4**. If not included in the Rent, the parking rental fee shall be an additional \$ _____ per month. Parking space(s) are to be used only for parking properly registered and operable motor vehicles, except for trailers, boats, campers, buses or trucks (other than pick-up trucks). Tenant shall park in assigned space(s) only. Parking space(s) are to be kept clean. Vehicles leaking oil, gas or other motor vehicle fluids shall not be parked on the Premises. Mechanical work, or storage of inoperable vehicles, or storage of any kind is not permitted in parking space(s) or elsewhere on the Premises except as specified in **paragraph 8**.

OR B. Parking is not permitted on the real property of which the Premises is a part.

8. STORAGE:

A. Storage is permitted as follows: _____

The right to separate storage is, is not, included in the Rent charged pursuant to **paragraph 4**. If not included in the Rent, storage space fee shall be an additional \$ _____ per month. Tenant shall store only personal property Tenant owns, and shall not store property claimed by another or in which another has any right, title or interest. Tenant shall not store any improperly packaged food or perishable goods, flammable materials, explosives, hazardous waste or other inherently dangerous material, or illegal substances.

OR B. Except for Tenant's personal property, contained entirely within the Premises, storage is not permitted on the Premises.

9. UTILITIES: Tenant agrees to pay for all utilities and services, and the following charges: _____

except _____, which shall be paid for by Housing Provider, or as agreed on a separate addendum. If any utilities are not separately metered, Tenant shall pay Tenant's proportional share, as reasonably determined and directed by Housing Provider. Housing Provider is only responsible for installing and maintaining one usable phone jack and one telephone line to the Premises.

A. Water Submeters: Water use on the Premises is measured by a submeter and Tenant will be separately billed for water usage based on the submeter. See attached Water Submeter Addendum (C.A.R. Form WSM) for additional terms.

B. Gas Meter: The Premises does not have a separate gas meter.

C. Electric Meter: The Premises does not have a separate electrical meter.

10. CONDITION OF PREMISES: Tenant has examined Premises and, if any, all furniture, furnishings, appliances, landscaping and fixtures, including smoke alarm(s) and carbon monoxide detector(s), that are owned by Housing Provider.

(Check all that apply:)

A. Tenant acknowledges that these items are in the condition disclosed and agreed to be delivered in the purchase agreement.

B. Tenant acknowledges these items are clean and in operable condition, with the following exceptions: _____

C. Tenant's acknowledgement of the condition of these items is contained in an attached statement of conditions (C.A.R. Form MII).

D. (i) Housing Provider will Deliver to Tenant a statement of condition (C.A.R. Form MII) within **3 Days** after execution of this Agreement; prior to the Commencement Date; within **3 Days** after the Commencement Date. (ii) Tenant shall complete and return the MII to Housing Provider within **3 (or _____) Days** after Delivery. Tenant's failure to return the MII within that time shall conclusively be deemed Tenant's Acknowledgement of the condition as stated in the MII.

E. Tenant will provide Housing Provider a list of items that are damaged or not in operable condition within **3 (or _____) Days** after Commencement Date, not as a contingency of this Agreement but rather as an acknowledgement of the condition of the Premises.

F. Other: _____

11. MAINTENANCE USE AND REPORTING:

A. Tenant shall properly use, operate and safeguard Premises, including if applicable, any landscaping, furniture, furnishings and appliances, and all mechanical, electrical, gas and plumbing fixtures, carbon monoxide detector(s) and smoke alarms, and keep them and the Premises clean, sanitary and well ventilated. Tenant shall be responsible for any additional phone lines beyond the one line and jack that Housing Provider shall provide and maintain. Tenant shall replace any burned out or malfunctioning light bulbs. Tenant shall immediately notify Housing Provider, in writing, of any problem, malfunction or damage with any item including carbon monoxide detector(s) and smoke alarms on the property. Tenant shall be charged for all repairs or replacements caused by Tenant, pets, guests or licensees of Tenant, excluding ordinary wear and tear. Tenant shall be charged for all damage to Premises as a result of failure to report a problem in a timely manner. Tenant shall be charged for repair of drain blockages or stoppages, unless caused by defective plumbing parts or tree roots invading sewer lines.



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- B. Housing Provider Tenant HOA shall water the garden, landscaping, trees and shrubs, except: _____
- C. Housing Provider Tenant HOA shall maintain the garden, landscaping, trees and shrubs, except: _____
- D. Housing Provider Tenant shall maintain: _____
- E. Housing Provider and Tenant agree that State or local water use restrictions shall supersede any obligation of Housing Provider or Tenant to water or maintain any garden, landscaping, trees or shrubs pursuant to **paragraphs 11B, 11C and 11D.**
- F. Tenant's failure to maintain any item for which Tenant is responsible shall give Housing Provider the right to hire someone to perform such maintenance and charge Tenant to cover the cost of such maintenance.
- G. Personal property belonging to Seller at the Close of Escrow of the purchase of the Premises, and the following items, are included in the Premises without warranty and Housing Provider will not maintain, repair or replace them: _____
- H. Tenant understands that if Premises is located in a Common Interest Development, Housing Provider may not have authority or control over certain parts of the Premises such as roof, electrical, gas or plumbing features inside certain walls, and common areas such as shared parking structure or garage.
- I. Tenant shall not use the premises to plant, grow, cultivate or sell marijuana, except: _____

12. NEIGHBORHOOD CONDITIONS: Tenant is advised to satisfy himself or herself as to neighborhood or area conditions, including, but not limited to, schools, proximity and adequacy of law enforcement, crime statistics, proximity of registered felons or offenders, fire protection, other governmental services, availability, adequacy and cost of any wired, wireless internet connections or other telecommunications or other technology services and installations, proximity to commercial, industrial or agricultural activities, existing and proposed transportation, construction and development that may affect noise, view, or traffic, airport noise, noise or odor from any source, wild and domestic animals, other nuisances, hazards, or circumstances, cemeteries, facilities and condition of common areas, conditions and influences of significance to certain cultures and/or religions, and personal needs, requirements and preferences of Tenant.

13. PETS: Unless otherwise provided in California Civil Code § 54.2 or other law, no animal or pet shall be kept on or about the Premises without Housing Provider's prior written consent, except as agreed to in the attached Pet Addendum (C.A.R. Form PET).

14. SMOKING:

- A. Tenant is responsible for all damage caused by smoking after Close Of Escrow and during the term of this Agreement. Any prior damage has been accounted for in the purchase agreement and should not be deducted from any security deposit.
- B. The Premises of common areas may be subject to a local non-smoking ordinance.
- C. NO SMOKING of any substance is allowing on the Premises or common areas. If smoking does occur on the Premises or common areas, (i) Tenant is in material breach of this Agreement; (ii) Tenant, guests, and all others may be required to leave the Premises. Smoking of the following substances only is allowed: _____

15. RULES; REGULATIONS:

- A. Tenant agrees to comply with all Housing Provider rules and regulations that are at any time posted on the Premises or delivered to Tenant. Tenant shall not, and shall ensure that guests, invitees and licensees of Tenant shall not, disturb, annoy, endanger or interfere with other tenants of the building or neighbors, or use the Premises for any unlawful purposes, under federal, state or local law including, but not limited to, using, manufacturing, selling, storing or transporting illicit drugs or other contraband, or violate any law or ordinance, or commit a waste or nuisance on or about the Premises.
- B. (if applicable, check one)
 - (1) Housing Provider shall provide Tenant with a copy of the rules and regulations within _____ days or _____.
 - (2) Tenant has been provided with, and acknowledges receipt of, a copy of the rules and regulations.

16. (if checked) CONDOMINIUM; PLANNED UNIT DEVELOPMENT:

- A. The Premises are a unit in a condominium, planned unit development, common interest subdivision or other development governed by a homeowners' association ("HOA"). The name of the HOA is _____. Tenant agrees to comply with all HOA covenants, conditions and restrictions, bylaw, rules and regulations and decision ("HOA Rules"). Tenant shall reimburse Housing Provider for any fines or charges imposed by HOA or other authorities, due to any violation by Tenant, or the guests or licensees of Tenant or Housing Provider shall have the right to deduct such amounts from the security deposit.
- B. Tenant acknowledges already having a copy of the HOA Rules.

17. ALTERATIONS; REPAIRS: Unless otherwise specified by law or **paragraph 24C**, without Housing Provider's prior written consent, (i) Tenant shall not make any repairs, alterations or improvements in or about the Premises including: painting, wallpapering, adding or changing locks, installing antenna or satellite dish(es), placing signs, displays or exhibits, or using screws, fastening devices, large nails or adhesive materials; (ii) Housing Provider shall not be responsible for the costs of alterations or repairs made by Tenant; (iii) Tenant shall not deduct from Rent the costs of any repairs, alterations or improvements; and (iv) any deduction made by Tenant shall be considered unpaid Rent.

18. KEYS; LOCKS; ITEMS INCLUDED:

A. Tenant acknowledges possession of:

<input type="checkbox"/> _____ key(s) to Premises,	<input type="checkbox"/> _____ remote control device(s) for garage door/gate opener(s),
<input type="checkbox"/> _____ key(s) to mailbox,	<input type="checkbox"/> _____.
<input type="checkbox"/> _____ key(s) to common area(s),	<input type="checkbox"/> _____.

- B. Tenant acknowledges that locks to the Premises have not (have), been re-keyed.
- C. If Tenant re-keys existing locks or opening devices, Tenant shall immediately deliver copies of all keys to Housing Provider. Tenant shall pay all costs and charges related to loss of any keys or opening devices. Tenant may not remove locks, even if installed by Tenant.
- D. Tenant shall provide Housing Provider keys and other items necessary to access the Property as required in the purchase agreement, at Close Of Escrow or (if checked) at the end of the Residential Lease After Sale.



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Date: _____

E. **ITEMS INCLUDED:** Other items included in the purchase agreement shall be provided at the end of the Residential Lease After Sale.

19. ENTRY:

- A. Tenant shall make Premises available to Housing Provider or Housing Provider's representative for the purpose of entering to make necessary or agreed repairs (including, but not limited to, installing, repairing, testing, and maintaining smoke detectors and carbon monoxide devices, and bracing, anchoring or strapping water heaters, or repairing dilapidation relating to the presence of mold), providing decorations, alterations, or improvements; or supplying necessary or agreed services; or to show Premises to prospective or actual purchasers, tenants, mortgagees, lenders, appraisers, contractors and other (collectively "Interested Persons"). Tenant agrees that Housing Provider, Broker and Interested Persons may take photos of the Premises.
- B. Housing Provider and Tenant agree that 24-hour written notice shall be reasonable and sufficient notice, except as follows:
- (1) 48-hour written notice is required to conduct an inspection of the Premises prior to the Tenant moving out, unless the Tenant waives the right to such notice.
 - (2) If Housing Provider has in writing informed Tenant that the Premises are for sale and that Tenant will be notified orally to show the premises (C.A.R. Form NSE), then, for the next 120 days following the delivery of the NSE, notice may be given orally to show the Premises to actual or prospective purchasers.
 - (3) No written notice is required if Housing Provider and Tenant orally agree to an entry for agreed services or repairs if the date and time of entry are within one week of the oral agreement.
 - (4) No notice is required: **(i)** to enter in case of an emergency; **(ii)** if the Tenant is present and consents at the time of entry; or **(iii)** if the Tenant has abandoned or surrendered the Premises.
- C. (If checked) Tenant authorizes the use of a keysafe/lockbox to allow entry into the Premises and agrees to sign a keysafe/lockbox addendum (C.A.R. Form KLA).

20. PHOTOGRAPHS AND INTERNET ADVERTISING:

- A. In order to effectively market the Premises for sale or rental it is often necessary to provide photographs, virtual tours and other media to Interested Persons. Tenant agrees that Broker may photograph or otherwise electronically capture images of the exterior and interior of the Premises ("Images") for static and/or virtual tours of the Premises by Interested Persons for use on Broker's website, the MLS, and other marketing materials and sites. Tenant acknowledges that once Images are placed on the Internet neither Broker nor Housing Provider has control over who can view such Images and what use viewers may make of the Images, or how long such Images may remain available on the Internet. Tenant is advised to store or otherwise remove from view, anything of a personal nature which Tenant would not want to appear in any Images, including but not limited to, family photos, documents, or other valuables.
- B. Tenant acknowledges that prospective Interested Persons coming onto the Premises may take photographs, videos or other images of the Premises. Tenant understands that Broker does not have the ability to control or block the take and use of Images by any such persons. Once Images are taken and/or put into electronic display on the Internet or otherwise, neither Broker nor Housing Provider has control over who views such Images nor what use viewers may make of the Images.

21. SIGNS: Tenant authorizes Housing Provider to place FOR SALE/LEASE signs on the Premises.

22. ASSIGNMENT; SUBLETTING:

- A. Tenant shall not sublet all or any part of Premises, or parking or storages spaces, or assign or transfer this Agreement or any interest in it, without Housing Provider's prior written consent. Unless such consent is obtained, any assignment, transfer or subletting of Premises or this Agreement or tenancy, by voluntary act of Tenant, operation of law or otherwise, shall, at the option of Housing Provider, terminate this Agreement. Any proposed assignee, transferee or sublessee shall submit to Housing Provider an application and credit information for Housing Provider's approval and, if approved, sign a separate written agreement with Housing Provider and Tenant. Housing Provider's consent to any one assignment, transfer or sublease, shall not be construed as consent to any subsequent assignment, transfer or sublease and does not release Tenant of Tenant's obligations under this Agreement.
- B. This prohibition also applies (does not apply) to short term, vacation, and transient rentals such as, but not limited to, those arranged through AirBnB, VRBO, HomeAway or other short term rental services.
- C. Any violation of this prohibition is a non-curable, material breach of this Agreement.

23. JOINT AND INDIVIDUAL OBLIGATIONS: If there is more than one Tenant, each one shall be individually and completely responsible for the performance of all obligations of Tenant under this Agreement, jointly with every other Tenant, and individually whether or not in possession.

24. TENANT'S OBLIGATIONS UPON VACATING PREMISES:

- A. Upon termination of the Agreement, Tenant shall: **(i)** give Housing Provider all copies of all keys and any opening devices to Premises, including any common areas; **(ii)** vacate and surrender Premises to Housing Provider, empty of all persons; and personal Property belonging to Tenant; **(iii)** vacate any/all parking and/or storage space; **(iv)** clean and deliver Premises, as specified in **paragraph C** below, to Housing Provider in the same condition as referenced in **paragraph 10**; **(v)** remove all debris; **(vi)** give written notice to Housing Provider of Tenant's forwarding address; and **(vii)** _____
- B. All alterations/improvements made by or caused to be made by Tenant, with or without Housing Provider's consent, become the property of Housing Provider upon termination. Housing Provider may charge Tenant for restoration of the Premises to the condition it was in prior to any alterations/improvements.
- C. **Right to Pre-Move Out Inspection and Repairs as follows:** **(i)** After giving or receiving notice of termination of tenancy (C.A.R. Form NTT), or before the expiration of this Agreement, Tenant has the right to request that an inspection of the Premises take place prior to termination (C.A.R. Form NRI). If Tenant requests such an inspection, Tenant shall be given an opportunity to remedy identified deficiencies prior to termination, consistent with the terms of this Agreement. **(ii)** Any repairs or alterations made to the Premises as a result of this inspection (collectively, "Repairs") shall be made at Tenant's expense. Repairs may be performed by Tenant or through others, who have adequate insurance and licenses and are approved by Housing Provider. The work shall comply with applicable law, including governmental permit, inspection and approval requirements. Repairs shall be performed in a good, skillful manner with materials of quality and appearance comparable to existing materials. It is understood that exact restoration of appearance or cosmetic items following all Repairs may not be possible. **(iii)** Tenant shall: **(a)** obtain receipts for Repairs performed by others; **(b)** prepare a written statement indicating the Repairs performed by Tenant and the date of such Repairs; and **(c)** provide copies of receipts and statements to Housing Provider prior to termination. **Paragraph 24C** does not apply when the tenancy is terminated pursuant to California Code of Civil Procedure § 1161(2),(3), or (4).



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25. **BREACH OF CONTRACT; EARLY TERMINATION:** In addition to any obligations established by **paragraph 24**, in the event of termination by Tenant prior to completion of the original term of the Agreement or any extension, Tenant shall also be responsible for lost Rent, rental commissions, advertising expenses and painting costs necessary to ready Premises for re-rental. Housing Provider may withhold any such amounts from Tenant's security deposit.

26. **TEMPORARY RELOCATION:** Subject to local law, Tenant agrees, upon demand of Housing Provider, to temporarily vacate Premises for a reasonable period, to allow for fumigation (or other methods) to control wood destroying pests or organisms, or other repairs to control, fumigation or other work, including bagging or storage food and medicine, and removal of perishables and valuables. Tenant shall only be entitled to a credit of Rent equal to the per diem Rent for the period of time Tenant is required to vacate Premises.

27. **DAMAGE TO PREMISES:** If, by no fault of Tenant, Premises are totally or partially destroyed by fire, earthquake, accident or other casualty that render Premises totally or partially uninhabitable, either Housing Provider or Tenant may terminate this Agreement by giving the other written notice. Rent shall be abated as of the date Premises become totally or partially uninhabitable. The abated amount shall be the current monthly Rent prorated on a 30-day period. If the Agreement is not terminated, Housing Provider shall promptly repair the damage, and Rent shall be reduced based on the extent to which the damage interferes with Tenant's reasonable use of Premises. If damage occurs as a result of an act of Tenant or Tenant's guests, only Housing Provider shall have the right of termination, and no reduction in Rent shall be made.

28. **INSURANCE:**

A. Tenant's, guest's, invitees or licensee's personal property and vehicles are not insured by Housing Provider, manager or, if applicable, HOA, against loss or damage due to fire, theft, vandalism, rain, water, criminal or negligent acts of others, or any other cause. **Tenant is advised to carry Tenant's own insurance (renter's insurance) to protect Tenant from any such loss or damage.**

B. Tenant shall comply with any requirement imposed on Tenant by Housing Provider's insurer to avoid: (i) an increase in Housing Provider's insurance premium (or Tenant shall pay for the increase in premium); or (ii) loss of insurance.

C. Tenant shall obtain liability insurance, in an amount not less than \$ _____, naming Housing Provider and, if applicable, Property Manager as additional insured for injury or damage to, or upon, the Premises during the term of this agreement or any extension. Tenant shall provide Housing Provider a copy of the insurance policy before commencement of this Agreement, and a rider prior to any renewal.

29. **WATERBEDS/PORTABLE WASHERS:** Tenant shall not use or have waterbeds on the Premises unless: (i) Tenant obtains a valid waterbed insurance policy; (ii) Tenant increases the security deposit in an amount equal to one-half of one month's Rent; and (iii) the bed conforms to the floor load capacity of Premises.

Tenant shall not use on the Premises Portable Dishwasher Portable Washing Machine.

30. **WAIVER:** The waiver of any breach shall not be construed as a continuing waiver of the same or any subsequent breach.

31. **NOTICE:** Notices may be served at the following address, or at any other location subsequently designated:

Housing Provider: _____ Tenant: _____

32. **TENANT ESTOPPEL CERTIFICATE:** Tenant shall execute and return a tenant estoppel certificate delivered to Tenant by Housing Provider or Housing Provider's agent within **3 Days** after its receipt (C.A.R. Form TEC). Failure to comply with this requirement shall be deemed Tenant's acknowledgement that the tenant estoppel certificate is true and correct and may be relied upon by a lender or purchaser.

33. **MEDIATION:**

A. Consistent with **paragraphs B and C** below, Housing Provider and Tenant agree to mediate any dispute or claim arising between them out of this Agreement, or any resulting transaction, before resorting to court action. Mediation fees, if any, shall be divided equally among the parties involved. If, for any dispute or claim to which this paragraph applies, any party commences an action without first attempting to resolve the matter through mediation, or refuses to mediate after a request has been made, then that party shall not be entitled to recover attorney fees, even if they would otherwise be available to that party in any such action.

B. The following matters are excluded from mediation: (i) an unlawful detainer action; (ii) the filing or enforcement of a mechanic's lien; and (iii) any matter within the jurisdiction of a probate, small claims or bankruptcy court. The filing of a court action to enable the recording of a notice of pending action, for order of attachment, receivership, injunction, or other provisional remedies, shall not constitute a waiver of the mediation provision.

C. Housing Provider and Tenant agree to mediate disputes or claims involving Listing Agent, Leasing Agent or property manager ("Broker"), provided Broker shall have agreed to such mediation prior to, or within a reasonable time after, the dispute or claim is presented to such Broker. Any election by Broker to participate in mediation shall not result in Broker being deemed a party to this Agreement.

34. **ATTORNEY FEES:** In any action or proceeding arising out of this Agreement, the prevailing party between Housing Provider and Tenant shall be entitled to reasonable attorney fees and costs collectively not to exceed \$1,000 (or \$ _____), except as provided in **paragraph 33A**.

35. **C.A.R. FORM:** C.A.R. Form means the specific form referenced or another comparable form agreed to by the parties.

36. **STATUTORY DISCLOSURES:**

A. **MOLD AND DAMPNESS:** Exposure to mold may have potential health risks. Tenant acknowledges receipt of the attached booklet titled, "Information on Dampness and Mold for Renters in California" before signing this Residential Lease After Sale Agreement.

B. **BED BUGS:** Housing Provider has no knowledge of any infestation in the Premises by bed bugs. See attached Bed Bug Disclosure (C.A.R. Form BBD) for further information. Tenant shall report suspected bed bug infestation to Housing Provider or, if applicable, property manager and cooperate with any inspection for and treatment of bed bugs. Housing Provider will notify tenants of any units infested by bed bugs.

C. **MEGAN'S LAW DATABASE DISCLOSURE:** Notice: Pursuant to § 290.46 of the Penal Code, information about specified registered sex offenders is made available to the public via an Internet Web site maintained by the Department of Justice at www.meganslaw.ca.gov. Depending on an offender's criminal history, this information will include either the address at which the offender resides or the community of residence and ZIP Code in which he or she resides. (Neither Housing Provider nor Brokers, if any, are required to check this website. If Tenant wants further information, Tenant should obtain information directly from this website.)

D. **RESIDENTIAL ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS BOOKLET:** Tenant acknowledges receipt of the residential environmental hazards booklet.



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E. FLOOD HAZARD DISCLOSURE: Flooding has the potential to cause significant damage to personal property owned by Tenant. See attached Tenant Flood Hazard Disclosure (C.A.R. Form TFHD) for additional information.

F. OTHER MATERIAL FACTS: _____

G. ADDITIONAL DISCLOSURES: RPO shall make additional disclosures regarding the following matters, if applicable, on the Rental Property Owner Disclosure (C.A.R. Form RPOD): Lead-based Paint; Methamphetamine Contamination; Periodic Pest Control Contracts; Water Submeters; Mold; Asbestos; Homeowners Associations/Condominiums/Planned Developments; Military Ordnance Locations; Death on the Premises.

37. SERVICEMEMBERS CIVIL RELIEF ACT: Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in paragraphs 2, 54, 256 or elsewhere in this Agreement, the Servicemembers Civil Relief Act applies to this Agreement and any effort to terminate it, as specified in §§ 2951 and 2955 of the Act.

38. TIME OF ESSENCE; ENTIRE AGREEMENT: Time is of the essence. All understandings between the parties are incorporated in this Agreement. Its terms are intended by the parties as a final, complete and exclusive expression of their Agreement with respect to its subject matter, and may not be contradicted by evidence of any prior agreement or contemporaneous oral agreement. If any provision of this Agreement is held to be ineffective or invalid, the remaining provisions will nevertheless be given full force and effect. Neither this Agreement nor any provision in it may be extended, amended, modified, altered or changed except in writing. This Agreement and any supplement, addendum or modification, including any copy, may be signed in two or more counterparts, all which shall constitute one and the same writing.

39. AGENCY:

A. CONFIRMATION: The following agency relationships are hereby confirmed for this transaction:

Housing Provider's Brokerage Firm _____ License Number _____
Is the broker of (check one): the Housing Provider; or both the Tenant and Housing Provider (Dual Agent).

Housing Provider's Agent _____ License Number _____
Is (check one): the Housing Provider's Agent (salesperson or broker associate); or both the Tenant's and Housing Provider's Agent (Dual Agent).

Tenant's Brokerage Firm _____ License Number _____
Is the broker of (check one): the Tenant; or both the Tenant and Housing Provider (Dual Agent).

Tenant's Agent _____ License Number _____
Is (check one): the Tenant's Agent (salesperson or broker associate); or both the Tenant's and Housing Provider's Agent (Dual Agent).

B. DISCLOSURE: (If checked): The term of this Agreement exceeds one year. A disclosure regarding real estate agency relationship (C.A.R. Form AD) has been provided to Housing Provider and Tenant, who each acknowledge its receipt.

C. Termination of Agency Relationship:

(1) Housing Provider and Tenant acknowledges and agrees that unless Broker is the property manager, or as specified in (2) below, once this Agreement commences upon Close Of Escrow, **(i)** Broker will not represent Owner in any manner regarding the management of the Premises; and **(ii)** Any representation duties that Broker may owe to, and any agency relationship that Broker may have with, either Housing Provider or Tenant, is terminated.

(2) (If checked) Notwithstanding **paragraph 39C(1)**, Broker duties and responsibilities to either Housing Provider or Tenant will terminate upon Completion of Move In Inspection (C.A.R. Form MI).

40. NOTICE OF RIGHT TO RECEIVE FOREIGN LANGUAGE TRANSLATION OF LEASE/RENTAL AGREEMENTS: California Civil Code requires a housing provider or property manager to provide a tenant with a foreign language translation copy of a lease or rental agreement if the agreement was negotiated primarily in Spanish, Chinese, Korean, Tagalog or Vietnamese. If applicable, every term of the lease/rental needs to be translated except for, among others, names, dollar amounts and dates written as numerals, and words with no generally accepted non-English translation.

41. RECEIPT: If specified in **paragraph 4** or **5**, Housing Provider or Broker, acknowledges receipt of funds.

42. OTHER TERMS AND CONDITIONS; If checked, the following ATTACHED documents are incorporated in this Agreement:

- Keysafe/Lockbox Addendum (C.A.R. Form KLA); Lead-Based Paint and Lead-Based Paint Hazards Disclosure (C.A.R. Form LPD-RLAS); Lease/Rental Mold and Ventilation Addendum (C.A.R. Form LRM); Parking and Storage Disclosure (C.A.R. Form PSD); Bed Bug Disclosure (C.A.R. Form BBD); Tenant Flood Hazard Disclosure (C.A.R. Form TFHD); Rent Cap and Just Cause Addendum (C.A.R. Form RCJC)
- Other Documents/Addenda: _____

Other Terms _____

43. LEGALLY AUTHORIZED SIGNER: Wherever the signature or initials of the Legally Authorized Signer identified in paragraphs 46 or 47 appear on this Agreement or any related documents, it shall be deemed to be in a representative capacity for the entity described and not in an individual capacity, unless otherwise indicated. The Legally Authorized Signer **(i)** represents that the entity for which that person is acting already exists and is in good standing to do business in California and **(ii)** shall Deliver to the other Party, upon request, evidence of authority to act in that capacity (such as but not limited to: applicable portion of the trust or Certification Of Trust (Probate Code § 18100.5), letters testamentary, court order, power of attorney, corporate resolution, or formation documents of the business entity).

44. INTERPRETER/TRANSLATOR: The terms of this Agreement have been interpreted for Tenant into the following language: _____ Housing Provider and Tenant acknowledge receipt of the attached interpreter/translator agreement (C.A.R. Form ITA).

45. The Premises is being managed by Owner, (or, if checked):

Housing Provider's Brokerage Firm in Real Estate Brokerage section _____

Tenant's Brokerage Firm in Real Estate Brokers section _____

Property Management firm immediately below

Real Estate Broker (Property Manager) _____ DRE Lic # _____

By (Agent) _____ DRE Lic # _____

Address _____ Telephone # _____



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Housing Provider and Tenant acknowledge and agree Brokers: (a) do not guarantee the condition of the Premises; (b) cannot verify representations made by others; (c) cannot provide legal or tax advice; (d) will not provide other advice or information that exceeds the knowledge, education or experience required to obtain a real estate license. Furthermore, if Brokers are not also acting as Housing Provider in this Agreement, Brokers: (e) do not decide what rental rate a Tenant should pay or Housing Provider should accept; and (f) do not decide upon the length or other terms of this Agreement. Housing Provider and Tenant agree that they will seek legal, tax, insurance and other desired assistance from appropriate professionals.

46. Tenant/Seller agrees to rent the Premises on the above terms and conditions.

A. ENTITY TENANT: (Note: If this paragraph is completed, a Representative Capacity Signature Disclosure (C.A.R. Form RCSD) is not required for the Legally Authorized Signers designated below.)

- (1) One or more Tenant is a trust, corporation, LLC, probate estate, partnership, holding a power of attorney or other entity.
- (2) This Agreement is being Signed by a Legally Authorized Signer in a representative capacity and not for him/herself as an individual. See **paragraph 43** for additional terms.
- (3) The name(s) of the Legally Authorized Signer(s) is: _____.
- (4) If a trust, identify Tenant as trustee(s) of the trust or by simplified trust name (ex. John Doe, co-trustee, Jane Doe, co-trustee or Doe Revocable Family Trust).
- (5) If the entity is a trust or under probate, the following is the full name of the trust or probate case, including case #: _____.

B. TENANT SIGNATURE(S):

(Signature) By, _____ Date: _____

Printed name of Tenant: _____

Printed Name of Legally Authorized Signer: _____ Title, if applicable, _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Telephone _____ Text _____ E-mail _____

(Signature) By, _____ Date: _____

Printed name of Tenant: _____

Printed Name of Legally Authorized Signer: _____ Title, if applicable, _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Telephone _____ Text _____ E-mail _____

IF MORE THAN TWO SIGNERS, USE Additional Signature Addendum (C.A.R. Form ASA).

47. Housing Provider/Buyer (owner or agent for owner) agrees to rent the Premises on the above terms and conditions.

A. ENTITY HOUSING PROVIDER: (Note: If this paragraph is completed, a Representative Capacity Signature Disclosure (C.A.R. Form RCSD) is not required for the Legally Authorized Signers designated below.)

- (1) One or more Housing Provider is a trust, corporation, LLC, probate estate, partnership, holding a power of attorney or other entity.
- (2) This Agreement is being Signed by a Legally Authorized Signer in a representative capacity and not for him/herself as an individual. See **paragraph 43** for additional terms.
- (3) The name(s) of the Legally Authorized Signer(s) is: _____.
- (4) If a trust, identify Housing Provider as trustee(s) of the trust or by simplified trust name (ex. John Doe, co-trustee, Jane Doe, co-trustee or Doe Revocable Family Trust).
- (5) If the entity is a trust or under probate, the following is the full name of the trust or probate case, including case #: _____.

B. HOUSING PROVIDER SIGNATURE(S):

(Signature) By, _____ Date: _____

Printed name of Housing Provider: _____

Printed Name of Legally Authorized Signer: _____ Title, if applicable, _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Telephone _____ Text _____ E-mail _____

(Signature) By, _____ Date: _____

Printed name of Housing Provider: _____

Printed Name of Legally Authorized Signer: _____ Title, if applicable, _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Telephone _____ Text _____ E-mail _____

IF MORE THAN TWO SIGNERS, USE Additional Signature Addendum (C.A.R. Form ASA).



Premises: _____ Date: _____

REAL ESTATE BROKERS:

- A. Real estate brokers who are not also Housing Provider under this Agreement are not parties to the Agreement between Housing Provider/Buyer and Tenant/Seller.
- B. Agency relationships are confirmed in **paragraph 39**.
- C. **COOPERATING BROKER COMPENSATION:** Unless Otherwise Agreed, compensation for this Residential Lease After Sale is included in any compensation received from purchase of the real property described in this Agreement, or (if checked) the amount specified in a separate written agreement between Housing Provider's Broker and Tenant's Broker.

Tenant's/Seller's Brokerage Firm _____	DRE Lic. # _____
By (Agent) _____	DRE Lic. # _____ Date _____
Address _____	City _____ State _____ Zip _____
Telephone _____	Text _____ E-mail _____
Housing Provider's/Buyer's Brokerage Firm _____	DRE Lic. # _____
By (Agent) _____	DRE Lic. # _____ Date _____
Address _____	City _____ State _____ Zip _____
Telephone _____	Text _____ E-mail _____

Tenant's Initials _____ / _____ Housing Provider's Initials _____ / _____

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Date _____ ("Tenant") and _____ Rental Property Owner ("RPO"), Authorized Broker or Agent, or Property Manager ("Housing Provider"), agree as follows ("Agreement"):

1. PROPERTY:

- A. Housing Provider rents to Tenant and Tenant rents from Housing Provider, the real property and improvements described as: _____ ("Premises").
B. The Premises are for the sole use as a personal residence by the following named person(s) only: _____. Any person in the Premises, other than those listed in this paragraph are considered guests. Guests are not permitted to stay more than 14 (or [] days) without Housing Provider's written consent.
C. The following personal property, maintained pursuant to paragraph 11, is included: _____ or [] (if checked) the personal property on the attached addendum is included.
D. The Premises may be subject to a local rent or eviction control ordinance, or both.

2. TERM: The term begins on (date) _____ ("Commencement Date"). If Tenant has not paid all amounts then due; (i) Tenant has no right to possession or keys to the premises and; (ii) this Agreement is voidable at the option of Housing Provider, 2 calendar days after giving Tenant a Notice to Pay (C.A.R. Form PPN). Notice may be delivered to Tenant (i) in person; (ii) by mail to Tenant's last known address; or (iii) by email, if provided in Tenant's application or previously used by Tenant to communicate with Housing Provider or its agent. If Housing Provider elects to void the lease, Housing Provider shall refund to Tenant all rent and security deposit paid.

(Check A or B):

- [] A. Month-to-Month: This Agreement continues from the commencement date as a month-to-month tenancy. Tenant may terminate the tenancy by giving written notice at least 30 days prior to the intended termination date. Tenant shall be responsible for paying rent through the termination date even if moving out early. Housing Provider may terminate the tenancy by giving written notice as provided by law. Such notices may be given on any date.
[] B. Lease: This Agreement shall terminate on (date) _____ at _____ AM/ PM. Tenant shall vacate the Premises upon termination of the Agreement, unless: (i) Housing Provider and Tenant have extended this Agreement in writing or signed a new agreement; (ii) mandated by any rent increase cap or just cause eviction control under any state or local law; or (iii) Housing Provider accepts Rent from Tenant (other than past due Rent), in which case a month-to-month tenancy shall be created which either party may terminate as specified in paragraph 2A. Rent shall be at a rate agreed to by Housing Provider and Tenant, or as allowed by law. All other terms and conditions of this Agreement shall remain in full force and effect.

3. RENT: "Rent" shall mean all monetary obligations of Tenant to Housing Provider under the terms of the Agreement, except security deposit.

- A. Tenant agrees to pay \$ _____ per month for the term of the Agreement.
B. Rent is payable in advance on the 1st (or [] day) of each calendar month, and is delinquent on the next day.
C. If Commencement Date falls on any day other than the day Rent is payable under paragraph 3B, and Tenant has paid one full month's Rent in advance of Commencement Date, Rent for the second calendar month shall be prorated and Tenant shall pay 1/30th of the monthly rent per day for each day remaining in the prorated second month.

D. PAYMENT:

- (1) Rent shall be paid by [] personal check, [] money order, [] cashier's check, made payable to _____, [] wire/electronic payment to _____, or [] other _____. Payment via electronic apps such as PayPal or Venmo will not ([] will) be accepted.
(2) Rent shall be delivered to (name) _____ (whose phone number is) _____ at (address) _____, (or at any other location subsequently specified by Housing Provider in writing to Tenant) (and [] if checked, rent may be paid personally, between the hours of _____ and _____ on the following days _____).
(3) If any payment is returned for non-sufficient funds ("NSF") or because tenant stops payment, then, after that: (i) Housing Provider may, in writing, require Tenant to pay Rent in cash for three months and (ii) all future Rent shall be paid by [] money order, or [] cashier's check.

E. Rent payments received by Housing Provider shall be applied to the earliest amount(s) due or past due.

4. SECURITY DEPOSIT:

- A. Tenant agrees to pay \$ _____ as a security deposit. (The maximum amount of security deposit paid on or before initial occupancy, however designated, cannot exceed one month's Rent unless an exception applies. See Security Deposit Exception Disclosure and Addendum, C.A.R. Form SDDA, for additional information.)
B. Security deposit is in addition to any advance payment of first month's Rent. Security deposit law does not prohibit the payment of advance rent of not less than six months' rent if the term of the lease is six months or longer.
C. Security deposit will be [] transferred to and held by the Owner of the Premises, or [] held in Owner's Broker's trust account.

Tenant's Initials _____ / _____ Housing Provider's Initials _____ / _____



Premises: _____ Date: _____

- D.** All or any portion of the security deposit may be used, as reasonably necessary, to: (i) cure Tenant's default in payment of Rent (which includes Late Charges, NSF fees or other sums due); (ii) repair damage, excluding ordinary wear and tear, caused by Tenant or by a guest, invitee or licensee of Tenant; (iii) clean Premises, if necessary, upon termination of the tenancy; and (iv) replace or return personal property or appurtenances. **SECURITY DEPOSIT SHALL NOT BE USED BY TENANT IN LIEU OF PAYMENT OF LAST MONTH'S RENT.** If all or any portion of the security deposit is used during the tenancy, Tenant agrees to reinstate the total security deposit within 5 days after written notice is delivered to Tenant. Within 21 days after Tenant vacates the Premises, Housing Provider shall: (1) furnish Tenant an itemized statement indicating the amount of any security deposit received and the basis for its disposition and supporting documentation as required by California Civil Code § 1950.5(g); and (2) return any remaining portion of the security deposit to Tenant.
- E.** **Security deposit will not be returned until all Tenants have vacated the Premises and all keys returned. Any security deposit returned by check shall be made out to all Tenants named on this Agreement, or as subsequently modified.**
- F.** No interest will be paid on security deposit unless required by local law.
- G.** If the security deposit is held by Owner, Tenant agrees not to hold Broker responsible for its return. If the security deposit is held in Owner's Broker's trust account, and Broker's authority is terminated before expiration of this Agreement, and security deposit is released to someone other than Tenant, then Broker shall notify Tenant, in writing, where and to whom security deposit has been released. Once Tenant has been provided such notice, Tenant agrees not to hold Broker responsible for the security deposit.

5. MOVE-IN COSTS RECEIVED/DUE: Move-in funds shall be paid by personal check, money order, cashier's check, or wire/electronic payment.

Category	Total Due	Payment Received	Balance Due	Due Date	Payable To
Rent from _____ to _____ (date)					
Security Deposit					
Other _____					
Other _____					
Total _____					

6. LATE CHARGE; RETURNED CHECKS:

- A.** Tenant acknowledges either late payment of Rent or issuance of a returned check may cause Housing Provider to incur costs and expenses, the exact amounts of which are extremely difficult and impractical to determine. These costs may include, but are not limited to, processing, enforcement and accounting expenses, and late charges imposed on Housing Provider. If any installment of Rent due from Tenant is not received by Housing Provider within **5 (or _____) calendar days** after the date due, or if a check is returned, Tenant shall pay to Housing Provider, respectively, an additional sum of \$ _____ or _____% of the Rent due as a Late Charge and \$25.00 as a NSF fee for the first returned check and \$35.00 as a NSF fee for each additional returned check, either or both of which shall be deemed additional Rent.
- B.** Housing Provider and Tenant agree that these charges represent a fair and reasonable estimate of the costs Housing Provider may incur by reason of Tenant's late or NSF payment. Any Late Charge or NSF fee due shall be paid with the current installment of Rent. Housing Provider's acceptance of any Late Charge or NSF fee shall not constitute a waiver as to any default of Tenant. Housing Provider's right to collect a Late Charge or NSF fee shall neither be deemed an extension of the date Rent is due under **paragraph 3** nor prevent Housing Provider from exercising any other rights and remedies under this Agreement and as provided by law.

7. PARKING: (Check A or B)

A. Parking is permitted as follows: _____

The right to parking is is not included in the Rent charged pursuant to **paragraph 3**. If not included in the Rent, the parking rental fee shall be an additional \$ _____ per month. Parking space(s) are to be used only for parking properly registered and operable motor vehicles, except for trailers, boats, campers, buses or trucks (other than pick-up trucks). Tenant shall park in assigned space(s) only. Parking space(s) are to be kept clean. Vehicles leaking oil, gas or other motor vehicle fluids shall not be parked on the Premises. Mechanical work, or storage of inoperable vehicles, or storage of any kind is not permitted in parking space(s) or elsewhere on the Premises except as specified in **paragraph 8**.

OR **B.** Parking is not permitted on the real property of which the Premises is a part.

8. STORAGE: (Check A or B)

A. Storage is permitted as follows: _____

The right to separate storage space is, is not, included in the Rent charged pursuant to **paragraph 3**. If not included in the Rent, storage space fee shall be an additional \$ _____ per month. Tenant shall store only personal property Tenant owns, and shall not store property claimed by another or in which another has any right, title or interest. Tenant shall not store any improperly packaged food or perishable goods, flammable materials, explosives, hazardous waste or other inherently dangerous material, or illegal substances.

OR **B.** Except for Tenant's personal property, contained entirely within the Premises, storage is not permitted on the Premises.

9. UTILITIES: Tenant agrees to pay for all utilities and services, and the following charges: _____ except _____, which shall be paid for by Housing Provider, or as agreed on a separate addendum. If any utilities are not separately metered, Tenant shall pay Tenant's proportional share, as reasonably determined and directed by Housing Provider. If utilities are separately metered, Tenant shall place utilities in Tenant's name as of the Commencement Date. Housing Provider is only responsible for installing and maintaining one usable telephone jack and one telephone line to the Premises. Tenant shall pay any cost for conversion from existing utilities service provider.

- A. Water Submeters:** Water use on the Premises is measured by a submeter and Tenant will be separately billed for water usage based on the submeter. See attached Water Submeter Addendum (C.A.R. Form WSM) for additional terms.
- B. Gas Meter:** The Premises does not have a separate gas meter.
- C. Electric Meter:** The Premises does not have a separate electrical meter.

Tenant's Initials _____ / _____ Housing Provider's Initials _____ / _____



Premises: _____ Date: _____

10. CONDITION OF PREMISES: Tenant has examined Premises and, if any, all furniture, furnishings, appliances, landscaping and fixtures, including smoke alarm(s) and carbon monoxide detector(s).

(Check all that apply:)

- A.** Tenant's acknowledgment of the condition of these items is contained in an attached statement of condition (C.A.R. Form MII).
- B.** (i) Housing Provider will Deliver to Tenant a statement of condition (C.A.R. Form MII) within **3 days** after execution of this Agreement; prior to the Commencement Date; within **3 days** after the Commencement Date. (ii) Tenant shall complete and return the MII to Housing Provider within **3 (or _____) days** after Delivery. Tenant's failure to return the MII within that time shall conclusively be deemed Tenant's Acknowledgement of the condition as stated in the MII.
- C.** Tenant will provide Housing Provider a list of items that are damaged or not in operable condition within **3 (or _____) days** after Commencement Date, not as a contingency of this Agreement but rather as an acknowledgment of the condition of the Premises.
- D.** Other: _____

11. MAINTENANCE USE AND REPORTING:

A. Tenant shall properly use, operate and safeguard Premises, including if applicable, any landscaping, furniture, furnishings and appliances, and all mechanical, electrical, gas and plumbing fixtures, carbon monoxide detector(s) and smoke alarms, and keep them and the Premises clean, sanitary and well ventilated. Tenant shall be responsible for any additional phone lines beyond the one line and jack that Housing Provider shall provide and maintain. Tenant shall replace any burned out or malfunctioning light bulbs. Tenant shall immediately notify Housing Provider, in writing, of any problem, malfunction or damage with any item including carbon monoxide detector(s) and smoke alarms on the property. Tenant shall be charged for all repairs or replacements caused by Tenant, pets, guests or licensees of Tenant, excluding ordinary wear and tear. Tenant shall be charged for all damage to Premises as a result of failure to report a problem in a timely manner. Tenant shall be charged for repair of drain blockages or stoppages, unless caused by defective plumbing parts or tree roots invading sewer lines.

B. Housing Provider Tenant HOA shall water the garden, landscaping, trees and shrubs, except: _____

C. Housing Provider Tenant HOA shall maintain the garden, landscaping, trees and shrubs, except: _____

D. Housing Provider Tenant shall maintain _____

E. Housing Provider and Tenant agree that State or local water use restrictions shall supersede any obligation of Housing Provider or Tenant to water or maintain any garden, landscaping, trees or shrubs pursuant to **paragraphs 11B, 11C, and 11D.**

F. Tenant's failure to maintain any item for which Tenant is responsible shall give Housing Provider the right to hire someone to perform such maintenance and charge Tenant to cover the cost of such maintenance.

G. PERIODIC PEST CONTROL: Housing Provider Tenant shall pay for periodic pest control by the following service provider: _____ This obligation shall only be applicable if the Premises is a house and the periodic pest control treatment is being provided at the execution of this Agreement. The current cost of such treatment is: \$ _____ per _____.

H. The following items of personal property are included in the Premises without warranty and Housing Provider will not maintain, repair or replace them: _____

I. Tenant understands that if Premises is located in a Common Interest Development, Housing Provider may not have authority or control over certain parts of the Premises such as roof, electrical, gas or plumbing features inside certain walls, and common areas such as landscaping, shared parking structure or garage.

J. Tenant shall not use the premises to plant, grow, cultivate or sell marijuana.

12. NEIGHBORHOOD CONDITIONS: Tenant is advised to satisfy himself or herself as to neighborhood or area conditions, including, but not limited to, schools, proximity and adequacy of law enforcement, crime statistics, proximity of registered felons or offenders, fire protection, other governmental services, availability, adequacy and cost of any wired, wireless internet connections or other telecommunications or other technology services and installations, proximity to commercial, industrial or agricultural activities, existing and proposed transportation, construction and development that may affect noise, view, or traffic, airport noise, noise or odor from any source, wild and domestic animals, other nuisances, hazards, or circumstances, cemeteries, facilities and condition of common areas, conditions and influences of significance to certain cultures and/or religions, and personal needs, requirements and preferences of Tenant.

13. ANIMALS: Unless otherwise provided in California Civil Code § 54.2, or other law, no animal shall be kept on or about the Premises without Housing Provider's prior written consent, except as agreed to in the attached Animals Terms and Conditions Addendum (C.A.R. Form ATCA).

14. SMOKING:

A. (i) Tenant is responsible for all damage caused by smoking including, but not limited to stains, burns, odors and removal of debris; (ii) Tenant acknowledges that in order to remove odor caused by smoking, Housing Provider may need to replace carpet and drapes and paint the entire premises regardless of when these items were last cleaned, replaced or repainted. Such actions and other necessary steps will impact the return of any security deposit.

B. The Premises or common areas may be subject to a local non-smoking ordinance.

C. NO SMOKING of any substance is allowed on the Premises or common areas. If smoking does occur on the Premises or common areas, (i) Tenant is in material breach of this Agreement; (ii) Tenant, guests, and all others may be required to leave the Premises. Smoking of the following substances only is allowed: _____

15. RULES/REGULATIONS:

A. Tenant agrees to comply with all Housing Provider rules and regulations that are at any time posted on the Premises or delivered to Tenant. Tenant shall not, and shall ensure that guests, invitees and licensees of Tenant shall not, disturb, annoy, endanger or interfere with other tenants of the building or neighbors, or use the Premises for any unlawful purposes, under federal, state or local law including, but not limited to, using, manufacturing, selling, storing or transporting illicit drugs or other contraband, or violate any law or ordinance, or commit a waste or nuisance on or about the Premises.

B. (If applicable, check one)

(1) Housing Provider shall provide Tenant with a copy of the rules and regulations within _____ days or _____

OR (2) Tenant has been provided with, and acknowledges receipt of, a copy of the rules and regulations.

Tenant's Initials _____ / _____ Housing Provider's Initials _____ / _____

Premises: _____ Date: _____

16. (If checked) CONDOMINIUM; PLANNED UNIT DEVELOPMENT:

- A.** The Premises are a unit in a condominium, planned unit development, common interest subdivision or other development governed by a homeowners' association ("HOA"). The name of the HOA is _____
Tenant agrees to comply with all HOA covenants, conditions and restrictions, bylaws, rules and regulations and decisions ("HOA Rules"). Tenant shall reimburse Housing Provider for any fines or charges imposed by HOA or other authorities, due to any violation by Tenant, or the guests or licensees of Tenant, or Housing Provider shall have the right to deduct such amounts from the security deposit.
- B.** If applicable, Tenant is required to pay a fee to the HOA to gain access to certain areas within the development such as but not necessarily including or limited to the front gate, pool, and recreational facilities. If not specified in **paragraph 5**, Tenant is solely responsible for payment and satisfying any HOA requirements prior to or upon or after the Commencement Date.
- C. (Check one)**
 (1) Housing Provider shall provide Tenant with a copy of the HOA Rules within _____ days or _____.
OR (2) Tenant has been provided with, and acknowledges receipt of, a copy of the HOA Rules.

17. ALTERATIONS; REPAIRS: Unless otherwise specified by law or **paragraph 25C**, without Housing Provider's prior written consent, **(i)** Tenant shall not make any repairs, alterations or improvements in or about the Premises including: painting, wallpapering, adding or changing locks, installing antenna or satellite dish(es), placing signs, displays or exhibits, or using screws, fastening devices, large nails or adhesive materials; **(ii)** Housing Provider shall not be responsible for the costs of alterations or repairs made by Tenant; **(iii)** Tenant shall not deduct from Rent the costs of any repairs, alterations or improvements; and **(iv)** any deduction made by Tenant shall be considered unpaid Rent.

18. KEYS; LOCKS:

A. Tenant acknowledges receipt of (or Tenant will receive prior to the Commencement Date, or _____):

<input type="checkbox"/> _____ key(s) to Premises,	<input type="checkbox"/> _____ remote control device(s) for garage door/gate opener(s),
<input type="checkbox"/> _____ key(s) to mailbox,	<input type="checkbox"/> _____,
<input type="checkbox"/> _____ key(s) to common area(s),	<input type="checkbox"/> _____,

- B.** Tenant acknowledges that locks to the Premises have, have not, been re-keyed.
- C.** If Tenant re-keys existing locks or opening devices, Tenant shall immediately deliver copies of all keys to Housing Provider. Tenant shall pay all costs and charges related to loss of any keys or opening devices. Tenant may not remove locks, even if installed by Tenant.

19. ENTRY:

- A.** Tenant shall make Premises available to Housing Provider or Housing Provider's representative for the purpose of entering to make necessary or agreed repairs (including, but not limited to, installing, repairing, testing, and maintaining smoke detectors and carbon monoxide devices, and bracing, anchoring or strapping water heaters, or repairing dilapidation relating to the presence of mold), decorations, alterations, or improvements; or supplying necessary or agreed services; or to show Premises to prospective or actual purchasers, tenants, mortgagees, lenders, appraisers, contractors and others (collectively "Interested Persons"). Tenant agrees that Housing Provider, Broker and Interested Persons may take photos of the Premises.
- B.** Housing Provider and Tenant agree that 24-hour written notice shall be reasonable and sufficient notice, except as follows:
 - (1) 48-hour written notice is required to conduct an inspection of the Premises prior to the Tenant moving out, unless the Tenant waives the right to such notice.
 - (2) If Housing Provider has in writing informed Tenant that the Premises are for sale and that Tenant will be notified orally to show the premises (C.A.R. Form NSE), then, for the next 120 days following the delivery of the NSE, notice may be given orally to show the Premises to actual or prospective purchasers.
 - (3) No written notice is required if Housing Provider and Tenant orally agree to an entry for agreed services or repairs if the date and time of entry are within one week of the oral agreement.
 - (4) No notice is required: **(i)** to enter in case of an emergency; **(ii)** if the Tenant is present and consents at the time of entry; or **(iii)** if the Tenant has abandoned or surrendered the Premises.
- C.** (If checked) Tenant authorizes the use of a key safe/lockbox to allow entry into the Premises and agrees to sign a key safe/lockbox addendum (C.A.R. Form KLA).

20. PHOTOGRAPHS AND INTERNET ADVERTISING:

- A.** In order to effectively market the Premises for sale or rental it is often necessary to provide photographs, virtual tours and other media to Interested Persons. Tenant agrees that Broker may photograph or otherwise electronically capture images of the exterior and interior of the Premises ("Images") for static and/or virtual tours of the Premises by Interested Persons for use on Broker's website, the MLS, and other marketing materials and sites. Tenant acknowledges that once Images are placed on the Internet neither Broker nor Housing Provider has control over who can view such Images and what use viewers may make of the Images, or how long such Images may remain available on the Internet. Tenant is advised to store or otherwise remove from view, anything of a personal nature which Tenant would not want to appear in any Images, including but not limited to, family photos, documents, or other valuables.
- B.** Tenant acknowledges that prospective Interested Persons coming onto the Premises may take photographs, videos or other images of the Premises. Tenant understands that Broker does not have the ability to control or block the taking and use of Images by any such persons. Once Images are taken and/or put into electronic display on the Internet or otherwise, neither Broker nor Housing Provider has control over who views such Images nor what use viewers may make of the Images.

21. SIGNS: Tenant authorizes Housing Provider to place FOR SALE/LEASE signs on the Premises.

22. ASSIGNMENT; SUBLETTING:

- A.** Tenant shall not sublet all or any part of Premises, or parking or storage spaces, or assign or transfer this Agreement or any interest in it, without Housing Provider's prior written consent. Unless such consent is obtained, any assignment, transfer or subletting of Premises or this Agreement or tenancy, by voluntary act of Tenant, operation of law or otherwise, shall, at the option of Housing Provider, terminate this Agreement. Any proposed assignee, transferee or sublessee shall submit to Housing Provider an application and credit information for Housing Provider's approval and, if approved, sign a separate written agreement with Housing Provider and Tenant. Housing Provider's consent to any one assignment, transfer or sublease, shall not be construed as consent to any subsequent assignment, transfer or sublease and does not release Tenant of Tenant's obligations under this Agreement.
- B.** This prohibition also applies (does not apply) to short term, vacation, and transient rentals such as, but not limited to, those arranged through AirBnB, VRBO, HomeAway or other short term rental services.
- C.** Any violation of this prohibition is a non-curable, material breach of this Agreement.

Tenant's Initials _____ / _____ Housing Provider's Initials _____ / _____



Premises: _____ Date: _____

23. JOINT AND INDIVIDUAL OBLIGATIONS: If there is more than one Tenant, each one shall be individually and completely responsible for the performance of all obligations of Tenant under this Agreement, jointly with every other Tenant, and individually, whether or not in possession.

24. POSSESSION:

A. (1) Tenant is not in possession of the Premises. If Housing Provider is unable to deliver possession of Premises on Commencement Date, such Date shall be extended to the date on which possession is made available to Tenant. If Housing Provider is unable to deliver possession within **5 (or _____) calendar days** after agreed Commencement Date, Tenant may terminate this Agreement by giving written notice to Housing Provider, and shall be refunded all Rent and security deposit paid.

OR (2) Tenant is already in possession of the Premises.

B. Possession is deemed terminated when Tenant has returned all keys to the Premises to Housing Provider.

25. TENANT'S OBLIGATIONS UPON VACATING PREMISES:

A. Upon termination of this Agreement, Tenant shall: (i) give Housing Provider all copies of all keys and any opening devices to Premises, including any common areas; (ii) vacate and surrender Premises to Housing Provider, empty of all persons; and personal property belonging to Tenant (iii) vacate any/all parking and/or storage space; (iv) clean and deliver Premises, as specified in **paragraph C** below, to Housing Provider in the same condition as referenced in **paragraph 10**; (v) remove all debris; (vi) give written notice to Housing Provider of Tenant's forwarding address; and (vii) _____

B. All alterations/improvements made by or caused to be made by Tenant, with or without Housing Provider's consent, become the property of Housing Provider upon termination. Housing Provider may charge Tenant for restoration of the Premises to the condition it was in prior to any alterations/improvements.

C. **Right to Pre-Move-Out Inspection and Repairs:** (i) After giving or receiving notice of termination of a tenancy (C.A.R. Form NTT), or before the expiration of this Agreement, Tenant has the right to request that an inspection of the Premises take place prior to termination (C.A.R. Form NRI). If Tenant requests such an inspection, Tenant shall be given an opportunity to remedy identified deficiencies prior to termination, consistent with the terms of this Agreement. (ii) Any repairs or alterations made to the Premises as a result of this inspection (collectively, "Repairs") shall be made at Tenant's expense. Repairs may be performed by Tenant or through others, who have adequate insurance and licenses and are approved by Housing Provider. The work shall comply with applicable law, including governmental permit, inspection and approval requirements. Repairs shall be performed in a good, skillful manner with materials of quality and appearance comparable to existing materials. It is understood that exact restoration of appearance or cosmetic items following all Repairs may not be possible. (iii) Tenant shall: (a) obtain receipts for Repairs performed by others; (b) prepare a written statement indicating the Repairs performed by Tenant and the date of such Repairs; and (c) provide copies of receipts and statements to Housing Provider prior to termination. **Paragraph 25C** does not apply when the tenancy is terminated pursuant to California Code of Civil Procedure § 1161(2), (3), or (4).

26. BREACH OF CONTRACT; EARLY TERMINATION: In addition to any obligations established by **paragraph 25**, in the event of termination by Tenant prior to completion of the original term of the Agreement or any extension, Tenant shall also be responsible for lost Rent, rental commissions, advertising expenses and painting costs necessary to ready Premises for re-rental. Housing Provider may withhold any such amounts from Tenant's security deposit.

27. TEMPORARY RELOCATION: Subject to local law, Tenant agrees, upon demand of Housing Provider, to temporarily vacate Premises for a reasonable period, to allow for fumigation (or other methods) to control wood destroying pests or organisms, or other repairs to Premises. Tenant agrees to comply with all instructions and requirements necessary to prepare Premises to accommodate pest control, fumigation or other work, including bagging or storage of food and medicine, and removal of perishables and valuables. Tenant shall only be entitled to a credit of Rent equal to the per diem Rent for the period of time Tenant is required to vacate Premises.

28. DAMAGE TO PREMISES: If, by no fault of Tenant, Premises are totally or partially damaged or destroyed by fire, earthquake, accident or other casualty that render Premises totally or partially uninhabitable, either Housing Provider or Tenant may terminate this Agreement by giving the other written notice. Rent shall be abated as of the date Premises become totally or partially uninhabitable. The abated amount shall be the current monthly Rent prorated on a 30-day period. If the Agreement is not terminated, Housing Provider shall promptly repair the damage, and Rent shall be reduced based on the extent to which the damage interferes with Tenant's reasonable use of Premises. If damage occurs as a result of an act of Tenant or Tenant's guests, only Housing Provider shall have the right of termination, and no reduction in Rent shall be made.

29. INSURANCE:

A. Tenant's, guest's, invitees or licensee's personal property and vehicles are not insured by Housing Provider, manager or, if applicable, HOA, against loss or damage due to fire, theft, vandalism, rain, water, criminal or negligent acts of others, or any other cause. **Tenant is advised to carry Tenant's own insurance (renter's insurance) to protect Tenant from any such loss or damage.**

B. Tenant shall comply with any requirement imposed on Tenant by Housing Provider's insurer to avoid: (i) an increase in Housing Provider's insurance premium (or Tenant shall pay for the increase in premium); or (ii) loss of insurance.

C. Tenant shall obtain liability insurance, in an amount not less than \$ _____ for injury or damage to, or upon, the Premises during the term of this agreement or any extension. The liability policy shall name Housing Provider, and Property Manager, if applicable: (i) as an additional interest, requiring insurer to notify such person if the policy is changed, cancelled or not renewed; and (ii) as an additional insured, if available from the insurer. Tenant shall provide Housing Provider a copy of the insurance policy before commencement of this Agreement, and a rider prior to renewal. Housing Provider and Tenant are advised to seek counsel from a qualified California attorney or insurance broker regarding the availability of insurance, prior to entering into this Agreement.

30. WATERBEDS/PORTABLE WASHERS: Tenant shall not use or have waterbeds on the Premises unless: (i) Tenant obtains a valid waterbed insurance policy; (ii) Tenant increases the security deposit in an amount equal to one-half of one month's Rent; and (iii) the bed conforms to the floor load capacity of Premises. Tenant shall not use on the Premises Portable Dishwasher Portable Washing Machine.

31. WAIVER: The waiver of any breach shall not be construed as a continuing waiver of the same or any subsequent breach.

32. NOTICE: Notices may be served at the following address, or at any other location subsequently designated:

Housing Provider: _____ Tenant: _____

Tenant's Initials _____ / _____ Housing Provider's Initials _____ / _____



Premises: _____

Date: _____

- 33. **TENANT ESTOPPEL CERTIFICATE:** Tenant shall execute and return a tenant estoppel certificate delivered to Tenant by Housing Provider or Housing Provider's agent within **3 days** after its receipt (C.A.R. Form TEC). Failure to comply with this requirement shall be deemed Tenant's acknowledgment that the tenant estoppel certificate is true and correct, and may be relied upon by a lender or purchaser.
- 34. **REPRESENTATION**
 - A. **TENANT REPRESENTATION; OBLIGATIONS REGARDING OCCUPANTS; CREDIT:** Tenant warrants that all statements in Tenant's rental application are accurate. Housing Provider requires all occupants 18 years of age or older and all emancipated minors to complete a lease rental application. Tenant acknowledges this requirement and agrees to notify Housing Provider when any occupant of the Premises reaches the age of 18 or becomes an emancipated minor. Tenant authorizes Housing Provider and Broker(s) to obtain Tenant's credit during the tenancy in connection with a modification of this Agreement. Before occupancy begins, Housing Provider may cancel this Agreement upon disapproval of the credit report(s) or upon discovering that information in Tenant's application is false. During the tenancy, Housing Provider may reject any such modification upon disapproval of the credit report(s) obtained in connection with the modification. A negative credit report reflecting on Tenant's record may be submitted to a credit reporting agency if Tenant fails to fulfill the terms of payment and other obligations under this Agreement.
 - B. **HOUSING PROVIDER REPRESENTATIONS:** Housing Provider warrants that, unless otherwise specified in writing, Housing Provider is unaware of (i) any recorded Notices of Default affecting the Premise; (ii) any delinquent amounts due under any loan secured by the Premises; and (iii) any bankruptcy proceeding affecting the Premises.
- 35. **MEDIATION:**
 - A. Consistent with paragraphs B and C below, Housing Provider and Tenant agree to mediate any dispute or claim arising between them out of this Agreement, or any resulting transaction, before resorting to court action. Mediation fees, if any, shall be divided equally among the parties involved. If, for any dispute or claim to which this paragraph applies, any party commences an action without first attempting to resolve the matter through mediation, or refuses to mediate after a request has been made, then that party shall not be entitled to recover attorney fees, even if they would otherwise be available to that party in any such action.
 - B. The following matters are excluded from mediation: (i) an unlawful detainer action; (ii) the filing or enforcement of a mechanic's lien; and (iii) any matter within the jurisdiction of a probate, small claims or bankruptcy court. The filing of a court action to enable the recording of a notice of pending action, for order of attachment, receivership, injunction, or other provisional remedies, shall not constitute a waiver of the mediation provision.
 - C. Housing Provider and Tenant agree to mediate disputes or claims involving Listing Agent, Leasing Agent or property manager ("Broker"), provided Broker shall have agreed to such mediation prior to, or within a reasonable time after, the dispute or claim is presented to such Broker. Any election by Broker to participate in mediation shall not result in Broker being deemed a party to this Agreement.
- 36. **ATTORNEY FEES:** In any action or proceeding arising out of this Agreement, the prevailing party between Housing Provider and Tenant shall be entitled to reasonable attorney fees and costs collectively not to exceed \$1,000 (or \$ _____), except as provided in paragraph 35A.
- 37. **C.A.R. FORM:** C.A.R. Form means the specific form referenced or another comparable form agreed to by the parties.
- 38. **DISCLOSURES:**
 - A. **MOLD AND DAMPNESS:** Exposure to mold may have potential health risks. Tenant acknowledges receipt of the attached booklet titled, "Information on Dampness and Mold for Renters in California" before signing this Residential Lease or Month-to-Month Rental Agreement.
 - B. **BED BUGS:** Housing Provider has no knowledge of any infestation in the Premises by bed bugs. See attached Bed Bug Disclosure (C.A.R. Form BBD) for further information. Tenant shall report suspected bed bug infestation to Housing Provider or, if applicable, property manager and cooperate with any inspection for and treatment of bed bugs. Housing Provider will notify tenants of any units infested by bed bugs.
 - C. **MEGAN'S LAW DATABASE DISCLOSURE:** Notice: Pursuant to § 290.46 of the Penal Code, information about specified registered sex offenders is made available to the public via an Internet Web site maintained by the Department of Justice at www.meganslaw.ca.gov. Depending on an offender's criminal history, this information will include either the address at which the offender resides or the community of residence and ZIP Code in which he or she resides. (Neither Housing Provider nor Brokers, if any, are required to check this website. If Tenant wants further information, Tenant should obtain information directly from this website.)
 - D. **RESIDENTIAL ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS BOOKLET:** Tenant acknowledges receipt of the residential environmental hazards booklet.
 - E. **FLOOD HAZARD DISCLOSURE:** Flooding has the potential to cause significant damage to personal property owned by Tenant. See attached Tenant Flood Hazard Disclosure (C.A.R. Form TFHD) for additional information.
 - F. **OTHER MATERIAL FACTS:** _____
- G. **ADDITIONAL DISCLOSURES:** RPO shall make additional disclosures regarding the following matters, **if applicable**, on the Rental Property Owner Disclosure (C.A.R. Form RPOD): Lead-based Paint; Methamphetamine Contamination; Periodic Pest Control Contracts; Water Submeters; Mold; Asbestos; Homeowners Associations/Condominiums/Planned Developments; Military Ordnance Locations; Death on the Premises.
- 39. **SERVICEMEMBERS CIVIL RELIEF ACT:** Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in paragraphs 2, 4, 26 or elsewhere in this Agreement, the Servicemembers Civil Relief Act applies to this Agreement and any effort to terminate it, as specified in §§ 3951 and 3955 of the Act.
- 40. **TIME OF ESSENCE; ENTIRE CONTRACT; CHANGES:** Time is of the essence. All understandings between the parties are incorporated in this Agreement. Its terms are intended by the parties as a final, complete and exclusive expression of their Agreement with respect to its subject matter, and may not be contradicted by evidence of any prior agreement or contemporaneous oral agreement. If any provision of this Agreement is held to be ineffective or invalid, the remaining provisions will nevertheless be given full force and effect. Neither this Agreement nor any provision in it may be extended, amended, modified, altered or changed except in writing. This Agreement is subject to California Housing Provider-tenant law and shall incorporate all changes required by amendment or successors to such law. This Agreement and any supplement, addendum or modification, including any copy, may be signed in two or more counterparts, all of which shall constitute one and the same writing.

Tenant's Initials _____ / _____

Housing Provider's Initials _____ / _____



Premises: _____ Date: _____

41. AGENCY:

A. CONFIRMATION: The following agency relationship(s) are hereby confirmed for this transaction:

Housing Provider's Brokerage Firm _____ License Number _____

Is the broker of (check one): the Housing Provider; or both the Tenant and Housing Provider (Dual Agent).

Housing Provider's Agent _____ License Number _____

Is (check one): the Housing Provider's Agent. (salesperson or broker associate); or both the Tenant's and Housing Provider's Agent (Dual Agent).

Tenant's Brokerage Firm _____ License Number _____

Is the broker of (check one): the Tenant; or both the Tenant and Housing Provider (Dual Agent).

Tenant's Agent _____ License Number _____

Is (check one): the Tenant's Agent. (salesperson or broker associate); or both the Tenant's and Housing Provider's Agent (Dual Agent).

B. DISCLOSURE: (If checked): The term of this Agreement exceeds one year. A disclosure regarding real estate agency relationships (C.A.R. Form AD) has been provided to Housing Provider and Tenant, who each acknowledge its receipt.

C. TERMINATION OF AGENCY RELATIONSHIP:

(1) Housing Provider and Tenant acknowledges and agrees that unless Broker is the property manager, or as specified in (2) below, once Housing Provider and Tenant enter into this Agreement, (i) Broker will not represent Owner in any manner regarding the management of the Premises; and (ii) Any representation duties that Broker may owe to, and any agency relationship that Broker may have with, either Housing Provider or Tenant, is terminated.

(2) Notwithstanding **paragraph 41C(1)**, Broker duties and responsibilities to either Housing Provider or Tenant will terminate upon the last to occur of the following (choose all that apply): Tenant occupancy, Delivering to Tenant keys or other means of entering the Premises, Tenant walkthrough, Completion of Move In Inspection (C.A.R. Form MII).

42. TENANT COMPENSATION TO BROKER: Upon execution of this Agreement, Tenant agrees to pay compensation to Broker as specified in a separate written agreement between Tenant and Broker.

43. NOTICE OF RIGHT TO RECEIVE FOREIGN LANGUAGE TRANSLATION OF LEASE/RENTAL AGREEMENTS: California Civil Code requires a Housing Provider or property manager to provide a tenant with a foreign language translation copy of a lease or rental agreement if the agreement was negotiated primarily in Spanish, Chinese, Korean, Tagalog or Vietnamese. If applicable, every term of the lease/rental needs to be translated except for, among others, names, dollar amounts and dates written as numerals, and words with no generally accepted non-English translation.

44. OWNER COMPENSATION TO BROKER: Upon execution of this Agreement, Owner agrees to pay compensation to Broker as specified in a separate written agreement between Owner and Broker (C.A.R. Form LL or LCA).

45. RECEIPT: If specified in **paragraph 5**, Housing Provider or Broker, acknowledges receipt of move-in funds.

46. CITY, COUNTY OR OTHER LOCAL REQUIREMENTS: Housing Provider and Tenant are advised that city, county or other local requirements, including those imposed by a regulatory body such a rent stabilization or similar board, may apply, and to attach to this Residential Lease or Month-to-Month Rental Agreement or separately provide, as provided by law, any documentation required by such a local authority.

47. OTHER TERMS AND CONDITIONS; If checked, the following ATTACHED documents are incorporated in this Agreement:

Keysafe/Lockbox Addendum (C.A.R. Form KLA); Lead-Based Paint and Lead-Based Paint Hazards Disclosure (C.A.R. Form LPD); Lease/Rental Mold and Ventilation Addendum (C.A.R. Form LRM); Parking and Storage Disclosure (C.A.R. Form PSD);

Bed Bug Disclosure (C.A.R. Form BBD); Tenant Flood Hazard Disclosure (C.A.R. Form TFHD); Rent Cap and Just Cause Addendum (C.A.R. Form RCJC)

Other Documents/Addenda: _____

Other Terms: _____

48. LEGALLY AUTHORIZED SIGNER: Wherever the signature or initials of the Legally Authorized Signer identified in **paragraphs 51** or **52** appear on this Agreement or any related documents, it shall be deemed to be in a representative capacity for the entity described and not in an individual capacity, unless otherwise indicated. The Legally Authorized Signer (i) represents that the entity for which that person is acting already exists and is in good standing to do business in California, and (ii) shall Deliver to the other Party, upon request, evidence of authority to act in that capacity (such as but not limited to: applicable portion of the trust or Certification Of Trust (Probate Code § 18100.5), letters testamentary, court order, power of attorney, corporate resolution, or formation documents of the business entity).

49. INTERPRETER/TRANSLATOR: The terms of this Agreement have been interpreted for Tenant into the following language: _____ Housing Provider and Tenant acknowledge receipt of the attached interpreter/

translator agreement (C.A.R. Form ITA).

50. The Premises is being managed by Owner, (or, if checked):

Housing Provider's Brokerage Firm in Real Estate Brokerage section Tenant's Brokerage Firm in Real Estate Brokers section

Property Management firm immediately below

Real Estate Broker (Property Manager) _____ DRE Lic # _____

(Agent) _____ DRE Lic # _____

Address _____ Telephone # _____

Tenant's Initials _____ / _____ Housing Provider's Initials _____ / _____



Premises: _____ Date: _____

Housing Provider and Tenant acknowledge and agree Brokers: (a) do not guarantee the condition of the Premises; (b) cannot verify representations made by others; (c) cannot provide legal or tax advice; (d) will not provide other advice or information that exceeds the knowledge, education or experience required to obtain a real estate license. Furthermore, if Brokers are not also acting as Housing Provider in this Agreement, Brokers: (e) do not decide what rental rate a Tenant should pay or Housing Provider should accept; and (f) do not decide upon the length or other terms of this Agreement. Housing Provider and Tenant agree that they will seek legal, tax, insurance and other desired assistance from appropriate professionals.

51. Tenant agrees to rent the Premises on the above terms and conditions.

A. ENTITY TENANT: (Note: If this paragraph is completed, a Representative Capacity Signature Disclosure (C.A.R. Form RCSD) is not required for the Legally Authorized Signers designated below.)

- (1) One or more Tenant is a trust, corporation, LLC, probate estate, partnership, holding a power of attorney or other entity.
- (2) This Agreement is being Signed by a Legally Authorized Signer in a representative capacity and not in an individual capacity. See **paragraph 48** for additional terms.
- (3) The name(s) of the Legally Authorized Signer(s) is: _____
- (4) If a trust, identify Tenant as trustee(s) of the trust or by simplified trust name (ex. John Doe, co-trustee, Jane Doe, co-trustee or Doe Revocable Family Trust).
- (5) If the entity is a trust or under probate, the following is the full name of the trust or probate case, including case #: _____

B. TENANT SIGNATURE(S):

(Signature) By, _____ Date: _____

Printed name of Tenant: _____

Printed Name of Legally Authorized Signer: _____ Title, if applicable, _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Telephone _____ Text _____ E-mail _____

(Signature) By, _____ Date: _____

Printed name of Tenant: _____

Printed Name of Legally Authorized Signer: _____ Title, if applicable, _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Telephone _____ Text _____ E-mail _____

IF MORE THAN TWO SIGNERS, USE Additional Signature Addendum (C.A.R. Form ASA).

GUARANTEE: In consideration of the execution of this Agreement by and between Housing Provider and Tenant and for valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, the undersigned ("Guarantor") does hereby: (i) guarantee unconditionally to Housing Provider and Housing Provider's agents, successors and assigns, the prompt payment of Rent or other sums that become due pursuant to this Agreement, including any and all court costs and attorney fees included in enforcing the Agreement; (ii) consent to any changes, modifications or alterations of any term in this Agreement agreed to by Housing Provider and Tenant; and (iii) waive any right to require Housing Provider and/or Housing Provider's agents to proceed against Tenant for any default occurring under this Agreement before seeking to enforce this Guarantee.

Guarantor (Print Name)

Guarantor _____ Date _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Telephone _____ Text _____ E-mail _____

52. Housing Provider (owner or agent for owner) agrees to rent the Premises on the above terms and conditions.

A. ENTITY HOUSING PROVIDER: (Note: If this paragraph is completed, a Representative Capacity Signature Disclosure (C.A.R. Form RCSD) is not required for the Legally Authorized Signers designated below.)

- (1) One or more Housing Provider is a trust, corporation, LLC, probate estate, partnership, holding a power of attorney or other entity.
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- (5) If the entity is a trust or under probate, the following is the full name of the trust or probate case, including case #: _____

Tenant's Initials _____ / _____ Housing Provider's Initials _____



Premises: _____ Date: _____

B. HOUSING PROVIDER SIGNATURE(S):

(Signature) By, _____ Date: _____

Printed name of Housing Provider: _____

Printed Name of Legally Authorized Signer: _____ Title, if applicable, _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Telephone _____ Text _____ E-mail _____

(Signature) By, _____ Date: _____

Printed name of Housing Provider: _____

Printed Name of Legally Authorized Signer: _____ Title, if applicable, _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Telephone _____ Text _____ E-mail _____

IF MORE THAN TWO SIGNERS, USE Additional Signature Addendum (C.A.R. Form ASA).

REAL ESTATE BROKERS:

A. Real estate brokers who are not also Housing Provider under this Agreement are not parties to the Agreement between Housing Provider and Tenant.

B. Agency relationships are confirmed in **paragraph 41**.

C. COOPERATING BROKER COMPENSATION: Listing Broker agrees to pay Cooperating Broker (Leasing Firm) and Cooperating Broker agrees to accept: (if checked) the amount specified in a separate written agreement between Listing Broker and Cooperating Broker.

Tenant's Brokerage Firm _____ DRE Lic. # _____

By (Agent) _____ DRE Lic. # _____ Date _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Telephone _____ Text _____ E-mail _____

Housing Provider's Brokerage Firm _____ DRE Lic. # _____

By (Agent) _____ DRE Lic. # _____ Date _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Telephone _____ Text _____ E-mail _____

Tenant's Initials _____ / _____ Housing Provider's Initials _____ / _____

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CALIFORNIA RESIDENTIAL PURCHASE AGREEMENT AND JOINT ESCROW INSTRUCTIONS
(C.A.R. FORM RPA, Revised 6/24)

Date Prepared: _____

1. OFFER:

- A. **THIS IS AN OFFER FROM** _____ (“Buyer”).
- B. **THE PROPERTY** to be acquired is _____, situated in _____ (City), _____ (County), California, _____ (Zip Code), Assessor’s Parcel No(s). _____ (“Property”).
(Postal/Mailing address may be different from city jurisdiction. Buyer is advised to investigate.)
- C. **THE TERMS OF THE PURCHASE ARE SPECIFIED BELOW AND ON THE FOLLOWING PAGES.**
- D. Buyer and Seller are referred to herein as the “Parties.” Brokers and Agents are **not** Parties to this Agreement.

2. AGENCY:

- A. **DISCLOSURE:** The Parties each acknowledge receipt of a “Disclosure Regarding Real Estate Agency Relationship” (C.A.R. Form AD) if represented by a real estate licensee. Buyer’s Agent is not legally required to give to Seller’s Agent the AD form Signed by Buyer. Seller’s Agent is not legally obligated to give to Buyer’s Agent the AD form Signed by Seller.
- B. **CONFIRMATION:** The following agency relationships are hereby confirmed for this transaction.
Seller’s Brokerage Firm _____ License Number _____
 Is the broker of (check one): the Seller; or both the Buyer and Seller (Dual Agent).
 Seller’s Agent _____ License Number _____
 Is (check one): the Seller’s Agent (Salesperson or broker associate); or both the Buyer’s and Seller’s Agent (Dual Agent).
Buyer’s Brokerage Firm _____ License Number _____
 Is the broker of (check one): the Buyer; or both the Buyer and Seller (Dual Agent).
 Buyer’s Agent _____ License Number _____
 Is (check one): the Buyer’s Agent (Salesperson or broker associate); or both the Buyer’s and Seller’s Agent (Dual Agent).
- C. More than one Brokerage represents Seller, Buyer. See, Additional Broker Acknowledgement (C.A.R. Form ABA).
- D. **POTENTIALLY COMPETING BUYERS AND SELLERS:** The Parties each acknowledge receipt of a “Possible Representation of More than One Buyer or Seller - Disclosure and Consent” (C.A.R. Form PRBS).

3. TERMS OF PURCHASE AND ALLOCATION OF COSTS: The items in this paragraph are contractual terms of the Agreement. Referenced paragraphs provide further explanation. This form is 17 pages. The Parties are advised to read all 17 pages.

Paragraph #	Paragraph Title or Contract Term	Terms and Conditions	Additional Terms
A	5, 5B (cash)	Purchase Price	\$ _____ <input type="checkbox"/> All Cash
B		Close Of Escrow (COE)	_____ Days after Acceptance OR on _____ (date)
C	33A	Expiration of Offer	3 calendar days after all Buyer Signature(s) or _____ (date), at 5PM or _____ <input type="checkbox"/> AM/ <input type="checkbox"/> PM
D(1)	5A(1)	Initial Deposit Amount	\$ _____ (_____% of purchase price) (% number above is for calculation purposes and is not a contractual term)
D(2)	5A(2)	<input type="checkbox"/> Increased Deposit (Money placed into escrow after the initial deposit. Use form DID at time increased deposit is made.)	\$ _____ (_____% of purchase price) (% number above is for calculation purposes and is not a contractual term) Upon removal of all contingencies OR <input type="checkbox"/> _____ (date) OR <input type="checkbox"/> _____
E(1)	5C(1)	Loan Amount(s): First Interest Rate _____ Points _____ If FHA or VA checked, Deliver list of lender required repairs	\$ _____ (_____% of purchase price) Fixed rate or <input type="checkbox"/> Initial adjustable rate • not to exceed _____% • Buyer to pay up to _____ points to obtain the rate above 17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance Conventional or, if checked, <input type="checkbox"/> FHA (Forms FVAC/HID attached) <input type="checkbox"/> VA (Form FVAC attached) <input type="checkbox"/> Seller Financing <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____
E(2)	5C(2)	Additional Financed Amount _____ Interest Rate _____ Points _____	\$ _____ (_____% of purchase price) Fixed rate or <input type="checkbox"/> Initial adjustable rate • not to exceed _____% • Buyer to pay up to _____ points to obtain the rate above Conventional or, if checked, <input type="checkbox"/> Seller Financing <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____
E(3)	7A	Occupancy Type	Primary, or if checked, <input type="checkbox"/> Secondary <input type="checkbox"/> Investment
F	5D	Balance of Down Payment	\$ _____
		PURCHASE PRICE TOTAL	\$ _____



Property Address: _____

Date: _____

	Paragraph #	Paragraph Title or Contract Term	Terms and Conditions	Additional Terms
G(1)	5E	Seller Credit, if any, to Buyer	<input type="checkbox"/> \$ _____ (_____ % of purchase price) (% number above is for calculation purposes and is not a contractual term)	Seller credit to be applied to closing costs OR <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____
G(2)	ADDITIONAL FINANCE TERMS: _____			
G(3)	18	<input type="checkbox"/> Seller agrees to pay the obligation of Buyer to compensate Buyer's Broker under a separate agreement (C.A.R. Form SPBB attached). Seller's Broker's offer, if any, to compensate Buyer's Broker is unaffected unless Otherwise Agreed.		
H(1)	5B	Verification of All Cash (sufficient funds)	Attached to the offer or <input type="checkbox"/> 3 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	
H(2)	6A	Verification of Down Payment and Closing Costs	Attached to the offer or <input type="checkbox"/> 3 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	
H(3)	6B	Verification of Loan Application	Attached to the offer or <input type="checkbox"/> 3 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	<input type="checkbox"/> Prequalification <input type="checkbox"/> Preapproval <input type="checkbox"/> Fully underwritten preapproval
I	Intentionally Left Blank			
J	16	Final Verification of Condition	5 (or _____) Days prior to COE	
K	23	Assignment Request	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	
L	CONTINGENCIES		TIME TO REMOVE CONTINGENCIES	CONTINGENCY REMOVED
L(1)	8A	Loan(s)	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	<input type="checkbox"/> No loan contingency
L(2)	8B	Appraisal: Appraisal contingency based upon appraised value at a minimum of purchase price or <input type="checkbox"/> \$ _____	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	<input type="checkbox"/> No appraisal contingency Removal of appraisal contingency does not eliminate appraisal cancellation rights in FVAC.
L(3)	8C, 12	Investigation of Property Informational Access to Property Buyer's right to access the Property for informational purposes is NOT a contingency, does NOT create cancellation rights, and applies even if contingencies are removed.	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance 17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	REMOVAL OR WAIVER OF CONTINGENCY: Any contingency in L(1)-L(8) may be removed or waived by checking the applicable box above or attaching a Contingency Removal (C.A.R. Form CR-B) and checking the applicable box therein. Removal or Waiver at time of offer is against Agent advice. See paragraph 8I . <input type="checkbox"/> CR-B attached
L(4)	8D	Insurance	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	
L(5)	8E, 14A	Review of Seller Documents	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance, or 5 Days after Delivery, whichever is later	
L(6)	8F, 13A	Preliminary ("Title") Report	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance or 5 Days after Delivery, whichever is later	
L(7)	8G, 11L	Common Interest Disclosures <i>Per Civil Code § 4525 or Agreement</i>	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance, or 5 Days after Delivery, whichever is later	
L(8)	8H, 9B(6)	Review of leased or liened items <i>(E.g. solar panels or propane tanks)</i>	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance, or 5 Days after Delivery, whichever is later	
L(9)	8K	Sale of Buyer's Property. Sale of Buyer's property is not a contingency, UNLESS checked here: <input type="checkbox"/> C.A.R. Form COP attached		
M	Possession		Time for Performance	Additional Terms
M(1)		Time of Possession	Upon notice of recordation, OR <input type="checkbox"/> 6 PM or <input type="checkbox"/> _____ <input type="checkbox"/> AM/ <input type="checkbox"/> PM on date specified, as applicable, in 3M(2) or attached TOPA.	
M(2)	7D	Seller Occupied or Vacant units	COE date or, if checked below, <input type="checkbox"/> _____ days after COE (29 or fewer days) <input type="checkbox"/> _____ days after COE (30 or more days)	C.A.R. Form SIP attached if 29 or fewer days. C.A.R. Form RLAS attached if 30 or more days.
M(3)	4A, 7A	Occupied units by tenants or anyone other than the Seller	<input type="checkbox"/> Tenant Occupied Property Addendum (C.A.R. Form TOPA) attached	Seller shall disclose if occupied by anyone other than Seller, and attach TOPA in a counter offer if not part of Buyer's offer.
N	Documents/Fees/Compliance		Time for Performance	
N(1)	14A	Seller Delivery of Documents	7 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	
N(2)	19B	Sign and return Escrow Holder Provisions and Instructions	5 (or _____) Days after Delivery	
N(3)	11L(2)	Time to pay fees for ordering HOA Documents	3 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	
N(4)	10B(1)	Install smoke alarm(s), CO detector(s), water heater bracing	7 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	
N(5)	3I	Evidence of representative authority	3 Days after Acceptance	
O	Intentionally Left Blank			



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P		Items Included and Excluded		
P(1)	9	Items Included - All items specified in Paragraph 9B are included and the following, if checked: <input type="checkbox"/> Stove(s), oven(s), stove/oven combo(s); <input type="checkbox"/> Refrigerator(s); <input type="checkbox"/> Wine Refrigerator(s); <input type="checkbox"/> Washer(s); <input type="checkbox"/> Dryer(s); <input type="checkbox"/> Dishwasher(s); <input type="checkbox"/> Microwave(s); Additional Items Included: <input type="checkbox"/> _____ <input type="checkbox"/> _____		
		<input type="checkbox"/> Video doorbell(s); <input type="checkbox"/> Security camera equipment; <input type="checkbox"/> Security system(s)/alarm(s), other than separate video doorbell and camera equipment; <input type="checkbox"/> Smart home control devices; <input type="checkbox"/> Wall mounted brackets for video or audio equipment; <input type="checkbox"/> _____ <input type="checkbox"/> _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Above-ground pool(s) / <input type="checkbox"/> spa(s); <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Bathroom mirrors, unless excluded below; <input type="checkbox"/> Electric car charging systems and stations; <input type="checkbox"/> Potted trees/shrubs; <input type="checkbox"/> _____ <input type="checkbox"/> _____	
P(2)		Excluded Items: <input type="checkbox"/> _____; <input type="checkbox"/> _____; <input type="checkbox"/> _____;		

Q Allocation of Costs				
	Paragraph #	Item Description	Who Pays (if Both is checked, cost to be split equally unless Otherwise Agreed)	Additional Terms
Q(1)	10A, 11A	Natural Hazard Zone Disclosure Report, including tax information	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Provided by: _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Environmental <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____
Q(2)		Optional Wildfire Disclosure Report	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	Provided by: _____
Q(3)		(A) _____ Report (B) _____ Report	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____ <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
Q(4)	10B(1)	Smoke alarms, CO detectors, water heater bracing	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
Q(5)	10A 10B(2)	Government Required Point of Sale inspections, reports	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
Q(6)	10B(2)	Government Required Point of Sale corrective/remedial actions	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
Q(7)	19B	Escrow Fee	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____ Escrow Holder: _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Each to pay their own fees
Q(8)	13	Owner's title insurance policy	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____ Title Co. (If different from Escrow Holder): _____	
Q(9)		Buyer's Lender title insurance policy	Buyer	Unless Otherwise Agreed, Buyer shall purchase any title insurance policy insuring Buyer's lender.
Q(10)		County transfer tax, fees	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
Q(11)		City transfer tax, fees	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
Q(12)	11L(2)	HOA fee for preparing disclosures	Seller	
Q(13)		HOA certification fee	Buyer	
Q(14)		HOA transfer fees	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	Unless Otherwise Agreed, Seller shall pay for separate HOA move-out fee and Buyer shall pay for separate move-in fee. Applies if separately billed or itemized with cost in transfer fee.
Q(15)		Private transfer fees	Seller, or if checked, <input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
Q(16)		_____ fees or costs	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
Q(17)		_____ fees or costs	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
Q(18)	10C	Home warranty plan chosen by Buyer. Coverage includes, but is not limited to: _____ _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Buyer waives home warranty plan	If Seller or Both checked, Seller's cost not to exceed \$ _____. Issued by: _____

R	OTHER TERMS: _____			
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4. **PROPERTY ADDENDA AND ADVISORIES:** (check all that apply)

A. PROPERTY TYPE ADDENDA: This Agreement is subject to the terms contained in the Addenda checked below:

- Tenant Occupied Property Addendum (C.A.R. Form TOPA) (Should be checked whether current tenants will remain or not.)
- Probate Agreement Purchase Addendum (C.A.R. Form PA-PA)
- Manufactured Home Purchase Addendum (C.A.R. Form MH-PA)
- Tenancy in Common Purchase Addendum (C.A.R. Form TIC-PA)
- Stock Cooperative Purchase Addendum (C.A.R. Form COOP-PA)
- Mixed Use Purchase Addendum (C.A.R. Form MU-PA) Other _____

B. OTHER ADDENDA: This Agreement is subject to the terms contained in the Addenda checked below:

- Addendum # _____ (C.A.R. Form ADM) Short Sale Addendum (C.A.R. Form SSA)
- Back Up Offer Addendum (C.A.R. Form BUO) Court Confirmation Addendum (C.A.R. Form CCA)
- Septic, Well, Property Monument and Propane Addendum (C.A.R. Form SWPI)
- Buyer Intent to Exchange Addendum (C.A.R. Form BXA) Seller Intent to Exchange Addendum (C.A.R. Form SXA)
- Other _____ Other _____

C. BUYER AND SELLER ADVISORIES: (Note: All Advisories below are provided for reference purposes only and are not intended to be incorporated into this Agreement.)

- Buyer's Investigation Advisory (C.A.R. Form BIA)
- Wire Fraud Advisory (C.A.R. Form WFA)
- Wildfire Disaster Advisory (C.A.R. Form WFDA)
- Trust Advisory (C.A.R. Form TA)
- REO Advisory (C.A.R. Form REO)
- Other: _____
- Fair Housing and Discrimination Advisory (C.A.R. Form FHDA)
- Cal. Consumer Privacy Act Advisory (C.A.R. Form CCPA)
(Parties may also receive a privacy disclosure from their own Agent.)
- Statewide Buyer and Seller Advisory (C.A.R. Form SBSA)
- Short Sale Information and Advisory (C.A.R. Form SSIA)
- Probate Advisory (C.A.R. Form PA)
- Other _____

5. **ADDITIONAL TERMS AFFECTING PURCHASE PRICE:** Buyer represents that funds will be good when deposited with Escrow Holder.

A. DEPOSIT:

- (1) **INITIAL DEPOSIT:** Buyer shall deliver deposit directly to Escrow Holder. If a method other than wire transfer is specified in **paragraph 3D(1)** and such method is unacceptable to Escrow Holder, then upon notice from Escrow Holder, delivery shall be by wire transfer.
- (2) **INCREASED DEPOSIT:** Increased deposit specified in **paragraph 3D(2)** is to be delivered to Escrow Holder in the same manner as the Initial Deposit. If the Parties agree to liquidated damages in this Agreement, they also agree to incorporate the increased deposit into the liquidated damages amount by signing a new liquidated damages clause (C.A.R. Form DID) at the time the increased deposit is delivered to Escrow Holder.
- (3) **RETENTION OF DEPOSIT: Paragraph 26, if initialed by all Parties or otherwise incorporated into this Agreement, specifies a remedy for Buyer's default. Buyer and Seller are advised to consult with a qualified California real estate attorney: (i) Before adding any other clause specifying a remedy (such as release or forfeiture of deposit or making a deposit non-refundable) for failure of Buyer to complete the purchase. Any such clause shall be deemed invalid unless the clause independently satisfies the statutory liquidated damages requirements set forth in the Civil Code; and (ii) Regarding possible liability and remedies if Buyer fails to deliver the deposit.**

B. ALL CASH OFFER: If an all cash offer is specified in **paragraph 3A**, no loan is needed to purchase the Property. This Agreement is NOT contingent on Buyer obtaining a loan. Buyer shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3H(1)**, Deliver written verification of funds sufficient for the purchase price and closing costs.

C. LOAN(S):

- (1) **FIRST LOAN:** This loan will provide for conventional financing **UNLESS** FHA, VA, Seller Financing (C.A.R. Form SFA), or Other is checked in **paragraph 3E(1)**.
- (2) **ADDITIONAL FINANCED AMOUNT:** If an additional financed amount is specified in **paragraph 3E(2)**, that amount will provide for conventional financing **UNLESS** Seller Financing (C.A.R. Form SFA), or Other is checked in **paragraph 3E(2)**.
- (3) **BUYER'S LOAN STATUS:** Buyer authorizes Seller and Seller's Authorized Agent to contact Buyer's lender(s) to determine the status of any Buyer's loan specified in **paragraph 3E**, or any alternate loan Buyer pursues, whether or not a contingency of this Agreement. If the contact information for Buyer's lender(s) is different from that provided under the terms of **paragraph 6B**, Buyer shall Deliver the updated contact information within 1 Day of Seller's request.
- (4) **FHA/VA: If FHA or VA is checked in paragraph 3E(1)**, a FHA/VA amendatory clause (C.A.R. Form FVAC) shall be incorporated and Signed by all Parties. Buyer shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3E(1)**, Deliver to Seller written notice (C.A.R. Form RR or AEA) (i) of any lender requirements that Buyer requests Seller to pay for or otherwise correct or (ii) that there are no lender requirements. Notwithstanding Seller's agreement that Buyer may obtain FHA or VA financing, Seller has no obligation to pay or satisfy any or all lender requirements unless agreed in writing.

D. BALANCE OF PURCHASE PRICE (DOWN PAYMENT, paragraph 3F) (including all-cash funds) to be deposited with Escrow Holder pursuant to Escrow Holder instructions.

E. LIMITS ON CREDITS TO BUYER: Any credit to Buyer as specified in **paragraph 3G(1)** or Otherwise Agreed, from any source, for closing or other costs that is agreed to by the Parties ("Contractual Credit") shall be disclosed to Buyer's lender, if any, and made at Close Of Escrow. If the total credit allowed by Buyer's lender ("Lender Allowable Credit") is less than the Contractual Credit, then (i) the Contractual Credit from Seller shall be reduced to the Lender Allowable Credit, and (ii) in the absence of a separate written agreement between the Parties, there shall be no automatic adjustment to the purchase price to make up for the difference between the Contractual Credit and the Lender Allowable Credit.

6. **ADDITIONAL FINANCING TERMS:**

A. VERIFICATION OF DOWN PAYMENT AND CLOSING COSTS: Written verification of Buyer's down payment and closing costs, within the time specified in **paragraph 3H(2)** may be made by Buyer or Buyer's lender or loan broker pursuant to **paragraph 6B**.

B. VERIFICATION OF LOAN APPLICATIONS: Buyer shall Deliver to Seller, within the time specified in **paragraph 3H(3)** a letter from Buyer's lender or loan broker stating that, based on a review of Buyer's written application and credit report, Buyer is prequalified or preapproved for any NEW loan specified in **paragraph 3E**. If any loan specified in **paragraph 3E** is an adjustable rate loan, the prequalification or preapproval letter shall be based on the qualifying rate, not the initial loan rate.



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- C. BUYER STATED FINANCING:** Seller is relying on Buyer's representation of the type of financing specified (including, but not limited to, as applicable, all cash, amount of down payment, or contingent or non-contingent loan). Seller has agreed to a specific closing date, purchase price, and to sell to Buyer in reliance on Buyer's specified financing. Buyer shall pursue the financing specified in this Agreement, even if Buyer also elects to pursue an alternative form of financing. Seller has no obligation to cooperate with Buyer's efforts to obtain any financing other than that specified in this Agreement but shall not interfere with closing at the purchase price on the COE date (**paragraph 3B**) even if based upon alternate financing. Buyer's inability to obtain alternate financing does not excuse Buyer from the obligation to purchase the Property and close escrow as specified in this Agreement.
- 7. CLOSING AND POSSESSION:**
- A. OCCUPANCY:** If Buyer intends to occupy as a primary or secondary residence (see **paragraph 3E(3)**), and unless Otherwise Agreed, such as in C.A.R. Form TOPA: **(i)** the unit Buyer intends to occupy shall be vacant at the time possession is delivered to Buyer, and **(ii)** if the Property contains more than one unit, within **3 Days** after Acceptance Buyer shall give Seller written notice of which unit Buyer intends to occupy. Occupancy may impact available financing. **Seller shall disclose to Buyer if occupied by tenants or persons other than Seller, and attach C.A.R. Form TOPA in a counter offer if not part of Buyer's offer.**
- B. CONDITION OF PROPERTY ON CLOSING:**
Unless Otherwise Agreed: **(i)** the Property shall be delivered "**As-Is**" in its PRESENT physical condition as of the date of Acceptance; **(ii)** the Property, including pool, spa, landscaping and grounds, is to be maintained in substantially the same condition as on the date of Acceptance; **(iii) Except as specified in paragraph 9C, Seller is not responsible to repair any holes left after the removal of any wall hangings (such as pictures and mirrors), brackets, nails or other fastening devices; and (iv)** all debris and personal property not included in the sale shall be removed by Close Of Escrow or at the time possession is delivered to Buyer, if not on the same date. If items are not removed when possession is delivered to Buyer, all items shall be deemed abandoned. Buyer, after first Delivering to Seller written notice to remove the items within **3 Days**, may pay to have such items removed or disposed of and may bring legal action, as per this Agreement, to receive reasonable costs from Seller.
- C. Buyer is strongly advised to conduct investigations of the entire Property in order to determine its present condition. Seller and Agents may not be aware of all defects affecting the Property or other factors that Buyer considers important. Property improvements may not be built according to code, in compliance with current Law, or have had all required permits issued and/or finalized.**
- D. SELLER REMAINING IN POSSESSION AFTER CLOSE OF ESCROW:** If Seller has the right to remain in possession after Close Of Escrow pursuant to **paragraph 3M(2)** or as Otherwise Agreed: The Parties are advised to **(i)** consult with their insurance and legal advisors for information about liability and damage or injury to persons and personal and real property; and **(ii)** consult with a qualified California real estate attorney where the Property is located to determine the ongoing rights and responsibilities of both Buyer and Seller with regard to each other, including possible tenant rights, and what type of written agreement to use to document the relationship between the Parties. Buyer is advised to consult with Buyer's lender about the impact of Seller's occupancy on Buyer's loan.
- E. At Close Of Escrow: (i)** Seller assigns to Buyer any assignable warranty rights for items included in the sale; and **(ii)** Seller shall Deliver to Buyer available Copies of any such warranties. Agents cannot and will not determine the assignability of any warranties.
- F. Seller shall, on Close Of Escrow unless Otherwise Agreed and even if Seller remains in possession, provide keys, passwords, codes and/or means to operate all locks, mailboxes, security systems, alarms, home automation systems, intranet and Internet-connected devices included in the purchase price, garage door openers, and all items included in either **paragraph 3P** or **paragraph 9**. If the Property is a condominium or located in a common interest development, Seller shall be responsible for securing or providing any such items for Association amenities, facilities, and access. Buyer may be required to pay a deposit to the Homeowners' Association ("HOA") to obtain keys to accessible HOA facilities.**
- 8. CONTINGENCIES AND REMOVAL OF CONTINGENCIES:**
- A. LOAN(S):**
- (1) This Agreement is, **unless otherwise specified in paragraph 3L(1) or an attached CR-B form**, contingent upon Buyer obtaining the loan(s) specified. If contingent, Buyer shall act diligently and in good faith to obtain the designated loan(s). **If there is no appraisal contingency or the appraisal contingency has been waived or removed, then failure of the Property to appraise at the purchase price does not entitle Buyer to exercise the cancellation right pursuant to the loan contingency if Buyer is otherwise qualified for the specified loan and Buyer is able to satisfy lender's non-appraisal conditions for closing the loan.**
- (2) Buyer is advised to investigate the insurability of the Property as early as possible, as this may be a requirement for lending. Buyer's ability to obtain insurance for the Property, including fire insurance, is part of Buyer's **Insurance** contingency. Failure of Buyer to obtain insurance may justify cancellation based on the **Insurance** contingency but not the loan contingency.
- (3) Buyer's contractual obligations regarding deposit, balance of down payment and closing costs **are not contingencies** of this Agreement, unless Otherwise Agreed.
- (4) If there is an appraisal contingency, removal of the loan contingency shall not be deemed removal of the appraisal contingency.
- (5) **NO LOAN CONTINGENCY:** If "No loan contingency" is checked in **paragraph 3L(1)**, obtaining any loan specified is NOT a contingency of this Agreement. If Buyer does not obtain the loan specified, and as a result is unable to purchase the Property, Seller may be entitled to Buyer's deposit or other legal remedies.
- B. APPRAISAL:**
- (1) This Agreement is, **unless otherwise specified in paragraph 3L(2) or an attached CR-B form**, contingent upon a written appraisal of the Property by a licensed or certified appraiser at no less than the amount specified in **paragraph 3L(2)**, without requiring repairs or improvements to the Property. Appraisals are often a reliable source to verify square footage of the subject Property. However, the ability to cancel based on the measurements provided in an appraisal falls within the Investigation of Property contingency. The appraisal contingency is solely limited to the value determined by the appraisal. For any cancellation based upon this appraisal contingency, Buyer shall Deliver a Copy of the written appraisal to Seller, upon request by Seller.
- (2) **NO APPRAISAL CONTINGENCY:** If "No appraisal contingency" is checked in **paragraph 3L(2)**, then Buyer may not use the loan contingency specified in **paragraph 3L(1)** to cancel this Agreement if the sole reason for not obtaining the loan is that the appraisal relied upon by Buyer's lender values the property at an amount less than that specified in **paragraph 3L(2)**. If Buyer is unable to obtain the loan specified solely for this reason, Seller may be entitled to Buyer's deposit or other legal remedies.
- (3) Fair Appraisal Act: **See paragraph 29 for additional information.**
- C. INVESTIGATION OF PROPERTY:** This Agreement is, as specified in **paragraph 3L(3)**, contingent upon Buyer's acceptance of the condition of, and any other matter affecting, the Property. See **paragraph 12**.
- D. INSURANCE:** This Agreement is, as specified in **paragraph 3L(4)**, contingent upon Buyer's assessment of the availability and approval of the cost for any insurance policy desired under this Agreement.

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- E. REVIEW OF SELLER DOCUMENTS:** This Agreement is, as specified in **paragraph 3L(5)**, contingent upon Buyer's review and approval of Seller's documents required in **paragraph 14A**.
- F. TITLE:**
- (1) This Agreement is, as specified in **paragraph 3L(6)**, contingent upon Buyer's ability to obtain the title policy provided for in **paragraph 13G** and on Buyer's review of a current Preliminary Report and items that are disclosed or observable even if not on record or not specified in the Preliminary Report, and satisfying Buyer regarding the current status of title. Buyer is advised to review all underlying documents and other matters affecting title, including, but not limited to, any documents or deeds referenced in the Preliminary Report and any plotted easements.
 - (2) Buyer has **5 Days** after receipt to review a revised Preliminary Report, if any, furnished by the Title Company and cancel the transaction if the revised Preliminary Report reveals material or substantial deviations from a previously provided Preliminary Report.
- G. CONDOMINIUM/PLANNED DEVELOPMENT DISCLOSURES (IF APPLICABLE):** This Agreement is, as specified in **paragraph 3L(7)**, contingent upon Buyer's review and approval of Common Interest Disclosures required by Civil Code § 4525 and under **paragraph 11L** ("CI Disclosures").
- H. BUYER REVIEW OF LEASED OR LIENED ITEMS CONTINGENCY:** Buyer's review of and ability and willingness to assume any lease, maintenance agreement or other ongoing financial obligation, or to accept the Property subject to any lien, disclosed pursuant to **paragraph 9B(6)**, is, as specified in **paragraph 3L(8)**, a contingency of this Agreement. Any assumption of the lease shall not require any financial obligation or contribution by Seller. Seller, after first Delivering a Notice to Buyer to Perform, may cancel this Agreement if Buyer, by the time specified in **paragraph 3L(8)**, refuses to enter into any necessary written agreements to accept responsibility for all obligations of Seller-disclosed leased or lienied items.
- I. REMOVAL OR WAIVER OF CONTINGENCIES WITH OFFER:** Buyer shall have no obligation to remove a contractual contingency unless Seller has provided all required documents, reports, disclosures, and information pertaining to that contingency. If Buyer does remove a contingency without first receiving all required information from Seller, Buyer is relinquishing any contractual rights that apply to that contingency. **If Buyer removes or waives any contingencies without an adequate understanding of the Property's condition or Buyer's ability to purchase, Buyer is acting against the advice of Agent.**
- J. REMOVAL OF CONTINGENCY OR CANCELLATION:**
- (1) **For any contingency specified in paragraph 3L, 8, or elsewhere, Buyer shall, within the applicable period specified, remove the contingency or cancel this Agreement.**
 - (2) For the contingencies for review of Seller Documents, Preliminary Report, and Condominium/Planned Development Disclosures, Buyer shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3L** or **5 Days** after Delivery of Seller Documents or CI Disclosures, whichever occurs later, remove the applicable contingency in writing or cancel this Agreement.
 - (3) If Buyer does not remove a contingency within the time specified, Seller, after first giving Buyer a Notice to Buyer to Perform (C.A.R. Form NBP), shall have the right to cancel this Agreement.
- K. SALE OF BUYER'S PROPERTY:** This Agreement and Buyer's ability to obtain financing are NOT contingent upon the sale of any property owned by Buyer unless the Sale of Buyer's Property (C.A.R. Form COP) is checked as a contingency of this Agreement in **paragraph 3L(9)**.
- 9. ITEMS INCLUDED IN AND EXCLUDED FROM SALE:**
- A. NOTE TO BUYER AND SELLER:** Items listed as included or excluded in the Multiple Listing Service (MLS), flyers, marketing materials, or disclosures are NOT included in the purchase price or excluded from the sale unless specified in this paragraph or **paragraph 3P** or as Otherwise Agreed. Any items included herein are components of the home and are not intended to affect the price. All items are transferred without Seller warranty.
- B. ITEMS INCLUDED IN SALE:**
- (1) All EXISTING fixtures and fittings that are attached to the Property;
 - (2) EXISTING electrical, mechanical, lighting, plumbing and heating fixtures, ceiling fans, fireplace inserts, gas logs and grates, solar power systems, built-in appliances and appliances for which special openings or encasements have been made (whether or not checked in **paragraph 3P**), window and door screens, awnings, shutters, window coverings (which includes blinds, curtains, drapery, shutters or any other materials that cover any portion of the window) and any associated hardware and rods, attached floor coverings, television antennas, satellite dishes, air coolers/conditioners, pool/spa equipment (including, but not limited to, any cleaning equipment such as motorized/automatic pool cleaners, pool heaters, pool nets, pool covers), garage door openers/remote controls, mailbox, in-ground landscaping, water features and fountains, water softeners, water purifiers, light bulbs (including smart bulbs) and all items specified as included in **paragraph 3P**, **if currently existing at the time of Acceptance.**
Note: If Seller does not intend to include any item specified as being included above because it is not owned by Seller, whether placed on the Property by Agent, stager or other third party, the item should be listed as being excluded in **paragraph 3P** or excluded by Seller in a counter offer.
 - (3) Security System includes any devices, hardware, software, or control units used to monitor and secure the Property, including but not limited to, any motion detectors, door or window alarms, and any other equipment utilized for such purpose. If checked in **paragraph 3P**, all such items are included in the sale, whether hard wired or not.
 - (4) Home Automation (Smart Home Features) includes any electronic devices and features including, but not limited to, thermostat controls, kitchen appliances not otherwise excluded, and lighting systems, that are connected (hard wired or wirelessly) to a control unit, computer, tablet, phone, or other "smart" device. Any Smart Home devices and features that are physically affixed to the real property, and also existing light bulbs, are included in the sale. Buyer is advised to use **paragraph 3P(1)** or an addendum to address more directly specific items to be included. Seller is advised to use a counter offer to address more directly any items to be excluded.
 - (5) Non-Dedicated Devices: If checked in **paragraph 3P**, all smart home and security system control devices are included in the sale, except for any non-dedicated personal computer, tablet, or phone used to control such features. Buyer acknowledges that a separate device and access to wifi or Internet may be required to operate some smart home features and Buyer may have to obtain such device after Close Of Escrow. Seller shall de-list any devices from any personal accounts and shall cooperate with any transfer of services to Buyer. Buyer is advised to change all passwords and ensure the security of any smart home features.
 - (6) **LEASED OR LIENED ITEMS AND SYSTEMS:** Seller, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, shall (i) disclose to Buyer if any item or system specified in **paragraph 3P** or **9B** or otherwise included in the sale is leased, or not owned by Seller, or is subject to any maintenance or other ongoing financial obligation, or specifically subject to a lien or other encumbrance or loan, and (ii) Deliver to Buyer all written materials (such as lease, warranty, financing, etc.) concerning any such item.

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(7) Seller represents that all items included in the purchase price, unless Otherwise Agreed, (i) are owned by Seller and shall be transferred free and clear of liens and encumbrances, except the items and systems identified pursuant to **paragraph 9B(6)**, and (ii) are transferred without Seller warranty regardless of value. Seller shall cooperate with the identification of any software or applications and Buyer's efforts to transfer any services needed to operate any Smart Home Features or other items included in this Agreement, including, but not limited to, utilities or security systems.

C. ITEMS EXCLUDED FROM SALE: Unless Otherwise Agreed, the following items are excluded from sale: (i) All items specified in **paragraph 3P(2)**; (ii) audio and video components (such as flat screen TVs, speakers and other items) if any such item is not itself attached to the Property, even if a bracket or other mechanism attached to the component or item is attached to the Property; (iii) furniture and other items secured to the Property for earthquake or safety purposes. **Unless otherwise specified in paragraph 3P(1), brackets attached to walls, floors or ceilings for any such component, furniture or item will be removed and holes or other damage shall be repaired, but not painted.**

10. ALLOCATION OF COSTS:

A. INSPECTIONS, REPORTS, TESTS AND CERTIFICATES: Paragraphs **3Q(1), (2), (3), and (5)** only determines who is to pay for the inspection, report, test, certificate or service mentioned; **it does not determine who is to pay for any work recommended or identified in any such document. Agreements for payment of required work should be specified elsewhere in paragraph 3Q, or 3R, or in a separate agreement (such as C.A.R. Forms RR, RRRR, ADM or AEA).** Any reports in these paragraphs shall be Delivered in the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**.

B. GOVERNMENT REQUIREMENTS AND CORRECTIVE OR REMEDIAL ACTIONS:

(1) **LEGALLY REQUIRED INSTALLATIONS AND PROPERTY IMPROVEMENTS:** Any required installation of smoke alarm or carbon monoxide device(s) or securing of water heater shall be completed within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(4)** and paid by the Party specified in **paragraph 3Q(4)**. If Buyer is to pay for these items, Buyer, as instructed by Escrow Holder, shall deposit funds into escrow or directly to the vendor completing the repair or installation. Prior to Close Of Escrow, Seller shall Deliver to Buyer written statement(s) of compliance in accordance with any Law, unless Seller is exempt. If Seller is to pay for these items and does not fulfill Seller's obligation in the time specified, and Buyer incurs costs to comply with lender requirements concerning those items, Seller shall be responsible for Buyer's costs.

(2) **POINT OF SALE REQUIREMENTS:**

(A) Point of sale inspections, reports and repairs refer to any such actions required to be completed before or after Close Of Escrow that are required in order to close under any Law and paid by Party specified in **paragraphs 3Q(5) and 3Q(6)**. Unless Parties Otherwise Agree to another time period, any such repair, shall be completed prior to final verification of Property. If Buyer agrees to pay for any portion of such repair, Buyer, shall (i) directly pay to the vendor completing the repair or (ii) provide an invoice to Escrow Holder, deposit funds into escrow sufficient to pay for Buyer's portion of such repair and request Escrow Holder pay the vendor completing the repair.

(B) Buyer shall be provided, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, unless Parties Otherwise Agree to another time period, a Copy of any required government-conducted or point-of-sale inspection report prepared pursuant to this Agreement or in anticipation of this sale of the Property.

(3) **REINSPECTION FEES:** If any repair in **paragraph 10B(1)** is not completed within the time specified and the lender requires an additional inspection to be made, Seller shall be responsible for any corresponding reinspection fee. If Buyer incurs costs to comply with lender requirements concerning those items, Seller shall be responsible for those costs.

(4) **INFORMATION AND ADVICE ON REQUIREMENTS:** Buyer and Seller are advised to seek information from a knowledgeable source regarding local and State mandates and whether they are point of sale requirements or requirements of ownership. Agents do not have expertise in this area and cannot ascertain all of the requirements or costs of compliance.

C. HOME WARRANTY:

(1) Buyer shall choose the home warranty plan and any optional coverages. Buyer shall pay any cost of that plan, chosen by Buyer, that exceeds the amount allocated to Seller in **paragraph 3Q(18)**. Buyer is informed that home warranty plans have many optional coverages, including but not limited to, coverages for Air Conditioner and Pool/Spa. Buyer is advised to investigate these coverages to determine those that may be suitable for Buyer and their cost.

(2) **If Buyer waives the purchase of a home warranty plan in paragraph 3Q(18), Buyer may still purchase a home warranty plan, at Buyer's expense, prior to Close Of Escrow.**

11. STATUTORY AND OTHER DISCLOSURES (INCLUDING LEAD-BASED PAINT HAZARD DISCLOSURES) AND CANCELLATION RIGHTS:

A. TDS, NHD, AND OTHER STATUTORY AND SUPPLEMENTAL DISCLOSURES:

(1) Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, Deliver to Buyer: unless exempt, fully completed disclosures or notices required by §§ 1102 et. seq. and 1103 et. seq. of the Civil Code ("Statutory Disclosures"). Statutory Disclosures include, but are not limited to, a Real Estate Transfer Disclosure Statement (C.A.R. Form TDS), Natural Hazard Disclosure Statement ("NHD"), notice or actual knowledge of release of illegal controlled substance, notice of special tax and/or assessments (or, if allowed, substantially equivalent notice regarding the Mello-Roos Community Facilities Act of 1982 and Improvement Bond Act of 1915) and, if Seller has actual knowledge, of industrial use and military ordnance location (C.A.R. Form SPQ or ESD), and, if the Property is in a high or very high fire hazard severity area, the information, notices, documentation, and agreements required by §§ 1102.6(f) and 1102.19 of the Civil Code (C.A.R. Form FHDS).

(2) The Real Estate Transfer Disclosure Statement required by this paragraph is considered fully completed if Seller has completed the section titled Coordination with Other Disclosure Forms by checking a box (Section I), and Seller has completed and answered all questions and Signed the Seller's Information section (Section II) and the Seller's Agent, if any, has completed and Signed the Seller's Agent's section (Section III), or, if applicable, an Agent Visual Inspection Disclosure (C.A.R. Form AVID). Section V acknowledgment of receipt of a Copy of the TDS shall be Signed after all previous sections, if applicable, have been completed. Nothing stated herein relieves a Buyer's Agent, if any, from the obligation to (i) conduct a reasonably competent and diligent visual inspection of the accessible areas of the Property and disclose, on Section IV of the TDS, or an AVID, material facts affecting the value or desirability of the Property that were or should have been revealed by such an inspection or (ii) complete any sections on all disclosures required to be completed by Buyer's Agent.

(3) Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, provide "Supplemental Disclosures" as follows: (i) unless exempt from the obligation to provide a TDS, complete a Seller Property Questionnaire (C.A.R. Form SPQ) by answering all questions and Signing and Delivering a Copy to Buyer; (ii) if exempt from the obligation to provide a TDS, complete an Exempt Seller Disclosure (C.A.R. Form ESD) by answering all questions and Signing and Delivering a Copy to Buyer.

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- (4) In the event Seller or Seller's Agent, prior to Close Of Escrow, becomes aware of adverse conditions materially affecting the Property, or any material inaccuracy in disclosures, information or representations previously provided to Buyer under this paragraph, Seller shall, in writing, promptly provide a subsequent or amended TDS, Seller Property Questionnaire or other document, in writing, covering those items. Any such document shall be deemed an amendment to the TDS or SPQ. **However, a subsequent or amended disclosure shall not be required for conditions and material inaccuracies of which Buyer is otherwise aware, or which are discovered by Buyer or disclosed in reports or documents provided to or ordered and paid for by Buyer.**

B. LEAD DISCLOSURES:

- (1) Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, for any residential property built before January 1, 1978, unless exempted by Law, Deliver to Buyer a fully completed Federal Lead-Based Paint Disclosures (C.A.R. Form LPD) and pamphlet ("Lead Disclosures").
- (2) Buyer shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3L(3)**, have the opportunity to conduct a risk assessment or to inspect for the presence of lead-based paint hazards.

C. HOME FIRE HARDENING DISCLOSURE AND ADVISORY: For any transaction where a TDS is required, the property is located in a high or very high fire hazard severity zone, and the home was constructed before January 1, 2010, Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, Deliver to Buyer: **(i)** a home hardening disclosure required by law; and **(ii)** a statement of features of which the Seller is aware that may make the home vulnerable to wildfire and flying embers; and **(iii)** a final inspection report regarding compliance with defensible space requirements if one was prepared pursuant to Government Code § 51182 (C.A.R. Form FHDS).

D. DEFENSIBLE SPACE DISCLOSURE AND ADDENDUM: For any transaction in which a TDS is required and the property is located in a high or very high fire hazard severity zone, Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, Deliver to Buyer **(i)** a disclosure of whether the Property is in compliance with any applicable defensible space laws designed to protect a structure on the Property from fire; and **(ii)** an addendum allocating responsibility for compliance with any such defensible space law (C.A.R. Form FHDS).

E. WAIVER PROHIBITED: Waiver of Statutory, Lead, and other Disclosures in **paragraphs 11A(1), 11B, 11C, and 11D** are prohibited by Law.

F. RETURN OF SIGNED COPIES: Buyer shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3L(5) OR 5 Days** after Delivery of any disclosures specified in **paragraphs 11A, B, C or D**, and defensible space addendum in **paragraph 11D**, whichever is later, return Signed Copies of the disclosures, and if applicable, addendum, to Seller.

G. TERMINATION RIGHTS:

- (1) **Statutory and Other Disclosures:** If any disclosure specified in **paragraphs 11A, B, C, or D**, or subsequent or amended disclosure to those just specified, is Delivered to Buyer after the offer is Signed, Buyer shall have the right to terminate this Agreement within **3 Days** after Delivery in person, or **5 Days** after Delivery by deposit in the mail, or by an electronic record or email satisfying the Uniform Electronic Transactions Act (UETA), by giving written notice of rescission to Seller or Seller's Authorized Agent. If Buyer does not rescind within this time period, Buyer has been deemed to have approved the disclosure and shall not have the right to cancel.
- (2) **Defensible Space Compliance:** If, by the time specified in **paragraph 11F**, Buyer does not agree to the terms regarding defensible space compliance Delivered by Seller, as indicated by mutual signatures on the FHDS, then Seller, after first Delivering a Notice to Buyer to Perform, may cancel this Agreement.

H. WITHHOLDING TAXES: Buyer and Seller hereby instruct Escrow Holder to withhold the applicable required amounts to comply with federal and California withholding Laws and forward such amounts to the Internal Revenue Service and Franchise Tax Board, respectively. However, no federal withholding is required if, prior to Close Of Escrow, Seller Delivers **(i)** to Buyer and Escrow Holder a fully completed affidavit (C.A.R. Form AS) sufficient to avoid withholding pursuant to federal withholding Law (FIRPTA); **OR (ii)** to a qualified substitute (usually a title company or an independent escrow company) a fully completed affidavit (C.A.R. Form AS) sufficient to avoid withholding pursuant to federal withholding Law AND the qualified substitute Delivers to Buyer and Escrow Holder an affidavit signed under penalty of perjury (C.A.R. Form QS) that the qualified substitute has received the fully completed Seller's affidavit and the Seller states that no federal withholding is required; **OR (iii)** to Buyer other documentation satisfying the requirements under Internal Revenue Code § 1445 (FIRPTA). No withholding is required under California Law if, prior to Close Of Escrow, Escrow Holder has received sufficient documentation from Seller that no withholding is required, and Buyer has been informed by Escrow Holder.

I. MEGAN'S LAW DATABASE DISCLOSURE: Notice: Pursuant to § 290.46 of the Penal Code, information about specified registered sex offenders is made available to the public via an Internet Web site maintained by the Department of Justice at **www.meganslaw.ca.gov**. Depending on an offender's criminal history, this information will include either the address at which the offender resides or the community of residence and ZIP Code in which he or she resides. (Neither Seller nor Agent are required to check this website. If Buyer wants further information, Agent recommends that Buyer obtain information from this website during Buyer's investigation contingency period. Agents do not have expertise in this area.)

J. NOTICE REGARDING GAS AND HAZARDOUS LIQUID TRANSMISSION PIPELINES: This notice is being provided simply to inform you that information about the general location of gas and hazardous liquid transmission pipelines is available to the public via the National Pipeline Mapping System (NPMS) Internet Web site maintained by the United States Department of Transportation at **http://www.npms.phmsa.dot.gov/**. To seek further information about possible transmission pipelines near the Property, you may contact your local gas utility or other pipeline operators in the area. Contact information for pipeline operators is searchable by ZIP Code and county on the NPMS Internet Website. (Neither Seller nor Agent are required to check this website. If Buyer wants further information, Agent recommends that Buyer obtain information from this website during Buyer's investigation contingency period. Agents do not have expertise in this area.)

K. NATURAL AND ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS: Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, if required by Law: **(i)** Deliver to Buyer the earthquake guide and environmental hazards booklet, and for all residential property with 1-4 units and any manufactured or mobile home built before January 1, 1960, fully complete and Deliver the Residential Earthquake Risk Disclosure Statement; and **(ii)** even if exempt from the obligation to provide a NHD, disclose if the Property is located in a Special Flood Hazard Area; Potential Flooding (Inundation) Area; Very High Fire Hazard Zone; State Fire Responsibility Area; Earthquake Fault Zone; Seismic Hazard Zone; and **(iii)** disclose any other zone as required by Law and provide any other information required for those zones.

L. CONDOMINIUM/PLANNED DEVELOPMENT DISCLOSURES:

- (1) Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, disclose to Buyer whether the Property is a condominium or is located in a planned development, other common interest development, or otherwise subject to covenants, conditions, and restrictions (C.A.R. Form SPQ or ESD).



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(2) If the Property is a condominium or is located in a planned development or other common interest development with a HOA, Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(3)**, order from, and pay any required fee as specified in **paragraph 3Q(12)** for the following items to the HOA (C.A.R. Form HOA-IR): (i) Copies of any documents required by Law (C.A.R. Form HOA-RS); (ii) disclosure of any pending or anticipated claim or litigation by or against the HOA; (iii) a statement containing the location and number of designated parking and storage spaces; (iv) Copies of the most recent 12 months of HOA minutes for regular and special meetings; (v) the names and contact information of all HOAs governing the Property; (vi) pet restrictions; and (vii) smoking restrictions ("CI Disclosures"). Seller shall itemize and Deliver to Buyer all CI Disclosures received from the HOA and any CI Disclosures in Seller's possession. Seller shall, as directed by Escrow Holder, deposit funds into escrow or direct to HOA or management company to pay for any of the above.

M. SOLAR POWER SYSTEMS: For properties with any solar panels or solar power systems, Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, Deliver to Buyer all known information about the solar panels or solar power system. Seller shall use the Solar Advisory and Questionnaire (C.A.R. Form SOLAR).

N. BALCONIES, EXTERIOR STAIRWAYS AND OTHER ELEVATED ELEMENTS: For properties with any building containing 3 or more dwelling units with elevated balconies, stairways or other elements, Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, Deliver to Buyer the Wooden Balcony and Stairs Addendum (C.A.R. Form WBSA).

O. KNOWN MATERIAL FACTS: Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, DISCLOSE KNOWN MATERIAL FACTS AND DEFECTS affecting the Property, including, but not limited to, known insurance claims within the past five years, or provide Buyer with permission to contact insurer to get such information (C.A.R. Form ARC), and make any and all other disclosures required by Law.

12. BUYER'S INVESTIGATION OF PROPERTY AND MATTERS AFFECTING PROPERTY:

A. Buyer shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3L(3)**, have the right, at Buyer's expense unless Otherwise Agreed, to conduct inspections, investigations, tests, surveys and other studies ("Buyer Investigations").

B. Buyer Investigations include, but are not limited to:

(1) Inspections regarding any physical attributes of the Property or items connected to the Property, such as:

(A) A general home inspection.

(B) An inspection for lead-based paint and other lead-based paint hazards.

(C) An inspection specifically for wood destroying pests and organisms. Any inspection for wood destroying pests and organisms shall be prepared by a registered Structural Pest Control company; shall cover the main building and attached structures; may cover detached structures; shall NOT include water tests of shower pans on upper level units unless the owners of property below the shower consent; shall NOT include roof coverings; and, if the Property is a unit in a condominium or other common interest subdivision, the inspection shall include only the separate interest and any exclusive-use areas being transferred, and shall NOT include common areas; and shall include a report ("Pest Control Report") showing the findings of the company which shall be separated into sections for evident infestation or infections (Section 1) and for conditions likely to lead to infestation or infection (Section 2).

(D) Any other specific inspections of the physical condition of the land and improvements.

(2) Investigation of any other matter affecting the Property, other than those that are specified as separate contingencies. Buyer Investigations do not include, among other things, an assessment of the availability and cost of general homeowner's insurance, flood insurance, and fire insurance. See, Buyer's Investigation Advisory (C.A.R. Form BIA) for more.

C. Without Seller's prior written consent, Buyer shall neither make nor cause to be made: (i) invasive or destructive Buyer Investigations, except for minimally invasive testing required to prepare a Pest Control Report, which shall not include any holes or drilling through stucco or similar material; or (ii) inspections by any governmental building or zoning inspector or government employee, unless required by Law.

D. Seller shall make the Property available for all Buyer Investigations. Seller is not obligated to move any existing personal property. Seller shall have water, gas, electricity and all operable pilot lights on for Buyer's Investigations and through the date possession is delivered to Buyer. Buyer shall, (i) by the time specified in **paragraph 3L(3)**, complete Buyer Investigations and satisfy themselves as to the condition of the Property, and either remove the contingency or cancel this Agreement, and (ii) by the time specified in **paragraph 3L(3)** or 3 Days after receipt of any Investigation report, whichever is later, give Seller at no cost, complete Copies of all such reports obtained by Buyer, which obligation shall survive the termination of this Agreement. This Delivery of Investigation reports shall not include any appraisal, except an appraisal received in connection with an FHA or VA loan.

E. Buyer indemnity and Seller protection for entry upon the Property: Buyer shall: (i) keep the Property free and clear of liens; (ii) repair all damage arising from Buyer Investigations; and (iii) indemnify and hold Seller harmless from all resulting liability, claims, demands, damages and costs. Buyer shall carry, or Buyer shall require anyone acting on Buyer's behalf to carry, policies of liability, workers' compensation and other applicable insurance, defending and protecting Seller from liability for any injuries to persons or property occurring during any Buyer Investigations or work done on the Property at Buyer's direction prior to Close Of Escrow. Seller is advised that certain protections may be afforded Seller by recording a "Notice of Non-Responsibility" (C.A.R. Form NNR) for Buyer Investigations and work done on the Property at Buyer's direction. Buyer's obligations under this paragraph shall survive the termination of this Agreement.

13. TITLE AND VESTING:

A. Buyer shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, be provided a current Preliminary Report by the person responsible for paying for the title report in **paragraph 3Q(8)**. If Buyer is responsible for paying, Buyer shall act diligently and in good faith to obtain such Preliminary Report within the time specified. The Preliminary Report is only an offer by the title insurer to issue a policy of title insurance and may not contain every item affecting title. The company providing the Preliminary Report shall, prior to issuing a Preliminary Report, conduct a search of the General Index for all Sellers except banks or other institutional lenders selling properties they acquired through foreclosure (REOs), corporations, and government entities.

B. Title is taken in its present condition subject to all encumbrances, easements, covenants, conditions, restrictions, rights and other matters, whether of record or not, as of the date of Acceptance except for: (i) monetary liens of record unless Buyer is assuming those obligations or taking the Property subject to those obligations; and (ii) those matters which Seller has agreed to remove in writing. For any lien or matter not being transferred upon sale, Seller will take necessary action to deliver title free and clear of such lien or matter.

C. Seller shall within 7 Days after request, give Escrow Holder necessary information to clear title.

D. Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, disclose to Buyer all matters known to Seller affecting title, whether of record or not.

E. If Buyer is a legal entity and the Property purchase price is at least \$300,000 and the purchase price is made without a bank loan or similar form of external financing, a Geographic Targeting Order (GTO) issued by the Financial Crimes Enforcement Network, U.S. Department of the Treasury, requires title companies to collect and report certain information about the Buyer, depending on where the Property is located. Buyer agrees to cooperate with the title company's effort to comply with the GTO.

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- F.** Buyer shall, after Close Of Escrow, receive a recorded grant deed or any other conveyance document required to convey title (or, for stock cooperative or long-term lease, an assignment of stock certificate or of Seller's leasehold interest), including oil, mineral and water rights if currently owned by Seller. Title shall vest as designated in Buyer's vesting instructions. The recording document shall contain Buyer's post-closing mailing address to enable Buyer's receipt of the recorded conveyance document from the County Recorder. THE MANNER OF TAKING TITLE MAY HAVE SIGNIFICANT LEGAL AND TAX CONSEQUENCES. CONSULT AN APPROPRIATE PROFESSIONAL.
- G.** Buyer shall receive a "ALTA Homeowner's Policy of Title Insurance" or equivalent policy of title insurance, if applicable to the type of property and buyer. Escrow Holder shall request this policy. If a ALTA Homeowner's Policy of Title Insurance is not offered, Buyer shall receive a CLTA Standard Coverage policy unless Buyer has chosen another policy and instructed Escrow Holder in writing of the policy chosen and agreed to pay any increase in cost. Buyer should consult with the Title Company about the availability, and difference in coverage, and cost, if any, between a ALTA Homeowner's Policy and a CLTA Standard Coverage policy and other title policies and endorsements. Buyer should receive notice from the Title Company on its Preliminary (Title) Report of the type of coverage offered. If Buyer is not notified on the Preliminary (Title) Report or is not satisfied with the policy offered, and Buyer nonetheless removes the contingency for Review of the Preliminary Report, Buyer will receive the policy as specified in this paragraph.
- 14. TIME PERIODS; REMOVAL OF CONTINGENCIES; CANCELLATION RIGHTS: The following time periods may only be extended, altered, modified or changed by mutual written agreement. Any removal of contingencies or cancellation under this paragraph by either Buyer or Seller must be exercised in good faith and in writing (C.A.R. Form CR-B, CR-S or CC).**
- A. SELLER DELIVERY OF DOCUMENTS:** Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, Deliver to Buyer all reports, disclosures and information ("Reports") for which Seller is responsible as specified in **paragraphs 7A, 9B(6), 10, 11A, 11B, 11C, 11D, 11H, 11K, 11L, 11M, 11N, 11O, 13A, 13D, and 32.**
- B. BUYER REVIEW OF DOCUMENTS; REPAIR REQUISITE; CONTINGENCY REMOVAL OR CANCELLATION**
- (1) Buyer has the time specified in **paragraph 3** to: (i) perform Buyer Investigations; review all disclosures, Reports, lease documents to be assumed by Buyer pursuant to **paragraph 9B(6)**, and other applicable information, which Buyer receives from Seller; and approve all matters affecting the Property; and (ii) Deliver to Seller Signed Copies of Statutory and Other Disclosures Delivered by Seller in accordance with **paragraph 11**.
 - (2) Buyer may, within the time specified in **paragraph 3L(3)**, request that Seller make repairs or take any other action regarding the Property (C.A.R. Form RR). Seller has no obligation to agree to or respond to Buyer's requests (C.A.R. Form RR or RRRR). If Seller does not agree or does not respond, Buyer is not contractually entitled to have the repairs or other requests made and may only cancel based on contingencies in this Agreement.
 - (3) Buyer shall, by the end of the times specified in **paragraph 3L** (or as Otherwise Agreed), Deliver to Seller a removal of the applicable contingency or cancellation of this Agreement (C.A.R. Form CR-B or CC). **Buyer is advised not to remove contingencies related to review of documents until after the documents have been Delivered.** If Delivery of any Report occurs after a contractual contingency pertaining to that Report has already been waived or removed, the Delivery of the Report does not revive the contingency but there may be a right to terminate for a subsequent or amended disclosure under **paragraph 11G**.
 - (4) **Continuation of Contingency:** Even after the end of the time specified in **paragraph 3L** and before Seller cancels, if at all, pursuant to **paragraph 14C**, Buyer retains the right, in writing, to either (i) remove remaining contingencies, or (ii) cancel this Agreement based on a remaining contingency. Once Buyer's written removal of contingency is Delivered to Seller before Seller cancels, Seller may not cancel this Agreement based on that contingency pursuant to **paragraph 14C(1)**.
- C. SELLER RIGHT TO CANCEL:**
- (1) **SELLER RIGHT TO CANCEL; BUYER CONTINGENCIES:** If, by the time specified in this Agreement, Buyer does not Deliver to Seller a removal of the applicable contingency or cancellation of this Agreement, then Seller, after first Delivering to Buyer a Notice to Buyer to Perform (C.A.R. Form NBP), may cancel this Agreement. In such event, Seller shall authorize the return of Buyer's deposit, except for fees incurred by Buyer.
 - (2) **SELLER RIGHT TO CANCEL; BUYER CONTRACT OBLIGATIONS:** Seller, after first Delivering to Buyer a Notice to Buyer to Perform, may cancel this Agreement if, by the time specified in this Agreement, Buyer does not take the following action(s): (i) Deposit funds as required by **paragraph 3D(1)** or **3D(2)** or if the funds deposited pursuant to **paragraph 3D(1)** or **3D(2)** are not good when deposited; (ii) Deliver updated contact information for Buyer's lender(s) as required by **paragraph 5C(3)**; (iii) Deliver a notice of FHA or VA costs or terms, if any, as specified by **paragraph 5C(4)** (C.A.R. Form RR); (iv) Deliver verification, or a satisfactory verification if Seller reasonably disapproves of the verification already provided, as required by **paragraph 5B** or **6A**; (v) Deliver a letter as required by **paragraph 6B**; (vi) In writing assume or accept leases or liens specified in **paragraph 8H**; (vii) Return Statutory and Other Disclosures as required by **paragraph 11F**; (viii) Cooperate with the title company's effort to comply with the GTO as required by **paragraph 13E**; (ix) Sign or initial a separate liquidated damages form for an increased deposit as required by **paragraph 26**; (x) Provide evidence of authority to Sign in a representative capacity as specified in **paragraph 30**; or (xi) Perform any additional Buyer contractual obligation(s) included in this Agreement. In such event, Seller shall authorize the return of Buyer's deposit, except for fees incurred by Buyer and other expenses already paid by Escrow Holder pursuant to this Agreement prior to Seller's cancellation.
 - (3) **SELLER RIGHT TO CANCEL; SELLER CONTINGENCIES:** Seller may cancel this Agreement by good faith exercise of any Seller contingency included in this Agreement, or Otherwise Agreed, so long as that contingency has not already been removed or waived in writing.
- D. BUYER RIGHT TO CANCEL:**
- (1) **BUYER RIGHT TO CANCEL; SELLER CONTINGENCIES:** If, by the time specified in this Agreement, Seller does not Deliver to Buyer a removal of the applicable contingency or cancellation of this Agreement, then Buyer, after first Delivering to Seller a Notice to Seller to Perform (C.A.R. Form NSP), may cancel this Agreement. In such event, Seller shall authorize the return of Buyer's deposit, except for fees incurred by Buyer and other expenses already paid by Escrow Holder pursuant to this Agreement prior to Buyer's cancellation.
 - (2) **BUYER RIGHT TO CANCEL; SELLER CONTRACT OBLIGATIONS:** If, by the time specified, Seller has not Delivered any item specified in **paragraph 3N(1)** or Seller has not performed any Seller contractual obligation included in this Agreement by the time specified, Buyer, after first Delivering to Seller a Notice to Seller to Perform, may cancel this Agreement.
 - (3) **BUYER RIGHT TO CANCEL; BUYER CONTINGENCIES:** Buyer may cancel this Agreement by good faith exercise of any Buyer contingency included in **paragraph 8**, or Otherwise Agreed, so long as that contingency has not already been removed in writing.

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- E. NOTICE TO BUYER OR SELLER TO PERFORM:** The Notice to Buyer to Perform or Notice to Seller to Perform shall: **(i)** be in writing; **(ii)** be Signed by the applicable Buyer or Seller; and **(iii)** give the other Party at least **2 Days** after Delivery (or until the time specified in the applicable paragraph, whichever occurs last) to take the applicable action. A Notice to Buyer to Perform or Notice to Seller to Perform may not be Delivered any earlier than **2 Days** prior to the Scheduled Performance Day to remove a contingency or cancel this Agreement or meet an obligation specified in **paragraph 14, except for Close of Escrow which shall be Delivered under the terms of paragraph 14G**, whether or not the Scheduled Performance Day falls on a Saturday, Sunday or legal holiday. If a Notice to Buyer to Perform or Notice to Seller to Perform is incorrectly Delivered or specifies a time less than the agreed time, the notice shall be deemed invalid and void. **However, if the notice is for multiple items, the notice shall be valid for all contingencies and contractual actions for which the Delivery of the notice is within the time permitted in the Agreement and void as to the others.** Seller or Buyer shall be required to Deliver a new Notice to Buyer to Perform or Notice to Seller to Perform with the specified timeframe.
- F. EFFECT OF REMOVAL OF CONTINGENCIES:**
- (1) **REMOVAL OF BUYER CONTINGENCIES:** If Buyer removes any contingency or cancellation rights, unless Otherwise Agreed, Buyer shall conclusively be deemed to have: **(i)** completed all Buyer Investigations, and review of Reports and other applicable information and disclosures pertaining to that contingency or cancellation right; **(ii)** elected to proceed with the transaction; and **(iii)** assumed all liability, responsibility and expense for the non-delivery of any Reports, disclosures or information outside of Seller's control and for any Repairs or corrections pertaining to that contingency or cancellation right, or for the inability to obtain financing.
- (2) **REMOVAL OF SELLER CONTINGENCIES:** If Seller removes any contingency or cancellation rights, unless Otherwise Agreed, Seller shall conclusively be deemed to have: **(i)** satisfied themselves regarding such contingency, **(ii)** elected to proceed with the transaction; and **(iii)** given up any right to cancel this Agreement based on such contingency.
- G. DEMAND TO CLOSE ESCROW:** Before Buyer or Seller may cancel this Agreement for failure of the other Party to close escrow pursuant to this Agreement, Buyer or Seller must first Deliver to the other Party a Demand to Close Escrow (C.A.R. Form DCE). The DCE shall: **(i)** be Signed by the applicable Buyer or Seller; and **(ii)** give the other Party at least **3 Days** after Delivery to close escrow. A DCE may not be Delivered any earlier than **3 Days** prior to the Scheduled Performance Day for the Close Of Escrow. If a DCE is incorrectly Delivered or specifies a time less than the above timeframe, the DCE shall be deemed invalid and void, and Seller or Buyer shall be required to Deliver a new DCE.
- H. EFFECT OF CANCELLATION ON DEPOSITS:** If Buyer or Seller gives written notice of cancellation pursuant to rights duly exercised under the terms of this Agreement, the Parties agree to Sign and Deliver mutual instructions to cancel the sale and escrow and release deposits, if any, to the Party entitled to the funds, less **(i)** fees and costs paid by Escrow Holder on behalf of that Party, if required by this Agreement; and **(ii)** any escrow fee charged to that party. Fees and costs may be payable to service providers and vendors for services and products provided during escrow. **A release of funds will require mutual Signed release instructions from the Parties, judicial decision or arbitration award. A Party may be subject to a civil penalty of up to \$1,000 for refusal to Sign cancellation instructions if no good faith dispute exists as to which Party is entitled to the deposited funds (Civil Code § 1057.3). Note: Neither Agents nor Escrow Holder are qualified to provide any opinion on whether either Party has acted in good faith or which Party is entitled to the deposited funds. Buyer and Seller are advised to seek the advice of a qualified California real estate attorney regarding this matter.**
- 15. REPAIRS:** Repairs shall be completed prior to final verification of condition unless Otherwise Agreed. Repairs to be performed at Seller's expense may be performed by Seller or through others, provided that the work complies with applicable Law, including governmental permit, inspection and approval requirements. Repairs shall be performed in a good, skillful manner with materials of quality and appearance comparable to existing materials. Buyer acknowledges that exact restoration of appearance or cosmetic items following all Repairs may not be possible. Seller shall: **(i)** obtain invoices and paid receipts for Repairs performed by others; **(ii)** prepare a written statement indicating the Repairs performed by Seller and the date of such Repairs; and **(iii)** provide Copies of invoices and paid receipts and statements to Buyer prior to final verification of condition.
- 16. FINAL VERIFICATION OF CONDITION:** Buyer shall have the right to make a final verification of the Property condition within the time specified in **paragraph 3J**, NOT AS A CONTINGENCY OF THE SALE, but solely to confirm: **(i)** the Property is maintained pursuant to **paragraph 7B**; **(ii)** Repairs have been completed as agreed; and **(iii)** Seller has complied with Seller's other obligations under this Agreement (C.A.R. Form VP).
- 17. PRORATIONS OF PROPERTY TAXES AND OTHER ITEMS:** Unless Otherwise Agreed, the following items shall be PAID CURRENT and prorated between Buyer and Seller as of Close Of Escrow: real property taxes and assessments, interest, Seller rental payments to third parties, HOA regular assessments due prior to Close Of Escrow, premiums on insurance assumed by Buyer, payments on bonds and assessments assumed by Buyer, and payments on Mello-Roos and other Special Assessment District bonds and assessments that are now a lien. Seller shall pay any HOA special or emergency assessments due prior to Close Of Escrow. The following items shall be assumed by Buyer WITHOUT CREDIT toward the purchase price: prorated payments on Mello-Roos and other Special Assessment District bonds and assessments and HOA special or emergency assessments that are due after Close Of Escrow. Property will be reassessed upon change of ownership. Any supplemental tax bills delivered to Escrow Holder prior to closing shall be prorated and paid as follows: **(i)** for periods after Close Of Escrow, by Buyer; and **(ii)** for periods prior to Close Of Escrow, by Seller (see C.A.R. Form SPT or SBSA for further information). Seller agrees all service fees, maintenance costs and utility bills will be paid current up and through the date of Close Of Escrow. **TAX BILLS AND UTILITY BILLS ISSUED AFTER CLOSE OF ESCROW SHALL BE HANDLED DIRECTLY BETWEEN BUYER AND SELLER.** Prorations shall be made based on a 30-day month.
- 18. BROKERS AND AGENTS:**
- A. COMPENSATION:** Seller or Buyer, or both, as applicable, agree to pay compensation to Broker as specified in a separate written agreement between Broker and that Seller or Buyer. Compensation is payable upon Close Of Escrow, or if escrow does not close, as otherwise specified in the agreement between Broker and that Seller or Buyer. If Seller agrees to pay **the obligation of Buyer to compensate** Buyer's Broker (see **paragraph 3G(3)**), Seller shall be entitled to a copy of the written portion of the compensation agreement between Buyer and Buyer's Broker identifying the compensation to be paid. See C.A.R. Form SPBB for further information.

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B. SCOPE OF DUTY: Buyer and Seller acknowledge and agree that Agent: **(i)** Does not decide what price Buyer should pay or Seller should accept; **(ii)** Does not guarantee the condition of the Property; **(iii)** Does not guarantee the performance, adequacy or completeness of inspections, services, products or repairs provided or made by Seller or others; **(iv)** Does not have an obligation to conduct an inspection of common areas or areas off the site of the Property; **(v)** Shall not be responsible for identifying defects on the Property, in common areas, or offsite unless such defects are visually observable by an inspection of reasonably accessible areas of the Property or are known to Agent; **(vi)** Shall not be responsible for inspecting public records or permits concerning the title or use of Property; **(vii)** Shall not be responsible for identifying the location of boundary lines or other items affecting title; **(viii)** Shall not be responsible for verifying square footage, representations of others or information contained in Investigation reports, Multiple Listing Service, advertisements, flyers or other promotional material; **(ix)** Shall not be responsible for determining the fair market value of the Property or any personal property included in the sale; **(x)** Shall not be responsible for providing legal or tax advice regarding any aspect of a transaction entered into by Buyer or Seller; and **(xi)** Shall not be responsible for providing other advice or information that exceeds the knowledge, education and experience required to perform real estate licensed activity. Buyer and Seller agree to seek legal, tax, insurance, title and other desired assistance from appropriate professionals.

19. JOINT ESCROW INSTRUCTIONS TO ESCROW HOLDER:

A. The following paragraphs, or applicable portions thereof, of this Agreement constitute the joint escrow instructions of Buyer and Seller to Escrow Holder, which Escrow Holder is to use along with any related counter offers and addenda, and any additional mutual instructions to close the escrow: **paragraphs 1, 3A, 3B, 3D-G, 3N(2), 3Q, 3R, 4A, 4B, 5A(1-2) 5D, 5E, 10B(2)(A), 10B(3), 10C, 11H, 11L(2), 13 (except 13D), 14H, 17, 18A, 19, 23, 25, 31, 32, 33, 34, and paragraph 3 of the Real Estate Brokers Section.** If a Copy of the separate compensation agreement(s) provided for in **paragraph 18A or paragraph 3 of the Real Estate Brokers Section** is deposited with Escrow Holder by Agent, Escrow Holder shall accept such agreement(s) and pay out from Buyer's or Seller's funds, or both, as applicable, the Broker's compensation provided for in such agreement(s). The terms and conditions of this Agreement not set forth in the specified paragraphs are additional matters for the information of Escrow Holder, but about which Escrow Holder need not be concerned.

B. Buyer and Seller will receive Escrow Holder's general provisions, if any, directly from Escrow Holder. To the extent the general provisions are inconsistent or conflict with this Agreement, the general provisions will control as to the duties and obligations of Escrow Holder only. Buyer and Seller shall Sign and return Escrow Holder's general provisions or supplemental instructions within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(2)**. Buyer and Seller shall execute additional instructions, documents and forms provided by Escrow Holder that are reasonably necessary to close the escrow and, as directed by Escrow Holder, within **3 Days**, shall pay to Escrow Holder or HOA or HOA management company or others any fee required by **paragraphs 3, 8, 10, 11,** or elsewhere in this Agreement.

C. A Copy of this Agreement including any counter offer(s) and addenda shall be delivered to Escrow Holder within **3 Days** after Acceptance. Buyer and Seller authorize Escrow Holder to accept and rely on Copies and Signatures as defined in this Agreement as originals, to open escrow and for other purposes of escrow. The validity of this Agreement as between Buyer and Seller is not affected by whether or when Escrow Holder Signs this Agreement. Escrow Holder shall provide Seller's Statement of Information to Title Company when received from Seller, if a separate company is providing title insurance. If Seller delivers an affidavit to Escrow Holder to satisfy Seller's FIRPTA obligation under **paragraph 11H**, Escrow Holder shall deliver to Buyer, Buyer's Agent, and Seller's Agent a Qualified Substitute statement that complies with federal Law. If Escrow Holder's Qualified Substitute statement does not comply with federal law, the Parties instruct escrow to withhold all applicable required amounts under **paragraph 11H**.

D. Agents are not a party to the escrow, except for Brokers for the sole purpose of compensation pursuant to **paragraph 18A and paragraph 3 of the Real Estate Brokers Section.** If a Copy of the separate compensation agreement(s) provided for in either of those paragraphs is deposited with Escrow Holder by Agent, Escrow Holder shall accept such agreement(s) and pay out from Buyer's or Seller's funds, or both, as applicable, the Broker's compensation provided for in such agreement(s). **Escrow Holder shall provide to Buyer and Seller, either jointly or separately, a closing statement or other written documentation showing the amount of compensation paid to, respectively, Buyer's Broker and Seller's Broker.** Buyer and Seller irrevocably assign to Brokers compensation specified in **paragraph 18A**, and irrevocably instruct Escrow Holder to disburse those funds to Brokers at Close Of Escrow or pursuant to any other mutually executed cancellation agreement. Compensation instructions can be amended or revoked only with the written consent of Brokers. Buyer and Seller shall release and hold harmless Escrow Holder from any liability resulting from Escrow Holder's payment to Broker(s) of compensation pursuant to this Agreement.

E. Buyer and Seller acknowledge that Escrow Holder may require invoices for expenses under this Agreement. Buyer and Seller, upon request by Escrow Holder, within **3 Days** or within a sufficient time to close escrow, whichever is sooner, shall provide any such invoices to Escrow Holder.

F. Upon receipt, Escrow Holder shall provide Buyer, Seller, and each Agent verification of Buyer's deposit of funds pursuant to **paragraphs 5A(1) and 5A(2)**. Once Escrow Holder becomes aware of any of the following, Escrow Holder shall immediately notify each Agent: **(i)** if Buyer's initial or any additional deposit or down payment is not made pursuant to this Agreement, or is not good at time of deposit with Escrow Holder; or **(ii)** if Buyer and Seller instruct Escrow Holder to cancel escrow.

G. A Copy of any amendment that affects any paragraph of this Agreement for which Escrow Holder is responsible shall be delivered to Escrow Holder within **3 Days** after mutual execution of the amendment.

20. SELECTION OF SERVICE PROVIDERS: Agents do not guarantee the performance of any vendors, service or product providers ("Providers"), whether referred by Agent or selected by Buyer, Seller or other person. Buyer and Seller may select ANY Providers of their own choosing.

21. MULTIPLE LISTING SERVICE ("MLS"): Agents are authorized to report to the MLS that an offer has been accepted and, upon Close Of Escrow, the sales price and other terms of this transaction shall be provided to the MLS to be published and disseminated to persons and entities authorized to use the information on terms approved by the MLS. Buyer acknowledges that: **(i)** any pictures, videos, floor plans (collectively, "Images") or other information about the Property that has been or will be inputted into the MLS or internet portals, or both, at the instruction of Seller or in compliance with MLS rules, will not be removed after Close Of Escrow; **(ii)** California Civil Code § 1088(c) requires the MLS to maintain such Images and information for at least three years and as a result they may be displayed or circulated on the Internet, which cannot be controlled or removed by Seller or Agents; and **(iii)** Seller, Seller's Agent, Buyer's Agent, and MLS have no obligation or ability to remove such Images or information from the Internet.

22. ATTORNEY FEES AND COSTS: In any action, proceeding, or arbitration between Buyer and Seller arising out of this Agreement, the prevailing Buyer or Seller shall be entitled to reasonable attorney fees and costs from the non-prevailing Buyer or Seller, except as provided in **paragraph 27A**.



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23. ASSIGNMENT/NOMINATION: Buyer shall have the right to assign all of Buyer's interest in this Agreement to Buyer's own trust or to any wholly owned entity of Buyer that is in existence at the time of such assignment. Otherwise, Buyer shall not assign all or any part of Buyer's interest in this Agreement without first having obtained the separate written consent of Seller to a specified assignee. Such consent shall not be unreasonably withheld. Prior to any assignment, Buyer shall disclose to Seller the name of the assignee and the amount of any monetary consideration between Buyer and assignee. Buyer shall provide assignee with all documents related to this Agreement including, but not limited to, the Agreement and any disclosures. If assignee is a wholly owned entity or trust of Buyer, that assignee does not need to re-sign or initial all documents provided. Whether or not an assignment requires seller's consent, at the time of assignment, assignee shall deliver a letter from assignee's lender that assignee is prequalified or preapproved as specified in **paragraph 6B**. Should assignee fail to deliver such a letter, Seller, after first giving Assignee an Notice to Buyer to Perform, shall have the right to terminate the assignment. Buyer shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3K**, Deliver any request to assign this Agreement for Seller's consent. If Buyer fails to provide the required information within this time frame, Seller's withholding of consent shall be deemed reasonable. Any total or partial assignment shall not relieve Buyer of Buyer's obligations pursuant to this Agreement unless Otherwise Agreed by Seller (C.A.R. Form AOAA). Parties shall provide any assignment agreement to Escrow Holder within 1 Day after the assignment. Any nomination by Buyer shall be subject to the same procedures, requirements, and terms as an assignment as specified in this paragraph.

24. EQUAL HOUSING OPPORTUNITY: The Property is sold in compliance with federal, state and local anti-discrimination Laws.

25. DEFINITIONS and INSTRUCTIONS: The following words are defined terms in this Agreement, shall be indicated by initial capital letters throughout this Agreement, and have the following meaning whenever used:

- A. **"Acceptance"** means the time the offer or final counter offer is fully executed, in writing, by the recipient Party and is Delivered to the offering Party or that Party's Authorized Agent.
- B. **"Agent"** means the Broker, salesperson, broker-associate or any other real estate licensee licensed under the brokerage firm identified in **paragraph 2B**.
- C. **"Agreement"** means this document and any counter offers and any incorporated addenda or amendments, collectively forming the binding agreement between the Parties. Addenda and amendments are incorporated only when Signed and Delivered by all Parties.
- D. **"As-Is"** condition: Seller shall disclose known material facts and defects as specified in this Agreement. Buyer has the right to inspect the Property and, within the time specified, request that Seller make repairs or take other corrective action, or exercise any contingency cancellation rights in this Agreement. Seller is only required to make repairs specified in this Agreement or as Otherwise Agreed.
- E. **"Authorized Agent"** means an individual real estate licensee specified in the Real Estate Broker Section.
- F. **"C.A.R. Form"** means the most current version of the specific form referenced or another comparable form agreed to by the Parties.
- G. **"Close Of Escrow"**, including "COE", means the date the grant deed, or other evidence of transfer of title, is recorded for any real property, or the date of Delivery of a document evidencing the transfer of title for any non-real property transaction.
- H. **"Copy"** means copy by any means including photocopy, facsimile and electronic.
- I. **Counting Days** is done as follows unless Otherwise Agreed: (1) The first Day after an event is the first full calendar date following the event, and ending at 11:59 pm. For example, if a Notice to Buyer to Perform (C.A.R. form NBP) is Delivered at 3 pm on the 7th calendar day of the month, or Acceptance of a counter offer is personally received at 12 noon on the 7th calendar day of the month, then the 7th is Day "0" for purposes of counting days to respond to the NBP or calculating the Close Of Escrow date or contingency removal dates and the 8th of the month is Day 1 for those same purposes. (2) All calendar days are counted in establishing the first Day after an event. (3) All calendar days are counted in determining the date upon which performance must be completed, ending at 11:59 pm on the last day for performance ("Scheduled Performance Day"). (4) After Acceptance, if the Scheduled Performance Day for any act required by this Agreement, including Close Of Escrow, lands on a Saturday, Sunday, or Legal Holiday, the performing party shall be allowed to perform on the next day that is not a Saturday, Sunday or Legal Holiday ("Allowable Performance Day"), and ending at 11:59 pm. "Legal Holiday" shall mean any holiday or optional bank holiday under Civil Code §§ 7 and 7.1, any holiday under Government Code § 6700. (5) For the purposes of COE, any day that the Recorder's office in the County where the Property is located is closed or any day that the lender or Escrow Holder under this Agreement is closed, the COE shall occur on the next day the Recorder's office in that County, the lender, and the Escrow Holder is open. (6) COE is considered Day 0 for purposes of counting days Seller is allowed to remain in possession, if permitted by this Agreement.
- J. **"Day"** or **"Days"** means calendar day or days. However, delivery of deposit to escrow is based on business days.
- K. **"Deliver", "Delivered" or "Delivery"** of documents, unless Otherwise Agreed, means and shall be effective upon personal receipt of the document by Buyer or Seller or their Authorized Agent. Personal receipt means (i) a Copy of the document, or as applicable, link to the document, is in the possession of the Party or Authorized Agent, regardless of the Delivery method used (i.e. e-mail, text, other). **A document, or as applicable link to a document, shall be deemed to be "in possession" if it located in the inbox for the applicable Party or Authorized Agent;** or (ii) an Electronic Copy of the document, or as applicable, link to the document, has been sent to the designated electronic delivery address specified in the Real Estate Broker Section, **unless Otherwise Agreed in C.A.R. Form DEDA. A document, or as applicable link to a document, shall be deemed to be "in possession" if it is located in the inbox for the applicable Party or Authorized Agent.** After Acceptance, Agent may change the designated electronic delivery address for that Agent by, in writing, Delivering notice of the change in designated electronic delivery address to the other Party (C.A.R. Form DEDA). Links could be, for example, to DropBox or GoogleDrive or other functionally equivalent program. If the recipient of a link is unable or unwilling to open the link or download the documents or otherwise prefers Delivery of the documents directly, Recipient of a link shall notify the sender in writing, within **3 Days** after Delivery of the link (C.A.R. Form RFR). In such case, Delivery shall be effective upon Delivery of the documents and not the link. Failure to notify sender within the time specified above shall be deemed consent to receive, and Buyer opening, the document by link.
- L. **"Electronic Copy" or "Electronic Signature"** means, as applicable, an electronic copy or signature complying with California Law. Unless Otherwise Agreed, Buyer and Seller agree to the use of Electronic Signatures. Buyer and Seller agree that electronic means will not be used by either Party to modify or alter the content or integrity of this Agreement without the knowledge and consent of the other Party.
- M. **"Law"** means any law, code, statute, ordinance, regulation, rule or order, which is adopted by a controlling city, county, state or federal legislative, judicial or executive body or agency.
- N. **"Legally Authorized Signer"** means an individual who has authority to Sign for the principal as specified in **paragraph 33** or **paragraph 34**.
- O. **"Otherwise Agreed"** means an agreement in writing, signed by both Parties and Delivered to each.
- P. **"Repairs"** means any repairs (including pest control), alterations, replacements, modifications or retrofitting of the Property provided for under this Agreement.
- Q. **"Sign" or "Signed"** means either a handwritten or Electronic Signature on an original document, Copy or any counterpart.



26. LIQUIDATED DAMAGES (By initialing in the space below, you are agreeing to Liquidated Damages):

If Buyer fails to complete this purchase because of Buyer's default, Seller shall retain, as liquidated damages, the deposit actually paid. If the Property is a dwelling with no more than four units, one of which Buyer intends to occupy, then the amount retained shall be no more than 3% of the purchase price. Any excess shall be returned to Buyer. Release of funds will require mutual, Signed release instructions from both Buyer and Seller, judicial decision or arbitration award. **AT THE TIME OF ANY INCREASED DEPOSIT BUYER AND SELLER SHALL SIGN A SEPARATE LIQUIDATED DAMAGES PROVISION INCORPORATING THE INCREASED DEPOSIT AS LIQUIDATED DAMAGES (C.A.R. FORM DID).**

Buyer's Initials _____ / _____

Seller's Initials _____ / _____

27. MEDIATION:

- A. The Parties agree to mediate any dispute or claim arising between them out of this Agreement, or any resulting transaction, before resorting to arbitration or court action. The mediation shall be conducted through the C.A.R. Real Estate Mediation Center for Consumers (www.consumermediation.org) or through any other mediation provider or service mutually agreed to by the Parties. The Parties **also agree to mediate any disputes or claims with Agents(s), who, in writing, agree to such mediation prior to, or within a reasonable time after, the dispute or claim is presented to the Agent.** Mediation fees, if any, shall be divided equally among the Parties involved, and shall be recoverable under the prevailing party attorney fees clause. If, for any dispute or claim to which this paragraph applies, any Party (i) commences an action without first attempting to resolve the matter through mediation, or (ii) before commencement of an action, refuses to mediate after a request has been made, then that Party shall not be entitled to recover attorney fees, even if they would otherwise be available to that Party in any such action. **THIS MEDIATION PROVISION APPLIES WHETHER OR NOT THE ARBITRATION PROVISION IS INITIALED.**
- B. **ADDITIONAL MEDIATION TERMS:** (i) Exclusions from this mediation agreement are specified in paragraph 28B; (ii) The obligation to mediate does not preclude the right of either Party to seek a preservation of rights under paragraph 28C; and (iii) Agent's rights and obligations are further specified in paragraph 28D. These terms apply even if the Arbitration of Disputes paragraph is not initialed.

28. ARBITRATION OF DISPUTES:

- A. The Parties agree that any dispute or claim in Law or equity arising between them out of this Agreement or any resulting transaction, which is not settled through mediation, shall be decided by neutral, binding arbitration. The Parties also agree to arbitrate any disputes or claims with Agents(s), who, in writing, agree to such arbitration prior to, or within a reasonable time after, the dispute or claim is presented to the Agent. The arbitration shall be conducted through any arbitration provider or service mutually agreed to by the Parties. The arbitrator shall be a retired judge or justice, or an attorney with at least 5 years of residential real estate Law experience, unless the Parties mutually agree to a different arbitrator. Enforcement of, and any motion to compel arbitration pursuant to, this agreement to arbitrate shall be governed by the procedural rules of the Federal Arbitration Act, and not the California Arbitration Act, notwithstanding any language seemingly to the contrary in this Agreement. The Parties shall have the right to discovery in accordance with Code of Civil Procedure § 1283.05. The arbitration shall be conducted in accordance with Title 9 of Part 3 of the Code of Civil Procedure. Judgment upon the award of the arbitrator(s) may be entered into any court having jurisdiction.
- B. **EXCLUSIONS:** The following matters are excluded from mediation and arbitration: (i) Any matter that is within the jurisdiction of a probate, small claims or bankruptcy court; (ii) an unlawful detainer action; and (iii) a judicial or non-judicial foreclosure or other action or proceeding to enforce a deed of trust, mortgage or installment land sale contract as defined in Civil Code § 2985.
- C. **PRESERVATION OF ACTIONS:** The following shall not constitute a waiver nor violation of the mediation and arbitration provisions: (i) the filing of a court action to preserve a statute of limitations; (ii) the filing of a court action to enable the recording of a notice of pending action, for order of attachment, receivership, injunction, or other provisional remedies, provided the filing party concurrent with, or immediately after such filing makes a request to the court for a stay of litigation pending any applicable mediation or arbitration proceeding; or (iii) the filing of a mechanic's lien.
- D. **AGENTS:** Agents shall not be obligated nor compelled to mediate or arbitrate unless they agree to do so in writing. Any Agents(s) participating in mediation or arbitration shall not be deemed a party to this Agreement.
- E. **"NOTICE: BY INITIALING IN THE SPACE BELOW YOU ARE AGREEING TO HAVE ANY DISPUTE ARISING OUT OF THE MATTERS INCLUDED IN THE 'ARBITRATION OF DISPUTES' PROVISION DECIDED BY NEUTRAL ARBITRATION AS PROVIDED BY CALIFORNIA LAW AND YOU ARE GIVING UP ANY RIGHTS YOU MIGHT POSSESS TO HAVE THE DISPUTE LITIGATED IN A COURT OR JURY TRIAL. BY INITIALING IN THE SPACE BELOW YOU ARE GIVING UP YOUR JUDICIAL RIGHTS TO DISCOVERY AND APPEAL, UNLESS THOSE RIGHTS ARE SPECIFICALLY INCLUDED IN THE 'ARBITRATION OF DISPUTES' PROVISION. IF YOU REFUSE TO SUBMIT TO ARBITRATION AFTER AGREEING TO THIS PROVISION, YOU MAY BE COMPELLED TO ARBITRATE UNDER THE AUTHORITY OF THE CALIFORNIA CODE OF CIVIL PROCEDURE. YOUR AGREEMENT TO THIS ARBITRATION PROVISION IS VOLUNTARY."**

"WE HAVE READ AND UNDERSTAND THE FOREGOING AND AGREE TO SUBMIT DISPUTES ARISING OUT OF THE MATTERS INCLUDED IN THE 'ARBITRATION OF DISPUTES' PROVISION TO NEUTRAL ARBITRATION."

Buyer's Initials _____ / _____

Seller's Initials _____ / _____



29. FAIR APPRAISAL ACT NOTICE:

- A.** Any appraisal of the property is required to be unbiased, objective, and not influenced by improper or illegal considerations, including, but not limited to, any of the following: race, color, religion (including religious dress, grooming practices, or both), gender (including, but not limited to, pregnancy, childbirth, breastfeeding, and related conditions, and gender identity and gender expression), sexual orientation, marital status, medical condition, military or veteran status, national origin (including language use and possession of a driver's license issued to persons unable to provide their presence in the United States is authorized under federal law), source of income, ancestry, disability (mental and physical, including, but not limited to, HIV/AIDS status, cancer diagnosis, and genetic characteristics), genetic information, or age.
- B.** If a buyer or seller believes that the appraisal has been influenced by any of the above factors, the seller or buyer can report this information to the lender or mortgage broker that retained the appraiser and may also file a complaint with the Bureau of Real Estate Appraisers at <https://www2.brea.ca.gov/complaint/> or call (916) 552-9000 for further information on how to file a complaint.

30. TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF OFFER: This is an offer to purchase the Property on the terms and conditions herein. The individual Liquidated Damages and Arbitration of Disputes paragraphs are incorporated in this Agreement if initialed by all Parties or if incorporated by mutual agreement in a counter offer or addendum. **If at least one but not all Parties initial, a counter offer is required until agreement is reached.** Seller has the right to continue to offer the Property for sale and to accept any other offer at any time prior to notification of Acceptance and to market the Property for backup offers after Acceptance. The Parties have read and acknowledge receipt of a Copy of the offer and agree to the confirmation of agency relationships. If this offer is accepted and Buyer subsequently defaults, Buyer may be responsible for payment of Brokers' compensation. This Agreement and any supplement, addendum or modification, including any Copy, may be Signed in two or more counterparts, all of which shall constitute one and the same writing. By Signing this offer or any document in the transaction, the Party Signing the document is deemed to have read the document in its entirety.

31. TIME OF ESSENCE; ENTIRE CONTRACT; CHANGES: Time is of the essence. All understandings between the Parties are incorporated in this Agreement. Its terms are intended by the Parties as a final, complete and exclusive expression of their Agreement with respect to its subject matter and may not be contradicted by evidence of any prior agreement or contemporaneous oral agreement. If any provision of this Agreement is held to be ineffective or invalid, the remaining provisions will nevertheless be given full force and effect. Except as Otherwise Agreed, this Agreement shall be interpreted, and disputes shall be resolved in accordance with the Laws of the State of California. **Neither this Agreement nor any provision in it may be extended, amended, modified, altered or changed, except in writing Signed by Buyer and Seller.**

32. LEGALLY AUTHORIZED SIGNER: Wherever the signature or initials of the Legally Authorized Signer identified in paragraphs 33 or 34 appear on this Agreement or any related documents, it shall be deemed to be in a representative capacity for the entity described and not in an individual capacity, unless otherwise indicated. The Legally Authorized Signer (i) represents that the entity for which that person is acting already exists and is in good standing to do business in California and (ii) shall Deliver to the other Party and Escrow Holder, within **3 Days after Acceptance**, evidence of authority to act in that capacity (such as but not limited to: applicable portion of the trust or Certification Of Trust (Probate Code § 18100.5), letters testamentary, court order, power of attorney, corporate resolution, or formation documents of the business entity).

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33. OFFER

A. EXPIRATION OF OFFER: This offer shall be deemed revoked and the deposit, if any, shall be returned to Buyer unless by the date and time specified in **paragraph 3C**, the offer is Signed by Seller and a Copy of the Signed offer is Delivered to Buyer or Buyer's Authorized Agent. **Seller has no obligation to respond to an offer made.**

B. ENTITY BUYERS: (Note: If this paragraph is completed, a Representative Capacity Signature Disclosure (C.A.R. Form RCSD) is not required for the Legally Authorized Signers designated below.)

- (1) One or more Buyers is a trust, corporation, LLC, probate estate, partnership, holding a power of attorney or other entity.
- (2) This Agreement is being Signed by a Legally Authorized Signer in a representative capacity and not in an individual capacity. See **paragraph 31** for additional terms.
- (3) The name(s) of the Legally Authorized Signer(s) is/are: _____.
- (4) **A.** If a trust, identify Buyer as trustee(s) of the trust or by simplified trust name (ex. John Doe, co-trustee, Jane Doe, co-trustee or Doe Revocable Family Trust).
- B.** If Property is sold under the jurisdiction of a probate court, identify Buyer as executor or administrator, or by a simplified probate name (John Doe, executor, or Estate (or Conservatorship) of John Doe).
- (5) The following is the full name of the entity (if a trust, enter the complete trust name; if under probate, enter full name of the estate, including case #): _____.

C. The RPA has **17** pages. Buyer acknowledges receipt of, and has read and understands, every page and all attachments that make up the Agreement.

D. BUYER SIGNATURE(S):

(Signature) By, _____ Date: _____

Printed name of BUYER: _____

Printed Name of Legally Authorized Signer: _____ Title, if applicable, _____

(Signature) By, _____ Date: _____

Printed name of BUYER: _____

Printed Name of Legally Authorized Signer: _____ Title, if applicable, _____

IF MORE THAN TWO SIGNERS, USE Additional Signature Addendum (C.A.R. Form ASA).

34. ACCEPTANCE

A. ACCEPTANCE OF OFFER: Seller warrants that Seller is the owner of the Property or has the authority to execute this Agreement. Seller accepts the above offer and agrees to sell the Property on the above terms and conditions. Seller has read and acknowledges receipt of a Copy of this Agreement and authorizes Agent to Deliver a Signed Copy to Buyer.

Seller's acceptance is subject to the attached Counter Offer or Back-Up Offer Addendum, or both, checked below. Seller shall return and include the entire agreement with any response.

- Seller Counter Offer** (C.A.R. Form SCO or SMCO)
- Back-Up Offer Addendum** (C.A.R. Form BUO)

B. ENTITY SELLERS: (Note: If this paragraph is completed, a Representative Capacity Signature Disclosure form (C.A.R. Form RCSD) is not required for the Legally Authorized Signers designated below.)

- (1) One or more Sellers is a trust, corporation, LLC, probate estate, partnership, holding a power of attorney or other entity.
- (2) This Agreement is being Signed by a Legally Authorized Signer in a representative capacity and not in an individual capacity. See **paragraph 31** for additional terms.
- (3) The name(s) of the Legally Authorized Signer(s) is/are: _____.
- (4) **A.** If a trust, identify Seller as trustee(s) of the trust or by simplified trust name (ex. John Doe, co-trustee, Jane Doe, co-trustee or Doe Revocable Family Trust).
- B.** If Property is sold under the jurisdiction of a probate court, identify Seller as executor or administrator, or by a simplified probate name (John Doe, executor, or Estate (or Conservatorship) of John Doe).
- (5) The following is the full name of the entity (if a trust, enter the complete trust name; if under probate, enter full name of the estate, including case #): _____.

C. The RPA has **17** pages. Seller acknowledges receipt of, and has read and understands, every page and all attachments that make up the Agreement.

D. SELLER SIGNATURE(S):

(Signature) By, _____ Date: _____

Printed name of SELLER: _____

Printed Name of Legally Authorized Signer: _____ Title, if applicable, _____

(Signature) By, _____ Date: _____

Printed name of SELLER: _____

Printed Name of Legally Authorized Signer: _____ Title, if applicable, _____

IF MORE THAN TWO SIGNERS, USE Additional Signature Addendum (C.A.R. Form ASA).

OFFER NOT ACCEPTED: _____/_____. No Counter Offer is being made. This offer was not accepted by Seller _____ (date)
Seller's Initials



REAL ESTATE BROKERS SECTION

- 1. **Real Estate Agents are not parties to the Agreement between Buyer and Seller.**
- 2. **Agency relationships are confirmed as stated in paragraph 2.**
- 3. **Cooperating Broker Compensation:** Seller's Broker agrees to pay Buyer's Broker and Buyer's Broker agrees to accept, out of Seller's Broker's proceeds in escrow, the **compensation** specified in a separate written agreement (C.A.R. Form CBC). **Each Broker agrees to disclose to their Seller or Buyer client the amount in the CBC.** Declaration of License and Tax (C.A.R. Form DLT) may be used to document that tax reporting will be required or that an exemption exists.
- 4. **Presentation of Offer:** Pursuant to the National Association of REALTORS® Standard of Practice 1-7, if Buyer's Agent makes a written request, Seller's Agent shall confirm in writing that this offer has been presented to Seller.
- 5. **Agents' Signatures and designated electronic delivery address:**

A. Buyer's Brokerage Firm _____ Lic. # _____

By _____ Lic. # _____ Date _____

By _____ Lic. # _____ Date _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Email _____ Phone # _____

- More than one agent from the same firm represents Buyer. Additional Agent Acknowledgement (C.A.R. Form AAA) attached.
- More than one brokerage firm represents Buyer. Additional Broker Acknowledgement (C.A.R. Form ABA) attached.

Designated Electronic Delivery Address(es): Email above or _____

Attached DEDA: If Parties elect to have an alternative Delivery method, such method may be indicated on C.A.R. Form DEDA.

B. Seller's Brokerage Firm _____ Lic. # _____

By _____ Lic. # _____ Date _____

By _____ Lic. # _____ Date _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Email _____ Phone # _____

- More than one agent from the same firm represents Seller. Additional Agent Acknowledgement (C.A.R. Form AAA) attached.
- More than one brokerage firm represents Seller. Additional Broker Acknowledgement (C.A.R. Form ABA) attached.

Designated Electronic Delivery Address(es) (To be filled out by Seller's Agent): Email above or _____

Attached DEDA: If Parties elect to have an alternative Delivery method, such method may be indicated on C.A.R. Form DEDA.

Buyer's Initials _____ / _____ Seller's Initials _____ / _____

ESCROW HOLDER ACKNOWLEDGMENT:

Escrow Holder acknowledges receipt of a Copy of this Agreement, (if checked, a deposit in the amount of \$ _____), Counter Offer numbers _____ and _____, and agrees to act as Escrow Holder subject to **paragraph 19** of this Agreement, any supplemental escrow instructions and the terms of Escrow Holder's general provisions.

Escrow Holder is advised by _____ that the date of Acceptance of the Agreement is _____

Escrow Holder _____ Escrow # _____

By _____ Date _____

Address _____

Phone/Fax/E-mail _____

Escrow Holder has the following license number # _____

- Department of Financial Protection and Innovation, Department of Insurance, Department of Real Estate.

PRESENTATION OF OFFER: _____ / _____ Seller's Brokerage Firm presented this offer to Seller on _____ (date).
Agent or Seller Initials

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STATEWIDE BUYER AND SELLER ADVISORY
(This Form Does Not Replace Local Condition Disclosures.
Additional Advisories or Disclosures May Be Attached)
(C.A.R. Form SBSA, Revised 6/24)

BUYER RIGHTS AND DUTIES:

- The physical condition of the land and improvements being purchased are not guaranteed by Seller or Brokers.
- You should conduct thorough investigations of the Property both personally and with appropriate professionals.
- If professionals recommend further inspections, you should contact qualified experts to conduct such inspections.
- You should retain your own professional even if Seller or Broker has provided you with existing reports.
- You should read all written reports given to you and discuss those reports with the persons who prepared them. It is possible that different reports provided to you contain conflicting information. If there are discrepancies between reports, disclosures or other information, you are responsible for contacting appropriate professionals to confirm the accuracy of correctness of the reports, disclosures or information.
- You have the right to request that the Seller make repairs or corrections or take other actions based on inspections or disclosures, but the Seller is not obligated to respond to you or make any such repairs, corrections or other requested actions.
- If the Seller is unwilling or unable to satisfy your requests, and you act within certain time periods, you may have the right to cancel the Agreement (the Purchase Agreement and any Counter Offer and Addenda together are the "Agreement"). If you cancel outside of these periods, you may be in breach of the Agreement and your deposit might be at risk.

YOU ARE STRONGLY ADVISED TO INVESTIGATE THE CONDITION AND SUITABILITY OF ALL ASPECTS OF THE PROPERTY. IF YOU DO NOT DO SO, YOU ARE ACTING AGAINST THE ADVICE OF BROKERS.

SELLER RIGHTS AND DUTIES:

- You have a duty to disclose material facts known to you that affect the value or desirability of the Property.
- You are obligated to make the Property available to the Buyer and have utilities on for inspections as allowed by the Agreement.
- This form is not a substitute for completing a Real Estate Transfer Disclosure Statement, if required, and any other property-specific questionnaires or disclosures.

BROKER RIGHTS AND DUTIES:

- Brokers do not have expertise in all areas and matters affecting the Property or your evaluation of it.
- For most sales of residential properties with no more than four units, Brokers have a duty to make a reasonably competent and diligent visual inspection of the accessible areas of the Property and disclose to you material facts or defects that the inspection reveals.
- Many defects and conditions may not be discoverable by a Broker's visual inspection.
- If Brokers give a referral to another professional, Brokers do not guarantee that person's performance. You may select any professional of your own choosing.
- If a Broker gives you reports or other documents, unless otherwise specified, it is possible that different reports provided to you contain conflicting information. Broker has not and will not verify or otherwise investigate the information contained therein.
- Any written agreement between a Broker and either Buyer or Seller or both establishes the rights and responsibilities of those parties.

LEGAL, TAX AND CONTRACT CONSIDERATIONS FOR BOTH BUYER AND SELLER:

- You are advised to seek legal, tax, and other assistance from appropriate professionals in order to fully understand the implications of any documents or actions during the transaction. You should contact a CPA or tax attorney to determine **(i)** the basis of the property for income tax purposes; and **(ii)** any calculations necessary to determine if a sale, and what price, would result in any capital gains taxes that may need to be reported to State and Federal taxing agencies. In addition, you should consult with the CPA or tax attorney regarding what factors affect how the property tax basis is determined. If you are doing a 1031 exchange, you are advised to contact an exchange accommodator to discuss the proper method and timing of the exchange.
- The terms of the Agreement and any counter offers and addenda establish your rights and responsibilities to each other.



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- EASEMENTS, ACCESS AND ENCROACHMENTS:** Buyer and Seller are advised that confirming the exact location of easements, shared or private driveways or roadways, and encroachments on or to the Property may be possible only by conducting a survey. There may be unrecorded easements, access rights, encroachments and other agreements affecting the Property that may not be disclosed by a survey. Representations regarding these items that are made in a Multiple Listing Service or advertisements, or plotted by a title company are often approximations, or based upon inaccurate or incomplete records. Unless otherwise specified by Broker in writing, Brokers have not verified any such matters or any representations made by Seller(s) or others. If Buyer wants further information, Buyer is advised and Broker(s) recommend that Buyer hire a licensed surveyor during Buyer's inspection contingency period. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.



- 2. ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS:** Buyer and Seller are advised that the presence of certain kinds of organisms, toxins and contaminants, including, but not limited to, mold (airborne, toxic or otherwise), fungi, mildew, lead-based paint and other lead contamination, asbestos, formaldehyde, radon, pcb's, methane, other gases, fuel oil or chemical storage tanks, contaminated soil or water, hazardous waste, waste disposal sites, electromagnetic fields, nuclear sources, urea formaldehyde, or other materials may adversely affect the Property and the health of individuals who live on or work at the property as well as pets. Some municipalities may impose additional requirements regarding underground storage tanks, which may be more common in certain areas and cities throughout the State, especially where there are larger, older homes built before 1935. It is possible that these tanks, either now or in the future, may require inspections or abatement. If Buyer wants further information, Buyer is advised, and Broker(s) recommends, that Buyer have the Property inspected for the existence of such conditions and organisms, and conditions that may lead to their formation. Not all inspectors are licensed and licenses are not available for all types of inspection activities. Buyer is also advised to consult with appropriate experts regarding this topic during Buyer's inspection contingency period. Broker recommends that Buyer and Seller read the booklets titled, "Residential Environmental Hazards: A Guide for Homeowners, Homebuyers, Landlords and Tenants," and "Protect Your Family From Lead In Your Home." Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
- 3. FORMALDEHYDE:** Formaldehyde is a substance known to the State of California to cause cancer. Exposure to formaldehyde may be caused by materials used in the construction of homes. The United States Environmental Protection Agency, the California Air Resources Board, and other agencies have measured the presence of formaldehyde in the indoor air of select homes in California. Levels of formaldehyde that present a significant cancer risk have been measured in most homes that were tested. Formaldehyde is present in the air because it is emitted by a variety of building materials and home products used in construction. The materials include carpeting, pressed wood products, insulation, plastics, and glues. Most homes that have been tested elsewhere do contain formaldehyde, although the concentrations vary from home to home with no obvious explanation for the differences. One of the problems is that many suppliers of building materials and home products do not provide information on chemical ingredients to builders. Buyers may have further questions about these issues. Buyer is advised to consult with appropriate experts regarding this topic during Buyer's inspection contingency period. Broker(s) recommend that Buyer and Seller read the booklet titled "Residential Environmental Hazards: A Guide for Homeowners, Homebuyers, Landlords and Tenants." Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
- 4. GEOLOGIC HAZARDS:** Buyer and Seller are advised that California has experienced earthquakes in the past, and there is always a potential of future earthquakes. Damage caused by an earthquake may not be discoverable by a visual inspection of Buyer(s) or Broker(s). Inspection by a licensed, qualified professional is strongly recommended to determine the structural integrity and safety of all structures and improvements on the Property. If the Property is a condominium, or located in a planned unit development or in a common interest subdivision, Buyer is advised to contact the homeowners association about earthquake repairs and retrofit work and the possibility of an increased or special assessment to defray the costs of earthquake repairs or retrofit work. Buyer is encouraged to obtain and read the booklet entitled, "The Homeowner's Guide to Earthquake Safety." In most cases a questionnaire within the booklet must be completed by Seller and the entire booklet given to the Buyer if the Property was built prior to 1960. If the Property was built before 1975, and contains structures constructed of masonry or precast (tilt up) concrete walls, with wood frame floors or roof, or if the building has unreinforced masonry walls, then Seller must provide Buyer a pamphlet entitled "The Commercial Property Owner's Guide to Earthquake Safety." Many areas have a wide range of geologic problems and numerous studies have been made of these conditions. Some of this information is available for public review at city and county planning departments. Buyer is encouraged to review the public maps and reports and/or obtain a geologist's inspection report. Buyer may be able to obtain earthquake insurance to protect their interest in the Property. Sellers who agree to provide financing should also consider requiring Buyers to obtain such insurance naming Seller(s) as insured lien holder(s). Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
- 5. INSPECTIONS:** Buyer and Seller are advised that Buyer has the right to obtain various inspections of the Property under most residential purchase agreements. Buyer is advised to have the Property inspected by a professional property inspection service within Buyer's inspection contingency period. A licensed building contractor or other professional may perform these services. The inspector generally does not look behind walls or under carpets, or take equipment apart. Certain items on the Property, such as chimneys and spark arresters, plumbing, heating, air conditioning, electrical wiring, pool and spa, septic system, well, roof, foundation and structural items may need to be inspected by another professional, such as a chimney sweep, plumber, electrician, pool and spa service, septic or well company or roofer. A general physical inspection typically will not test for mold, wood destroying pests, lead-based paint, radon, asbestos and other environmental hazards, geologic conditions, age, remaining useful life or water-tightness of roof, cracks, leaks or operational problems associated with a pool or spa or connection of the Property to a sewer system. If Buyer wants further information on any aspect of the Property, Broker recommends that Buyer have a discussion with the professional property inspector and that Buyer hire an appropriate professional for the area of concern to Buyer. Brokers do not verify the results of any such inspection or guarantee the performance of any such inspector or service. Any election by Buyer to waive the right to a physical inspection of the Property or to rely on somebody other than an appropriate professional is against the advice of Brokers. Not all inspectors are licensed and licenses are not available for all types of inspection activities. Brokers do not have expertise in these area.
- 6. MOLD:** Buyer and Seller are advised that the presence of certain kinds of mold, fungi, mildew and other organisms, sometimes referred to as "toxic mold" (collectively "Mold"), may adversely affect the Property and the health of individuals who live on or work at the Property as well as pets. Mold does not affect all people the same way, and may not affect some people at all. Mold may be caused by water leaks or other sources of moisture such as, but not limited

to, flooding, and leaks in windows, pipes and roof. Seller is advised to disclose the existence of any such conditions of which he or she is aware. Buyer should carefully review all of Seller's disclosures for any indication that any of these conditions exist. It is, however, possible that Mold may be hidden and that Seller is completely unaware of its existence. In addition, Mold is often undetectable from a visual inspection, a professional general property inspection and even a structural pest control inspection. Brokers do not have expertise in this area. If Buyer wants further information, Broker recommends that Buyer have the Property tested for Mold by an environmental hygienist or other appropriate professional during Buyer's inspection contingency period. Not all inspectors are licensed and licenses are not available for all types of inspection activities. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.

7. **PETS AND ANIMALS:** Buyer and Seller are advised that the current or previous owner(s) may have had domesticated or other pets and animals at the Property. Odors from animal urine or other contamination may be dormant for long periods of time and then become active because of heat, humidity or other factors and might not be eliminated by cleaning or replacing carpets or other cleaning methods. Pet urine and feces can also damage hardwood floors and other floor coverings. Additionally, an animal may have had fleas, ticks and other pests that remain on the Property after the animal has been removed. If Buyer wants further information, Broker(s) recommend that Buyer discuss the issue with an appropriate professional during Buyer's inspection contingency period. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
8. **SEPTIC SYSTEMS:** Buyer and Seller are advised that a property may be served by one or more septic systems even though adjoining properties are connected to a sewer line. Buyer and Seller are also advised that some septic tanks and systems may have been abandoned or have leaked into ground water sources. Buyer is advised to contact the appropriate government agency to verify that the Property is connected to a sewer or served by a septic system. If the Property is served by a septic system, it may consist of a septic tank, cesspool, pits, leach lines or a combination of such mechanisms ("collectively, System"). No representation or warranty is made by Seller or Broker concerning the condition, operability, size, capacity or future expansion of a System, nor whether a System is adequate for use by the intended occupants of the Property. A change in the number of occupants or the quantity, composition or methods of depositing waste may affect the efficiency of the System. In addition, the amount of rainfall and ground water table may also affect the efficiency of the System. Many factors including, but not limited to, natural forces, age, deterioration of materials and the load imposed on a System can cause the System to fail at any time. Broker recommends that Buyer obtain an independent evaluation of any System by a qualified sanitation professional during Buyer's inspection contingency period. Buyer should consult with their sanitation professional to determine if their report includes the tank only, or other additional components of the System such as pits and leach fields. Not all inspectors are licensed and licenses are not available for all types of inspection activities. In some cases, Buyer's lender as well as local government agencies may require System inspection. System-related maintenance costs may include, but not be limited to, locating, pumping or providing outlets to ground level. Brokers are unable to advise Buyer or Seller regarding System-related issues or associated costs, which may be significant. If Buyer and Seller agree to obtain a System inspection, Buyer and Seller are cautioned that the inspection cost may include, but not be limited to, the costs of locating, pumping or providing outlets to ground level. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
9. **SOIL AND GEOLOGIC CONDITIONS:** Buyer and Seller are advised that real estate in California is subject to settling, slippage, contraction, expansion erosion, subsidence, earthquakes and other land movement. The Property may be constructed on fill or improperly compacted soil and may have inadequate drainage capability. Any of these matters can cause structural problems to improvements on the Property. Civil or geo-technical engineers are best suited to evaluate soil stability, grading, drainage and other soil conditions. Additionally, the Property may contain known or unknown mines, mills, caves or wells. If Buyer wants further information, Broker recommends that Buyer hire an appropriate professional. Not all inspectors are licensed and licenses are not available for all types of inspections. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
10. **SQUARE FOOTAGE, LOT SIZE, BOUNDARIES AND SURVEYS:** Buyer and Seller are advised that only an appraiser or land surveyor, as applicable, can reliably confirm square footage, lot size, Property corners and exact boundaries of the Property. Representations regarding these items that are made in a Multiple Listing Service, advertisements, and from property tax assessor records are often approximations, or based upon inaccurate or incomplete records. Fences, hedges, walls or other barriers may not represent actual boundary lines. Unless otherwise specified by Broker in writing, Brokers have not verified any such boundary lines or any representations made by Seller or others concerning square footage, lot size, Property corners or exact boundaries. Standard title insurance does not insure the boundaries of the Property. If the exact square footage or lot size or location of Property corners or boundaries is an important consideration in Buyer's decision to purchase the Property and/or how much Buyer is willing to pay for the Property, then Buyer must independently conduct Buyer's own investigation through appropriate professionals, appraisers, or licensed surveyors and rely solely on their data, recognizing that all measurements may not be consistent and that different sources may have different size assessments. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
11. **WATER INTRUSION:** Buyer and Seller are advised that many homes suffer from water intrusion or leakage. The causes of water intrusion are varied, and can include defective construction, faulty grading, deterioration of building materials and absence of waterproof barriers. Water intrusion can cause serious damage to the Property. This damage can consist of wood rot, mold, mildew and even damage to the structural integrity of the Property. The cost of repairing and remediating water intrusion damage and its causes can be very significant. The existence and cause of water intrusion is often difficult to detect. Because you, your Broker or a general home inspector cannot visually observe any effects of water intrusion, Buyer and Seller should not assume that such intrusion does not exist. Broker recommends that Buyer have the Property inspected for water intrusion by an appropriate professional. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.

- 12. WELL AND WATER SYSTEM(S):** Buyer and Seller are advised that the Property may be served by one or more water wells, springs, or private community or public water systems. Any of these private or public water systems may contain bacteria, chemicals, minerals and metals, such as chromium. Well(s) may have been abandoned on the Property. Buyer is advised to have both the quality and the quantity of water evaluated, and to obtain an analysis of the quality of any domestic and agricultural water in use, or to be used at the Property, from whatever source. Water quality tests can include not only tests for bacteria, such as coliform, but also tests for organic and inorganic chemicals, metals, mineral content and gross alpha testing for radioactivity. Broker recommends that Buyer consult with a licensed, qualified well and pump company and local government agency to determine whether any well/spring or water system will adequately serve Buyer's intended use and that Buyer have a well consultant perform an extended well output test for this purpose. Water well or spring capacity, quantity output and quality may change at any time. There are no guarantees as to the future water quality, quantity or duration of any well or spring. If Buyer wants further information, Broker(s) recommend that Buyer obtain an inspection of the condition, age, adequacy and performance of all components of the well/spring and any water system during Buyer's inspection contingency period. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
- 13. WOOD DESTROYING PESTS:** Buyer and Seller are advised that the presence of, or conditions likely to lead to the presence of infestation or infection of wood destroying pests and organisms may adversely affect the Property. Inspection reports covering these items can be separated into two sections: Section 1 identifies areas where infestation or infection is evident. Section 2 identifies areas where there are conditions likely to lead to infestation or infection. If Buyer wants further information, Buyer is advised and Broker recommends that Buyer have the Property inspected for the existence of such conditions and organisms, and conditions that may lead to their formation, by a registered structural pest control company during Buyer's inspection contingency period. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
- 14. FIRE HARDENING, DEFENSIBLE SPACE, AND WILDFIRE DISASTERS:** California is subject to wildfires which have resulted in damage and destruction of many properties located in the state. Several recent state laws have mandated disclosures by sellers when selling properties in certain identified zones, such as "high" or "very high" fire severity zones. Additionally, state law mandates that sellers provide buyers with statements of compliance with local mandates if adopted by local agencies. The Property may be located in a high or very high fire severity zone. This may impact the availability of insurance and the ability to build or rebuild structures on the Property. Additionally, there may be requirements that certain fire prevention steps may be mandated. Information on fire hardening, including current building standards and information on minimum annual vegetation management standards to protect homes from wildfires, can be obtained on the internet website <http://www.readyforwildfire.org>. Cal Fire has made available a "Fire Hazard Severity Zone Viewer" where you can input the Property address to determine which fire hazard zone, if any, that the Property is located in. The viewer is available at <https://egis.fire.ca.gov/FHSZ/>. Below is a partial list of potential resources provided as a starting point for Buyer/Lessee investigations and not as an endorsement or guarantee that any federal, state, county, city or other resource will provide complete advice.
- A. California Department of Insurance ("Wildfire Resource") <http://insurance.ca.gov/01-consumers/140-catastrophes/WildfireResources.cfm>; 1-800-927-4357
 - B. Governor's Office of Emergency Services ("Cal OES") California Wildfires Statewide Recovery Resources <http://wildfirerecovery.org/>
 - C. California Department of Forestry and Fire ("Cal Fire") <http://fire.ca.gov/> and <https://www.readyforwildfire.org/>
 - D. California Department of Transportation <https://calsta.ca.gov/>
 - E. California Attorney General <https://oag.ca.gov/consumers/pricegougingduringdisasters#8C1>
- Brokers do not have expertise in this area.**
- 15. PRELIMINARY (TITLE) REPORT:** A preliminary report is a document prepared by a title company which shows the conditions upon which the title company is willing to offer a policy of title insurance. However, a preliminary report is not an "abstract of title;" the title company does not conduct an exhaustive search of the title record and does not guarantee the condition of title. Nevertheless, the preliminary report documents many matters that have been recorded that can impact an owner's use of the property such as known easements, access rights, and encroachments and, if applicable, governing documents and restrictions for a homeowners' association (HOA). Among many other restrictions that may appear in the HOA documents are restrictions on the number and weight of pets that are allowed. A preliminary report may contain links to important documents referred to in the report. Broker recommends that Buyer reviews the preliminary report and any documents referenced by links and keep a printed or electronic copy of the preliminary report and documents referenced by link. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.

B. Property Use and Ownership

- 1. ACCESSORY DWELLING UNITS:** Accessory Dwelling Units (ADUs) are known by many names: granny flats, in-law units, backyard cottages, secondary units and more. California has passed laws to promote the development of ADUs. Additional information about ADUs can be found at <http://hcd.ca.gov/policy-research/AccessoryDwellingUnits.shtml>. Buyer is advised to check with appropriate government agencies or third party professionals to verify permits and legal requirements and the effect of such requirements on current and future use and rentability of the Property, its development and size. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
- 2. BUILDING PERMITS, ZONING AND CODE COMPLIANCE:** Buyer and Seller are advised that any structure on the Property, including the original structure and any addition, modification, remodel or improvement may have been built without permits, not according to building codes, or in violation of zoning laws. Further, even if such structure was built according to the then-existing code or zoning requirement, it may not be in compliance with current building standards

or local zoning. It is also possible that local law may not permit structures that now exist to be rebuilt in the event of damage or destruction. Certain governmental agencies may require periodic inspections to occur in the future. If Buyer wants further information, Broker(s) recommend that Buyer discuss the issue with an appropriate professional during Buyer's inspection contingency period. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.

3. **BUYER INTENDED FUTURE USE OF, AND MODIFICATIONS TO, THE PROPERTY:** Buyer and Seller are advised that Seller's existing use of the property may not be consistent with Buyer's intended use or any future use that Buyer makes of the property, whether or not Buyer has any current plans to change the use. Buyer is advised to check with appropriate government agencies or third party professionals to verify what legal requirements are needed to accommodate any change in use. In addition, neither Seller nor Broker make any representations as to what modifications Buyer can make to the Property after close of escrow as well as any cost factors associated with any such modifications. Buyer is advised to check with his own licensed contractor and other such professionals as well as with the appropriate government agencies to determine what modifications Buyer will be allowed to make after close of escrow. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
4. **CALIFORNIA FAIR PLAN:** Buyer and Seller are advised that insurance for certain hillside, oceanfront and brush properties may be available only from the California Fair Plan. This may increase the cost of insurance for such properties and coverage may be limited. Broker(s) recommend that Buyer consult with Buyer's own insurance agent during Buyer's inspection contingency period regarding the availability of coverage under the California Fair Plan and the length of time it may take for processing of a California Fair Plan application. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
5. **FUTURE REPAIRS, REPLACEMENTS AND REMODELS:** Buyer and Seller are advised that replacement or repairs of certain systems or rebuilding or remodeling of all or a portion of the Property may trigger requirements that homeowners comply with laws and regulations that either come into effect after Close of Escrow or are not required to be complied with until the replacement, repair, rebuild or remodel has occurred. Permit or code requirements or building standards may change after Close of Escrow, resulting in increasing costs to repair existing features. If Buyer wants further information, Broker recommends that Buyer discuss the issue with an appropriate professional during Buyer's inspection contingency period. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
6. **HEATING VENTILATING AND AIR CONDITIONING SYSTEMS:** Changes to state and federal energy efficiency regulations impact the installation, replacement and some repairs of heating and air conditioning units (HVAC): (i) Federal regulations now require manufacturers of HVAC units to produce only units meeting a new higher Seasonal Energy Efficiency Rating (SEER). This will likely impact repairs and replacements of existing HVAC units. State regulations now require that when installing or replacing HVAC units, with some exceptions, duct work must be tested for leaks. Duct work leaking more than 15 percent must be repaired to reduce leaks. The average existing duct work typically leaks 30 percent. More information is available at the California Energy Commission's website: <https://www.energy.ca.gov/programs-and-topics/programs/home-energy-rating-system-hers-program>. Home warranty policies may not cover such inspections or repairs, (ii) the phase out of the use of HCFC-22 (R-22 Freon) will have an impact on repairs and replacement of existing air conditioning units and heat pumps. The production and import of HCFC-22 ended January 1, 2020. Existing systems may continue to be used and HCFC-22 recovered and reclaimed or that was produced prior to 2020 can help meet the needs of existing systems, however, costs may rise. More information is available from the Environmental Protection Agency at https://www.epa.gov/sites/production/files/2018-08/documents/residential_air_conditioning_and_the_phaseout_of_hcfc-22_what_you_need_to_know.pdf and <http://www.epa.gov/ozone/title6/phaseout/22phaseout.html>, and (iii) New efficiency standards are also in place for water heaters. As a consequence, replacement water heaters will generally be larger than existing units and may not fit in the existing space. Additional venting and other modifications may be required as well. More information is available from the U.S. Department of Energy at http://www.eere.energy.gov/buildings/appliance_standards/product.aspx/productid/27. If Buyer wants further information, Broker recommends that Buyer discuss the issue with an appropriate professional during Buyer's inspection contingency period. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
7. **HISTORICAL DESIGNATION, COASTAL COMMISSION, ARCHITECTURAL, LANDSCAPE, AGRICULTURAL OR OPEN SPACE AND OTHER RESTRICTIONS ON BUILDINGS OR IMPROVEMENTS:** Buyer and Seller are advised that the Property may be: (i) designated as a historical landmark, (ii) protected by a historical conservancy, (iii) subject to an architectural or landscaping review process, (iv) within the jurisdiction of the California Coastal Commission or other government agency, or (v) subject to a contract preserving use of all or part of the Property for agriculture or open space. If the Property is so designated or within the jurisdiction of any such, or similar, government agency, then there may be restrictions or requirements regarding Buyer's ability to develop, remove or trim trees or other landscaping, remodel, make improvements to and build on or rebuild the Property. Broker(s) recommend that Buyer satisfy him/herself during Buyer's inspection contingency period if any of these issues are of concern to Buyer. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
8. **INSURANCE, TITLE INSURANCE AND TITLE INSURANCE AFTER FORECLOSURE:** Buyer and Seller are advised that Buyer may have difficulty obtaining insurance regarding the Property if there has been a prior insurance claim affecting the Property or made by Buyer but unrelated to the Property. Seller is required by C.A.R. Form RPA to disclose known insurance claims made during the past five years (C.A.R. Form SPQ or ESD). Sellers may not be aware of claims prior to their ownership. If Buyer wants further information, Broker(s) recommend that, during Buyer's inspection contingency period, Buyer conduct his or her own investigation for past claims. Buyer may need to obtain Seller's consent in order to have access to certain investigation reports. If the Property is a condominium, or is located in a planned unit development or other common interest subdivision, Buyer and Seller are advised to determine if the individual unit is covered by the Homeowner's Association Insurance and the type of insurance coverage that Buyer may purchase. Broker(s) recommend that Buyer consult Buyer's insurance agents during Buyer's inspection contingency

period to determine the need, availability and possibility of securing any and all forms of other insurance or coverage or any conditions imposed by insurer as a requirement of issuing insurance. If Buyer does any repairs to the property during the escrow period or Buyer takes possession prior to Close of Escrow or Seller remains in possession after Close of Escrow, whether for a limited or extended period of time, Broker(s) recommend that Buyer and Seller each consult with their own insurance agent regarding insurance or coverage that could protect them in the transaction (including but not limited to: personal property, flood, earthquake, umbrella and renter's). Buyer and Seller are advised that traditional title insurance generally protects Buyer's title acquired through the sale of the property. While all title insurance policies, as do all insurance policies, contain some exclusions, some title insurance policies contain exclusions for any liability arising from a previous foreclosure. This can occur when a short sale has occurred but the lender mistakenly has also proceeded with a foreclosure. Buyer is strongly advised to consult with a title insurer to satisfy themselves that the policy to be provided adequately protects their title to the property against other possible claimants. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.

9. LAND LEASE: Buyer and Seller are advised that certain developments are built on leased land. This means that: **(i)** Buyer does not own the land, **(ii)** the right to occupy the land will terminate at some point in time, **(iii)** the cost to lease the land may increase at some point in the future, and **(iv)** Buyer may not be able to obtain title insurance or may have to obtain a different type of title insurance. If Buyer wants further information, Broker recommends that Buyer discuss the issue with an attorney or other appropriate professional. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.

10. MARIJUANA, CANNABIS, AND METHAMPHETAMINE LABS: Buyer and Seller are advised that California law permits individual patients to cultivate, possess and use marijuana for medical purposes. Furthermore, California law permits primary caregivers, lawfully organized cooperatives, and collectives to cultivate, distribute and possess marijuana for medicinal purposes. California law also allows recreational use of marijuana for adults, as well as limited rights for individuals to grow and cultivate marijuana, and rights of others, subject to a licensing process, to grow, cultivate and distribute marijuana for recreational use. California's medical and recreational marijuana laws are in direct conflict with federal law which recognizes no lawful use for marijuana and has no exemptions for medical use. Federal criminal penalties, some of which mandate prison time, remain in effect for the possession, cultivation and distribution of marijuana. Buyer and Seller are strongly advised to seek legal counsel as to the legal risks and issues surrounding owning or purchasing a property where medical or any other marijuana activity is taking place. Marijuana storage, cultivation and processing carry the risk of causing mold, fungus or moisture damage to a property, additionally, some properties where marijuana has been cultivated have had alterations to the structure or the electrical system which may not have been done to code or with permits and may affect the safety of the structure or the safe operation of the electrical system. Buyer is strongly advised to retain an environmental hygienist contractor and other appropriate professionals to inspect a property where medical or any other marijuana activity has taken place. Broker recommends that Buyer and Seller involved with a property where there is medical marijuana activity or where it may take place review the California Attorney General's Guidelines for the "Security and Non-Diversion of Marijuana Grown for Medical Use" <https://oag.ca.gov/system/files/attachments/press-docs/MEDICINAL%20CANNABIS%20Guidelines.pdf> and the U.S. Department of Justice memo regarding marijuana prosecutions at <https://www.justice.gov/opa/press-release/file/1022196/download>. Brokers do not have expertise in this area. While no state law permits the private production of methamphetamine, some properties have been the site of an illegal methamphetamine laboratory. State law imposes an obligation to notify occupants, a ban on occupying the property and clean up requirements when authorities identify a property as being contaminated by methamphetamine. Buyer is advised that a property where methamphetamine has been produced may pose a very serious health risk to occupants. Buyer is strongly advised to retain an environmental hygienist contractor or other appropriate professionals to inspect the property if methamphetamine production is suspected to have taken place. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.

11. OWNER'S TITLE INSURANCE: The Truth in Lending/RESPA integrated disclosure (TRID) established by the Consumer Financial Protection Bureau (CFPB) requires that lenders must tell borrowers that title insurance is "optional." While obtaining an owner's policy of title insurance may be "optional", it may be a contractual requirement as between Buyer and Seller. Furthermore, California Civil Code § 1057.6 requires that Buyers be provided with the following notice: "IMPORTANT: IN A PURCHASE OR EXCHANGE OF REAL PROPERTY, IT MAY BE ADVISABLE TO OBTAIN TITLE INSURANCE IN CONNECTION WITH THE CLOSE OF ESCROW SINCE THERE MAY BE PRIOR RECORDED LIENS AND ENCUMBRANCES WHICH AFFECT YOUR INTEREST IN THE PROPERTY BEING ACQUIRED. A NEW POLICY OF TITLE INSURANCE SHOULD BE OBTAINED IN ORDER TO ENSURE YOUR INTEREST IN THE PROPERTY THAT YOU ARE ACQUIRING."

Additionally, even the CFPB on its "ask CFPB" "What is owner's title insurance?" page advises "You may want to buy an owner's title insurance policy, which can help protect your financial interest in the home." Moreover, not obtaining an owner's policy may increase the cost of the lender's policy (required by most lenders), possibly require the separate purchase of a preliminary title report, and may have an impact on the sale of the Property in the future.

Buyers who decide to opt out of obtaining an owner's title insurance policy are acting against the advice of Brokers as well as the advice provided in the California Civil Code § 1057.6 and by the CFPB. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.

- 12. RENT AND EVICTION CONTROL LAWS AND ORDINANCES:** Buyer and Seller are advised that California and some cities and counties impose or may impose restrictions that limit the rent that can be charged to a tenant, the maximum number of tenants who can occupy the property, the right of a landlord to terminate a tenancy and the costs to do so, and the consequences of terminating a tenancy unlawfully. Even if property that is currently vacant was previously tenant occupied, the termination of that previous tenancy may affect a buyer's rights such as the legal use of the property and who may occupy the property in the future. If Buyer wants further information, Broker(s) recommend that Buyer investigate the issue with an appropriate government authority or a qualified California real estate attorney during Buyer's inspection contingency period. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
- 13. RETROFIT, BUILDING REQUIREMENTS, AND POINT OF SALE REQUIREMENTS:** Buyer and Seller are advised that state and local Law may require (i) the installation of operable smoke detectors, (ii) bracing or strapping of water heaters, and (iii) upon sale completion of a corresponding written statement of compliance that is delivered to Buyer. Although not a point of sale or retrofit obligation, state law may require the property to have operable carbon monoxide detection devices. Additionally, some city and county governments may impose additional retrofit standards at time of sale including, but not limited to, installing or retrofitting low-flow toilets and showerheads, gas shut-off valves, fireplaces, and tempered glass. Further, there may be potential health impacts from air pollution caused from burning wood. Exposure to particulate matter from the smoke may cause short-term and long-term health effects. Buyers should consult with licensed professional to inspect, properly maintain, and operate a wood burning stove or fireplace. Broker(s) recommend that Buyer and Seller consult with the appropriate government agencies, inspectors, and other professionals to determine the retrofit standards for the Property, the extent to which the Property complies with such standards, and the costs, if any, of compliance. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
- 14. SHORT TERM RENTALS AND RESTRICTIONS:** Buyer and Seller are advised that some cities, counties and Homeowner Associations (HOAs) do impose or may impose restrictions that limit or prohibit the right of the owner or occupant to rent-out the Property for short periods of time (usually 30 Days or less). In short term rentals, as well as all rentals, Buyer and Seller are advised to seek assistance to ensure compliance with all fair housing laws and regulations. If Buyer wants further information, Broker(s) recommend that Buyer investigate the issue with an appropriate government authority or HOA during Buyer's inspection contingency period. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
- 15. VIEWS:** Buyer and Seller are advised that present views from the Property may be affected by future development or growth of trees and vegetation on adjacent properties and any other property within the line of sight of the Property. Brokers make no representation regarding the preservation of existing views. If Buyer wants further information, Broker(s) recommend that Buyer review covenants, conditions and restrictions, if any, and contact neighboring property owners, government agencies and homeowner associations, if any, during Buyer's inspection contingency period. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
- 16. SWIMMING POOL, SECURITY AND SAFETY:** Buyer and Seller are advised that state and local Law may require the installation of barriers, anti-entrapment grates, access alarms, self-latching mechanisms, pool covers, exit alarms and/or other measures to decrease the risk to children and other persons of existing swimming pools and hot tubs, as well as various fire safety and other measures concerning other features of the Property. Compliance requirements differ from city to city and county to county. Unless specifically agreed, the Property may not be in compliance with these requirements. If Buyer wants further information, Broker(s) recommend that Buyer contact local government agencies about these restrictions and other requirements. State law requires that new pools and spas be equipped with at least two of seven specified drowning prevention safety features. Home inspectors have a statutory obligation to perform a non-invasive physical examination of the pool area to identify which safety features are present. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
- 17. WATER SHORTAGES AND CONSERVATION:** Buyer and Seller are advised that the Property may be located in an area that could experience water shortages. The policies of local water districts and the city or county in which the Property is located can result in the occurrence of any or all of the following: (i) limitations on the amount of water available to the Property, (ii) restrictions on the use of water, and (iii) an increasingly graduated cost per unit of water use, including, but not limited to, penalties for excess usage. For further information, Broker recommends that Buyer contact the supplier of water to the Property regarding the supplier's current or anticipated policies on water usage and to determine the extent to which those policies may affect Buyer's intended use of the Property. If the Property is serviced by a private well, Buyer is advised that drought conditions and/or a low water table may make it necessary to arrange, through a private supplier, for delivery of water to the Property. Buyers should contact water truck companies for the costs involved. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
- 18. 1915 IMPROVEMENT BOND MELLO-ROOS COMMUNITY DISTRICT, AND OTHER ASSESSMENT DISTRICTS:** Buyer and Seller are advised that the Property may be subject to an improvement bond assessment under the Improvement Bond Act of 1915, a levy of a special tax pursuant to a Mello-Roos Community Facilities district, and/or a contractual assessment as provided in § 5898.24 of the Streets And Highways Code or other assessment districts. Seller is generally required to make a good faith effort to obtain a disclosure notice from any local agency collecting such taxes and deliver such notice to Buyers. If there is a question as to whether an existing bond or assessment will be prorated as of the close of escrow, or whether Seller will pay off the bond or assessment at close of escrow, Buyers are advised to discuss the matter with the appropriate entity and address the responsibility for payment in negotiations for the purchase agreement or amendment prior to removing contingencies. Some cities and other localities have begun, or have the intention to begin, the process of requiring the replacement of utility poles by requiring that utility lines be buried underground. These projects can result in special tax assessments and set-up costs that are imposed on individual property owners. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.



C. Off-Site and Neighborhood Conditions

- 1. GOLF COURSE DISCLOSURES:** Buyer and Seller are advised that if the Property is located adjacent to or near a golf course the following may apply: **(i)** Stray golf balls – Any residence near a golf course may be affected by errant golf balls, resulting in personal injury or destruction to property. Golfers may attempt to trespass on adjacent property to retrieve golf balls even though the project restrictions may expressly prohibit such retrieval. **(ii)** Noise and lighting – The noise of lawn mowers irrigation systems and utility vehicles may create disturbances to homeowners. Maintenance operations may occur in the early morning hours. Residents living near the clubhouse may be affected by extra lighting, noise, and traffic. **(iii)** Pesticides and fertilizer use – A golf course may be heavily fertilized, as well as subjected to other chemicals during certain periods of the year. **(iv)** Irrigation system – Golf course sprinkler systems may cause water overspray upon adjacent property and structures. Also the irrigation system of a golf course may use reclaimed and retreated wastewater. **(v)** Golf carts – Certain lots may be affected more than others by the use of golf carts. Lots adjacent to a tee or putting green may be subject to noise disturbances and loss of privacy. **(vi)** Access to golf course from residences – It is likely that most residences will not have direct access from their lots to the golf course. The project restrictions may disclaim any right of access or other easements from a resident's lot onto the golf course. **(vii)** View obstruction – Residents living near a golf course may have their views over the golf course impacted by maturing trees and landscaping or by changes to the course's configuration. **(viii)** Water restrictions – As some municipalities face water shortages, the continued availability of water to the golf course may be restricted or otherwise reduced by the local water agency. If Buyer wants further information, Broker(s) recommend that Buyer contact the local water agency regarding this matter. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
- 2. NEIGHBORHOOD, AREA, PERSONAL FACTORS, BUYER INTENDED USE, HIGH SPEED RAILS, AND SMOKING RESTRICTIONS:** Buyer and Seller are advised that the following may affect the Property or Buyer's intended use of it: neighborhood or area conditions, including schools, proximity and adequacy of law enforcement, crime, fire protection, other government services, availability, adequacy and cost of any speed-wired, wireless internet connections or other telecommunications or other technology services and installations, proximity to medical marijuana growing or distribution locations, cell phone towers, manufacturing, commercial, industrial, airport or agricultural activities or military ordnance locations, existing and proposed transportation, construction, and development, any other source that may affect noise, view, traffic, or odor, wild and domestic animals, susceptibility to tsunami and adequacy of tsunami warnings, other nuisances, hazards, or circumstances, protected species, wetland properties, botanical diseases, historic or other governmentally-protected sites or improvements, cemeteries, conditions and influences of significance to certain cultures and/or religions, and personal needs, requirements and preferences of Buyer and FAA requirements for recreational and non-recreational use of Unmanned Aircraft Systems (UAS) (drones) (see UAS frequently asked questions <http://www.faa.gov/uas/faqs/>). California is potentially moving toward high speed rail service between Northern and Southern California. This rail line could have an impact on the Property if it is located nearby. More information on the timing of the project and routes is available from the California High-Speed Rail Authority at www.cahighspeedrail.ca.gov/. The State of California has long-standing no smoking laws in place restricting smoking in most business and some public spaces. Local jurisdictions may enact laws that are more restrictive than state law. Many California cities have enacted restrictions on smoking in parks, public sidewalks, beaches and shopping areas. Some jurisdictions have restrictions entirely banning smoking inside privately owned apartments and condominiums as well as in the common areas of such structures, or limiting smoking to certain designated areas. If Buyer wants further information, Broker(s) recommend that Buyer contact local government agencies about these restrictions. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
- 3. NEIGHBORHOOD NOISE SOURCES:** Buyer and Seller are advised that even if the Property is not in an identified airport noise influence area, the Property may still be subject to noise and air disturbances resulting from airplanes and other aircraft, commercial or military or both, flying overhead. Other common sources of noise include nearby commercial districts, schools, traffic on streets, highways and freeways, trains and general neighborhood noise from people, dogs and other animals. Noise levels and types of noise that bother one person may be acceptable to others. Buyer is advised to satisfy him/herself with regard to any sources of and amounts of noise at different times of day and night. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
- 4. SCHOOLS:** Buyer and Seller are advised that children living in the Property may not, for numerous reasons, be permitted to attend the school nearest the Property. Various factors including, but not limited to, open enrollment policies, busing, overcrowding and class size reductions may affect which public school serves the Property. School district boundaries are subject to change. Buyer is advised to verify whether the Property is now, and at the Close of Escrow will be, in the school district Buyer understands it to be in and whether residing in the Property entitles a person to attend any specific school in which that Buyer is interested. Broker(s) recommend that Buyer contact the local school or school district for additional information during Buyer's inspection contingency period. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
- 5. UNDERGROUND PIPELINES AND UTILITIES:** Throughout California underground pipelines transport natural gas, liquid fuel and other potentially hazardous materials. These pipelines may or may not provide utility services to the Property. Information about the location of some of the pipelines may be available from a company that also provides disclosures of natural and other hazards or from other sources of public maps or records. Proximity to underground pipelines, in and of itself, does not affirmatively establish the risk or safety of the property. If Buyer wants further information about these underground pipelines and utilities, Buyer is advised to consult with appropriate experts during Buyer's inspection contingency period. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
- 6. WILDLIFE:** California is the home to many species of wildlife. The location of homes in California continues to expand into areas that are the natural habitat of wildlife and the Property may be in such an area. Wildlife may become a nuisance especially if the availability of their natural sources of food or water is limited. Buyer should investigate the need to

implement mitigation measures at the Property including but not limited to the use of animal-resistant garbage containers, and other appropriate measures depending on the species and habitat involved. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.

7. **SEA LEVEL RISE/COASTAL PROPERTIES:** Sea level rise has the potential to affect coastal residents, recreation, and development. Coastal communities may or may not have addressed the potential impact. The following is a non-exclusive list of issues that may be impacted by sea level rise: **(i)** Shoreline, beach and bluff erosion, and flooding; **(ii)** The effectiveness of seawalls and bulkheads, whether built with or without permits; **(iii)** Seaward construction, development or improvement to existing structures; **(iv)** The enactment of geological hazard abatement districts and assessments; and **(v)** The location of the “mean high tide line” which is used to delineate shoreline boundaries for some coastal properties.

Below is a non-exhaustive list of potential resources provided as a starting point for Buyer investigations into sea level rise, and not as an endorsement or guarantee that any federal, state, county, city or other resource will provide complete advice.

- A. California Coastal Commission contact information: <https://www.coastal.ca.gov/contact/#/>
- B. State Lands Commission contact information: <https://www.slc.ca.gov/contact-us/>
- C. National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (sea level rise page): <https://coast.noaa.gov/slr/>
- D. California Coastal Commission (sea level rise page): <https://www.coastal.ca.gov/climate/slr/>
- E. Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA): <https://www.fema.gov/flood-maps>; <https://msc.fema.gov>

If Buyer wants further information, Broker recommends that Buyer discuss the issue with an appropriate professional during Buyer’s inspection contingency period. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.

D. Legal Requirements (Federal, State and Local)

1. **DEATH ON THE PROPERTY:** California Civil Code § 1710.2 protects a seller from: **(i)** failing to disclose a death on the property that occurred more than 3 years before a buyer has made an offer on a property; and **(ii)** failing to disclose if an occupant of a property was afflicted with HIV/AIDS, regardless of whether a death occurred or if so, when § 1710.2 does not protect a seller from making a misrepresentation in response to a direct inquiry. If the Buyer has any concerns about whether a death occurred on the Property or the manner, location, details or timing of a death, the buyer should direct any specific questions to the Seller in writing. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
2. **EARTHQUAKE FAULT ZONES AND SEISMIC HAZARD ZONES:** Buyer and Seller are advised that California Public Resources Code §§ 2622 and 2696 require the delineation and mapping of “Earthquake Fault Zones” along known active faults and “Seismic Hazard Zones” in California. Affected cities and counties must regulate certain development projects within these zones. Construction or development on affected properties may be subject to the findings of a geological report prepared by a registered California geologist. Generally, Seller must disclose if the Property is in such a zone and can use a research company to aid in the process. If Buyer wants further information, Broker recommends that, during Buyer’s inspection contingency period, Buyer make independent inquiries with such research companies or with appropriate government agencies concerning the use and improvement of the Property. Buyer is advised that there is a potential for earthquakes and seismic hazards even outside designated zones. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
3. **EPA’s LEAD-BASED PAINT RENOVATION, REPAIR AND PAINTING RULE:** The new rule requires that contractors and maintenance professionals working in pre-1978 housing, child care facilities, and schools with lead-based paint be certified; that their employees be trained; and that they follow protective work practice standards. The rule applies to renovation, repair, or painting activities affecting more than six square feet of lead-based paint in a room or more than 20 square feet of lead-based paint on the exterior. Enforcement of the rule begins October 1, 2010. See the EPA website at <http://www.epa.gov/lead> for more information. Buyer and Seller are advised to consult an appropriate professional. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
4. **FIRE HAZARDS:** Buyer and Seller are advised that fires annually cause the destruction of thousands of homes. Due to varied climate and topography, certain areas have higher risks of fires than others. Certain types of materials used in home construction create a greater risk of fire than others. If the Property is located within a State Fire Responsibility Area or a Very High Fire Hazard Zone, generally Seller must disclose that fact to Buyer under California Public Resources Code § 4136 and California Government Code §§ 51178 and 51183.5, and may use a research company to aid in the process. Owners of property may be assessed a fire prevention fee on each structure on each parcel in such zones. The fee may be adjusted annually commencing July 1, 2013. If Buyer wants further information, Broker recommends that, during Buyer’s inspection contingency period, Buyer contact the local fire department and Buyer’s insurance agent regarding the risk of fire. Buyer is advised that there is a potential for fires even outside designated zones. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
5. **FIRPTA/CALIFORNIA WITHHOLDING:** Buyer and Seller are advised that: **(i)** Internal Revenue Code § 1445, as of February 17, 2016, requires a Buyer to withhold and to remit to the Internal Revenue Service 15% of the purchase price of the property if the Seller is a non-resident alien, unless an express exemption applies. Only 10% needs to be withheld if the Buyer acquires the property as Buyer’s residence and the price does not exceed \$1,000,000. Seller may avoid withholding by providing Buyer a statement of non-foreign status. The statement must be signed by Seller under penalty of perjury and must include Seller’s tax identification number. Buyer can also avoid having to withhold Federal taxes from Seller’s Proceeds if the property price is \$300,000 or less, and the Buyer signs an affidavit stating Buyer intends to occupy the property as a principal residence. **(ii)** California Revenue and Taxation Code § 18662 requires that a Buyer withhold and remit to the California Franchise Tax Board 3 1/3% of the purchase price of the property unless the Seller

signs an affidavit that the property was the Seller's (or the decedent's, if a trust or probate sale) principal residence or that the sales price is \$100,000 or less or another express exemption applies. Exemptions from withholding also apply to legal entities such as corporations, LLCs, and partnerships. Brokers cannot give tax or legal advice. Broker recommends that Buyer and Seller seek advice from a CPA, attorney or taxing authority. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.

6. **FLOOD HAZARDS:** Buyer and Seller are advised that if the Property is located within a Special Flood Hazard Area, as designated by the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA), or an area of Potential Flooding pursuant to California Government Code § 8589.3, generally Seller must disclose this fact to Buyer and may use a research company to aid in the process. The National Flood Insurance Program was established to identify all flood plain areas and establish flood-risk zones within those areas. The program mandates flood insurance for properties within high-risk zones if loans are obtained from a federally-regulated financial institution or are insured by any agency of the United States Government. The extent of coverage and costs may vary. If Buyer wants further information, Broker(s) recommend that Buyer consult his or her lender and/or insurance agent during Buyer's inspection contingency period. Buyer is advised that there is a potential for flooding even outside designated zones. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
7. **MEGAN'S LAW DATABASE DISCLOSURE:** Notice: Pursuant to § 290.46 of the Penal Code, information about specific registered sex offenders is made available to the public via an Internet Web site maintained by the Department of Justice at <http://www.meganslaw.ca.gov/>. Depending on an offender's criminal history, this information will include either the address at which the offender resides or the community of residence and ZIP Code in which he or she resides. (Neither Seller nor Brokers, in any, are required to check this website. If Buyer wants further information, Buyer should obtain information directly from this website.) Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
8. **NOTICE OF YOUR SUPPLEMENTAL PROPERTY TAX BILL; ACCURATE SALES PRICE REPORTING:** Buyer and Seller are advised that pursuant to Civil Code § 1102.6(c), Seller, or his or her agent, is required to provide the following notice to the Buyer:

“California property tax law requires the Assessor to revalue real property at the time the ownership of property changes. Because of this law, you may receive one or two supplemental tax bills, depending on when your loan closes.

The supplemental tax bills are not mailed to your lender. Even if you have arranged for your property tax payments to be paid through an impound account, the supplemental tax bills will not be paid by your lender. It is your responsibility to pay these supplemental bills directly to the Tax Collector. If you have any questions concerning this matter, please call your Tax Collector's Office.”

Although the notice refers to loan closing as a trigger, it is actually the change of ownership which triggers this reassessment of property taxes. Therefore, the Property can be reassessed even if there is no loan involved in the purchase of the Property. The Purchase Agreement may allocate supplemental tax bills received after the Close of Escrow to the Buyer. A change (preliminary change) of ownership form is generally required to be filed by the Buyer with the local taxing agency. The form identifies the sales price of the Property. An assessor may value the Property at its fair market value regardless of the sales price declared by the Buyer. If Buyer wants further information concerning these matters, Broker(s) recommend that Buyer discuss the issue with the County Assessor or Tax Collector or their own tax or legal advisor. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.

9. **ZONE MAPS MAY CHANGE:** Maps that designate, among other things, Earthquake Fault Zones, Seismic Hazard Zones, State Fire Responsibility Areas, Very High Fire Hazard Zones, Special Flood Hazard Areas, and Potential Flooding Areas are occasionally redrawn by the applicable Government Agency. Properties that are currently designated in a specified zone or area could be removed and properties that are not now designated in a specified zone or area could be placed in one or more such zones or areas in the future. A property owner may dispute a FEMA flood hazard location by submitting an application to FEMA. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
10. **ELECTRIFICATION OF ENERGY SOURCE:** Several local jurisdictions in California have enacted laws which prohibit the use of natural gas appliances in new construction. Other local jurisdictions, and State of California, are considering bans, and may even prohibit the replacement, sale or installation of appliances that use any fuel source other than electricity. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.

E. Contract Related Issues and Terms

1. **SIGNING DOCUMENTS ELECTRONICALLY:** The ability to use electronic signatures to sign legal documents is a great convenience, however Buyers and Sellers should understand they are signing a legally binding agreement. Read it carefully. Although electronic signature programs make it easy to skip from one signature or initial line to another, Buyers and Sellers are cautioned to only sign if they have taken the time necessary to read each document thoroughly, understand the entire document, and agree to all of its terms. Do not just scroll through or skip to the next signature or initial line, even if you have reviewed an earlier draft of the document. If you have questions or do not understand a provision, before you sign ask your Broker, Agent or legal advisor about the contract term and sign only if you agree to be bound by it. Some signature or initial lines are optional, such as for the liquidated damages and arbitration clauses. Consider your decision before signing or initialing. See below for more information on the liquidated damages and arbitration clauses. If there are more than one buyer or seller, each must sign or initial on their own. Do not sign or initial for anyone else unless you have a power of attorney for that person or are otherwise legally authorized, in writing, to

sign or initial for another. Print or electronically store a copy of the document for your own records. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.

- 2. LIQUIDATED DAMAGES:** Buyer and Seller are advised that a liquidated damages clause is a provision Buyer and Seller can use to agree in advance to the amount of damages that a seller will receive if a buyer breaches the Agreement. The clause usually provides that a seller will retain a buyer's initial deposit paid if a buyer breaches the agreement, and generally must be separately initialed by both parties and meet other statutory requirements to be enforceable. For any additional deposits to be covered by the liquidated damages clause, there generally must be another separately signed or initialed agreement (see C.A.R. Form DID). However, if the Property contains from 1 to 4 units, one of which a buyer intends to occupy, California Civil Code Section 1675 limits the amount of the deposit subject to liquidated damages to 3% of the purchase price. Even though both parties have agreed to a liquidated damages clause, an escrow company will usually require either a judge's or arbitrator's decision or instructions signed by both parties in order to release a buyer's deposit to a seller. Buyers and Sellers must decide on their own, or with the advice of legal counsel, whether to agree to a liquidated damages clause. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
- 3. MEDIATION:** Buyer and Seller are advised that mediation is a process by which the parties hire a neutral person to facilitate discussion and negotiation between the parties with the goal of helping them reach a settlement of their dispute. The parties generally share in the cost of this confidential, non-binding negotiation. If no agreement is reached, either party can pursue further legal action. Under C.A.R. Form RPA: (i) the parties must mediate any dispute arising out of their agreement (with a few limited exceptions, such as matters within the jurisdiction of a small claims court) before they resort to arbitration or court, and (ii) if a party proceeds to arbitration or court without having first attempted to mediate the dispute, that party risks losing the right to recover attorney fees and costs even if he or she prevails. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
- 4. ARBITRATION:** Buyer and Seller are advised that arbitration is a process by which the disputing parties hire a neutral person to render a binding decision. Generally, arbitration is faster and less expensive than resolving disputes by litigating in court. The rules are usually less formal than in court, and it is a private process not a matter of public record. By agreeing to arbitration, the parties give up the right to a jury trial and to appeal the arbitrator's decision. Arbitration decisions have been upheld even when arbitrators have made a mistake as to the law or the facts. If the parties agree to arbitration, then after first attempting to settle the dispute through mediation, any dispute arising out of their agreement (with a few limited exceptions) must be submitted to binding arbitration. Buyer and Seller must weigh the benefits of a potentially quicker and less expensive arbitration against giving up the right to a jury trial and the right to appeal. Brokers cannot give legal advice regarding these matters. Buyers and Sellers must decide on their own, or with the advice of legal counsel, whether to agree to arbitration. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
- 5. ESCROW FUNDS:** Buyer and Seller are advised that California Insurance Code § 12413.1 provides that escrow companies cannot disburse funds unless there are sufficient "good funds" to cover the disbursement. "Good funds" are defined as cash, wire transfers and cashiers' or certified checks drawn on California depositories. Escrow companies vary in their own definitions of "good funds." Broker(s) recommend that Buyer and Seller ask the escrow company regarding its treatment of "good funds." All samples and out-of-state checks are subject to waiting periods and do not constitute "good funds" until the money is physically transferred to and received by the escrow holder. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
- 6. HOME WARRANTY:** Buyer and Seller are advised that Buyer and Seller can purchase home warranty plans covering certain standard systems of the Property both before and after Close of Escrow. Seller can obtain coverage for the Property during the listing period. For an additional premium, an upgraded policy providing additional coverage for air conditioning, pool and spa and other features can be purchased. Home warranties do not cover every aspect of the Property and may not cover inspections or upgrades for repairs required by state or federal laws or pre-existing conditions. Broker(s) recommend that Buyer review the policy for details. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
- 7. IDENTIFICATION OF NATURAL PERSONS BEHIND SHELL COMPANIES IN ALL-CASH TRANSACTIONS:** The U.S. Treasury Department's Financial Crimes Enforcement Network (FinCEN) has issued Geographic Targeting Orders (GTOs) targeting alleged money laundering risk in the real estate sector. The GTOs will temporarily require U.S. title insurance companies to identify the natural persons behind shell companies used to pay "all cash" for high-end residential real estate in certain major metropolitan areas. FinCEN explained that it remains concerned that all-cash purchases (i.e., those without bank financing) may be conducted by individuals attempting to hide their assets and identity by purchasing residential properties through limited liability companies or other similar structures. Since the original issuance, the GTOs have been renewed and may continue to be renewed. The GTOs cover the following areas in California: Los Angeles, San Francisco, San Mateo, Santa Clara and San Diego Counties. The monetary thresholds for each county is \$300,000. GTOs have helped law enforcement identify possible illicit activity. FinCEN reported that a significant portion of covered transactions have dictated possible criminal activity associated with the individuals reported to be the beneficial owners behind shell company purchasers. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
- 8. NON CONFIDENTIALITY OF OFFERS:** Buyer is advised that Seller or Listing Agent may disclose the existence, terms, or conditions of Buyer's offer, unless all parties and their agent have signed a written confidentiality agreement (such as C.A.R. Form CND). Whether any such information is actually disclosed depends on many factors, such as current market conditions, the prevailing practice in the real estate community, the Listing Agent's marketing strategy and the instructions of the Seller. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
- 9. ONLINE OR WIRE FUNDS TRANSFERS:** Instructions for the online or wire transfer of escrow deposits have been known to be intercepted by hackers who alter them so that Buyer's funds are actually wired to accounts controlled by criminals rather than the escrow company. Buyers should exercise extreme caution in making electronic funds transfers,

verifying that the organization they are transferring funds to is, in fact, the escrow company and that their own bank account information is not being exposed. See C.A.R. Form WFA for further information. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.

F. Other Factors Affecting Property

- 1. COMMUNITY ENHANCEMENT AND PRIVATE TRANSFER FEES:** Buyer and Seller are advised that some areas or communities may have enhancement fees or user-type fees, or private transfer taxes and fees, over and above any stated fees. The Federal Housing Finance Agency has issued a rule that prohibits Fannie Mae and Freddie Mac from purchasing loans made on properties with private transfer fees if those fees were established on or after February 8, 2011. See title 12 Code of Federal Regulations § 1228 for more information and exceptions. Private transfer fees: **(i)** may last for a fixed period of time or in perpetuity, **(ii)** are typically calculated as a percentage of the sales price, and **(iii)** may have private parties, charitable organizations or interest-based groups as their recipients who may use the funds for social issues unrelated to the property. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
- 2. GENERAL RECALL/DEFECTIVE PRODUCT/CLASS ACTION INFORMATION:** Buyer and Seller are advised that government entities and manufacturers may at any time issue recall notices and/or warnings about products that may be present in the Property, and that these notices or warnings can change. The following nonexclusive, non-exhaustive list contains examples of recalled/defective products/class action information: horizontal furnaces, Whirlpool Microwave Hood Combination; RE-ConBuilding products roof tiles; Central Sprinkler Company Fire Sprinklers; Robert Shaw Water Heater Gas Control Valves; Trex Decking; water heaters; aluminum wiring; galvanized, abs, polybutylene PEX, KITEC® and copper pipe; and dry wall manufactured in China. There is no single, all-inclusive source of information on product recalls, defective products or class actions; however, the U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission (CPSC) maintains a website that contains useful information. If Buyer wants further information regarding the items listed above, Broker(s) recommend that Buyer review the CPSC website at <http://www.cpsc.gov/> during Buyer's inspection contingency period. Another source affiliated with the CPSC is <http://saferproducts.gov/> which allows a Buyer to search by product type or product name. Buyer may also search using the various search engines on the Internet for the specified product or products in question. Brokers recommend that Buyer satisfy themselves regarding recalled or defective products. Brokers will not determine if any aspect of the Property is subject to a recall or is affected by a class action lawsuit. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
- 3. HOMEOWNER ASSOCIATIONS AND COVENANTS, CONDITIONS AND RESTRICTIONS ("CC&Rs"); CHARGING STATIONS; FHA/VA APPROVAL:** Buyer and Seller are advised that if the Property is a condominium, or located in a planned unit development, or in a common interest subdivision, there are typically restrictions on use of the Property and rules that must be followed. Restrictions and rules are commonly found in Declarations and other governing documents. Further there is likely to be a homeowner association (HOA) that has the authority to affect the Property and its use. Whether or not there is a HOA, the Property may still be subject to CC&Rs restricting use of the Property. The HOA typically has the authority to enforce the rules of the association, assess monetary payments (both regular monthly dues and special assessments) to provide for the upkeep and maintenance of the common areas, and enforce the rules and assessment obligations. If you fail to abide by the rules or pay monies owed to the HOA, the HOA may put a lien against your Property. Additionally, if an electric vehicle charging station is installed in a common area or an exclusive use common area, each Seller whose parking space is on or near that charging station must disclose its existence and that the Buyer will have the responsibilities set forth in California Civil Code §4745. The law requires the Seller to provide the Buyer with the CC&Rs and other governing documents, as well as a copy of the HOA's current financial statement and operating budget, among other documents. Effective July 1, 2016, a Common Interest Development (CID) will be required to include in its annual budget report a separate statement describing the status of the CID as a Federal Housing Administration or Department of Veterans Affairs approved Development. While the purchase agreement and the law require that the annual budget be provided by Seller to Buyer, Brokers will not and cannot verify the accuracy of information provided by the CID. Buyer is advised to carefully review all HOA documents provided by Seller and the CC&Rs, if any, and satisfy him/herself regarding the use and restrictions of the Property, the amount of monthly dues and/or assessments, the adequacy of reserves, current and past insurance coverage and claims, and the possibility of any legal action that may be taken by or against the HOA. The HOA may not have insurance or may not cover personal property belonging to the owner of the unit in the condominium, common interest or planned unit development. For more information Buyer may request from Broker the C.A.R. Legal Q&A titled: "Homeowners' Associations: A Guide for REALTORS®". Brokers do not have expertise in this area.

Although unenforceable, it is possible the CC&Rs, deed or other document on title may contain a covenant which at one time may have purported to discriminate against persons based on race, religion or other protected class or characteristics. You have the right to request the assistance of the title or escrow company to help you prepare a form which will be provided to the County and may result in the discriminatory language being removed from the public record. You may also get a notice informing you of these rights from the Broker or title or escrow company. For more information Buyer may request from Broker the C.A.R. Legal Quick Guide titled: "Agent Disclosure of Discriminatory Covenants Based on Actual Knowledge."

- 4. LEGAL ACTION:** Buyer and Seller are advised that if Seller or a previous owner was involved in a legal action (litigation or arbitration) affecting the Property, Buyer should obtain and review public and other available records regarding the

legal action to determine: (i) whether the legal action or any resolution of it affects Buyer and the Property, (ii) if any rights against any parties involved in the legal action survive the legal action or have been terminated or waived as a result of the legal action, whether or not involving the same issue as in the legal action, and (iii) if any recommendations or requirements resulting from the legal action have been fulfilled and, if so, that Buyer is satisfied with any such action. Buyer should seek legal advice regarding these matters. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.

5. **MARKETING; INTERNET ADVERTISING; INTERNET BLOGS; SOCIAL MEDIA:** Buyer and Seller are advised that Broker may employ a “staging” company to assist in the presentation of the Property. The furnishings and decorations in the staging are generally not included in the sale unless specifically noted in the Agreement. Statements and inclusion in the MLS entry, flyers, and other marketing materials are NOT part of the Agreement. In addition, Broker may employ a service to provide a “virtual tour” or “virtual staging” or Internet marketing of the Property, permitting potential buyers to view the Property over the Internet. While they are supposed to be an accurate representation of the property, the photos may be enhanced and not fully representative of the actual condition of the property. Further, neither the service provider nor Broker have total control over who will obtain access to materials placed on the internet or what action such persons might take. Additionally, some Internet sites and other social media provide formats for comments or opinions of value of properties that are for sale. Information on the Property, or its owner, neighborhood, or any homeowner association having governance over the Property may be found on the internet on individual or commercial web sites, blogs, Facebook pages, or other social media. Any such information may be accurate, speculative, truthful or lies, and it may or may not reflect the opinions or representations by the Broker. Broker will not investigate any such sites, blogs, social media or other internet sites or the representations contained therein. Buyer is advised to make an independent search of electronic media and online sources prior to removing any investigation contingency. Buyer and Seller are advised that Broker has no control over how long the information or photos concerning the Property will be available on the Internet or through social media, and Broker will not be responsible for removing any such content from the internet or MLS. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
6. **PACE LOANS AND LIENS:** The acronym PACE stands for Property Assessed Clean Energy. PACE programs allow property owners to finance energy and water conservation improvements and pay for them through an assessment on the owner’s property. PACE programs are available in most areas for both residential one to four unit properties and commercial properties. PACE programs may be referred to by different names such as HERO or SCEIP, among others. If a PACE project is approved, an assessment lien is placed on a property for the amount owed plus interest. A property owner repays the entity for the improvements as a special tax assessment on the property tax bill over a period of years. A PACE lien is similar to a property tax lien in that it has “super priority.” Sellers are obligated to disclose, pursuant to the C.A.R. Residential Purchase Agreement (C.A.R. Form RPA), whether any improvement is subject to a lien such as a PACE lien. Properties that are subject to PACE liens made on or after July 6, 2010 may not be eligible for financing. For more information, Buyer may request from Broker the C.A.R. Legal Q&A titled: “PACE Programs and Solar Leases”. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
7. **RE-KEYING:** All locks should be re-keyed immediately upon close of escrow so as to ensure the Buyer’s safety and security of their persons as well as their personal belongings. Alarms, if any, should be serviced by professionals and codes should be changed. Garage door openers and remotes should be re-coded. In the event of a lease back to Seller after the close of escrow, Seller is advised that the Buyer is entitled to the keys as the Owner of the Property even though the Seller stays in possession of the Property as provided in the RPA. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
8. **SOLAR PANELS AND NET ENERGY METERING:** Solar panel or power systems may be owned or leased. Although leased systems are probably personal property, they are included in the sale by the C.A.R. purchase agreement which also obligates the Seller to make a disclosure to the Buyer and provide the Buyer with documentation concerning the lease and system. Leasing companies generally secure payments by filing a UCC-1 (a Uniform Commercial Code form giving notice of a creditor’s security interest) against the property. Sellers are required to provide material information about solar panels (C.A.R. form SOLAR may be used). Buyers are given a contingency right to investigate the solar related system and documentation and assume any lease. Assumption of the lease may require Buyer to provide financial information to the leasing company who may require a credit report be obtained on the Buyer. Should a solar panel or power system be on the Property, Buyers should determine if the system is leased or owned. Buyers willingness to assume any such lease is a contingency in favor of Seller. For more information, Buyer may request from Broker the C.A.R. Legal Q&A titled: “PACE Programs and Solar Leases”. **Solar panel systems may have net energy metering.** Payback rates from utilities to property owners with their own source of energy (such as rooftop solar panels) who contribute electricity back to the grid may change from those currently in place and may differ upon change of ownership in the property, Fees for new solar installation may be added or changed. Buyers should discuss with the applicable utility if applicable to the property. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
9. **RECORDING DEVICES:** Audio or video recording devices or both may be present on the Property, whether or not notice of any such devices has been posted. Seller may or may not even be aware of the capability of such devices. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
10. **WOOD BALCONIES, STAIRS AND OTHER STRUCTURES:** Prior to January 1, 2025, buildings with three units or more, may be required to obtain an inspection of exterior balconies, stairways, walkways, or decks that are supported

in whole or in substantial part by a wood or wood-based materials. For condos, the HOA will be responsible for the inspections per its governing documents. For other buildings, it is the owner's responsibility. An inspection report must be incorporated into a condo HOA's study of reserve account requirements. This could in turn affect lender certification requirements as well as future dues and assessments. A balcony report that identifies an immediate threat to the safety of the occupants will require the condo HOA or owner to prevent access to the balcony further impacting a property's marketability.

G. Local Disclosures and Advisories

LOCAL ADVISORIES OR DISCLOSURES (IF CHECKED):

The following disclosures or advisories are attached:

- A. _____
- B. _____
- C. _____
- D. _____

Buyer and Seller are encouraged to read all 15 pages of this Advisory carefully. By signing below, Buyer and Seller acknowledge that each has read, understands and received a copy of all 15 pages of this Advisory.

BUYER _____ Date _____

BUYER _____ Date _____

SELLER _____ Date _____

SELLER _____ Date _____

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SECURITY DEPOSIT DISCLOSURE AND ADDENDUM (C.A.R. Form SDDA, 6/24)

This is a disclosure and addendum to the Residential Lease or Month-to-Month rental Agreement, OR Other _____ (“Agreement”), dated _____, on property known as _____ (“Premises”), in which _____ is referred to as Housing Provider, and _____ is referred to as Tenant.

1. RESIDENTIAL RENTAL PROPERTY SECURITY DEPOSIT LAW: California Civil Code § 1950.5(c)(1) provides that a landlord may not demand or receive security, however denominated, in an amount or value in excess of an amount equal to one month’s rent, in addition to any rent for the first month paid on or before initial occupancy. There is an exception to this law based on the status of the landlord. The exception is specified in **paragraph 2**. This law is effective on July 1, 2024. Security deposits received before July 1, 2024 are not affected by this law.

2. EXCEPTION TO RESIDENTIAL RENTAL PROPERTY SECURITY DEPOSIT LAW: A landlord, which includes the owner of the property and any other person or entity identified as Housing Provider, may demand or receive a security deposit, paid on or before initial occupancy, in an amount equal to two months’ rent, in addition to any first month’s rent only if the following two conditions exist:
(i) The landlord is a natural person or a limited liability company in which all members are natural persons; and
(ii) The landlord owns no more than two residential rental properties that collectively include no more than four dwelling units offered for rent.

For purposes of this law, **(i)** “Natural person” includes any natural person who is a settlor or beneficiary of a family trust; and **(ii)** “Family trust” means a revocable living trust or irrevocable trust in which the settlors and beneficiaries of the trust are persons who are related to each other as sibling, spouse, domestic partner, child, parent, grandparent, or grandchild.

3. SECURITY DEPOSIT LIMIT FOR MEMBERS OF THE ARMED SERVICES: Even if a landlord meets the conditions established in **paragraph 2**, a landlord may not demand or receive security deposit exceeding one month’s rent if the prospective tenant is (service member):

- (i)** An active member of the Army, Navy, Air Force, Marine Corps, Space Force or Coast Guard or reserve member of any of the just named armed forces who is ordered into active duty; or
- (ii)** A member of the California National Guard, State Guard or Naval Militia called or ordered into active service.

4. REPRESENTATION OF LANDLORD OF EXCEPTION TO RESIDENTIAL SECURITY DEPOSIT LAW: Landlord (Housing Provider) represents that Landlord (Housing Provider) meets the conditions specified in **paragraph 2**, above, and, accordingly, may demand or receive from tenant a security deposit in an amount of up to two months’ rent.

Landlord (Housing Provider) _____ Date _____

Landlord (Housing Provider) _____ Date _____

5. REPRESENTATION OF TENANT OF SERVICE MEMBER STATUS: Tenant represents that tenant is a member of the Army, Navy, Air Force, Marine Corps, Space Force, Coast Guard, as (check applicable boxes in A(1) or A(2), or B):

- A. As:**
 (1) An active member;
OR (2) A reserve member who is ordered into active duty;

OR B. A member of the California National Guard, State Guard, Naval Militia called or ordered into active service.

Tenant _____ Date _____

Tenant _____ Date _____

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SELLER INSTRUCTION TO EXCLUDE LISTING FROM INTERNET

(C.A.R. Form SELI, Revised 6/24)

This is an addendum ("Addendum") to the Listing Agreement Other _____ ("Agreement") dated _____ on property known as _____ ("Property"), in which _____ is referred to as Seller and _____ is referred to as Broker.

- 1. **MULTIPLE LISTING SERVICE:** Broker is a participant/subscriber to the _____ Multiple Listing Service (MLS). The MLS is a database of properties for sale that is available and disseminated to and accessible by all other real estate agents who are participants or subscribers to the MLS or a reciprocal MLS. Property information submitted to the MLS describes the price, terms and conditions under which the Seller's Property is offered for sale. The MLS may further transmit the MLS database to Internet sites that post property listings online, including national compilations of properties for sale.
- 2. **MANDATORY SUBMISSION TO MLS:** The MLS generally requires brokers participating in the service to submit all exclusive right to sell and exclusive agency listings for residential real property or vacant lots to the MLS within **1 business day of any public marketing**. However, in accordance with MLS rules, Broker can elect to exclude certain listing information from appearing on certain Internet sites even if the listing is submitted to the MLS, if within that same period Broker submits to the MLS such an instruction signed by Seller (such as this form or a local equivalent form).
- 3. **SELLER OPT-OUT OF INTERNET DISPLAY:** Seller understands and acknowledges that if either **3A** or **3B** is checked, consumers who search for listings on Internet sites may not see information about the Property or its address in response to their search.
 - A. **Exclusion of Property from Internet:** Seller requests that Broker advise the MLS that Seller does not want the Property to be displayed on the Internet.
 - OR B. **Exclusion of Property Address from Internet:** Seller requests that Broker advise the MLS that Seller does not want the address of the Property to be displayed on the Internet. Seller understands and acknowledges that (i) if this option is checked, consumers who search for listings on Internet sites may not see the Property's address in response to their search; and (ii) all requests are subject to MLS rules.
- 4. **SELLER OPT-OUT OF FEATURES ON MLS PARTICIPANT AND SUBSCRIBER WEBSITES OR ELECTRONIC DISPLAYS:** Seller understands and acknowledges that if **4A** or **4B** or both is/are checked (i) this opt-out applies only to the Websites or Electronic Displays of MLS participants and subscribers who are real estate broker and agent members of an MLS; (ii) other Internet sites may or may not have the features set forth herein; and (iii) neither Broker nor the MLS may have the ability to control or block such features on other Internet sites.
 - A. **Exclusion of Comment or Property Review Feature from MLS Participant or Subscriber Websites or Electronic Displays:** Seller requests that Broker advise the MLS that Seller does not want visitors to MLS participant or subscriber Websites or Electronic Displays that display the Property listing to have (i) the ability to write comments or reviews about Seller's Property on those sites; or (ii) the ability to link to another site containing such comments or reviews.
 - OR B. **Exclusion of Automated Estimate of Property Value Feature from MLS Participant or Subscriber Websites or Electronic Displays:** Seller requests that Broker advise the MLS that Seller does not want MLS participant or subscriber Websites or Electronic Displays that display the Property listing (i) to create an automated estimate of the market value of the Property; or (ii) the ability to link to another site containing such automated estimate of the market value of the Property.

By signing below, Seller acknowledges that Seller has read, understands, accepts and has received a copy of this Addendum.

Seller _____ Date _____
Seller _____ Date _____

Real Estate Broker (Firm) _____ Lic. # _____
By (Broker or Office Manager) _____ Lic. # _____ Date _____

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SELLER LICENSE TO REMAIN IN POSSESSION ADDENDUM (Intended for Possession of 29 days or less) (C.A.R. Form SIP, Revised 6/24)

This is an addendum to the Purchase Agreement, OR [] Seller Counter Offer No. _____, [] Buyer Counter Offer No. _____, [] Other _____, ("Agreement"), dated _____, on property known as _____ ("Property"), between _____ ("Buyer"), and _____ ("Seller").

This Addendum is intended to grant Seller a license to remain in possession of, and use, the Property after the Close Of Escrow. It is intended for short-term occupancy (i.e. 29 days or less). If occupancy is intended to be for 30 days or longer, Parties are advised to use Residential Lease After Sale (C.A.R. Form RLAS). Regardless of the length of the time of possession, Buyer is advised to consult with a qualified local landlord attorney to discuss whether the possession could be interpreted as creating a landlord-tenant relationship between Buyer and Seller. Note: Local rent control or other Law regarding tenant's rights may impact Buyer's and Seller's rights and obligations. Close Of Escrow shall be day "0" for the purposes of counting days for the term of this license to remain in possession.

1. TERM: Seller is granted a license to remain in possession of Property for _____ calendar days after Close Of Escrow (or [] to _____ (date)) until 6 PM (or [] _____ [] AM/[] PM). Seller has no right to remain in possession beyond this term and may be responsible for court awarded damages if Seller does remain.

2. CONSIDERATION:

A. In consideration for Seller agreeing to sell to Buyer and Buyer agreeing to allow Seller to remain in possession After Close Of Escrow, Seller agrees to pay Buyer a non-refundable License Fee for the term specified in paragraph 1 of \$ _____ per day (or [] _____). Seller shall deposit such funds with escrow holder prior to Close Of Escrow or such funds shall be withheld from Seller's proceeds. At Close Of Escrow, all consideration will be released to Buyer (or [] held in escrow). If Seller vacates the Property prior to the end of the term in paragraph 1, no portion of the consideration will be returned to Seller unless otherwise agreed in writing.

B. LATE CHARGE/NSF CHECKS: If any payment from Seller to Buyer is required outside of escrow, and any such payment is not received by Buyer within 5 (or [] _____) days after date due, Seller shall pay to Buyer an additional sum of \$ _____ as a Late Charge. If a check is returned for non-sufficient funds ("NSF"), Seller shall pay to Buyer \$25.00 as an NSF charge. Seller and Buyer agree that these charges represent a fair and reasonable estimate of the costs Buyer may incur by reason of Seller's late or NSF payment. Buyer's acceptance of any Late Charge or NSF fee shall not constitute a waiver as to any default by Seller.

3. SELLER'S OBLIGATIONS FOR CONDITION OF PROPERTY:

A. MAINTENANCE: Seller shall make reasonable efforts to maintain the Property, including pool, spa, landscaping and grounds, and all personal property included in the sale in substantially the same condition as on the date of Acceptance of the Agreement or as modified by the Agreement. However, Seller shall not be responsible for any latent defects, or any damage or destruction that is not caused by Seller or that is out of the control of Seller. Buyer is advised to: (i) obtain homeowners insurance to cover any damages that may occur after the Close Of Escrow; and (ii) consult with an insurance agent regarding coverage in light of this license for Seller to remain in possession. Except as provided in the Agreement, Seller shall not make alterations to the Property without Buyer's written consent.

B. DELIVERY OF POSSESSION: Seller shall deliver the Property in the condition and on the terms provided in the Agreement.

C. DELIVERY OF POSSESSION FEE: In addition to the license fee specified in paragraph 2, Seller agrees to deposit with escrow holder, or such funds shall be withheld from Seller's proceeds, a Delivery of Possession fee in the amount of \$ _____. At Close Of Escrow, this fee will be released to Buyer (or [] held in escrow). Within 5 Days after delivery of possession to Buyer, Buyer shall return the Delivery of Possession fee to Seller if the Property is delivered to Buyer (i) in the condition specified in paragraphs 3A and B and (ii) on the date specified in paragraph 1.

4. UTILITIES: Seller agrees to pay for all utilities and any related utility services, and the following charges: _____ except _____, which shall be paid for by Buyer.

5. ENTRY: Seller shall make Property available to Buyer for the purpose of entering to make necessary or agreed repairs, or to supply necessary or agreed services, or to show Property to prospective or actual purchasers, tenants, mortgagees, lenders, appraisers or contractors. Buyer and Seller agree that 24 hours notice (oral or written) shall be reasonable and sufficient notice. In an emergency, Buyer may enter Property at any time without prior notice. Buyer may not move personal property into Property without prior written consent from Seller.

6. KEYS AND OTHER ITEMS INCLUDED:

A. Seller shall provide keys and other items necessary to access the Property as required in the Agreement, at Close Of Escrow or [] (if checked) at the end of the Term of this Seller License to Remain in Possession.

B. Other items included in the Agreement shall be provided at the end of the Term of this Seller License to Remain in Possession.

7. ASSIGNMENT; SUBLETTING: Seller shall not assign or sublet all or any part of the Property, or assign or transfer this license to remain in possession of the Property. Any assignment, subletting or transfer of the Property by voluntary act of Seller, by operation of Law or otherwise, without Buyer's prior written consent shall give Buyer the right to terminate Seller's license to remain in possession.

8. INSURANCE: Seller's personal property (including vehicles) is not insured by Buyer, and, if applicable, not by the owner's association, against loss or damage due to fire, theft, vandalism, rain, water, criminal or negligent acts of others, or any other cause. Seller is advised to carry Seller's own insurance to protect Seller from such loss and to contact its own insurance carrier to discuss available options.



9. **WAIVER:** The waiver of any breach shall not be construed as a continuing waiver of the same or any subsequent breach.

10. **OTHER TERMS AND CONDITIONS/SUPPLEMENTS:** _____

NOTE: Regardless of the length of time for possession as originally agreed, if Buyer and Seller intend to extend this SIP beyond 29 Days from Close of Escrow, Buyer and Seller are advised to consult with a qualified local landlord tenant attorney regarding whether a landlord tenant relationship may inadvertently be created.

By signing below Buyer and Seller acknowledge that each has read, understands, has received a copy of and agrees to the terms of this Seller License to Remain In Possession Addendum.

Buyer _____ Date _____

Buyer _____ Date _____

Seller _____ Date _____

Seller _____ Date _____

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- 1. SOLAR OWNERSHIP:** Solar power systems may be owned outright, owned with financing, owned with a lien or security interest on the real property, or leased. Many property owners who believe that they own their solar power system may not have free and clear ownership of that system. Ownership could be subject to a note and deed of trust issued when a solar power system was financed or a UCC-1 financing statement filed with the California Secretary of State. Financing of the solar power system may also be secured by an assessment against the real property that is collected through additional property tax payments for the period of financing (e.g., HERO or PACE). Because a seller's property tax statement will reference the solar lien, sellers may not remember the lien or consider it as a separate lien; nonetheless it should be disclosed. Some owners obtain private lending to purchase a solar power system that is not secured by the real property or panels or other equipment attached to it. If the seller is intending for these private loans to be paid off as part of a sale, terms may need to be added in the agreement to address this situation.
- 2. SOLAR LIENS, POWER PURCHASE AGREEMENTS, AND SOLAR LEASES:** Many solar power systems are not owned but instead are leased. While a leased system typically has a fixed or scheduled monthly payment, other systems may have a power purchase agreement requiring the purchase of all or a portion of the solar power generated at an agreed contractual rate from the solar company with an ability to sell any excess energy to the electrical provider company (e.g., PG&E) in accordance with the system's governing regulatory scheme. Payments under such an arrangement can vary depending on the amount of energy created and used. Even solar power systems that are leased may have security interests attached such as a UCC-1 or fixture filing recorded in the county where the property is located.

In some cases, the lender or lien holder for the solar power system may allow a buyer to assume the existing loan and may agree to allow the solar lien to subordinate to, or become secondary to, a new purchase loan. However, in many cases, the holder of the security interest will not release the priority of its security interest which means that the solar loan must either be paid off when the property is sold or that any buyer must purchase without obtaining any new financing.

When there is a solar lease, a buyer may be permitted to assume the terms of a solar lease but only with the approval of the solar company. For leased systems, there may be a provision enabling the purchase of the solar equipment prior to the end of the lease term, or a provision allowing the termination of the lease at cost with no retained ownership of the solar equipment (a "Buyout"). There may also be a clause enabling the purchase of the equipment or the termination of the lease without any pre-agreed cost; in those cases, the cost will be an appraised value determined by the solar company.

If a solar power system is owned by the seller, the seller may have the right to remove the system or its components and install them on another property. If the system has been financed and the financing is secured by a lien on the property or the component parts, the seller should consult with the company about both the effect of removal of the system or its components on the lien and the consequence of any damage caused by the removal.

- 3. ADVERTISING MATERIAL:** All parties are advised that the Multiple Listing Service ("MLS") and other advertisements that are used to list and market a property for sale and are not contractual agreements. Thus, it is imperative that buyers of Property with a solar power system ("Solar Property") receive and carefully review copies of all documents, including any solar agreement, underlying security agreements for owned equipment, or any other material that the seller possesses prior to the buyer making any final decision regarding the solar power system. Buyers should not simply rely on the information in the MLS or any other advertising material.
- 4. PURCHASE CONTRACT AND TRANSFER ISSUES:** The C.A.R. Purchase Agreements include a contingency for the review of leased or lien items and systems, in order for the buyer to review any agreements or documents related to any solar power system and to properly evaluate all of the present and future terms and conditions, including the costs of accepting the existing solar power system. The default language provides that the system is being transferred, and the buyer has a contingency to determine whether the buyer is willing or able to assume any lease, lien, or other agreement. If the solar power system is not intended to be transferred with the property, the contract may need to be modified to address this.

If a leased or lien system is to be assumed by the buyer, the solar company may take steps to insure its priority interest against the property and/or the buyer's lender may require a solar endorsement from the title company; if this occurs, escrow could be delayed. Buyers and sellers should be aware that because any buyout or assumption of a solar power system could impact closing escrow, they should consider including a provision in the purchase agreement to allow for the possible extension of the closing date to facilitate dealing with any problems that may arise because of the solar power system.

- 5. SOLAR EVALUATION, RECOMMENDATIONS, AND LEGAL ADVICE:** Real estate brokers and their agents are not qualified to evaluate the terms, conditions and/or the security interests in a solar power system. They are also not qualified to determine the quality of solar equipment or the impact of any regulatory scheme on the ownership or use of solar equipment. Buyers and sellers of Solar Property should consider retaining the services of a solar photovoltaic system inspector if one is available in the area where the property is located.

Brokers recommend that sellers and buyers of Solar Property exercise diligence in obtaining copies of any contracts, agreements or other documents related to any possible solar power system security interests as soon as practicable to enable a prompt evaluation of what may be required to facilitate a sale of the property. Additionally, obtaining a buyout or obtaining any agreement for a buyer to assume the solar agreement may take considerable time and/or be of an uncertain cost. Therefore, sellers of Solar Property should, prior to entering into a purchase agreement, determine if a Buyout or loan assumption is available and at what cost or terms so as to make full and complete disclosure to potential buyer and to avoid delays in closing escrow.

Whether or not a solar photovoltaic system inspector is used, buyers and sellers should consult with a qualified California real estate attorney prior to entering into any agreement to purchase or sell Solar Property; that attorney should evaluate the existing solar documentation and properly craft language to be included in the purchase agreement that will best protect the interests of their clients. Real estate brokers and their agents are allowed to prepare standard real estate transaction documents, but they are not qualified to create specialized contract language that may be needed to deal with the specific issues involved in any specific Solar Property.

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6. SOLAR PROPERTY QUESTIONNAIRE (IF YES TO ANY QUESTION, PROVIDE EXPLANATION):

A. GENERAL SOLAR POWER SYSTEM ISSUES:

ARE YOU (SELLER) AWARE OF...

- (1) Approximate age of the solar power system? ... Yes No
(2) Name of the installation company? ... Yes No
(3) Does the solar power system provide power only for a portion of the property? ... Yes No
(4) Approximate size of the system (# of panels, Kilowatt size)? ... Yes No
(5) Whether the system is central inverter or micro inverters? ... Yes No
(6) Whether the system is on-grid only, on and off grid, or off-grid only? ... Yes No
(7) Whether there is a battery bank or power wall that enables the system to run off-grid? ... Yes No
(8) Whether any portion of the system is installed anywhere other than the roof? ... Yes No
(9) Regardless of whether the solar power system is owned, leased, or subject to a power purchase agreement, any transfer fee or any other fee for change of ownership? ... Yes No
(10) Whether there is a maintenance agreement for the solar power system? ... Yes No
(11) Material Facts or information related to the solar power system? ... Yes No

Explanation: _____

B. IF APPLICABLE, OWNED-SOLAR POWER SYSTEMS THAT ARE CONVEYING WITH THE PROPERTY:

ARE YOU (SELLER) AWARE OF...

- (1) Whether the system still has a balance due on any financing? ... Yes No
(A) If Yes, what is the balance? \$ _____
(B) If Yes, what is the monthly payment due on the financing? \$ _____
(C) If Yes, is it secured by an interest on title? ... Yes No
(D) If Yes, is the loan transferrable to or assumable by buyer? ... Yes No

NOTE: if it is not secured on title, the agreement may have to be amended for Buyer to be responsible for the balance.

- (2) Whether there is an annual true-up bill from the power company? ... Yes No
If Yes, what is the approximate bill amount? \$ _____
(3) Whether there is any other type of lien or encumbrance on title, on a property tax bill or otherwise? ... Yes No
(4) Whether there is a power purchase agreement (if yes, complete 6C below)? ... Yes No

Explanation: _____

C. IF APPLICABLE, LEASED SOLAR POWER SYSTEMS OR SYSTEMS WITH POWER PURCHASE AGREEMENTS:

ARE YOU (SELLER) AWARE OF...

- (1) The name of the company with the lease or power purchase agreement? ... Yes No
If Yes, what is the name? _____
(2) The year that the agreement expires? ... Yes No
If Yes, what is the year? _____
(3) The current monthly solar payments? ... Yes No
If Yes, what is the amount? \$ _____
(4) Whether the payments are fixed or vary over the life of the agreement? ... Yes No
(5) Whether the lease or power purchase agreement is transferrable to or assumable by buyer? ... Yes No
(6) Whether the solar power system is not owned at the end of the agreement? ... Yes No
If not owned, can the equipment be purchased? ... Yes No
If Yes, what is the estimated amount that would be owed? \$ _____

Explanation: _____

Seller acknowledges that Seller has read, understands and has received a copy of this Solar Advisory and Questionnaire, and Seller represents that Seller has provided the answers and, if any, explanations and comments on this form and any attached addenda and that such information is true and correct to the best of Seller's knowledge as of the date signed by Seller.

Seller _____ Date _____

Seller _____ Date _____

Buyer acknowledges that Buyer has read, understands and has received a copy of this Solar Advisory and Questionnaire.

Buyer _____ Date _____

Buyer _____ Date _____

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NOTE TO SELLER: YOU ARE STRONGLY ADVISED TO CAREFULLY REVIEW THE DISCLOSURE INFORMATION ADVISORY (C.A.R. Form DIA) BEFORE YOU COMPLETE THIS SELLER PROPERTY QUESTIONNAIRE. ALL SELLERS OF CALIFORNIA REAL PROPERTY ARE REQUIRED TO PROVIDE VARIOUS DISCLOSURES, EITHER BY CONTRACT, OR BY STATUTE OR CASE LAW. MANY DISCLOSURES MUST BE MADE WITHIN CERTAIN TIME LIMITS. TIMELY AND THOROUGH DISCLOSURES HELP TO REDUCE DISPUTES AND FACILITATE A SMOOTH SALES TRANSACTION.

Seller makes the following disclosures with regard to the real property or manufactured home described as _____, Assessor's Parcel No. _____, situated in _____, County of _____ California ("Property").

This property is a duplex, triplex or fourplex. A SPQ is required for all units. This SPQ is for ALL units (or only unit(s)_____).

1. Disclosure Limitation: The following are representations made by the Seller and are not the representations of the Agent(s), if any. This disclosure statement is not a warranty of any kind by the Seller or any agents(s) and is not a substitute for any inspections or warranties the principal(s) may wish to obtain. This disclosure is not intended to be part of the contract between Buyer and Seller. Unless otherwise specified in writing, Broker and any real estate licensee or other person working with or through Broker has not verified information provided by Seller. A real estate broker is qualified to advise on real estate transactions. If Seller or Buyer desires legal advice, they should consult an attorney.

2. Note to Seller, PURPOSE: To tell the Buyer about known material or significant items affecting the value or desirability of the Property and help to eliminate misunderstandings about the condition of the Property.
• Answer based on actual knowledge and recollection at this time.
• Something that you do not consider material or significant may be perceived differently by a Buyer.
• Think about what you would want to know if you were buying the Property today.
• Read the questions carefully and take your time.

3. Note to Buyer, PURPOSE: To give you more information about known material or significant items affecting the value or desirability of the Property and help to eliminate misunderstandings about the condition of the Property.
• Something that may be material or significant to you may not be perceived the same way by the Seller.
• If something is important to you, be sure to put your concerns and questions in writing (C.A.R. form BMI).
• Sellers can only disclose what they actually know. Seller may not know about all material or significant items.
• Seller's disclosures are not a substitute for your own investigations, personal judgments or common sense.

4. SELLER AWARENESS: For each statement below, answer the question "Are you (Seller) aware of..." by checking either "Yes" or "No." A "yes" answer is appropriate no matter how long ago the item being asked about happened or was documented unless otherwise specified. Explain any "Yes" answers in the space provided or attach additional comments and check paragraph 19.

5. DOCUMENTS: ARE YOU (SELLER) AWARE OF... Reports, inspections, disclosures, warranties, maintenance recommendations, estimates, studies, surveys or other documents (whether prepared in the past or present, including any previous transaction, and whether or not Seller acted upon the item), pertaining to (i) the condition or repair of the Property or any improvement on this Property in the past, now or proposed; or (ii) easements, encroachments or boundary disputes affecting the Property whether oral or in writing and whether or not provided to the Seller Yes No

Note: If yes, provide any such documents in your possession to Buyer.

Explanation: _____

6. STATUTORILY OR CONTRACTUALLY REQUIRED OR RELATED: ARE YOU (SELLER) AWARE OF...

A. Within the last 3 years, the death of an occupant of the Property upon the Property Yes No (Note to seller: The manner of death may be a material fact to the Buyer, and should be disclosed, except for a death by HIV/AIDS.)

B. An Order from a government health official identifying the Property as being contaminated by methamphetamine. (If yes, attach a copy of the Order.) Yes No

C. The release of an illegal controlled substance on or beneath the Property Yes No

D. Whether the Property is located in or adjacent to an "industrial use" zone Yes No (In general, a zone or district allowing manufacturing, commercial or airport uses.)

E. Whether the Property is affected by a nuisance created by an "industrial use" zone Yes No

F. Whether the Property is located within 1 mile of a former federal or state ordnance location (In general, an area once used for military training purposes that may contain potentially explosive munitions.) Yes No

G. Whether the Property is a condominium or located in a planned unit development or other common interest subdivision Yes No

H. Insurance claims affecting the Property within the past 5 years Yes No

I. Matters affecting title of the Property Yes No

J. Plumbing fixtures on the Property that are non-compliant plumbing fixtures as defined by Civil Code § 1101.3..... Yes No



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K. Any inspection reports on any exterior balconies, stairways or other "Elevated Elements" on buildings with 3 or more units on the Property prepared within the last 6 years, or 9 years for condominiums Yes No

L. Material facts or defects affecting the Property not otherwise disclosed to Buyer Yes No

Explanation, or (if checked) see attached; _____

7. REPAIRS AND ALTERATIONS:

ARE YOU (SELLER) AWARE OF...

A. Any alterations, modifications, replacements, improvements, remodeling or material repairs on the Property (including those resulting from Home Warranty claims) Yes No

B. Any alterations, modifications, replacements, improvements, remodeling, or material repairs to the Property done for the purpose of energy or water efficiency improvement or renewable energy? Yes No

C. Ongoing or recurring maintenance on the Property (for example, drain or sewer clean-out, tree or pest control service) Yes No

D. Any part of the Property being painted within the past 12 months Yes No

E. Whether the Property was built before 1978 (if No, leave (1) and (2) blank) Yes No

(1) If yes, whether any renovations (i.e., sanding, cutting, demolition) of lead-based paint surfaces started or completed (if No, leave (2) blank) Yes No

(2) If yes to (1), whether such renovations done in compliance with the Environmental Protection Agency Lead-Based Paint Renovation Rule Yes No

F. Whether you purchased the property within 18 months of accepting an offer to sell it Yes No

(1) If yes, have any room additions, structural modifications, or other alterations or repairs (collectively "Improvements") been performed by a contractor while you have owned the Property Yes No

Note 1: If yes to F(1), Seller shall provide in the Explanation below: (i) a list of such Improvements and (ii) the name and contact information for each contractor who performed services of \$500 or more.

Note 2: If yes to F(1), Seller shall provide in the Explanation below (i) a list of those Improvements for which seller has obtained permits and Seller shall attach copies of those permits to this SPQ and (ii) for those Improvements for which Seller does not have a permit, Seller shall include a statement identifying those Improvements and that Seller was not provided permits by the third party making the Improvement and the contact information for such third parties from whom the buyer may obtain those permits.

Explanation, or (if checked) see attached: _____

8. STRUCTURAL, SYSTEMS AND APPLIANCES:

ARE YOU (SELLER) AWARE OF...

A. Defects in any of the following (including past defects that have been repaired): heating, air conditioning, electrical, plumbing (including the presence of polybutylene pipes), water, sewer, waste disposal or septic system, sump pumps, well, roof, gutters, chimney, fireplace foundation, crawl space, attic, soil, grading, drainage, retaining walls, interior or exterior doors, windows, walls, ceilings, floors or appliances Yes No

B. The existence of a solar power system (if yes, Seller to provide C.A.R. Form SOLAR) Yes No

C. The leasing of any of the following on or serving the Property: solar power system, water softener system, water purifier system, alarm system, or propane tank(s) Yes No

D. An alternative septic system on or serving the Property Yes No

E. Whether any structure on the Property other than the main improvement is used as a dwelling Yes No

(1) If Yes to E, whether there are separate utilities and meters for the dwelling Yes No

(2) If Yes to E, whether the dwelling received a permit or other government approval as an Accessory Dwelling Unit (ADU) Yes No

Explanation: _____

9. DISASTER RELIEF, INSURANCE OR CIVIL SETTLEMENT:

ARE YOU (SELLER) AWARE OF...

Financial relief or assistance, insurance or settlement, sought or received, from any federal, state, local or private agency, insurer or private party, by past or present owners of the Property, due to any actual or alleged damage to the Property arising from a flood, earthquake, fire, other disaster, or occurrence or defect, whether or not any money received was actually used to make repairs Yes No

If yes, was federal flood disaster assistance conditioned upon obtaining and maintain flood insurance on the Property Yes No

(NOTE: If the assistance was conditioned upon maintaining flood insurance, Buyer is informed that federal law, 42 USC 5154a requires Buyer to maintain such insurance on the Property and if it is not, and the Property is damaged by a flood disaster, Buyer may be required to reimburse the federal government for the disaster relief provided.)

Explanation: _____

10. WATER-RELATED AND MOLD ISSUES:

ARE YOU (SELLER) AWARE OF...

A. Water intrusion, whether past or present, into any part of any physical structure on the Property; leaks from or in any appliance, pipe, slab or roof; standing water, drainage, flooding, underground water, moisture, water-related soil settling or slippage, on or affecting the Property Yes No

B. Any problem with or infestation of mold, mildew, fungus or spores, past or present, on or affecting the Property Yes No

C. Rivers, streams, flood channels, underground springs, high watertable, floods, or tides, on or affecting the Property or neighborhood Yes No

Explanation: _____

11. PETS, ANIMALS AND PESTS:

ARE YOU (SELLER) AWARE OF...

A. Past or present pets on or in the Property Yes No

B. Past or present problems with livestock, wildlife, insects or pests on or in the Property Yes No



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C. Past or present odors, urine, feces, discoloration, stains, spots or damage in the Property, due to any of the above Yes No

D. Past or present treatment or eradication of pests or odors, or repair of damage due to any of the above Yes No
If so, when and by whom

Explanation: _____

12. BOUNDARIES, ACCESS AND PROPERTY USE BY OTHERS: ARE YOU (SELLER) AWARE OF...

A. Surveys, easements, encroachments or boundary disputes Yes No

B. Use or access to the Property, or any part of it, by anyone other than you, with or without permission, for any purpose, including but not limited to, using or maintaining roads, driveways or other forms of ingress or egress or other travel or drainage Yes No

C. Use of any neighboring property by you Yes No

Explanation: _____

13. LANDSCAPING, POOL AND SPA: ARE YOU (SELLER) AWARE OF...

A. Diseases or infestations affecting trees, plants or vegetation on or near the Property Yes No

B. Operational sprinklers on the Property Yes No

(1) If yes, are they automatic or manually operated.

(2) If yes, are there any areas with trees, plants or vegetation not covered by the sprinkler system Yes No

C. A pool heater on the Property Yes No

If yes, is it operational? Yes No

D. A spa heater on the Property Yes No

If yes, is it operational? Yes No

E. Past or present defects, leaks, cracks, repairs or other problems with the sprinklers, pool, spa, waterfall, pond, stream, drainage or other water-related decor including any ancillary equipment, including pumps, filters, heaters and cleaning systems, even if repaired Yes No

Explanation: _____

14. CONDOMINIUMS, COMMON INTEREST DEVELOPMENTS AND OTHER SUBDIVISIONS: (IF APPLICABLE) ARE YOU (SELLER) AWARE OF...

A. Property being a condominium or located in a planned unit development or other common interest subdivision Yes No

B. Any Homeowners' Association (HOA) which has any authority over the subject property Yes No

C. Any "common area" (facilities such as pools, fitness centers, walkways, conference rooms, or other areas co-owned in undivided interest with others) Yes No

D. CC&R's or other deed restrictions or obligations Yes No

E. Any pending or proposed dues increases, special assessments, rules changes, insurance availability issues, or litigation by or against or fines or violations issued by a Homeowner Association or Architectural Committee affecting the Property Yes No

F. CC&R's or other deed restrictions or obligations or any HOA Committee that has authority over improvements made on or to the Property Yes No

(1) If Yes to F, any improvements made on or to the Property inconsistent with any declaration of restrictions or HOA Committee requirement Yes No

(2) If Yes to F, any improvements made on or to the Property without the required approval of an HOA Committee Yes No

Explanation: _____

15. TITLE, OWNERSHIP, LIENS, AND LEGAL CLAIMS: ARE YOU (SELLER) AWARE OF...

A. Other than the Seller signing this form, any other person or entity with an ownership interest Yes No

B. Leases, options or claims affecting or relating to title or use of the Property Yes No

C. Past, present, pending or threatened lawsuits, settlements, mediations, arbitrations, tax liens, mechanics' liens, notice of default, bankruptcy or other court filings, or government hearings affecting or relating to the Property, Homeowner Association or neighborhood Yes No

D. Features of the property shared in common with adjoining landowners, such as walls, fences and driveways, whose use or responsibility for maintenance may have an effect on the subject property Yes No

E. Any encroachments, easements, boundary disputes, or similar matters that may affect your interest in the subject property, whether in writing or not Yes No

F. Any private transfer fees, triggered by a sale of the Property, in favor of private parties, charitable organizations, interest based groups or any other person or entity Yes No

G. Any PACE lien (such as HERO or SCEIP) or other lien on your Property securing a loan to pay for an alteration, modification, replacement, improvement, remodel or material repair of the Property Yes No

H. The cost of any alteration, modification, replacement, improvement, remodel or material repair of the Property being paid by an assessment on the Property tax bill Yes No

Explanation: _____

16. NEIGHBORS/NEIGHBORHOOD: ARE YOU (SELLER) AWARE OF...

A. Neighborhood noise, nuisance or other problems from sources such as, but not limited to, the following: Neighbors, traffic, parking congestion, airplanes, trains, light rail, subway, trucks, freeways, buses, schools, parks, refuse storage or landfill processing, agricultural operations, business, odor, recreational facilities, restaurants, entertainment complexes or facilities, parades, sporting events, fairs, neighborhood parties, litter, construction, air conditioning equipment, air compressors, generators, pool equipment or appliances, underground gas pipelines, cell phone towers, high voltage transmission lines, or wildlife Yes No



Property Address: _____
B. Any past or present disputes or issues with a neighbor which might impact the use, development and enjoyment of the Property Yes No
Explanation: _____

17. GOVERNMENTAL: **ARE YOU (SELLER) AWARE OF...**
A. Ongoing or contemplated eminent domain, condemnation, annexation or change in zoning or general plan that applies to or could affect the Property Yes No
B. Existence or pendency of any rent control, occupancy restrictions, improvement restrictions or retrofit requirements that apply to or could affect the Property Yes No
C. Existing or contemplated building or use moratoria that apply to or could affect the Property Yes No
D. Current or proposed bonds, assessments, or fees that do not appear on the Property tax bill that apply to or could affect the Property Yes No
E. Proposed construction, reconfiguration, or closure of nearby Government facilities or amenities such as schools, parks, roadways and traffic signals Yes No
F. Existing or proposed Government requirements affecting the Property (i) that tall grass, brush or other vegetation be cleared; (ii) that restrict tree (or other landscaping) planting, removal or cutting or (iii) that flammable materials be removed. Yes No
G. Any protected habitat for plants, trees, animals or insects that apply to or could affect the Property. Yes No
H. Whether the Property is historically designated or falls within an existing or proposed Historic District Yes No
I. Any water surcharges or penalties being imposed by a public or private water supplier, agency or utility; or restrictions or prohibitions on wells or other ground water supplies Yes No
J. Any differences between the name of the city in the postal/mailling address and the city which has jurisdiction over the property Yes No
Explanation: _____

18. OTHER: **ARE YOU (SELLER) AWARE OF....**
A. Any occupant of the Property smoking or vaping any substance on or in the Property, whether past or present Yes No
B. Any use of the Property for, or any alterations, modifications, improvements, remodeling or material change to the Property due to, cannabis cultivation or growth Yes No
C. Whether the Property was originally constructed as a Manufactured or Mobile home Yes No
D. Whether the property is tenant occupied Yes No
E. Whether the Property was previously tenant occupied even if vacant now Yes No
If yes, disclose if you know the method or manner of how the tenancy ended.
Explanation: _____

19. MATERIAL FACTS:
A. Any past or present known material facts or other significant items affecting the value or desirability of the Property not otherwise disclosed to Buyer Yes No
B. (IF CHECKED) **ADDITIONAL COMMENTS:** The attached addendum contains an explanation or additional comments in response to specific questions answered "yes" above. Refer to line and question number in explanation.
Explanation: _____

Seller represents that Seller has provided the answers and, if any, explanations and comments on this form and any attached addenda and that such information is true and correct to the best of Seller's knowledge as of the date signed by Seller. Seller acknowledges (i) Seller's obligation to disclose information requested by this form is independent from any duty of disclosure that a real estate licensee may have in this transaction; and (ii) nothing that any such real estate licensee does or says to Seller relieves Seller from his/her own duty of disclosure.

Seller _____ Date _____
Seller _____ Date _____

By signing below, Buyer acknowledges that Buyer has read, understands and has received a copy of this Seller Property Questionnaire form.
Buyer _____ Date _____
Buyer _____ Date _____





This is an Addendum to the Purchase Agreement, OR [] Counter Offer, [] Other _____ ("Agreement"), dated _____, on property known as _____ ("Seller's Property"), between _____ ("Buyer") and _____ ("Seller"). Buyer and Seller are referred to as the "Parties."

SELLER'S PURCHASE OF REPLACEMENT PROPERTY:

- 1. A. FINDING REPLACEMENT PROPERTY: The Agreement is contingent on Seller entering into a contract to acquire replacement property or identifying a suitable property to move to ("Finding Replacement Property Contingency"). Seller shall, within 17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance, remove the Finding Replacement Property Contingency or cancel the Agreement. Seller shall Deliver to Buyer, at time of removal of the Finding Replacement Property Contingency, proof of replacement property (either a copy of the contract for purchase of replacement property and the contact information and escrow # for that purchase or a signed lease or rental agreement for replacement property or other written evidence of replacement property). If Seller does not remove the Finding Replacement Property Contingency in writing within that time, Buyer, after first giving a Notice to Seller to Perform (C.A.R. Form NSP), may cancel the Agreement in writing. OR B. [] Seller has entered into a contract to acquire replacement property and Finding Replacement Property Contingency is removed. Escrow Holder: _____ Escrow # _____ If this paragraph is checked, then the Time Periods in paragraph 2A and the Buyer's Deposit in paragraph 2B shall remain as specified in the Agreement. AND C. (If checked) [] CLOSE OF REPLACEMENT PROPERTY: The Agreement is contingent on Seller's ability to close escrow on replacement property according to that contract. This is a contingency in favor of Seller. Seller, by the scheduled close of escrow date for the replacement property, shall either close escrow or remove this contingency in writing. 2. A. TIME PERIODS: Time periods in the Agreement for inspections, contingencies, covenants, close of escrow, and other obligations that commence from date of Acceptance shall begin the Day after Seller delivers to Buyer a written notice removing the Finding Replacement Property Contingency specified in paragraph 1A or [] remain as specified in the Agreement. If close of escrow is identified as a specific date in the Agreement, it shall remain on that date. B. BUYER'S DEPOSIT: Buyer's deposit shall be delivered to escrow within 3 business Days after Seller delivers to Buyer a written notice removing the Finding Replacement Property Contingency as specified in paragraph 1A or [] as specified in the Agreement. C. CLOSE OF ESCROW: Parties agree that Seller may extend the Close Of Escrow date for the sale of Seller's property for a maximum of [] _____ additional Days or [] until _____ (date), by providing Buyer with written notice at the time Seller removes the Finding Replacement Property Contingency specified in paragraph 1A, if applicable. D. OTHER TERMS: _____ 3. CANCELLATION OF REPLACEMENT PROPERTY: If Seller's Replacement Property is in or enters escrow, or there is another agreement, and either party to that escrow or agreement gives the other a notice of cancellation, Seller, within 2 (or _____) Days thereafter, shall Deliver to Buyer written notice of that cancellation. 4. REMOVAL OF CONTINGENCIES: Even after the expiration of the time for the Finding Replacement Property Contingency specified in paragraph 1A, Seller retains the right to remove the Finding Replacement Property Contingency or cancel the Agreement until Buyer cancels pursuant to paragraph 1A. Once Buyer receives Seller's written removal of the Finding Replacement Property Contingency, Buyer may not cancel pursuant to paragraph 1A. 5. BUYER RIGHT TO CANCEL: Buyer may cancel the Agreement in writing as follows: A. After first giving Seller a NSP, if Seller fails to remove the Finding Replacement Property Contingency. B. After first giving Seller a NSP, if Seller fails to give proof of replacement as specified in paragraph 1A. C. (If paragraph 1C is checked) After first giving Seller a NSP, if Seller fails to remove the Closing on Replacement Property Contingency. D. If Seller gives notice to Buyer of either party's cancellation of the agreement for Replacement Property. E. NOTE: If Seller is unable to meet the obligations for other time frames in the Agreement, such as for Close Of Escrow, Buyer may cancel as permitted in the Agreement, even if this contingency is not removed. 6. SELLER RIGHT TO CANCEL: Seller may cancel the Agreement in writing as follows: A. If, prior to Seller's Removal of the Finding Replacement Property Contingency, Seller is unable to enter into a contract to acquire replacement property. B. (If paragraph 1C is checked) Seller is unable to close escrow on replacement property according to that contract. C Buyer Costs: If Seller cancels pursuant to paragraph 6A or 6B, (i) Seller shall return any deposit and (ii) [] (if checked) After Delivering receipts to Escrow Holder, Buyer shall be entitled to Buyer's reasonable out-of-pocket expenses for inspection reports and appraisal fees under the Agreement, [] which total amount shall be no more than \$ _____.



By signing below, Buyer and Seller each acknowledge that they have read, understand, accept and have received a Copy of this Addendum.

Buyer _____ Date _____
Buyer _____ Date _____
Seller _____ Date _____
Seller _____ Date _____

BUYER

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SELLER'S PURCHASE OF REPLACEMENT PROPERTY (SPRP PAGE 2 OF 2)



Date Prepared: _____

_____ (“Principal”) and _____ (“Broker”)

agree as follows, with regard to the real property in the City of _____, County of _____, California, described as follows: _____ (“Property”).

1. COMPENSATION TO BROKER:

Notice: The amount or rate of real estate commissions is not fixed by law. They are set by each Broker individually and may be negotiable between the Principal and Broker.

Principal agrees to pay Broker, irrespective of agency relationships, either [] _____ percent of the sales price or total rents for the original term of the lease; or [] \$ _____, as follows:

- A. If Principal enters into an agreement with _____ (“Other Party”) to purchase, sell, lease, or exchange the Property during the period commencing on (date) _____ and expiring at 11:59 P.M. on (date) _____ (“Compensation Period”), provided Other Party completes the transaction or is prevented from doing so by Principal, or in the case of a lease enters possession;
B. Other Party includes any person or entity related to Other Party, or who in any manner acts in Other Party’s behalf, including, if Other Party is a corporation, limited liability company, or partnership, any person or entity in which Other Party has a legal or beneficial interest, or which has a legal or beneficial interest in Other Party.
C. Principal hereby irrevocably assigns to Broker the above compensation from Principal’s funds and proceeds in escrow, if applicable.
D. In event of an exchange, Broker will disclose if Broker is also collecting compensation from additional parties.
E. Principal warrants that Principal has no obligation to pay compensation to any other broker regarding the purchase, sale, exchange, or lease of Property.
F. This Agreement shall remain binding, even if, during Compensation Period, Principal enters into a listing agreement with any broker to sell or lease the Property or a representation agreement to buy or lease the Property.

2. AGENCY RELATIONSHIPS:

- A. DISCLOSURE: If the Property includes residential property, commercial property, or a mobile home, and is being sold, or leased for a period exceeding one year, Broker acting as an agent for the Principal shall give Principal an agency disclosure form prior to presenting an offer to purchase or lease.
B. REPRESENTATION: (Check one) In the transaction:
1. [] Broker will act as agent for Principal exclusively in any resulting transaction.
2. [] Broker will act as dual agent representing both Principal and Other Party in any resulting transaction. Principal understands and agrees that: a dual agent may not, without the express permission of the respective party, disclose to Other Party confidential information, including, but not limited to, facts relating to either the Buyer’s or Seller’s financial position, motivations, bargaining position, or other personal information that may impact price, including the Principal or Other Party’s willingness to accept a price less than the listing price or willingness to pay a price greater than the price offered; and except as set forth above, a dual agent is obligated to disclose known facts materially affecting the value or desirability of the Property to both parties.
3. [] Broker will act as agent for Other Party exclusively in any resulting transaction. Principal agrees and understands that all acts of Broker, even those that assist Principal in performing or completing any of Principal’s contractual or legal obligations, are intended for the benefit of Other Party exclusively. Principal is advised to seek real estate, legal, tax, insurance and all other desired assistance from other appropriate professionals.
C. This Agreement does not require Broker to solicit offers on the Property from Other Party, nor does it authorize Broker to solicit offers from any other person or entity.
D. CONFIRMATION: Broker shall confirm the agency relationship described above, or as modified, in writing, prior to or concurrent with Seller’s execution of a purchase agreement.
E. POTENTIALLY COMPETING SELLERS AND BUYERS: Principal understands that Broker may have or obtain listings on other properties, and that potential buyers may consider, make offers on, or purchase through Broker, property the same as or similar to Property. Principal consents to Broker’s representation of sellers and buyers of other properties before, during and after the end of this Agreement. Principal acknowledges receipt of a [x] “Possible Representation of More than One Buyer or Seller – Disclosure and Consent” (C.A.R. Form PRBS).
F. TERMINATION OF AGENCY RELATIONSHIP: Principal acknowledges and agrees that the representation duties of, and agency relationship with, Broker terminate at the expiration of this Agreement or, if it occurs first, the completion of any transaction specified in this Agreement.



Property Address: _____

Date: _____

BENEFITS OF USING THE MLS; IMPACT OF OPTING OUT OF THE MLS; PRESENTING ALL OFFERS

WHAT IS AN MLS? The MLS is a database of properties for sale or lease that is available and disseminated to and accessible by all other real estate agents who are participants or subscribers to the MLS. Property information submitted to the MLS describes the price, terms and conditions under which the Principal's property is offered for sale or lease. It is likely that a significant number of real estate practitioners in any given area are participants or subscribers to the MLS. The MLS may also be part of a reciprocal agreement to which other multiple listing services belong. Real estate agents belonging to other multiple listing services that have reciprocal agreements with the MLS also have access to the information submitted to the MLS. The MLS may further transmit the MLS database to Internet sites that post property listings online.

EXPOSURE TO BUYERS AND TENANTS THROUGH MLS: Listing property with an MLS exposes a Principal's property to all real estate agents and brokers (and their potential buyer or tenant clients) who are participants or subscribers to the MLS or a reciprocating MLS.

CLOSED/PRIVATE LISTING CLUBS OR GROUPS: Closed or private listing clubs or groups are not the same as the MLS. The MLS referred to above is accessible to all eligible real estate licensees and provides broad exposure for a listed property. Private or closed listing clubs or groups of licensees may have been formed outside the MLS. Private or closed listing clubs or groups are accessible to a more limited number of licensees and generally offer less exposure for listed property. Whether listing property through a closed, private network - and excluding it from the MLS - is advantageous or disadvantageous to a Principal, and why, should be discussed with the agent taking the Principal's listing.

NOT LISTING PROPERTY IN A LOCAL MLS: If the Property is listed in an MLS which does not cover the geographic area where the Property is located then real estate agents and brokers working that territory, and buyers or tenants they represent looking for property in the neighborhood, may not be aware the Property is for sale or lease.

OPTING OUT OF MLS: If Principal elects to exclude the Property from the MLS, Principal understands and acknowledges that: (a) real estate agents and brokers from other real estate offices, and their buyer or tenant clients, who have access to that MLS may not be aware that Principal's Property is offered for sale or lease; (b) Information about Principal's Property will not be transmitted to various real estate Internet sites that are used by the public to search for property listings; (c) real estate agents, brokers and members of the public may be unaware of the terms and conditions under which Principal is marketing the Property.

REDUCTION IN EXPOSURE: Any reduction in exposure of the Property may lower the number of offers and negatively impact the sales price.

PRESENTING ALL OFFERS: Principal understands that Broker must present all offers received for Principal's Property unless Principal gives Broker written instructions to the contrary.

AUTHORITY TO ENTER IN MLS AFTER CLOSE OF ESCROW: Principal gives Broker authority to enter Property in MLS after close of escrow to establish comparable sales or lease data or otherwise comply with MLS rules.

Principal's Initials _____ / _____

Broker's/Agent's Initials _____ / _____

- 3. **MLS AND IMAGES:** All terms of the transaction, including sales price and financing, may be provided to the MLS even if the Property was not listed with the MLS. Seller consents to Broker providing information related to the transaction, as allowed or required by the Broker's MLS. Seller further assigns any rights in all Images to the Broker/Agent and agrees that such Images are the property of Broker/Agent and that Broker/Agent may use such Images and other information related to the transaction for advertising, including post sale and for Broker/Agent's business in the future.
- 4. **EQUAL HOUSING OPPORTUNITY:** The Property is offered in compliance with federal, state and local anti-discrimination laws.
- 5. **APPLICABLE LAWS:** Principal agrees to comply with all applicable federal, state and local laws and regulations regarding sale or lease of Property.
- 6. **ATTORNEY FEES:** In any action, proceeding, or arbitration between Principal and Broker arising out of this Agreement, Principal or Broker are each responsible for paying their own attorney fees and costs except as provided in **paragraph 7A**.
- 7. **DISPUTE RESOLUTION:**
 - A. **MEDIATION:** (1) Principal and Broker agree to mediate any dispute or claim arising between them under this Agreement, before resorting to arbitration or court action. (2) Mediation fees, if any, shall be divided equally among the parties involved. (3) If, for any dispute or claim to which this paragraph applies, any party (the non-mediating party) (i) commences an action without first attempting to resolve the matter through mediation, or (ii) before commencement of an action, refuses to mediate after a request has been made, then if the non-mediating party is the losing party in any such action, the prevailing party in such action shall be entitled to recover attorney fees from the non-mediating party, notwithstanding the terms in **paragraph 6**. (4) Exclusions from this mediation agreement are specified in **paragraph 7B**.
 - B. **ADDITIONAL MEDIATION TERMS:** The following matters shall be excluded from mediation: (i) a judicial or non-judicial foreclosure or other action or proceeding to enforce a deed of trust, mortgage or installment land sale contract as defined in Civil Code § 2985; (ii) an unlawful detainer action; (iii) the filing or enforcement of a mechanic's lien; and (iv) any matter that is within the jurisdiction of a probate, small claims or bankruptcy court. The filing of a court action to enable the recording of a notice of pending action, for order of attachment, receivership, injunction, or other provisional remedies, shall not constitute a waiver or violation of the mediation provisions.
 - C. **ARBITRATION ADVISORY:** If Seller and Broker desire to resolve disputes arising between them through arbitration rather than court, they can document their agreement by attaching and signing an Arbitration Agreement (C.A.R. Form ARB).
- 8. **OTHER TERMS AND CONDITIONS:** _____

OR See Brokerage Addendum



- 9. **MANAGEMENT APPROVAL:** If an associate-licensee in Broker's office (salesperson or broker-associate) enters into this Agreement on Broker's behalf, and Broker or Manager does not approve of its terms, Broker or Manager has the right to cancel this Agreement, in writing, within 5 Days after its execution.
- 10. **SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS:** This Agreement shall be binding upon Principal and Principal's successors and assigns.
- 11. **ENTIRE CONTRACT:** All prior discussions, negotiations and agreements between the parties concerning the subject matter of this Agreement are superseded by this Agreement, which constitutes the entire contract and a complete and exclusive expression of their agreement and may not be contradicted by evidence of any prior agreement or contemporaneous oral agreement. This Agreement and any supplement, addendum, or modification, including any photocopy or facsimile, may be executed in counterparts.
- 12. **LEGALLY AUTHORIZED SIGNER:** Wherever the signature or initials of the Legally Authorized Signer, identified in the signature block below, appear on this Agreement or any related documents, it shall be deemed to be in a representative capacity for the entity described and not in an individual capacity, unless otherwise indicated. The Legally Authorized Signer (i) represents that the entity for which that person is acting already exists and is in good standing to do business in California and (ii) shall deliver to Broker, within 3 Days after execution of this Agreement, evidence of authority to act in that capacity (such as but not limited to: applicable portion of the trust or Certification Of Trust (Probate Code § 18100.5), letters testamentary, court order, power of attorney, corporate resolution, or formation documents of the business entity).

By signing below, Principal acknowledges that Seller has read, understands, received a copy of and agrees to the terms of this Agreement.

- ENTITY PRINCIPALS:** (Note: If this paragraph is completed, a Representative Capacity Signature Disclosure (C.A.R. Form RCSD) is not required for the Legally Authorized Signers designated below.)
- (1) One or more Principals is a trust, corporation, LLC, probate estate, partnership, other entity or holds a power of attorney.
 - (2) This Agreement is being Signed by a Legally Authorized Signer in a representative capacity and not in an individual capacity. See **paragraph 12** for additional terms.
 - (3) The name(s) of the Legally Authorized Signer(s) is: _____.
 - (4) If a trust, identify Seller as trustee(s) of the trust or by simplified trust name (ex. John Doe, co-trustee, Jane Doe, co-trustee or Doe Revocable Family Trust).
 - (5) If the entity is a trust or under probate, the following is the full name of the trust or probate case, including case #: _____.

PRINCIPAL SIGNATURE(S):

(Signature) By, _____ Date: _____

Printed name of PRINCIPAL: _____

Printed Name of Legally Authorized Signer: _____ Title, if applicable, _____

(Signature) By, _____ Date: _____

Printed name of PRINCIPAL: _____

Printed Name of Legally Authorized Signer: _____ Title, if applicable, _____

Additional Signature Addendum attached (C.A.R. Form ASA)

BROKER SIGNATURE(S):

Real Estate Broker (Firm) _____ Lic# _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

By _____ Tel. _____ E-mail _____ Lic# _____ Date _____

By _____ Tel. _____ E-mail _____ Lic# _____ Date _____

Two Brokers with different companies are co-representing Principal. Co-representing Broker information is on the attached Additional Broker Acknowledgement (C.A.R. Form ABA).

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SEASONAL ADDENDUM TO SHORT-TERM RENTAL AGREEMENT (For occupancy of more than 30 days but not to exceed 90 days) (C.A.R. Form STRA-SA, Revised 6/24)

Date Prepared: _____

The following terms and conditions are hereby incorporated in and made a part of the Short-Term Rental Agreement, OR Other _____ ("Agreement"), dated _____, on property known as _____ ("Premises") in which _____ is referred to as "Occupant" and _____ is referred to as "Owner."

This addendum is to be used to modify a Short-Term Rental Agreement into a seasonal or other short-term agreement for more than 30 days, but not to exceed 90 days. To the extent that the provisions in this addendum are inconsistent or conflict with the provisions of the Agreement, the terms contained herein shall control and supersede the terms of the Agreement.

1. TERM:

- A. Term: The term begins on (date) _____ ("Commencement Date"). This Agreement shall terminate on (date) _____ at _____ AM/ PM.
B. Pre-possession Payments: If Occupant has not paid all amounts due by the Commencement Date; (i) Occupant has no right to possession or keys to the premises and; (ii) the Agreement is voidable at the option of Owner.
C. Termination Terms: Occupant shall vacate the Premises upon termination of the Agreement, unless: (i) Owner and Occupant have extended this Agreement in writing or signed a new agreement; (ii) mandated by any rent increase cap or just cause eviction control under any state or local law; or (iii) Owner accepts Rent from Occupant (other than past due Rent), in which case a month-to-month tenancy shall be created which either party may terminate as permitted by Law. Post-termination rent shall be at a rate agreed to by Owner and Occupant, or as allowed by law. All other terms and conditions of this Agreement shall remain in full force and effect.

2. PAYMENTS:

A. Deposit:

- (1) In addition to any rent for the first month paid on or before initial occupancy Owner may collect a maximum "Damage Deposit," however designated, of up to one month's rent unless an exception applies. See Security Deposit Exception Disclosure and Addendum, C.A.R. form SDDA, for additional information.
(2) Any booking deposit, damage deposit, or other item labeled as a deposit in paragraph 5B of the STRA shall be treated as part of the Damage Deposit for the Agreement.

B. Rent:

- (1) Any fees or items specified in paragraph 5B of the STRA, other than those listed in 2A(2) above, shall be treated as Rent.
(2) The total amount collected under 2B(1) above shall be prorated by the number of days of the Term. Notwithstanding 2B(1), any amount in excess of one full month's rent, shall be treated as part of Damage Deposit for the Agreement. Damage Deposit may be used, at Owner's discretion, for any rents due and unpaid for the remainder of the term.

3. DAMAGE DEPOSIT ADDITIONAL TERMS:

- A. If all or any portion of the damage deposit is used during the occupancy, Occupant agrees to reinstate the total damage deposit within five days after written notice is delivered to Occupant.
B. Disposition of Damage Deposit, and providing supporting documentation, shall comply with California Civil Code § 1950.5(g).

4. CONDITION OF PREMISES ADDITIONAL TERMS:

- A. Occupant will: (i) upon Commencement, examine the Premises and, if any, all furniture, furnishings, appliances, landscaping and fixtures, including smoke alarm(s) and carbon monoxide detector(s); and (ii) provide Owner a list of items that are damaged or not in operable condition within 3 (or _____) days after Commencement Date, not as a contingency of this Agreement but rather as an acknowledgement of the condition of the Premises).

OR B. Occupant's acknowledgement of the condition of these items is contained in an attached statement of conditions (C.A.R. Form MII).

OR C. (i) Owner will deliver to Occupant a statement of condition (C.A.R. Form MII) within 3 days after execution of this Agreement; prior to the Commencement Date; within 3 days after the Commencement Date. (ii) Occupant shall complete and return the MII to Owner within 3 (or _____) days after Delivery. Occupant's failure to return the MII within that time shall conclusively be deemed Occupant's Acknowledgement of the condition as stated in the MII.

D. Other: _____

5. ATTORNEY FEES: In any action or proceeding arising out of this Agreement, the prevailing party between Owner and Occupant shall be entitled to reasonable attorney fees and costs collectively not to exceed \$1,000 (or \$ _____).

6. DISCLOSURES:

- A. MOLD AND DAMPNESS: Exposure to mold may have potential health risks. Occupant acknowledges receipt of the attached booklet titled, "Information on Dampness and Mold for Renters in California" before signing this Residential Lease or Month-to-Month Rental Agreement.
B. PERIODIC PEST CONTROL: Owner has contracted for periodic pest control treatment of the Premises. A copy of the notice provided by the registered structural pest control company is attached (will be provided to Occupant within 3 Days after execution of this STRA-SA).
C. BED BUGS: Owner has no knowledge of any current infestation in the Premises by bed bugs. See attached Bed Bug Disclosure (C.A.R. Form BBD) for further information. Occupant shall report suspected bed bug infestation to Owner or, if applicable, property manager and cooperate with any inspection for and treatment of bed bugs. Owner will notify tenants of any units infested by bed bugs.



- D. **MEGAN'S LAW DATABASE DISCLOSURE:** Notice: Pursuant to § 290.46 of the Penal Code, information about specified registered sex offenders is made available to the public via an Internet Website maintained by the Department of Justice at www.meganslaw.ca.gov. Depending on an offender's criminal history, this information will include either the address at which the offender resides or the community of residence and ZIP Code in which he or she resides. (Neither Owner nor Brokers, if any, are required to check this website. If Occupant wants further information, Occupant should obtain information directly from this website.)
- E. **RESIDENTIAL ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS BOOKLET:** Occupant acknowledges receipt of the residential environmental hazards booklet.
- F. **FLOOD HAZARD DISCLOSURE:** Flooding has the potential to cause significant damage to personal property owned by Occupant. See attached Tenant Flood Hazard Disclosure (C.A.R. Form TFHD) for additional information.
- G. **ADDITIONAL DISCLOSURES:** Owner shall make additional disclosures regarding the following matters, on the Rental Property Owner Disclosure (C.A.R. Form RPOD): Lead-based Paint; Methamphetamine Contamination; Periodic Pest Control Contracts; Water Submeters; Mold; Asbestos; Homeowners Associations/Condominiums/Planned Developments; Military Ordnance Locations; Death on the Premises
- H. **OTHER MATERIAL FACTS:** _____

7. **AGENCY:
TERMINATION OF AGENCY RELATIONSHIP:**

- (1) Owner and Occupant acknowledges and agrees that unless Broker is the property manager, or as specified in (2) below, once Owner and Occupant enter into this Agreement, (i) Broker will not represent Owner in any manner regarding the management of the Premises; and (ii) Any representation duties that Broker may owe to, and any agency relationship that Broker may have with, either Owner or Tenant, is terminated.
- (2) Notwithstanding **paragraph 1**, Broker duties and responsibilities to either Owner or Occupant will terminate upon the last to occur of the following (choose all that apply): Occupant occupancy, Delivering to Occupant keys or other means of entering the Premises, Occupant walkthrough, Completion of Move In Inspection (C.A.R. Form MII).

8. **SUBLETTING/ASSIGNMENT:** No subletting or assignment is permitted without the express written consent of Owner.

9. **NOTICE OF RIGHT TO RECEIVE FOREIGN LANGUAGE TRANSLATION OF LEASE/RENTAL AGREEMENTS:** California Civil Code requires an owner or property manager to provide a tenant with a foreign language translation copy of a lease or rental agreement if the agreement was negotiated primarily in Spanish, Chinese, Korean, Tagalog or Vietnamese. If applicable, every term of the lease/rental needs to be translated except for, among others, names, dollar amounts and dates written as numerals, and words with no generally accepted non-English translation.

10. **SERVICE MEMBERS CIVIL RELIEF ACT:** Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in **paragraphs 2 and 7** or elsewhere in the Agreement, the Servicemembers Civil Relief Act applies to the Agreement and any effort to terminate it, as specified in §§ 2951 and 2955 of the Act.

By signing below, Occupant agrees to the terms of the Short-Term Rental Agreement and this Seasonal Addendum to the Short-Term Rental Agreement.

Occupant _____ Date _____
 Occupant _____ Date _____

By signing below, Owner/Agent acknowledges receipt of the Occupant-signed Seasonal Addendum to the Short-Term Rental Agreement.

Owner/Agent _____ Date _____
 Owner/Agent _____ Date _____

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SHORT-TERM RENTAL AGREEMENT

(Intended for occupancy of 30 days or less)
(For occupancies of more than 30 days but not exceeding 90 days, use with a Seasonal Addendum)
(C.A.R. Form STRA, Revised 6/24)

Date Prepared: _____

1. **OCCUPANT:** _____ (“Occupant”) agrees as follows:
 2. **PROPERTY:** Occupant rents, for short-term purposes only, the furnished real property and improvements described as: _____, situated in _____, County of _____, California (“Premises”).
 The Premises has _____ bedroom(s) and _____ bath(s).

3. **ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE:**
 A. Arrival: _____ (Date) at _____ (Time)
 B. Departure: _____ (Date) at _____ (Time).
 OR C. **SEASONAL RENTAL:** Term of the Agreement will be for more than 30 days. Seasonal Addendum to Short-Term Rental Agreement (C.A.R. Form STRA-SA) attached.

4. **AUTHORIZED USE AND GUESTS:**
 A. The Premises are for the sole use as a short-term residence by Occupant named in **paragraph 1**, AND, in addition, not more than _____ adults and _____ children.
 B. If additional adults and children are indicated, the names of those persons are _____ (“Authorized Guests”).
 C. No other guests, visitors or persons are permitted. If the Premises are used, in any way, by more or different persons than those identified in this paragraph, **(i)** Occupant, Authorized Guests and all other may be required to immediately leave the Premises or be removed from the Premises; **(ii)** Occupant is in breach of this Agreement; **(iii)** Occupant forfeits its right to return of any damage deposit; and **(iv)** Occupant is liable for any damage caused by those persons.

5. **PAYMENTS:** Occupant agrees to the following payments:
 A. **The Premises will not be held for Occupant until this Agreement is signed by Occupant, and, if checked, Booking Deposit, Other _____ has been received by Owner or Owner’s Representative.**

B. Category	Amount Due	Payment Due Date	Payable To
Booking Deposit:	\$ _____		
Rent from _____ to _____ (date)	\$ _____		
Damage Deposit:	\$ _____		
Cleaning Fee:	\$ _____		
Other: _____	\$ _____		
Other: _____	\$ _____		
Transient Occupancy Tax/Local Tax assessed on rent, and if applicable, _____ at _____ % (tax rate):	\$ _____		
Total:	\$ _____		

6. **BALANCE DUE; LATE CHARGE:** If any amount due is not received by the applicable Payment Due Date, Owner may, at Owner’s or Owner’s Representative’s sole discretion, either terminate this Agreement and refund to Occupant all payments pursuant to the Cancellation Policy, or impose a late charge of \$ _____.

7. **DAMAGE DEPOSIT:**
 A. The damage deposit will be transferred to and held by Owner; held in Owner’s Representative’s trust account; or Other _____.
 B. All or any portion of the damage deposit, upon termination of occupancy, may be used as reasonably necessary to: **(i)** cure Occupant’s default in payment of rent, non-sufficient funds (“NSF”) fees or other sums due; **(ii)** repair damage, excluding ordinary wear and tear, caused by Occupant or Occupant’s guests or licensees; **(iii)** clean the Premises; and **(iv)** replace or return personal property or appurtenances. Within 21 days after Occupant vacates the Premises, Owner shall: (1) furnish Occupant an itemized statement indicating the amount of any damage deposit **(i)** received, **(ii)** withheld and the basis for its disposition, and **(iii)** withheld pending receipt of utility, and _____ bills; and (2) return any remaining portion of the damage deposit to Occupant.
 C. No interest will be paid on the damage deposit unless required by local ordinance.
 D. If the damage deposit is held by Owner, Occupant agrees not to hold Owner’s Representative responsible for its return. If the damage deposit is held by Owner’s Representative **and** the damage deposit is released to Owner or Owner’s other representative, **then** Owner’s Representative’s only duty shall be to notify Occupant, in writing, where and to whom the damage deposit has been released.

8. **CANCELLATION POLICY; REFUND:** If Occupant cancels or otherwise terminates this Agreement:
 A. **In the first 24 hours after acceptance of this Agreement, all payments will be refunded to Occupant unless occupancy is scheduled within 72 hours of acceptance.**
 B. By _____ days before Arrival date, all payments except _____ will be refunded to Occupant.
 C. By _____ days before Arrival date, _____ will be returned to Occupant.
 D. If Occupant cancels or otherwise terminates this Agreement after _____, Occupant shall be responsible for entire rent, commission to Owner’s Representative and all marketing and preparation costs necessary to ready the Premises for re-rental.



Premises: _____

Date: _____

9. **UNAUTHORIZED HOLDING OVER:** Occupant agrees there shall be no holding over or late departure without prior approval. Any unauthorized holding over by Occupant shall be subject to a charge of 1.5 times the daily prorated rent (or if checked _____) ("Holdover Rate"), plus any additional damages incurred including, but not limited to, the cost of alternative housing for guests displaced by Occupant's holding over. Late check-outs on the Departure date will be charged 50% of the Holdover Rate (or if checked _____).
10. **CLEANING:** Premises will be cleaned to a professionally cleaned condition. Upon termination of occupancy, Occupant will deliver the Premises in the same condition as received less ordinary wear and tear. The Cleaning Fee represents a set number of hours to clean Premises. The more damage and cleaning required to be done, the higher the cost of such work will be. If Occupant does not return the Premises in the same condition as received, a(n) (additional) charge will be deducted from the damage deposit, and an invoice will be sent to Occupant for any amount above the damage deposit. Premises shall be left pursuant to the attached instructions.
11. **ANIMALS:** Unless otherwise provided in California Civil Code § 54.2, or other law, no animal shall be kept on or about the Premises without Owner's prior written consent, except as agreed to in the attached Animal Terms and Conditions Addendum (C.A.R. Form ATCA).
12. **NO SMOKING:**
- A. NO SMOKING of any substance is allowed on the Premises or common areas. If smoking does occur on the Premises or common areas, (i) Occupant is in material breach of this Agreement; and (ii) Occupant, guests, and all others may be required to leave the Premises.
- B. (i) Occupant is responsible for all damage caused by smoking including, but not limited to stains, burns, odors and removal of debris; (ii) Occupant acknowledges that in order to remove odor caused by smoking, Owner may need to replace carpet and drapes and paint the entire premises regardless of when these items were last cleaned, replaced or repainted. Such actions and other necessary steps will impact the return of any damage deposit.
- C. The Premises or common areas may be subject to a local non-smoking ordinance.
13. **NSF CHECKS:** If a check is returned NSF, Occupant shall pay \$25.00 as an NSF fee. Occupant agrees that this charge represents a fair and reasonable estimate of the costs Owner may incur by reason of Occupant's NSF payment. An NSF check will result in cancellation of this Agreement if the required payment is not made by the applicable Payment Due Date.
14. **CONDITION OF PREMISES:** Occupant shall, on arrival, examine the Premises, all furniture, furnishings, appliances, fixtures and landscaping, if any, and shall immediately report, in writing, if any are not in operating condition or are in disrepair. Reporting needed repairs does not give Occupant the right to cancel this Agreement or receive a refund of any payments made.
15. **UTILITIES:** Owner is to pay for all utilities except as follows:
 Occupant agrees to pay for all telephone charges.
 Occupant agrees to pay for _____.
16. **RULES; REGULATIONS; NO COMMERCIAL USE:** Occupant agrees to comply with any and all rules and regulations that are at any time posted on the Premises or delivered to Occupant. Occupant shall not, and shall ensure that guests and licensees of Occupant shall not: (i) disturb, annoy, endanger, or interfere with other occupants of the building in which Premises is located or its neighbors; (ii) use the Premises for any commercial or unlawful purpose including, but not limited to, using, manufacturing, selling, storing, or transporting illicit drugs or other contraband; (iii) violate any law or ordinance; or (iv) commit waste or nuisance on or about the Premises.
17. **CONDOMINIUM; PLANNED UNIT DEVELOPMENT:** (If checked) The Premises is a unit in a condominium, planned unit development or other development governed by a homeowners' association ("HOA"). The name of the HOA is _____. Occupant agrees to comply with all covenants, conditions and restrictions, bylaws, rules, regulations and decisions of the HOA. Owner shall provide Occupant copies of rules and regulations of the HOA, if any. Occupant shall reimburse Owner for any fines or charges imposed by the HOA or other authorities, due to any violation by Occupant or the guests or licensees of Occupant.
18. **MAINTENANCE:** Occupant shall properly use, operate and safeguard the Premises including, if applicable, any landscaping, furniture, furnishings, appliances and all mechanical, electrical, gas and plumbing fixtures, and keep them clean and sanitary. Occupant shall immediately notify Owner or Owner's Representative of any problem, malfunction or damage. Occupant shall pay for all repairs or replacements caused by Occupant, guests and licensees of Occupant, excluding ordinary wear and tear. Occupant shall pay for all damage to the Premises caused by a failure to report a problem, malfunction or damage in a timely manner. Occupant shall pay for repair of drain blockages or stoppages, unless caused by defective plumbing parts or tree roots invading sewer lines.
19. **ALTERATIONS:** Occupant shall not make any alterations in or about the Premises including, but not limited to, moving furniture, painting, wallpapering, adding or changing locks, installing antenna or satellite dish(es), placing signs, displays or exhibits, or using screws, fastening devices, large nails or adhesive materials.
20. **ENTRY:**
- A. Owner and Owner's representatives and agents have the right to enter the Premises, at any time, (i) for the purpose of making necessary or agreed repairs, decorations, alterations, improvements, for maintenance or to supply necessary or agreed services; (ii) to verify that Occupant has complied with the terms of this Agreement; or (iii) in case of emergency.
- B. Owner and Owner's representatives and agents have the right to enter the Premises, upon reasonable notice, to show the Premises to prospective or actual purchasers, occupants, mortgagees, lenders, appraisers or contractors.
21. **NO ASSIGNMENT OR SUBLETTING:** Occupant shall not assign any interest in this Agreement or sublet any part of the Premises. If this Agreement is assigned or the Premises or any part thereof is sublet, (i) Occupant, Authorized Guests, assignee(s), sublessee(s) and all others may be required to immediately leave the Premises, or be removed from it; (ii) Occupant is in breach of this Agreement; and (iii) Occupant forfeits its right to return of any damage deposit.
22. **UNAVAILABILITY:** If for any reason beyond the control of Owner or Owner's Representative, the Premises is unavailable, Owner or Owner's Representative may substitute a comparable unit or cancel this Agreement and refund in full to Occupant all payments made.
23. **OCCUPANT'S OBLIGATIONS UPON TERMINATION OF OCCUPANCY:** Upon termination of occupancy, Occupant shall: (i) give Owner all copies of all keys or opening devices to the Premises, including any common areas; (ii) vacate the Premises and surrender it to Owner empty of all persons; (iii) vacate any/all parking and/or storage space; and (iv) deliver the Premises to Owner in the same condition less ordinary wear and tear as received upon arrival.
24. **PERSONAL PROPERTY AND INJURY:**
- A. **Owner Insurance:** Occupant's or guests' personal property, including vehicles, are not insured by Owner or, if applicable, HOA, against loss or damage due to fire, theft, vandalism, rain, water, criminal or negligent acts of others, or any other cause. Owner does not insure against personal injury to Occupant, guests or licensees due to any reason other than the condition of the Premises.

Premises: _____

Date: _____

B. Occupant Insurance: Owner recommends that Occupant carry or obtain insurance to protect Occupant, guests and licensees and their personal property from any loss or damage.

C. Indemnity and Hold Harmless: Occupant agrees to indemnify, defend and hold harmless Owner and Owner's Representative from all claims, disputes, litigation, judgments, costs and attorney fees resulting from loss, damage or injury to Occupant, Occupant's guests or licensees or their personal property.

25. MEDIATION: Occupant agrees to mediate any dispute or claim arising out of this Agreement, or any resulting transaction, before resorting to arbitration or court action. Mediation fees, if any, shall be divided equally among the parties involved.

26. JOINT AND INDIVIDUAL OBLIGATIONS: If there is more than one Occupant, each one shall be individually and completely responsible for the performance of all obligations under this Agreement, jointly and individually with every other Occupant.

27. TRANSIENT OCCUPANCY: Occupant is renting the Premises as a transient lodger for the number of days specified in paragraph 3 from Owner who retains full legal, possessory and access rights.

28. KEYS; LOCKS: Upon arrival, (or _____) Occupant will receive:

- Entry code to following lock(s)/door(s): _____,
- _____ key(s) to Premises, _____ remote control device(s) for garage door/gate opener(s),
- _____ key(s) to mailbox, _____,
- _____ key(s) to common area(s), _____.

Occupant acknowledges that locks to the Premises have have not been rekeyed/recoded. If Occupant rekeys existing locks or opening devices, Occupant shall immediately deliver copies of all keys to Owner or Owner's Representative. Occupant shall pay all costs and charges related to loss of any keys or opening devices. Occupant may not remove locks, even if installed by Occupant.

29. OTHER TERMS AND CONDITIONS, including ATTACHED SUPPLEMENTS:

- Check-in procedure
- Contract addendum: _____

30. ENTIRE CONTRACT: Time is of the essence. All prior agreements between Owner and Occupant are incorporated in this Agreement, which constitutes the entire contract. It is intended as a final expression of the parties' agreement, and may not be contradicted by evidence of any prior agreement or contemporaneous oral agreement. The parties further intend that this Agreement constitutes the complete and exclusive statement of its terms, and that no extrinsic evidence whatsoever may be introduced in any judicial or other proceeding, if any, involving this Agreement. Any provision of this Agreement that is held to be invalid shall not affect the validity or enforceability of any other provision in this Agreement. The waiver of any breach shall not be construed as a continuing waiver of the same or any subsequent breach. This Agreement shall be governed and construed in accordance with the laws of the State of California. California shall have personal jurisdiction over the parties and the county in which the Premises is located shall be the forum for any legal action brought in relation to this Agreement.

Occupant agrees to rent Premises on the above terms and conditions.

Occupant _____ Date _____
 Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____
 Telephone _____ E-mail _____

Occupant _____ Date _____
 Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____
 Telephone _____ E-mail _____

For information regarding the Premises or this Agreement, contact Owner or Owner's Representative

Name _____
 Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____
 Telephone _____ E-mail _____

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SEPTIC INSPECTION, WELL INSPECTION, PROPERTY MONUMENT, AND PROPANE TANK ALLOCATION OF COST ADDENDUM

(C.A.R. Form SWPI, Revised 6/24)

The following terms and conditions are hereby incorporated in and made a part of the Purchase Agreement, OR [] Other _____, dated _____ ("Agreement"), on property known as: _____ ("Property"), in which _____ is referred to as Buyer and _____ is referred to as Seller. Buyer and Seller are referred to as the "Parties."

1. SEPTIC INSPECTION AND ALLOCATION OF COST (CHECK ALL THAT APPLY):

(Information about septic systems can be found at https://www3.epa.gov/npdes/pubs/homeowner_guide_long.pdf)

A. INSPECTION AND REPORT

[] Buyer [] Seller shall pay for septic system to be inspected and a report prepared by a qualified septic professional.

B. LOCATION AND ACCESSING

[] Buyer [] Seller shall pay for locating, accessing and identifying septic system or [] tank only.

C. PUMPING

[] Buyer [] Seller shall pay for septic tank pump and dump fees.

D. CERTIFICATION

[] Buyer [] Seller shall pay for certification by a qualified septic professional or [] by the City/County of _____.

NOTE: Not all cities or counties require certification. Those cities and counties that do require certification, may not have the same requirements as others; Some may require only a filing of required forms or reports, or require nothing at all.

If, in order to obtain the certification, additional costs are needed to repair the septic tank or system or otherwise bring it into compliance with applicable law, further written agreement regarding costs and liability is required. If agreement is not reached within the time for removing the Buyer investigation contingency or [] the loan contingency or [] other _____, then either party may cancel the Agreement.

E. EXCAVATION

[] Buyer [] Seller shall pay for excavation of _____.

F. (If checked []) ALTERNATIVE SEPTIC SYSTEMS: The Property has an alternative septic system (Alternative System). Seller shall provide to Buyer, if available to Seller, the following information: (i) the name of the servicer of the Alternative System, (ii) how often service of the Alternative System is required, and (iii) the annual cost of servicing the Alternative System.

G. OTHER

[] Buyer [] Seller shall pay for _____.

2. WELL INSPECTION AND ALLOCATION OF COST (CHECK ALL THAT APPLY):

(Information about Well Standards, Well Completion Reports and Well Basics can be found at https://water.ca.gov/Programs/Groundwater-Management/Wells.)

A. GOVERNMENT REPORT

[] Seller shall provide to Buyer, if in Seller's possession, the State of California Well Completion Report issued by _____ (local government agency). Whether or not Seller provides such a report to Buyer, Seller authorizes the local government agency to release any available report to Buyer.

B. WATER PRODUCTIVITY

[] Buyer [] Seller shall pay for water productivity (Gallons Per Minute) testing provided by _____.

C. BACTERIAL TESTING

[] Buyer [] Seller shall pay for testing of bacterial contaminant's including fecal material and e-coli from a chlorine free water sample(s). Testing shall be provided by _____.

D. CHEMICAL/RADIOLOGICAL TESTING

[] Buyer [] Seller shall pay for testing of organic, and inorganic chemical and radiological contaminants ([] specifically including, but not limited to, _____).

Testing shall be provided by _____.

E. OTHER

[] Buyer [] Seller shall pay for _____.

If additional costs are needed to repair the well or otherwise bring it into compliance with applicable law, further written agreement regarding costs and liability is required. If agreement is not reached within the time for removing



Property Address: _____ Date: _____

the Buyer investigation contingency or the loan contingency or other _____, then either party may cancel the Agreement.

3. PROPERTY MONUMENT, CORNERS AND BOUNDARIES (CHECK ALL THAT APPLY):
The Parties acknowledge that only a licensed surveyor can legally mark property monuments, corners and boundaries.

A. Buyer Seller shall pay for the services of a licensed land surveyor to locate and identify Property monuments, Property corners, Property boundaries, _____.

B. OTHER: Buyer Seller shall pay for _____.

4. PROPANE (CHECK ALL THAT APPLY):

A. Propane tank is Leased or Owned

B. Seller shall, within the time specified in the Agreement, disclose to Buyer the contact information for the propane service provider.

C. Any propane remaining in the tank shall convey as personal property to Buyer at no cost OR Buyer shall reimburse Seller for the cost of remaining propane which shall be measured no earlier than 5 Days prior to Close Of Escrow.

D. OTHER: Buyer Seller shall pay for _____.

By signing below, the undersigned acknowledge that each has read, understands, received a copy and agrees to the terms of this Septic, Well Inspection, Property Monument, and Propane Tank Allocation of Cost Addendum.

Buyer _____ Date _____

Buyer _____ Date _____

Seller _____ Date _____

Seller _____ Date _____

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REAL ESTATE TRANSFER DISCLOSURE STATEMENT
(CALIFORNIA CIVIL CODE §1102, ET SEQ.)
(C.A.R. Form TDS, Revised 6/24)

This property is a duplex, triplex or fourplex. A TDS is required for all units. This TDS is for ALL units (or only unit(s) _____).

THIS DISCLOSURE STATEMENT CONCERNS THE REAL PROPERTY SITUATED IN THE CITY OF _____, COUNTY OF _____, STATE OF CALIFORNIA, DESCRIBED AS _____.

THIS STATEMENT IS A DISCLOSURE OF THE CONDITION OF THE ABOVE DESCRIBED PROPERTY IN COMPLIANCE WITH § 1102 OF THE CIVIL CODE AS OF (DATE) _____. IT IS NOT A WARRANTY OF ANY KIND BY THE SELLER(S) OR ANY AGENT(S) REPRESENTING ANY PRINCIPAL(S) IN THIS TRANSACTION, AND IS NOT A SUBSTITUTE FOR ANY INSPECTIONS OR WARRANTIES THE PRINCIPAL(S) MAY WISH TO OBTAIN.

I. COORDINATION WITH OTHER DISCLOSURE FORMS

This Real Estate Transfer Disclosure Statement is made pursuant to § 1102 of the Civil Code. Other statutes require disclosures, depending upon the details of the particular real estate transaction (for example: special study zone and purchase-money liens on residential property).

Substituted Disclosures: The following disclosures and other disclosures required by law, including the Natural Hazard Disclosure Report/Statement that may include airport annoyances, earthquake, fire, flood, or special assessment information, have or will be made in connection with this real estate transfer, and are intended to satisfy the disclosure obligations on this form, where the subject matter is the same:

- Inspection reports completed pursuant to the contract of sale or receipt for deposit.
Additional inspection reports or disclosures:
No substituted disclosures for this transfer.

II. SELLER'S INFORMATION

The Seller discloses the following information with the knowledge that even though this is not a warranty, prospective Buyers may rely on this information in deciding whether and on what terms to purchase the subject property. Seller hereby authorizes any agent(s) representing any principal(s) in this transaction to provide a copy of this statement to any person or entity in connection with any actual or anticipated sale of the property.

THE FOLLOWING ARE REPRESENTATIONS MADE BY THE SELLER(S) AND ARE NOT THE REPRESENTATIONS OF THE AGENT(S), IF ANY. THIS INFORMATION IS A DISCLOSURE AND IS NOT INTENDED TO BE PART OF ANY CONTRACT BETWEEN THE BUYER AND SELLER.

Seller is is not occupying the property.

A. The subject property has the items checked below:*

- Range, Oven, Microwave, Dishwasher, Trash Compactor, Garbage Disposal, Washer/Dryer Hookups, Rain Gutters, Burglar Alarms, Carbon Monoxide Device(s), Smoke Detector(s), Fire Alarm, TV Antenna, Satellite Dish, Intercom, Central Heating, Central Air Conditioning, Evaporator Cooler(s), Wall/Window Air Conditioning, Sprinklers, Public Sewer System, Septic Tank, Sump Pump, Water Softener, Patio/Decking, Built-in Barbecue, Gazebo, Security Gate(s), Garage: Attached Not Attached, Carport, Automatic Garage Door Opener(s), Number Remote Controls, Sauna, Hot Tub/Spa: Locking Safety Cover, Pool: Child Resistant Barrier, Pool/Spa Heater: Gas Solar Electric, Water Heater: Gas Solar Electric, Water Supply: City Well Private Utility or Other, Gas Supply: Utility Bottled (Tank), Window Screens, Window Security Bars, Quick Release Mechanism on Bedroom Windows, Water-Conserving Plumbing Fixtures

Exhaust Fan(s) in _____ 220 Volt Wiring in _____ Fireplace(s) in _____
Gas Starter _____ Roof(s): Type: _____ Age: _____ (approx.)
Other: _____

Are there, to the best of your (Seller's) knowledge, any of the above that are not in operating condition? Yes/No. If yes, then describe. (Attach additional sheets if necessary): _____

(*see note on page 2)



Property Address: _____ Date: _____

- B.** Are you (Seller) aware of any significant defects/malfunctions in any of the following? Yes/ No. If yes, check appropriate space(s) below.
- Interior Walls Ceilings Floors Exterior Walls Insulation Roof(s) Windows Doors Foundation Slab(s)
 Driveways Sidewalks Walls/Fences Electrical Systems Plumbing/Sewers/Septics Other Structural Components
 (Describe: _____)

If any of the above is checked, explain. (Attach additional sheets if necessary.): _____

*Installation of a listed appliance, device, or amenity is not a precondition of sale or transfer of the dwelling. The carbon monoxide device, garage door opener, or child-resistant pool barrier may not be in compliance with the safety standards relating to, respectively, carbon monoxide device standards of Chapter 8 (commencing with § 13260) of Part 2 of Division 12 of, automatic reversing device standards of Chapter 12.5 (commencing with § 19890) of Part 3 of Division 13 of, or the pool safety standards of Article 2.5 (commencing with § 115920) of Chapter 5 of Part 10 of Division 104 of, the Health and Safety Code. Window security bars may not have quick-release mechanisms in compliance with the 1995 edition of the California Building Standards Code. § 1101.4 of the Civil Code requires all single-family residences built on or before January 1, 1994, to be equipped with water-conserving plumbing fixtures after January 1, 2017. Additionally, on and after January 1, 2014, a single-family residence built on or before January 1, 1994, that is altered or improved is required to be equipped with water-conserving plumbing fixtures as a condition of final approval. Fixtures in this dwelling may not comply with § 1101.4 of the Civil Code.

- C.** Are you (Seller) aware of any of the following:
- Substances, materials, or products which may be an environmental hazard such as, but not limited to, asbestos, formaldehyde, radon gas, lead-based paint, mold, fuel or chemical storage tanks, and contaminated soil or water on the subject property..... Yes No
 - Features of the property shared in common with adjoining landowners, such as walls, fences, and driveways, whose use or responsibility for maintenance may have an effect on the subject property..... Yes No
 - Any encroachments, easements or similar matters that may affect your interest in the subject property Yes No
 - Room additions, structural modifications, or other alterations or repairs made without necessary permits Yes No
 - Room additions, structural modifications, or other alterations or repairs not in compliance with building codes Yes No

(Note to C4 and C5: If transferor acquired the property within 18 months of accepting an offer to sell it, transferor shall make additional disclosures regarding the room additions, structural modifications, or other alterations or repairs on a Seller Property Questionnaire (C.A.R. Form SPQ).)

- Fill (compacted or otherwise) on the property or any portion thereof..... Yes No
- Any settling from any cause, or slippage, sliding, or other soil problems..... Yes No
- Flooding, drainage or grading problems..... Yes No
- Major damage to the property or any of the structures from fire, earthquake, floods, or landslides..... Yes No
- Any zoning violations, nonconforming uses, violations of "setback" requirements..... Yes No
- Neighborhood noise problems or other nuisances..... Yes No
- CC&R's or other deed restrictions or obligations Yes No
- Homeowners' Association which has any authority over the subject property..... Yes No
- Any "common area" (facilities such as pools, tennis courts, walkways, or other areas co-owned in undivided interest with others)..... Yes No
- Any notices of abatement or citations against the property..... Yes No
- Any lawsuits by or against the Seller threatening to or affecting this real property, claims for damages by the Seller pursuant to § 910 or 914 threatening to or affecting this real property, claims for breach of warranty pursuant to § 900 threatening to or affecting this real property, or claims for breach of an enhanced protection agreement pursuant to § 903 threatening to or affecting this real property, including any lawsuits or claims for damages pursuant to § 910 or 914 alleging a defect or deficiency in this real property or "common areas" (facilities such as pools, tennis courts, walkways, or other areas co-owned in undivided interest with others) Yes No

If the answer to any of these is yes, explain. (Attach additional sheets if necessary.): _____

- D.**
- The Seller certifies that the property, as of the close of escrow, will be in compliance with § 13113.8 of the Health and Safety Code by having operable smoke detector(s) which are approved, listed, and installed in accordance with the State Fire Marshal's regulations and applicable local standards.
 - The Seller certifies that the property, as of the close of escrow, will be in compliance with § 19211 of the Health and Safety Code by having the water heater tank(s) braced, anchored, or strapped in place in accordance with applicable law.

Seller certifies that the information herein is true and correct to the best of the Seller's knowledge as of the date signed by the Seller.

Seller _____ Date _____
Seller _____ Date _____



Property Address: _____ Date: _____

III. AGENT'S INSPECTION DISCLOSURE

(To be completed only if the Seller is represented by an agent in this transaction.)

THE UNDERSIGNED, BASED ON THE ABOVE INQUIRY OF THE SELLER(S) AS TO THE CONDITION OF THE PROPERTY AND BASED ON A REASONABLY COMPETENT AND DILIGENT VISUAL INSPECTION OF THE ACCESSIBLE AREAS OF THE PROPERTY IN CONJUNCTION WITH THAT INQUIRY, STATES THE FOLLOWING:

- See attached Agent Visual Inspection Disclosure (AVID Form)
- Agent notes no items for disclosure.
- Agent notes the following items: _____

Agent (Broker Representing Seller) _____ By _____ Date _____
(Please Print) (Associate Licensee or Broker Signature)

IV. AGENT'S INSPECTION DISCLOSURE

(To be completed only if the agent who has obtained the offer is other than the agent above.)

THE UNDERSIGNED, BASED ON A REASONABLY COMPETENT AND DILIGENT VISUAL INSPECTION OF THE ACCESSIBLE AREAS OF THE PROPERTY, STATES THE FOLLOWING:

- See attached Agent Visual Inspection Disclosure (AVID Form)
- Agent notes no items for disclosure.
- Agent notes the following items: _____

Agent (Broker Obtaining the Offer) _____ By _____ Date _____
(Please Print) (Associate Licensee or Broker Signature)

V. BUYER(S) AND SELLER(S) MAY WISH TO OBTAIN PROFESSIONAL ADVICE AND/OR INSPECTIONS OF THE PROPERTY AND TO PROVIDE FOR APPROPRIATE PROVISIONS IN A CONTRACT BETWEEN BUYER AND SELLER(S) WITH RESPECT TO ANY ADVICE/INSPECTIONS/DEFECTS.

I/WE ACKNOWLEDGE RECEIPT OF A COPY OF THIS STATEMENT.

Seller _____ Date _____ Buyer _____ Date _____
 Seller _____ Date _____ Buyer _____ Date _____
 Agent (Broker Representing Seller) _____ By _____ Date _____
 (Please Print) (Associate Licensee or Broker Signature)
 Agent (Broker Obtaining the Offer) _____ By _____ Date _____
 (Please Print) (Associate Licensee or Broker Signature)

§ 1102.3 OF THE CIVIL CODE PROVIDES A BUYER WITH THE RIGHT TO RESCIND A PURCHASE CONTRACT FOR AT LEAST THREE DAYS AFTER THE DELIVERY OF THIS DISCLOSURE IF DELIVERY OCCURS AFTER THE SIGNING OF AN OFFER TO PURCHASE. IF YOU WISH TO RESCIND THE CONTRACT, YOU MUST ACT WITHIN THE PRESCRIBED PERIOD.

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TENANT OCCUPIED PROPERTY ADDENDUM
 (For use when selling tenant occupied 1-4 unit properties)
 (C.A.R. Form TOPA, Revised 6/24)

This is an addendum to the Purchase Agreement, OR Counter Offer No. _____, Other _____, (“Agreement”), dated _____, on property known as _____ (“Property”), between _____ (“Buyer”), and _____ (“Seller”).

Buyer and Seller are referred to as the “Parties.” For the purpose of this Tenant Occupied Property Addendum, **Tenant shall mean any adult person, other than Seller, who is occupying the Property, whether or not paying rent.**

1. **A. TENANT(S) TO REMAIN IN POSSESSION:** Buyer shall take Property subject to the rights of existing Tenant(s), and under the terms and conditions specified in **paragraph 2.**

OR B. PROPERTY TO BE DELIVERED VACANT:

- (1) The Property (or Unit(s) _____) shall be delivered vacant, without existing Tenant(s).
- (2) If Seller, after exercise of good faith attempts and subject to applicable Law, is unable to remove existing Tenant(s) by Close Of Escrow (or 5 Days prior to COE): **(i)** Buyer may cancel this Agreement and Buyer’s sole remedy shall be return of deposit(s) and Buyer’s reasonable out-of-pocket expenses for inspection reports and appraisal fees under the Agreement, **□ which total amount shall be no more than \$ _____**; or **(ii)** Buyer may elect to proceed with the transaction with the Tenant(s) in possession and waives any claim for other damages or compensation arising out of the Tenant(s) remaining in possession.
- (3) If Seller is able to remove existing tenants prior to Close of Escrow, Seller, as applicable, shall disclose to Buyer: **(i)** when the Property became vacant; **(ii)** whether the tenant vacated voluntarily, and if so whether Seller paid the tenant to leave; **(iii)** whether Seller filed a lawsuit to attempt to evict the Tenant, and if so, whether the lawsuit ended in a judgment.
- (4) Seller, within **5 (or _____) Days** prior to Close Of Escrow, shall Deliver to Buyer the names of all adult occupants residing in the Property (other than Seller) that are known to Seller OR the following are the names of all adult occupants (other than Seller) that are known to Seller: _____
- (5) Even if, pursuant to the Agreement, Seller remains in possession after Close of Escrow, no Tenant(s) shall remain, except: _____

OR C. BUYER IS A TENANT IN PROPERTY

- (1) Buyer occupies the Property (or Unit(s) _____). **Paragraph 2** of this TOPA form shall not apply for the Property (or Unit(s)) occupied by Buyer.
- (2) **Security Deposit:**
 - (A) Seller shall transfer to Buyer, through escrow, **(i)** all unused Tenant(s) deposits, if any, and **(ii)** all prepaid but unearned rents, if any, prorated as of Close Of Escrow.
 - OR (B) _____
- (3) For any units not occupied by Buyer, all other terms of this TOPA shall apply.

2. **TENANT REMAINING IN POSSESSION ADDITIONAL TERMS:**

- A. Tenant Deposits and Unearned Rent:** Seller shall transfer to Buyer, through escrow, **(i)** all unused Tenant(s) deposits, if any, and **(ii)** all prepaid but unearned rents, if any, prorated as of Close Of Escrow. Seller shall disclose to Buyer any Tenant delinquencies. Seller shall credit Buyer for any delinquent rent, prorated as of Close Of Escrow.
- B. Government Compliance:** No warranty is made concerning compliance with governmental restrictions, if any, limiting the amount of rent that can lawfully be charged, the maximum number of persons who can lawfully occupy the Property, or the ability of Buyer to remove any Tenant(s) from possession. Buyer is advised to carefully read and consider the attached Rent Cap and Just Cause Addendum (C.A.R. Form RCJC) which may impact Buyer’s and Tenant(s)’ rights and obligations under the Law. Buyer is advised that local ordinances may also affect Buyer’s and Tenant(s)’ rights and obligations.
- C. Proposed Changes:**
 - (1) Seller shall give Buyer written notice of **(i)** any changes to existing leases or tenancies; **(ii)** new agreements to lease or rent; or **(iii)** changes to the status of the condition of the Property (“Proposed Changes”) at least **7 (or _____) Days** prior to any Proposed Changes.
 - (2) Buyer shall, within **5 (or _____) Days** after receipt of notice of Proposed Changes, give Seller notice of Buyer’s objection to the Proposed Changes in which case Seller shall not make the Proposed Changes.
- D. Personal Property Included in Sale:**
 - (1) A complete list of all personal Property of Seller currently used in the operation of the Property and included in the purchase price shall be delivered to Buyer with the time specified in **paragraph 14.**
 - (2) Seller shall deliver title to the personal property by Bill of Sale, free of all liens and encumbrances, and without warranty of condition.
 - (3) As additional security for any note in favor of Seller for any part of the purchase price, Buyer shall execute a UCC-1 Financing Statement to be filed with the Secretary of State, covering the personal property included in the purchase, replacement thereof and insurance proceeds.
- E. Seller Documentation and Additional Disclosure:** Within the time specified in the Agreement for Seller Delivery of Documents, and subject to Buyer’s right of review, Seller shall disclose, make available or Deliver, as applicable, to Buyer, the following:
 - (1) **RENTAL SERVICE AGREEMENTS:** **(i)** All current leases, rental agreements, service contracts, and other agreements pertaining to the operation of the Property; **(ii)** A rental statement including names of Tenant(s), rental rates, period of rental, date of last rent increase, security deposits, rental concessions, rebates or other benefits, if any, and a list of delinquent rents and their duration. Seller represents that the documents to be furnished are those maintained in the ordinary and normal course of business.
 - (2) **INCOME AND EXPENSE STATEMENTS:** (if checked) The books and records for the Property, if any, including a statement of income and expense for the 12 months preceding Acceptance.



- (3) **TENANT ESTOPPEL CERTIFICATES:** (if checked) Tenant Estoppel Certificates (C.A.R. Form TEC). Tenant Estoppel Certificates shall be completed by Seller or Seller's agent and delivered to Tenant(s) for Tenant(s) to sign and acknowledge: **(i)** that Tenant(s)' rental or lease agreements are unmodified and in full force and effect, (or if modified, stating all such modifications); **(ii)** that no lessor defaults exist; and **(iii)** stating the amount of any prepaid rent or security deposit. Seller shall exercise good faith to obtain Tenant(s)' signature(s), but Seller cannot guarantee Tenant(s)' cooperation. In the event Seller cannot obtain signed Tenant Estoppel Certificates within the time specified above, Seller shall notify Buyer and provide the unsigned one that was provided to Tenant(s). If, after the time specified for Seller to Deliver the TEC to Buyer, any Tenant(s) sign and return a TEC to Seller, Seller shall Deliver that TEC to Buyer.
- (4) **SURVEY, PLANS, AND ENGINEERING DOCUMENTS:** If in Seller's possession, Copies of surveys, plans, specifications, and engineering documents, if any, prepared on Seller's behalf on in Seller's possession.
- (5) **PERMITS:** If in Seller's possession, Seller shall Deliver to Buyer copies of all permits and approvals, certificates of occupancy, conditional use permits, development plans, and licenses and permits pertaining to the operation of the Property.
- (6) **STRUCTURAL MODIFICATIONS:** Seller shall disclose to Buyer in writing any known structural additions or alterations to, or the installation, alteration, repair or replacement of, significant components of the structure(s) upon the Property.
- (7) **SECURITY DEPOSITS:** **(i)** An itemization of all lawful deductions made from Tenant(s) security deposits, if any, and **(ii)** a statement of the security deposit remaining after any lawful deductions have been made (C.A.R. Sample Letter Change of Ownership and Security Deposit Allocation).

F. SELLER REPRESENTATIONS: Unless otherwise disclosed, under **paragraph 11** of the Agreement or under any disclosure Delivered to Buyer:

- (1) Seller represents that Seller has no actual knowledge that any Tenant(s): **(i)** has any current pending lawsuit(s), investigation(s), Inquiry(ies), action(s), or other proceeding(s) affecting the Property of the right to use and occupy it; **(ii)** has any unsatisfied mechanics or materialman lien(s) affecting the Property; and **(iii)** is the subject of a bankruptcy. If Seller receives any such notice, prior to Close Of Escrow, Seller shall immediately notify Buyer.
- (2) Seller represents that no Tenant is entitled to any rebate, concessions, or other benefit, except as set forth in the rental service agreements.
- (3) Seller represents that the documents to be furnished are those maintained in the ordinary and normal course of business and the income and expense statements are and used by Seller in the computation of federal and state income tax returns.

By signing below Buyer and Seller acknowledge that each has read, understands, has received a copy of and agrees to the terms of this Tenant Occupied Property Addendum.

Buyer _____ Date _____
 Buyer _____ Date _____
 Seller _____ Date _____
 Seller _____ Date _____

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VACANT LAND PURCHASE AGREEMENT AND JOINT ESCROW INSTRUCTIONS

(C.A.R. FORM VLPA, Revised 6/24)

Date Prepared: _____

1. OFFER:

- A. **THIS IS AN OFFER FROM** _____ (“Buyer”).
Individual(s), A Corporation, A Partnership, An LLC, Other _____.
- B. **THE PROPERTY** to be acquired is _____, situated in _____ (City), _____ (County), California, _____ (Zip Code), Assessor’s Parcel No(s) _____ (“Property”).

Further Described As _____

(Postal/Mailing address may be different from city jurisdiction. Buyer is advised to investigate.)

C. THE TERMS OF THE PURCHASE ARE SPECIFIED BELOW AND ON THE FOLLOWING PAGES.

D. Buyer and Seller are referred to herein as the “Parties.” Brokers and Agents are **not** Parties to this Agreement.

2. AGENCY:

A. DISCLOSURE: The Parties each acknowledge receipt of a “Disclosure Regarding Real Estate Agency Relationships” (C.A.R. Form AD) if represented by a real estate licensee. Buyer’s Agent is not legally required to give to Seller’s Agent the AD form Signed by Buyer. Seller’s Agent is not legally obligated to give to Buyer’s Agent the AD form Signed by Seller.

B. CONFIRMATION: The following agency relationships are here confirmed for this transaction.

Seller’s Brokerage Firm _____ License Number _____

Is the broker of (check one): the Seller; or both the Buyer and Seller (Dual Agent).

Seller’s Agent _____ License Number _____

Is (check one): the Seller’s Agent (Salesperson or broker associate); or both the Buyer’s and Seller’s Agent (Dual Agent).

Buyer’s Brokerage Firm _____ License Number _____

Is the broker of (check one): the Buyer; or both the Buyer and Seller (Dual Agent).

Buyer’s Agent _____ License Number _____

Is (check one): the Buyer’s Agent (Salesperson or broker associate); or both the Buyer’s and Seller’s Agent (Dual Agent).

C. More than one Brokerage represents Seller, Buyer. See, Additional Broker Acknowledgement (C.A.R. Form ABA).

D. POTENTIALLY COMPETING BUYERS AND SELLERS: The Parties each acknowledge receipt of a “Possible Representation of More than One Buyer or Seller - Disclosure and Consent” (C.A.R. Form PRBS).

3. TERMS OF PURCHASE AND ALLOCATION OF COSTS: The items in this paragraph are contractual terms of the Agreement. Referenced paragraphs provide further explanation. This form is 17 pages. The Parties are advised to read all 17 pages.

	Paragraph #	Paragraph Title or Contract Term	Terms and Conditions	Additional Terms
A	5, 5B (cash)	Purchase Price	\$ _____	<input type="checkbox"/> All Cash
B		Close Of Escrow (COE)	____ Days after Acceptance OR on _____ (date) (mm/dd/yyyy)	
C	39A	Expiration of Offer	3 calendar days after all Buyer Signature(s) or _____ (date) at 5PM or _____ <input type="checkbox"/> AM/ <input type="checkbox"/> PM	
D(1)	5A(1)	Initial Deposit Amount	\$ _____ (____% of purchase price) (% number above is for calculation purposes and is not a contractual term)	within 3 (or _____) business days after Acceptance by wire transfer OR <input type="checkbox"/> _____
D(2)	5A(2)	<input type="checkbox"/> Increased Deposit (Money placed into escrow after the initial deposit. Use form DID at time increased deposit is made.)	\$ _____ (____% of purchase price) (% number above is for calculation purposes and is not a contractual term)	Upon removal of all contingencies OR <input type="checkbox"/> _____ (date) OR <input type="checkbox"/> _____
E(1)	5C(1)	Loan Amount(s): First Interest Rate Points	\$ _____ (____% of purchase price) Fixed rate or <input type="checkbox"/> Initial adjustable rate • not to exceed _____% • Buyer to pay up to _____ points to obtain rate above	Conventional or, if checked, <input type="checkbox"/> FHA (Forms FVAC/HID attached) <input type="checkbox"/> VA (Form FVAC) <input type="checkbox"/> Seller Financing <input type="checkbox"/> Assumed Financing <input type="checkbox"/> Subject To Financing <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____
E(2)	5C(2)	Additional Financed Amount Interest Rate Points	\$ _____ (____% of purchase price) Fixed rate or <input type="checkbox"/> Initial adjustable rate • not to exceed _____% • Buyer to pay up to _____ points to obtain rate above	Conventional or, if checked, <input type="checkbox"/> Seller Financing <input type="checkbox"/> Assumed Financing <input type="checkbox"/> Subject To Financing <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____
E(3)	7A	Intended Use	Investment OR <input type="checkbox"/> _____	
F	5D	Balance of Down Payment	\$ _____	
		PURCHASE PRICE TOTAL	\$ _____	



Property Address: _____

Date: _____

	Paragraph #	Paragraph Title or Contract Term	Terms and Conditions	Additional Terms
G(1)	5E	Seller Credit, if any, to Buyer	<input type="checkbox"/> \$ _____ (_____% of purchase price) (% number above is for calculation purposes and is not a contractual term)	Seller credit to be applied to closing costs OR <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____
G(2)	ADDITIONAL FINANCE TERMS: _____			
G(3)	21	<input type="checkbox"/> Seller agrees to pay the obligation of Buyer to compensate Buyer's Broker under a separate agreement (C.A.R. Form SPBB attached). Seller's Broker's offer, if any, to compensate Buyer's Broker is unaffected unless Otherwise Agreed.		
H(1)	5B	Verification of All Cash (sufficient funds)	Attached to the offer or <input type="checkbox"/> 3 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	
H(2)	6A	Verification of Down Payment and Closing Costs	Attached to the offer or <input type="checkbox"/> 3 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	
H(3)	6B	Verification of Loan Application	Attached to the offer or <input type="checkbox"/> 3 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	<input type="checkbox"/> Prequalification <input type="checkbox"/> Preapproval <input type="checkbox"/> Fully underwritten preapproval
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J	19	Final Verification of Condition	5 (or _____) Days prior to COE	
K	26	Assignment Request	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	
L	8	CONTINGENCIES	TIME TO REMOVE CONTINGENCIES	CONTINGENCY REMOVED
L(1)	8A	Loan(s)	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	<input type="checkbox"/> No loan contingency
L(2)	8B	Appraisal: Appraisal contingency based upon appraised value at a minimum of purchase price or <input type="checkbox"/> \$ _____	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	<input type="checkbox"/> No appraisal contingency Removal of appraisal contingency does not eliminate appraisal cancellation rights in FVAC.
L(3)	8C	<input type="checkbox"/> Purchase of Manufactured Home Buyer has (or <input type="checkbox"/> has not) entered into contract to purchase a personal property manufactured home	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance <input type="checkbox"/> Shall remain in effect until the Close Of Escrow of the Property	REMOVAL OR WAIVER OF CONTINGENCY: Any contingency in L(1)-L(10) may be removed or waived by checking the applicable box above or attaching a Contingency Removal (C.A.R. Form CR-B) and checking the applicable box therein. Removal or Waiver at time of offer is against Agent advice. See paragraph 8K. <input type="checkbox"/> CR-B attached
L(4)	8D	<input type="checkbox"/> Construction Loan Financing A draw from the construction loan will not (or <input type="checkbox"/> will) be used to finance the Property	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	
L(5)	8E, 15	Investigation of Property	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	
		Informational Access to Property	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance Buyer's right to access the Property for informational purposes only is NOT a contingency and does NOT create additional cancellation rights for Buyer.	
L(6)	8F	Insurance	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	
L(7)	8G, 17A	Review of Seller Documents	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance, or 5 Days after Delivery, whichever is later	
L(8)	8H, 16A	Preliminary ("Title") Report	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance or 5 Days after Delivery, whichever is later	
L(9)	8I, 11E	Common Interest Disclosures Per Civil Code § 4525 or this Agreement	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance or 5 Days after Delivery, whichever is later	
L(10)	8J, 9B(2)	Review of leased or liened items (E.g. solar panels or propane tanks)	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance, or 5 Days after Delivery, whichever is later	
L(11)	8M	Sale of Buyer's Property Sale of Buyer's property is not a contingency, UNLESS checked here: <input type="checkbox"/> C.A.R. Form COP attached		
		Possession	Time for Performance	Additional Terms
M	3R	Vacant Lot Delivery <input type="checkbox"/> Lease/tenant in place	Upon notice of recordation On COE Date	Property to be delivered subject to tenant rights, except _____
N		Documents/Fees/Compliance	Time for Performance	
N(1)	17A	Seller Delivery of Documents	7 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	
N(2)	22B	Sign and return Escrow Holder General Provisions, Supplemental Instructions	5 (or _____) Days after receipt	
N(3)	11E(2)	Time to pay fees for ordering HOA Documents	3 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	
N(4)	35	Evidence of representative authority	3 Days after Acceptance	



Property Address: _____ Date: _____

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P	Items Included and Excluded			
P(1)	9	Items Included - All items specified in Paragraph 9B are included and the following, if checked:		
		<input type="checkbox"/> _____.	<input type="checkbox"/> _____.	<input type="checkbox"/> _____.
P(2)	9	Excluded Items:		
		<input type="checkbox"/> _____;	<input type="checkbox"/> _____;	<input type="checkbox"/> _____;
Q	Allocation of Costs			
	Paragraph #	Item Description	Who Pays (if Both is checked, cost to be split equally unless Otherwise Agreed)	Additional Terms
Q(1)	11D	Natural Hazard Zone Disclosure Report, including tax information	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Environmental <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Provided by: _____
Q(2)	15B(1)(D)	Environmental Survey (Phase I)	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
Q(3)	10	Gov't Point of Sale Requirements Inspections and reports	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
Q(4)	22B	Escrow Fees	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Each to pay their own fees	Escrow Holder: _____
Q(5)	16	Owner's title insurance policy	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	Title Company (If different from Escrow Holder): _____
Q(6)		Buyer's Lender title insurance policy	Buyer	Unless Otherwise Agreed, Buyer shall purchase any title insurance policy insuring Buyer's lender.
Q(7)		County transfer tax, fees	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
Q(8)		City transfer tax, fees	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
Q(9)	11E(2)	HOA fee for preparing disclosures	Seller	
Q(10)		HOA certification fee	Buyer	
Q(11)		HOA transfer fees	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	Unless Otherwise Agreed, Seller shall pay for separate HOA move-out fee and Buyer shall pay for separate move-in fee. Applies if separately billed or itemized with cost in transfer fee.
Q(12)		Private transfer fees	Seller, or if checked, <input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
Q(13)		Optional Wildfire Disclosure Report	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	Provided by: _____
Q(14)A		_____ fees/costs/Reports	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
Q(14)B		_____ fees/costs/Reports	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
R	12, 13, 14	Additional Tenancy Documents: <input type="checkbox"/> Income and Expense Statements <input type="checkbox"/> Tenant Estoppel Certificate		
S	OTHER TERMS: _____			

4. **PROPERTY ADDENDA AND ADVISORIES:** (check all that apply)
- A. PROPERTY TYPE ADDENDA:** This Agreement is subject to the terms contained in the Addenda checked below:
- Probate Agreement Purchase Addendum (C.A.R. Form PA-PA)
 - Residential Units Purchase Addendum (C.A.R. Form RU-PA)
 - Other _____
- B. OTHER ADDENDA:** This Agreement is subject to the terms contained in the Addenda checked below:
- Addendum # _____ (C.A.R. Form ADM)
 - Short Sale Addendum (C.A.R. Form SSA)
 - Back Up Offer Addendum (C.A.R. Form BUO)
 - Court Confirmation Addendum (C.A.R. Form CCA)
 - Assumed Financing Addendum (C.A.R. Form AFA)
 - Septic, Well, Property Monument and Propane Addendum (C.A.R. Form SWPI)
 - Buyer Intent to Exchange Addendum (C.A.R. Form BXA)
 - Seller Intent to Exchange Addendum (C.A.R. Form SXA)
 - Other _____
 - Other _____



Property Address: _____ Date: _____

C. BUYER AND SELLER ADVISORIES: (Note: All Advisories below are provided for reference purposes only and are not intended to be incorporated into this Agreement.)

- Buyer's Vacant Land Additional Investigation Advisory (C.A.R. Form BVLIA)
- Fair Housing and Discrimination Advisory (C.A.R. Form FHDA)
- Wire Fraud Advisory (C.A.R. Form WFA)
- Cal. Consumer Privacy Act Advisory (C.A.R. Form CCPA)
- Wildfire Disaster Advisory (C.A.R. Form WFDA)
- Statewide Buyer and Seller Advisory (C.A.R. Form SBSA)
- Trust Advisory (C.A.R. Form TA)
- Short Sale Information and Advisory (C.A.R. Form SSIA)
- REO Advisory (C.A.R. Form REO)
- Probate Advisory (C.A.R. Form PA)
- Other: _____
- Other: _____

5. ADDITIONAL TERMS AFFECTING PURCHASE PRICE: Buyer represents that funds will be good when deposited with Escrow Holder.

A. DEPOSIT:

- (1) **INITIAL DEPOSIT:** Buyer shall deliver deposit directly to Escrow Holder. If a method other than wire transfer is specified in **paragraph 3D(1)** and such method is unacceptable to Escrow Holder, then upon notice from Escrow Holder, delivery shall be by wire transfer.
- (2) **INCREASED DEPOSIT:** Increased deposit to be delivered to Escrow Holder in the same manner as the Initial Deposit. If the Parties agree to liquidated damages in this Agreement, they also agree to incorporate the increased deposit into the liquidated damages amount by signing a new liquidated damages clause (C.A.R. Form DID) at the time the increased deposit is delivered to Escrow Holder.
- (3) **RETENTION OF DEPOSIT: Paragraph 36, if initialed by all Parties or otherwise incorporated into this Agreement, specifies a remedy for Buyer's default. Buyer and Seller are advised to consult with a qualified California real estate attorney: (i) Before adding any other clause specifying a remedy (such as release or forfeiture of deposit or making a deposit non-refundable) for failure of Buyer to complete the purchase. Any such clause shall be deemed invalid unless the clause independently satisfies the statutory liquidated damages requirements set forth in the Civil Code; and (ii) Regarding possible liability and remedies if Buyer fails to deliver the deposit.**

B. ALL CASH OFFER: If an all cash offer is specified in **paragraph 3A**, no loan is needed to purchase the Property. This Agreement is NOT contingent on Buyer obtaining a loan. Buyer shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3H(1)**, Deliver written verification of funds sufficient for the purchase price and closing costs.

C. LOAN(S):

- (1) **FIRST LOAN:** This loan will provide for conventional financing **UNLESS** FHA, VA, Seller Financing (C.A.R. Form SFA), Assumed Financing, Subject to Financing, or Other is checked in **paragraph 3E(1)**.
- (2) **ADDITIONAL FINANCED AMOUNT:** If an additional financed amount is specified in **paragraph 3E(2)**, that amount will provide for conventional financing **UNLESS** Seller Financing (C.A.R. Form SFA), Assumed Financing, Subject To Financing, or Other is checked in **paragraph 3E(2)**.
- (3) **BUYER'S LOAN STATUS:** Buyer authorizes Seller and Seller's Authorized Agent to contact Buyer's lender(s) to determine the status of any Buyer's loan specified in **paragraph 3E**, or any alternate loan Buyer pursues, whether or not a contingency of this Agreement. If the contact information for Buyer's lender(s) is different from that provided under the terms of **paragraph 6B**, Buyer shall Deliver the updated contact information within 1 Day of Seller's request.
- (4) **ASSUMED OR SUBJECT TO FINANCING:** Seller represents that Seller is not delinquent on any payments due on any loans. If the Property is acquired subject to an existing loan, Buyer and Seller are advised to consult with legal counsel regarding the ability of an existing lender to call the loan due, and the consequences thereof.

D. BALANCE OF PURCHASE PRICE (DOWN PAYMENT) (including all-cash funds) to be deposited with Escrow Holder pursuant to Escrow Holder instructions.

E. LIMITS ON CREDITS TO BUYER: Any credit to Buyer, from any source, for closing or other costs that is agreed to by the Parties ("Contractual Credit") shall be disclosed to Buyer's lender, if any, and made at Close Of Escrow. If the total credit allowed by Buyer's lender ("Lender Allowable Credit") is less than the Contractual Credit, then (i) the Contractual Credit from Seller shall be reduced to the Lender Allowable Credit, and (ii) in the absence of a separate written agreement between the Parties, there shall be no automatic adjustment to the purchase price to make up for the difference between the Contractual Credit and the Lender Allowable Credit.

6. ADDITIONAL FINANCING TERMS:

A. VERIFICATION OF DOWN PAYMENT AND CLOSING COSTS: Written verification of Buyer's down payment and closing costs may be made by Buyer or Buyer's lender or loan broker pursuant to **paragraph 6B**.

B. VERIFICATION OF LOAN APPLICATIONS: Buyer shall Deliver to Seller, within the time specified in **paragraph 3H(3)** a letter from Buyer's lender or loan broker stating that, based on a review of Buyer's written application and credit report, Buyer is prequalified or preapproved for any NEW loan specified in **paragraph 3E**. If any loan specified in **paragraph 3E** is an adjustable rate loan, the prequalification or preapproval letter shall be based on the qualifying rate, not the initial loan rate.

C. BUYER STATED FINANCING: Seller is relying on Buyer's representation of the type of financing specified (including, but not limited to, as applicable, all cash, amount of down payment, or contingent or non-contingent loan). Seller has agreed to a specific closing date, purchase price, and to sell to Buyer in reliance on Buyer's specified financing. Buyer shall pursue the financing specified in this Agreement, even if Buyer also elects to pursue an alternative form of financing. Seller has no obligation to cooperate with Buyer's efforts to obtain any financing other than that specified in this Agreement but shall not interfere with closing at the purchase price on the COE date (**paragraph 3B**) even if based upon alternate financing. Buyer's inability to obtain alternate financing does not excuse Buyer from the obligation to purchase the Property and close escrow as specified in this Agreement.

7. CLOSING AND POSSESSION:

A. OCCUPANCY: Buyer intends to occupy the Property as indicated in **paragraph 3E(3)**. Occupancy may impact available financing.

B. CONDITION OF PROPERTY ON CLOSING: Unless Otherwise Agreed: (i) the Property shall be delivered "As-Is" in its PRESENT physical condition as of the date of Acceptance; (ii) the Property, including pool, spa, landscaping and grounds, is to be maintained in substantially the same condition as on the date of Acceptance; and (iii) all debris and personal property not included in the sale shall be removed by Close Of Escrow or at the time possession is delivered to Buyer, if not on the same date. If items are not removed when possession is delivered to Buyer, all items shall be deemed abandoned. Buyer, after first Delivering to Seller written notice to remove the items within **3 Days**, may pay to have such items removed or disposed of and may bring legal action, as per this Agreement, to receive reasonable costs from Seller.



- C. Buyer is strongly advised to conduct investigations of the entire Property in order to determine its present condition. Seller and Agents may not be aware of all defects affecting the Property or other factors that Buyer considers important. Property improvements may not be built according to code, in compliance with current Law, or have had all required permits issued and/or finalized.**
- D. Seller shall, on Close Of Escrow unless Otherwise Agreed and even if Seller remains in possession, provide keys, passwords, codes and/or means to operate all locks, mailboxes, and all items included in either paragraph 3P or paragraph 9. If the Property is a condominium or located in a common interest development, Seller shall be responsible for securing or providing any such items for Association amenities, facilities, and access. Buyer may be required to pay a deposit to the Owners' Association ("HOA") to obtain keys to accessible HOA facilities.**

8. CONTINGENCIES AND REMOVAL OF CONTINGENCIES:

A. LOAN(S):

- (1) This Agreement is, **unless otherwise specified in paragraph 3L(1) or an attached CR form**, contingent upon Buyer obtaining the loan(s) specified. If contingent, Buyer shall act diligently and in good faith to obtain the designated loan(s). **If there is no appraisal contingency or the appraisal contingency has been waived or removed, then failure of the Property to appraise at the purchase price does not entitle Buyer to exercise the cancellation right pursuant to the loan contingency if Buyer is otherwise qualified for the specified loan and Buyer is able to satisfy lender's non-appraisal conditions for closing the loan.**
- (2) Buyer is advised to investigate the insurability of the Property as early as possible, as this may be a requirement for lending. Buyer's ability to obtain insurance for the Property, including fire insurance, is part of Buyer's **Insurance** contingency. Failure of Buyer to obtain insurance may justify cancellation based on the **Insurance** contingency but not the loan contingency.
- (3) Buyer's contractual obligations regarding deposit, balance of down payment and closing costs **are not contingencies** of this Agreement, unless Otherwise Agreed.
- (4) If there is an appraisal contingency, removal of the loan contingency shall not be deemed removal of the appraisal contingency.
- (5) **NO LOAN CONTINGENCY:** If "No loan contingency" is checked in **paragraph 3L(1)**, obtaining any loan specified is NOT a contingency of this Agreement. If Buyer does not obtain the loan specified, and as a result is unable to purchase the Property, Seller may be entitled to Buyer's deposit or other legal remedies.

B. APPRAISAL:

- (1) This Agreement is, **unless otherwise specified in paragraph 3L(2) or an attached CR form**, contingent upon a written appraisal of the Property by a licensed or certified appraiser at no less than the amount specified in **paragraph 3L(2)**, without requiring repairs or improvements to the Property. Appraisals are often a reliable source to verify square footage of the subject Property. However, the ability to cancel based on the measurements provided in an appraisal falls within the Investigation of Property contingency. The appraisal contingency is solely limited to the value determined by the appraisal. For any cancellation based upon this appraisal contingency, Buyer shall Deliver a Copy of the written appraisal to Seller, upon request by Seller.
- (2) **NO APPRAISAL CONTINGENCY:** If "No appraisal contingency" is checked in **paragraph 3L(2)**, then Buyer may not use the loan contingency specified in **paragraph 3L(1)** to cancel this Agreement if the sole reason for not obtaining the loan is that the appraisal relied upon by Buyer's lender values the property at an amount less than that specified in **paragraph 3L(2)**. If Buyer is unable to obtain the loan specified solely for this reason, Seller may be entitled to Buyer's deposit or other legal remedies.
- (3) **Fair Appraisal Act: See paragraph 38 for additional information.**

C. MANUFACTURED HOME PURCHASE: If checked in **paragraph 3L(3)**, this Agreement is contingent upon Buyer acquiring a personal property manufactured home to be placed on the Property after Close Of Escrow.

D. CONSTRUCTION LOAN FINANCING: If checked in **paragraph 3L(4)**, this Agreement is contingent upon Buyer obtaining a construction loan.

E. INVESTIGATION OF PROPERTY: This Agreement is, as specified in **paragraph 3L(5)**, contingent upon Buyer's acceptance of the condition of, and any other matter affecting, the Property.

F. INSURANCE: This Agreement is, as specified in **paragraph 3L(6)**, contingent upon Buyer's assessment of the availability and approval of the cost for any insurance policy desired under this Agreement.

G. REVIEW OF SELLER DOCUMENTS: This Agreement is, as specified in **paragraph 3L(7)**, contingent upon Buyer's review and approval of Seller's documents required in **paragraph 17A**.

H. TITLE:

- (1) This Agreement is, as specified in **paragraph 3L(8)**, contingent upon Buyer's ability to obtain the title policy provided for in **paragraph 16G** and on Buyer's review of a current Preliminary Report and items that are disclosed or observable even if not on record or not specified in the Preliminary Report, and satisfying Buyer regarding the current status of title. Buyer is advised to review all underlying documents and other matters affecting title, including, but not limited to, any documents or deeds referenced in the Preliminary Report and any plotted easements.
- (2) Buyer has **5 Days** after receipt to review a revised Preliminary Report, if any, furnished by the Title Company and cancel the transaction if the revised Preliminary Report reveals material or substantial deviations from a previously provided Preliminary Report.

I. CONDOMINIUM/PLANNED DEVELOPMENT DISCLOSURES (IF APPLICABLE): This Agreement is, as specified in **paragraph 3L(9)**, contingent upon Buyer's review and approval of Common Interest Disclosures required by Civil Code § 4525 and under **paragraph 11I** ("CI Disclosures").

J. BUYER REVIEW OF LEASED OR LIENED ITEMS CONTINGENCY: Buyer's review of and ability and willingness to assume any lease, maintenance agreement or other ongoing financial obligation, or to accept the Property subject to any lien, disclosed pursuant to **paragraph 9B(2)**, is, as specified in **paragraph 3L(10)**, a contingency of this Agreement. Any assumption of the lease shall not require any financial obligation or contribution by Seller. Seller, after first Delivering a Notice to Buyer to Perform, may cancel this Agreement if Buyer, by the time specified in **paragraph 3L(10)**, refuses to enter into any necessary written agreements to accept responsibility for all obligations of Seller-disclosed leased or lienied items.

K. REMOVAL OR WAIVER OF CONTINGENCIES WITH OFFER: Buyer shall have no obligation to remove a contractual contingency unless Seller has provided all required documents, reports, disclosures, and information pertaining to that contingency. If Buyer does remove a contingency without first receiving all required information from Seller, Buyer is relinquishing any contractual rights that apply to that contingency. **If Buyer removes or waives any contingencies without an adequate understanding of the Property's condition or Buyer's ability to purchase, Buyer is acting against the advice of Agent.**



L. REMOVAL OF CONTINGENCY OR CANCELLATION:

- (1) For any contingency specified in paragraph 3L, 8, or elsewhere Buyer shall, within the applicable period specified, remove the contingency or cancel this Agreement.
- (2) For the contingencies for review of Seller Documents, Preliminary Report, and Condominium/Planned Development Disclosures, Buyer shall, within the time specified in paragraph 3L or 5 Days after Delivery of the applicable Seller Documents, Preliminary Report, or CI Disclosures, whichever occurs later, remove the applicable contingency in writing or cancel this Agreement.
- (3) If Buyer does not remove a contingency within the time specified, Seller, after first giving Buyer a Notice to Buyer to Perform (C.A.R. Form NBP), shall have the right to cancel this Agreement.

M. SALE OF BUYER'S PROPERTY: This Agreement and Buyer's ability to obtain financing are NOT contingent upon the sale of any property owned by Buyer unless the Sale of Buyer's Property (C.A.R. Form COP) is checked as a contingency of this Agreement in paragraph 3L(11).

9. ITEMS INCLUDED IN AND EXCLUDED FROM SALE:

A. NOTE TO BUYER AND SELLER: Items listed as included or excluded in the Multiple Listing Service (MLS), flyers, marketing materials, or disclosures are NOT included in the purchase price or excluded from the sale unless specified in this paragraph or paragraph 3P or as Otherwise Agreed. Any items included herein are components of the Property and are not intended to affect the price. All items are transferred without Seller warranty.

B. ITEMS INCLUDED IN SALE:

- (1) All EXISTING fixtures and fittings that are attached to the Property;
- (2) **LEASED OR LIENED ITEMS AND SYSTEMS:** Seller, within the time specified in paragraph 3N(1), shall (i) disclose to Buyer if any item or system specified in paragraph 3P or 9B or otherwise included in the sale is leased, or not owned by Seller, or is subject to any maintenance or other ongoing financial obligation, or specifically subject to a lien or other encumbrance or loan, and (ii) Deliver to Buyer all written materials (such as lease, warranty, financing, etc.) concerning any such item.
- (3) Seller represents that all items included in the purchase price, unless Otherwise Agreed, (i) are owned by Seller and shall be transferred free and clear of liens and encumbrances, except the items and systems identified pursuant to paragraph 9B(2), and (ii) are transferred without Seller warranty regardless of value. Seller shall cooperate with the identification of any software or applications and Buyer's efforts to transfer any services needed to operate any Smart Home Features or other items included in this Agreement, including, but not limited to, utilities or security systems.
- (4) A complete inventory of all personal property of Seller currently used in the operation of the Property and included in the purchase price shall be delivered to Buyer within the time specified in paragraph 3N(1).
- (5) Seller shall deliver title to the personal property by Bill of Sale, free of all liens and encumbrances, and without warranty of condition.
- (6) As additional security for any note in favor of Seller for any part of the purchase price, Buyer shall execute a UCC-1 Financing Statement to be filed with the Secretary of State, covering the personal property included in the purchase, replacement thereof, and insurance proceeds.

C. ITEMS EXCLUDED FROM SALE: Unless Otherwise Agreed, all items specified in paragraph 3P(2) are excluded from the sale.

10. ALLOCATION OF COSTS

A. INSPECTIONS, REPORTS, TESTS, AND CERTIFICATES: Paragraphs 3Q(1-3), (5) and (13-14) only determines who is to pay for the inspection, report, test, certificate or service mentioned; it does not determine who is to pay for any work recommended or identified in any such document. Agreements for payment of required work should be specified elsewhere in paragraph 3Q, or 3S, or in a separate agreement (such as C.A.R. Forms RR, RRRR, ADM or AEA). Any reports in these paragraphs shall be Delivered in the time specified in Paragraph 3N(1).

B. GOVERNMENT POINT OF SALE REQUIREMENTS: Point of sale inspections and reports refer to any such actions required to be completed before or after Close Of Escrow that are required in order to close under any Law. If any point of sale requirement requires repairs, retrofits or additional costs beyond an inspection or report, further written agreement regarding costs is required. If an agreement is reached, and unless Parties Otherwise Agree to another time period, any such repair, retrofit, or work shall be completed prior to final verification of Property. If Buyer agrees to pay for any portion of such repair, Buyer, shall (i) directly pay to the vendor completing the repair or (ii) provide an invoice to Escrow Holder, deposit funds into escrow sufficient to pay for Buyer's portion of such repair and request Escrow Holder pay the vendor completing the repair. If agreement is not reached within the time for removing the Buyer Investigation contingency, then either party may cancel the Agreement.

11. SELLER DISCLOSURES:

A. WITHHOLDING TAXES: Buyer and Seller hereby instruct Escrow Holder to withhold the applicable required amounts to comply with federal and California withholding Laws and forward such amounts to the Internal Revenue Service and Franchise Tax Board, respectively. However, no federal withholding is required if, prior to Close Of Escrow, Seller Delivers (i) to Buyer and Escrow Holder a fully completed affidavit (C.A.R. Form AS) sufficient to avoid withholding pursuant to federal withholding Law (FIRPTA); OR (ii) to a qualified substitute (usually a title company or an independent escrow company) a fully completed affidavit (C.A.R. Form AS) sufficient to avoid withholding pursuant to federal withholding Law AND the qualified substitute Delivers to Buyer and Escrow Holder an affidavit signed under penalty of perjury (C.A.R. Form QS) that the qualified substitute has received the fully completed Seller's affidavit and the Seller states that no federal withholding is required; OR (iii) to Buyer other documentation satisfying the requirements under Internal Revenue Code § 1445 (FIRPTA). No withholding is required under California Law if, prior to Close Of Escrow, Escrow Holder has received sufficient documentation from Seller that no withholding is required, and Buyer has been informed by Escrow Holder.

B. MEGAN'S LAW DATABASE DISCLOSURE: Notice: Pursuant to § 290.46 of the Penal Code, information about specified registered sex offenders is made available to the public via an Internet Web site maintained by the Department of Justice at www.meganslaw.ca.gov. Depending on an offender's criminal history, this information will include either the address at which the offender resides or the community of residence and ZIP Code in which he or she resides. (Neither Seller nor Agent are required to check this website. If Buyer wants further information, Agent recommends that Buyer obtain information from this website during Buyer's investigation contingency period. Agents do not have expertise in this area.)



Property Address: _____

Date: _____

- C. NOTICE REGARDING GAS AND HAZARDOUS LIQUID TRANSMISSION PIPELINES:** This notice is being provided simply to inform you that information about the general location of gas and hazardous liquid transmission pipelines is available to the public via the National Pipeline Mapping System (NPMS) Internet Web site maintained by the United States Department of Transportation at <http://www.npms.phmsa.dot.gov/>. To seek further information about possible transmission pipelines near the Property, you may contact your local gas utility or other pipeline operators in the area. Contact information for pipeline operators is searchable by ZIP Code and county on the NPMS Internet Website. (Neither Seller nor Agent are required to check this website. If Buyer wants further information, Agent recommends that Buyer obtain information from this website during Buyer's investigation contingency period. Agents do not have expertise in this area.)
- D. NATURAL AND ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS:** Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, if required by Law: **(i)** Deliver to Buyer the earthquake guide and environmental hazards booklet, and for all residential property with 1-4 units and any manufactured or mobile home built before January 1, 1960, fully complete and Deliver the Residential Earthquake Risk Disclosure Statement; and **(ii)** even if exempt from the obligation to provide a NHD, disclose if the Property is located in a Special Flood Hazard Area; Potential Flooding (Inundation) Area; Very High Fire Hazard Zone; State Fire Responsibility Area; Earthquake Fault Zone; Seismic Hazard Zone; and **(iii)** disclose any other zone as required by Law and provide any other information required for those zones.
- E. CONDOMINIUM/PLANNED DEVELOPMENT DISCLOSURES:**
 - (1)** Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, disclose to Buyer whether the Property is a condominium or is located in a planned development, other common interest development, or otherwise subject to covenants, conditions, and restrictions (C.A.R. Form SPQ or ESD).
 - (2)** If the Property is a condominium or is located in a planned development or other common interest development with a HOA, Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(3)**, order from, and pay any required fee for the following items to the HOA (C.A.R. Form HOA-IR): **(i)** Copies of any documents required by Law (C.A.R. Form HOA-RS); **(ii)** disclosure of any pending or anticipated claim or litigation by or against the HOA; **(iii)** a statement containing the location and number of designated parking and storage spaces; **(iv)** Copies of the most recent 12 months of HOA minutes for regular and special meetings; **(v)** the names and contact information of all HOAs governing the Property; **(vi)** pet restrictions; and **(vii)** smoking restrictions ("CI Disclosures"). Seller shall itemize and Deliver to Buyer all CI Disclosures received from the HOA and any CI Disclosures in Seller's possession. Seller shall, as directed by Escrow Holder, deposit funds into escrow or direct to HOA or management company to pay for any of the above.
- F. SOLAR POWER SYSTEMS:** For properties with any solar panels or solar power systems, Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, Deliver to Buyer all known information about the solar panels or solar power system. Seller **shall** use the Solar Advisory and Questionnaire (C.A.R. Form SOLAR).
- G. ADDITIONAL DISCLOSURES:** Within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, if Seller has actual knowledge, Seller shall provide to Buyer, in writing, the following information:
 - (1) LEGAL PROCEEDINGS:** Any lawsuits by or against Seller, threatening or affecting the Property, including any lawsuits alleging a defect or deficiency in the Property or common areas, or any known notices of abatement or citations filed or issued against the Property.
 - (2) AGRICULTURAL USE:** Whether the Property is subject to restrictions for agricultural use pursuant to the Williamson Act (Government Code §§ 51200-51295).
 - (3) DEED RESTRICTIONS:** Any deed restrictions or obligations.
 - (4) FARM USE:** Whether the Property is in, or adjacent to, an area with Right to Farm rights (Civil Code § 3482.5 and § 3482.6).
 - (5) ENDANGERED SPECIES:** Presence of endangered, threatened, "candidate" species, or wetlands on the Property.
 - (6) ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS:** Any substances, materials, or products that may be an environmental hazard including, but not limited to, asbestos, formaldehyde, radon gas, lead-based paint, fuel or chemical storage tanks, and contaminated soil or water on the Property.
 - (7) COMMON WALLS:** Any features of the Property shared in common with adjoining landowners, such as walls, fences, roads, and driveways, and agriculture and domestic wells whose use or responsibility for maintenance may have an effect on the Property.
 - (8) LANDLOCKED:** The absence of legal or physical access to the Property.
 - (9) EASEMENTS/ENCROACHMENTS:** Any encroachments, easements, or similar matters that may affect the Property.
 - (10) SOIL FILL:** Any fill (compacted or otherwise), or abandoned mining operations on the Property.
 - (11) SOIL PROBLEMS:** Any slippage, sliding, flooding, drainage, grading, or other soil problems.
 - (12) EARTHQUAKE DAMAGE:** Major damage to the Property of any of the structures from fire, earthquake, floods, or landslides.
 - (13) ZONING ISSUES:** Any zoning violations, non-conforming uses, or violations of "setback" requirements.
 - (14) NEIGHBORHOOD PROBLEMS:** Any neighborhood noise problems, or other nuisances.
 - (15) SURVEY, PLANS, PERMITS AND ENGINEERING DOCUMENTS:** If in Seller's possession, Copies of surveys, plans, specifications, permits and approvals, development plans, licenses, and engineering documents, if any, prepared on Seller's behalf on in Seller's possession.
 - (16) VIOLATION NOTICES:** Seller shall disclose any notice of violations of any Law filed or issued against the Property.
- H. MELLO-ROOS TAX; 1915 BOND ACT:** Within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, Seller shall: **(i)** make a good faith effort to obtain a notice from any local agencies that levy a special tax or assessment on the Property (or, if allowed, substantially equivalent notice), pursuant to the Mello-Roos Community Facilities Act, and Improvement Bond Act of 1915, and **(ii)** promptly Deliver to Buyer any such notice obtained.
- I. KNOWN MATERIAL FACTS:** Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, DISCLOSE KNOWN MATERIAL FACTS AND DEFECTS affecting the Property, including, but not limited to, known insurance claims within the past five years, or provide Buyer with permission to contact insurer to get such information (C.A.R. Form ARC), and make any and all other disclosures required by Law.
- J. SELLER VACANT LAND QUESTIONNAIRE:** Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, complete and provide Buyer with a Seller Vacant Land Questionnaire (C.A.R. Form VLQ).
- K. SUBSEQUENT DISCLOSURES:** In the event Seller, prior to Close Of Escrow, becomes aware of adverse conditions materially affecting the Property, or any material inaccuracy in disclosures, information, or representations previously provided to Buyer, Seller shall promptly Deliver a subsequent or amended disclosure or notice, in writing, covering those items. **However, a subsequent or amended disclosure shall not be required for conditions and material inaccuracies of which Buyer is otherwise aware or which are disclosed in reports provided to or obtained by Buyer or ordered and paid for by Buyer.**



- 12. TENANCY RELATED DISCLOSURES:** Within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, and subject to Buyer's right of review, Seller shall disclose, make available or Deliver, as applicable, to Buyer, the following information:
- A. RENTAL/SERVICE AGREEMENTS:** (i) All current leases, rental agreements, service contracts, and other agreements pertaining to the operation of the Property; (ii) A rental statement including names of tenants, rental rates, period or rental, date of last rent increase, security deposits, rental concessions, rebates or other benefits, if any, and a list of delinquent rents and their duration. Seller represents that no tenant is entitled to any rebate, concession, or other benefit, except as set forth in these documents. Seller represents that the documents to be furnished are those maintained in the ordinary and normal course of business.
- B. INCOME AND EXPENSE STATEMENTS:** If checked in **paragraph 3R**, the books and records for the Property, if any, including a statement of income and expense for the 12 months preceding Acceptance. Seller represents that the books and records are those maintained in the ordinary and normal course of business and used by Seller in the computation of federal and state income tax returns.
- C. TENANT ESTOPPEL CERTIFICATES:** If checked in **paragraph 3R**, Tenant Estoppel Certificates (C.A.R. Form TEC). Tenant Estoppel Certificates shall be completed by Seller or Seller's agent and delivered to tenant(s) for tenant(s) to sign and acknowledge: (i) that tenant(s)' rental or lease agreements are unmodified and in full force and effect, (or if modified, stating all such modifications); (ii) that no lessor defaults exist; and (iii) stating the amount of any prepaid rent or security deposit. Seller shall exercise good faith to obtain tenant(s)' signature(s), but Seller cannot guarantee tenant(s)' cooperation. In the event Seller cannot obtain signed Tenant Estoppel Certificates within the time specified above, Seller shall notify Buyer and provide the unsigned one that was provided to tenant(s). If, after the time specified for Seller to Deliver the TEC to Buyer, any tenant(s) sign and return a TEC to Seller, Seller shall Deliver that TEC to Buyer.
- D. SELLER REPRESENTATIONS:** Unless otherwise disclosed under **paragraph 11**, **paragraph 12**, or under any disclosure Delivered to Buyer:
- (1) Seller represents that Seller has no actual knowledge that any tenant(s): (i) has any current pending lawsuit(s), investigation(s), Inquiry(ies), action(s), or other proceeding(s) affecting the Property of the right to use and occupy it; (ii) has any unsatisfied mechanics or materialman lien(s) affecting the Property; and (iii) is the subject of a bankruptcy. If Seller receives any such notice, prior to Close Of Escrow, Seller shall immediately notify Buyer.
 - (2) Seller represents that no tenant is entitled to any rebate, concessions, or other benefit, except as set forth in the rental service agreements.
 - (3) Seller represents that the documents to be furnished are those maintained in the ordinary and normal course of business and the income and expense statements are and used by Seller in the computation of federal and state income tax returns.
- 13. CHANGES DURING ESCROW:**
- A.** Prior to Close Of Escrow, Seller may engage in the following acts ("Proposed Changes"), subject to Buyer's rights in **paragraph 13B**: (i) rent or lease any vacant unit or other part of the premises; (ii) alter, modify, or extend any existing rental or lease agreement; (iii) enter into, alter, modify, or extend any service contract(s); or (iv) change the status of the condition of the Property.
- B.** (1) At least **7 Days** prior to any Proposed Changes, Seller shall Deliver written notice to Buyer of such Proposed Change
(2) Within **5 Days** after receipt of such notice, Buyer, in writing, may give Seller notice of Buyer's objection to the Proposed Changes in which case Seller shall not make the Proposed Changes.
- 14. SECURITY DEPOSITS:** Security deposits, if any, to the extent they have not been applied by Seller in accordance with any rental agreement and current Law, shall be transferred to Buyer on Close Of Escrow. Seller shall notify each tenant, in compliance with the California Civil Code.
- 15. BUYER'S INVESTIGATION OF PROPERTY AND MATTERS AFFECTING PROPERTY:**
- A.** Buyer shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3L(5)**, have the right, at Buyer's expense unless Otherwise Agreed, to conduct inspections, investigations, tests, surveys and other studies ("Buyer Investigations").
- B.** Buyer Investigations include, but are not limited to:
- (1) Inspections regarding any physical attributes of the Property or items connected to the Property, such as:
 - (A) A general inspection.
 - (B) An inspection for lead-based paint and other lead-based paint hazards.
 - (C) An inspection specifically for wood destroying pests and organisms. Any inspection for wood destroying pests and organisms shall be prepared by a registered Structural Pest Control company; shall cover the main building and attached structures; may cover detached structures; shall NOT include water tests of shower pans on upper level units unless the owners of property below the shower consent; shall NOT include roof coverings; and, if the Property is a unit in a condominium or other common interest subdivision, the inspection shall include only the separate interest and any exclusive-use areas being transferred, and shall NOT include common areas; and shall include a report ("Pest Control Report") showing the findings of the company which shall be separated into sections for evident infestation or infections (Section 1) and for conditions likely to lead to infestation or infection (Section 2).
 - (D) A phase one environmental survey, paid for and obtained by the party indicated in **paragraph 3Q(2)**. If Buyer is responsible for obtaining and paying for the survey, Buyer shall act diligently and in good faith to obtain such survey within the time specified in **paragraph 3L(5)**. Buyer has **5 Days** after receiving the survey to remove this portion of the Buyer's Investigation contingency.
 - (E) Any other specific inspections of the physical condition of the land and improvements.
 - (2) Buyer Investigations of any other matter affecting the Property, other than those that are specified as separate contingencies. Buyer Investigations **do not** include, **among other things**, an **assessment** of the availability and cost of general homeowner's insurance, flood insurance, and fire insurance. See, Buyer's Vacant Land Additional Inspection Advisory (C.A.R. Form BVLIA) for more.
- C.** Without Seller's prior written consent, Buyer shall neither make nor cause to be made: (i) invasive or destructive Buyer Investigations, except for minimally invasive testing required to prepare a Pest Control Report, which shall not include any holes or drilling through stucco or similar material; or (ii) inspections by any governmental building or zoning inspector or government employee, unless required by Law.
- D.** Seller shall make the Property available for all Buyer Investigations. Seller is not obligated to move any existing personal property. Seller shall have water, gas, electricity and all operable pilot lights on for Buyer's Investigations and through the date possession is delivered to Buyer. Buyer shall, (i) by the time specified in **paragraph 3L(5)**, complete Buyer Investigations and satisfy themselves as to the condition of the Property, and either remove the contingency or cancel this Agreement, and (ii) by the time specified in **paragraph 3L(5)** or **3 Days** after receipt of any Investigation report, whichever is later, give Seller at no cost, complete Copies of all such reports obtained by Buyer, which obligation shall survive the termination of this Agreement. This Delivery of Investigation reports shall not include any appraisal, except an appraisal received in connection with an FHA or VA loan.

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- E. Buyer indemnity and Seller protection for entry upon the Property:** Buyer shall: (i) keep the Property free and clear of liens; (ii) repair all damage arising from Buyer Investigations; and (iii) indemnify and hold Seller harmless from all resulting liability, claims, demands, damages and costs. Buyer shall carry, or Buyer shall require anyone acting on Buyer's behalf to carry, policies of liability, workers' compensation and other applicable insurance, defending and protecting Seller from liability for any injuries to persons or property occurring during any Buyer Investigations or work done on the Property at Buyer's direction prior to Close Of Escrow. Seller is advised that certain protections may be afforded Seller by recording a "Notice of Non-Responsibility" (C.A.R. Form NNR) for Buyer Investigations and work done on the Property at Buyer's direction. Buyer's obligations under this paragraph shall survive the termination of this Agreement.
 - F. BUYER IS STRONGLY ADVISED TO INVESTIGATE THE CONDITION AND SUITABILITY OF ALL APSECTS OF THE PROPERTY AND ALL MATTERS AFFECTING THE VALUE OR DESIREABILITY OF THE PROPERTY, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO, THE ITEMS SPECIFIED BELOW. IF BUYER DOES NOT EXERCISE THESE RIGHTS, BUYER IS ACTING AGAINST THE ADVICE OF BROKERS. BUYER UNDERSTANDS THAT ALTHOUGH CONDITIONS ARE OFTEN DIFFICULT TO LOCATE AND DISCOVER, ALL REAL PROPERTY CONTAINS CONDITIONS THAT ARE NOT READILY APPARENT AND THAT MAY AFFECT THE VALUE OR DESIRABILITY OF THE PROPERTY. BUYER AND SELLER ARE AWARE THAT BROKREES DO NOT GUARANTEE, AND IN NO WAY ASSUME RESPONSIBILITY FOR, THE CONDITION OF THE PROPERTY. BROKERS HAVE NOT AND WILL NOT VERIFY ANY OF THE ITEMS IN PARAGRAPH 15, UNLESS OTHERWISE AGREED IN WRITING.**
 - G. SIZE, LINES, ACCESS, AND BOUNDARIES:** Lot size, property lines, legal or physical access, and boundaries including features of the Property shared in common with adjoining landowners, such as walls, fences, roads, and driveways, whose use or responsibility for maintenance may have an effect on the Property and any encroachments, easements, or similar matters that may affect the Property. (Fences, hedges, walls, and other natural or constructed barriers or markers do not necessarily identify true Property boundaries. Property lines may be verified by survey.) (Unless otherwise specified in writing, any numerical statements by Brokers regarding lot size are APPROXIMATIONS ONLY, which have not been and will not be verified, and should not be relied upon by Buyer.)
 - H. ZONING AND LAND USE:** Past, present, or proposed laws, ordinances, referendums, initiatives, votes, applications, and permits affecting the current use of the Property, future development, zoning, building, size, governmental permits and inspections. Any zoning violations, non-conforming uses, or violations of "setback" requirements. (Buyer should also investigate whether these matters affect Buyer's intended use of the Property.)
 - I. UTILITIES AND SERVICES:** Availability, costs, restrictions, and location of utilities and services, including but not limited to, sewerage, sanitation, septic and leach lines, water, electricity, gas, telephone, cable TV, and drainage.
 - J. ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS:** Potential environmental hazards, including but not limited to, asbestos, lead-based paint and other lead contamination, radon, methane, other gases, fuel, oil or chemical storage tanks, contaminated soil or water, hazardous waste, waste disposal sites, electromagnetic fields, nuclear sources, and other substances, including mold (airborne, toxic, or otherwise), fungus or similar contaminant, materials, products, or conditions.
 - K. GEOLOGIC CONDITIONS:** Geologic/seismic conditions, soil and terrain stability, suitability and drainage including slippage, sliding, flooding, drainage, grading, fill (compacted or otherwise), or other soil problems.
 - L. NATURAL HAZARD ZONE:** Special Flood Hazard Areas, Potential Flooding (Inundation) Areas, Very High Hazard Zones, State Fire Responsibility Areas, Earthquake Fault Zones, Seismic Hazard Zones, or any other zone for which disclosure is required by Law.
 - M. PROPERTY DAMAGE:** Major damage to the Property of any of the structures or non-structural systems and components and any personal property included in the sale from fire, earthquake, floods, landslides, or other causes.
 - N. NEIGHBORHOOD, AREA, AND PROPERTY CONDITIONS:** Neighborhood or are conditions, including Agricultural Use Restrictions pursuant to the Williamson Act (Government Code §§ 51200-51295), Right to Farm Laws (Civil Code § 3482.5 and § 3482.6), schools, proximity and adequacy of law enforcement, crime statistics, the proximity of registered felons or offenders, fire protection, other government services, availability, adequacy, and cost of any speed-wired, wireless internet connections, or other telecommunications or other technology services and installations, proximity to commercial, industrial, or agricultural activities, existing and proposed transportation, construction and development that may affect noise, view, or traffic, airport noise, noise or odor from any source, abandoned mining operations on the Property, wild and domestic animals, other nuisances, hazards, or circumstances, protected species, wetland properties, botanical diseases, historic or other governmentally protected sites or improvements, cemeteries, facilities and condition of common areas of common interest subdivisions, and possible lack of compliance with any governing documents or Owners' Association requirements, conditions, and influences of significance to certain cultures and/or religions, and personal needs, requirements, and preferences of Buyer.
 - O. COMMON INTEREST SUBDIVISIONS; OWNER ASSOCIATIONS:** Facilities and condition of common areas (facilities such as pools, tennis courts, walkways, or other areas co-owned in undivided interest with others), Owners' Association that has any authority over the subject property, CC&Rs, or other deed restrictions or obligations, and possible lack of compliance with any Owners' Association requirements.
 - P. SPECIAL TAX:** Any local agencies that levy a special tax on the Property pursuant to the Mello-Roos Community facilities Act or Improvement Bond At of 1915.
 - Q. RENTAL PROPERTY RESTRICTIONS:** Some cities and counties impose restrictions that limit the amount of rent that can be charged, the maximum number of occupants, and the right of landlord to terminate a tenancy.
 - R. MANUFACTURED HOME PLACEMENT:** Conditions that may affect the ability to place and use a manufactured home on the Property.
- 16. TITLE AND VESTING:**
- A.** Buyer shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, be provided a current Preliminary Report by the person responsible for paying for the title report in **paragraph 3Q(5)**. If Buyer is responsible for paying, Buyer shall act diligently and in good faith to obtain such Preliminary Report within the time specified. The Preliminary Report is only an offer by the title insurer to issue a policy of title insurance and may not contain every item affecting title. The company providing the Preliminary Report shall, prior to issuing a Preliminary Report, conduct a search of the General Index for all Sellers except banks or other institutional lenders selling properties they acquired through foreclosure (REOs), corporations, and government entities.
 - B.** Title is taken in its present condition subject to all encumbrances, easements, covenants, conditions, restrictions, rights and other matters, whether of record or not, as of the date of Acceptance except for: (i) monetary liens of record unless Buyer is assuming those obligations or taking the Property subject to those obligations; and (ii) those matters which Seller has agreed to remove in writing. For any lien or matter not being transferred upon sale, Seller will take necessary action to deliver title free and clear of such lien or matter.
 - C.** Seller shall within **7 Days** after request, give Escrow Holder necessary information to clear title.



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- D. Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, disclose to Buyer all matters known to Seller affecting title, whether of record or not.
- E. If Buyer is a legal entity and the Property purchase price is at least \$300,000 and the purchase price is made without a bank loan or similar form of external financing, a Geographic Targeting Order (GTO) issued by the Financial Crimes Enforcement Network, U.S. Department of the Treasury, requires title companies to collect and report certain information about the Buyer, depending on where the Property is located. Buyer agrees to cooperate with the title company's effort to comply with the GTO.
- F. Buyer shall, after Close Of Escrow, receive a recorded grant deed or any other conveyance document required to convey title (For example, for stock cooperative or tenancy in common, respectively, an assignment of stock certificate or assignment of seller's interest in the real property), including oil, mineral and water rights if currently owned by Seller. Title shall vest as designated in Buyer's vesting instructions. The recording document shall contain Buyer's post-closing mailing address to enable Buyer's receipt of the recorded conveyance document from the County Recorder. **THE MANNER OF TAKING TITLE MAY HAVE SIGNIFICANT LEGAL AND TAX CONSEQUENCES. CONSULT AN APPROPRIATE PROFESSIONAL.**
- G. Buyer shall receive a Standard Coverage Owner's CLTA policy of title insurance. An ALTA policy or the addition of endorsements may provide greater coverage for Buyer. A title company, at Buyer's request, can provide information about the availability, desirability, coverage, and cost of various title insurance coverages and endorsements. If Buyer desires title coverage other than that required by this paragraph, Buyer shall instruct Escrow Holder in writing and shall pay any increase in cost.

17. TIME PERIODS; REMOVAL OF CONTINGENCIES; CANCELLATION RIGHTS: The following time periods may only be extended, altered, modified or changed by mutual written agreement. Any removal of contingencies or cancellation under this paragraph by either Buyer or Seller must be exercised in good faith and in writing (C.A.R. Form CR-B, CR-S or CC).

- A. **SELLER DELIVERY OF DOCUMENTS:** Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, Deliver to Buyer all reports, disclosures and information ("Reports") for which Seller is responsible as specified in **paragraphs 9B, 11A, 11D-J, 12A, 12B, 12C, 16A, 16D, and 35.**
- B. **BUYER REVIEW OF DOCUMENTS; REPAIR REQUEST; CONTINGENCY REMOVAL OR CANCELLATION**
 - (1) Buyer has the time specified in **paragraph 3** to: (i) perform Buyer Investigations; review all disclosures, Reports, lease documents to be assumed by Buyer pursuant to **paragraph 9B(2)**, and other applicable information, which Buyer receives from Seller; and approve all matters affecting the Property.
 - (2) Buyer may, within the time specified in **paragraph 3L(5)**, request that Seller make repairs or take any other action regarding the Property (C.A.R. Form RR). Seller has no obligation to agree to or respond to Buyer's requests (C.A.R. Form RR or RRRR). If Seller does not agree or does not respond, Buyer is not contractually entitled to have the repairs or other requests made and may only cancel based on contingencies in this Agreement.
 - (3) Buyer shall, by the end of the times specified in **paragraph 3L** (or as Otherwise Agreed), Deliver to Seller a removal of the applicable contingency or cancellation of this Agreement (C.A.R. Form CR-B or CC). **Buyer is advised not to remove contingencies related to review of documents until after the documents have been Delivered.** If Delivery of any Report occurs after a contractual contingency pertaining to that Report has already been waived or removed, the Delivery of the Report does not revive the contingency.
 - (4) **Continuation of Contingency:** Even after the end of the time specified in **paragraph 3L** and before Seller cancels, if at all, pursuant to **paragraph 17C**, Buyer retains the right, in writing, to either (i) remove remaining contingencies, or (ii) cancel this Agreement based on a remaining contingency. Once Buyer's written removal of all contingencies is Delivered to Seller, Seller may not cancel this Agreement pursuant to **paragraph 17C(1)**.
- C. **SELLER RIGHT TO CANCEL:**
 - (1) **SELLER RIGHT TO CANCEL; BUYER CONTINGENCIES:** If, by the time specified in this Agreement, Buyer does not Deliver to Seller a removal of the applicable contingency or cancellation of this Agreement, then Seller, after first Delivering to Buyer a Notice to Buyer to Perform (C.A.R. Form NBP), may cancel this Agreement. In such event, Seller shall authorize the return of Buyer's deposit, except for fees incurred by Buyer.
 - (2) **SELLER RIGHT TO CANCEL; BUYER CONTRACT OBLIGATIONS:** Seller, after first Delivering to Buyer a Notice to Buyer to Perform, may cancel this Agreement if, by the time specified in this Agreement, Buyer does not take the following action(s): (i) Deposit funds as required by **paragraph 3D(1)** or **3D(2)** or if the funds deposited pursuant to **paragraph 3D(1)** or **3D(2)** are not good when deposited; (ii) Deliver updated contact information for Buyer's lender(s) as required by **paragraph 5C(3)**; (iii) Deliver verification, or a satisfactory verification if Seller reasonably disapproves of the verification already provided, as required by **paragraph 5B** or **6A**; (iv) Deliver a letter as required by **paragraph 6B**; (v) In writing assume or accept leases or liens specified in **paragraph 8J**; (vi) Cooperate with the title company's effort to comply with the GTO as required by **paragraph 16E**; (vii) Sign or initial a separate liquidated damages form for an increased deposit as required by **paragraph 5A(2)** and **35**; (viii) Provide evidence of authority to Sign in a representative capacity as specified in **paragraph 34**; or (ix) Perform any additional Buyer contractual obligation(s) included in this Agreement. In such event, Seller shall authorize the return of Buyer's deposit, except for fees allocated to Seller in this Agreement and already paid by Escrow prior to cancellation of this Agreement and notification to Escrow.
 - (3) **SELLER RIGHT TO CANCEL; SELLER CONTINGENCIES:** Seller may cancel this Agreement by good faith exercise of any Seller contingency included in this Agreement, or Otherwise Agreed, so long as that contingency has not already been removed or waived in writing.
- D. **BUYER RIGHT TO CANCEL:**
 - (1) **BUYER RIGHT TO CANCEL; SELLER CONTINGENCIES:** If, by the time specified in this Agreement, Seller does not Deliver to Buyer a removal of the applicable contingency or cancellation of this Agreement, then Buyer, after first Delivering to Seller a Notice to Seller to Perform (C.A.R. Form NSP), may cancel this Agreement. In such event, Seller shall authorize the return of Buyer's deposit, except for fees allocated to Seller in the Agreement and already paid by Escrow prior to cancellation of this Agreement and notification to Escrow.
 - (2) **BUYER RIGHT TO CANCEL; SELLER CONTRACT OBLIGATIONS:** If, by the time specified, Seller has not Delivered any item specified in **paragraph 3N(1)** or Seller has not performed any Seller contractual obligation included in this Agreement by the time specified, Buyer, after first Delivering to Seller a Notice to Seller to Perform, may cancel this Agreement.
 - (3) **BUYER RIGHT TO CANCEL; BUYER CONTINGENCIES:** Buyer may cancel this Agreement by good faith exercise of any Buyer contingency included in **paragraph 8**, or Otherwise Agreed, so long as that contingency has not already been removed in writing.



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- E. NOTICE TO BUYER OR SELLER TO PERFORM:** The Notice to Buyer to Perform or Notice to Seller to Perform shall: **(i)** be in writing; **(ii)** be Signed by the applicable Buyer or Seller; and **(iii)** give the other Party at least **2 Days** after Delivery (or until the time specified in the applicable paragraph, whichever occurs last) to take the applicable action. A Notice to Buyer to Perform or Notice to Seller to Perform may not be Delivered any earlier than **2 Days** prior to the Scheduled Performance Day to remove a contingency or cancel this Agreement or meet an obligation specified in **paragraph 17**, **except for Close of Escrow which shall be Delivered under the terms of paragraph 17G**, whether or not the Scheduled Performance Day falls on a Saturday, or Sunday or legal holiday. If a Notice to Buyer to Perform or Notice to Seller to Perform is incorrectly Delivered or specifies a time less than the agreed time, the notice shall be deemed invalid and void and Seller or Buyer shall be required to Deliver a new Notice to Buyer to Perform or Notice to Seller to Perform with the specified timeframe.
- F. EFFECT OF REMOVAL OF CONTINGENCIES:**
- (1) **REMOVAL OF BUYER CONTINGENCIES:** If Buyer removes any contingency or cancellation rights, unless Otherwise Agreed, Buyer shall conclusively be deemed to have: **(i)** completed all Buyer Investigations, and review of Reports and other applicable information and disclosures pertaining to that contingency or cancellation right; **(ii)** elected to proceed with the transaction; and **(iii)** assumed all liability, responsibility and expense for the non-delivery of any Reports, disclosures or information outside of Seller's control and for any Repairs or corrections pertaining to that contingency or cancellation right, or for the inability to obtain financing.
- (2) **REMOVAL OF SELLER CONTINGENCIES:** If Seller removes any contingency or cancellation rights, unless Otherwise Agreed, Seller shall conclusively be deemed to have: **(i)** satisfied themselves regarding such contingency, **(ii)** elected to proceed with the transaction; and **(iii)** given up any right to cancel this Agreement based on such contingency.
- G. DEMAND TO CLOSE ESCROW:** Before Buyer or Seller may cancel this Agreement for failure of the other Party to close escrow pursuant to this Agreement, Buyer or Seller must first Deliver to the other Party a Demand to Close Escrow (C.A.R. Form DCE). The DCE shall: **(i)** be Signed by the applicable Buyer or Seller; and **(ii)** give the other Party at least **3 Days** after Delivery to close escrow. A DCE may not be Delivered any earlier than **3 Days** prior to the Scheduled Performance Day for the Close Of Escrow. If a DCE is incorrectly Delivered or specifies a time less than the agreed time, the DCE shall be deemed invalid and void and Seller or Buyer shall be required to Deliver a new DCE.
- H. EFFECT OF CANCELLATION ON DEPOSITS:** If Buyer or Seller gives written notice of cancellation pursuant to rights duly exercised under the terms of this Agreement, the Parties agree to Sign and Deliver mutual instructions to cancel the sale and escrow and release deposits, if any, to the Party entitled to the funds, less **(i)** fees and costs paid by Escrow Holder on behalf of that Party, if required by this Agreement; and **(ii)** any escrow fee charged to that party. Fees and costs may be payable to service providers and vendors for services and products provided during escrow. **A release of funds will require mutual Signed release instructions from the Parties, judicial decision or arbitration award. A Party may be subject to a civil penalty of up to \$1,000 for refusal to Sign cancellation instructions if no good faith dispute exists as to which Party is entitled to the deposited funds (Civil Code § 1057.3). Note: Neither Agents nor Escrow Holder are qualified to provide any opinion on whether either Party has acted in good faith or which Party is entitled to the deposited funds. Buyer and Seller are advised to seek the advice of a qualified California real estate attorney regarding this matter.**
- 18. REPAIRS:** Repairs shall be completed prior to final verification of condition unless Otherwise Agreed. Repairs to be performed at Seller's expense may be performed by Seller or through others, provided that the work complies with applicable Law, including governmental permit, inspection and approval requirements. Repairs shall be performed in a good, skillful manner with materials of quality and appearance comparable to existing materials. Buyer acknowledges that exact restoration of appearance or cosmetic items following all Repairs may not be possible. Seller shall: **(i)** obtain invoices and paid receipts for Repairs performed by others; **(ii)** prepare a written statement indicating the Repairs performed by Seller and the date of such Repairs; and **(iii)** provide Copies of invoices and paid receipts and statements to Buyer prior to final verification of condition.
- 19. FINAL VERIFICATION OF CONDITION:** Buyer shall have the right to make a final verification of the Property condition within the time specified in **paragraph 3J**, NOT AS A CONTINGENCY OF THE SALE, but solely to confirm: **(i)** the Property is maintained pursuant to **paragraph 7B**; **(ii)** Repairs have been completed as agreed; and **(iii)** Seller has complied with Seller's other obligations under this Agreement (C.A.R. Form VP).
- 20. PRORATIONS OF PROPERTY TAXES AND OTHER ITEMS:** Unless Otherwise Agreed, the following items shall be PAID CURRENT and prorated between Buyer and Seller as of Close Of Escrow: real property taxes and assessments, interest, Seller rental payments, HOA regular assessments due prior to Close Of Escrow, premiums on insurance assumed by Buyer, payments on bonds and assessments assumed by Buyer, and payments on Mello-Roos and other Special Assessment District bonds and assessments that are now a lien. Seller shall pay any HOA special or emergency assessments due prior to Close Of Escrow. The following items shall be assumed by Buyer WITHOUT CREDIT toward the purchase price: prorated payments on Mello-Roos and other Special Assessment District bonds and assessments and HOA special or emergency assessments that are due after Close Of Escrow. Property will be reassessed upon change of ownership. Any supplemental tax bills delivered to Escrow Holder prior to closing shall be prorated and paid as follows: **(i)** for periods after Close Of Escrow, by Buyer; and **(ii)** for periods prior to Close Of Escrow, by Seller (see C.A.R. Form SPT or SBSA for further information). Seller agrees all service fees, maintenance costs and utility bills will be paid current up and through the date of Close Of Escrow. **TAX BILLS AND UTILITY BILLS ISSUED AFTER CLOSE OF ESCROW SHALL BE HANDLED DIRECTLY BETWEEN BUYER AND SELLER.** Prorations shall be made based on a 30-day month.
- 21. BROKERS AND AGENTS:**
- A. COMPENSATION:** Seller or Buyer, or both, as applicable, agree to pay compensation to Broker as specified in a separate written agreement between Broker and that Seller or Buyer. Compensation is payable upon Close Of Escrow, or if escrow does not close, as otherwise specified in the agreement between Broker and that Seller or Buyer. If Seller agrees to pay **the obligation of Buyer to compensate** Buyer's Broker (see **paragraph 3G(3)**), Seller shall be entitled to a copy of the portion of the written compensation agreement between Buyer and Buyer's Broker identifying the compensation to be paid. See C.A.R. Form SPBB for further information.

B. SCOPE OF DUTY: Buyer and Seller acknowledge and agree that Agent: **(i)** Does not decide what price Buyer should pay or Seller should accept; **(ii)** Does not guarantee the condition of the Property; **(iii)** Does not guarantee the performance, adequacy or completeness of inspections, services, products or repairs provided or made by Seller or others; **(iv)** Does not have an obligation to conduct an inspection of common areas or areas off the site of the Property; **(v)** Shall not be responsible for identifying defects on the Property, in common areas, or offsite unless such defects are visually observable by an inspection of reasonably accessible areas of the Property or are known to Agent; **(vi)** Shall not be responsible for inspecting public records or permits concerning the title or use of Property; **(vii)** Shall not be responsible for identifying the location of boundary lines or other items affecting title; **(viii)** Shall not be responsible for verifying square footage, representations of others or information contained in Investigation reports, Multiple Listing Service, advertisements, flyers or other promotional material; **(ix)** Shall not be responsible for determining the fair market value of the Property or any personal property included in the sale; **(x)** Shall not be responsible for providing legal or tax advice regarding any aspect of a transaction entered into by Buyer or Seller; and **(xi)** Shall not be responsible for providing other advice or information that exceeds the knowledge, education and experience required to perform real estate licensed activity. Buyer and Seller agree to seek legal, tax, insurance, title and other desired assistance from appropriate professionals.

C. BROKERAGE: Neither Buyer nor Seller has utilized the services of, or for any other reason owes compensation to, a licensed real estate broker (individual or corporate), agent, finder, or other entity, other than as specified in this Agreement, in connection with any act relating to the Property, including, but not limited to, inquiries, introductions, consultations, and negotiations leading to this Agreement. Buyer and Seller each agree to indemnify and hold the other, the Brokers specified herein and their agents, harmless from and against any costs, expenses or liability for compensation claimed inconsistent with the warranty and representation in this paragraph.

22. JOINT ESCROW INSTRUCTIONS TO ESCROW HOLDER:

A. The following paragraphs, or applicable portions thereof, of this Agreement constitute the joint escrow instructions of Buyer and Seller to Escrow Holder, which Escrow Holder is to use along with any related counter offers and addenda, and any additional mutual instructions to close the escrow: paragraphs 1, 3A, 3B, 3D-G, 3N(2), 3Q, 3S, 4A, 4B, 5A(1-2), 5D, 5E, 11A, 11E(2), 16 (except 16D), 17H, 20, 21A, 22, 26, 32, 34, 35, 39, 40, and paragraph 3 of the Real Estate Brokers Section. If a Copy of the separate compensation agreement(s) provided for in paragraph 21A or paragraph 3 of the Real Estate Brokers Section is deposited with Escrow Holder by Agent, Escrow Holder shall accept such agreement(s) and pay out from Buyer's or Seller's funds, or both, as applicable, the Broker's compensation provided for in such agreement(s). The terms and conditions of this Agreement not set forth in the specified paragraphs are additional matters for the information of Escrow Holder, but about which Escrow Holder need not be concerned.

B. Buyer and Seller will receive Escrow Holder's general provisions, if any, directly from Escrow Holder. To the extent the general provisions are inconsistent or conflict with this Agreement, the general provisions will control as to the duties and obligations of Escrow Holder only. Buyer and Seller shall Sign and return Escrow Holder's general provisions or supplemental instructions within the time specified in paragraph 3N(2). Buyer and Seller shall execute additional instructions, documents and forms provided by Escrow Holder that are reasonably necessary to close the escrow and, as directed by Escrow Holder, within 3 Days, shall pay to Escrow Holder or HOA or HOA management company or others any fee required by paragraphs 3, 8, 11, or elsewhere in this Agreement.

C. A Copy of this Agreement including any counter offer(s) and addenda shall be delivered to Escrow Holder within 3 Days after Acceptance. Buyer and Seller authorize Escrow Holder to accept and rely on Copies and Signatures as defined in this Agreement as originals, to open escrow and for other purposes of escrow. The validity of this Agreement as between Buyer and Seller is not affected by whether or when Escrow Holder Signs this Agreement. Escrow Holder shall provide Seller's Statement of Information to Title Company when received from Seller, if a separate company is providing title insurance. If Seller delivers an affidavit to Escrow Holder to satisfy Seller's FIRPTA obligation under paragraph 11A, Escrow Holder shall deliver to Buyer, Buyer's Agent, and Seller's Agent a Qualified Substitute statement that complies with federal Law. If Escrow Holder's Qualified Substitute statement does not comply with federal law, the Parties instruct escrow to withhold all applicable required amounts under paragraph 11A.

D. Agents are not a party to the escrow except for the sole purpose of receiving compensation pursuant to paragraph 21A and paragraph 3 of the Real Estate Brokers Section. If a Copy of the separate compensation agreement(s) provided for in either of those paragraphs is deposited with Escrow Holder by Agent, Escrow Holder shall accept such agreement(s) and pay out from Buyer's or Seller's funds, or both, as applicable, the Broker's compensation provided for in such agreement(s). Escrow Holder shall provide to Buyer and Seller, either jointly or separately, a closing statement or other written documentation showing the amount of compensation paid to, respectively, Buyer's Broker and Seller's Broker. Buyer and Seller irrevocably assign to Brokers compensation specified in paragraph 21A, and irrevocably instruct Escrow Holder to disburse those funds to Brokers at Close Of Escrow or pursuant to any other mutually executed cancellation agreement. Compensation instructions can be amended or revoked only with the written consent of Brokers. Buyer and Seller shall release and hold harmless Escrow Holder from any liability resulting from Escrow Holder's payment to Broker(s) of compensation pursuant to this Agreement.

E. Buyer and Seller acknowledge that Escrow Holder may require invoices for expenses under this Agreement. Buyer and Seller, upon request by Escrow Holder, within 3 Days or within a sufficient time to close escrow, whichever is sooner, shall provide any such invoices to Escrow Holder.

F. Upon receipt, Escrow Holder shall provide Buyer, Seller, and each Agent verification of Buyer's deposit of funds pursuant to paragraph 5A(1) and 5A(2). Once Escrow Holder becomes aware of any of the following, Escrow Holder shall immediately notify each Agent: (i) if Buyer's initial or any additional deposit or down payment is not made pursuant to this Agreement, or is not good at time of deposit with Escrow Holder; or (ii) if Buyer and Seller instruct Escrow Holder to cancel escrow.

G. A Copy of any amendment that affects any paragraph of this Agreement for which Escrow Holder is responsible shall be delivered to Escrow Holder within 3 Days after mutual execution of the amendment.

23. SELECTION OF SERVICE PROVIDERS: Agents do not guarantee the performance of any vendors, service or product providers ("Providers"), whether referred by Agent or selected by Buyer, Seller or other person. Buyer and Seller may select ANY Providers of their own choosing.

24. MULTIPLE LISTING SERVICE ("MLS"): Agents are authorized to report to the MLS that an offer has been accepted and, upon Close Of Escrow, the sales price and other terms of this transaction shall be provided to the MLS to be published and disseminated to persons and entities authorized to use the information on terms approved by the MLS. Buyer acknowledges that: **(i)** any pictures, videos, floor plans (collectively, "Images") or other information about the Property that has been or will be inputted into the MLS or internet portals, or both, at the instruction of Seller or in compliance with MLS rules, will not be removed after Close Of Escrow; **(ii)** California Civil Code § 1088(c) requires the MLS to maintain such Images and information for at least three years and as a result they may be displayed or circulated on the Internet, which cannot be controlled or removed by Seller or Agents; and **(iii)** Seller, Seller's Agent, Buyer's Agent, and MLS have no obligation or ability to remove such Images or information from the Internet.



- 25. **ATTORNEY FEES AND COSTS:** In any action, proceeding, or arbitration between Buyer and Seller arising out of this Agreement, the prevailing Buyer or Seller shall be entitled to reasonable attorney fees and costs from the non-prevailing Buyer or Seller, except as provided in **paragraph 37A**.
- 26. **ASSIGNMENT/NOMINATION:** Buyer shall have the right to assign all of Buyer's interest in this Agreement to Buyer's own trust or to any wholly owned entity of Buyer that is in existence at the time of such assignment. Otherwise, Buyer shall not assign all or any part of Buyer's interest in this Agreement without first having obtained the separate written consent of Seller to a specified assignee. Such consent shall not be unreasonably withheld. Prior to any assignment, Buyer shall disclose to Seller the name of the assignee and the amount of any monetary consideration between Buyer and assignee. Buyer shall provide assignee with all documents related to this Agreement including, but not limited to, the Agreement and any disclosures. If assignee is a wholly owned entity or trust of Buyer, that assignee does not need to re-sign or initial all documents provided. Whether or not an assignment requires seller's consent, at the time of assignment, assignee shall deliver a letter from assignee's lender that assignee is prequalified or preapproved as specified in **paragraph 6B**. Should assignee fail to deliver such a letter, Seller, after first giving Assignee an Notice to Buyer to Perform, shall have the right to terminate the assignment. Buyer shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3K**, Deliver any request to assign this Agreement for Seller's consent. If Buyer fails to provide the required information within this time frame, Seller's withholding of consent shall be deemed reasonable. Any total or partial assignment shall not relieve Buyer of Buyer's obligations pursuant to this Agreement unless Otherwise Agreed by Seller (C.A.R. Form AOAA). Parties shall provide any assignment agreement to Escrow Holder within 1 Day after the assignment. Any nomination by Buyer shall be subject to the same procedures, requirements, and terms as an assignment as specified in this paragraph.
- 27. **SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS:** This Agreement shall be binding upon, and inure to the benefit of, Buyer and Seller and their respective successors and assigns, except as otherwise provided herein.
- 28. **ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARD CONSULTATION:** Buyer and Seller acknowledge: (i) Federal, state, and local legislation impose liability upon existing and former owners and users of real property, in applicable situations, for certain legislatively defined, environmentally hazardous substances; (ii) Agent(s) has/have made no representation concerning the applicability of any such Law to this transaction or to Buyer or to Seller, except as otherwise indicated in this Agreement; (iii) Agent(s) has/have made no representation concerning the existence, testing, discovery, location, and evaluation of/for, and risks posed by, environmentally hazardous substances, if any, located on or potentially affecting the Property; and (iv) Buyer and Seller are each advised to consult with technical and legal experts concerning the existence, testing, discover, location and evaluation of/for, and risks posed by, environmentally hazardous substances, in any, located on or potentially affecting the Property.
- 29. **AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT:** The Americans With Disabilities Act ("ADA") prohibits discrimination against individuals with disabilities. The ADA affects almost all commercial facilities and public accommodations. Residential properties are not typically covered by the ADA, but may be governed by its provisions if used for certain purposes. The ADA can require, among other things, that building be made readily accessible to the disabled. Different requirements apply to new construction, alterations to existing buildings, and removal of barriers in existing buildings. Compliance with the ADA may require significant costs. Monetary and injunctive remedies may be incurred if the Property is not in compliance. A real estate broker or agent does not have the technical expertise to determine whether a building is in compliance with ADA requirements, or to advise a principal on those requirements. Buyer and Seller are advised to contact a qualified California real estate attorney, contractor, architect, engineer, or other qualified professional of Buyer or Seller's own choosing to determine to what degree, if any, the ADA impacts that principal or this transaction.
- 30. **EQUAL HOUSING OPPORTUNITY:** The Property is sold in compliance with federal, state and local anti-discrimination Laws.
- 31. **COPIES:** Seller and buyer each represent that Copies of all reports, certificates, approvals, and other documents that are furnished to the other are true, correct, and unaltered Copies of the original documents, if the originals are in the possession of the furnishing party.
- 32. **DEFINITIONS and INSTRUCTIONS:** The following words are defined terms in this Agreement, shall be indicated by initial capital letters throughout this Agreement, and have the following meaning whenever used:
 - A. **"Acceptance"** means the time the offer or final counter offer is fully executed, in writing, by the recipient Party and is Delivered to the offering Party or that Party's Authorized Agent.
 - B. **"Agent"** means the Broker, salesperson, broker-associate or any other real estate licensee licensed under the brokerage firm identified in **paragraph 2B**.
 - C. **"Agreement"** means this document and any counter offers and any incorporated addenda or amendments, collectively forming the binding agreement between the Parties. Addenda and amendments are incorporated only when Signed and Delivered by all Parties.
 - D. **"As-Is"** condition: Seller shall disclose known material facts and defects as specified in this Agreement. Buyer has the right to inspect the Property and, within the time specified, request that Seller make repairs or take other corrective action, or exercise any contingency cancellation rights in this Agreement. Seller is only required to make repairs specified in this Agreement or as Otherwise Agreed.
 - E. **"Authorized Agent"** means an individual real estate licensee specified in the Real Estate Broker Section.
 - F. **"C.A.R. Form"** means the most current version of the specific form referenced or another comparable form agreed to by the Parties.
 - G. **"Close Of Escrow"**, including "COE", means the date the grant deed, or other evidence of transfer of title, is recorded for any real property, or the date of Delivery of a document evidencing the transfer of title for any non-real property transaction.
 - H. **"Copy"** means copy by any means including photocopy, facsimile and electronic.
 - I. **Counting Days** is done as follows unless Otherwise Agreed: (1) The first Day after an event is the first full calendar date following the event, and ending at 11:59 pm. For example, if a Notice to Buyer to Perform (C.A.R. form NBP) is Delivered at 3 pm on the 7th calendar day of the month, or Acceptance of a counter offer is personally received at 12 noon on the 7th calendar day of the month, then the 7th is Day "0" for purposes of counting days to respond to the NBP or calculating the Close Of Escrow date or contingency removal dates and the 8th of the month is Day 1 for those same purposes. (2) All calendar days are counted in establishing the first Day after an event. (3) All calendar days are counted in determining the date upon which performance must be completed, ending at 11:59 pm on the last day for performance ("Scheduled Performance Day"). (4) After Acceptance, if the Scheduled Performance Day for any act required by this Agreement, including Close Of Escrow, lands on a Saturday, Sunday, or Legal Holiday, the performing party shall be allowed to perform on the next day that is not a Saturday, Sunday or Legal Holiday ("Allowable Performance Day"), and ending at 11:59 pm. "Legal Holiday" shall mean any holiday or optional bank holiday under Civil Code §§ 7 and 7.1 and any holiday under Government Code § 6700. (5) For the purposes of COE, any day that the Recorder's office in the County where the Property is located is closed or any day that the lender or Escrow Holder under this Agreement is closed, the COE shall occur on the next day the Recorder's office in that County, the lender, and the Escrow Holder are open. (6) COE is considered Day 0 for purposes of counting days Seller is allowed to remain in possession, if permitted by this Agreement.
 - J. **"Day"** or **"Days"** means calendar day or days. However, delivery of deposit to escrow is based on business days.



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- K. **“Deliver”, “Delivered” or “Delivery”** of documents, unless Otherwise Agreed, means and shall be effective upon personal receipt of the document by Buyer or Seller or their Authorized Agent. Personal receipt means (i) a Copy of the document, or as applicable, link to the document, is in the possession of the Party or Authorized Agent, regardless of the Delivery method used (i.e. e-mail, text, other), or (ii) an electronic Copy of the document, or as applicable, link to the document, has been sent to the designated electronic delivery address specified in the Real Estate Broker Section **unless Otherwise Agreed in C.A.R. Form DEDA**. A document, or as applicable link to a document, shall be deemed to be **“in possession”** if it located in the in-box for the applicable Party or Authorized Agent. After Acceptance, Agent may change the designated electronic delivery address for that Agent by, in writing, Delivering notice of the change in designated electronic delivery address to the other Party (C.A.R. Form DEDA). Links could be, for example, to DropBox or GoogleDrive or other functionally equivalent program. If the recipient of a link is unable or unwilling to open the link or download the documents or otherwise prefers Delivery of the documents directly, Recipient of a link shall notify the sender in writing, within **3 Days** after Delivery of the link (C.A.R. Form RFR). In such case, Delivery shall be effective upon Delivery of the documents and not the link. Failure to notify sender within the time specified above shall be deemed consent to receive, and Buyer opening, the document by link.
 - L. **“Electronic Copy” or “Electronic Signature”** means, as applicable, an electronic copy or signature complying with California Law. Unless Otherwise Agreed, Buyer and Seller agree to the use of Electronic Signatures. Buyer and Seller agree that electronic means will not be used by either Party to modify or alter the content or integrity of this Agreement without the knowledge and consent of the other Party.
 - M. **“Law”** means any law, code, statute, ordinance, regulation, rule or order, which is adopted by a controlling city, county, state or federal legislative, judicial or executive body or agency.
 - N. **“Legally Authorized Signer”** means an individual who has authority to Sign for the principal as specified in **paragraph 39 or paragraph 40**.
 - O. **“Otherwise Agreed”** means an agreement in writing, signed by both Parties and Delivered to each.
 - P. **“Repairs”** means any repairs (including pest control), alterations, replacements, modifications or retrofitting of the Property provided for under this Agreement.
 - Q. **“Sign” or “Signed”** means either a handwritten or Electronic Signature on an original document, Copy or any counterpart.
- 33. TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF OFFER:** This is an offer to purchase the Property on the terms and conditions herein. The individual Liquidated Damages and Arbitration of Disputes paragraphs are incorporated in this Agreement if initialed by all Parties or if incorporated by mutual agreement in a Counter Offer or addendum. **If at least one but not all Parties initial, a Counter Offer is required until agreement is reached.** Seller has the right to continue to offer the Property for sale and to accept any other offer at any time prior to notification of Acceptance and to market the Property for backup offers after Acceptance. The Parties have read and acknowledge receipt of a Copy of the offer and agree to the confirmation of agency relationships. If this offer is accepted and Buyer subsequently defaults, Buyer may be responsible for payment of Brokers’ compensation. This Agreement and any supplement, addendum or modification, including any Copy, may be Signed in two or more counterparts, all of which shall constitute one and the same writing. By signing this offer or any document in the transaction, the Party Signing the document is deemed to have read the document in its entirety.
- 34. TIME OF ESSENCE; ENTIRE CONTRACT; CHANGES:** Time is of the essence. All understandings between the Parties are incorporated in this Agreement. Its terms are intended by the Parties as a final, complete and exclusive expression of their Agreement with respect to its subject matter and may not be contradicted by evidence of any prior agreement or contemporaneous oral agreement. If any provision of this Agreement is held to be ineffective or invalid, the remaining provisions will nevertheless be given full force and effect. Except as Otherwise Agreed, this Agreement shall be interpreted, and disputes shall be resolved in accordance with the Laws of the State of California. **Neither this Agreement nor any provision in it may be extended, amended, modified, altered or changed, except in writing Signed by Buyer and Seller.**
- 35. LEGALLY AUTHORIZED SIGNER:** Wherever the signature or initials of the Legally Authorized Signer identified in **paragraph 39 and 40** appear on this Agreement or any related documents, it shall be deemed to be in a representative capacity for the entity described and not in an individual capacity, unless otherwise indicated. The Legally Authorized Signer (i) represents that the entity for which that person is acting already exists and is in good standing to do business in California and (ii) shall Deliver to the other Party and Escrow Holder, as specified in **paragraph 3N(4)**, evidence of authority to act in that capacity (such as but not limited to: applicable portion of the trust or Certification Of Trust (Probate Code § 18100.5), letters testamentary, court order, power of attorney, corporate resolution, or formation documents of the business entity).

36. LIQUIDATED DAMAGES:

If Buyer fails to complete this purchase because of Buyer’s default, Seller shall retain, as liquidated damages, the deposit actually paid. Release of funds will require mutual, Signed release instructions from both Buyer and Seller, judicial decision or arbitration award. AT THE TIME OF ANY INCREASED DEPOSIT BUYER AND SELLER SHALL SIGN A SEPARATE LIQUIDATED DAMAGES PROVISION INCORPORATING THE INCREASED DEPOSIT AS LIQUIDATED DAMAGES (C.A.R. FORM DID).

Buyer’s Initials _____ / _____

Seller’s Initials _____ / _____



37. MEDIATION:

- A.** The Parties agree to mediate any dispute or claim arising between them out of this Agreement, or any resulting transaction, before resorting to arbitration or court action. The mediation shall be conducted through the C.A.R. Real Estate Mediation Center for Consumers (www.consumermediation.org) or through any other mediation provider or service mutually agreed to by the Parties. The Parties **also agree to mediate any disputes or claims with Agents(s), who, in writing, agree to such mediation prior to, or within a reasonable time after, the dispute or claim is presented to the Agent.** Mediation fees, if any, shall be divided equally among the Parties involved, and shall be recoverable under the prevailing party attorney fees clause. If, for any dispute or claim to which this paragraph applies, any Party **(i)** commences an action without first attempting to resolve the matter through mediation, or **(ii)** before commencement of an action, refuses to mediate after a request has been made, then that Party shall not be entitled to recover attorney fees, even if they would otherwise be available to that Party in any such action. **THIS MEDIATION PROVISION APPLIES WHETHER OR NOT THE ARBITRATION PROVISION IS INITIALED.**
- B. ADDITIONAL MEDIATION TERMS: (i) Exclusions from this mediation agreement are specified in paragraph 37D; (ii) The obligation to mediate does not preclude the right of either Party to seek a preservation of rights under paragraph 37E; and (iii) Agent's rights and obligations are further specified in paragraph 37F.**
- C. ARBITRATION OF DISPUTES:**
- D.** The Parties agree that any dispute or claim in Law or equity arising between them out of this Agreement or any resulting transaction, which is not settled through mediation, shall be decided by neutral, binding arbitration. The Parties also agree to arbitrate any disputes or claims with Agents(s), who, in writing, agree to such arbitration prior to, or within a reasonable time after, the dispute or claim is presented to the Agent. The arbitration shall be conducted through any arbitration provider or service mutually agreed to by the Parties. The arbitrator shall be a retired judge or justice, or an attorney with at least 5 years of transactional real estate Law experience, unless the Parties mutually agree to a different arbitrator. Enforcement of, and any motion to compel arbitration pursuant to, this agreement to arbitrate shall be governed by the procedural rules of the Federal Arbitration Act, and not the California Arbitration Act, notwithstanding any language seemingly to the contrary in this Agreement. The Parties shall have the right to discovery in accordance with Code of Civil Procedure § 1283.05. The arbitration shall be conducted in accordance with Title 9 of Part 3 of the Code of Civil Procedure. Judgment upon the award of the arbitrator(s) may be entered into any court having jurisdiction.
- E. EXCLUSIONS:** The following matters are excluded from mediation and arbitration: (i) Any matter that is within the jurisdiction of a probate, small claims or bankruptcy court; (ii) an unlawful detainer action; and (iii) a judicial or non-judicial foreclosure or other action or proceeding to enforce a deed of trust, mortgage or installment land sale contract as defined in Civil Code § 2985.
- F. PRESERVATION OF ACTIONS:** The following shall not constitute a waiver nor violation of the mediation and arbitration provisions: (i) the filing of a court action to preserve a statute of limitations; (ii) the filing of a court action to enable the recording of a notice of pending action, for order of attachment, receivership, injunction, or other provisional remedies, provided the filing party concurrent with, or immediately after such filing, makes a request to the court for a stay of litigation pending any applicable mediation or arbitration proceeding; or (iii) the filing of a mechanic's lien.
- G. AGENTS:** Agents shall not be obligated nor compelled to mediate or arbitrate unless they agree to do so in writing. Any Agents(s) participating in mediation or arbitration shall not be deemed a party to this Agreement.
- H. "NOTICE: BY INITIALING IN THE SPACE BELOW YOU ARE AGREEING TO HAVE ANY DISPUTE ARISING OUT OF THE MATTERS INCLUDED IN THE 'ARBITRATION OF DISPUTES' PROVISION DECIDED BY NEUTRAL ARBITRATION AS PROVIDED BY CALIFORNIA LAW AND YOU ARE GIVING UP ANY RIGHTS YOU MIGHT POSSESS TO HAVE THE DISPUTE LITIGATED IN A COURT OR JURY TRIAL. BY INITIALING IN THE SPACE BELOW YOU ARE GIVING UP YOUR JUDICIAL RIGHTS TO DISCOVERY AND APPEAL, UNLESS THOSE RIGHTS ARE SPECIFICALLY INCLUDED IN THE 'ARBITRATION OF DISPUTES' PROVISION. IF YOU REFUSE TO SUBMIT TO ARBITRATION AFTER AGREEING TO THIS PROVISION, YOU MAY BE COMPELLED TO ARBITRATE UNDER THE AUTHORITY OF THE CALIFORNIA CODE OF CIVIL PROCEDURE. YOUR AGREEMENT TO THIS ARBITRATION PROVISION IS VOLUNTARY."**

"WE HAVE READ AND UNDERSTAND THE FOREGOING AND AGREE TO SUBMIT DISPUTES ARISING OUT OF THE MATTERS INCLUDED IN THE 'ARBITRATION OF DISPUTES' PROVISION TO NEUTRAL ARBITRATION."

Buyer's Initials _____/_____

Seller's Initials _____/_____

38. FAIR APPRAISAL ACT NOTICE:

- A.** Any appraisal of the property is required to be unbiased, objective, and not influenced by improper or illegal considerations, including, but not limited to, any of the following: race, color, religion (including religious dress, grooming practices, or both), gender (including, but not limited to, pregnancy, childbirth, breastfeeding, and related conditions, and gender identity and gender expression), sexual orientation, marital status, medical condition, military or veteran status, national origin (including language use and possession of a driver's license issued to persons unable to provide their presence in the United States is authorized under federal law), source of income, ancestry, disability (mental and physical, including, but not limited to, HIV/AIDS status, cancer diagnosis, and genetic characteristics), genetic information, or age.
- B.** If a buyer or seller believes that the appraisal has been influenced by any of the above factors, the seller or buyer can report this information to the lender or mortgage broker that retained the appraiser and may also file a complaint with the Bureau of Real Estate Appraisers at <https://www2.brea.ca.gov/complaint/> or call (916) 552-9000 for further information on how to file a complaint.



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39. OFFER

- A. EXPIRATION OF OFFER:** This offer shall be deemed revoked and the deposit, if any, shall be returned to Buyer unless by the date and time specified in **paragraph 3C**, the offer is Signed by Seller and a Copy of the Signed offer is Delivered to Buyer or Buyer's Authorized Agent. **Seller has no obligation to respond to an offer made.**
- B. ENTITY BUYERS:** (Note: If this paragraph is completed, a Representative Capacity Signature Disclosure (C.A.R. Form RCSD) is not required for the Legally Authorized Signers designated below.)
 - (1) One or more Buyers is a trust, corporation, LLC, probate estate, partnership, holding a power of attorney or other entity.
 - (2) This Agreement is being Signed by a Legally Authorized Signer in a representative capacity and not in an individual capacity. See **paragraph 35** for additional terms.
 - (3) The name(s) of the Legally Authorized Signer(s) is/are: _____.
 - (4) **A.** If a trust, identify **Buyer** as trustee(s) of the trust or by simplified trust name (ex. John Doe, co-trustee, Jane Doe, co-trustee or Doe Revocable Family Trust).
 - B.** If Property is sold under the jurisdiction of a probate court, identify Buyer as executor or administrator, or by a simplified probate name (John Doe, executor, or Estate (or Conservatorship) of John Doe).
 - (5) If the entity is a trust or under probate, the following is the full name of the trust or probate case, including case #: _____.

C. The VLPA has 17 pages. Buyer acknowledges receipt of, and has read and understands, every page and all attachments that make up the Agreement.

D. BUYER SIGNATURE(S):

(Signature) By, _____ **Date:** _____
 Printed name of BUYER: _____
 Printed Name of Legally Authorized Signer: _____ Title, if applicable, _____
 (Signature) By, _____ **Date:** _____
 Printed name of BUYER: _____
 Printed Name of Legally Authorized Signer: _____ Title, if applicable, _____

IF MORE THAN TWO SIGNERS, USE Additional Signature Addendum (C.A.R. Form ASA).

40. ACCEPTANCE

A. ACCEPTANCE OF OFFER: Seller warrants that Seller is the owner of the Property or has the authority to execute this Agreement. Seller accepts the above offer and agrees to sell the Property on the above terms and conditions. Seller has read and acknowledges receipt of a Copy of this Agreement and authorizes Agent to Deliver a Signed Copy to Buyer.

Seller's acceptance is subject to the attached Counter Offer or Back-Up Offer Addendum, or both, checked below. Seller shall return and include the entire agreement with any response.

- Seller Counter Offer** (C.A.R. Form SCO or SMCO)
- Back-Up Offer Addendum** (C.A.R. Form BUO)

- B. ENTITY SELLERS:** (Note: If this paragraph is completed, a Representative Capacity Signature Disclosure form (C.A.R. Form RCSD) is not required for the Legally Authorized Signers designated below.)
 - (1) One or more Sellers is a trust, corporation, LLC, probate estate, partnership, holding a power of attorney or other entity.
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 - (5) If the entity is a trust or under probate, the following is the full name of the trust or probate case, including case #: _____.

C. The VLPA has 17 pages. Seller acknowledges receipt of, and has read and understands, every page and all attachments that make up the Agreement.

SELLER SIGNATURE(S):

(Signature) By, _____ **Date:** _____
 Printed name of SELLER: _____
 Printed Name of Legally Authorized Signer: _____ Title, if applicable, _____
 (Signature) By, _____ **Date:** _____
 Printed name of SELLER: _____
 Printed Name of Legally Authorized Signer: _____ Title, if applicable, _____

IF MORE THAN TWO SIGNERS, USE Additional Signature Addendum (C.A.R. Form ASA).

OFFER NOT ACCEPTED: _____ / _____ No Counter Offer is being made. This offer was not accepted by Seller _____ (date)
 Seller's Initials



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REAL ESTATE BROKERS SECTION:

- 1. Real Estate Agents are not parties to the Agreement between Buyer and Seller.
- 2. Agency relationships are confirmed as stated in paragraph 2.
- 3. **Confirmation of Offered Compensation:** Seller's Broker agrees to pay Buyer's Broker and Buyer's Broker agrees to accept, out of Seller's Broker's proceeds in escrow, the compensation specified in a separate written agreement (C.A.R. Form CBC). **Each Broker agrees to disclose to their Seller or Buyer client the amount in the CBC.** Declaration of License and Tax (C.A.R. Form DLT) may be used to document that tax reporting will be required or that an exemption exists.
- 4. **Presentation of Offer:** Pursuant to the National Association of REALTORS® Standard of Practice 1-7, if Buyer's Agent makes a written request, Seller's Agent shall confirm in writing that this offer has been presented to Seller.
- 5. **Agents' Signatures and designated electronic delivery address:**

A. Buyer's Brokerage Firm _____ Lic. # _____
 By _____ Lic. # _____ Date _____
 By _____ Lic. # _____ Date _____
 Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____
 Email _____ Phone # _____

- More than one agent from the same firm represents Buyer. Additional Agent Acknowledgement (C.A.R. Form AAA) attached.
- More than one brokerage firm represents Buyer. Additional Broker Acknowledgement (C.A.R. Form ABA) attached.

Designated Electronic Delivery Address(es): Email above or _____

Attached DEDA: If Parties elect to have an alternative Delivery method, such method may be indicated on C.A.R. Form DEDA.

B. Seller's Brokerage Firm _____ Lic. # _____
 By _____ Lic. # _____ Date _____
 By _____ Lic. # _____ Date _____
 Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____
 Email _____ Phone # _____

- More than one agent from the same firm represents Seller. Additional Agent Acknowledgement (C.A.R. Form AAA) attached.
- More than one brokerage firm represents Seller. Additional Broker Acknowledgement (C.A.R. Form ABA) attached.

Designated if Parties elect to have an alternative Delivery method, such method may be indicated on DEDA.

Electronic Delivery Address(es) (To be filled out by Seller's Agent): Email above or _____

Attached DEDA: If Parties elect to have an alternative Delivery method, such method may be indicated on C.A.R. Form DEDA.

ESCROW HOLDER ACKNOWLEDGMENT:

Escrow Holder acknowledges receipt of a Copy of this Agreement, (if checked, a deposit in the amount of \$ _____), Counter Offer numbers _____ and _____, and agrees to act as Escrow Holder subject to **paragraph 19** of this Agreement, any supplemental escrow instructions and the terms of Escrow Holder's general provisions.

Escrow Holder is advised by _____ that the date of Acceptance of the Agreement is _____

Escrow Holder _____ Escrow # _____

By _____ Date _____

Address _____

Phone/Fax/E-mail _____

Escrow Holder has the following license number # _____

- Department of Financial Protection and Innovation, Department of Insurance, Department of Real Estate.

PRESENTATION OF OFFER: _____ / _____ Seller's Brokerage Firm presented this offer to Seller on _____ (date).
 Broker or Designee Initials

Buyer's Initials _____ / _____ Seller's Initials _____ / _____

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VERIFICATION OF PROPERTY CONDITION (BUYER FINAL INSPECTION) (C.A.R. Form VP, Revised 6/24)

Property Address _____

- 1. A. The purpose of this inspection is to satisfy Buyer regarding the condition of the Property. B. Unless Otherwise Agreed, Buyer and Seller understand and agree that a final inspection is not a contingency of this Agreement. C. The Parties agree to hold Broker(s), Associate licensees and brokerage employees harmless from any liability, claims, demands, damages or costs arising out of the contractual obligations of Buyer and Seller concerning the condition of Property. 2. Buyer acknowledges that: A. Property is in substantially the same condition as on the date of acceptance of the offer to purchase/sell; AND B. Seller has completed any repairs, alterations, replacements or modifications as agreed to by Buyer and Seller with the following exceptions:

Lined area for listing exceptions to property condition.

The evaluation of the condition of the Property, including any items listed above, is based upon a personal verification of the property by Buyer or _____, performed on _____ (date) at _____ □ AM/□ PM, and/or tests, surveys, inspections, or other studies performed by inspector(s) selected by Buyer.

OR (if checked):

- 3. □ Buyer waives the right to conduct a final verification of property condition. If Buyer does not verify the property's condition, Buyer is acting against the advice of the Broker.

Receipt of a copy is hereby acknowledged.

Buyer _____ Date _____
Buyer _____ Date _____
Seller _____ Date _____
Seller _____ Date _____

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WOODEN BALCONIES AND STAIRS ADDENDUM

(C.A.R. Form WBSA, 6/24)

This is an addendum to the Residential Purchase Agreement or Counter offer No. _____, or Other _____
_____ (“Agreement”),
dated _____, on property known as _____ (“Property”),
between _____ (“Buyer”),
and _____ (“Seller”).
Buyer and Seller are referred to as “Parties.”

- 1. BALCONIES, EXTERIOR STAIRWAYS AND OTHER ELEVATED ELEMENTS:**
 - A.** If any building on the Property contains 3 or more units, and has balconies, decks, stairways or other structure extending beyond the exterior walls of the building, which are at least 6 feet above ground level, and supported in whole or in part by wood or wood-based products (“Elevated Elements”), Health and Safety Code § 17973 requires that an inspection of the Elevated Elements be completed by January 1, 2025 and at least every 6 years thereafter.
 - B.** If the inspection report indicates that the inspector advises there is an immediate threat to the safety of occupants or requires corrective work for non-immediate threats, then the owner must take the appropriate corrective measure required under Health and Safety Code § 17973.
 - C.** Health and Safety Code § 17973 obligates an owner to maintain copies of the inspection report for not less than two inspection cycles.
- 2. REQUIREMENT TO DELIVER REPORT TO BUYERS:** Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, Deliver to Buyer: **(i)** an inspection report of the Elevated Elements prepared within the preceding 6 years pursuant to Health and Safety Code § 17973 showing that the Elevated Elements are in proper working condition and do not pose a threat to health or safety; **OR (ii)** if the report shows that any portion of the Elevated Element are in need of repair, a copy of the report and evidence that the indicated Elevated Elements have been corrected in accordance with code and permit requirements; **OR (iii)** up until January 1, 2025 disclose if no such report has been made or repairs completed.
- 3. WHEN PROPERTY IS IN A COMMON INTEREST DEVELOPMENT:** The requirements under Health and Safety Code § 17973 do not apply to the owner of a property in a common interest development. However, the association will have similar obligations, but the inspection is required every 9 years. The report should be kept and incorporated into the association’s reserve study.

By signing below, Buyer and Seller acknowledge that each has read, understands, and received a copy of and agrees to the terms of this Wooden Balconies and Stairs Addendum.

Buyer _____	Date _____
Buyer _____	Date _____
Seller _____	Date _____
Seller _____	Date _____

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WATER-CONSERVING PLUMBING FIXTURES AND CARBON MONOXIDE DETECTOR ADVISORY

(C.A.R. Form WCMD, Revised 6/24)

1. WATER-CONSERVING PLUMBING FIXTURES

A. INSTALLATION:

- (1) **Requirements:** California law (Civil Code §§ 1101.4 and 1101.5) requires all single-family residences, multi-family and commercial property built on or before January 1, 1994 to be equipped with water-conserving plumbing fixtures. Additionally, a residential and commercial property built on or before January 1, 1994 that is altered or improved is required to be equipped with water-conserving plumbing fixtures as a condition of final approval if the alteration or improvement increases floor area space by more than 10 percent, or has a cost greater than \$150,000, or for any room in a building which requires a building permit.
- (2) **Exceptions:** These requirements do not apply to (i) registered historical sites, (ii) real property for which a licensed plumber certified that, due to the age or configuration of the property or its plumbing, installation of water-conserving plumbing fixtures is not technically feasible, or (iii) a building for which water service is permanently disconnected. Additionally, there is a one-year exemption for any building slated for demolition, and any city or county that has adopted a retrofit requirement prior to 2009 is itself exempt. (Civil Code §§1101.6, 1101.7, and 1101.9.)

B. Disclosure of Water-Conserving Plumbing Fixtures: Although the installation of water-conserving plumbing fixtures is not a point-of-sale requirement, California Civil Code §§ 1101.4 (single family properties beginning 2017) and 1101.5 (multifamily and commercial properties beginning 2019) require the seller to disclose to the buyer the requirements concerning water-conserving plumbing fixtures and whether the property contains any noncompliant water fixtures.

C. Noncompliant Water Fixtures: Noncompliant water fixtures are any of the following: (i) any toilet manufactured to use more than 1.6 gallons of water per flush, (ii) any urinal manufactured to use more than one gallon of water per flush, (iii) any showerhead manufactured to have a flow capacity of more than 2.5 gallons of water per minute, (iv) any interior faucet that emits more than 2.2 gallons of water per minute. (Civil Code § 1101.3.) Buyer and Seller are each advised to consult with their own home inspector or contractor to determine if any water fixture is noncompliant. Buyer is advised to investigate the cost to bring any noncompliant water fixtures into compliance before removing the investigation contingency.

2. CARBON MONOXIDE DETECTORS:

A. INSTALLATION:

- (1) **Requirements:** As of January 1, 2013, California law (Health and Safety Code §§ 13260 to 13263 and 17926 to 17926.2) has required the following types of dwelling units intended for human occupancy have carbon monoxide detectors installed: single-family dwellings, duplex, lodging house, dormitory, hotel, condominium, time-share and apartment, among others.
- (2) **Exceptions:** The law does not apply to a dwelling unit which does not have any of the following: a fossil fuel burning heater or appliance, a fireplace, or an attached garage. The law does not apply to dwelling units owned or leased by the State of California, the Regents of the University of California or local government agencies. Aside from these three owner types, there are no other owner exemptions from the installation requirement; it applies to all owners of dwellings, be they individual banks, corporations, or other entities. There is no exemption for REO properties.

B. DISCLOSURE OF CARBON MONOXIDE DETECTORS: The Health and Safety Code does not require a disclosure regarding the existence of carbon monoxide detectors in a dwelling. However, a seller of residential 1-4 property who is required to complete a Real Estate Transfer Disclosure Statement, (C.A.R. Form TDS) or a Manufactured Home and Mobilehome Transfer Disclosure Statement (C.A.R. Form MHTDS) must use section II A of that form to disclose whether or not the dwelling unit has a carbon monoxide detector.

C. COMPLIANCE WITH INSTALLATION REQUIREMENT: State building code requires at a minimum, placement of carbon monoxide detectors in applicable properties outside of each sleeping area, and on each floor in a multi-level dwelling but additional or different requirements may apply depending on local building standards and manufacturer instructions. An owner who fails to install a carbon monoxide detector when required by law and continues to fail to install the detector after being given notice by a governmental agency could be liable for a fine for each violation. A transfer of a property where a seller, as an owner, has not installed carbon monoxide detectors, when required to do so by law, will not be invalidated, but the seller/owner could be subject to damages, plus court costs and attorney fees. Buyer and Seller are each advised to consult with their own home inspector, contractor or building department to determine the exact location for installation of carbon monoxide detectors. Buyer is advised to consult with a professional of Buyer's choosing to determine whether the property has carbon monoxide detector(s) installed as required by law, and if not to discuss with their counsel the potential consequences.

3. LOCAL REQUIREMENTS: Some localities maintain their own retrofit or point of sale requirements which may include the requirement that water-conserving plumbing fixtures and/or a carbon monoxide detector be installed prior to a transfer of property. Therefore, it is important to check the local city or county building and safety departments regarding point of sale or retrofit requirements when transferring property.

By signing below, Buyer and Seller each acknowledge that they have read, understand, and have received a copy of this Water-Conserving Plumbing Fixtures and Carbon Monoxide Detector Advisory

Seller _____ Date _____
 Seller _____ Date _____
 Buyer _____ Date _____
 Buyer _____ Date _____

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Buyer has made an offer dated _____ for the property known as _____ in which _____ is referred to as ("Buyer") and _____ is referred to as ("Seller").

1. WITHDRAWAL AND REVOCATION OF OFFER NOT YET ACCEPTED:

A. The following document contains terms which have been proposed by Buyer or Seller ("Offer")

- (1) [] Purchase Agreement
(2) [] Buyer Counter Offer
(3) [] Seller Counter Offer
(4) [] Seller Multiple Counter Offer
(5) [] Request for Repair
(6) [] Seller Response and Buyer Reply to Request for Repair
(7) [] Amendment of Existing Agreement Terms
(8) [] Other

B. According to the terms of the Offer specified in paragraph 1A the terms of the Offer have not yet been accepted.

C. Withdrawal and Revocation: The Buyer or Seller making the Offer hereby withdraws and revokes it.

2. [] (if checked) CONFIRMATION OF WITHDRAWAL AND REVOCATION: This document confirms that the Offer was withdrawn orally ([] by text, [] by email, [] other) and revoked on (date), at AM/PM by giving verbal notice to

3. [] ATTACHMENT OF SUBSTITUTE CONTRACTUAL DOCUMENTS:

The Offer document withdrawn and revoked above is replaced with the attached

- A. [] Multiple Counter Offer dated:
B. [] Counter Offer dated;
C. [] (Other Offer document dated

[] Buyer [] Seller (date), at AM/PM
[] Buyer [] Seller (date), at AM/PM





RESIDENTIAL INCOME PURCHASE AGREEMENT AND JOINT ESCROW INSTRUCTIONS

(C.A.R. FORM RIPA, Revised 6/24)

Date Prepared: _____

1. **OFFER:**
 - A. **THIS IS AN OFFER FROM** _____ (“Buyer”).
Individual(s), A Corporation, A Partnership, An LLC, Other _____.
 - B. **THE PROPERTY** to be acquired is _____, situated in _____ (City), _____ (County), California, _____ (Zip Code), Assessor’s Parcel No(s) _____ (“Property”).
(Postal/Mailing address may be different from city jurisdiction. Buyer is advised to investigate.)
 - C. **THE TERMS OF THE PURCHASE ARE SPECIFIED BELOW AND ON THE FOLLOWING PAGES.**
 - D. Buyer and Seller are referred to herein as the “Parties.” Brokers and Agents are **not** Parties to this Agreement.
2. **AGENCY:**
 - A. **DISCLOSURE:** The Parties each acknowledge receipt of a “Disclosure Regarding Real Estate Agency Relationship” (C.A.R. Form AD) if represented by a real estate licensee. Buyer’s Agent is not legally required to give to Seller’s Agent the AD form Signed by Buyer. Seller’s Agent is not legally obligated to give to Buyer’s Agent the AD form Signed by Seller.
 - B. **CONFIRMATION:** The following agency relationships are hereby confirmed for this transaction.
Seller’s Brokerage Firm _____ License Number _____
 Is the broker of (check one): the Seller; or both the Buyer and Seller (Dual Agent).
 Seller’s Agent _____ License Number _____
 Is (check one): the Seller’s Agent (Salesperson or broker associate); or both the Buyer’s and Seller’s Agent (Dual Agent).
Buyer’s Brokerage Firm _____ License Number _____
 Is the broker of (check one): the Buyer; or both the Buyer and Seller (Dual Agent).
 Buyer’s Agent _____ License Number _____
 Is (check one): the Buyer’s Agent (Salesperson or broker associate); or both the Buyer’s and Seller’s Agent (Dual Agent).
 - C. More than one Brokerage represents Seller, Buyer. See, Additional Broker Acknowledgement (C.A.R. Form ABA).
 - D. **POTENTIALLY COMPETING BUYERS AND SELLERS:** The Parties each acknowledge receipt of a “Possible Representation of More than One Buyer or Seller - Disclosure and Consent” (C.A.R. Form PRBS).
3. **TERMS OF PURCHASE AND ALLOCATION OF COSTS:** The items in this paragraph are contractual terms of the Agreement. Referenced paragraphs provide further explanation. This form is 18 pages. The Parties are advised to read all 18 pages.

Paragraph #	Paragraph Title or Contract Term	Terms and Conditions	Additional Terms
A	5, 5B (cash)	Purchase Price	\$ _____ <input type="checkbox"/> All Cash
B		Close Of Escrow (COE)	_____ Days after Acceptance OR on _____ (date) (mm/dd/yyyy)
C	40A	Expiration of Offer	3 calendar days after all Buyer Signature(s) or _____ (date) at 5PM or <input type="checkbox"/> AM/ <input type="checkbox"/> PM
D(1)	5A(1)	Initial Deposit Amount	\$ _____ (_____% of purchase price) (% number above is for calculation purposes and is not a contractual term)
D(2)	5A(2)	<input type="checkbox"/> Increased Deposit (Money placed into escrow after the initial deposit. Use form DID at time increased deposit is made.)	\$ _____ (_____% of purchase price) (% number above is for calculation purposes and is not a contractual term)
E(1)	5C(1)	Loan Amount(s): First Interest Rate _____ Points _____ If FHA or VA checked, Deliver list of lender required repairs	\$ _____ (_____% of purchase price) Fixed rate or <input type="checkbox"/> Initial adjustable rate • not to exceed _____% • Buyer to pay up to _____ points to obtain rate above 17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance
E(2)	5C(2)	Additional Financed Amount _____ Interest Rate _____ Points _____	\$ _____ (_____% of purchase price) Fixed rate or <input type="checkbox"/> Initial adjustable rate • not to exceed _____% • Buyer to pay up to _____ points to obtain rate above
E(3)	7A	Occupancy Type	Investment, or if checked, <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> Secondary
F	5D	Balance of Down Payment	\$ _____
		PURCHASE PRICE TOTAL	\$ _____



Property Address: _____

Date: _____

	Paragraph #	Paragraph Title or Contract Term	Terms and Conditions	Additional Terms
G(1)	5E	Seller Credit, if any, to Buyer	<input type="checkbox"/> \$ _____ (_____ % of purchase price) (% number above is for calculation purposes and is not a contractual term)	Seller credit to be applied to closing costs OR <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____
G(2)	ADDITIONAL FINANCE TERMS: _____			
G(3)	21	<input type="checkbox"/> Seller agrees to pay the obligation of Buyer to compensate Buyer's Broker under a separate agreement (C.A.R. Form SPBB attached). Seller's Broker's offer, if any, to compensate Buyer's Broker is unaffected unless Otherwise Agreed.		
H(1)	5B	Verification of All Cash (sufficient funds)	Attached to the offer or <input type="checkbox"/> 3 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	
H(2)	6A	Verification of Down Payment and Closing Costs	Attached to the offer or <input type="checkbox"/> 3 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	
H(3)	6B	Verification of Loan Application	Attached to the offer or <input type="checkbox"/> 3 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	<input type="checkbox"/> Prequalification <input type="checkbox"/> Preapproval <input type="checkbox"/> Fully underwritten preapproval
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J	19	Final Verification of Condition	5 (or _____) Days prior to COE	
K	26	Assignment Request	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	
L		CONTINGENCIES	TIME TO REMOVE CONTINGENCIES	CONTINGENCY REMOVED
L(1)	8A	Loan(s)	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	<input type="checkbox"/> No loan contingency
L(2)	8B	Appraisal: Appraisal contingency based upon appraised value at a minimum of purchase price or <input type="checkbox"/> \$ _____	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	<input type="checkbox"/> No appraisal contingency Removal of appraisal contingency does not eliminate appraisal cancellation rights in FVAC.
L(3)	8C, 15	Investigation of Property	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	REMOVAL OR WAIVER OF CONTINGENCY: Any contingency in L(1)-L(8) may be removed or waived by checking the applicable box above or attaching a Contingency Removal (C.A.R. Form CR-B) and checking the applicable box therein. Removal or Waiver at time of offer is against Agent advice. See paragraph 8I. <input type="checkbox"/> CR-B attached
		Informational Access to Property Buyer's right to access the Property for informational purposes only is NOT a contingency and does NOT create additional cancellation rights for Buyer.	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	
L(4)	8D	Insurance	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	
L(5)	8E, 17A	Review of Seller Documents	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance, or 5 Days after Delivery, whichever is later	
L(6)	8F, 16A	Preliminary ("Title") Report	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance or 5 Days after Delivery, whichever is later	
L(7)	8G, 11J	Common Interest Disclosures Per Civil Code § 4525 or this Agreement	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance, or 5 Days after Delivery, whichever is later	
L(8)	8H, 9B(6)	Review of leased or liened items (E.g. solar panels or propane tanks)	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance, or 5 Days after Delivery, whichever is later	
L(9)	8K	Sale of Buyer's Property Sale of Buyer's property is not a contingency, UNLESS checked here: <input type="checkbox"/> C.A.R. Form COP attached		
M		Possession	Time for Performance	Additional Terms
M(1)	3E(3), 7A	Vacant Units to be delivered Vacant Tenant Occupied Units to be delivered subject to tenant rights	Upon notice of recordation On COE date	<input type="checkbox"/> Unit(s) _____ to be delivered vacant. C.A.R. Form TOPA attached.
M(2)	7D	Seller Occupied to be delivered vacant	Upon Notice or recordation, OR <input type="checkbox"/> 6 PM or _____ <input type="checkbox"/> AM/ <input type="checkbox"/> PM On COE date or, if checked below, <input type="checkbox"/> _____ days after COE (29 or fewer days) <input type="checkbox"/> _____ days after COE (30 or more days)	C.A.R. Form SIP attached if 29 or fewer days. C.A.R. Form RLAS attached if 30 or more days.
N		Documents/Fees/Compliance	Time for Performance	
N(1)	17A	Seller Delivery of Documents	7 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	
N(2)	22B	Sign and return Escrow Holder General Provisions, Supplemental Instructions	5 (or _____) Days after Delivery	
N(3)	11H(2)	Time to pay fees for ordering HOA Documents	3 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	
N(4)	10B(1)	Install smoke alarm(s), CO detector(s), water heater bracing	7 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	
N(5)	36	Evidence of representative authority	3 Days after Acceptance	



Property Address: _____ Date: _____

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P	Items Included and Excluded			
P(1)	9	Items Included - All items specified in Paragraph 9B are included and the following, if checked:		
		<input type="checkbox"/> _____.	<input type="checkbox"/> _____.	<input type="checkbox"/> _____.
P(2)	9	Excluded Items:		
		<input type="checkbox"/> _____;	<input type="checkbox"/> _____;	<input type="checkbox"/> _____;
Q	Allocation of Costs			
	Paragraph #	Item Description	Who Pays (if Both is checked, cost to be split equally unless Otherwise Agreed)	Additional Terms
Q(1)	10A, 11B(1)(A)	Natural Hazard Zone Disclosure Report, including tax information	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Environmental <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Provided by: _____
Q(2)		Optional Wildfire Disclosure Report	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	Provided by: _____
Q(3)		(A) _____ Report (B) _____ Report	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
Q(4)	10B(1)	Smoke alarms, CO detectors, water heater bracing	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
Q(5)	10A 10B(2)	Government Required Point of Sale inspections, reports	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
Q(6)	10B(2)	Government Required Point of Sale corrective/remedial actions	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
Q(7)	10B(4)	Fire extinguishers, sprinklers, hoses	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
Q(8)	10B(4)	Drain cover and anti-entrapment devices for pool/spa	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
Q(9)	22B	Escrow Fees	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Each to pay their own fees	Escrow Holder: _____
Q(10)	16	Owner's title insurance policy	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	Title Company (If different from Escrow Holder): _____
Q(11)		Buyer's Lender title insurance policy	Buyer	Unless Otherwise Agreed, Buyer shall purchase any title insurance policy insuring Buyer's lender.
Q(12)		County transfer tax, fees	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
Q(13)		City transfer tax, fees	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
Q(14)	11J(2)	HOA fee for preparing disclosures	Seller	
Q(15)		HOA certification fee	Buyer	
Q(16)		HOA transfer fees	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	Unless Otherwise Agreed, Seller shall pay for separate HOA move-out fee and Buyer shall pay for separate move-in fee. Applies if separately billed or itemized with cost in transfer fee.
Q(17)		Private transfer fees	Seller, or if checked, <input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
Q(18)	10B(4)	Installation of safety features, required by law	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
Q(19)		_____ fees or costs	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
Q(20)	10C	Home warranty plan, chosen by Buyer. Coverage includes, but is not limited to: _____ _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Buyer waives home warranty plan	If Seller or Both checked, Seller's cost not to exceed \$ _____. Issued by: _____
R	12	Additional Tenancy Documents: <input type="checkbox"/> Income and Expense Statements <input type="checkbox"/> Tenant Estoppel Certificate		
S	OTHER TERMS: _____			

4. **PROPERTY ADDENDA AND ADVISORIES:** (check all that apply)
A. PROPERTY TYPE ADDENDA: This Agreement is subject to the terms contained in the Addenda checked below:
 Probate Agreement Purchase Addendum (C.A.R. Form PA-PA)
 Mixed Use Purchase Addendum (C.A.R. Form MU-PA) Other _____



Property Address: _____ Date: _____

- B. OTHER ADDENDA:** This Agreement is subject to the terms contained in the Addenda checked below:
- | | |
|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Addendum # _____ (C.A.R. Form ADM) | <input type="checkbox"/> Assumed Financing Addendum (C.A.R. Form AFA) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Short Sale Addendum (C.A.R. Form SSA) | <input type="checkbox"/> Back Up Offer Addendum (C.A.R. Form BUO) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Court Confirmation Addendum (C.A.R. Form CCA) | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Septic, Well, Property Monument and Propane Addendum (C.A.R. Form SWPI) | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Buyer Intent to Exchange Addendum (C.A.R. Form BXA) | <input type="checkbox"/> Seller Intent to Exchange Addendum (C.A.R. Form SXA) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ |

C. BUYER AND SELLER ADVISORIES: (Note: All Advisories below are provided for reference purposes only and are not intended to be incorporated into this Agreement.)

- | | |
|--|---|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Buyer's Investigation Advisory (C.A.R. Form BIA) | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Fair Housing and Discrimination Advisory (C.A.R. Form FHDA) |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Wire Fraud Advisory (C.A.R. Form WFA) | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Cal. Consumer Privacy Act Advisory (C.A.R. Form CCPA) |
| | (Parties may also receive a privacy disclosure from their own Agent.) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Wildfire Disaster Advisory (C.A.R. Form WFDA) | <input type="checkbox"/> Statewide Buyer and Seller Advisory (C.A.R. Form SBSA) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Trust Advisory (C.A.R. Form TA) | <input type="checkbox"/> Short Sale Information and Advisory (C.A.R. Form SSIA) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> REO Advisory (C.A.R. Form REO) | <input type="checkbox"/> Probate Advisory (C.A.R. Form PA) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ |

5. ADDITIONAL TERMS AFFECTING PURCHASE PRICE: Buyer represents that funds will be good when deposited with Escrow Holder.

A. DEPOSIT:

- (1) **INITIAL DEPOSIT:** Buyer shall deliver deposit directly to Escrow Holder. If a method other than wire transfer is specified in **paragraph 3D(1)** and such method is unacceptable to Escrow Holder, then upon notice from Escrow Holder, delivery shall be by wire transfer.
- (2) **INCREASED DEPOSIT:** Increased deposit **specified in paragraph 3D(2)** to be delivered to Escrow Holder in the same manner as the Initial Deposit. If the Parties agree to liquidated damages in this Agreement, they also agree to incorporate the increased deposit into the liquidated damages amount by signing a new liquidated damages clause (C.A.R. Form DID) at the time the increased deposit is delivered to Escrow Holder.
- (3) **RETENTION OF DEPOSIT:** **Paragraph 37, if initialed by all Parties or otherwise incorporated into this Agreement, specifies a remedy for Buyer's default. Buyer and Seller are advised to consult with a qualified California real estate attorney: (i) Before adding any other clause specifying a remedy (such as release or forfeiture of deposit or making a deposit non-refundable) for failure of Buyer to complete the purchase. Any such clause shall be deemed invalid unless the clause independently satisfies the statutory liquidated damages requirements set forth in the Civil Code; and (ii) Regarding possible liability and remedies if Buyer fails to deliver the deposit.**

B. ALL CASH OFFER: If an all cash offer is specified in **paragraph 3A**, no loan is needed to purchase the Property. This Agreement is NOT contingent on Buyer obtaining a loan. Buyer shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3H(1)**, Deliver written verification of funds sufficient for the purchase price and closing costs.

C. LOAN(S):

- (1) **FIRST LOAN:** This loan will provide for conventional financing **UNLESS** FHA, VA, Seller Financing (C.A.R. Form SFA), Assumed Financing, Subject To Financing, or Other is checked in **paragraph 3E(1)**.
- (2) **ADDITIONAL FINANCED AMOUNT:** If an additional financed amount is specified in **paragraph 3E(2)**, that amount will provide for conventional financing **UNLESS** Seller Financing (C.A.R. Form SFA), Assumed Financing, Subject To Financing, or Other is checked in **paragraph 3E(2)**.
- (3) **BUYER'S LOAN STATUS:** Buyer authorizes Seller and Seller's Authorized Agent to contact Buyer's lender(s) to determine the status of any Buyer's loan specified in **paragraph 3E**, or any alternate loan Buyer pursues, whether or not a contingency of this Agreement. If the contact information for Buyer's lender(s) is different from that provided under the terms of **paragraph 6B**, Buyer shall Deliver the updated contact information within **1 Day** of Seller's request.
- (4) **FHA/VA:** If FHA or VA is checked in **paragraph 3E(1)**, a FHA/VA amendatory clause (C.A.R. Form FVAC) shall be incorporated and Signed by all Parties. Buyer shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3E(1)**, Deliver to Seller written notice (C.A.R. Form RR or AEA) **(i)** of any lender requirements that Buyer requests Seller to pay for or otherwise correct or **(ii)** that there are no lender requirements. Notwithstanding Seller's agreement that Buyer may obtain FHA or VA financing, Seller has no obligation to pay or satisfy any or all lender requirements unless agreed in writing.
- (5) **ASSUMED OR SUBJECT TO FINANCING:** Seller represents that Seller is not delinquent on any payments due on any loans. If the Property is acquired subject-to an existing loan, Buyer and Seller are advised to consult with legal counsel regarding the ability of an existing lender to call the loan due, and the consequences thereof.

D. BALANCE OF PURCHASE PRICE (DOWN PAYMENT, paragraph 3F) (including all-cash funds) to be deposited with Escrow Holder pursuant to Escrow Holder instructions.

E. LIMITS ON CREDITS TO BUYER: Any credit to Buyer **as specified in paragraph 3G(1) or Otherwise Agreed**, from any source, for closing or other costs that is agreed to by the Parties ("Contractual Credit") shall be disclosed to Buyer's lender, if any, and made at Close Of Escrow. If the total credit allowed by Buyer's lender ("Lender Allowable Credit") is less than the Contractual Credit, then **(i)** the Contractual Credit from Seller shall be reduced to the Lender Allowable Credit, and **(ii)** in the absence of a separate written agreement between the Parties, there shall be no automatic adjustment to the purchase price to make up for the difference between the Contractual Credit and the Lender Allowable Credit.

6. ADDITIONAL FINANCING TERMS:

A. VERIFICATION OF DOWN PAYMENT AND CLOSING COSTS: Written verification of Buyer's down payment and closing costs may be made by Buyer or Buyer's lender or loan broker pursuant to **paragraph 6B**.

B. VERIFICATION OF LOAN APPLICATIONS: Buyer shall Deliver to Seller, within the time specified in **paragraph 3H(3)** a letter from Buyer's lender or loan broker stating that, based on a review of Buyer's written application and credit report, Buyer is prequalified or preapproved for any NEW loan specified in **paragraph 3E**. If any loan specified in **paragraph 3E** is an adjustable rate loan, the prequalification or preapproval letter shall be based on the qualifying rate, not the initial loan rate.

C. BUYER STATED FINANCING: Seller is relying on Buyer's representation of the type of financing specified (including, but not limited to, as applicable, all cash, amount of down payment, or contingent or non-contingent loan). Seller has agreed to a specific closing date, purchase price, and to sell to Buyer in reliance on Buyer's specified financing. Buyer shall pursue the financing specified in this Agreement, even if Buyer also elects to pursue an alternative form of financing. Seller has no obligation to cooperate with Buyer's efforts to obtain any financing other than that specified in this Agreement but shall not interfere with closing at the purchase price on the COE date (**paragraph 3B**) even if based upon alternate financing. Buyer's inability to obtain alternate financing does not excuse Buyer from the obligation to purchase the Property and close escrow as specified in this Agreement.



7. CLOSING AND POSSESSION:

- A. OCCUPANCY:** Seller shall disclose to Buyer which unit(s) are occupied by tenants (including any adult other than Seller). If a tenant occupied unit is to be delivered vacant pursuant to **paragraphs 3M(1)** or elsewhere, unless Otherwise Agreed, such as in a counter offer or C.A.R. Form TOPA, Seller is responsible for delivering the unit vacant. Occupancy may impact available financing.
- B. CONDITION OF PROPERTY ON CLOSING:** Unless Otherwise Agreed: **(i)** the Property shall be delivered **“As-Is”** in its PRESENT physical condition as of the date of Acceptance; **(ii)** the Property, including pool, spa, landscaping and grounds, is to be maintained in substantially the same condition as on the date of Acceptance; **(iii) Except as specified in paragraph 9C, Seller is not responsible to repair any holes left after the removal of any wall hangings (such as pictures and mirrors), brackets, nails or other fastening devices; and (iv)** all debris and personal property not included in the sale shall be removed by Close Of Escrow or at the time possession is delivered to Buyer, if not on the same date. If items are not removed when possession is delivered to Buyer, all items shall be deemed abandoned. Buyer, after first Delivering to Seller written notice to remove the items within **3 Days**, may pay to have such items removed or disposed of and may bring legal action, as per this Agreement, to receive reasonable costs from Seller.
- C. Buyer is strongly advised to conduct investigations of the entire Property in order to determine its present condition. Seller and Agents may not be aware of all defects affecting the Property or other factors that Buyer considers important. Property improvements may not be built according to code, in compliance with current Law, or have had all required permits issued and/or finalized.**
- D. SELLER REMAINING IN POSSESSION AFTER CLOSE OF ESCROW:** If Seller has the right to remain in possession after Close Of Escrow pursuant to **paragraph 3M(2)** or as Otherwise Agreed, **(i)** the Parties are advised to consult with their insurance and legal advisors for information about liability and damage or injury to persons and personal and real property; **(ii)** Buyer is advised to consult with Buyer’s lender about the impact of Seller’s occupancy on Buyer’s loan; and **(iii)** consult with a qualified California real estate attorney where the Property is located to determine the ongoing rights and responsibilities of both Buyer and Seller with regard to each other, including possible tenant rights, and what type of written agreement to use to document the relationship between the Parties.
- E. At Close Of Escrow: (i)** Seller assigns to Buyer any assignable warranty rights for items included in the sale; and **(ii)** Seller shall Deliver to Buyer available Copies of any such warranties. Agents cannot and will not determine the assignability of any warranties.
- F.** Seller shall, on Close Of Escrow unless Otherwise Agreed and even if Seller remains in possession, provide keys, passwords, codes and/or means to operate all locks, mailboxes, security systems, alarms, home automation systems, intranet and Internet-connected devices included in the purchase price, garage door openers, and all items included in either **paragraph 3P** or **paragraph 9**. If the Property is a condominium or located in a common interest development, Seller shall be responsible for securing or providing any such items for Association amenities, facilities, and access. Buyer may be required to pay a deposit to the Homeowners’ Association (“HOA”) to obtain keys to accessible HOA facilities.

8. CONTINGENCIES AND REMOVAL OF CONTINGENCIES:

A. LOAN(S):

- (1) This Agreement is, **unless otherwise specified in paragraph 3L(1) or an attached CR form**, contingent upon Buyer obtaining the loan(s) specified. If contingent, Buyer shall act diligently and in good faith to obtain the designated loan(s). **If there is no appraisal contingency or the appraisal contingency has been waived or removed, then failure of the Property to appraise at the purchase price does not entitle Buyer to exercise the cancellation right pursuant to the loan contingency if Buyer is otherwise qualified for the specified loan and Buyer is able to satisfy lender’s non-appraisal conditions for closing the loan.**
- (2) Buyer is advised to investigate the insurability of the Property as early as possible, as this may be a requirement for lending. Buyer’s ability to obtain insurance for the Property, including fire insurance, is part of Buyer’s **Insurance** contingency. Failure of Buyer to obtain insurance may justify cancellation based on the **Insurance** contingency but not the loan contingency.
- (3) Buyer’s contractual obligations regarding deposit, balance of down payment and closing costs **are not contingencies** of this Agreement, unless Otherwise Agreed.
- (4) If there is an appraisal contingency, removal of the loan contingency shall not be deemed removal of the appraisal contingency.
- (5) **NO LOAN CONTINGENCY:** If "No loan contingency" is checked in **paragraph 3L(1)**, obtaining any loan specified is NOT a contingency of this Agreement. If Buyer does not obtain the loan specified, and as a result is unable to purchase the Property, Seller may be entitled to Buyer’s deposit or other legal remedies.

B. APPRAISAL:

- (1) This Agreement is, **unless otherwise specified in paragraph 3L(2) or an attached CR form**, contingent upon a written appraisal of the Property by a licensed or certified appraiser at no less than the amount specified in **paragraph 3L(2)**, without requiring repairs or improvements to the Property. Appraisals are often a reliable source to verify square footage of the subject Property. However, the ability to cancel based on the measurements provided in an appraisal falls within the Investigation of Property contingency. The appraisal contingency is solely limited to the value determined by the appraisal. For any cancellation based upon this appraisal contingency, Buyer shall Deliver a Copy of the written appraisal to Seller, upon request by Seller.
- (2) **NO APPRAISAL CONTINGENCY:** If "No appraisal contingency" is checked in **paragraph 3L(2)**, then Buyer may not use the loan contingency specified in **paragraph 3L(1)** to cancel this Agreement if the sole reason for not obtaining the loan is that the appraisal relied upon by Buyer’s lender values the property at an amount less than that specified in **paragraph 3L(2)**. If Buyer is unable to obtain the loan specified solely for this reason, Seller may be entitled to Buyer’s deposit or other legal remedies.
- (3) **Fair Appraisal Act: See paragraph 33 for additional information.**

C. INVESTIGATION OF PROPERTY: This Agreement is, as specified in **paragraph 3L(3)**, contingent upon Buyer’s acceptance of the condition of, and any other matter affecting, the Property.

D. INSURANCE: This Agreement is, as specified in **paragraph 3L(4)**, contingent upon Buyer’s assessment of the availability and approval of the cost for any insurance policy desired under this Agreement.

E. REVIEW OF SELLER DOCUMENTS: This Agreement is, as specified in **paragraph 3L(5)**, contingent upon Buyer’s review and approval of Seller’s documents required in **paragraph 17A**.

F. TITLE; Preliminary (Title) Report:

- (1) This Agreement is, as specified in **paragraph 3L(6)**, contingent upon Buyer’s ability to obtain the title policy provided for in **paragraph 16G** and on Buyer’s review of a current Preliminary Report and items that are disclosed or observable even if not on record or not specified in the Preliminary Report, and satisfying Buyer regarding the current status of title. Buyer is advised to review all underlying documents and other matters affecting title, including, but not limited to, any documents or deeds referenced in the Preliminary Report and any plotted easements.



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(2) Buyer has **5 Days** after receipt to review a revised Preliminary Report, if any, furnished by the Title Company and cancel the transaction if the revised Preliminary Report reveals material or substantial deviations from a previously provided Preliminary Report.

G. CONDOMINIUM/PLANNED DEVELOPMENT DISCLOSURES (IF APPLICABLE): This Agreement is, as specified in **paragraph 3L(7)**, contingent upon Buyer's review and approval of Common Interest Disclosures required by Civil Code § 4525 and under **paragraph 11J** ("CI Disclosures").

H. BUYER REVIEW OF LEASED OR LIENED ITEMS CONTINGENCY: Buyer's review of and ability and willingness to assume any lease, maintenance agreement or other ongoing financial obligation, or to accept the Property subject to any lien, disclosed pursuant to **paragraph 9B(6)**, is, as specified in **paragraph 3L(8)**, a contingency of this Agreement. Any assumption of the lease shall not require any financial obligation or contribution by Seller. Seller, after first Delivering a Notice to Buyer to Perform, may cancel this Agreement if Buyer, by the time specified in **paragraph 3L(8)**, refuses to enter into any necessary written agreements to accept responsibility for all obligations of Seller-disclosed leased or lienied items.

I. REMOVAL OR WAIVER OF CONTINGENCIES WITH OFFER: Buyer shall have no obligation to remove a contractual contingency unless Seller has provided all required documents, reports, disclosures, and information pertaining to that contingency. If Buyer does remove a contingency without first receiving all required information from Seller, Buyer is relinquishing any contractual rights that apply to that contingency. **If Buyer removes or waives any contingencies without an adequate understanding of the Property's condition or Buyer's ability to purchase, Buyer is acting against the advice of Agent.**

J. REMOVAL OF CONTINGENCY OR CANCELLATION:

(1) **For any contingency specified in paragraph 3L, 8, or elsewhere, Buyer shall, within the applicable period specified, remove the contingency or cancel this Agreement.**

(2) For the contingencies for review of Seller Documents, Preliminary Report, and Condominium/Planned Development Disclosures, Buyer shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3L** or **5 Days** after Delivery of applicable Seller Documents, Preliminary Report, or CI Disclosures, whichever occurs later, remove the applicable contingency in writing or cancel this Agreement.

(3) If Buyer does not remove a contingency within the time specified, Seller, after first giving Buyer a Notice to Buyer to Perform (C.A.R. Form NBP), shall have the right to cancel this Agreement.

K. SALE OF BUYER'S PROPERTY: This Agreement and Buyer's ability to obtain financing are NOT contingent upon the sale of any property owned by Buyer unless the Sale of Buyer's Property (C.A.R. Form COP) is checked as a contingency of this Agreement in **paragraph 3L(9)**.

9. ITEMS INCLUDED IN AND EXCLUDED FROM SALE:

A. NOTE TO BUYER AND SELLER: Items listed as included or excluded in the Multiple Listing Service (MLS), flyers, marketing materials, or disclosures are NOT included in the purchase price or excluded from the sale unless specified in this paragraph or **paragraph 3P** or as Otherwise Agreed. Any items included herein are components of the Property and are not intended to affect the price. All items are transferred without Seller warranty.

B. ITEMS INCLUDED IN SALE:

(1) All EXISTING fixtures and fittings that are attached to the Property;

(2) EXISTING electrical, mechanical, lighting, plumbing and heating fixtures, ceiling fans, fireplace inserts, gas logs and grates, solar power systems, built-in appliances and appliances for which special openings or encasements have been made (whether or not included in **paragraph 3P**), window and door screens, awnings, shutters, window coverings (which includes blinds, curtains, drapery, shutters or any other materials that cover any portion of the window) and any associated hardware and rods, attached floor coverings, television antennas, satellite dishes, air coolers/conditioners, pool/spa equipment (including, but not limited to, any cleaning equipment such as motorized/automatic pool cleaners, pool heaters, pool nets, pool covers), garage door openers/remote controls, mailbox, in-ground landscaping, water features and fountains, water softeners, water purifiers, light bulbs (including smart bulbs) and all items specified as included in **paragraph 3P**, **if currently existing and owned by Seller at the time of Acceptance.**

Note: If Seller does not intend to include any item specified as being included above because it is not owned by Seller, whether placed on the Property by Agent, stager, tenant, or other third party, the item should be listed as being excluded in **paragraph 3P(2)** or excluded by Seller in a counter offer.

(3) Security System includes any devices, hardware, software, or control units used to monitor and secure the Property, including but not limited to, any motion detectors, door or window alarms, and any other equipment utilized for such purpose. If checked in **paragraph 3P**, all such items are included in the sale, whether hard wired or not.

(4) Home Automation (Smart Home Features) includes any electronic devices and features including, but not limited to, thermostat controls, kitchen appliances not otherwise excluded, and lighting systems, that are connected (hard wired or wirelessly) to a control unit, computer, tablet, phone, or other "smart" device. Any Smart Home devices and features that are physically affixed to the real property, and also existing light bulbs, are included in the sale. Buyer is advised to use **paragraph 3P(1)** or an addendum to address more directly specific items to be included. Seller is advised to use a counter offer to address more directly any items to be excluded.

(5) Non-Dedicated Devices: All smart home and security system included in the sale include control devices, except for any non-dedicated personal computer, tablet, or phone used to control such features. Buyer acknowledges that a separate device and access to wifi or Internet may be required to operate some smart home features and Buyer may have to obtain such device after Close Of Escrow. Seller shall de-list any devices from any personal accounts and shall cooperate with any transfer of services to Buyer. Buyer is advised to change all passwords and ensure the security of any smart home features.

(6) **LEASED OR LIENED ITEMS AND SYSTEMS:** Seller, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, shall (i) disclose to Buyer if any item or system specified in **paragraph 3P** or **9B** or otherwise included in the sale is leased, or not owned by Seller, or is subject to any maintenance or other ongoing financial obligation, or specifically subject to a lien or other encumbrance or loan, and (ii) Deliver to Buyer all written materials (such as lease, warranty, financing, etc.) concerning any such item.

(7) Seller represents that all items included in the purchase price, unless Otherwise Agreed, (i) are owned by Seller and shall be transferred free and clear of liens and encumbrances, except the items and systems identified pursuant to **paragraph 9B(6)**, and (ii) are transferred without Seller warranty regardless of value. Seller shall cooperate with the identification of any software or applications and Buyer's efforts to transfer any services needed to operate any Smart Home Features or other items included in this Agreement, including, but not limited to, utilities or security systems.

(8) A complete inventory of all personal property of Seller currently used in the operation of the Property and included in the purchase price shall be delivered to Buyer within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**.



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- (9) Seller shall deliver title to the personal property by Bill of Sale, free of all liens and encumbrances, and without warranty of condition.
- (10) As additional security for any note in favor of Seller for any part of the purchase price, Buyer shall execute a UCC-1 Financing Statement to be filed with the Secretary of State, covering the personal property included in the purchase, replacement thereof, and insurance proceeds.

C. ITEMS EXCLUDED FROM SALE: Unless Otherwise Agreed, the following items are excluded from sale: **(i)** All items specified in **paragraph 3P(2)**; **(ii)** audio and video components (such as flat screen TVs, speakers and other items) if any such item is not itself attached to the Property, even if a bracket or other mechanism attached to the component or item is attached to the Property; **(iii)** furniture and other items secured to the Property for earthquake or safety purposes. **Unless otherwise specified in paragraph 3P(1), brackets attached to walls, floors or ceilings for any such component, furniture or item will be removed and holes or other damage shall be repaired, but not painted.**

10. ALLOCATION OF COSTS:

A. INSPECTIONS, REPORTS, TESTS, AND CERTIFICATES: Paragraphs **3Q(1), (2), (3)** and **(5)** only determines who is to pay for the inspection, report, test, certificate or service mentioned; **it does not determine who is to pay for any work recommended or identified in the any such document. Agreements for payment of required work should be specified elsewhere in paragraph 3Q, or 3S, or in a separate agreement (such as C.A.R. Forms RR, RRRR, ADM or AEA).** Any reports in these paragraphs shall be Delivered in the time specified in **Paragraph 3N(1).**

B. GOVERNMENT REQUIREMENTS AND CORRECTIVE OR REMEDIAL ACTIONS:

(1) **LEGALLY REQUIRED INSTALLATIONS AND PROPERTY IMPROVEMENTS:** Any required installation of smoke alarm or carbon monoxide device(s) or securing of water heater shall be completed within **the time specified in paragraph 3N(4) and paid by Party specified in paragraph 3Q(4).** If Buyer is to pay for these items, Buyer, as instructed by Escrow Holder, shall deposit funds into escrow or directly to the vendor completing the repair or installation. Prior to Close Of Escrow, Seller shall Deliver to Buyer written statement(s) of compliance in accordance with any Law, unless Seller is exempt. If Seller is to pay for these items and does not fulfill Seller's obligation in the time specified, and Buyer incurs costs to comply with lender requirements concerning those items, Seller shall be responsible for Buyer's costs.

(2) **POINT OF SALE REQUIREMENTS:**

(A) Point of sale inspections, reports and repairs refer to any such actions required to be completed before or after Close Of Escrow that are required in order to close under any Law **and paid by the Party specified in paragraphs 3Q(5) and 3Q(6).** Unless Parties Otherwise Agree to another time period, any such repair, shall be completed prior to final verification of Property. If Buyer agrees to pay for any portion of such repair, Buyer, shall **(i)** directly pay to the vendor completing the repair or **(ii)** provide an invoice to Escrow Holder, deposit funds into escrow sufficient to pay for Buyer's portion of such repair and request Escrow Holder pay the vendor completing the repair.

(B) Buyer shall be provided, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, unless Parties Otherwise Agree to another time period, a Copy of any required government-conducted or point-of-sale inspection report prepared pursuant to this Agreement or in anticipation of this sale of the Property.

(3) **REINSPECTION FEES:** If any repair in **paragraph 10B(1)** is not completed within the time specified and the lender requires an additional inspection to be made, Seller shall be responsible for any corresponding reinspection fee. If Buyer incurs costs to comply with lender requirements concerning those items, Seller shall be responsible for those costs.

(4) **INSTALLATION OF SAFETY FEATURES:**

(A) The following installations shall be completed prior to final verification of condition unless Otherwise Agreed: **(i)** approved fire extinguisher(s), sprinkler(s), and hose(s), if required by law; and **(ii)** drain cover and anti-entrapment device or system meeting the minimum requirements permitted by the U.S. Consumer Products and Safety Commission for any pool or spa.

(B) If Buyer is to pay for these installations, Buyer, as instructed by Escrow Holder, shall deposit funds into escrow or directly to the vendor completing the repair or installation.

(5) **INFORMATION AND ADVICE ON REQUIREMENTS:** Buyer and Seller are advised to seek information from a knowledgeable source regarding local and State mandates and whether they are point of sale requirements or requirements of ownership. Agents do not have expertise in this area and cannot ascertain all of the requirements or costs of compliance.

C. HOME WARRANTY:

(1) Buyer shall choose the home warranty plan and any optional coverages indicated. Buyer shall pay any cost of that plan, chosen by Buyer, that exceeds the amount allocated to Seller in **paragraph 3Q(20).** Buyer is informed that home warranty plans have many optional coverages, including but not limited to, coverages for Air Conditioner and Pool/Spa. Buyer is advised to investigate these coverages to determine those that may be suitable for Buyer and their cost.

(2) **If Buyer waives the purchase of a home warranty plan in paragraph 3Q(20), Buyer may still purchase a home warranty plan, at Buyer's expense, prior to Close Of Escrow.**

11. STATUTORY AND OTHER DISCLOSURES (INCLUDING LEAD-BASED PAINT HAZARD DISCLOSURES) AND CANCELLATION RIGHTS:

A. LEAD DISCLOSURES:

(1) Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, for any residential property built before January 1, 1978, unless exempted by Law, Deliver to Buyer a fully completed Federal Lead-Based Paint Disclosures (C.A.R. Form LPD) and pamphlet ("Lead Disclosures").

(2) Buyer shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3L(3)**, have the opportunity to conduct a risk assessment or to inspect for the presence of lead-based paint hazards.

B. RESIDENTIAL 1-4 PROPERTY DISCLOSURES:

(1) **TDS, NHD, AND OTHER STATUTORY AND SUPPLEMENTAL DISCLOSURES:**

(A) Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, Deliver to Buyer: unless exempt, fully completed disclosures or notices required by §§ 1102 et. seq. and 1103 et. seq. of the Civil Code ("Statutory Disclosures"). Statutory Disclosures include, but are not limited to, a Real Estate Transfer Disclosure Statement (C.A.R. Form TDS), Natural Hazard Disclosure Statement ("NHD"), notice or actual knowledge of release of illegal controlled substance, notice of special tax and/or assessments (or, if allowed, substantially equivalent notice regarding the Mello-Roos Community Facilities Act of 1982 and Improvement Bond Act of 1915) and, if Seller has actual knowledge, of industrial use and military ordnance location (C.A.R. Form SPQ or ESD), and, if the Property is in a high or very high fire hazard severity area, the information, notices, documentation, and agreements required by §§ 1102.6(f) and 1102.19 of the Civil Code (C.A.R. Form FHDS).



- (B) The Real Estate Transfer Disclosure Statement required by this paragraph is considered fully completed if Seller has completed the section titled Coordination with Other Disclosure Forms by checking a box (Section I), and Seller has completed and answered all questions and Signed the Seller's Information section (Section II) and the Seller's Agent, if any, has completed and Signed the Seller's Agent's section (Section III), or, if applicable, an Agent Visual Inspection Disclosure (C.A.R. Form AVID). Section V acknowledgment of receipt of a Copy of the TDS shall be Signed after all previous sections, if applicable, have been completed. Nothing stated herein relieves a Buyer's Agent, if any, from the obligation to (i) conduct a reasonably competent and diligent visual inspection of the accessible areas of the Property and disclose, on Section IV of the TDS, or an AVID, material facts affecting the value or desirability of the Property that were or should have been revealed by such an inspection or (ii) complete any sections on all disclosures required to be completed by Buyer's Agent.
- (C) Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, provide "Supplemental Disclosures" as follows: (i) unless exempt from the obligation to provide a TDS, complete a Seller Property Questionnaire (C.A.R. Form SPQ) by answering all questions and Signing and Delivering a Copy to Buyer; (ii) if exempt from the obligation to provide a TDS, complete an Exempt Seller Disclosure (C.A.R. Form ESD) by answering all questions and Signing and Delivering a Copy to Buyer.
- (D) In the event Seller or Seller's Agent, prior to Close Of Escrow, becomes aware of adverse conditions materially affecting the Property, or any material inaccuracy in disclosures, information or representations previously provided to Buyer under this paragraph, Seller shall, in writing, promptly provide a subsequent or amended TDS, Seller Property Questionnaire or other document, in writing, covering those items. Any such document shall be deemed an amendment to the TDS or SPQ. **However, a subsequent or amended disclosure shall not be required for conditions and material inaccuracies of which Buyer is otherwise aware, or which are discovered by Buyer or disclosed in reports or documents provided to or ordered and paid for by Buyer.**
- (2) **HOME FIRE HARDENING DISCLOSURE AND ADVISORY:** For any transaction where a TDS is required, the property is located in a high or very high fire hazard severity zone, and the home was constructed before January 1, 2010, Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, Deliver to Buyer: (i) a home hardening disclosure required by law; and (ii) a statement of features of which the Seller is aware that may make the home vulnerable to wildfire and flying embers; and (iii) a final inspection report regarding compliance with defensible space requirements if one was prepared pursuant to Government Code § 51182 (C.A.R. Form FHDS).
- (3) **DEFENSIBLE SPACE DISCLOSURE AND ADDENDUM:** For any transaction in which a TDS is required and the property is located in a high or very high fire hazard severity zone, Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, Deliver to Buyer (i) a disclosure of whether the Property is in compliance with any applicable defensible space laws designed to protect a structure on the Property from fire; and (ii) an addendum allocating responsibility for compliance with any such defensible space law (C.A.R. Form FHDS).
- C. WAIVER PROHIBITED:** Waiver of Statutory, Lead, and other Disclosures in **paragraphs 11A, 11B(1)(A), 11B(2), and 11B(3)** are prohibited by Law.
- D. RETURN OF SIGNED COPIES:** Buyer shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3L(5) OR 5 Days** after Delivery of any disclosures specified in **paragraphs 11A, B(1), B(2), B(3)**, and defensible space addendum in **paragraph 11B(3)**, whichever is later, return Signed Copies of the disclosures, and if applicable, addendum, to Seller.
- E. TERMINATION RIGHTS:**
- (1) **Statutory and Other Disclosures:** If any disclosure specified in **paragraphs 11A, B(1), B(2), or B(3)**, or subsequent or amended disclosure to those just specified, is Delivered to Buyer after the offer is Signed, Buyer shall have the right to terminate this Agreement within **3 Days** after Delivery in person, or **5 Days** after Delivery by deposit in the mail, or by an electronic record or email satisfying the Uniform Electronic Transactions Act (UETA), by giving written notice of rescission to Seller or Seller's Authorized Agent. If Buyer does not rescind within this time period, Buyer has been deemed to have approved the disclosure and shall not have the right to cancel.
- (2) **Defensible Space Compliance:** If, by the time specified in **paragraph 11C**, Buyer does not agree to the terms regarding defensible space compliance Delivered by Seller, as indicated by mutual signatures on the FHDS, then Seller, after first Delivering a Notice to Buyer to Perform, may cancel this Agreement.
- F. WITHHOLDING TAXES:** Buyer and Seller hereby instruct Escrow Holder to withhold the applicable required amounts to comply with federal and California withholding Laws and forward such amounts to the Internal Revenue Service and Franchise Tax Board, respectively. However, no federal withholding is required if, prior to Close Of Escrow, Seller Delivers (i) to Buyer and Escrow Holder a fully completed affidavit (C.A.R. Form AS) sufficient to avoid withholding pursuant to federal withholding Law (FIRPTA); **OR (ii)** to a qualified substitute (usually a title company or an independent escrow company) a fully completed affidavit (C.A.R. Form AS) sufficient to avoid withholding pursuant to federal withholding Law AND the qualified substitute Delivers to Buyer and Escrow Holder an affidavit signed under penalty of perjury (C.A.R. Form QS) that the qualified substitute has received the fully completed Seller's affidavit and the Seller states that no federal withholding is required; **OR (iii)** to Buyer other documentation satisfying the requirements under Internal Revenue Code § 1445 (FIRPTA). No withholding is required under California Law if, prior to Close Of Escrow, Escrow Holder has received sufficient documentation from Seller that no withholding is required, and Buyer has been informed by Escrow Holder.
- G. MEGAN'S LAW DATABASE DISCLOSURE:** Notice: Pursuant to § 290.46 of the Penal Code, information about specified registered sex offenders is made available to the public via an Internet Web site maintained by the Department of Justice at **www.meganslaw.ca.gov**. Depending on an offender's criminal history, this information will include either the address at which the offender resides or the community of residence and ZIP Code in which he or she resides. (Neither Seller nor Agent are required to check this website. If Buyer wants further information, Agent recommends that Buyer obtain information from this website during Buyer's investigation contingency period. Agents do not have expertise in this area.)
- H. NOTICE REGARDING GAS AND HAZARDOUS LIQUID TRANSMISSION PIPELINES:** This notice is being provided simply to inform you that information about the general location of gas and hazardous liquid transmission pipelines is available to the public via the National Pipeline Mapping System (NPMS) Internet Web site maintained by the United States Department of Transportation at **http://www.npms.phmsa.dot.gov/**. To seek further information about possible transmission pipelines near the Property, you may contact your local gas utility or other pipeline operators in the area. Contact information for pipeline operators is searchable by ZIP Code and county on the NPMS Internet Website. (Neither Seller nor Agent are required to check this website. If Buyer wants further information, Agent recommends that Buyer obtain information from this website during Buyer's investigation contingency period. Agents do not have expertise in this area.)

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- I. NATURAL AND ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS:** Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, if required by Law: **(i)** Deliver to Buyer the earthquake guide and environmental hazards booklet, and for all residential property with 1-4 units and any manufactured or mobile home built before January 1, 1960, fully complete and Deliver the Residential Earthquake Risk Disclosure Statement; and **(ii)** even if exempt from the obligation to provide a NHD, disclose if the Property is located in a Special Flood Hazard Area; Potential Flooding (Inundation) Area; Very High Fire Hazard Zone; State Fire Responsibility Area; Earthquake Fault Zone; Seismic Hazard Zone; and **(iii)** disclose any other zone as required by Law and provide any other information required for those zones.
- J. CONDOMINIUM/PLANNED DEVELOPMENT DISCLOSURES:**
 - (1) Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, disclose to Buyer whether the Property is a condominium or is located in a planned development, other common interest development, or otherwise subject to covenants, conditions, and restrictions (C.A.R. Form SPQ or ESD).
 - (2) If the Property is a condominium or is located in a planned development or other common interest development with a HOA, Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(3)**, order from, and pay any required fee **as specified in paragraph 3Q(14)** for the following items to the HOA (C.A.R. Form HOA-IR): **(i)** Copies of any documents required by Law (C.A.R. Form HOA-RS); **(ii)** disclosure of any pending or anticipated claim or litigation by or against the HOA; **(iii)** a statement containing the location and number of designated parking and storage spaces; **(iv)** Copies of the most recent 12 months of HOA minutes for regular and special meetings; **(v)** the names and contact information of all HOAs governing the Property; **(vi)** pet restrictions; and **(vii)** smoking restrictions ("CI Disclosures"). Seller shall itemize and Deliver to Buyer all CI Disclosures received from the HOA and any CI Disclosures in Seller's possession. Seller shall, as directed by Escrow Holder, deposit funds into escrow or direct to HOA or management company to pay for any of the above.
- K. SOLAR POWER SYSTEMS:** For properties with any solar panels or solar power systems, Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, Deliver to Buyer all known information about the solar panels or solar power system. Seller **shall** use the Solar Advisory and Questionnaire (C.A.R. Form SOLAR).
- L. WATER CONSERVING PLUMBING DEVICES:** Civil Code § 1101.5 requires all multi-family residential and commercial real property be equipped with water-conserving plumbing devices. Seller, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, shall disclose in writing whether the property includes any noncompliant plumbing fixtures. Seller may use C.A.R. Form SPQ or ESD. See C.A.R. Form WCMD for more information.
- M. ELEVATED ELEMENTS:** If the Property is part of a building with 3 or more dwelling units, Health and Safety Code § 17973(m) requires that an inspection of any exterior elevated elements (such as, but not limited to, balconies, decks, stairways, and walkways) be completed by January 1, 2025 and every 6 years thereafter. Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)** provide to Buyer: (1) a copy of the inspection and accompanying report and, if any corrective work is required, proof that corrective work has been completed in accordance with code and permit requirements, or (2) a statement **(i)** that no such inspection has been made or **(ii)** if made, that no corrective work has been completed in accordance with the Health and Safety Code.
- N. SURVEY, PLANS, AND ENGINEERING DOCUMENTS:** Seller, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, shall provide to Buyer, Copies of surveys, plans, specifications, and engineering documents, if any, prepared on Seller's behalf on in Seller's possession.
- O. PERMITS:** Seller, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, shall provide to Buyer, if in Seller's possession, copies of all permits and approvals, certificates of occupancy, conditional use permits, development plans, and licenses and permits pertaining to the operation of the Property.
- P. STRUCTURAL MODIFICATIONS:** Seller, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, shall in writing disclose to Buyer, Known structural additions or alterations to, or the installation, alteration, repair or replacement of, significant components of the structure(s) upon the Property.
- Q. GOVERNMENTAL COMPLIANCE:** Within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**,
 - (1) Seller shall disclose to Buyer any improvements, additions, alterations, or repairs to the Property made by Seller, or known to Seller to have been made, without required governmental permits, final inspections, and approvals
 - (2) Seller shall disclose to Buyer if Seller has actual knowledge of any notice of violations of Law filed or issued against the Property.
- R. BALCONIES, EXTERIOR STAIRWAYS AND OTHER ELEVATED ELEMENTS:** For properties with any building containing 3 or more dwelling units with elevated balconies, stairways or other elements, Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, Deliver to Buyer the Wooden Balcony and Stairs Addendum (C.A.R. Form WBSA) and comply with its terms.
- S. KNOWN MATERIAL FACTS:** Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, DISCLOSE KNOWN MATERIAL FACTS AND DEFECTS affecting the Property, including, but not limited to, known insurance claims within the past five years, or provide Buyer with permission to contact lender to get such information (C.A.R. Form ARC), and make any and all other disclosures required by Law.
- T. COMMERCIAL SELLER PROPERTY QUESTIONNAIRE:** If Seller is not providing a SPQ, Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, complete and provide Buyer with a Commercial Seller Property Questionnaire (C.A.R. Form CSPQ).
- U. SUBSEQUENT DISCLOSURES:** In the event Seller, prior to Close Of Escrow, becomes aware of adverse conditions materially affecting the Property, or any material inaccuracy in disclosures, information, or representations previously provided to Buyer, Seller shall promptly Deliver a subsequent or amended disclosure or notice, in writing, covering those items, if not already required under **paragraph 11B(1)(D)**. However, a subsequent or amended disclosure shall not be required for conditions and material inaccuracies of which Buyer is otherwise aware or which are disclosed in reports provided to or obtained by Buyer or ordered and paid for by Buyer.
- 12. TENANCY RELATED DISCLOSURES:** Within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, and subject to Buyer's right of review, Seller shall disclose, make available or Deliver, as applicable, to Buyer, the following information:
 - A. RENTAL/SERVICE AGREEMENTS:** **(i)** All current leases, rental agreements, service contracts, and other agreements pertaining to the operation of the Property; **(ii)** A rental statement including names of tenants, rental rates, period or rental, date of last rent increase, security deposits, rental concessions, rebates or other benefits, if any, and a list of delinquent rents and their duration. Seller represents that no tenant is entitled to any rebate, concession, or other benefit, except as set forth in these documents. Seller represents that the documents to be furnished are those maintained in the ordinary and normal course of business.
 - B. INCOME AND EXPENSE STATEMENTS:** If checked in **paragraph 3R**, the books and records for the Property, if any, including a statement of income and expense for the 12 months preceding Acceptance. Seller represents that the books and records are those maintained in the ordinary and normal course of business and used by Seller in the computation of federal and state income tax returns.



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C. TENANT ESTOPPEL CERTIFICATES: If checked in **paragraph 3R**, Tenant Estoppel Certificates (C.A.R. Form TEC). Tenant Estoppel Certificates shall be completed by Seller or Seller's agent and delivered to tenant(s) for tenant(s) to sign and acknowledge: **(i)** that tenant(s)' rental or lease agreements are unmodified and in full force and effect, (or if modified, stating all such modifications); **(ii)** that no lessor defaults exist; and **(iii)** stating the amount of any prepaid rent or security deposit. Seller shall exercise good faith to obtain tenant(s)' signature(s), but Seller cannot guarantee tenant(s)' cooperation. In the event Seller cannot obtain signed Tenant Estoppel Certificates within the time specified above, Seller shall notify Buyer and provide the unsigned one that was provided to tenant(s). If, after the time specified for Seller to Deliver the TEC to Buyer, any tenant(s) sign and return a TEC to Seller, Seller shall Deliver that TEC to Buyer.

D. SELLER REPRESENTATIONS: Unless otherwise disclosed under **paragraph 11, paragraph 12**, or under any disclosure Delivered to Buyer:

- (1) Seller represents that Seller has no actual knowledge that any tenant(s): **(i)** has any current pending lawsuit(s), investigation(s), Inquiry(ies), action(s), or other proceeding(s) affecting the Property of the right to use and occupy it; **(ii)** has any unsatisfied mechanics or materialman lien(s) affecting the Property; and **(iii)** is the subject of a bankruptcy. If Seller receives any such notice, prior to Close Of Escrow, Seller shall immediately notify Buyer.
- (2) Seller represents that no tenant is entitled to any rebate, concessions, or other benefit, except as set forth in the rental service agreements.
- (3) Seller represents that the documents to be furnished are those maintained in the ordinary and normal course of business and the income and expense statements are and used by Seller in the computation of federal and state income tax returns.

13. CHANGES DURING ESCROW:

- A.** Prior to Close Of Escrow, Seller may engage in the following acts ("Proposed Changes"), subject to Buyer's rights in **paragraph 13B**: **(i)** rent or lease any vacant unit or other part of the premises; **(ii)** alter, modify, or extend any existing rental or lease agreement; **(iii)** enter into, alter, modify, or extend any service contract(s); or **(iv)** change the status of the condition of the Property.
- B.** (1) At least **7 Days** prior to any Proposed Changes, Seller shall Deliver written notice to Buyer of such Proposed Change.
(2) Within **5 Days** after receipt of such notice, Buyer, in writing, may give Seller notice of Buyer's objection to the Proposed Changes in which case Seller shall not make the Proposed Changes.

14. SECURITY DEPOSITS AND UNEARNED RENT: Security deposits, if any, to the extent they have not been applied by Seller in accordance with any rental agreement and current Law, and all prepaid but unearned rents, if any, shall be transferred to Buyer on Close Of Escrow. Seller shall notify each tenant regarding the security deposit, in compliance with the California Civil Code.

15. BUYER'S INVESTIGATION OF PROPERTY AND MATTERS AFFECTING PROPERTY:

- A.** Buyer shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3L(3)**, have the right, at Buyer's expense unless Otherwise Agreed, to conduct inspections, investigations, tests, surveys and other studies ("Buyer Investigations").
- B.** Buyer Investigations include, but are not limited to:
 - (1) Inspections regarding any physical attributes of the Property or items connected to the Property, such as:
 - (A) A general home inspection.
 - (B) An inspection for lead-based paint and other lead-based paint hazards.
 - (C) An inspection specifically for wood destroying pests and organisms. Any inspection for wood destroying pests and organisms shall be prepared by a registered Structural Pest Control company; shall cover the main building and attached structures; may cover detached structures; shall NOT include water tests of shower pans on upper level units unless the owners of property below the shower consent; shall NOT include roof coverings; and, if the Property is a unit in a condominium or other common interest subdivision, the inspection shall include only the separate interest and any exclusive-use areas being transferred, and shall NOT include common areas; and shall include a report ("Pest Control Report") showing the findings of the company which shall be separated into sections for evident infestation or infections (Section 1) and for conditions likely to lead to infestation or infection (Section 2).
 - (D) Any other specific inspections of the physical condition of the land and improvements.
 - (2) Investigation of any other matter affecting the Property, other than those that are specified as separate contingencies. Buyer Investigations **do not include, among other things, an assessment of the availability and cost of general homeowner's insurance, flood insurance, and fire insurance.** See, Buyer's Investigation Advisory (C.A.R. Form BIA) for more.
- C.** Without Seller's prior written consent, Buyer shall neither make nor cause to be made: **(i)** invasive or destructive Buyer Investigations, except for minimally invasive testing required to prepare a Pest Control Report, which shall not include any holes or drilling through stucco or similar material; or **(ii)** inspections by any governmental building or zoning inspector or government employee, unless required by Law.
- D.** Seller shall make the Property available for all Buyer Investigations. Seller is not obligated to move any existing personal property. Seller shall have water, gas, electricity and all operable pilot lights on for Buyer's Investigations and through the date possession is delivered to Buyer. Buyer shall, **(i)** by the time specified in **paragraph 3L(3)**, complete Buyer Investigations and satisfy themselves as to the condition of the Property, and either remove the contingency or cancel this Agreement, and **(ii)** by the time specified in **paragraph 3L(3)** or **3 Days** after receipt of any Investigation report, whichever is later, give Seller at no cost, complete Copies of all such reports obtained by Buyer, which obligation shall survive the termination of this Agreement. This Delivery of Investigation reports shall not include any appraisal, except an appraisal received in connection with an FHA or VA loan.
- E. Buyer indemnity and Seller protection for entry upon the Property:** Buyer shall: **(i)** keep the Property free and clear of liens; **(ii)** repair all damage arising from Buyer Investigations; and **(iii)** indemnify and hold Seller harmless from all resulting liability, claims, demands, damages and costs. Buyer shall carry, or Buyer shall require anyone acting on Buyer's behalf to carry, policies of liability, workers' compensation and other applicable insurance, defending and protecting Seller from liability for any injuries to persons or property occurring during any Buyer Investigations or work done on the Property at Buyer's direction prior to Close Of Escrow. Seller is advised that certain protections may be afforded Seller by recording a "Notice of Non-Responsibility" (C.A.R. Form NNR) for Buyer Investigations and work done on the Property at Buyer's direction. Buyer's obligations under this paragraph shall survive the termination of this Agreement.

16. TITLE AND VESTING:

- A.** Buyer shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, be provided a current Preliminary Report by the person responsible for paying for the title report in **paragraph 3Q(10)**. If Buyer is responsible for paying, Buyer shall act diligently and in good faith to obtain such Preliminary Report within the time specified. The Preliminary Report is only an offer by the title insurer to issue a policy of title insurance and may not contain every item affecting title. The company providing the Preliminary Report shall, prior to issuing a Preliminary Report, conduct a search of the General Index for all Sellers except banks or other institutional lenders selling properties they acquired through foreclosure (REOs), corporations, and government entities.



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- B. Title is taken in its present condition subject to all encumbrances, easements, covenants, conditions, restrictions, rights and other matters, whether of record or not, as of the date of Acceptance except for: (i) monetary liens of record unless Buyer is assuming those obligations or taking the Property subject to those obligations; and (ii) those matters which Seller has agreed to remove in writing. For any lien or matter not being transferred upon sale, Seller will take necessary action to deliver title free and clear of such lien or matter.
- C. Seller shall within **7 Days** after request, give Escrow Holder necessary information to clear title.
- D. Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, disclose to Buyer all matters known to Seller affecting title, whether of record or not.
- E. If Buyer is a legal entity and the Property purchase price is at least \$300,000 and the purchase price is made without a bank loan or similar form of external financing, a Geographic Targeting Order (GTO) issued by the Financial Crimes Enforcement Network, U.S. Department of the Treasury, requires title companies to collect and report certain information about the Buyer, depending on where the Property is located. Buyer agrees to cooperate with the title company's effort to comply with the GTO.
- F. Buyer shall, after Close Of Escrow, receive a recorded grant deed or any other conveyance document required to convey title (For example, for stock cooperative or tenancy in common, respectively, an assignment of stock certificate or assignment of seller's interest in the real property), including oil, mineral and water rights if currently owned by Seller. Title shall vest as designated in Buyer's vesting instructions. The recording document shall contain Buyer's post-closing mailing address to enable Buyer's receipt of the recorded conveyance document from the County Recorder. **THE MANNER OF TAKING TITLE MAY HAVE SIGNIFICANT LEGAL AND TAX CONSEQUENCES. CONSULT AN APPROPRIATE PROFESSIONAL.**
- G. Buyer shall receive a Standard Coverage Owner's CLTA policy of title insurance. An ALTA policy or the addition of endorsements may provide greater coverage for Buyer. A title company, at Buyer's request, can provide information about the availability, desirability, coverage, and cost of various title insurance coverages and endorsements. If Buyer desires title coverage other than that required by this paragraph, Buyer shall instruct Escrow Holder in writing and shall pay any increase in cost.
- 17. TIME PERIODS; REMOVAL OF CONTINGENCIES; CANCELLATION RIGHTS: The following time periods may only be extended, altered, modified or changed by mutual written agreement. Any removal of contingencies or cancellation under this paragraph by either Buyer or Seller must be exercised in good faith and in writing (C.A.R. Form CR-B, CR-S or CC).**
- A. SELLER DELIVERY OF DOCUMENTS:** Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, Deliver to Buyer all reports, disclosures and information ("Reports") for which Seller is responsible as specified in **paragraphs 9B(6), 9B(8), 10, 11A, 11B, 11F, 11I-T, 12, 16A, 16D, and 36.**
- B. BUYER REVIEW OF DOCUMENTS; REPAIR REQUEST; CONTINGENCY REMOVAL OR CANCELLATION**
- (1) Buyer has the time specified in **paragraph 3** to: (i) perform Buyer Investigations; review all disclosures, Reports, lease documents to be assumed by Buyer pursuant to **paragraph 9B(6)**, and other applicable information, which Buyer receives from Seller; and approve all matters affecting the Property; and (ii) Deliver to Seller Signed Copies of Statutory and Other Disclosures Delivered by Seller in accordance with **paragraph 11.**
- (2) Buyer may, within the time specified in **paragraph 3L(3)**, request that Seller make repairs or take any other action regarding the Property (C.A.R. Form RR). Seller has no obligation to agree to or respond to Buyer's requests (C.A.R. Form RR or RRRR). If Seller does not agree or does not respond, Buyer is not contractually entitled to have the repairs or other requests made and may only cancel based on contingencies in this Agreement.
- (3) Buyer shall, by the end of the times specified in **paragraph 3L** (or as Otherwise Agreed), Deliver to Seller a removal of the applicable contingency or cancellation of this Agreement (C.A.R. Form CR-B or CC). **Buyer is advised not to remove contingencies related to review of documents until after the documents have been Delivered.** If Delivery of any Report occurs after a contractual contingency pertaining to that Report has already been waived or removed, the Delivery of the Report does not revive the contingency but there may be a right to terminate for a subsequent or amended disclosure under **paragraph 11E.**
- (4) **Continuation of Contingency:** Even after the end of the time specified in **paragraph 3L** and before Seller cancels, if at all, pursuant to **paragraph 17C**, Buyer retains the right, in writing, to either (i) remove remaining contingencies, or (ii) cancel this Agreement based on a remaining contingency. Once Buyer's written removal of all contingencies is Delivered to Seller, Seller may not cancel this Agreement pursuant to **paragraph 17C(1).**
- C. SELLER RIGHT TO CANCEL:**
- (1) **SELLER RIGHT TO CANCEL; BUYER CONTINGENCIES:** If, by the time specified in this Agreement, Buyer does not Deliver to Seller a removal of the applicable contingency or cancellation of this Agreement, then Seller, after first Delivering to Buyer a Notice to Buyer to Perform (C.A.R. Form NBP), may cancel this Agreement. In such event, Seller shall authorize the return of Buyer's deposit, except for fees incurred by Buyer.
- (2) **SELLER RIGHT TO CANCEL; BUYER CONTRACT OBLIGATIONS:** Seller, after first Delivering to Buyer a Notice to Buyer to Perform, may cancel this Agreement if, by the time specified in this Agreement, Buyer does not take the following action(s): (i) Deposit funds as required by **paragraph 3D(1)** or **3D(2)** or if the funds deposited pursuant to **paragraph 3D(1)** or **3D(2)** are not good when deposited; (ii) Deliver updated contact information for Buyer's lender(s) as required by **paragraph 5C(3)**; (iii) Deliver a notice of FHA or VA costs or terms, if any, as specified by **paragraph 5C(4)** (C.A.R. Form RR); (iv) Deliver verification, or a satisfactory verification if Seller reasonably disapproves of the verification already provided, as required by **paragraph 5B** or **6A**; (v) Deliver a letter as required by **paragraph 6B**; (vi) In writing assume or accept leases or liens specified in **paragraph 8H**; (vii) Return Statutory and Other Disclosures as required by **paragraph 11C**; (viii) Cooperate with the title company's effort to comply with the GTO as required by **paragraph 16E**; (ix) Sign or initial a separate liquidated damages form for an increased deposit as required by **paragraph 5A(2)** and **37**; (x) Provide evidence of authority to Sign in a representative capacity as specified in **paragraph 36**; or (xi) Perform any additional Buyer contractual obligation(s) included in this Agreement. In such event, Seller shall authorize the return of Buyer's deposit, except for fees allocated to Seller in this Agreement and already paid by Escrow prior to cancellation of this Agreement and notification to Escrow.
- (3) **SELLER RIGHT TO CANCEL; SELLER CONTINGENCIES:** Seller may cancel this Agreement by good faith exercise of any Seller contingency included in this Agreement, or Otherwise Agreed, so long as that contingency has not already been removed or waived in writing.
- D. BUYER RIGHT TO CANCEL:**
- (1) **BUYER RIGHT TO CANCEL; SELLER CONTINGENCIES:** If, by the time specified in this Agreement, Seller does not Deliver to Buyer a removal of the applicable contingency or cancellation of this Agreement, then Buyer, after first Delivering to Seller a Notice to Seller to Perform (C.A.R. Form NSP), may cancel this Agreement. In such event, Seller shall authorize the return of Buyer's deposit, except for fees allocated to Seller in the Agreement and already paid by Escrow prior to cancellation of this Agreement and notification to Escrow.

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- (2) **BUYER RIGHT TO CANCEL; SELLER CONTRACT OBLIGATIONS:** If, by the time specified, Seller has not Delivered any item specified in **paragraph 3N(1)** or Seller has not performed any Seller contractual obligation included in this Agreement by the time specified, Buyer, after first Delivering to Seller a Notice to Seller to Perform, may cancel this Agreement.
- (3) **BUYER RIGHT TO CANCEL; BUYER CONTINGENCIES:** Buyer may cancel this Agreement by good faith exercise of any Buyer contingency included in **paragraph 8**, or Otherwise Agreed, so long as that contingency has not already been removed in writing.
- E. NOTICE TO BUYER OR SELLER TO PERFORM:** The Notice to Buyer to Perform or Notice to Seller to Perform shall: **(i)** be in writing; **(ii)** be Signed by the applicable Buyer or Seller; and **(iii)** give the other Party at least **2 Days** after Delivery (or until the time specified in the applicable paragraph, whichever occurs last) to take the applicable action. A Notice to Buyer to Perform or Notice to Seller to Perform may not be Delivered any earlier than **2 Days** prior to the Scheduled Performance Day to remove a contingency or cancel this Agreement or meet an obligation specified in **paragraph 17**, **except for Close of Escrow which shall be Delivered under the terms of paragraph 17G**, whether or not the Scheduled Performance Day falls on a Saturday, Sunday or legal holiday. If a Notice to Buyer to Perform or Notice to Seller to Perform is incorrectly Delivered or specifies a time less than the agreed time, the notice shall be deemed invalid and void. **However, if the notice is for multiple items, the notice shall be valid for all contingencies and contractual actions for which the Delivery of the notice is within the time permitted in the Agreement and void as to the others.** Seller or Buyer shall be required to Deliver a new Notice to Buyer to Perform or Notice to Seller to Perform with the specified timeframe.
- F. EFFECT OF REMOVAL OF CONTINGENCIES:**
 - (1) **REMOVAL OF BUYER CONTINGENCIES:** If Buyer removes any contingency or cancellation rights, unless Otherwise Agreed, Buyer shall conclusively be deemed to have: **(i)** completed all Buyer Investigations, and review of Reports and other applicable information and disclosures pertaining to that contingency or cancellation right; **(ii)** elected to proceed with the transaction; and **(iii)** assumed all liability, responsibility and expense for the non-delivery of any Reports, disclosures or information outside of Seller's control and for any Repairs or corrections pertaining to that contingency or cancellation right, or for the inability to obtain financing.
 - (2) **REMOVAL OF SELLER CONTINGENCIES:** If Seller removes any contingency or cancellation rights, unless Otherwise Agreed, Seller shall conclusively be deemed to have: **(i)** satisfied themselves regarding such contingency, **(ii)** elected to proceed with the transaction; and **(iii)** given up any right to cancel this Agreement based on such contingency.
- G. DEMAND TO CLOSE ESCROW:** Before Buyer or Seller may cancel this Agreement for failure of the other Party to close escrow pursuant to this Agreement, Buyer or Seller must first Deliver to the other Party a Demand to Close Escrow (C.A.R. Form DCE). The DCE shall: **(i)** be Signed by the applicable Buyer or Seller; and **(ii)** give the other Party at least **3 Days** after Delivery to close escrow. A DCE may not be Delivered any earlier than **3 Days** prior to the Scheduled Performance Day for the Close Of Escrow. If a DCE is incorrectly Delivered or specifies a time less than the agreed time, the DCE shall be deemed invalid and void and Seller or Buyer shall be required to Deliver a new DCE.
- H. EFFECT OF CANCELLATION ON DEPOSITS:** If Buyer or Seller gives written notice of cancellation pursuant to rights duly exercised under the terms of this Agreement, the Parties agree to Sign and Deliver mutual instructions to cancel the sale and escrow and release deposits, if any, to the Party entitled to the funds, less **(i)** fees and costs paid by Escrow Holder on behalf of that Party, if required by this Agreement; and **(ii)** any escrow fee charged to that party. Fees and costs may be payable to service providers and vendors for services and products provided during escrow. **A release of funds will require mutual Signed release instructions from the Parties, judicial decision or arbitration award. A Party may be subject to a civil penalty of up to \$1,000 for refusal to Sign cancellation instructions if no good faith dispute exists as to which Party is entitled to the deposited funds (Civil Code § 1057.3). Note: Neither Agents nor Escrow Holder are qualified to provide any opinion on whether either Party has acted in good faith or which Party is entitled to the deposited funds. Buyer and Seller are advised to seek the advice of a qualified California real estate attorney regarding this matter.**
- 18. REPAIRS:** Repairs shall be completed prior to final verification of condition unless Otherwise Agreed. Repairs to be performed at Seller's expense may be performed by Seller or through others, provided that the work complies with applicable Law, including governmental permit, inspection and approval requirements. Repairs shall be performed in a good, skillful manner with materials of quality and appearance comparable to existing materials. Buyer acknowledges that exact restoration of appearance or cosmetic items following all Repairs may not be possible. Seller shall: **(i)** obtain invoices and paid receipts for Repairs performed by others; **(ii)** prepare a written statement indicating the Repairs performed by Seller and the date of such Repairs; and **(iii)** provide Copies of invoices and paid receipts and statements to Buyer prior to final verification of condition.
- 19. FINAL VERIFICATION OF CONDITION:** Buyer shall have the right to make a final verification of the Property condition within the time specified in **paragraph 3J**, NOT AS A CONTINGENCY OF THE SALE, but solely to confirm: **(i)** the Property is maintained pursuant to **paragraph 7B**; **(ii)** Repairs have been completed as agreed; and **(iii)** Seller has complied with Seller's other obligations under this Agreement (C.A.R. Form VP).
- 20. PRORATIONS OF PROPERTY TAXES AND OTHER ITEMS:** Unless Otherwise Agreed, the following items shall be PAID CURRENT and prorated between Buyer and Seller as of Close Of Escrow: real property taxes and assessments, interest, Seller rental payments, HOA regular assessments due prior to Close Of Escrow, premiums on insurance assumed by Buyer, payments on bonds and assessments assumed by Buyer, and payments on Mello-Roos and other Special Assessment District bonds and assessments that are now a lien. Seller shall pay any HOA special or emergency assessments due prior to Close Of Escrow. The following items shall be assumed by Buyer WITHOUT CREDIT toward the purchase price: prorated payments on Mello-Roos and other Special Assessment District bonds and assessments and HOA special or emergency assessments that are due after Close Of Escrow. Property will be reassessed upon change of ownership. Any supplemental tax bills delivered to Escrow Holder prior to closing shall be prorated and paid as follows: **(i)** for periods after Close Of Escrow, by Buyer; and **(ii)** for periods prior to Close Of Escrow, by Seller (see C.A.R. Form SPT or SBSA for further information). Seller agrees all service fees, maintenance costs and utility bills will be paid current up and through the date of Close Of Escrow. **TAX BILLS AND UTILITY BILLS ISSUED AFTER CLOSE OF ESCROW SHALL BE HANDLED DIRECTLY BETWEEN BUYER AND SELLER.** Prorations shall be made based on a 30-day month.
- 21. BROKERS AND AGENTS:**
 - A. COMPENSATION:** Seller or Buyer, or both, as applicable, agree to pay compensation to Broker as specified in a separate written agreement between Broker and that Seller or Buyer. Compensation is payable upon Close Of Escrow, or if escrow does not close, as otherwise specified in the agreement between Broker and that Seller or Buyer. If Seller agrees to pay **the obligation of Buyer to compensate Buyer's Broker** (see **paragraph 3G(3)**), Seller shall be entitled to a copy of the portion of the written compensation agreement between Buyer and Buyer's Broker identifying the compensation to be paid. See C.A.R. Form SPBB for further information.



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B. SCOPE OF DUTY: Buyer and Seller acknowledge and agree that Agent: **(i)** Does not decide what price Buyer should pay or Seller should accept; **(ii)** Does not guarantee the condition of the Property; **(iii)** Does not guarantee the performance, adequacy or completeness of inspections, services, products or repairs provided or made by Seller or others; **(iv)** Does not have an obligation to conduct an inspection of common areas or areas off the site of the Property; **(v)** Shall not be responsible for identifying defects on the Property, in common areas, or offsite unless such defects are visually observable by an inspection of reasonably accessible areas of the Property or are known to Agent; **(vi)** Shall not be responsible for inspecting public records or permits concerning the title or use of Property; **(vii)** Shall not be responsible for identifying the location of boundary lines or other items affecting title; **(viii)** Shall not be responsible for verifying square footage, representations of others or information contained in Investigation reports, Multiple Listing Service, advertisements, flyers or other promotional material; **(ix)** Shall not be responsible for determining the fair market value of the Property or any personal property included in the sale; **(x)** Shall not be responsible for providing legal or tax advice regarding any aspect of a transaction entered into by Buyer or Seller; and **(xi)** Shall not be responsible for providing other advice or information that exceeds the knowledge, education and experience required to perform real estate licensed activity. Buyer and Seller agree to seek legal, tax, insurance, title and other desired assistance from appropriate professionals.

C. BROKERAGE: Neither Buyer nor Seller has utilized the services of, or for any other reason owes compensation to, a licensed real estate broker (individual or corporate), agent, finder, or other entity, other than as specified in this Agreement, in connection with any act relating to the Property, including, but not limited to, inquiries, introductions, consultations, and negotiations leading to this Agreement. Buyer and Seller each agree to indemnify and hold the other, the Brokers specified herein and their agents, harmless from and against any costs, expenses or liability for compensation claimed inconsistent with the warranty and representation in this paragraph.

22. JOINT ESCROW INSTRUCTIONS TO ESCROW HOLDER:

A. The following paragraphs, or applicable portions thereof, of this Agreement constitute the joint escrow instructions of Buyer and Seller to Escrow Holder, which Escrow Holder is to use along with any related counter offers and addenda, and any additional mutual instructions to close the escrow: paragraphs 1, 3A, 3B, 3D-G, 3N(2), 3Q, 3S, 4A, 4B, 5A(1-2) 5D, 5E, 10B(2)(A), 10B(3), 10B(4)(B), 10C, 11F, 11J(2), 16 (except 16D), 17H, 20, 21A, 22, 26, 32, 35, 36, 40, 41, and paragraph 3 of the Real Estate Brokers Section. If a Copy of the separate compensation agreement(s) provided for in paragraph 21A or paragraph 3 of the Real Estate Brokers Section is deposited with Escrow Holder by Agent, Escrow Holder shall accept such agreement(s) and pay out from Buyer's or Seller's funds, or both, as applicable, the Broker's compensation provided for in such agreement(s). The terms and conditions of this Agreement not set forth in the specified paragraphs are additional matters for the information of Escrow Holder, but about which Escrow Holder need not be concerned.

B. Buyer and Seller will receive Escrow Holder's general provisions, if any, directly from Escrow Holder. To the extent the general provisions are inconsistent or conflict with this Agreement, the general provisions will control as to the duties and obligations of Escrow Holder only. Buyer and Seller shall Sign and return Escrow Holder's general provisions or supplemental instructions within the time specified in paragraph 3N(2). Buyer and Seller shall execute additional instructions, documents and forms provided by Escrow Holder that are reasonably necessary to close the escrow and, as directed by Escrow Holder, within 3 Days, shall pay to Escrow Holder or HOA or HOA management company or others any fee required by paragraphs 3, 8, 10, 11, or elsewhere in this Agreement.

C. A Copy of this Agreement including any counter offer(s) and addenda shall be delivered to Escrow Holder within 3 Days after Acceptance. Buyer and Seller authorize Escrow Holder to accept and rely on Copies and Signatures as defined in this Agreement as originals, to open escrow and for other purposes of escrow. The validity of this Agreement as between Buyer and Seller is not affected by whether or when Escrow Holder Signs this Agreement. Escrow Holder shall provide Seller's Statement of Information to Title Company when received from Seller, if a separate company is providing title insurance. If Seller delivers an affidavit to Escrow Holder to satisfy Seller's FIRPTA obligation under paragraph 11E, Escrow Holder shall deliver to Buyer, Buyer's Agent, and Seller's Agent a Qualified Substitute statement that complies with federal Law. If Escrow Holder's Qualified Substitute statement does not comply with federal law, the Parties instruct escrow to withhold all applicable required amounts under paragraph 11E.

D. Agents are not a party to the escrow except for the sole purpose of receiving compensation pursuant to paragraph 21A and paragraph 3 of the Real Estate Brokers Section. If a Copy of the separate compensation agreement(s) provided for in either of those paragraphs is deposited with Escrow Holder by Agent, Escrow Holder shall accept such agreement(s) and pay out from Buyer's or Seller's funds, or both, as applicable, the Broker's compensation provided for in such agreement(s). Escrow Holder shall provide to Buyer and Seller, either jointly or separately, a closing statement or other written documentation showing the amount of compensation paid to, respectively, Buyer's Broker and Seller's Broker. Buyer and Seller irrevocably assign to Brokers compensation specified in paragraph 21A, and irrevocably instruct Escrow Holder to disburse those funds to Brokers at Close Of Escrow or pursuant to any other mutually executed cancellation agreement. Compensation instructions can be amended or revoked only with the written consent of Brokers. Buyer and Seller shall release and hold harmless Escrow Holder from any liability resulting from Escrow Holder's payment to Broker(s) of compensation pursuant to this Agreement.

E. Buyer and Seller acknowledge that Escrow Holder may require invoices for expenses under this Agreement. Buyer and Seller, upon request by Escrow Holder, within 3 Days or within a sufficient time to close escrow, whichever is sooner, shall provide any such invoices to Escrow Holder.

F. Upon receipt, Escrow Holder shall provide Buyer, Seller, and each Agent verification of Buyer's deposit of funds pursuant to paragraph 5A(1) and 5A(2). Once Escrow Holder becomes aware of any of the following, Escrow Holder shall immediately notify each Agent: (i) if Buyer's initial or any additional deposit or down payment is not made pursuant to this Agreement, or is not good at time of deposit with Escrow Holder; or (ii) if Buyer and Seller instruct Escrow Holder to cancel escrow.

G. A Copy of any amendment that affects any paragraph of this Agreement for which Escrow Holder is responsible shall be delivered to Escrow Holder within 3 Days after mutual execution of the amendment.

23. SELECTION OF SERVICE PROVIDERS: Agents do not guarantee the performance of any vendors, service or product providers ("Providers"), whether referred by Agent or selected by Buyer, Seller or other person. Buyer and Seller may select ANY Providers of their own choosing.

24. MULTIPLE LISTING SERVICE ("MLS"): Agents are authorized to report to the MLS that an offer has been accepted and, upon Close Of Escrow, the sales price and other terms of this transaction shall be provided to the MLS to be published and disseminated to persons and entities authorized to use the information on terms approved by the MLS. Buyer acknowledges that: **(i)** any pictures, videos, floor plans (collectively, "Images") or other information about the Property that has been or will be inputted into the MLS or internet portals, or both, at the instruction of Seller or in compliance with MLS rules, will not be removed after Close Of Escrow; **(ii)** California Civil Code § 1088(c) requires the MLS to maintain such Images and information for at least three years and as a result they may be displayed or circulated on the Internet, which cannot be controlled or removed by Seller or Agents; and **(iii)** Seller, Seller's Agent, Buyer's Agent, and MLS have no obligation or ability to remove such Images or information from the Internet.



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- 25. **ATTORNEY FEES AND COSTS:** In any action, proceeding, or arbitration between Buyer and Seller arising out of this Agreement, the prevailing Buyer or Seller shall be entitled to reasonable attorney fees and costs from the non-prevailing Buyer or Seller, except as provided in **paragraph 38A**.
- 26. **ASSIGNMENT/NOMINATION:** Buyer shall have the right to assign all of Buyer's interest in this Agreement to Buyer's own trust or to any wholly owned entity of Buyer that is in existence at the time of such assignment. Otherwise, Buyer shall not assign all or any part of Buyer's interest in this Agreement without first having obtained the separate written consent of Seller to a specified assignee. Such consent shall not be unreasonably withheld. Prior to any assignment, Buyer shall disclose to Seller the name of the assignee and the amount of any monetary consideration between Buyer and assignee. Buyer shall provide assignee with all documents related to this Agreement including, but not limited to, the Agreement and any disclosures. If assignee is a wholly owned entity or trust of Buyer, that assignee does not need to re-sign or initial all documents provided. Whether or not an assignment requires seller's consent, at the time of assignment, assignee shall deliver a letter from assignee's lender that assignee is prequalified or preapproved as specified in **paragraph 6B**. Should assignee fail to deliver such a letter, Seller, after first giving Assignee an Notice to Buyer to Perform, shall have the right to terminate the assignment. Buyer shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3K**, Deliver any request to assign this Agreement for Seller's consent. If Buyer fails to provide the required information within this time frame, Seller's withholding of consent shall be deemed reasonable. Any total or partial assignment shall not relieve Buyer of Buyer's obligations pursuant to this Agreement unless Otherwise Agreed by Seller (C.A.R. Form AOAA). Parties shall provide any assignment agreement to Escrow Holder within **1 Day** after the assignment. Any nomination by Buyer shall be subject to the same procedures, requirements, and terms as an assignment as specified in this paragraph.
- 27. **SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS:** This Agreement shall be binding upon, and inure to the benefit of, Buyer and Seller and their respective successors and assigns, except as otherwise provided herein.
- 28. **ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARD CONSULTATION:** Buyer and Seller acknowledge: (i) Federal, state, and local legislation impose liability upon existing and former owners and users of real property, in applicable situations, for certain legislatively defined, environmentally hazardous substances; (ii) Agent(s) has/have made no representation concerning the applicability of any such Law to this transaction or to Buyer or to Seller, except as otherwise indicated in this Agreement; (iii) Agent(s) has/have made no representation concerning the existence, testing, discovery, location, and evaluation of/for, and risks posed by, environmentally hazardous substances, if any, located on or potentially affecting the Property; and (iv) Buyer and Seller are each advised to consult with technical and legal experts concerning the existence, testing, discover, location and evaluation of/for, and risks posed by, environmentally hazardous substances, in any, located on or potentially affecting the Property.
- 29. **AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT:** The Americans With Disabilities Act ("ADA") prohibits discrimination against individuals with disabilities. The ADA affects almost all commercial facilities and public accommodations. Residential properties are not typically covered by the ADA, but may be governed by its provisions if used for certain purposes. The ADA can require, among other things, that building be made readily accessible to the disabled. Different requirements apply to new construction, alterations to existing buildings, and removal of barriers in existing buildings. Compliance with the ADA may require significant costs. Monetary and injunctive remedies may be incurred if the Property is not in compliance. A real estate broker or agent does not have the technical expertise to determine whether a building is in compliance with ADA requirements, or to advise a principal on those requirements. Buyer and Seller are advised to contact a qualified California real estate attorney, contractor, architect, engineer, or other qualified professional of Buyer or Seller's own choosing to determine to what degree, if any, the ADA impacts that principal or this transaction.
- 30. **EQUAL HOUSING OPPORTUNITY:** The Property is sold in compliance with federal, state and local anti-discrimination Laws.
- 31. **COPIES:** Seller and buyer each represent that Copies of all reports, certificates, approvals, and other documents that are furnished to the other are true, correct, and unaltered Copies of the original documents, if the originals are in the possession of the furnishing party.
- 32. **DEFINITIONS and INSTRUCTIONS:** The following words are defined terms in this Agreement, shall be indicated by initial capital letters throughout this Agreement, and have the following meaning whenever used:
 - A. **"Acceptance"** means the time the offer or final counter offer is fully executed, in writing, by the recipient Party and is Delivered to the offering Party or that Party's Authorized Agent.
 - B. **"Agent"** means the Broker, salesperson, broker-associate or any other real estate licensee licensed under the brokerage firm identified in **paragraph 2B**.
 - C. **"Agreement"** means this document and any counter offers and any incorporated addenda or amendments, collectively forming the binding agreement between the Parties. Addenda and amendments are incorporated only when Signed and Delivered by all Parties.
 - D. **"As-Is"** condition: Seller shall disclose known material facts and defects as specified in this Agreement. Buyer has the right to inspect the Property and, within the time specified, request that Seller make repairs or take other corrective action, or exercise any contingency cancellation rights in this Agreement. Seller is only required to make repairs specified in this Agreement or as Otherwise Agreed.
 - E. **"Authorized Agent"** means an individual real estate licensee specified in the Real Estate Broker Section.
 - F. **"C.A.R. Form"** means the most current version of the specific form referenced or another comparable form agreed to by the Parties.
 - G. **"Close Of Escrow"**, including "COE", means the date the grant deed, or other evidence of transfer of title, is recorded for any real property, or the date of Delivery of a document evidencing the transfer of title for any non-real property transaction.
 - H. **"Copy"** means copy by any means including photocopy, facsimile and electronic.
 - I. **Counting Days** is done as follows unless Otherwise Agreed: (1) The first Day after an event is the first full calendar date following the event, and ending at 11:59 pm. For example, if a Notice to Buyer to Perform (C.A.R. form NBP) is Delivered at 3 pm on the 7th calendar day of the month, or Acceptance of a counter offer is personally received at 12 noon on the 7th calendar day of the month, then the 7th is Day "0" for purposes of counting days to respond to the NBP or calculating the Close Of Escrow date or contingency removal dates and the 8th of the month is Day 1 for those same purposes. (2) All calendar days are counted in establishing the first Day after an event. (3) All calendar days are counted in determining the date upon which performance must be completed, ending at 11:59 pm on the last day for performance ("Scheduled Performance Day"). (4) After Acceptance, if the Scheduled Performance Day for any act required by this Agreement, including Close Of Escrow, lands on a Saturday, Sunday, or Legal Holiday, the performing party shall be allowed to perform on the next day that is not a Saturday, Sunday or Legal Holiday ("Allowable Performance Day"), and ending at 11:59 pm. "Legal Holiday" shall mean any holiday or optional bank holiday under Civil Code §§ 7 and 7.1 and any holiday under Government Code § 6700. (5) For the purposes of COE, any day that the Recorder's office in the County where the Property is located is closed or any day that the lender or Escrow Holder under this Agreement is closed, the COE shall occur on the next day the Recorder's office in that County, the lender, and the Escrow Holder are open. (6) COE is considered Day 0 for purposes of counting days Seller is allowed to remain in possession, if permitted by this Agreement.
 - J. **"Day"** or "Days" means calendar day or days. However, delivery of deposit to escrow is based on business days.



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- K. **“Deliver”, “Delivered” or “Delivery”** of documents, unless Otherwise Agreed, means and shall be effective upon personal receipt of the document by Buyer or Seller or their Authorized Agent. Personal receipt means (i) a Copy of the document, or as applicable, link to the document, is in the possession of the Party or Authorized Agent, regardless of the Delivery method used (i.e. e-mail, text, other). **A document, or as applicable link to a document, shall be deemed to be “in possession” if it located in the inbox for the applicable Party or Authorized Agent;** or (ii) an Electronic Copy of the document, or as applicable, link to the document, has been sent to the designated electronic delivery address specified in the Real Estate Broker Section, **unless Otherwise Agreed in C.A.R. Form DEDA.** After Acceptance, Agent may change the designated electronic delivery address for that Agent by, in writing, Delivering notice of the change in designated electronic delivery address to the other Party (C.A.R. Form DEDA). Links could be, for example, to DropBox or GoogleDrive or other functionally equivalent program. If the recipient of a link is unable or unwilling to open the link or download the documents or otherwise prefers Delivery of the documents directly, Recipient of a link shall notify the sender in writing, within **3 Days** after Delivery of the link (C.A.R. Form RFR). In such case, Delivery shall be effective upon Delivery of the documents and not the link. Failure to notify sender within the time specified above shall be deemed consent to receive, and Buyer opening, the document by link.
- L. **“Electronic Copy” or “Electronic Signature”** means, as applicable, an electronic copy or signature complying with California Law. Unless Otherwise Agreed, Buyer and Seller agreed to the use of Electronic Signatures. Buyer and Seller agree that electronic means will not be used by either Party to modify or alter the content or integrity of this Agreement without the knowledge and consent of the other Party.
- M. **“Law”** means any law, code, statute, ordinance, regulation, rule or order, which is adopted by a controlling city, county, state or federal legislative, judicial or executive body or agency.
- N. **“Legally Authorized Signer”** means an individual who has authority to Sign for the principal as specified in **paragraph 40 or paragraph 41.**
- O. **“Otherwise Agreed”** means an agreement in writing, signed by both Parties and Delivered to each.
- P. **“Repairs”** means any repairs (including pest control), alterations, replacements, modifications or retrofitting of the Property provided for under this Agreement.
- Q. **“Sign” or “Signed”** means either a handwritten or Electronic Signature on an original document, Copy or any counterpart.

33. FAIR APPRAISAL ACT NOTICE:

- A. Any appraisal of the property is required to be unbiased, objective, and not influenced by improper or illegal considerations, including, but not limited to, any of the following: race, color, religion (including religious dress, grooming practices, or both), gender (including, but not limited to, pregnancy, childbirth, breastfeeding, and related conditions, and gender identity and gender expression), sexual orientation, marital status, medical condition, military or veteran status, national origin (including language use and possession of a driver’s license issued to persons unable to provide their presence in the United States is authorized under federal law), source of income, ancestry, disability (mental and physical, including, but not limited to, HIV/AIDS status, cancer diagnosis, and genetic characteristics), genetic information, or age.
- B. If a buyer or seller believes that the appraisal has been influenced by any of the above factors, the seller or buyer can report this information to the lender or mortgage broker that retained the appraiser and may also file a complaint with the Bureau of Real Estate Appraisers at <https://www2.brea.ca.gov/complaint/> or call (916) 552-9000 for further information on how to file a complaint.

34. TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF OFFER: This is an offer to purchase the Property on the terms and conditions herein. The individual Liquidated Damages and Arbitration of Disputes paragraphs are incorporated in this Agreement if initialed by all Parties or if incorporated by mutual agreement in a Counter Offer or addendum. **If at least one but not all Parties initial, a Counter Offer is required until agreement is reached.** Seller has the right to continue to offer the Property for sale and to accept any other offer at any time prior to notification of Acceptance and to market the Property for backup offers after Acceptance. The Parties have read and acknowledge receipt of a Copy of the offer and agree to the confirmation of agency relationships. If this offer is accepted and Buyer subsequently defaults, Buyer may be responsible for payment of Brokers’ compensation. This Agreement and any supplement, addendum or modification, including any Copy, may be Signed in two or more counterparts, all of which shall constitute one and the same writing. By signing this offer or any document in the transaction, the Party Signing the document is deemed to have read the document in its entirety.

35. TIME OF ESSENCE; ENTIRE CONTRACT; CHANGES: Time is of the essence. All understandings between the Parties are incorporated in this Agreement. Its terms are intended by the Parties as a final, complete and exclusive expression of their Agreement with respect to its subject matter and may not be contradicted by evidence of any prior agreement or contemporaneous oral agreement. If any provision of this Agreement is held to be ineffective or invalid, the remaining provisions will nevertheless be given full force and effect. Except as Otherwise Agreed, this Agreement shall be interpreted, and disputes shall be resolved in accordance with the Laws of the State of California. **Neither this Agreement nor any provision in it may be extended, amended, modified, altered or changed, except in writing Signed by Buyer and Seller.**

36. LEGALLY AUTHORIZED SIGNER: Wherever the signature or initials of the Legally Authorized Signer identified in **paragraph 39 or 40** appear on this Agreement or any related documents, it shall be deemed to be in a representative capacity for the entity described and not in an individual capacity, unless otherwise indicated. The Legally Authorized Signer (i) represents that the entity for which that person is acting already exists and is in good standing to do business in California and (ii) shall Deliver to the other Party and Escrow Holder, as specified in **paragraph 3N(5)**, evidence of authority to act in that capacity (such as but not limited to: applicable portion of the trust or Certification Of Trust (Probate Code § 18100.5), letters testamentary, court order, power of attorney, corporate resolution, or formation documents of the business entity).

37. LIQUIDATED DAMAGES:

If Buyer fails to complete this purchase because of Buyer’s default, Seller shall retain, as liquidated damages, the deposit actually paid. If the Property is a dwelling with no more than four units, one of which Buyer intends to occupy, then the amount retained shall be no more than 3% of the purchase price. Any excess shall be returned to Buyer. Release of funds will require mutual, Signed release instructions from both Buyer and Seller, judicial decision or arbitration award. AT THE TIME OF ANY INCREASED DEPOSIT BUYER AND SELLER SHALL SIGN A SEPARATE LIQUIDATED DAMAGES PROVISION INCORPORATING THE INCREASED DEPOSIT AS LIQUIDATED DAMAGES (C.A.R. FORM DID).

Buyer’s Initials _____/_____

Seller’s Initials _____/_____



38. MEDIATION:

- A.** The Parties agree to mediate any dispute or claim arising between them out of this Agreement, or any resulting transaction, before resorting to arbitration or court action. The mediation shall be conducted through the C.A.R. Real Estate Mediation Center for Consumers (www.consumermediation.org) or through any other mediation provider or service mutually agreed to by the Parties. The Parties **also agree to mediate any disputes or claims with Agents(s), who, in writing, agree to such mediation prior to, or within a reasonable time after, the dispute or claim is presented to the Agent.** Mediation fees, if any, shall be divided equally among the Parties involved, and shall be recoverable under the prevailing party attorney fees clause. If, for any dispute or claim to which this paragraph applies, any Party **(i)** commences an action without first attempting to resolve the matter through mediation, or **(ii)** before commencement of an action, refuses to mediate after a request has been made, then that Party shall not be entitled to recover attorney fees, even if they would otherwise be available to that Party in any such action. **THIS MEDIATION PROVISION APPLIES WHETHER OR NOT THE ARBITRATION PROVISION IS INITIALED.**
- B. ADDITIONAL MEDIATION TERMS: (i) Exclusions from this mediation agreement are specified in paragraph 39B; (ii) The obligation to mediate does not preclude the right of either Party to seek a preservation of rights under paragraph 39C; and (iii) Agent's rights and obligations are further specified in paragraph 39D. These terms apply even if the Arbitration of Disputes paragraph is not initialed.**

39. ARBITRATION OF DISPUTES:

- A.** The Parties agree that any dispute or claim in Law or equity arising between them out of this Agreement or any resulting transaction, which is not settled through mediation, shall be decided by neutral, binding arbitration. The Parties also agree to arbitrate any disputes or claims with Agents(s), who, in writing, agree to such arbitration prior to, or within a reasonable time after, the dispute or claim is presented to the Agent. The arbitration shall be conducted through any arbitration provider or service mutually agreed to by the Parties. The arbitrator shall be a retired judge or justice, or an attorney with at least 5 years of residential real estate Law experience, unless the Parties mutually agree to a different arbitrator. Enforcement of, and any motion to compel arbitration pursuant to, this agreement to arbitrate shall be governed by the procedural rules of the Federal Arbitration Act, and not the California Arbitration Act, notwithstanding any language seemingly to the contrary in this Agreement. The Parties shall have the right to discovery in accordance with Code of Civil Procedure § 1283.05. The arbitration shall be conducted in accordance with Title 9 of Part 3 of the Code of Civil Procedure. Judgment upon the award of the arbitrator(s) may be entered into any court having jurisdiction.
 - B. EXCLUSIONS:** The following matters are excluded from mediation and arbitration: (i) Any matter that is within the jurisdiction of a probate, small claims or bankruptcy court; (ii) an unlawful detainer action; and (iii) a judicial or non-judicial foreclosure or other action or proceeding to enforce a deed of trust, mortgage or installment land sale contract as defined in Civil Code § 2985.
 - C. PRESERVATION OF ACTIONS:** The following shall not constitute a waiver nor violation of the mediation and arbitration provisions: (i) the filing of a court action to preserve a statute of limitations; (ii) the filing of a court action to enable the recording of a notice of pending action, for order of attachment, receivership, injunction, or other provisional remedies, provided the filing party concurrent with, or immediately after such filing, makes a request to the court for a stay of litigation pending any applicable mediation or arbitration proceeding; or (iii) the filing of a mechanic's lien.
 - D. AGENTS:** Agents shall not be obligated nor compelled to mediate or arbitrate unless they agree to do so in writing. Any Agents(s) participating in mediation or arbitration shall not be deemed a party to this Agreement.
 - E. "NOTICE: BY INITIALING IN THE SPACE BELOW YOU ARE AGREEING TO HAVE ANY DISPUTE ARISING OUT OF THE MATTERS INCLUDED IN THE 'ARBITRATION OF DISPUTES' PROVISION DECIDED BY NEUTRAL ARBITRATION AS PROVIDED BY CALIFORNIA LAW AND YOU ARE GIVING UP ANY RIGHTS YOU MIGHT POSSESS TO HAVE THE DISPUTE LITIGATED IN A COURT OR JURY TRIAL. BY INITIALING IN THE SPACE BELOW YOU ARE GIVING UP YOUR JUDICIAL RIGHTS TO DISCOVERY AND APPEAL, UNLESS THOSE RIGHTS ARE SPECIFICALLY INCLUDED IN THE 'ARBITRATION OF DISPUTES' PROVISION. IF YOU REFUSE TO SUBMIT TO ARBITRATION AFTER AGREEING TO THIS PROVISION, YOU MAY BE COMPELLED TO ARBITRATE UNDER THE AUTHORITY OF THE CALIFORNIA CODE OF CIVIL PROCEDURE. YOUR AGREEMENT TO THIS ARBITRATION PROVISION IS VOLUNTARY."**
- "WE HAVE READ AND UNDERSTAND THE FOREGOING AND AGREE TO SUBMIT DISPUTES ARISING OUT OF THE MATTERS INCLUDED IN THE 'ARBITRATION OF DISPUTES' PROVISION TO NEUTRAL ARBITRATION."**

Buyer's Initials _____ / _____

Seller's Initials _____ / _____



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40. OFFER

- A. EXPIRATION OF OFFER:** This offer shall be deemed revoked and the deposit, if any, shall be returned to Buyer unless by the date and time specified in **paragraph 3C**, the offer is Signed by Seller and a Copy of the Signed offer is Delivered to Buyer or Buyer's Authorized Agent. **Seller has no obligation to respond to an offer made.**
- B. ENTITY BUYERS:** (Note: If this paragraph is completed, a Representative Capacity Signature Disclosure (C.A.R. Form RCSD) is not required for the Legally Authorized Signers designated below.)
 - (1) One or more Buyers is a trust, corporation, LLC, probate estate, partnership, holding a power of attorney or other entity;
 - (2) This Agreement is being Signed by a Legally Authorized Signer in a representative capacity and not in an individual capacity. See **paragraph 36** for additional terms.
 - (3) The name(s) of the Legally Authorized Signer(s) is/are: _____.
 - (4) **A.** If a trust, identify **Buyer** as trustee(s) of the trust or by simplified trust name (ex. John Doe, co-trustee, Jane Doe, co-trustee or Doe Revocable Family Trust).
 - B.** If Property is sold under the jurisdiction of a probate court, identify Buyer as executor or administrator, or by a simplified probate name (John Doe, executor, or Estate (or Conservatorship) of John Doe).
 - (5) The following is the full name of the entity (if a trust, enter the complete trust name; if under probate, enter full name of the estate, including case #): _____.

C. The RIPA has 18 pages. Buyer acknowledges receipt of, and has read and understands, every page and all attachments that make up the Agreement.

D. BUYER SIGNATURE(S):

(Signature) By, _____ Date: _____
Printed name of BUYER: _____

Printed Name of Legally Authorized Signer: _____ Title, if applicable, _____

(Signature) By, _____ Date: _____

Printed name of BUYER: _____

Printed Name of Legally Authorized Signer: _____ Title, if applicable, _____

IF MORE THAN TWO SIGNERS, USE Additional Signature Addendum (C.A.R. Form ASA).

41. ACCEPTANCE

A. ACCEPTANCE OF OFFER: Seller warrants that Seller is the owner of the Property or has the authority to execute this Agreement. Seller accepts the above offer and agrees to sell the Property on the above terms and conditions. Seller has read and acknowledges receipt of a Copy of this Agreement and authorizes Agent to Deliver a Signed Copy to Buyer.

Seller's acceptance is subject to the attached Counter Offer or Back-Up Offer Addendum, or both, checked below. Seller shall return and include the entire agreement with any response.

Seller Counter Offer (C.A.R. Form SCO or SMCO)

Back-Up Offer Addendum (C.A.R. Form BUO)

B. ENTITY SELLERS: (Note: If this paragraph is completed, a Representative Capacity Signature Disclosure form (C.A.R. Form RCSD) is not required for the Legally Authorized Signers designated below.)

- (1) One or more Sellers is a trust, corporation, LLC, probate estate, partnership, holding a power of attorney or other entity.
- (2) This Agreement is being Signed by a Legally Authorized Signer in a representative capacity and not in an individual capacity. See **paragraph 36** for additional terms.
- (3) The name(s) of the Legally Authorized Signer(s) is/are: _____.
- (4) **A.** If a trust, identify Seller as trustee(s) of the trust or by simplified trust name (ex. John Doe, co-trustee, Jane Doe, co-trustee or Doe Revocable Family Trust).
- B.** If Property is sold under the jurisdiction of a probate court, identify Seller as executor or administrator, or by a simplified probate name (John Doe, executor, or Estate (or Conservatorship) of John Doe).
- (5) The following is the full name of the entity (if a trust, enter the complete trust name; if under probate, enter full name of the estate, including case #): _____.

C. The RIPA has 18 pages. Seller acknowledges receipt of, and has read and understands, every page and all attachments that make up the Agreement.

SELLER SIGNATURE(S):

(Signature) By, _____ Date: _____
Printed name of SELLER: _____

Printed Name of Legally Authorized Signer: _____ Title, if applicable, _____

(Signature) By, _____ Date: _____

Printed name of SELLER: _____

Printed Name of Legally Authorized Signer: _____ Title, if applicable, _____

Additional Signature Addendum attached (C.A.R. Form ASA)

OFFER NOT ACCEPTED: _____ / _____ No Counter Offer is being made. This offer was not accepted by Seller _____ (date)
Seller's Initials



REAL ESTATE BROKERS SECTION:

1. **Real Estate Agents are not parties to the Agreement between Buyer and Seller.**
2. **Agency relationships are confirmed as stated in paragraph 2.**
3. **Confirmation of Offered Compensation:** Seller's Broker agrees to pay Buyer's Broker and Buyer's Broker agrees to accept, out of Seller's Broker's proceeds in escrow, the **compensation** specified in a separate written agreement (C.A.R. Form CBC). **Each Broker agrees to disclose to their Seller or Buyer client the amount in the CBC.** Declaration of License and Tax (C.A.R. Form DLT) may be used to document that tax reporting will be required or that an exemption exists.
4. **Presentation of Offer:** Pursuant to the National Association of REALTORS® Standard of Practice 1-7, if Buyer's Agent makes a written request, Seller's Agent shall confirm in writing that this offer has been presented to Seller.
5. **Agents' Signatures and designated electronic delivery address:**

A. Buyer's Brokerage Firm _____ DRE Lic. # _____
 By _____ DRE Lic. # _____ Date _____
 By _____ DRE Lic. # _____ Date _____
 Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____
 Email _____ Phone # _____

- More than one agent from the same firm represents Buyer. Additional Agent Acknowledgement (C.A.R. Form AAA) attached.
- More than one brokerage firm represents Buyer. Additional Broker Acknowledgement (C.A.R. Form ABA) attached.

Designated Electronic Delivery Address(es): Email above or _____

Attached DEDA: If Parties elect to have an alternative Delivery method, such method may be indicated on C.A.R. Form DEDA.

B. Seller's Brokerage Firm _____ DRE Lic. # _____
 By _____ DRE Lic. # _____ Date _____
 By _____ DRE Lic. # _____ Date _____
 Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____
 Email _____ Phone # _____

- More than one agent from the same firm represents Seller. Additional Agent Acknowledgement (C.A.R. Form AAA) attached.
- More than one brokerage firm represents Seller. Additional Broker Acknowledgement (C.A.R. Form ABA) attached.

Designated Electronic Delivery Address(es) (To be filled out by Seller's Agent): Email above or _____

Attached DEDA: If Parties elect to have an alternative Delivery method, such method may be indicated on C.A.R. Form DEDA.

Buyer's Initials _____ / _____ Seller's Initials _____ / _____

ESCROW HOLDER ACKNOWLEDGMENT:

Escrow Holder acknowledges receipt of a Copy of this Agreement, (if checked, a deposit in the amount of \$ _____), Counter Offer numbers _____ and _____, and agrees to act as Escrow Holder subject to **paragraph 22** of this Agreement, any supplemental escrow instructions and the terms of Escrow Holder's general provisions.

Escrow Holder is advised by _____ that the date of Acceptance of the Agreement is _____

Escrow Holder _____ Escrow # _____

By _____ Date _____

Address _____

Phone/Fax/E-mail _____

Escrow Holder has the following license number # _____

- Department of Financial Protection and Innovation, Department of Insurance, Department of Real Estate.

PRESENTATION OF OFFER: _____ / _____ Seller's Brokerage Firm presented this offer to Seller on _____ (date).
 Broker or Designee Initials

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Date _____ ("Tenant") and _____ Rental Property Owner ("RPO"), Authorized Broker or Agent, or Property Manager ("Housing Provider"), agree as follows ("Agreement"):

1. PROPERTY:

- A. Housing Provider rents to Tenant and Tenant rents from Housing Provider, the real property and improvements described as: _____ ("Premises").
B. The Premises are for the sole use as a personal residence by the following named person(s) only: _____. Any person in the Premises, other than those listed in this paragraph are considered guests. Guests are not permitted to stay more than 14 (or _____) days without Housing Provider's written consent.
C. The following personal property, maintained pursuant to paragraph 11, is included: _____ or (if checked) the personal property on the attached addendum is included.
D. The Premises may be subject to a local rent or eviction control ordinance, or both.

2. TERM: The term begins on (date) _____ ("Commencement Date"). If Tenant has not paid all amounts then due; (i) Tenant has no right to possession or keys to the premises and; (ii) this Agreement is voidable at the option of Housing Provider, 2 calendar days after giving Tenant a Notice to Pay (C.A.R. Form PPN). Notice may be delivered to Tenant (i) in person; (ii) by mail to Tenant's last known address; or (iii) by email, if provided in Tenant's application or previously used by Tenant to communicate with Housing Provider or its agent. If Housing Provider elects to void the lease, Housing Provider shall refund to Tenant all rent and security deposit paid.

(Check A or B):

- A. Month-to-Month: This Agreement continues from the commencement date as a month-to-month tenancy. Tenant may terminate the tenancy by giving written notice at least 30 days prior to the intended termination date. Tenant shall be responsible for paying rent through the termination date even if moving out early. Housing Provider may terminate the tenancy by giving written notice as provided by law. Such notices may be given on any date.
B. Lease: This Agreement shall terminate on (date) _____ at _____ AM/ PM. Tenant shall vacate the Premises upon termination of the Agreement, unless: (i) Housing Provider and Tenant have extended this Agreement in writing or signed a new agreement; (ii) mandated by any rent increase cap or just cause eviction control under any state or local law; or (iii) Housing Provider accepts Rent from Tenant (other than past due Rent), in which case a month-to-month tenancy shall be created which either party may terminate as specified in paragraph 2A. Rent shall be at a rate agreed to by Housing Provider and Tenant, or as allowed by law. All other terms and conditions of this Agreement shall remain in full force and effect.

3. RENT: "Rent" shall mean all monetary obligations of Tenant to Housing Provider under the terms of the Agreement, except security deposit.

- A. Tenant agrees to pay \$ _____ per month for the term of the Agreement.
B. Rent is payable in advance on the 1st (or _____) day of each calendar month, and is delinquent on the next day.
C. If Commencement Date falls on any day other than the day Rent is payable under paragraph 3B, and Tenant has paid one full month's Rent in advance of Commencement Date, Rent for the second calendar month shall be prorated and Tenant shall pay 1/30th of the monthly rent per day for each day remaining in the prorated second month.

D. PAYMENT:

- (1) Rent shall be paid by () personal check, () money order, () cashier's check, made payable to _____, () wire/electronic payment to _____, or () other _____. Payment via electronic apps such as PayPal or Venmo will not () will be accepted.
(2) Rent shall be delivered to (name) _____ (whose phone number is) _____ at (address) _____, (or at any other location subsequently specified by Housing Provider in writing to Tenant) (and () if checked, rent may be paid personally, between the hours of _____ and _____ on the following days _____).
(3) If any payment is returned for non-sufficient funds ("NSF") or because tenant stops payment, then, after that: (i) Housing Provider may, in writing, require Tenant to pay Rent in cash for three months and (ii) all future Rent shall be paid by () money order, or () cashier's check.

E. Rent payments received by Housing Provider shall be applied to the earliest amount(s) due or past due.

4. SECURITY DEPOSIT:

- A. Tenant agrees to pay \$ _____ as a security deposit. (The maximum amount of security deposit paid on or before initial occupancy, however designated, cannot exceed one month's Rent unless an exception applies. See Security Deposit Exception Disclosure and Addendum, C.A.R. Form SDDA, for additional information.)
B. Security deposit is in addition to any advance payment of first month's Rent. Security deposit law does not prohibit the payment of advance rent of not less than six months' rent if the term of the lease is six months or longer.
C. Security deposit will be () transferred to and held by the Owner of the Premises, or () held in Owner's Broker's trust account.

Tenant's Initials _____ / _____ Housing Provider's Initials _____ / _____



Premises: _____ Date: _____

- D.** All or any portion of the security deposit may be used, as reasonably necessary, to: (i) cure Tenant's default in payment of Rent (which includes Late Charges, NSF fees or other sums due); (ii) repair damage, excluding ordinary wear and tear, caused by Tenant or by a guest, invitee or licensee of Tenant; (iii) clean Premises, if necessary, upon termination of the tenancy; and (iv) replace or return personal property or appurtenances. **SECURITY DEPOSIT SHALL NOT BE USED BY TENANT IN LIEU OF PAYMENT OF LAST MONTH'S RENT.** If all or any portion of the security deposit is used during the tenancy, Tenant agrees to reinstate the total security deposit within 5 days after written notice is delivered to Tenant. Within 21 days after Tenant vacates the Premises, Housing Provider shall: (1) furnish Tenant an itemized statement indicating the amount of any security deposit received and the basis for its disposition and supporting documentation as required by California Civil Code § 1950.5(g); and (2) return any remaining portion of the security deposit to Tenant.
- E.** Security deposit will not be returned until all Tenants have vacated the Premises and all keys returned. Any security deposit returned by check shall be made out to all Tenants named on this Agreement, or as subsequently modified.
- F.** No interest will be paid on security deposit unless required by local law.
- G.** If the security deposit is held by Owner, Tenant agrees not to hold Broker responsible for its return. If the security deposit is held in Owner's Broker's trust account, and Broker's authority is terminated before expiration of this Agreement, and security deposit is released to someone other than Tenant, then Broker shall notify Tenant, in writing, where and to whom security deposit has been released. Once Tenant has been provided such notice, Tenant agrees not to hold Broker responsible for the security deposit.

5. **MOVE-IN COSTS RECEIVED/DUE:** Move-in funds shall be paid by personal check, money order, cashier's check, or wire/electronic payment.

Category	Total Due	Payment Received	Balance Due	Due Date	Payable To
Rent from _____ to _____ (date)					
Security Deposit					
Other _____					
Other _____					
Total _____					

6. **LATE CHARGE; RETURNED CHECKS:**

- A.** Tenant acknowledges either late payment of Rent or issuance of a returned check may cause Housing Provider to incur costs and expenses, the exact amounts of which are extremely difficult and impractical to determine. These costs may include, but are not limited to, processing, enforcement and accounting expenses, and late charges imposed on Housing Provider. If any installment of Rent due from Tenant is not received by Housing Provider within 5 (or _____) calendar days after the date due, or if a check is returned, Tenant shall pay to Housing Provider, respectively, an additional sum of \$ _____ or _____% of the Rent due as a Late Charge and \$25.00 as a NSF fee for the first returned check and \$35.00 as a NSF fee for each additional returned check, either or both of which shall be deemed additional Rent.
- B.** Housing Provider and Tenant agree that these charges represent a fair and reasonable estimate of the costs Housing Provider may incur by reason of Tenant's late or NSF payment. Any Late Charge or NSF fee due shall be paid with the current installment of Rent. Housing Provider's acceptance of any Late Charge or NSF fee shall not constitute a waiver as to any default of Tenant. Housing Provider's right to collect a Late Charge or NSF fee shall neither be deemed an extension of the date Rent is due under paragraph 3 nor prevent Housing Provider from exercising any other rights and remedies under this Agreement and as provided by law.

7. **PARKING: (Check A or B)**

A. Parking is permitted as follows: _____

The right to parking is is not included in the Rent charged pursuant to paragraph 3. If not included in the Rent, the parking rental fee shall be an additional \$ _____ per month. Parking space(s) are to be used only for parking properly registered and operable motor vehicles, except for trailers, boats, campers, buses or trucks (other than pick-up trucks). Tenant shall park in assigned space(s) only. Parking space(s) are to be kept clean. Vehicles leaking oil, gas or other motor vehicle fluids shall not be parked on the Premises. Mechanical work, or storage of inoperable vehicles, or storage of any kind is not permitted in parking space(s) or elsewhere on the Premises except as specified in paragraph 8.

OR **B.** Parking is not permitted on the real property of which the Premises is a part.

8. **STORAGE: (Check A or B)**

A. Storage is permitted as follows: _____

The right to separate storage space is, is not, included in the Rent charged pursuant to paragraph 3. If not included in the Rent, storage space fee shall be an additional \$ _____ per month. Tenant shall store only personal property Tenant owns, and shall not store property claimed by another or in which another has any right, title or interest. Tenant shall not store any improperly packaged food or perishable goods, flammable materials, explosives, hazardous waste or other inherently dangerous material, or illegal substances.

OR **B.** Except for Tenant's personal property, contained entirely within the Premises, storage is not permitted on the Premises.

9. **UTILITIES:** Tenant agrees to pay for all utilities and services, and the following charges: _____ except _____, which shall be paid for by Housing Provider, or as agreed on a separate addendum. If any utilities are not separately metered, Tenant shall pay Tenant's proportional share, as reasonably determined and directed by Housing Provider. If utilities are separately metered, Tenant shall place utilities in Tenant's name as of the Commencement Date. Housing Provider is only responsible for installing and maintaining one usable telephone jack and one telephone line to the Premises. Tenant shall pay any cost for conversion from existing utilities service provider.

- A. Water Submeters:** Water use on the Premises is measured by a submeter and Tenant will be separately billed for water usage based on the submeter. See attached Water Submeter Addendum (C.A.R. Form WSM) for additional terms.
- B. Gas Meter:** The Premises does not have a separate gas meter.
- C. Electric Meter:** The Premises does not have a separate electrical meter.

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Premises: _____ Date: _____

10. **CONDITION OF PREMISES:** Tenant has examined Premises and, if any, all furniture, furnishings, appliances, landscaping and fixtures, including smoke alarm(s) and carbon monoxide detector(s).

(Check all that apply:)

- A. Tenant's acknowledgment of the condition of these items is contained in an attached statement of condition (C.A.R. Form MII).
- B. (i) Housing Provider will Deliver to Tenant a statement of condition (C.A.R. Form MII) within **3 days** after execution of this Agreement; prior to the Commencement Date; within **3 days** after the Commencement Date. (ii) Tenant shall complete and return the MII to Housing Provider within **3 (or _____) days** after Delivery. Tenant's failure to return the MII within that time shall conclusively be deemed Tenant's Acknowledgement of the condition as stated in the MII.
- C. Tenant will provide Housing Provider a list of items that are damaged or not in operable condition within **3 (or _____) days** after Commencement Date, not as a contingency of this Agreement but rather as an acknowledgment of the condition of the Premises.
- D. Other: _____

11. **MAINTENANCE USE AND REPORTING:**

- A. Tenant shall properly use, operate and safeguard Premises, including if applicable, any landscaping, furniture, furnishings and appliances, and all mechanical, electrical, gas and plumbing fixtures, carbon monoxide detector(s) and smoke alarms, and keep them and the Premises clean, sanitary and well ventilated. Tenant shall be responsible for any additional phone lines beyond the one line and jack that Housing Provider shall provide and maintain. Tenant shall replace any burned out or malfunctioning light bulbs. Tenant shall immediately notify Housing Provider, in writing, of any problem, malfunction or damage with any item including carbon monoxide detector(s) and smoke alarms on the property. Tenant shall be charged for all repairs or replacements caused by Tenant, pets, guests or licensees of Tenant, excluding ordinary wear and tear. Tenant shall be charged for all damage to Premises as a result of failure to report a problem in a timely manner. Tenant shall be charged for repair of drain blockages or stoppages, unless caused by defective plumbing parts or tree roots invading sewer lines.
- B. Housing Provider Tenant HOA shall water the garden, landscaping, trees and shrubs, except: _____
- C. Housing Provider Tenant HOA shall maintain the garden, landscaping, trees and shrubs, except: _____
- D. Housing Provider Tenant shall maintain _____
- E. Housing Provider and Tenant agree that State or local water use restrictions shall supersede any obligation of Housing Provider or Tenant to water or maintain any garden, landscaping, trees or shrubs pursuant to **paragraphs 11B, 11C, and 11D**.
- F. Tenant's failure to maintain any item for which Tenant is responsible shall give Housing Provider the right to hire someone to perform such maintenance and charge Tenant to cover the cost of such maintenance.
- G. **PERIODIC PEST CONTROL:** Housing Provider Tenant shall pay for periodic pest control by the following service provider: _____ This obligation shall only be applicable if the Premises is a house and the periodic pest control treatment is being provided at the execution of this Agreement. The current cost of such treatment is: \$ _____ per _____.
- H. The following items of personal property are included in the Premises without warranty and Housing Provider will not maintain, repair or replace them: _____
- I. Tenant understands that if Premises is located in a Common Interest Development, Housing Provider may not have authority or control over certain parts of the Premises such as roof, electrical, gas or plumbing features inside certain walls, and common areas such as landscaping, shared parking structure or garage.
- J. Tenant shall not use the premises to plant, grow, cultivate or sell marijuana.

12. **NEIGHBORHOOD CONDITIONS:** Tenant is advised to satisfy himself or herself as to neighborhood or area conditions, including, but not limited to, schools, proximity and adequacy of law enforcement, crime statistics, proximity of registered felons or offenders, fire protection, other governmental services, availability, adequacy and cost of any wired, wireless internet connections or other telecommunications or other technology services and installations, proximity to commercial, industrial or agricultural activities, existing and proposed transportation, construction and development that may affect noise, view, or traffic, airport noise, noise or odor from any source, wild and domestic animals, other nuisances, hazards, or circumstances, cemeteries, facilities and condition of common areas, conditions and influences of significance to certain cultures and/or religions, and personal needs, requirements and preferences of Tenant.

13. **ANIMALS:** Unless otherwise provided in California Civil Code § 54.2, or other law, no animal shall be kept on or about the Premises without Housing Provider's prior written consent, except as agreed to in the attached Animals Terms and Conditions Addendum (C.A.R. Form ATCA).

14. **SMOKING:**

- A. (i) Tenant is responsible for all damage caused by smoking including, but not limited to stains, burns, odors and removal of debris; (ii) Tenant acknowledges that in order to remove odor caused by smoking, Housing Provider may need to replace carpet and drapes and paint the entire premises regardless of when these items were last cleaned, replaced or repainted. Such actions and other necessary steps will impact the return of any security deposit.
- B. The Premises or common areas may be subject to a local non-smoking ordinance.
- C. NO SMOKING of any substance is allowed on the Premises or common areas. If smoking does occur on the Premises or common areas, (i) Tenant is in material breach of this Agreement; (ii) Tenant, guests, and all others may be required to leave the Premises. Smoking of the following substances only is allowed: _____

15. **RULES/REGULATIONS:**

- A. Tenant agrees to comply with all Housing Provider rules and regulations that are at any time posted on the Premises or delivered to Tenant. Tenant shall not, and shall ensure that guests, invitees and licensees of Tenant shall not, disturb, annoy, endanger or interfere with other tenants of the building or neighbors, or use the Premises for any unlawful purposes, under federal, state or local law including, but not limited to, using, manufacturing, selling, storing or transporting illicit drugs or other contraband, or violate any law or ordinance, or commit a waste or nuisance on or about the Premises.
- B. (If applicable, check one)

(1) Housing Provider shall provide Tenant with a copy of the rules and regulations within _____ days or _____

OR (2) Tenant has been provided with, and acknowledges receipt of, a copy of the rules and regulations.

Tenant's Initials _____ / _____ Housing Provider's Initials _____ / _____



Premises: _____ Date: _____

16. (If checked) CONDOMINIUM; PLANNED UNIT DEVELOPMENT:

A. The Premises are a unit in a condominium, planned unit development, common interest subdivision or other development governed by a homeowners' association ("HOA"). The name of the HOA is _____ Tenant agrees to comply with all HOA covenants, conditions and restrictions, bylaws, rules and regulations and decisions ("HOA Rules"). Tenant shall reimburse Housing Provider for any fines or charges imposed by HOA or other authorities, due to any violation by Tenant, or the guests or licensees of Tenant, or Housing Provider shall have the right to deduct such amounts from the security deposit.

B. If applicable, Tenant is required to pay a fee to the HOA to gain access to certain areas within the development such as but not necessarily including or limited to the front gate, pool, and recreational facilities. If not specified in **paragraph 5**, Tenant is solely responsible for payment and satisfying any HOA requirements prior to or upon or after the Commencement Date.

C. (Check one)

(1) Housing Provider shall provide Tenant with a copy of the HOA Rules within _____ days or _____.

OR (2) Tenant has been provided with, and acknowledges receipt of, a copy of the HOA Rules.

17. ALTERATIONS; REPAIRS: Unless otherwise specified by law or **paragraph 25C**, without Housing Provider's prior written consent, **(i)** Tenant shall not make any repairs, alterations or improvements in or about the Premises including: painting, wallpapering, adding or changing locks, installing antenna or satellite dish(es), placing signs, displays or exhibits, or using screws, fastening devices, large nails or adhesive materials; **(ii)** Housing Provider shall not be responsible for the costs of alterations or repairs made by Tenant; **(iii)** Tenant shall not deduct from Rent the costs of any repairs, alterations or improvements; and **(iv)** any deduction made by Tenant shall be considered unpaid Rent.

18. KEYS; LOCKS:

A. Tenant acknowledges receipt of (or Tenant will receive prior to the Commencement Date, or _____):

<input type="checkbox"/> _____ key(s) to Premises,	<input type="checkbox"/> _____ remote control device(s) for garage door/gate opener(s),
<input type="checkbox"/> _____ key(s) to mailbox,	<input type="checkbox"/> _____,
<input type="checkbox"/> _____ key(s) to common area(s),	<input type="checkbox"/> _____,

B. Tenant acknowledges that locks to the Premises have, have not, been re-keyed.

C. If Tenant re-keys existing locks or opening devices, Tenant shall immediately deliver copies of all keys to Housing Provider. Tenant shall pay all costs and charges related to loss of any keys or opening devices. Tenant may not remove locks, even if installed by Tenant.

19. ENTRY:

A. Tenant shall make Premises available to Housing Provider or Housing Provider's representative for the purpose of entering to make necessary or agreed repairs (including, but not limited to, installing, repairing, testing, and maintaining smoke detectors and carbon monoxide devices, and bracing, anchoring or strapping water heaters, or repairing dilapidation relating to the presence of mold), decorations, alterations, or improvements; or supplying necessary or agreed services; or to show Premises to prospective or actual purchasers, tenants, mortgagees, lenders, appraisers, contractors and others (collectively "Interested Persons"). Tenant agrees that Housing Provider, Broker and Interested Persons may take photos of the Premises.

B. Housing Provider and Tenant agree that 24-hour written notice shall be reasonable and sufficient notice, except as follows:

- (1) 48-hour written notice is required to conduct an inspection of the Premises prior to the Tenant moving out, unless the Tenant waives the right to such notice.
- (2) If Housing Provider has in writing informed Tenant that the Premises are for sale and that Tenant will be notified orally to show the premises (C.A.R. Form NSE), then, for the next 120 days following the delivery of the NSE, notice may be given orally to show the Premises to actual or prospective purchasers.
- (3) No written notice is required if Housing Provider and Tenant orally agree to an entry for agreed services or repairs if the date and time of entry are within one week of the oral agreement.
- (4) No notice is required: **(i)** to enter in case of an emergency; **(ii)** if the Tenant is present and consents at the time of entry; or **(iii)** if the Tenant has abandoned or surrendered the Premises.

C. (If checked) Tenant authorizes the use of a key safe/lockbox to allow entry into the Premises and agrees to sign a key safe/lockbox addendum (C.A.R. Form KLA).

20. PHOTOGRAPHS AND INTERNET ADVERTISING:

A. In order to effectively market the Premises for sale or rental it is often necessary to provide photographs, virtual tours and other media to Interested Persons. Tenant agrees that Broker may photograph or otherwise electronically capture images of the exterior and interior of the Premises ("Images") for static and/or virtual tours of the Premises by Interested Persons for use on Broker's website, the MLS, and other marketing materials and sites. Tenant acknowledges that once Images are placed on the Internet neither Broker nor Housing Provider has control over who can view such Images and what use viewers may make of the Images, or how long such Images may remain available on the Internet. Tenant is advised to store or otherwise remove from view, anything of a personal nature which Tenant would not want to appear in any Images, including but not limited to, family photos, documents, or other valuables.

B. Tenant acknowledges that prospective Interested Persons coming onto the Premises may take photographs, videos or other images of the Premises. Tenant understands that Broker does not have the ability to control or block the taking and use of Images by any such persons. Once Images are taken and/or put into electronic display on the Internet or otherwise, neither Broker nor Housing Provider has control over who views such Images nor what use viewers may make of the Images.

21. SIGNS: Tenant authorizes Housing Provider to place FOR SALE/LEASE signs on the Premises.

22. ASSIGNMENT; SUBLETTING:

A. Tenant shall not sublet all or any part of Premises, or parking or storage spaces, or assign or transfer this Agreement or any interest in it, without Housing Provider's prior written consent. Unless such consent is obtained, any assignment, transfer or subletting of Premises or this Agreement or tenancy, by voluntary act of Tenant, operation of law or otherwise, shall, at the option of Housing Provider, terminate this Agreement. Any proposed assignee, transferee or sublessee shall submit to Housing Provider an application and credit information for Housing Provider's approval and, if approved, sign a separate written agreement with Housing Provider and Tenant. Housing Provider's consent to any one assignment, transfer or sublease, shall not be construed as consent to any subsequent assignment, transfer or sublease and does not release Tenant of Tenant's obligations under this Agreement.

B. This prohibition also applies (does not apply) to short term, vacation, and transient rentals such as, but not limited to, those arranged through AirBnB, VRBO, HomeAway or other short term rental services.

C. Any violation of this prohibition is a non-curable, material breach of this Agreement.

Tenant's Initials _____ / _____ Housing Provider's Initials _____ / _____



Premises: _____ Date: _____

23. JOINT AND INDIVIDUAL OBLIGATIONS: If there is more than one Tenant, each one shall be individually and completely responsible for the performance of all obligations of Tenant under this Agreement, jointly with every other Tenant, and individually, whether or not in possession.

24. POSSESSION:

A. (1) Tenant is not in possession of the Premises. If Housing Provider is unable to deliver possession of Premises on Commencement Date, such Date shall be extended to the date on which possession is made available to Tenant. If Housing Provider is unable to deliver possession within **5 (or _____) calendar days** after agreed Commencement Date, Tenant may terminate this Agreement by giving written notice to Housing Provider, and shall be refunded all Rent and security deposit paid.

OR (2) Tenant is already in possession of the Premises.

B. Possession is deemed terminated when Tenant has returned all keys to the Premises to Housing Provider.

25. TENANT'S OBLIGATIONS UPON VACATING PREMISES:

A. Upon termination of this Agreement, Tenant shall: (i) give Housing Provider all copies of all keys and any opening devices to Premises, including any common areas; (ii) vacate and surrender Premises to Housing Provider, empty of all persons; and personal property belonging to Tenant (iii) vacate any/all parking and/or storage space; (iv) clean and deliver Premises, as specified in **paragraph 25C** below, to Housing Provider in the same condition as referenced in **paragraph 10**; (v) remove all debris; (vi) give written notice to Housing Provider of Tenant's forwarding address; and (vii) _____

B. All alterations/improvements made by or caused to be made by Tenant, with or without Housing Provider's consent, become the property of Housing Provider upon termination. Housing Provider may charge Tenant for restoration of the Premises to the condition it was in prior to any alterations/improvements.

C. **Right to Pre-Move-Out Inspection and Repairs:** (i) After giving or receiving notice of termination of a tenancy (C.A.R. Form NTT), or before the expiration of this Agreement, Tenant has the right to request that an inspection of the Premises take place prior to termination (C.A.R. Form NRI). If Tenant requests such an inspection, Tenant shall be given an opportunity to remedy identified deficiencies prior to termination, consistent with the terms of this Agreement. (ii) Any repairs or alterations made to the Premises as a result of this inspection (collectively, "Repairs") shall be made at Tenant's expense. Repairs may be performed by Tenant or through others, who have adequate insurance and licenses and are approved by Housing Provider. The work shall comply with applicable law, including governmental permit, inspection and approval requirements. Repairs shall be performed in a good, skillful manner with materials of quality and appearance comparable to existing materials. It is understood that exact restoration of appearance or cosmetic items following all Repairs may not be possible. (iii) Tenant shall: (a) obtain receipts for Repairs performed by others; (b) prepare a written statement indicating the Repairs performed by Tenant and the date of such Repairs; and (c) provide copies of receipts and statements to Housing Provider prior to termination. **Paragraph 25C** does not apply when the tenancy is terminated pursuant to California Code of Civil Procedure § 1161(2), (3), or (4).

26. BREACH OF CONTRACT; EARLY TERMINATION: In addition to any obligations established by **paragraph 25**, in the event of termination by Tenant prior to completion of the original term of the Agreement or any extension, Tenant shall also be responsible for lost Rent, rental commissions, advertising expenses and painting costs necessary to ready Premises for re-rental. Housing Provider may withhold any such amounts from Tenant's security deposit.

27. TEMPORARY RELOCATION: Subject to local law, Tenant agrees, upon demand of Housing Provider, to temporarily vacate Premises for a reasonable period, to allow for fumigation (or other methods) to control wood destroying pests or organisms, or other repairs to Premises. Tenant agrees to comply with all instructions and requirements necessary to prepare Premises to accommodate pest control, fumigation or other work, including bagging or storage of food and medicine, and removal of perishables and valuables. Tenant shall only be entitled to a credit of Rent equal to the per diem Rent for the period of time Tenant is required to vacate Premises.

28. DAMAGE TO PREMISES: If, by no fault of Tenant, Premises are totally or partially damaged or destroyed by fire, earthquake, accident or other casualty that render Premises totally or partially uninhabitable, either Housing Provider or Tenant may terminate this Agreement by giving the other written notice. Rent shall be abated as of the date Premises become totally or partially uninhabitable. The abated amount shall be the current monthly Rent prorated on a 30-day period. If the Agreement is not terminated, Housing Provider shall promptly repair the damage, and Rent shall be reduced based on the extent to which the damage interferes with Tenant's reasonable use of Premises. If damage occurs as a result of an act of Tenant or Tenant's guests, only Housing Provider shall have the right of termination, and no reduction in Rent shall be made.

29. INSURANCE:

A. Tenant's, guest's, invitees or licensee's personal property and vehicles are not insured by Housing Provider, manager or, if applicable, HOA, against loss or damage due to fire, theft, vandalism, rain, water, criminal or negligent acts of others, or any other cause. **Tenant is advised to carry Tenant's own insurance (renter's insurance) to protect Tenant from any such loss or damage.**

B. Tenant shall comply with any requirement imposed on Tenant by Housing Provider's insurer to avoid: (i) an increase in Housing Provider's insurance premium (or Tenant shall pay for the increase in premium); or (ii) loss of insurance.

C. Tenant shall obtain liability insurance, in an amount not less than \$ _____ for injury or damage to, or upon, the Premises during the term of this agreement or any extension. The liability policy shall name Housing Provider, and Property Manager, if applicable: (i) as an additional interest, requiring insurer to notify such person if the policy is changed, cancelled or not renewed; and (ii) as an additional insured, if available from the insurer. Tenant shall provide Housing Provider a copy of the insurance policy before commencement of this Agreement, and a rider prior to renewal. Housing Provider and Tenant are advised to seek counsel from a qualified California attorney or insurance broker regarding the availability of insurance, prior to entering into this Agreement.

30. WATERBEDS/PORTABLE WASHERS: Tenant shall not use or have waterbeds on the Premises unless: (i) Tenant obtains a valid waterbed insurance policy; (ii) Tenant increases the security deposit in an amount equal to one-half of one month's Rent; and (iii) the bed conforms to the floor load capacity of Premises. Tenant shall not use on the Premises Portable Dishwasher Portable Washing Machine.

31. WAIVER: The waiver of any breach shall not be construed as a continuing waiver of the same or any subsequent breach.

32. NOTICE: Notices may be served at the following address, or at any other location subsequently designated:

Housing Provider: _____ Tenant: _____

Tenant's Initials _____ / _____ Housing Provider's Initials _____ / _____



Premises: _____

Date: _____

- 33. **TENANT ESTOPPEL CERTIFICATE:** Tenant shall execute and return a tenant estoppel certificate delivered to Tenant by Housing Provider or Housing Provider's agent within **3 days** after its receipt (C.A.R. Form TEC). Failure to comply with this requirement shall be deemed Tenant's acknowledgment that the tenant estoppel certificate is true and correct, and may be relied upon by a lender or purchaser.
- 34. **REPRESENTATION**
 - A. **TENANT REPRESENTATION; OBLIGATIONS REGARDING OCCUPANTS; CREDIT:** Tenant warrants that all statements in Tenant's rental application are accurate. Housing Provider requires all occupants 18 years of age or older and all emancipated minors to complete a lease rental application. Tenant acknowledges this requirement and agrees to notify Housing Provider when any occupant of the Premises reaches the age of 18 or becomes an emancipated minor. Tenant authorizes Housing Provider and Broker(s) to obtain Tenant's credit during the tenancy in connection with a modification of this Agreement. Before occupancy begins, Housing Provider may cancel this Agreement upon disapproval of the credit report(s) or upon discovering that information in Tenant's application is false. During the tenancy, Housing Provider may reject any such modification upon disapproval of the credit report(s) obtained in connection with the modification. A negative credit report reflecting on Tenant's record may be submitted to a credit reporting agency if Tenant fails to fulfill the terms of payment and other obligations under this Agreement.
 - B. **HOUSING PROVIDER REPRESENTATIONS:** Housing Provider warrants that, unless otherwise specified in writing, Housing Provider is unaware of (i) any recorded Notices of Default affecting the Premise; (ii) any delinquent amounts due under any loan secured by the Premises; and (iii) any bankruptcy proceeding affecting the Premises.
- 35. **MEDIATION:**
 - A. Consistent with paragraphs 35B and 35C below, Housing Provider and Tenant agree to mediate any dispute or claim arising between them out of this Agreement, or any resulting transaction, before resorting to court action. Mediation fees, if any, shall be divided equally among the parties involved. If, for any dispute or claim to which this paragraph applies, any party commences an action without first attempting to resolve the matter through mediation, or refuses to mediate after a request has been made, then that party shall not be entitled to recover attorney fees, even if they would otherwise be available to that party in any such action.
 - B. The following matters are excluded from mediation: (i) an unlawful detainer action; (ii) the filing or enforcement of a mechanic's lien; and (iii) any matter within the jurisdiction of a probate, small claims or bankruptcy court. The filing of a court action to enable the recording of a notice of pending action, for order of attachment, receivership, injunction, or other provisional remedies, shall not constitute a waiver of the mediation provision.
 - C. Housing Provider and Tenant agree to mediate disputes or claims involving Listing Agent, Leasing Agent or property manager ("Broker"), provided Broker shall have agreed to such mediation prior to, or within a reasonable time after, the dispute or claim is presented to such Broker. Any election by Broker to participate in mediation shall not result in Broker being deemed a party to this Agreement.
- 36. **ATTORNEY FEES:** In any action or proceeding arising out of this Agreement, the prevailing party between Housing Provider and Tenant shall be entitled to reasonable attorney fees and costs collectively not to exceed \$1,000 (or \$_____), except as provided in paragraph 35A.
- 37. **C.A.R. FORM:** C.A.R. Form means the specific form referenced or another comparable form agreed to by the parties.
- 38. **DISCLOSURES:**
 - A. **MOLD AND DAMPNES:** Exposure to mold may have potential health risks. Tenant acknowledges receipt of the attached booklet titled, "Information on Dampness and Mold for Renters in California" before signing this Residential Lease or Month-to-Month Rental Agreement.
 - B. **BED BUGS:** Housing Provider has no knowledge of any infestation in the Premises by bed bugs. See attached Bed Bug Disclosure (C.A.R. Form BBD) for further information. Tenant shall report suspected bed bug infestation to Housing Provider or, if applicable, property manager and cooperate with any inspection for and treatment of bed bugs. Housing Provider will notify tenants of any units infested by bed bugs.
 - C. **MEGAN'S LAW DATABASE DISCLOSURE:** Notice: Pursuant to § 290.46 of the Penal Code, information about specified registered sex offenders is made available to the public via an Internet Web site maintained by the Department of Justice at www.meganslaw.ca.gov. Depending on an offender's criminal history, this information will include either the address at which the offender resides or the community of residence and ZIP Code in which he or she resides. (Neither Housing Provider nor Brokers, if any, are required to check this website. If Tenant wants further information, Tenant should obtain information directly from this website.)
 - D. **RESIDENTIAL ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS BOOKLET:** Tenant acknowledges receipt of the residential environmental hazards booklet.
 - E. **FLOOD HAZARD DISCLOSURE:** Flooding has the potential to cause significant damage to personal property owned by Tenant. See attached Tenant Flood Hazard Disclosure (C.A.R. Form TFHD) for additional information.
 - F. **OTHER MATERIAL FACTS:** _____

 - G. **ADDITIONAL DISCLOSURES:** RPO shall make additional disclosures regarding the following matters, **if applicable**, on the Rental Property Owner Disclosure (C.A.R. Form RPOD): Lead-based Paint; Methamphetamine Contamination; Periodic Pest Control Contracts; Water Submeters; Mold; Asbestos; Homeowners Associations/Condominiums/Planned Developments; Military Ordnance Locations; Death on the Premises.
- 39. **SERVICEMEMBERS CIVIL RELIEF ACT:** Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in paragraphs 2, 4, 26 or elsewhere in this Agreement, the Servicemembers Civil Relief Act applies to this Agreement and any effort to terminate it, as specified in §§ 3951 and 3955 of the Act.
- 40. **TIME OF ESSENCE; ENTIRE CONTRACT; CHANGES:** Time is of the essence. All understandings between the parties are incorporated in this Agreement. Its terms are intended by the parties as a final, complete and exclusive expression of their Agreement with respect to its subject matter, and may not be contradicted by evidence of any prior agreement or contemporaneous oral agreement. If any provision of this Agreement is held to be ineffective or invalid, the remaining provisions will nevertheless be given full force and effect. Neither this Agreement nor any provision in it may be extended, amended, modified, altered or changed except in writing. This Agreement is subject to California Housing Provider-tenant law and shall incorporate all changes required by amendment or successors to such law. This Agreement and any supplement, addendum or modification, including any copy, may be signed in two or more counterparts, all of which shall constitute one and the same writing.

Tenant's Initials _____ / _____

Housing Provider's Initials _____ / _____



Premises: _____ Date: _____

41. AGENCY:

A. CONFIRMATION: The following agency relationship(s) are hereby confirmed for this transaction:

Housing Provider's Brokerage Firm _____ License Number _____

Is the broker of (check one): the Housing Provider; or both the Tenant and Housing Provider (Dual Agent).

Housing Provider's Agent _____ License Number _____

Is (check one): the Housing Provider's Agent. (salesperson or broker associate); or both the Tenant's and Housing Provider's Agent (Dual Agent).

Tenant's Brokerage Firm _____ License Number _____

Is the broker of (check one): the Tenant; or both the Tenant and Housing Provider (Dual Agent).

Tenant's Agent _____ License Number _____

Is (check one): the Tenant's Agent. (salesperson or broker associate); or both the Tenant's and Housing Provider's Agent (Dual Agent).

B. DISCLOSURE: (If checked): The term of this Agreement exceeds one year. A disclosure regarding real estate agency relationships (C.A.R. Form AD) has been provided to Housing Provider and Tenant, who each acknowledge its receipt.

C. TERMINATION OF AGENCY RELATIONSHIP:

(1) Housing Provider and Tenant acknowledges and agrees that unless Broker is the property manager, or as specified in (2) below, once Housing Provider and Tenant enter into this Agreement, (i) Broker will not represent Owner in any manner regarding the management of the Premises; and (ii) Any representation duties that Broker may owe to, and any agency relationship that Broker may have with, either Housing Provider or Tenant, is terminated.

(2) Notwithstanding **paragraph 41C(1)**, Broker duties and responsibilities to either Housing Provider or Tenant will terminate upon the last to occur of the following (choose all that apply): Tenant occupancy, Delivering to Tenant keys or other means of entering the Premises, Tenant walkthrough, Completion of Move In Inspection (C.A.R. Form MII).

42. TENANT COMPENSATION TO BROKER: Upon execution of this Agreement, Tenant agrees to pay compensation to Broker as specified in a separate written agreement between Tenant and Broker.

43. NOTICE OF RIGHT TO RECEIVE FOREIGN LANGUAGE TRANSLATION OF LEASE/RENTAL AGREEMENTS: California Civil Code requires a Housing Provider or property manager to provide a tenant with a foreign language translation copy of a lease or rental agreement if the agreement was negotiated primarily in Spanish, Chinese, Korean, Tagalog or Vietnamese. If applicable, every term of the lease/rental needs to be translated except for, among others, names, dollar amounts and dates written as numerals, and words with no generally accepted non-English translation.

44. OWNER COMPENSATION TO BROKER: Upon execution of this Agreement, Owner agrees to pay compensation to Broker as specified in a separate written agreement between Owner and Broker (C.A.R. Form LL or LCA).

45. RECEIPT: If specified in **paragraph 5**, Housing Provider or Broker, acknowledges receipt of move-in funds.

46. CITY, COUNTY OR OTHER LOCAL REQUIREMENTS: Housing Provider and Tenant are advised that city, county or other local requirements, including those imposed by a regulatory body such a rent stabilization or similar board, may apply, and to attach to this Residential Lease or Month-to-Month Rental Agreement or separately provide, as provided by law, any documentation required by such a local authority.

47. OTHER TERMS AND CONDITIONS; If checked, the following ATTACHED documents are incorporated in this Agreement:

Keysafe/Lockbox Addendum (C.A.R. Form KLA); Lead-Based Paint and Lead-Based Paint Hazards Disclosure (C.A.R. Form LPD); Lease/Rental Mold and Ventilation Addendum (C.A.R. Form LRM); Parking and Storage Disclosure (C.A.R. Form PSD);

Bed Bug Disclosure (C.A.R. Form BBD); Tenant Flood Hazard Disclosure (C.A.R. Form TFHD); Rent Cap and Just Cause Addendum (C.A.R. Form RCJC)

Other Documents/Addenda: _____

Other Terms: _____

48. LEGALLY AUTHORIZED SIGNER: Wherever the signature or initials of the Legally Authorized Signer identified in **paragraphs 51** or **52** appear on this Agreement or any related documents, it shall be deemed to be in a representative capacity for the entity described and not in an individual capacity, unless otherwise indicated. The Legally Authorized Signer (i) represents that the entity for which that person is acting already exists and is in good standing to do business in California, and (ii) shall Deliver to the other Party, upon request, evidence of authority to act in that capacity (such as but not limited to: applicable portion of the trust or Certification Of Trust (Probate Code § 18100.5), letters testamentary, court order, power of attorney, corporate resolution, or formation documents of the business entity).

49. INTERPRETER/TRANSLATOR: The terms of this Agreement have been interpreted for Tenant into the following language:

_____. Housing Provider and Tenant acknowledge receipt of the attached interpreter/ translator agreement (C.A.R. Form ITA).

50. The Premises is being managed by Owner, (or, if checked):

Housing Provider's Brokerage Firm in Real Estate Brokerage section Tenant's Brokerage Firm in Real Estate Brokers section

Property Management firm immediately below

Real Estate Broker (Property Manager) _____ DRE Lic # _____

(Agent) _____ DRE Lic # _____

Address _____ Telephone # _____

Tenant's Initials _____ / _____ Housing Provider's Initials _____ / _____



Premises: _____ Date: _____

Housing Provider and Tenant acknowledge and agree Brokers: (a) do not guarantee the condition of the Premises; (b) cannot verify representations made by others; (c) cannot provide legal or tax advice; (d) will not provide other advice or information that exceeds the knowledge, education or experience required to obtain a real estate license. Furthermore, if Brokers are not also acting as Housing Provider in this Agreement, Brokers: (e) do not decide what rental rate a Tenant should pay or Housing Provider should accept; and (f) do not decide upon the length or other terms of this Agreement. Housing Provider and Tenant agree that they will seek legal, tax, insurance and other desired assistance from appropriate professionals.

51. Tenant agrees to rent the Premises on the above terms and conditions.

A. ENTITY TENANT: (Note: If this paragraph is completed, a Representative Capacity Signature Disclosure (C.A.R. Form RCSD) is not required for the Legally Authorized Signers designated below.)

- (1) One or more Tenant is a trust, corporation, LLC, probate estate, partnership, holding a power of attorney or other entity.
- (2) This Agreement is being Signed by a Legally Authorized Signer in a representative capacity and not in an individual capacity. See **paragraph 48** for additional terms.
- (3) The name(s) of the Legally Authorized Signer(s) is: _____.
- (4) **A.** If a trust, identify **Tenant** as trustee(s) of the trust or by simplified trust name (ex. John Doe, co-trustee, Jane Doe, co-trustee or Doe Revocable Family Trust).
- B.** If Property is sold under the jurisdiction of a probate court, identify Tenant as executor or administrator, or by a simplified probate name (John Doe, executor, or Estate (or Conservatorship) of John Doe).
- (5) The following is the full name of the entity (if a trust, enter the complete trust name; if under probate, enter full name of the estate, including case #): _____

B. TENANT SIGNATURE(S):

(Signature) By, _____ Date: _____

Printed name of Tenant: _____

Printed Name of Legally Authorized Signer: _____ Title, if applicable, _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Telephone _____ Text _____ E-mail _____

(Signature) By, _____ Date: _____

Printed name of Tenant: _____

Printed Name of Legally Authorized Signer: _____ Title, if applicable, _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Telephone _____ Text _____ E-mail _____

IF MORE THAN TWO SIGNERS, USE Additional Signature Addendum (C.A.R. Form ASA).

GUARANTEE: In consideration of the execution of this Agreement by and between Housing Provider and Tenant and for valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, the undersigned ("Guarantor") does hereby: (i) guarantee unconditionally to Housing Provider and Housing Provider's agents, successors and assigns, the prompt payment of Rent or other sums that become due pursuant to this Agreement, including any and all court costs and attorney fees included in enforcing the Agreement; (ii) consent to any changes, modifications or alterations of any term in this Agreement agreed to by Housing Provider and Tenant; and (iii) waive any right to require Housing Provider and/or Housing Provider's agents to proceed against Tenant for any default occurring under this Agreement before seeking to enforce this Guarantee.

Guarantor (Print Name)

Guarantor _____ Date _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Telephone _____ Text _____ E-mail _____

Tenant's Initials _____ / _____ Housing Provider's Initials _____ / _____



Premises: _____ Date: _____

52. Housing Provider (owner or agent for owner) agrees to rent the Premises on the above terms and conditions.

A. ENTITY HOUSING PROVIDER: (Note: If this paragraph is completed, a Representative Capacity Signature Disclosure (C.A.R. Form RCSD) is not required for the Legally Authorized Signers designated below.)

- (1) One or more Housing Provider is a trust, corporation, LLC, probate estate, partnership, holding a power of attorney or other entity.
- (2) This Agreement is being Signed by a Legally Authorized Signer in a representative capacity and not in an individual capacity. See **paragraph 48** for additional terms.
- (3) The name(s) of the Legally Authorized Signer(s) is: _____.
- (4) **A.** If a trust, identify **Housing Provider** as trustee(s) of the trust or by simplified trust name (ex. John Doe, co-trustee, Jane Doe, co-trustee or Doe Revocable Family Trust).
- B.** If Property is sold under the jurisdiction of a probate court, identify **Housing Provider** as executor or administrator, or by a simplified probate name (John Doe, executor, or Estate (or Conservatorship) of John Doe).
- (5) The following is the full name of the entity (if a trust, enter the complete trust name; if under probate, enter full name of the estate, including case #): _____.

B. HOUSING PROVIDER SIGNATURE(S):

(Signature) By, _____ Date: _____

Printed name of Housing Provider: _____

Printed Name of Legally Authorized Signer: _____ Title, if applicable, _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Telephone _____ Text _____ E-mail _____

(Signature) By, _____ Date: _____

Printed name of Housing Provider: _____

Printed Name of Legally Authorized Signer: _____ Title, if applicable, _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Telephone _____ Text _____ E-mail _____

IF MORE THAN TWO SIGNERS, USE Additional Signature Addendum (C.A.R. Form ASA).

Tenant's Initials _____ / _____ Housing Provider's Initials _____ / _____

REAL ESTATE BROKERS:

- A.** Real estate brokers who are not also Housing Provider under this Agreement are not parties to the Agreement between Housing Provider and Tenant.
- B.** Agency relationships are confirmed in **paragraph 41**.
- C. COOPERATING BROKER COMPENSATION:** Listing Broker agrees to pay Cooperating Broker (Leasing Firm) and Cooperating Broker agrees to accept: (if checked) the amount specified in a separate written agreement between Listing Broker and Cooperating Broker.

Tenant's Brokerage Firm _____ DRE Lic. # _____

By (Agent) _____ DRE Lic. # _____ Date _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Telephone _____ Text _____ E-mail _____

Housing Provider's Brokerage Firm _____ DRE Lic. # _____

By (Agent) _____ DRE Lic. # _____ Date _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Telephone _____ Text _____ E-mail _____

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CALIFORNIA RESIDENTIAL PURCHASE AGREEMENT AND JOINT ESCROW INSTRUCTIONS
(C.A.R. FORM RPA, Revised 6/24)

Date Prepared: _____

1. OFFER:

- A. THIS IS AN OFFER FROM** _____ (“Buyer”).
- B. THE PROPERTY** to be acquired is _____, situated in _____ (City), _____ (County), California, _____ (Zip Code), Assessor’s Parcel No(s) _____ (“Property”).
(Postal/Mailing address may be different from city jurisdiction. Buyer is advised to investigate.)

- C. THE TERMS OF THE PURCHASE ARE SPECIFIED BELOW AND ON THE FOLLOWING PAGES.**
- D.** Buyer and Seller are referred to herein as the “Parties.” Brokers and Agents are **not** Parties to this Agreement.

2. AGENCY:

- A. DISCLOSURE:** The Parties each acknowledge receipt of a “Disclosure Regarding Real Estate Agency Relationship” (C.A.R. Form AD) if represented by a real estate licensee. Buyer’s Agent is not legally required to give to Seller’s Agent the AD form Signed by Buyer. Seller’s Agent is not legally obligated to give to Buyer’s Agent the AD form Signed by Seller.
- B. CONFIRMATION:** The following agency relationships are hereby confirmed for this transaction.

Seller’s Brokerage Firm _____ License Number _____
Is the broker of (check one): the Seller; or both the Buyer and Seller (Dual Agent).

Seller’s Agent _____ License Number _____
Is (check one): the Seller’s Agent (Salesperson or broker associate); or both the Buyer’s and Seller’s Agent (Dual Agent).

Buyer’s Brokerage Firm _____ License Number _____
Is the broker of (check one): the Buyer; or both the Buyer and Seller (Dual Agent).

Buyer’s Agent _____ License Number _____
Is (check one): the Buyer’s Agent (Salesperson or broker associate); or both the Buyer’s and Seller’s Agent (Dual Agent).

- C.** More than one Brokerage represents Seller, Buyer. See, Additional Broker Acknowledgement (C.A.R. Form ABA).
- D. POTENTIALLY COMPETING BUYERS AND SELLERS:** The Parties each acknowledge receipt of a “Possible Representation of More than One Buyer or Seller - Disclosure and Consent” (C.A.R. Form PRBS).

3. TERMS OF PURCHASE AND ALLOCATION OF COSTS: The items in this paragraph are contractual terms of the Agreement. Referenced paragraphs provide further explanation. This form is 17 pages. The Parties are advised to read all 17 pages.

	Paragraph #	Paragraph Title or Contract Term	Terms and Conditions	Additional Terms
A	5, 5B (cash)	Purchase Price	\$ _____	<input type="checkbox"/> All Cash
B		Close Of Escrow (COE)	_____ Days after Acceptance OR on _____ (date)	
C	33A	Expiration of Offer	3 calendar days after all Buyer Signature(s) or _____ (date), at 5PM or <input type="checkbox"/> AM/ <input type="checkbox"/> PM	
D(1)	5A(1)	Initial Deposit Amount	\$ _____ (_____ % of purchase price) (% number above is for calculation purposes and is not a contractual term)	within 3 (or _____) business days after Acceptance by wire transfer OR <input type="checkbox"/> _____
D(2)	5A(2)	<input type="checkbox"/> Increased Deposit (Money placed into escrow after the initial deposit. Use form DID at time increased deposit is made.)	\$ _____ (_____ % of purchase price) (% number above is for calculation purposes and is not a contractual term)	Upon removal of all contingencies OR <input type="checkbox"/> _____ (date) OR <input type="checkbox"/> _____
E(1)	5C(1)	Loan Amount(s): First Interest Rate Points If FHA or VA checked, Deliver list of lender required repairs	\$ _____ (_____ % of purchase price) Fixed rate or <input type="checkbox"/> Initial adjustable rate • not to exceed _____ % • Buyer to pay up to _____ points to obtain the rate above 17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	Conventional or, if checked, <input type="checkbox"/> FHA (Forms FVAC/HID attached) <input type="checkbox"/> VA (Form FVAC attached) <input type="checkbox"/> Seller Financing <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____
E(2)	5C(2)	Additional Financed Amount Interest Rate Points	\$ _____ (_____ % of purchase price) Fixed rate or <input type="checkbox"/> Initial adjustable rate • not to exceed _____ % • Buyer to pay up to _____ points to obtain the rate above	Conventional or, if checked, <input type="checkbox"/> Seller Financing <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____
E(3)	7A	Occupancy Type	Primary, or if checked, <input type="checkbox"/> Secondary <input type="checkbox"/> Investment	
F	5D	Balance of Down Payment	\$ _____	
		PURCHASE PRICE TOTAL	\$ _____	



Property Address: _____

Date: _____

	Paragraph #	Paragraph Title or Contract Term	Terms and Conditions	Additional Terms
G(1)	5E	Seller Credit, if any, to Buyer	<input type="checkbox"/> \$ _____ (_____% of purchase price) (% number above is for calculation purposes and is not a contractual term)	Seller credit to be applied to closing costs OR <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____
G(2)	ADDITIONAL FINANCE TERMS: _____			
G(3)	18	<input type="checkbox"/> Seller agrees to pay the obligation of Buyer to compensate Buyer's Broker under a separate agreement (C.A.R. Form SPBB attached). Seller's Broker's offer, if any, to compensate Buyer's Broker is unaffected unless Otherwise Agreed.		
H(1)	5B	Verification of All Cash (sufficient funds)	Attached to the offer or <input type="checkbox"/> 3 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	
H(2)	6A	Verification of Down Payment and Closing Costs	Attached to the offer or <input type="checkbox"/> 3 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	
H(3)	6B	Verification of Loan Application	Attached to the offer or <input type="checkbox"/> 3 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	<input type="checkbox"/> Prequalification <input type="checkbox"/> Preapproval <input type="checkbox"/> Fully underwritten preapproval
I	Intentionally Left Blank			
J	16	Final Verification of Condition	5 (or _____) Days prior to COE	
K	23	Assignment Request	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	
L	CONTINGENCIES		TIME TO REMOVE CONTINGENCIES	CONTINGENCY REMOVED
L(1)	8A	Loan(s)	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	<input type="checkbox"/> No loan contingency
L(2)	8B	Appraisal: Appraisal contingency based upon appraised value at a minimum of purchase price or <input type="checkbox"/> \$ _____	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	<input type="checkbox"/> No appraisal contingency Removal of appraisal contingency does not eliminate appraisal cancellation rights in FVAC.
L(3)	8C, 12	Investigation of Property Informational Access to Property Buyer's right to access the Property for informational purposes is NOT a contingency, does NOT create cancellation rights, and applies even if contingencies are removed.	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance 17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	REMOVAL OR WAIVER OF CONTINGENCY: Any contingency in L(1)-L(8) may be removed or waived by checking the applicable box above or attaching a Contingency Removal (C.A.R. Form CR-B) and checking the applicable box therein. Removal or Waiver at time of offer is against Agent advice. See paragraph 8 . <input type="checkbox"/> CR-B attached
L(4)	8D	Insurance	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	
L(5)	8E, 14A	Review of Seller Documents	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance, or 5 Days after Delivery, whichever is later	
L(6)	8F, 13A	Preliminary ("Title") Report	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance or 5 Days after Delivery, whichever is later	
L(7)	8G, 11L	Common Interest Disclosures <i>Per Civil Code § 4525 or Agreement</i>	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance, or 5 Days after Delivery, whichever is later	
L(8)	8H, 9B(6)	Review of leased or liened items <i>(E.g. solar panels or propane tanks)</i>	17 (or _____) Days after Acceptance, or 5 Days after Delivery, whichever is later	
L(9)	8K	Sale of Buyer's Property. Sale of Buyer's property is not a contingency, UNLESS checked here: <input type="checkbox"/> C.A.R. Form COP attached		
M	Possession		Time for Performance	Additional Terms
M(1)	Time of Possession		Upon notice of recordation, OR <input type="checkbox"/> 6 PM or <input type="checkbox"/> _____ <input type="checkbox"/> AM/ <input type="checkbox"/> PM on date specified, as applicable, in 3M(2) or attached TOPA.	
M(2)	7D	Seller Occupied or Vacant units	COE date or, if checked below, <input type="checkbox"/> _____ days after COE (29 or fewer days) <input type="checkbox"/> _____ days after COE (30 or more days)	C.A.R. Form SIP attached if 29 or fewer days. C.A.R. Form RLAS attached if 30 or more days.
M(3)	4A, 7A	Occupied units by tenants or anyone other than the Seller	<input type="checkbox"/> Tenant Occupied Property Addendum (C.A.R. Form TOPA) attached	Seller shall disclose if occupied by anyone other than Seller, and attach TOPA in a counter offer if not part of Buyer's offer.
N	Documents/Fees/Compliance		Time for Performance	
N(1)	14A	Seller Delivery of Documents	7 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	
N(2)	19B	Sign and return Escrow Holder Provisions and Instructions	5 (or _____) Days after Delivery	
N(3)	11L(2)	Time to pay fees for ordering HOA Documents	3 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	
N(4)	10B(1)	Install smoke alarm(s), CO detector(s), water heater bracing	7 (or _____) Days after Acceptance	
N(5)	32	Evidence of representative authority	3 Days after Acceptance	
O	Intentionally Left Blank			

Property Address: _____

Date: _____

P		Items Included and Excluded		
P(1)	9	Items Included - All items specified in Paragraph 9B are included and the following, if checked: <input type="checkbox"/> Stove(s), oven(s), stove/oven combo(s); <input type="checkbox"/> Refrigerator(s); <input type="checkbox"/> Wine Refrigerator(s); <input type="checkbox"/> Washer(s); <input type="checkbox"/> Dryer(s); <input type="checkbox"/> Dishwasher(s); <input type="checkbox"/> Microwave(s); Additional Items Included: <input type="checkbox"/> _____;		
		<input type="checkbox"/> Video doorbell(s); <input type="checkbox"/> Security camera equipment; <input type="checkbox"/> Security system(s)/alarm(s), other than separate video doorbell and camera equipment; <input type="checkbox"/> Smart home control devices; <input type="checkbox"/> Wall mounted brackets for video or audio equipment; <input type="checkbox"/> _____;	<input type="checkbox"/> Above-ground pool(s) / <input type="checkbox"/> spa(s); <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Bathroom mirrors, unless excluded below; <input type="checkbox"/> Electric car charging systems and stations; <input type="checkbox"/> Potted trees/shrubs; <input type="checkbox"/> _____;	
P(2)		Excluded Items: <input type="checkbox"/> _____;		
Q		Allocation of Costs		
	Paragraph #	Item Description	Who Pays (if Both is checked, cost to be split equally unless Otherwise Agreed)	Additional Terms
Q(1)	10A, 11A	Natural Hazard Zone Disclosure Report, including tax information	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Provided by: _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Environmental <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____
Q(2)		Optional Wildfire Disclosure Report	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	Provided by: _____
Q(3)		(A) _____ Report (B) _____ Report	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____ <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Seller <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
Q(4)	10B(1)	Smoke alarms, CO detectors, water heater bracing	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
Q(5)	10A 10B(2)	Government Required Point of Sale inspections, reports	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
Q(6)	10B(2)	Government Required Point of Sale corrective/remedial actions	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
Q(7)	19B	Escrow Fee	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____ Escrow Holder: _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Each to pay their own fees
Q(8)	13	Owner's title insurance policy	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____ Title Co. (If different from Escrow Holder): _____	
Q(9)		Buyer's Lender title insurance policy	Buyer	Unless Otherwise Agreed, Buyer shall purchase any title insurance policy insuring Buyer's lender.
Q(10)		County transfer tax, fees	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
Q(11)		City transfer tax, fees	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
Q(12)	11L(2)	HOA fee for preparing disclosures	Seller	
Q(13)		HOA certification fee	Buyer	
Q(14)		HOA transfer fees	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	Unless Otherwise Agreed, Seller shall pay for separate HOA move-out fee and Buyer shall pay for separate move-in fee. Applies if separately billed or itemized with cost in transfer fee.
Q(15)		Private transfer fees	Seller, or if checked, <input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
Q(16)		_____ fees or costs	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
Q(17)		_____ fees or costs	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____	
Q(18)	10C	Home warranty plan chosen by Buyer. Coverage includes, but is not limited to: _____ _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Buyer <input type="checkbox"/> Seller <input type="checkbox"/> Both _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Buyer waives home warranty plan	If Seller or Both checked, Seller's cost not to exceed \$ _____. Issued by: _____
R	OTHER TERMS: _____ _____ _____			



4. **PROPERTY ADDENDA AND ADVISORIES:** (check all that apply)

A. PROPERTY TYPE ADDENDA: This Agreement is subject to the terms contained in the Addenda checked below:

- Tenant Occupied Property Addendum (C.A.R. Form TOPA) (Should be checked whether current tenants will remain or not.)
- Probate Agreement Purchase Addendum (C.A.R. Form PA-PA)
- Manufactured Home Purchase Addendum (C.A.R. Form MH-PA)
- Tenancy in Common Purchase Addendum (C.A.R. Form TIC-PA)
- Stock Cooperative Purchase Addendum (C.A.R. Form COOP-PA)
- Mixed Use Purchase Addendum (C.A.R. Form MU-PA) Other _____

B. OTHER ADDENDA: This Agreement is subject to the terms contained in the Addenda checked below:

- Addendum # _____ (C.A.R. Form ADM) Short Sale Addendum (C.A.R. Form SSA)
- Back Up Offer Addendum (C.A.R. Form BUO) Court Confirmation Addendum (C.A.R. Form CCA)
- Septic, Well, Property Monument and Propane Addendum (C.A.R. Form SWPI)
- Buyer Intent to Exchange Addendum (C.A.R. Form BXA) Seller Intent to Exchange Addendum (C.A.R. Form SXA)
- Other _____ Other _____

C. BUYER AND SELLER ADVISORIES: (Note: All Advisories below are provided for reference purposes only and are not intended to be incorporated into this Agreement.)

- Buyer's Investigation Advisory (C.A.R. Form BIA)
- Wire Fraud Advisory (C.A.R. Form WFA)
- Wildfire Disaster Advisory (C.A.R. Form WFDA)
- Trust Advisory (C.A.R. Form TA)
- REO Advisory (C.A.R. Form REO)
- Other: _____
- Fair Housing and Discrimination Advisory (C.A.R. Form FHDA)
- Cal. Consumer Privacy Act Advisory (C.A.R. Form CCPA)
(Parties may also receive a privacy disclosure from their own Agent.)
- Statewide Buyer and Seller Advisory (C.A.R. Form SBSA)
- Short Sale Information and Advisory (C.A.R. Form SSIA)
- Probate Advisory (C.A.R. Form PA)
- Other _____

5. **ADDITIONAL TERMS AFFECTING PURCHASE PRICE:** Buyer represents that funds will be good when deposited with Escrow Holder.

A. DEPOSIT:

- (1) **INITIAL DEPOSIT:** Buyer shall deliver deposit directly to Escrow Holder. If a method other than wire transfer is specified in **paragraph 3D(1)** and such method is unacceptable to Escrow Holder, then upon notice from Escrow Holder, delivery shall be by wire transfer.
- (2) **INCREASED DEPOSIT:** Increased deposit specified in **paragraph 3D(2)** is to be delivered to Escrow Holder in the same manner as the Initial Deposit. If the Parties agree to liquidated damages in this Agreement, they also agree to incorporate the increased deposit into the liquidated damages amount by signing a new liquidated damages clause (C.A.R. Form DID) at the time the increased deposit is delivered to Escrow Holder.
- (3) **RETENTION OF DEPOSIT: Paragraph 26, if initialed by all Parties or otherwise incorporated into this Agreement, specifies a remedy for Buyer's default. Buyer and Seller are advised to consult with a qualified California real estate attorney: (i) Before adding any other clause specifying a remedy (such as release or forfeiture of deposit or making a deposit non-refundable) for failure of Buyer to complete the purchase. Any such clause shall be deemed invalid unless the clause independently satisfies the statutory liquidated damages requirements set forth in the Civil Code; and (ii) Regarding possible liability and remedies if Buyer fails to deliver the deposit.**

B. ALL CASH OFFER: If an all cash offer is specified in **paragraph 3A**, no loan is needed to purchase the Property. This Agreement is NOT contingent on Buyer obtaining a loan. Buyer shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3H(1)**, Deliver written verification of funds sufficient for the purchase price and closing costs.

C. LOAN(S):

- (1) **FIRST LOAN:** This loan will provide for conventional financing **UNLESS** FHA, VA, Seller Financing (C.A.R. Form SFA), or Other is checked in **paragraph 3E(1)**.
- (2) **ADDITIONAL FINANCED AMOUNT:** If an additional financed amount is specified in **paragraph 3E(2)**, that amount will provide for conventional financing **UNLESS** Seller Financing (C.A.R. Form SFA), or Other is checked in **paragraph 3E(2)**.
- (3) **BUYER'S LOAN STATUS:** Buyer authorizes Seller and Seller's Authorized Agent to contact Buyer's lender(s) to determine the status of any Buyer's loan specified in **paragraph 3E**, or any alternate loan Buyer pursues, whether or not a contingency of this Agreement. If the contact information for Buyer's lender(s) is different from that provided under the terms of **paragraph 6B**, Buyer shall Deliver the updated contact information within 1 Day of Seller's request.
- (4) **FHA/VA: If FHA or VA is checked in paragraph 3E(1)**, a FHA/VA amendatory clause (C.A.R. Form FVAC) shall be incorporated and Signed by all Parties. Buyer shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3E(1)**, Deliver to Seller written notice (C.A.R. Form RR or AEA) **(i)** of any lender requirements that Buyer requests Seller to pay for or otherwise correct or **(ii)** that there are no lender requirements. Notwithstanding Seller's agreement that Buyer may obtain FHA or VA financing, Seller has no obligation to pay or satisfy any or all lender requirements unless agreed in writing.

D. BALANCE OF PURCHASE PRICE (DOWN PAYMENT, paragraph 3F) (including all-cash funds) to be deposited with Escrow Holder pursuant to Escrow Holder instructions.

E. LIMITS ON CREDITS TO BUYER: Any credit to Buyer as specified in **paragraph 3G(1)** or Otherwise Agreed, from any source, for closing or other costs that is agreed to by the Parties ("Contractual Credit") shall be disclosed to Buyer's lender, if any, and made at Close Of Escrow. If the total credit allowed by Buyer's lender ("Lender Allowable Credit") is less than the Contractual Credit, then **(i)** the Contractual Credit from Seller shall be reduced to the Lender Allowable Credit, and **(ii)** in the absence of a separate written agreement between the Parties, there shall be no automatic adjustment to the purchase price to make up for the difference between the Contractual Credit and the Lender Allowable Credit.

6. **ADDITIONAL FINANCING TERMS:**

- A. VERIFICATION OF DOWN PAYMENT AND CLOSING COSTS:** Written verification of Buyer's down payment and closing costs, within the time specified in **paragraph 3H(2)** may be made by Buyer or Buyer's lender or loan broker pursuant to **paragraph 6B**.
- B. VERIFICATION OF LOAN APPLICATIONS:** Buyer shall Deliver to Seller, within the time specified in **paragraph 3H(3)** a letter from Buyer's lender or loan broker stating that, based on a review of Buyer's written application and credit report, Buyer is prequalified or preapproved for any NEW loan specified in **paragraph 3E**. If any loan specified in **paragraph 3E** is an adjustable rate loan, the prequalification or preapproval letter shall be based on the qualifying rate, not the initial loan rate.



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- C. BUYER STATED FINANCING:** Seller is relying on Buyer's representation of the type of financing specified (including, but not limited to, as applicable, all cash, amount of down payment, or contingent or non-contingent loan). Seller has agreed to a specific closing date, purchase price, and to sell to Buyer in reliance on Buyer's specified financing. Buyer shall pursue the financing specified in this Agreement, even if Buyer also elects to pursue an alternative form of financing. Seller has no obligation to cooperate with Buyer's efforts to obtain any financing other than that specified in this Agreement but shall not interfere with closing at the purchase price on the COE date (**paragraph 3B**) even if based upon alternate financing. Buyer's inability to obtain alternate financing does not excuse Buyer from the obligation to purchase the Property and close escrow as specified in this Agreement.
- 7. CLOSING AND POSSESSION:**
- A. OCCUPANCY:** If Buyer intends to occupy as a primary or secondary residence (see **paragraph 3E(3)**), and unless Otherwise Agreed, such as in C.A.R. Form TOPA: **(i)** the unit Buyer intends to occupy shall be vacant at the time possession is delivered to Buyer, and **(ii)** if the Property contains more than one unit, within **3 Days** after Acceptance Buyer shall give Seller written notice of which unit Buyer intends to occupy. Occupancy may impact available financing. **Seller shall disclose to Buyer if occupied by tenants or persons other than Seller, and attach C.A.R. Form TOPA in a counter offer if not part of Buyer's offer.**
- B. CONDITION OF PROPERTY ON CLOSING:**
Unless Otherwise Agreed: **(i)** the Property shall be delivered "**As-Is**" in its PRESENT physical condition as of the date of Acceptance; **(ii)** the Property, including pool, spa, landscaping and grounds, is to be maintained in substantially the same condition as on the date of Acceptance; **(iii) Except as specified in paragraph 9C, Seller is not responsible to repair any holes left after the removal of any wall hangings (such as pictures and mirrors), brackets, nails or other fastening devices; and (iv)** all debris and personal property not included in the sale shall be removed by Close Of Escrow or at the time possession is delivered to Buyer, if not on the same date. If items are not removed when possession is delivered to Buyer, all items shall be deemed abandoned. Buyer, after first Delivering to Seller written notice to remove the items within **3 Days**, may pay to have such items removed or disposed of and may bring legal action, as per this Agreement, to receive reasonable costs from Seller.
- C. Buyer is strongly advised to conduct investigations of the entire Property in order to determine its present condition. Seller and Agents may not be aware of all defects affecting the Property or other factors that Buyer considers important. Property improvements may not be built according to code, in compliance with current Law, or have had all required permits issued and/or finalized.**
- D. SELLER REMAINING IN POSSESSION AFTER CLOSE OF ESCROW:** If Seller has the right to remain in possession after Close Of Escrow pursuant to **paragraph 3M(2)** or as Otherwise Agreed: The Parties are advised to **(i)** consult with their insurance and legal advisors for information about liability and damage or injury to persons and personal and real property; and **(ii)** consult with a qualified California real estate attorney where the Property is located to determine the ongoing rights and responsibilities of both Buyer and Seller with regard to each other, including possible tenant rights, and what type of written agreement to use to document the relationship between the Parties. Buyer is advised to consult with Buyer's lender about the impact of Seller's occupancy on Buyer's loan.
- E. At Close Of Escrow: (i)** Seller assigns to Buyer any assignable warranty rights for items included in the sale; and **(ii)** Seller shall Deliver to Buyer available Copies of any such warranties. Agents cannot and will not determine the assignability of any warranties.
- F. Seller shall, on Close Of Escrow unless Otherwise Agreed and even if Seller remains in possession, provide keys, passwords, codes and/or means to operate all locks, mailboxes, security systems, alarms, home automation systems, intranet and Internet-connected devices included in the purchase price, garage door openers, and all items included in either **paragraph 3P** or **paragraph 9**. If the Property is a condominium or located in a common interest development, Seller shall be responsible for securing or providing any such items for Association amenities, facilities, and access. Buyer may be required to pay a deposit to the Homeowners' Association ("HOA") to obtain keys to accessible HOA facilities.**
- 8. CONTINGENCIES AND REMOVAL OF CONTINGENCIES:**
- A. LOAN(S):**
- (1) This Agreement is, **unless otherwise specified in paragraph 3L(1) or an attached CR-B form**, contingent upon Buyer obtaining the loan(s) specified. If contingent, Buyer shall act diligently and in good faith to obtain the designated loan(s). **If there is no appraisal contingency or the appraisal contingency has been waived or removed, then failure of the Property to appraise at the purchase price does not entitle Buyer to exercise the cancellation right pursuant to the loan contingency if Buyer is otherwise qualified for the specified loan and Buyer is able to satisfy lender's non-appraisal conditions for closing the loan.**
- (2) Buyer is advised to investigate the insurability of the Property as early as possible, as this may be a requirement for lending. Buyer's ability to obtain insurance for the Property, including fire insurance, is part of Buyer's **Insurance** contingency. Failure of Buyer to obtain insurance may justify cancellation based on the **Insurance** contingency but not the loan contingency.
- (3) Buyer's contractual obligations regarding deposit, balance of down payment and closing costs **are not contingencies** of this Agreement, unless Otherwise Agreed.
- (4) If there is an appraisal contingency, removal of the loan contingency shall not be deemed removal of the appraisal contingency.
- (5) **NO LOAN CONTINGENCY:** If "No loan contingency" is checked in **paragraph 3L(1)**, obtaining any loan specified is NOT a contingency of this Agreement. If Buyer does not obtain the loan specified, and as a result is unable to purchase the Property, Seller may be entitled to Buyer's deposit or other legal remedies.
- B. APPRAISAL:**
- (1) This Agreement is, **unless otherwise specified in paragraph 3L(2) or an attached CR-B form**, contingent upon a written appraisal of the Property by a licensed or certified appraiser at no less than the amount specified in **paragraph 3L(2)**, without requiring repairs or improvements to the Property. Appraisals are often a reliable source to verify square footage of the subject Property. However, the ability to cancel based on the measurements provided in an appraisal falls within the Investigation of Property contingency. The appraisal contingency is solely limited to the value determined by the appraisal. For any cancellation based upon this appraisal contingency, Buyer shall Deliver a Copy of the written appraisal to Seller, upon request by Seller.
- (2) **NO APPRAISAL CONTINGENCY:** If "No appraisal contingency" is checked in **paragraph 3L(2)**, then Buyer may not use the loan contingency specified in **paragraph 3L(1)** to cancel this Agreement if the sole reason for not obtaining the loan is that the appraisal relied upon by Buyer's lender values the property at an amount less than that specified in **paragraph 3L(2)**. If Buyer is unable to obtain the loan specified solely for this reason, Seller may be entitled to Buyer's deposit or other legal remedies.
- (3) Fair Appraisal Act: **See paragraph 29 for additional information.**
- C. INVESTIGATION OF PROPERTY:** This Agreement is, as specified in **paragraph 3L(3)**, contingent upon Buyer's acceptance of the condition of, and any other matter affecting, the Property. See **paragraph 12**.
- D. INSURANCE:** This Agreement is, as specified in **paragraph 3L(4)**, contingent upon Buyer's assessment of the availability and approval of the cost for any insurance policy desired under this Agreement.

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- E. REVIEW OF SELLER DOCUMENTS:** This Agreement is, as specified in **paragraph 3L(5)**, contingent upon Buyer's review and approval of Seller's documents required in **paragraph 14A**.
- F. TITLE:**
- (1) This Agreement is, as specified in **paragraph 3L(6)**, contingent upon Buyer's ability to obtain the title policy provided for in **paragraph 13G** and on Buyer's review of a current Preliminary Report and items that are disclosed or observable even if not on record or not specified in the Preliminary Report, and satisfying Buyer regarding the current status of title. Buyer is advised to review all underlying documents and other matters affecting title, including, but not limited to, any documents or deeds referenced in the Preliminary Report and any plotted easements.
 - (2) Buyer has **5 Days** after receipt to review a revised Preliminary Report, if any, furnished by the Title Company and cancel the transaction if the revised Preliminary Report reveals material or substantial deviations from a previously provided Preliminary Report.
- G. CONDOMINIUM/PLANNED DEVELOPMENT DISCLOSURES (IF APPLICABLE):** This Agreement is, as specified in **paragraph 3L(7)**, contingent upon Buyer's review and approval of Common Interest Disclosures required by Civil Code § 4525 and under **paragraph 11L** ("CI Disclosures").
- H. BUYER REVIEW OF LEASED OR LIENED ITEMS CONTINGENCY:** Buyer's review of and ability and willingness to assume any lease, maintenance agreement or other ongoing financial obligation, or to accept the Property subject to any lien, disclosed pursuant to **paragraph 9B(6)**, is, as specified in **paragraph 3L(8)**, a contingency of this Agreement. Any assumption of the lease shall not require any financial obligation or contribution by Seller. Seller, after first Delivering a Notice to Buyer to Perform, may cancel this Agreement if Buyer, by the time specified in **paragraph 3L(8)**, refuses to enter into any necessary written agreements to accept responsibility for all obligations of Seller-disclosed leased or lienied items.
- I. REMOVAL OR WAIVER OF CONTINGENCIES WITH OFFER:** Buyer shall have no obligation to remove a contractual contingency unless Seller has provided all required documents, reports, disclosures, and information pertaining to that contingency. If Buyer does remove a contingency without first receiving all required information from Seller, Buyer is relinquishing any contractual rights that apply to that contingency. **If Buyer removes or waives any contingencies without an adequate understanding of the Property's condition or Buyer's ability to purchase, Buyer is acting against the advice of Agent.**
- J. REMOVAL OF CONTINGENCY OR CANCELLATION:**
- (1) **For any contingency specified in paragraph 3L, 8, or elsewhere, Buyer shall, within the applicable period specified, remove the contingency or cancel this Agreement.**
 - (2) For the contingencies for review of Seller Documents, Preliminary Report, and Condominium/Planned Development Disclosures, Buyer shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3L** or **5 Days** after Delivery of Seller Documents or CI Disclosures, whichever occurs later, remove the applicable contingency in writing or cancel this Agreement.
 - (3) If Buyer does not remove a contingency within the time specified, Seller, after first giving Buyer a Notice to Buyer to Perform (C.A.R. Form NBP), shall have the right to cancel this Agreement.
- K. SALE OF BUYER'S PROPERTY:** This Agreement and Buyer's ability to obtain financing are NOT contingent upon the sale of any property owned by Buyer unless the Sale of Buyer's Property (C.A.R. Form COP) is checked as a contingency of this Agreement in **paragraph 3L(9)**.
- 9. ITEMS INCLUDED IN AND EXCLUDED FROM SALE:**
- A. NOTE TO BUYER AND SELLER:** Items listed as included or excluded in the Multiple Listing Service (MLS), flyers, marketing materials, or disclosures are NOT included in the purchase price or excluded from the sale unless specified in this paragraph or **paragraph 3P** or as Otherwise Agreed. Any items included herein are components of the home and are not intended to affect the price. All items are transferred without Seller warranty.
- B. ITEMS INCLUDED IN SALE:**
- (1) All EXISTING fixtures and fittings that are attached to the Property;
 - (2) EXISTING electrical, mechanical, lighting, plumbing and heating fixtures, ceiling fans, fireplace inserts, gas logs and grates, solar power systems, built-in appliances and appliances for which special openings or encasements have been made (whether or not checked in **paragraph 3P**), window and door screens, awnings, shutters, window coverings (which includes blinds, curtains, drapery, shutters or any other materials that cover any portion of the window) and any associated hardware and rods, attached floor coverings, television antennas, satellite dishes, air coolers/conditioners, pool/spa equipment (including, but not limited to, any cleaning equipment such as motorized/automatic pool cleaners, pool heaters, pool nets, pool covers), garage door openers/remote controls, mailbox, in-ground landscaping, water features and fountains, water softeners, water purifiers, light bulbs (including smart bulbs) and all items specified as included in **paragraph 3P**, **if currently existing at the time of Acceptance.**
Note: If Seller does not intend to include any item specified as being included above because it is not owned by Seller, whether placed on the Property by Agent, stager or other third party, the item should be listed as being excluded in **paragraph 3P(2)** or excluded by Seller in a counter offer.
 - (3) Security System includes any devices, hardware, software, or control units used to monitor and secure the Property, including but not limited to, any motion detectors, door or window alarms, and any other equipment utilized for such purpose. If checked in **paragraph 3P**, all such items are included in the sale, whether hard wired or not.
 - (4) Home Automation (Smart Home Features) includes any electronic devices and features including, but not limited to, thermostat controls, kitchen appliances not otherwise excluded, and lighting systems, that are connected (hard wired or wirelessly) to a control unit, computer, tablet, phone, or other "smart" device. Any Smart Home devices and features that are physically affixed to the real property, and also existing light bulbs, are included in the sale. Buyer is advised to use **paragraph 3P(1)** or an addendum to address more directly specific items to be included. Seller is advised to use a counter offer to address more directly any items to be excluded.
 - (5) Non-Dedicated Devices: If checked in **paragraph 3P**, all smart home and security system control devices are included in the sale, except for any non-dedicated personal computer, tablet, or phone used to control such features. Buyer acknowledges that a separate device and access to wifi or Internet may be required to operate some smart home features and Buyer may have to obtain such device after Close Of Escrow. Seller shall de-list any devices from any personal accounts and shall cooperate with any transfer of services to Buyer. Buyer is advised to change all passwords and ensure the security of any smart home features.
 - (6) **LEASED OR LIENED ITEMS AND SYSTEMS:** Seller, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, shall (i) disclose to Buyer if any item or system specified in **paragraph 3P** or **9B** or otherwise included in the sale is leased, or not owned by Seller, or is subject to any maintenance or other ongoing financial obligation, or specifically subject to a lien or other encumbrance or loan, and (ii) Deliver to Buyer all written materials (such as lease, warranty, financing, etc.) concerning any such item.

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(7) Seller represents that all items included in the purchase price, unless Otherwise Agreed, (i) are owned by Seller and shall be transferred free and clear of liens and encumbrances, except the items and systems identified pursuant to **paragraph 9B(6)**, and (ii) are transferred without Seller warranty regardless of value. Seller shall cooperate with the identification of any software or applications and Buyer's efforts to transfer any services needed to operate any Smart Home Features or other items included in this Agreement, including, but not limited to, utilities or security systems.

C. ITEMS EXCLUDED FROM SALE: Unless Otherwise Agreed, the following items are excluded from sale: (i) All items specified in **paragraph 3P(2)**; (ii) audio and video components (such as flat screen TVs, speakers and other items) if any such item is not itself attached to the Property, even if a bracket or other mechanism attached to the component or item is attached to the Property; (iii) furniture and other items secured to the Property for earthquake or safety purposes. **Unless otherwise specified in paragraph 3P(1), brackets attached to walls, floors or ceilings for any such component, furniture or item will be removed and holes or other damage shall be repaired, but not painted.**

10. ALLOCATION OF COSTS:

A. INSPECTIONS, REPORTS, TESTS AND CERTIFICATES: Paragraphs **3Q(1), (2), (3), and (5)** only determines who is to pay for the inspection, report, test, certificate or service mentioned; **it does not determine who is to pay for any work recommended or identified in any such document. Agreements for payment of required work should be specified elsewhere in paragraph 3Q, or 3R, or in a separate agreement (such as C.A.R. Forms RR, RRRR, ADM or AEA).** Any reports in these paragraphs shall be Delivered in the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**.

B. GOVERNMENT REQUIREMENTS AND CORRECTIVE OR REMEDIAL ACTIONS:

(1) **LEGALLY REQUIRED INSTALLATIONS AND PROPERTY IMPROVEMENTS:** Any required installation of smoke alarm or carbon monoxide device(s) or securing of water heater shall be completed within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(4)** and paid by the Party specified in **paragraph 3Q(4)**. If Buyer is to pay for these items, Buyer, as instructed by Escrow Holder, shall deposit funds into escrow or directly to the vendor completing the repair or installation. Prior to Close Of Escrow, Seller shall Deliver to Buyer written statement(s) of compliance in accordance with any Law, unless Seller is exempt. If Seller is to pay for these items and does not fulfill Seller's obligation in the time specified, and Buyer incurs costs to comply with lender requirements concerning those items, Seller shall be responsible for Buyer's costs.

(2) **POINT OF SALE REQUIREMENTS:**

(A) Point of sale inspections, reports and repairs refer to any such actions required to be completed before or after Close Of Escrow that are required in order to close under any Law and paid by the Party specified in **paragraphs 3Q(5) and 3Q(6)**. Unless Parties Otherwise Agree to another time period, any such repair, shall be completed prior to final verification of Property. If Buyer agrees to pay for any portion of such repair, Buyer, shall (i) directly pay to the vendor completing the repair or (ii) provide an invoice to Escrow Holder, deposit funds into escrow sufficient to pay for Buyer's portion of such repair and request Escrow Holder pay the vendor completing the repair.

(B) Buyer shall be provided, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, unless Parties Otherwise Agree to another time period, a Copy of any required government-conducted or point-of-sale inspection report prepared pursuant to this Agreement or in anticipation of this sale of the Property.

(3) **REINSPECTION FEES:** If any repair in **paragraph 10B(1)** is not completed within the time specified and the lender requires an additional inspection to be made, Seller shall be responsible for any corresponding reinspection fee. If Buyer incurs costs to comply with lender requirements concerning those items, Seller shall be responsible for those costs.

(4) **INFORMATION AND ADVICE ON REQUIREMENTS:** Buyer and Seller are advised to seek information from a knowledgeable source regarding local and State mandates and whether they are point of sale requirements or requirements of ownership. Agents do not have expertise in this area and cannot ascertain all of the requirements or costs of compliance.

C. HOME WARRANTY:

(1) Buyer shall choose the home warranty plan and any optional coverages. Buyer shall pay any cost of that plan, chosen by Buyer, that exceeds the amount allocated to Seller in **paragraph 3Q(18)**. Buyer is informed that home warranty plans have many optional coverages, including but not limited to, coverages for Air Conditioner and Pool/Spa. Buyer is advised to investigate these coverages to determine those that may be suitable for Buyer and their cost.

(2) **If Buyer waives the purchase of a home warranty plan in paragraph 3Q(18), Buyer may still purchase a home warranty plan, at Buyer's expense, prior to Close Of Escrow.**

11. STATUTORY AND OTHER DISCLOSURES (INCLUDING LEAD-BASED PAINT HAZARD DISCLOSURES) AND CANCELLATION RIGHTS:

A. TDS, NHD, AND OTHER STATUTORY AND SUPPLEMENTAL DISCLOSURES:

(1) Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, Deliver to Buyer: unless exempt, fully completed disclosures or notices required by §§ 1102 et. seq. and 1103 et. seq. of the Civil Code ("Statutory Disclosures"). Statutory Disclosures include, but are not limited to, a Real Estate Transfer Disclosure Statement (C.A.R. Form TDS), Natural Hazard Disclosure Statement ("NHD"), notice or actual knowledge of release of illegal controlled substance, notice of special tax and/or assessments (or, if allowed, substantially equivalent notice regarding the Mello-Roos Community Facilities Act of 1982 and Improvement Bond Act of 1915) and, if Seller has actual knowledge, of industrial use and military ordnance location (C.A.R. Form SPQ or ESD), and, if the Property is in a high or very high fire hazard severity area, the information, notices, documentation, and agreements required by §§ 1102.6(f) and 1102.19 of the Civil Code (C.A.R. Form FHDS).

(2) The Real Estate Transfer Disclosure Statement required by this paragraph is considered fully completed if Seller has completed the section titled Coordination with Other Disclosure Forms by checking a box (Section I), and Seller has completed and answered all questions and Signed the Seller's Information section (Section II) and the Seller's Agent, if any, has completed and Signed the Seller's Agent's section (Section III), or, if applicable, an Agent Visual Inspection Disclosure (C.A.R. Form AVID). Section V acknowledgment of receipt of a Copy of the TDS shall be Signed after all previous sections, if applicable, have been completed. Nothing stated herein relieves a Buyer's Agent, if any, from the obligation to (i) conduct a reasonably competent and diligent visual inspection of the accessible areas of the Property and disclose, on Section IV of the TDS, or an AVID, material facts affecting the value or desirability of the Property that were or should have been revealed by such an inspection or (ii) complete any sections on all disclosures required to be completed by Buyer's Agent.

(3) Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, provide "Supplemental Disclosures" as follows: (i) unless exempt from the obligation to provide a TDS, complete a Seller Property Questionnaire (C.A.R. Form SPQ) by answering all questions and Signing and Delivering a Copy to Buyer; (ii) if exempt from the obligation to provide a TDS, complete an Exempt Seller Disclosure (C.A.R. Form ESD) by answering all questions and Signing and Delivering a Copy to Buyer.



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- (4) In the event Seller or Seller's Agent, prior to Close Of Escrow, becomes aware of adverse conditions materially affecting the Property, or any material inaccuracy in disclosures, information or representations previously provided to Buyer under this paragraph, Seller shall, in writing, promptly provide a subsequent or amended TDS, Seller Property Questionnaire or other document, in writing, covering those items. Any such document shall be deemed an amendment to the TDS or SPQ. **However, a subsequent or amended disclosure shall not be required for conditions and material inaccuracies of which Buyer is otherwise aware, or which are discovered by Buyer or disclosed in reports or documents provided to or ordered and paid for by Buyer.**

B. LEAD DISCLOSURES:

- (1) Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, for any residential property built before January 1, 1978, unless exempted by Law, Deliver to Buyer a fully completed Federal Lead-Based Paint Disclosures (C.A.R. Form LPD) and pamphlet ("Lead Disclosures").
- (2) Buyer shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3L(3)**, have the opportunity to conduct a risk assessment or to inspect for the presence of lead-based paint hazards.

C. HOME FIRE HARDENING DISCLOSURE AND ADVISORY: For any transaction where a TDS is required, the property is located in a high or very high fire hazard severity zone, and the home was constructed before January 1, 2010, Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, Deliver to Buyer: **(i)** a home hardening disclosure required by law; and **(ii)** a statement of features of which the Seller is aware that may make the home vulnerable to wildfire and flying embers; and **(iii)** a final inspection report regarding compliance with defensible space requirements if one was prepared pursuant to Government Code § 51182 (C.A.R. Form FHDS).

D. DEFENSIBLE SPACE DISCLOSURE AND ADDENDUM: For any transaction in which a TDS is required and the property is located in a high or very high fire hazard severity zone, Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, Deliver to Buyer **(i)** a disclosure of whether the Property is in compliance with any applicable defensible space laws designed to protect a structure on the Property from fire; and **(ii)** an addendum allocating responsibility for compliance with any such defensible space law (C.A.R. Form FHDS).

E. WAIVER PROHIBITED: Waiver of Statutory, Lead, and other Disclosures in **paragraphs 11A(1), 11B, 11C, and 11D** are prohibited by Law.

F. RETURN OF SIGNED COPIES: Buyer shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3L(5) OR 5 Days** after Delivery of any disclosures specified in **paragraphs 11A, B, C or D**, and defensible space addendum in **paragraph 11D**, whichever is later, return Signed Copies of the disclosures, and if applicable, addendum, to Seller.

G. TERMINATION RIGHTS:

- (1) **Statutory and Other Disclosures:** If any disclosure specified in **paragraphs 11A, B, C, or D**, or subsequent or amended disclosure to those just specified, is Delivered to Buyer after the offer is Signed, Buyer shall have the right to terminate this Agreement within **3 Days** after Delivery in person, or **5 Days** after Delivery by deposit in the mail, or by an electronic record or email satisfying the Uniform Electronic Transactions Act (UETA), by giving written notice of rescission to Seller or Seller's Authorized Agent. If Buyer does not rescind within this time period, Buyer has been deemed to have approved the disclosure and shall not have the right to cancel.
- (2) **Defensible Space Compliance:** If, by the time specified in **paragraph 11F**, Buyer does not agree to the terms regarding defensible space compliance Delivered by Seller, as indicated by mutual signatures on the FHDS, then Seller, after first Delivering a Notice to Buyer to Perform, may cancel this Agreement.

H. WITHHOLDING TAXES: Buyer and Seller hereby instruct Escrow Holder to withhold the applicable required amounts to comply with federal and California withholding Laws and forward such amounts to the Internal Revenue Service and Franchise Tax Board, respectively. However, no federal withholding is required if, prior to Close Of Escrow, Seller Delivers **(i)** to Buyer and Escrow Holder a fully completed affidavit (C.A.R. Form AS) sufficient to avoid withholding pursuant to federal withholding Law (FIRPTA); **OR (ii)** to a qualified substitute (usually a title company or an independent escrow company) a fully completed affidavit (C.A.R. Form AS) sufficient to avoid withholding pursuant to federal withholding Law AND the qualified substitute Delivers to Buyer and Escrow Holder an affidavit signed under penalty of perjury (C.A.R. Form QS) that the qualified substitute has received the fully completed Seller's affidavit and the Seller states that no federal withholding is required; **OR (iii)** to Buyer other documentation satisfying the requirements under Internal Revenue Code § 1445 (FIRPTA). No withholding is required under California Law if, prior to Close Of Escrow, Escrow Holder has received sufficient documentation from Seller that no withholding is required, and Buyer has been informed by Escrow Holder.

I. MEGAN'S LAW DATABASE DISCLOSURE: Notice: Pursuant to § 290.46 of the Penal Code, information about specified registered sex offenders is made available to the public via an Internet Web site maintained by the Department of Justice at **www.meganslaw.ca.gov**. Depending on an offender's criminal history, this information will include either the address at which the offender resides or the community of residence and ZIP Code in which he or she resides. (Neither Seller nor Agent are required to check this website. If Buyer wants further information, Agent recommends that Buyer obtain information from this website during Buyer's investigation contingency period. Agents do not have expertise in this area.)

J. NOTICE REGARDING GAS AND HAZARDOUS LIQUID TRANSMISSION PIPELINES: This notice is being provided simply to inform you that information about the general location of gas and hazardous liquid transmission pipelines is available to the public via the National Pipeline Mapping System (NPMS) Internet Web site maintained by the United States Department of Transportation at **http://www.npms.phmsa.dot.gov/**. To seek further information about possible transmission pipelines near the Property, you may contact your local gas utility or other pipeline operators in the area. Contact information for pipeline operators is searchable by ZIP Code and county on the NPMS Internet Website. (Neither Seller nor Agent are required to check this website. If Buyer wants further information, Agent recommends that Buyer obtain information from this website during Buyer's investigation contingency period. Agents do not have expertise in this area.)

K. NATURAL AND ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS: Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, if required by Law: **(i)** Deliver to Buyer the earthquake guide and environmental hazards booklet, and for all residential property with 1-4 units and any manufactured or mobile home built before January 1, 1960, fully complete and Deliver the Residential Earthquake Risk Disclosure Statement; and **(ii)** even if exempt from the obligation to provide a NHD, disclose if the Property is located in a Special Flood Hazard Area; Potential Flooding (Inundation) Area; Very High Fire Hazard Zone; State Fire Responsibility Area; Earthquake Fault Zone; Seismic Hazard Zone; and **(iii)** disclose any other zone as required by Law and provide any other information required for those zones.

L. CONDOMINIUM/PLANNED DEVELOPMENT DISCLOSURES:

- (1) Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, disclose to Buyer whether the Property is a condominium or is located in a planned development, other common interest development, or otherwise subject to covenants, conditions, and restrictions (C.A.R. Form SPQ or ESD).



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(2) If the Property is a condominium or is located in a planned development or other common interest development with a HOA, Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(3)**, order from, and pay any required fee as specified in **paragraph 3Q(12)** for the following items to the HOA (C.A.R. Form HOA-IR): (i) Copies of any documents required by Law (C.A.R. Form HOA-RS); (ii) disclosure of any pending or anticipated claim or litigation by or against the HOA; (iii) a statement containing the location and number of designated parking and storage spaces; (iv) Copies of the most recent 12 months of HOA minutes for regular and special meetings; (v) the names and contact information of all HOAs governing the Property; (vi) pet restrictions; and (vii) smoking restrictions ("CI Disclosures"). Seller shall itemize and Deliver to Buyer all CI Disclosures received from the HOA and any CI Disclosures in Seller's possession. Seller shall, as directed by Escrow Holder, deposit funds into escrow or direct to HOA or management company to pay for any of the above.

M. SOLAR POWER SYSTEMS: For properties with any solar panels or solar power systems, Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, Deliver to Buyer all known information about the solar panels or solar power system. Seller shall use the Solar Advisory and Questionnaire (C.A.R. Form SOLAR).

N. BALCONIES, EXTERIOR STAIRWAYS AND OTHER ELEVATED ELEMENTS: For properties with any building containing 3 or more dwelling units with elevated balconies, stairways or other elements, Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, Deliver to Buyer the Wooden Balcony and Stairs Addendum (C.A.R. Form WBSA) and comply with its terms.

O. KNOWN MATERIAL FACTS: Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, DISCLOSE KNOWN MATERIAL FACTS AND DEFECTS affecting the Property, including, but not limited to, known insurance claims within the past five years, or provide Buyer with permission to contact insurer to get such information (C.A.R. Form ARC), and make any and all other disclosures required by Law.

12. BUYER'S INVESTIGATION OF PROPERTY AND MATTERS AFFECTING PROPERTY:

A. Buyer shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3L(3)**, have the right, at Buyer's expense unless Otherwise Agreed, to conduct inspections, investigations, tests, surveys and other studies ("Buyer Investigations").

B. Buyer Investigations include, but are not limited to:

(1) Inspections regarding any physical attributes of the Property or items connected to the Property, such as:

(A) A general home inspection.

(B) An inspection for lead-based paint and other lead-based paint hazards.

(C) An inspection specifically for wood destroying pests and organisms. Any inspection for wood destroying pests and organisms shall be prepared by a registered Structural Pest Control company; shall cover the main building and attached structures; may cover detached structures; shall NOT include water tests of shower pans on upper level units unless the owners of property below the shower consent; shall NOT include roof coverings; and, if the Property is a unit in a condominium or other common interest subdivision, the inspection shall include only the separate interest and any exclusive-use areas being transferred, and shall NOT include common areas; and shall include a report ("Pest Control Report") showing the findings of the company which shall be separated into sections for evident infestation or infections (Section 1) and for conditions likely to lead to infestation or infection (Section 2).

(D) Any other specific inspections of the physical condition of the land and improvements.

(2) Investigation of any other matter affecting the Property, other than those that are specified as separate contingencies. Buyer Investigations do not include, among other things, an assessment of the availability and cost of general homeowner's insurance, flood insurance, and fire insurance. See, Buyer's Investigation Advisory (C.A.R. Form BIA) for more.

C. Without Seller's prior written consent, Buyer shall neither make nor cause to be made: (i) invasive or destructive Buyer Investigations, except for minimally invasive testing required to prepare a Pest Control Report, which shall not include any holes or drilling through stucco or similar material; or (ii) inspections by any governmental building or zoning inspector or government employee, unless required by Law.

D. Seller shall make the Property available for all Buyer Investigations. Seller is not obligated to move any existing personal property. Seller shall have water, gas, electricity and all operable pilot lights on for Buyer's Investigations and through the date possession is delivered to Buyer. Buyer shall, (i) by the time specified in **paragraph 3L(3)**, complete Buyer Investigations and satisfy themselves as to the condition of the Property, and either remove the contingency or cancel this Agreement, and (ii) by the time specified in **paragraph 3L(3)** or **3 Days** after receipt of any Investigation report, whichever is later, give Seller at no cost, complete Copies of all such reports obtained by Buyer, which obligation shall survive the termination of this Agreement. This Delivery of Investigation reports shall not include any appraisal, except an appraisal received in connection with an FHA or VA loan.

E. Buyer indemnity and Seller protection for entry upon the Property: Buyer shall: (i) keep the Property free and clear of liens; (ii) repair all damage arising from Buyer Investigations; and (iii) indemnify and hold Seller harmless from all resulting liability, claims, demands, damages and costs. Buyer shall carry, or Buyer shall require anyone acting on Buyer's behalf to carry, policies of liability, workers' compensation and other applicable insurance, defending and protecting Seller from liability for any injuries to persons or property occurring during any Buyer Investigations or work done on the Property at Buyer's direction prior to Close Of Escrow. Seller is advised that certain protections may be afforded Seller by recording a "Notice of Non-Responsibility" (C.A.R. Form NNR) for Buyer Investigations and work done on the Property at Buyer's direction. Buyer's obligations under this paragraph shall survive the termination of this Agreement.

13. TITLE AND VESTING:

A. Buyer shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, be provided a current Preliminary Report by the person responsible for paying for the title report in **paragraph 3Q(8)**. If Buyer is responsible for paying, Buyer shall act diligently and in good faith to obtain such Preliminary Report within the time specified. The Preliminary Report is only an offer by the title insurer to issue a policy of title insurance and may not contain every item affecting title. The company providing the Preliminary Report shall, prior to issuing a Preliminary Report, conduct a search of the General Index for all Sellers except banks or other institutional lenders selling properties they acquired through foreclosure (REOs), corporations, and government entities.

B. Title is taken in its present condition subject to all encumbrances, easements, covenants, conditions, restrictions, rights and other matters, whether of record or not, as of the date of Acceptance except for: (i) monetary liens of record unless Buyer is assuming those obligations or taking the Property subject to those obligations; and (ii) those matters which Seller has agreed to remove in writing. For any lien or matter not being transferred upon sale, Seller will take necessary action to deliver title free and clear of such lien or matter.

C. Seller shall within **7 Days** after request, give Escrow Holder necessary information to clear title.

D. Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, disclose to Buyer all matters known to Seller affecting title, whether of record or not.

E. If Buyer is a legal entity and the Property purchase price is at least \$300,000 and the purchase price is made without a bank loan or similar form of external financing, a Geographic Targeting Order (GTO) issued by the Financial Crimes Enforcement Network, U.S. Department of the Treasury, requires title companies to collect and report certain information about the Buyer, depending on where the Property is located. Buyer agrees to cooperate with the title company's effort to comply with the GTO.

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F. Buyer shall, after Close Of Escrow, receive a recorded grant deed or any other conveyance document required to convey title (or, for stock cooperative or long-term lease, an assignment of stock certificate or of Seller's leasehold interest), including oil, mineral and water rights if currently owned by Seller. Title shall vest as designated in Buyer's vesting instructions. The recording document shall contain Buyer's post-closing mailing address to enable Buyer's receipt of the recorded conveyance document from the County Recorder. THE MANNER OF TAKING TITLE MAY HAVE SIGNIFICANT LEGAL AND TAX CONSEQUENCES. CONSULT AN APPROPRIATE PROFESSIONAL.

G. Buyer shall receive a "ALTA Homeowner's Policy of Title Insurance" or equivalent policy of title insurance, if applicable to the type of property and buyer. Escrow Holder shall request this policy. If a ALTA Homeowner's Policy of Title Insurance is not offered, Buyer shall receive a CLTA Standard Coverage policy unless Buyer has chosen another policy and instructed Escrow Holder in writing of the policy chosen and agreed to pay any increase in cost. Buyer should consult with the Title Company about the availability, and difference in coverage, and cost, if any, between a ALTA Homeowner's Policy and a CLTA Standard Coverage policy and other title policies and endorsements. Buyer should receive notice from the Title Company on its Preliminary (Title) Report of the type of coverage offered. If Buyer is not notified on the Preliminary (Title) Report or is not satisfied with the policy offered, and Buyer nonetheless removes the contingency for Review of the Preliminary Report, Buyer will receive the policy as specified in this paragraph.

14. TIME PERIODS; REMOVAL OF CONTINGENCIES; CANCELLATION RIGHTS: The following time periods may only be extended, altered, modified or changed by mutual written agreement. Any removal of contingencies or cancellation under this paragraph by either Buyer or Seller must be exercised in good faith and in writing (C.A.R. Form CR-B, CR-S or CC).

A. **SELLER DELIVERY OF DOCUMENTS:** Seller shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(1)**, Deliver to Buyer all reports, disclosures and information ("Reports") for which Seller is responsible as specified in **paragraphs 7A, 9B(6), 10, 11A, 11B, 11C, 11D, 11H, 11K, 11L, 11M, 11N, 11O, 13A, 13D, and 32.**

B. BUYER REVIEW OF DOCUMENTS; REPAIR REQUISITE; CONTINGENCY REMOVAL OR CANCELLATION

(1) Buyer has the time specified in **paragraph 3** to: (i) perform Buyer Investigations; review all disclosures, Reports, lease documents to be assumed by Buyer pursuant to **paragraph 9B(6)**, and other applicable information, which Buyer receives from Seller; and approve all matters affecting the Property; and (ii) Deliver to Seller Signed Copies of Statutory and Other Disclosures Delivered by Seller in accordance with **paragraph 11.**

(2) Buyer may, within the time specified in **paragraph 3L(3)**, request that Seller make repairs or take any other action regarding the Property (C.A.R. Form RR). Seller has no obligation to agree to or respond to Buyer's requests (C.A.R. Form RR or RRRR). If Seller does not agree or does not respond, Buyer is not contractually entitled to have the repairs or other requests made and may only cancel based on contingencies in this Agreement.

(3) Buyer shall, by the end of the times specified in **paragraph 3L** (or as Otherwise Agreed), Deliver to Seller a removal of the applicable contingency or cancellation of this Agreement (C.A.R. Form CR-B or CC). **Buyer is advised not to remove contingencies related to review of documents until after the documents have been Delivered.** If Delivery of any Report occurs after a contractual contingency pertaining to that Report has already been waived or removed, the Delivery of the Report does not revive the contingency but there may be a right to terminate for a subsequent or amended disclosure under **paragraph 11G.**

(4) **Continuation of Contingency:** Even after the end of the time specified in **paragraph 3L** and before Seller cancels, if at all, pursuant to **paragraph 14C**, Buyer retains the right, in writing, to either (i) remove remaining contingencies, or (ii) cancel this Agreement based on a remaining contingency. Once Buyer's written removal of contingency is Delivered to Seller before Seller cancels, Seller may not cancel this Agreement based on that contingency pursuant to **paragraph 14C(1).**

C. SELLER RIGHT TO CANCEL:

(1) **SELLER RIGHT TO CANCEL; BUYER CONTINGENCIES:** If, by the time specified in this Agreement, Buyer does not Deliver to Seller a removal of the applicable contingency or cancellation of this Agreement, then Seller, after first Delivering to Buyer a Notice to Buyer to Perform (C.A.R. Form NBP), may cancel this Agreement. In such event, Seller shall authorize the return of Buyer's deposit, except for fees incurred by Buyer.

(2) **SELLER RIGHT TO CANCEL; BUYER CONTRACT OBLIGATIONS:** Seller, after first Delivering to Buyer a Notice to Buyer to Perform, may cancel this Agreement if, by the time specified in this Agreement, Buyer does not take the following action(s): (i) Deposit funds as required by **paragraph 3D(1)** or **3D(2)** or if the funds deposited pursuant to **paragraph 3D(1)** or **3D(2)** are not good when deposited; (ii) Deliver updated contact information for Buyer's lender(s) as required by **paragraph 5C(3)**; (iii) Deliver a notice of FHA or VA costs or terms, if any, as specified by **paragraph 5C(4)** (C.A.R. Form RR); (iv) Deliver verification, or a satisfactory verification if Seller reasonably disapproves of the verification already provided, as required by **paragraph 5B** or **6A**; (v) Deliver a letter as required by **paragraph 6B**; (vi) In writing assume or accept leases or liens specified in **paragraph 8H**; (vii) Return Statutory and Other Disclosures as required by **paragraph 11F**; (viii) Cooperate with the title company's effort to comply with the GTO as required by **paragraph 13E**; (ix) Sign or initial a separate liquidated damages form for an increased deposit as required by **paragraph 26**; (x) Provide evidence of authority to Sign in a representative capacity as specified in **paragraph 32**; or (xi) Perform any additional Buyer contractual obligation(s) included in this Agreement. In such event, Seller shall authorize the return of Buyer's deposit, except for fees incurred by Buyer and other expenses already paid by Escrow Holder pursuant to this Agreement prior to Seller's cancellation.

(3) **SELLER RIGHT TO CANCEL; SELLER CONTINGENCIES:** Seller may cancel this Agreement by good faith exercise of any Seller contingency included in this Agreement, or Otherwise Agreed, so long as that contingency has not already been removed or waived in writing.

D. BUYER RIGHT TO CANCEL:

(1) **BUYER RIGHT TO CANCEL; SELLER CONTINGENCIES:** If, by the time specified in this Agreement, Seller does not Deliver to Buyer a removal of the applicable contingency or cancellation of this Agreement, then Buyer, after first Delivering to Seller a Notice to Seller to Perform (C.A.R. Form NSP), may cancel this Agreement. In such event, Seller shall authorize the return of Buyer's deposit, except for fees incurred by Buyer and other expenses already paid by Escrow Holder pursuant to this Agreement prior to Buyer's cancellation.

(2) **BUYER RIGHT TO CANCEL; SELLER CONTRACT OBLIGATIONS:** If, by the time specified, Seller has not Delivered any item specified in **paragraph 3N(1)** or Seller has not performed any Seller contractual obligation included in this Agreement by the time specified, Buyer, after first Delivering to Seller a Notice to Seller to Perform, may cancel this Agreement.

(3) **BUYER RIGHT TO CANCEL; BUYER CONTINGENCIES:** Buyer may cancel this Agreement by good faith exercise of any Buyer contingency included in **paragraph 8**, or Otherwise Agreed, so long as that contingency has not already been removed in writing.



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- E. NOTICE TO BUYER OR SELLER TO PERFORM:** The Notice to Buyer to Perform or Notice to Seller to Perform shall: **(i)** be in writing; **(ii)** be Signed by the applicable Buyer or Seller; and **(iii)** give the other Party at least **2 Days** after Delivery (or until the time specified in the applicable paragraph, whichever occurs last) to take the applicable action. A Notice to Buyer to Perform or Notice to Seller to Perform may not be Delivered any earlier than **2 Days** prior to the Scheduled Performance Day to remove a contingency or cancel this Agreement or meet an obligation specified in **paragraph 14**, **except for Close of Escrow which shall be Delivered under the terms of paragraph 14G**, whether or not the Scheduled Performance Day falls on a Saturday, Sunday or legal holiday. If a Notice to Buyer to Perform or Notice to Seller to Perform is incorrectly Delivered or specifies a time less than the agreed time, the notice shall be deemed invalid and void. **However, if the notice is for multiple items, the notice shall be valid for all contingencies and contractual actions for which the Delivery of the notice is within the time permitted in the Agreement and void as to the others.** Seller or Buyer shall be required to Deliver a new Notice to Buyer to Perform or Notice to Seller to Perform with the specified timeframe.
- F. EFFECT OF REMOVAL OF CONTINGENCIES:**
- (1) **REMOVAL OF BUYER CONTINGENCIES:** If Buyer removes any contingency or cancellation rights, unless Otherwise Agreed, Buyer shall conclusively be deemed to have: **(i)** completed all Buyer Investigations, and review of Reports and other applicable information and disclosures pertaining to that contingency or cancellation right; **(ii)** elected to proceed with the transaction; and **(iii)** assumed all liability, responsibility and expense for the non-delivery of any Reports, disclosures or information outside of Seller's control and for any Repairs or corrections pertaining to that contingency or cancellation right, or for the inability to obtain financing.
- (2) **REMOVAL OF SELLER CONTINGENCIES:** If Seller removes any contingency or cancellation rights, unless Otherwise Agreed, Seller shall conclusively be deemed to have: **(i)** satisfied themselves regarding such contingency, **(ii)** elected to proceed with the transaction; and **(iii)** given up any right to cancel this Agreement based on such contingency.
- G. DEMAND TO CLOSE ESCROW:** Before Buyer or Seller may cancel this Agreement for failure of the other Party to close escrow pursuant to this Agreement, Buyer or Seller must first Deliver to the other Party a Demand to Close Escrow (C.A.R. Form DCE). The DCE shall: **(i)** be Signed by the applicable Buyer or Seller; and **(ii)** give the other Party at least **3 Days** after Delivery to close escrow. A DCE may not be Delivered any earlier than **3 Days** prior to the Scheduled Performance Day for the Close Of Escrow. If a DCE is incorrectly Delivered or specifies a time less than the above timeframe, the DCE shall be deemed invalid and void, and Seller or Buyer shall be required to Deliver a new DCE.
- H. EFFECT OF CANCELLATION ON DEPOSITS:** If Buyer or Seller gives written notice of cancellation pursuant to rights duly exercised under the terms of this Agreement, the Parties agree to Sign and Deliver mutual instructions to cancel the sale and escrow and release deposits, if any, to the Party entitled to the funds, less **(i)** fees and costs paid by Escrow Holder on behalf of that Party, if required by this Agreement; and **(ii)** any escrow fee charged to that party. Fees and costs may be payable to service providers and vendors for services and products provided during escrow. **A release of funds will require mutual Signed release instructions from the Parties, judicial decision or arbitration award. A Party may be subject to a civil penalty of up to \$1,000 for refusal to Sign cancellation instructions if no good faith dispute exists as to which Party is entitled to the deposited funds (Civil Code § 1057.3). Note: Neither Agents nor Escrow Holder are qualified to provide any opinion on whether either Party has acted in good faith or which Party is entitled to the deposited funds. Buyer and Seller are advised to seek the advice of a qualified California real estate attorney regarding this matter.**
- 15. REPAIRS:** Repairs shall be completed prior to final verification of condition unless Otherwise Agreed. Repairs to be performed at Seller's expense may be performed by Seller or through others, provided that the work complies with applicable Law, including governmental permit, inspection and approval requirements. Repairs shall be performed in a good, skillful manner with materials of quality and appearance comparable to existing materials. Buyer acknowledges that exact restoration of appearance or cosmetic items following all Repairs may not be possible. Seller shall: **(i)** obtain invoices and paid receipts for Repairs performed by others; **(ii)** prepare a written statement indicating the Repairs performed by Seller and the date of such Repairs; and **(iii)** provide Copies of invoices and paid receipts and statements to Buyer prior to final verification of condition.
- 16. FINAL VERIFICATION OF CONDITION:** Buyer shall have the right to make a final verification of the Property condition within the time specified in **paragraph 3J**, NOT AS A CONTINGENCY OF THE SALE, but solely to confirm: **(i)** the Property is maintained pursuant to **paragraph 7B**; **(ii)** Repairs have been completed as agreed; and **(iii)** Seller has complied with Seller's other obligations under this Agreement (C.A.R. Form VP).
- 17. PRORATIONS OF PROPERTY TAXES AND OTHER ITEMS:** Unless Otherwise Agreed, the following items shall be PAID CURRENT and prorated between Buyer and Seller as of Close Of Escrow: real property taxes and assessments, interest, Seller rental payments to third parties, HOA regular assessments due prior to Close Of Escrow, premiums on insurance assumed by Buyer, payments on bonds and assessments assumed by Buyer, and payments on Mello-Roos and other Special Assessment District bonds and assessments that are now a lien. Seller shall pay any HOA special or emergency assessments due prior to Close Of Escrow. The following items shall be assumed by Buyer WITHOUT CREDIT toward the purchase price: prorated payments on Mello-Roos and other Special Assessment District bonds and assessments and HOA special or emergency assessments that are due after Close Of Escrow. Property will be reassessed upon change of ownership. Any supplemental tax bills delivered to Escrow Holder prior to closing shall be prorated and paid as follows: **(i)** for periods after Close Of Escrow, by Buyer; and **(ii)** for periods prior to Close Of Escrow, by Seller (see C.A.R. Form SPT or SBSA for further information). Seller agrees all service fees, maintenance costs and utility bills will be paid current up and through the date of Close Of Escrow. **TAX BILLS AND UTILITY BILLS ISSUED AFTER CLOSE OF ESCROW SHALL BE HANDLED DIRECTLY BETWEEN BUYER AND SELLER.** Prorations shall be made based on a 30-day month.
- 18. BROKERS AND AGENTS:**
- A. COMPENSATION:** Seller or Buyer, or both, as applicable, agree to pay compensation to Broker as specified in a separate written agreement between Broker and that Seller or Buyer. Compensation is payable upon Close Of Escrow, or if escrow does not close, as otherwise specified in the agreement between Broker and that Seller or Buyer. If Seller agrees to pay **the obligation of Buyer to compensate** Buyer's Broker (see **paragraph 3G(3)**), Seller shall be entitled to a copy of the written portion of the compensation agreement between Buyer and Buyer's Broker identifying the compensation to be paid. See C.A.R. Form SPBB for further information.

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B. SCOPE OF DUTY: Buyer and Seller acknowledge and agree that Agent: **(i)** Does not decide what price Buyer should pay or Seller should accept; **(ii)** Does not guarantee the condition of the Property; **(iii)** Does not guarantee the performance, adequacy or completeness of inspections, services, products or repairs provided or made by Seller or others; **(iv)** Does not have an obligation to conduct an inspection of common areas or areas off the site of the Property; **(v)** Shall not be responsible for identifying defects on the Property, in common areas, or offsite unless such defects are visually observable by an inspection of reasonably accessible areas of the Property or are known to Agent; **(vi)** Shall not be responsible for inspecting public records or permits concerning the title or use of Property; **(vii)** Shall not be responsible for identifying the location of boundary lines or other items affecting title; **(viii)** Shall not be responsible for verifying square footage, representations of others or information contained in Investigation reports, Multiple Listing Service, advertisements, flyers or other promotional material; **(ix)** Shall not be responsible for determining the fair market value of the Property or any personal property included in the sale; **(x)** Shall not be responsible for providing legal or tax advice regarding any aspect of a transaction entered into by Buyer or Seller; and **(xi)** Shall not be responsible for providing other advice or information that exceeds the knowledge, education and experience required to perform real estate licensed activity. Buyer and Seller agree to seek legal, tax, insurance, title and other desired assistance from appropriate professionals.

19. JOINT ESCROW INSTRUCTIONS TO ESCROW HOLDER:

A. The following paragraphs, or applicable portions thereof, of this Agreement constitute the joint escrow instructions of Buyer and Seller to Escrow Holder, which Escrow Holder is to use along with any related counter offers and addenda, and any additional mutual instructions to close the escrow: **paragraphs 1, 3A, 3B, 3D-G, 3N(2), 3Q, 3R, 4A, 4B, 5A(1-2) 5D, 5E, 10B(2)(A), 10B(3), 10C, 11H, 11L(2), 13 (except 13D), 14H, 17, 18A, 19, 23, 25, 31, 32, 33, 34, and paragraph 3 of the Real Estate Brokers Section.** If a Copy of the separate compensation agreement(s) provided for in **paragraph 18A or paragraph 3 of the Real Estate Brokers Section** is deposited with Escrow Holder by Agent, Escrow Holder shall accept such agreement(s) and pay out from Buyer's or Seller's funds, or both, as applicable, the Broker's compensation provided for in such agreement(s). The terms and conditions of this Agreement not set forth in the specified paragraphs are additional matters for the information of Escrow Holder, but about which Escrow Holder need not be concerned.

B. Buyer and Seller will receive Escrow Holder's general provisions, if any, directly from Escrow Holder. To the extent the general provisions are inconsistent or conflict with this Agreement, the general provisions will control as to the duties and obligations of Escrow Holder only. Buyer and Seller shall Sign and return Escrow Holder's general provisions or supplemental instructions within the time specified in **paragraph 3N(2)**. Buyer and Seller shall execute additional instructions, documents and forms provided by Escrow Holder that are reasonably necessary to close the escrow and, as directed by Escrow Holder, within **3 Days**, shall pay to Escrow Holder or HOA or HOA management company or others any fee required by **paragraphs 3, 8, 10, 11,** or elsewhere in this Agreement.

C. A Copy of this Agreement including any counter offer(s) and addenda shall be delivered to Escrow Holder within **3 Days** after Acceptance. Buyer and Seller authorize Escrow Holder to accept and rely on Copies and Signatures as defined in this Agreement as originals, to open escrow and for other purposes of escrow. The validity of this Agreement as between Buyer and Seller is not affected by whether or when Escrow Holder Signs this Agreement. Escrow Holder shall provide Seller's Statement of Information to Title Company when received from Seller, if a separate company is providing title insurance. If Seller delivers an affidavit to Escrow Holder to satisfy Seller's FIRPTA obligation under **paragraph 11H**, Escrow Holder shall deliver to Buyer, Buyer's Agent, and Seller's Agent a Qualified Substitute statement that complies with federal Law. If Escrow Holder's Qualified Substitute statement does not comply with federal law, the Parties instruct escrow to withhold all applicable required amounts under **paragraph 11H**.

D. Agents are not a party to the escrow, except for Brokers for the sole purpose of compensation pursuant to **paragraph 18A and paragraph 3 of the Real Estate Brokers Section.** If a Copy of the separate compensation agreement(s) provided for in either of those paragraphs is deposited with Escrow Holder by Agent, Escrow Holder shall accept such agreement(s) and pay out from Buyer's or Seller's funds, or both, as applicable, the Broker's compensation provided for in such agreement(s). **Escrow Holder shall provide to Buyer and Seller, either jointly or separately, a closing statement or other written documentation showing the amount of compensation paid to, respectively, Buyer's Broker and Seller's Broker.** Buyer and Seller irrevocably assign to Brokers compensation specified in **paragraph 18A**, and irrevocably instruct Escrow Holder to disburse those funds to Brokers at Close Of Escrow or pursuant to any other mutually executed cancellation agreement. Compensation instructions can be amended or revoked only with the written consent of Brokers. Buyer and Seller shall release and hold harmless Escrow Holder from any liability resulting from Escrow Holder's payment to Broker(s) of compensation pursuant to this Agreement.

E. Buyer and Seller acknowledge that Escrow Holder may require invoices for expenses under this Agreement. Buyer and Seller, upon request by Escrow Holder, within **3 Days** or within a sufficient time to close escrow, whichever is sooner, shall provide any such invoices to Escrow Holder.

F. Upon receipt, Escrow Holder shall provide Buyer, Seller, and each Agent verification of Buyer's deposit of funds pursuant to **paragraphs 5A(1) and 5A(2)**. Once Escrow Holder becomes aware of any of the following, Escrow Holder shall immediately notify each Agent: **(i)** if Buyer's initial or any additional deposit or down payment is not made pursuant to this Agreement, or is not good at time of deposit with Escrow Holder; or **(ii)** if Buyer and Seller instruct Escrow Holder to cancel escrow.

G. A Copy of any amendment that affects any paragraph of this Agreement for which Escrow Holder is responsible shall be delivered to Escrow Holder within **3 Days** after mutual execution of the amendment.

20. SELECTION OF SERVICE PROVIDERS: Agents do not guarantee the performance of any vendors, service or product providers ("Providers"), whether referred by Agent or selected by Buyer, Seller or other person. Buyer and Seller may select ANY Providers of their own choosing.

21. MULTIPLE LISTING SERVICE ("MLS"): Agents are authorized to report to the MLS that an offer has been accepted and, upon Close Of Escrow, the sales price and other terms of this transaction shall be provided to the MLS to be published and disseminated to persons and entities authorized to use the information on terms approved by the MLS. Buyer acknowledges that: **(i)** any pictures, videos, floor plans (collectively, "Images") or other information about the Property that has been or will be inputted into the MLS or internet portals, or both, at the instruction of Seller or in compliance with MLS rules, will not be removed after Close Of Escrow; **(ii)** California Civil Code § 1088(c) requires the MLS to maintain such Images and information for at least three years and as a result they may be displayed or circulated on the Internet, which cannot be controlled or removed by Seller or Agents; and **(iii)** Seller, Seller's Agent, Buyer's Agent, and MLS have no obligation or ability to remove such Images or information from the Internet.

22. ATTORNEY FEES AND COSTS: In any action, proceeding, or arbitration between Buyer and Seller arising out of this Agreement, the prevailing Buyer or Seller shall be entitled to reasonable attorney fees and costs from the non-prevailing Buyer or Seller, except as provided in **paragraph 27A**.



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23. ASSIGNMENT/NOMINATION: Buyer shall have the right to assign all of Buyer's interest in this Agreement to Buyer's own trust or to any wholly owned entity of Buyer that is in existence at the time of such assignment. Otherwise, Buyer shall not assign all or any part of Buyer's interest in this Agreement without first having obtained the separate written consent of Seller to a specified assignee. Such consent shall not be unreasonably withheld. Prior to any assignment, Buyer shall disclose to Seller the name of the assignee and the amount of any monetary consideration between Buyer and assignee. Buyer shall provide assignee with all documents related to this Agreement including, but not limited to, the Agreement and any disclosures. If assignee is a wholly owned entity or trust of Buyer, that assignee does not need to re-sign or initial all documents provided. Whether or not an assignment requires seller's consent, at the time of assignment, assignee shall deliver a letter from assignee's lender that assignee is prequalified or preapproved as specified in **paragraph 6B**. Should assignee fail to deliver such a letter, Seller, after first giving Assignee an Notice to Buyer to Perform, shall have the right to terminate the assignment. Buyer shall, within the time specified in **paragraph 3K**, Deliver any request to assign this Agreement for Seller's consent. If Buyer fails to provide the required information within this time frame, Seller's withholding of consent shall be deemed reasonable. Any total or partial assignment shall not relieve Buyer of Buyer's obligations pursuant to this Agreement unless Otherwise Agreed by Seller (C.A.R. Form AOAA). Parties shall provide any assignment agreement to Escrow Holder within 1 Day after the assignment. Any nomination by Buyer shall be subject to the same procedures, requirements, and terms as an assignment as specified in this paragraph.

24. EQUAL HOUSING OPPORTUNITY: The Property is sold in compliance with federal, state and local anti-discrimination Laws.

25. DEFINITIONS and INSTRUCTIONS: The following words are defined terms in this Agreement, shall be indicated by initial capital letters throughout this Agreement, and have the following meaning whenever used:

- A. **"Acceptance"** means the time the offer or final counter offer is fully executed, in writing, by the recipient Party and is Delivered to the offering Party or that Party's Authorized Agent.
- B. **"Agent"** means the Broker, salesperson, broker-associate or any other real estate licensee licensed under the brokerage firm identified in **paragraph 2B**.
- C. **"Agreement"** means this document and any counter offers and any incorporated addenda or amendments, collectively forming the binding agreement between the Parties. Addenda and amendments are incorporated only when Signed and Delivered by all Parties.
- D. **"As-Is"** condition: Seller shall disclose known material facts and defects as specified in this Agreement. Buyer has the right to inspect the Property and, within the time specified, request that Seller make repairs or take other corrective action, or exercise any contingency cancellation rights in this Agreement. Seller is only required to make repairs specified in this Agreement or as Otherwise Agreed.
- E. **"Authorized Agent"** means an individual real estate licensee specified in the Real Estate Broker Section.
- F. **"C.A.R. Form"** means the most current version of the specific form referenced or another comparable form agreed to by the Parties.
- G. **"Close Of Escrow"**, including "COE", means the date the grant deed, or other evidence of transfer of title, is recorded for any real property, or the date of Delivery of a document evidencing the transfer of title for any non-real property transaction.
- H. **"Copy"** means copy by any means including photocopy, facsimile and electronic.
- I. **Counting Days** is done as follows unless Otherwise Agreed: (1) The first Day after an event is the first full calendar date following the event, and ending at 11:59 pm. For example, if a Notice to Buyer to Perform (C.A.R. form NBP) is Delivered at 3 pm on the 7th calendar day of the month, or Acceptance of a counter offer is personally received at 12 noon on the 7th calendar day of the month, then the 7th is Day "0" for purposes of counting days to respond to the NBP or calculating the Close Of Escrow date or contingency removal dates and the 8th of the month is Day 1 for those same purposes. (2) All calendar days are counted in establishing the first Day after an event. (3) All calendar days are counted in determining the date upon which performance must be completed, ending at 11:59 pm on the last day for performance ("Scheduled Performance Day"). (4) After Acceptance, if the Scheduled Performance Day for any act required by this Agreement, including Close Of Escrow, lands on a Saturday, Sunday, or Legal Holiday, the performing party shall be allowed to perform on the next day that is not a Saturday, Sunday or Legal Holiday ("Allowable Performance Day"), and ending at 11:59 pm. "Legal Holiday" shall mean any holiday or optional bank holiday under Civil Code §§ 7 and 7.1, any holiday under Government Code § 6700. (5) For the purposes of COE, any day that the Recorder's office in the County where the Property is located is closed or any day that the lender or Escrow Holder under this Agreement is closed, the COE shall occur on the next day the Recorder's office in that County, the lender, and the Escrow Holder is open. (6) COE is considered Day 0 for purposes of counting days Seller is allowed to remain in possession, if permitted by this Agreement.
- J. **"Day"** or **"Days"** means calendar day or days. However, delivery of deposit to escrow is based on business days.
- K. **"Deliver", "Delivered" or "Delivery"** of documents, unless Otherwise Agreed, means and shall be effective upon personal receipt of the document by Buyer or Seller or their Authorized Agent. Personal receipt means (i) a Copy of the document, or as applicable, link to the document, is in the possession of the Party or Authorized Agent, regardless of the Delivery method used (i.e. e-mail, text, other). **A document, or as applicable link to a document, shall be deemed to be "in possession" if it located in the in-box for the applicable Party or Authorized Agent; or (ii) an Electronic Copy of the document, or as applicable, link to the document, has been sent to the designated electronic delivery address specified in the Real Estate Broker Section, unless Otherwise Agreed in C.A.R. Form DEDA.** After Acceptance, Agent may change the designated electronic delivery address for that Agent by, in writing, Delivering notice of the change in designated electronic delivery address to the other Party (C.A.R. Form DEDA). Links could be, for example, to DropBox or GoogleDrive or other functionally equivalent program. If the recipient of a link is unable or unwilling to open the link or download the documents or otherwise prefers Delivery of the documents directly, Recipient of a link shall notify the sender in writing, within **3 Days** after Delivery of the link (C.A.R. Form RFR). In such case, Delivery shall be effective upon Delivery of the documents and not the link. Failure to notify sender within the time specified above shall be deemed consent to receive, and Buyer opening, the document by link.
- L. **"Electronic Copy" or "Electronic Signature"** means, as applicable, an electronic copy or signature complying with California Law. Unless Otherwise Agreed, Buyer and Seller agree to the use of Electronic Signatures. Buyer and Seller agree that electronic means will not be used by either Party to modify or alter the content or integrity of this Agreement without the knowledge and consent of the other Party.
- M. **"Law"** means any law, code, statute, ordinance, regulation, rule or order, which is adopted by a controlling city, county, state or federal legislative, judicial or executive body or agency.
- N. **"Legally Authorized Signer"** means an individual who has authority to Sign for the principal as specified in **paragraph 33** or **paragraph 34**.
- O. **"Otherwise Agreed"** means an agreement in writing, signed by both Parties and Delivered to each.
- P. **"Repairs"** means any repairs (including pest control), alterations, replacements, modifications or retrofitting of the Property provided for under this Agreement.
- Q. **"Sign" or "Signed"** means either a handwritten or Electronic Signature on an original document, Copy or any counterpart.



26. LIQUIDATED DAMAGES (By initialing in the space below, you are agreeing to Liquidated Damages):

If Buyer fails to complete this purchase because of Buyer's default, Seller shall retain, as liquidated damages, the deposit actually paid. If the Property is a dwelling with no more than four units, one of which Buyer intends to occupy, then the amount retained shall be no more than 3% of the purchase price. Any excess shall be returned to Buyer. Release of funds will require mutual, Signed release instructions from both Buyer and Seller, judicial decision or arbitration award. **AT THE TIME OF ANY INCREASED DEPOSIT BUYER AND SELLER SHALL SIGN A SEPARATE LIQUIDATED DAMAGES PROVISION INCORPORATING THE INCREASED DEPOSIT AS LIQUIDATED DAMAGES (C.A.R. FORM DID).**

Buyer's Initials _____ / _____

Seller's Initials _____ / _____

27. MEDIATION:

- A. The Parties agree to mediate any dispute or claim arising between them out of this Agreement, or any resulting transaction, before resorting to arbitration or court action. The mediation shall be conducted through the C.A.R. Real Estate Mediation Center for Consumers (www.consumermediation.org) or through any other mediation provider or service mutually agreed to by the Parties. The Parties also agree to mediate any disputes or claims with Agents(s), who, in writing, agree to such mediation prior to, or within a reasonable time after, the dispute or claim is presented to the Agent. Mediation fees, if any, shall be divided equally among the Parties involved, and shall be recoverable under the prevailing party attorney fees clause. If, for any dispute or claim to which this paragraph applies, any Party (i) commences an action without first attempting to resolve the matter through mediation, or (ii) before commencement of an action, refuses to mediate after a request has been made, then that Party shall not be entitled to recover attorney fees, even if they would otherwise be available to that Party in any such action. THIS MEDIATION PROVISION APPLIES WHETHER OR NOT THE ARBITRATION PROVISION IS INITIALED.
- B. **ADDITIONAL MEDIATION TERMS:** (i) Exclusions from this mediation agreement are specified in paragraph 28B; (ii) The obligation to mediate does not preclude the right of either Party to seek a preservation of rights under paragraph 28C; and (iii) Agent's rights and obligations are further specified in paragraph 28D. These terms apply even if the Arbitration of Disputes paragraph is not initialed.

28. ARBITRATION OF DISPUTES:

- A. The Parties agree that any dispute or claim in Law or equity arising between them out of this Agreement or any resulting transaction, which is not settled through mediation, shall be decided by neutral, binding arbitration. The Parties also agree to arbitrate any disputes or claims with Agents(s), who, in writing, agree to such arbitration prior to, or within a reasonable time after, the dispute or claim is presented to the Agent. The arbitration shall be conducted through any arbitration provider or service mutually agreed to by the Parties. The arbitrator shall be a retired judge or justice, or an attorney with at least 5 years of residential real estate Law experience, unless the Parties mutually agree to a different arbitrator. Enforcement of, and any motion to compel arbitration pursuant to, this agreement to arbitrate shall be governed by the procedural rules of the Federal Arbitration Act, and not the California Arbitration Act, notwithstanding any language seemingly to the contrary in this Agreement. The Parties shall have the right to discovery in accordance with Code of Civil Procedure § 1283.05. The arbitration shall be conducted in accordance with Title 9 of Part 3 of the Code of Civil Procedure. Judgment upon the award of the arbitrator(s) may be entered into any court having jurisdiction.
- B. **EXCLUSIONS:** The following matters are excluded from mediation and arbitration: (i) Any matter that is within the jurisdiction of a probate, small claims or bankruptcy court; (ii) an unlawful detainer action; and (iii) a judicial or non-judicial foreclosure or other action or proceeding to enforce a deed of trust, mortgage or installment land sale contract as defined in Civil Code § 2985.
- C. **PRESERVATION OF ACTIONS:** The following shall not constitute a waiver nor violation of the mediation and arbitration provisions: (i) the filing of a court action to preserve a statute of limitations; (ii) the filing of a court action to enable the recording of a notice of pending action, for order of attachment, receivership, injunction, or other provisional remedies, provided the filing party concurrent with, or immediately after such filing makes a request to the court for a stay of litigation pending any applicable mediation or arbitration proceeding; or (iii) the filing of a mechanic's lien.
- D. **AGENTS:** Agents shall not be obligated nor compelled to mediate or arbitrate unless they agree to do so in writing. Any Agents(s) participating in mediation or arbitration shall not be deemed a party to this Agreement.
- E. **"NOTICE: BY INITIALING IN THE SPACE BELOW YOU ARE AGREEING TO HAVE ANY DISPUTE ARISING OUT OF THE MATTERS INCLUDED IN THE 'ARBITRATION OF DISPUTES' PROVISION DECIDED BY NEUTRAL ARBITRATION AS PROVIDED BY CALIFORNIA LAW AND YOU ARE GIVING UP ANY RIGHTS YOU MIGHT POSSESS TO HAVE THE DISPUTE LITIGATED IN A COURT OR JURY TRIAL. BY INITIALING IN THE SPACE BELOW YOU ARE GIVING UP YOUR JUDICIAL RIGHTS TO DISCOVERY AND APPEAL, UNLESS THOSE RIGHTS ARE SPECIFICALLY INCLUDED IN THE 'ARBITRATION OF DISPUTES' PROVISION. IF YOU REFUSE TO SUBMIT TO ARBITRATION AFTER AGREEING TO THIS PROVISION, YOU MAY BE COMPELLED TO ARBITRATE UNDER THE AUTHORITY OF THE CALIFORNIA CODE OF CIVIL PROCEDURE. YOUR AGREEMENT TO THIS ARBITRATION PROVISION IS VOLUNTARY."**

"WE HAVE READ AND UNDERSTAND THE FOREGOING AND AGREE TO SUBMIT DISPUTES ARISING OUT OF THE MATTERS INCLUDED IN THE 'ARBITRATION OF DISPUTES' PROVISION TO NEUTRAL ARBITRATION."

Buyer's Initials _____ / _____

Seller's Initials _____ / _____



29. FAIR APPRAISAL ACT NOTICE:

- A.** Any appraisal of the property is required to be unbiased, objective, and not influenced by improper or illegal considerations, including, but not limited to, any of the following: race, color, religion (including religious dress, grooming practices, or both), gender (including, but not limited to, pregnancy, childbirth, breastfeeding, and related conditions, and gender identity and gender expression), sexual orientation, marital status, medical condition, military or veteran status, national origin (including language use and possession of a driver's license issued to persons unable to provide their presence in the United States is authorized under federal law), source of income, ancestry, disability (mental and physical, including, but not limited to, HIV/AIDS status, cancer diagnosis, and genetic characteristics), genetic information, or age.
- B.** If a buyer or seller believes that the appraisal has been influenced by any of the above factors, the seller or buyer can report this information to the lender or mortgage broker that retained the appraiser and may also file a complaint with the Bureau of Real Estate Appraisers at <https://www2.brea.ca.gov/complaint/> or call (916) 552-9000 for further information on how to file a complaint.

30. TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF OFFER: This is an offer to purchase the Property on the terms and conditions herein. The individual Liquidated Damages and Arbitration of Disputes paragraphs are incorporated in this Agreement if initialed by all Parties or if incorporated by mutual agreement in a counter offer or addendum. **If at least one but not all Parties initial, a counter offer is required until agreement is reached.** Seller has the right to continue to offer the Property for sale and to accept any other offer at any time prior to notification of Acceptance and to market the Property for backup offers after Acceptance. The Parties have read and acknowledge receipt of a Copy of the offer and agree to the confirmation of agency relationships. If this offer is accepted and Buyer subsequently defaults, Buyer may be responsible for payment of Brokers' compensation. This Agreement and any supplement, addendum or modification, including any Copy, may be Signed in two or more counterparts, all of which shall constitute one and the same writing. By Signing this offer or any document in the transaction, the Party Signing the document is deemed to have read the document in its entirety.

31. TIME OF ESSENCE; ENTIRE CONTRACT; CHANGES: Time is of the essence. All understandings between the Parties are incorporated in this Agreement. Its terms are intended by the Parties as a final, complete and exclusive expression of their Agreement with respect to its subject matter and may not be contradicted by evidence of any prior agreement or contemporaneous oral agreement. If any provision of this Agreement is held to be ineffective or invalid, the remaining provisions will nevertheless be given full force and effect. Except as Otherwise Agreed, this Agreement shall be interpreted, and disputes shall be resolved in accordance with the Laws of the State of California. **Neither this Agreement nor any provision in it may be extended, amended, modified, altered or changed, except in writing Signed by Buyer and Seller.**

32. LEGALLY AUTHORIZED SIGNER: Wherever the signature or initials of the Legally Authorized Signer identified in paragraphs 33 or 34 appear on this Agreement or any related documents, it shall be deemed to be in a representative capacity for the entity described and not in an individual capacity, unless otherwise indicated. The Legally Authorized Signer (i) represents that the entity for which that person is acting already exists and is in good standing to do business in California and (ii) shall Deliver to the other Party and Escrow Holder, within **3 Days after Acceptance**, evidence of authority to act in that capacity (such as but not limited to: applicable portion of the trust or Certification Of Trust (Probate Code § 18100.5), letters testamentary, court order, power of attorney, corporate resolution, or formation documents of the business entity).

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33. OFFER

A. EXPIRATION OF OFFER: This offer shall be deemed revoked and the deposit, if any, shall be returned to Buyer unless by the date and time specified in **paragraph 3C**, the offer is Signed by Seller and a Copy of the Signed offer is Delivered to Buyer or Buyer's Authorized Agent. **Seller has no obligation to respond to an offer made.**

B. ENTITY BUYERS: (Note: If this paragraph is completed, a Representative Capacity Signature Disclosure (C.A.R. Form RCSD) is not required for the Legally Authorized Signers designated below.)

- (1) One or more Buyers is a trust, corporation, LLC, probate estate, partnership, holding a power of attorney or other entity.
- (2) This Agreement is being Signed by a Legally Authorized Signer in a representative capacity and not in an individual capacity. See **paragraph 32** for additional terms.
- (3) The name(s) of the Legally Authorized Signer(s) is/are: _____.
- (4) **A.** If a trust, identify Buyer as trustee(s) of the trust or by simplified trust name (ex. John Doe, co-trustee, Jane Doe, co-trustee or Doe Revocable Family Trust).
- B.** If Property is sold under the jurisdiction of a probate court, identify Buyer as executor or administrator, or by a simplified probate name (John Doe, executor, or Estate (or Conservatorship) of John Doe).
- (5) The following is the full name of the entity (if a trust, enter the complete trust name; if under probate, enter full name of the estate, including case #): _____

C. The RPA has **17** pages. Buyer acknowledges receipt of, and has read and understands, every page and all attachments that make up the Agreement.

D. BUYER SIGNATURE(S):

(Signature) By, _____ Date: _____

Printed name of BUYER: _____

Printed Name of Legally Authorized Signer: _____ Title, if applicable, _____

(Signature) By, _____ Date: _____

Printed name of BUYER: _____

Printed Name of Legally Authorized Signer: _____ Title, if applicable, _____

IF MORE THAN TWO SIGNERS, USE Additional Signature Addendum (C.A.R. Form ASA).

34. ACCEPTANCE

A. ACCEPTANCE OF OFFER: Seller warrants that Seller is the owner of the Property or has the authority to execute this Agreement. Seller accepts the above offer and agrees to sell the Property on the above terms and conditions. Seller has read and acknowledges receipt of a Copy of this Agreement and authorizes Agent to Deliver a Signed Copy to Buyer.

Seller's acceptance is subject to the attached Counter Offer or Back-Up Offer Addendum, or both, checked below. Seller shall return and include the entire agreement with any response.

Seller Counter Offer (C.A.R. Form SCO or SMCO)

Back-Up Offer Addendum (C.A.R. Form BUO)

B. ENTITY SELLERS: (Note: If this paragraph is completed, a Representative Capacity Signature Disclosure form (C.A.R. Form RCSD) is not required for the Legally Authorized Signers designated below.)

- (1) One or more Sellers is a trust, corporation, LLC, probate estate, partnership, holding a power of attorney or other entity.
- (2) This Agreement is being Signed by a Legally Authorized Signer in a representative capacity and not in an individual capacity. See **paragraph 32** for additional terms.
- (3) The name(s) of the Legally Authorized Signer(s) is/are: _____.
- (4) **A.** If a trust, identify Seller as trustee(s) of the trust or by simplified trust name (ex. John Doe, co-trustee, Jane Doe, co-trustee or Doe Revocable Family Trust).
- B.** If Property is sold under the jurisdiction of a probate court, identify Seller as executor or administrator, or by a simplified probate name (John Doe, executor, or Estate (or Conservatorship) of John Doe).
- (5) The following is the full name of the entity (if a trust, enter the complete trust name; if under probate, enter full name of the estate, including case #): _____

C. The RPA has **17** pages. Seller acknowledges receipt of, and has read and understands, every page and all attachments that make up the Agreement.

D. SELLER SIGNATURE(S):

(Signature) By, _____ Date: _____

Printed name of SELLER: _____

Printed Name of Legally Authorized Signer: _____ Title, if applicable, _____

(Signature) By, _____ Date: _____

Printed name of SELLER: _____

Printed Name of Legally Authorized Signer: _____ Title, if applicable, _____

IF MORE THAN TWO SIGNERS, USE Additional Signature Addendum (C.A.R. Form ASA).

OFFER NOT ACCEPTED: _____/_____. No Counter Offer is being made. This offer was not accepted by Seller _____ (date)
Seller's Initials



REAL ESTATE BROKERS SECTION

- 1. **Real Estate Agents are not parties to the Agreement between Buyer and Seller.**
- 2. **Agency relationships are confirmed as stated in paragraph 2.**
- 3. **Confirmation of Offered Compensation:** Seller's Broker agrees to pay Buyer's Broker and Buyer's Broker agrees to accept, out of Seller's Broker's proceeds in escrow, the **compensation** specified in a separate written agreement (C.A.R. Form CBC). **Each Broker agrees to disclose to their Seller or Buyer client the amount in the CBC.** Declaration of License and Tax (C.A.R. Form DLT) may be used to document that tax reporting will be required or that an exemption exists.
- 4. **Presentation of Offer:** Pursuant to the National Association of REALTORS® Standard of Practice 1-7, if Buyer's Agent makes a written request, Seller's Agent shall confirm in writing that this offer has been presented to Seller.
- 5. **Agents' Signatures and designated electronic delivery address:**

A. Buyer's Brokerage Firm _____ **DRE Lic. #** _____
 By _____ **DRE Lic. #** _____ **Date** _____
 By _____ **DRE Lic. #** _____ **Date** _____
 Address _____ **City** _____ **State** _____ **Zip** _____
 Email _____ **Phone #** _____

- More than one agent from the same firm represents Buyer. Additional Agent Acknowledgement (C.A.R. Form AAA) attached.
- More than one brokerage firm represents Buyer. Additional Broker Acknowledgement (C.A.R. Form ABA) attached.

Designated Electronic Delivery Address(es): Email above or _____

Attached DEDA: If Parties elect to have an alternative Delivery method, such method may be indicated on C.A.R. Form DEDA.

B. Seller's Brokerage Firm _____ **DRE Lic. #** _____
 By _____ **DRE Lic. #** _____ **Date** _____
 By _____ **DRE Lic. #** _____ **Date** _____
 Address _____ **City** _____ **State** _____ **Zip** _____
 Email _____ **Phone #** _____

- More than one agent from the same firm represents Seller. Additional Agent Acknowledgement (C.A.R. Form AAA) attached.
- More than one brokerage firm represents Seller. Additional Broker Acknowledgement (C.A.R. Form ABA) attached.

Designated Electronic Delivery Address(es) (To be filled out by Seller's Agent): Email above or _____

Attached DEDA: If Parties elect to have an alternative Delivery method, such method may be indicated on C.A.R. Form DEDA.

Buyer's Initials _____ / _____ Seller's Initials _____ / _____

ESCROW HOLDER ACKNOWLEDGMENT:

Escrow Holder acknowledges receipt of a Copy of this Agreement, (if checked, a deposit in the amount of \$ _____), Counter Offer numbers _____ and _____, and agrees to act as Escrow Holder subject to **paragraph 19** of this Agreement, any supplemental escrow instructions and the terms of Escrow Holder's general provisions.

Escrow Holder is advised by _____ that the date of Acceptance of the Agreement is _____

Escrow Holder _____ Escrow # _____

By _____ Date _____

Address _____

Phone/Fax/E-mail _____

Escrow Holder has the following license number # _____

Department of Financial Protection and Innovation, Department of Insurance, Department of Real Estate.

PRESENTATION OF OFFER: _____ / _____ Seller's Brokerage Firm presented this offer to Seller on _____ (date).
Agent or Seller Initials

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STATEWIDE BUYER AND SELLER ADVISORY
(This Form Does Not Replace Local Condition Disclosures.
Additional Advisories or Disclosures May Be Attached)
(C.A.R. Form SBSA, Revised 6/24)

BUYER RIGHTS AND DUTIES:

- The physical condition of the land and improvements being purchased are not guaranteed by Seller or Brokers.
- You should conduct thorough investigations of the Property both personally and with appropriate professionals.
- If professionals recommend further inspections, you should contact qualified experts to conduct such inspections.
- You should retain your own professional even if Seller or Broker has provided you with existing reports.
- You should read all written reports given to you and discuss those reports with the persons who prepared them. It is possible that different reports provided to you contain conflicting information. If there are discrepancies between reports, disclosures or other information, you are responsible for contacting appropriate professionals to confirm the accuracy of correctness of the reports, disclosures or information.
- You have the right to request that the Seller make repairs or corrections or take other actions based on inspections or disclosures, but the Seller is not obligated to respond to you or make any such repairs, corrections or other requested actions.
- If the Seller is unwilling or unable to satisfy your requests, and you act within certain time periods, you may have the right to cancel the Agreement (the Purchase Agreement and any Counter Offer and Addenda together are the "Agreement"). If you cancel outside of these periods, you may be in breach of the Agreement and your deposit might be at risk.

YOU ARE STRONGLY ADVISED TO INVESTIGATE THE CONDITION AND SUITABILITY OF ALL ASPECTS OF THE PROPERTY. IF YOU DO NOT DO SO, YOU ARE ACTING AGAINST THE ADVICE OF BROKERS.

SELLER RIGHTS AND DUTIES:

- You have a duty to disclose material facts known to you that affect the value or desirability of the Property.
- You are obligated to make the Property available to the Buyer and have utilities on for inspections as allowed by the Agreement.
- This form is not a substitute for completing a Real Estate Transfer Disclosure Statement, if required, and any other property-specific questionnaires or disclosures.

BROKER RIGHTS AND DUTIES:

- Brokers do not have expertise in all areas and matters affecting the Property or your evaluation of it.
- For most sales of residential properties with no more than four units, Brokers have a duty to make a reasonably competent and diligent visual inspection of the accessible areas of the Property and disclose to you material facts or defects that the inspection reveals.
- Many defects and conditions may not be discoverable by a Broker's visual inspection.
- If Brokers give a referral to another professional, Brokers do not guarantee that person's performance. You may select any professional of your own choosing.
- If a Broker gives you reports or other documents, unless otherwise specified, it is possible that different reports provided to you contain conflicting information. Broker has not and will not verify or otherwise investigate the information contained therein.
- Any written agreement between a Broker and either Buyer or Seller or both establishes the rights and responsibilities of those parties.

LEGAL, TAX AND CONTRACT CONSIDERATIONS FOR BOTH BUYER AND SELLER:

- You are advised to seek legal, tax, and other assistance from appropriate professionals in order to fully understand the implications of any documents or actions during the transaction. You should contact a CPA or tax attorney to determine **(i)** the basis of the property for income tax purposes; and **(ii)** any calculations necessary to determine if a sale, and what price, would result in any capital gains taxes that may need to be reported to State and Federal taxing agencies. In addition, you should consult with the CPA or tax attorney regarding what factors affect how the property tax basis is determined. If you are doing a 1031 exchange, you are advised to contact an exchange accommodator to discuss the proper method and timing of the exchange.
- The terms of the Agreement and any counter offers and addenda establish your rights and responsibilities to each other.



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- EASEMENTS, ACCESS AND ENCROACHMENTS:** Buyer and Seller are advised that confirming the exact location of easements, shared or private driveways or roadways, and encroachments on or to the Property may be possible only by conducting a survey. There may be unrecorded easements, access rights, encroachments and other agreements affecting the Property that may not be disclosed by a survey. Representations regarding these items that are made in a Multiple Listing Service or advertisements, or plotted by a title company are often approximations, or based upon inaccurate or incomplete records. Unless otherwise specified by Broker in writing, Brokers have not verified any such matters or any representations made by Seller(s) or others. If Buyer wants further information, Buyer is advised and Broker(s) recommend that Buyer hire a licensed surveyor during Buyer's inspection contingency period. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.

- 2. ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS:** Buyer and Seller are advised that the presence of certain kinds of organisms, toxins and contaminants, including, but not limited to, mold (airborne, toxic or otherwise), fungi, mildew, lead-based paint and other lead contamination, asbestos, formaldehyde, radon, pcb's, methane, other gases, fuel oil or chemical storage tanks, contaminated soil or water, hazardous waste, waste disposal sites, electromagnetic fields, nuclear sources, urea formaldehyde, or other materials may adversely affect the Property and the health of individuals who live on or work at the property as well as pets. Some municipalities may impose additional requirements regarding underground storage tanks, which may be more common in certain areas and cities throughout the State, especially where there are larger, older homes built before 1935. It is possible that these tanks, either now or in the future, may require inspections or abatement. If Buyer wants further information, Buyer is advised, and Broker(s) recommends, that Buyer have the Property inspected for the existence of such conditions and organisms, and conditions that may lead to their formation. Not all inspectors are licensed and licenses are not available for all types of inspection activities. Buyer is also advised to consult with appropriate experts regarding this topic during Buyer's inspection contingency period. Broker recommends that Buyer and Seller read the booklets titled, "Residential Environmental Hazards: A Guide for Homeowners, Homebuyers, Landlords and Tenants," and "Protect Your Family From Lead In Your Home." Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
- 3. FORMALDEHYDE:** Formaldehyde is a substance known to the State of California to cause cancer. Exposure to formaldehyde may be caused by materials used in the construction of homes. The United States Environmental Protection Agency, the California Air Resources Board, and other agencies have measured the presence of formaldehyde in the indoor air of select homes in California. Levels of formaldehyde that present a significant cancer risk have been measured in most homes that were tested. Formaldehyde is present in the air because it is emitted by a variety of building materials and home products used in construction. The materials include carpeting, pressed wood products, insulation, plastics, and glues. Most homes that have been tested elsewhere do contain formaldehyde, although the concentrations vary from home to home with no obvious explanation for the differences. One of the problems is that many suppliers of building materials and home products do not provide information on chemical ingredients to builders. Buyers may have further questions about these issues. Buyer is advised to consult with appropriate experts regarding this topic during Buyer's inspection contingency period. Broker(s) recommend that Buyer and Seller read the booklet titled "Residential Environmental Hazards: A Guide for Homeowners, Homebuyers, Landlords and Tenants." Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
- 4. GEOLOGIC HAZARDS:** Buyer and Seller are advised that California has experienced earthquakes in the past, and there is always a potential of future earthquakes. Damage caused by an earthquake may not be discoverable by a visual inspection of Buyer(s) or Broker(s). Inspection by a licensed, qualified professional is strongly recommended to determine the structural integrity and safety of all structures and improvements on the Property. If the Property is a condominium, or located in a planned unit development or in a common interest subdivision, Buyer is advised to contact the homeowners association about earthquake repairs and retrofit work and the possibility of an increased or special assessment to defray the costs of earthquake repairs or retrofit work. Buyer is encouraged to obtain and read the booklet entitled, "The Homeowner's Guide to Earthquake Safety." In most cases a questionnaire within the booklet must be completed by Seller and the entire booklet given to the Buyer if the Property was built prior to 1960. If the Property was built before 1975, and contains structures constructed of masonry or precast (tilt up) concrete walls, with wood frame floors or roof, or if the building has unreinforced masonry walls, then Seller must provide Buyer a pamphlet entitled "The Commercial Property Owner's Guide to Earthquake Safety." Many areas have a wide range of geologic problems and numerous studies have been made of these conditions. Some of this information is available for public review at city and county planning departments. Buyer is encouraged to review the public maps and reports and/or obtain a geologist's inspection report. Buyer may be able to obtain earthquake insurance to protect their interest in the Property. Sellers who agree to provide financing should also consider requiring Buyers to obtain such insurance naming Seller(s) as insured lien holder(s). Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
- 5. INSPECTIONS:** Buyer and Seller are advised that Buyer has the right to obtain various inspections of the Property under most residential purchase agreements. Buyer is advised to have the Property inspected by a professional property inspection service within Buyer's inspection contingency period. A licensed building contractor or other professional may perform these services. The inspector generally does not look behind walls or under carpets, or take equipment apart. Certain items on the Property, such as chimneys and spark arresters, plumbing, heating, air conditioning, electrical wiring, pool and spa, septic system, well, roof, foundation and structural items may need to be inspected by another professional, such as a chimney sweep, plumber, electrician, pool and spa service, septic or well company or roofer. A general physical inspection typically will not test for mold, wood destroying pests, lead-based paint, radon, asbestos and other environmental hazards, geologic conditions, age, remaining useful life or water-tightness of roof, cracks, leaks or operational problems associated with a pool or spa or connection of the Property to a sewer system. If Buyer wants further information on any aspect of the Property, Broker recommends that Buyer have a discussion with the professional property inspector and that Buyer hire an appropriate professional for the area of concern to Buyer. Brokers do not verify the results of any such inspection or guarantee the performance of any such inspector or service. Any election by Buyer to waive the right to a physical inspection of the Property or to rely on somebody other than an appropriate professional is against the advice of Brokers. Not all inspectors are licensed and licenses are not available for all types of inspection activities. Brokers do not have expertise in these area.
- 6. MOLD:** Buyer and Seller are advised that the presence of certain kinds of mold, fungi, mildew and other organisms, sometimes referred to as "toxic mold" (collectively "Mold"), may adversely affect the Property and the health of individuals who live on or work at the Property as well as pets. Mold does not affect all people the same way, and may not affect some people at all. Mold may be caused by water leaks or other sources of moisture such as, but not limited

to, flooding, and leaks in windows, pipes and roof. Seller is advised to disclose the existence of any such conditions of which he or she is aware. Buyer should carefully review all of Seller's disclosures for any indication that any of these conditions exist. It is, however, possible that Mold may be hidden and that Seller is completely unaware of its existence. In addition, Mold is often undetectable from a visual inspection, a professional general property inspection and even a structural pest control inspection. Brokers do not have expertise in this area. If Buyer wants further information, Broker recommends that Buyer have the Property tested for Mold by an environmental hygienist or other appropriate professional during Buyer's inspection contingency period. Not all inspectors are licensed and licenses are not available for all types of inspection activities. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.

7. **PETS AND ANIMALS:** Buyer and Seller are advised that the current or previous owner(s) may have had domesticated or other pets and animals at the Property. Odors from animal urine or other contamination may be dormant for long periods of time and then become active because of heat, humidity or other factors and might not be eliminated by cleaning or replacing carpets or other cleaning methods. Pet urine and feces can also damage hardwood floors and other floor coverings. Additionally, an animal may have had fleas, ticks and other pests that remain on the Property after the animal has been removed. If Buyer wants further information, Broker(s) recommend that Buyer discuss the issue with an appropriate professional during Buyer's inspection contingency period. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
8. **SEPTIC SYSTEMS:** Buyer and Seller are advised that a property may be served by one or more septic systems even though adjoining properties are connected to a sewer line. Buyer and Seller are also advised that some septic tanks and systems may have been abandoned or have leaked into ground water sources. Buyer is advised to contact the appropriate government agency to verify that the Property is connected to a sewer or served by a septic system. If the Property is served by a septic system, it may consist of a septic tank, cesspool, pits, leach lines or a combination of such mechanisms ("collectively, System"). No representation or warranty is made by Seller or Broker concerning the condition, operability, size, capacity or future expansion of a System, nor whether a System is adequate for use by the intended occupants of the Property. A change in the number of occupants or the quantity, composition or methods of depositing waste may affect the efficiency of the System. In addition, the amount of rainfall and ground water table may also affect the efficiency of the System. Many factors including, but not limited to, natural forces, age, deterioration of materials and the load imposed on a System can cause the System to fail at any time. Broker recommends that Buyer obtain an independent evaluation of any System by a qualified sanitation professional during Buyer's inspection contingency period. Buyer should consult with their sanitation professional to determine if their report includes the tank only, or other additional components of the System such as pits and leach fields. Not all inspectors are licensed and licenses are not available for all types of inspection activities. In some cases, Buyer's lender as well as local government agencies may require System inspection. System-related maintenance costs may include, but not be limited to, locating, pumping or providing outlets to ground level. Brokers are unable to advise Buyer or Seller regarding System-related issues or associated costs, which may be significant. If Buyer and Seller agree to obtain a System inspection, Buyer and Seller are cautioned that the inspection cost may include, but not be limited to, the costs of locating, pumping or providing outlets to ground level. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
9. **SOIL AND GEOLOGIC CONDITIONS:** Buyer and Seller are advised that real estate in California is subject to settling, slippage, contraction, expansion erosion, subsidence, earthquakes and other land movement. The Property may be constructed on fill or improperly compacted soil and may have inadequate drainage capability. Any of these matters can cause structural problems to improvements on the Property. Civil or geo-technical engineers are best suited to evaluate soil stability, grading, drainage and other soil conditions. Additionally, the Property may contain known or unknown mines, mills, caves or wells. If Buyer wants further information, Broker recommends that Buyer hire an appropriate professional. Not all inspectors are licensed and licenses are not available for all types of inspections. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
10. **SQUARE FOOTAGE, LOT SIZE, BOUNDARIES AND SURVEYS:** Buyer and Seller are advised that only an appraiser or land surveyor, as applicable, can reliably confirm square footage, lot size, Property corners and exact boundaries of the Property. Representations regarding these items that are made in a Multiple Listing Service, advertisements, and from property tax assessor records are often approximations, or based upon inaccurate or incomplete records. Fences, hedges, walls or other barriers may not represent actual boundary lines. Unless otherwise specified by Broker in writing, Brokers have not verified any such boundary lines or any representations made by Seller or others concerning square footage, lot size, Property corners or exact boundaries. Standard title insurance does not insure the boundaries of the Property. If the exact square footage or lot size or location of Property corners or boundaries is an important consideration in Buyer's decision to purchase the Property and/or how much Buyer is willing to pay for the Property, then Buyer must independently conduct Buyer's own investigation through appropriate professionals, appraisers, or licensed surveyors and rely solely on their data, recognizing that all measurements may not be consistent and that different sources may have different size assessments. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
11. **WATER INTRUSION:** Buyer and Seller are advised that many homes suffer from water intrusion or leakage. The causes of water intrusion are varied, and can include defective construction, faulty grading, deterioration of building materials and absence of waterproof barriers. Water intrusion can cause serious damage to the Property. This damage can consist of wood rot, mold, mildew and even damage to the structural integrity of the Property. The cost of repairing and remediating water intrusion damage and its causes can be very significant. The existence and cause of water intrusion is often difficult to detect. Because you, your Broker or a general home inspector cannot visually observe any effects of water intrusion, Buyer and Seller should not assume that such intrusion does not exist. Broker recommends that Buyer have the Property inspected for water intrusion by an appropriate professional. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.

- 12. WELL AND WATER SYSTEM(S):** Buyer and Seller are advised that the Property may be served by one or more water wells, springs, or private community or public water systems. Any of these private or public water systems may contain bacteria, chemicals, minerals and metals, such as chromium. Well(s) may have been abandoned on the Property. Buyer is advised to have both the quality and the quantity of water evaluated, and to obtain an analysis of the quality of any domestic and agricultural water in use, or to be used at the Property, from whatever source. Water quality tests can include not only tests for bacteria, such as coliform, but also tests for organic and inorganic chemicals, metals, mineral content and gross alpha testing for radioactivity. Broker recommends that Buyer consult with a licensed, qualified well and pump company and local government agency to determine whether any well/spring or water system will adequately serve Buyer's intended use and that Buyer have a well consultant perform an extended well output test for this purpose. Water well or spring capacity, quantity output and quality may change at any time. There are no guarantees as to the future water quality, quantity or duration of any well or spring. If Buyer wants further information, Broker(s) recommend that Buyer obtain an inspection of the condition, age, adequacy and performance of all components of the well/spring and any water system during Buyer's inspection contingency period. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
- 13. WOOD DESTROYING PESTS:** Buyer and Seller are advised that the presence of, or conditions likely to lead to the presence of infestation or infection of wood destroying pests and organisms may adversely affect the Property. Inspection reports covering these items can be separated into two sections: Section 1 identifies areas where infestation or infection is evident. Section 2 identifies areas where there are conditions likely to lead to infestation or infection. If Buyer wants further information, Buyer is advised and Broker recommends that Buyer have the Property inspected for the existence of such conditions and organisms, and conditions that may lead to their formation, by a registered structural pest control company during Buyer's inspection contingency period. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
- 14. FIRE HARDENING, DEFENSIBLE SPACE, AND WILDFIRE DISASTERS:** California is subject to wildfires which have resulted in damage and destruction of many properties located in the state. Several recent state laws have mandated disclosures by sellers when selling properties in certain identified zones, such as "high" or "very high" fire severity zones. Additionally, state law mandates that sellers provide buyers with statements of compliance with local mandates if adopted by local agencies. The Property may be located in a high or very high fire severity zone. This may impact the availability of insurance and the ability to build or rebuild structures on the Property. Additionally, there may be requirements that certain fire prevention steps may be mandated. Information on fire hardening, including current building standards and information on minimum annual vegetation management standards to protect homes from wildfires, can be obtained on the internet website <http://www.readyforwildfire.org>. Cal Fire has made available a "Fire Hazard Severity Zone Viewer" where you can input the Property address to determine which fire hazard zone, if any, that the Property is located in. The viewer is available at <https://egis.fire.ca.gov/FHSZ/>. Below is a partial list of potential resources provided as a starting point for Buyer/Lessee investigations and not as an endorsement or guarantee that any federal, state, county, city or other resource will provide complete advice.
- A. California Department of Insurance ("Wildfire Resource") <http://insurance.ca.gov/01-consumers/140-catastrophes/WildfireResources.cfm>; 1-800-927-4357
 - B. Governor's Office of Emergency Services ("Cal OES") California Wildfires Statewide Recovery Resources <http://wildfirerecovery.org/>
 - C. California Department of Forestry and Fire ("Cal Fire") <http://fire.ca.gov/> and <https://www.readyforwildfire.org/>
 - D. California Department of Transportation <https://calsta.ca.gov/>
 - E. California Attorney General <https://oag.ca.gov/consumers/pricegougingduringdisasters#8C1>
- Brokers do not have expertise in this area.**
- 15. PRELIMINARY (TITLE) REPORT:** A preliminary report is a document prepared by a title company which shows the conditions upon which the title company is willing to offer a policy of title insurance. However, a preliminary report is not an "abstract of title;" the title company does not conduct an exhaustive search of the title record and does not guarantee the condition of title. Nevertheless, the preliminary report documents many matters that have been recorded that can impact an owner's use of the property such as known easements, access rights, and encroachments and, if applicable, governing documents and restrictions for a homeowners' association (HOA). Among many other restrictions that may appear in the HOA documents are restrictions on the number and weight of pets that are allowed. A preliminary report may contain links to important documents referred to in the report. Broker recommends that Buyer reviews the preliminary report and any documents referenced by links and keep a printed or electronic copy of the preliminary report and documents referenced by link. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.

B. Property Use and Ownership

- 1. ACCESSORY DWELLING UNITS:** Accessory Dwelling Units (ADUs) are known by many names: granny flats, in-law units, backyard cottages, secondary units and more. California has passed laws to promote the development of ADUs. Additional information about ADUs can be found at <http://hcd.ca.gov/policy-research/AccessoryDwellingUnits.shtml>. Buyer is advised to check with appropriate government agencies or third party professionals to verify permits and legal requirements and the effect of such requirements on current and future use and rentability of the Property, its development and size. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
- 2. BUILDING PERMITS, ZONING AND CODE COMPLIANCE:** Buyer and Seller are advised that any structure on the Property, including the original structure and any addition, modification, remodel or improvement may have been built without permits, not according to building codes, or in violation of zoning laws. Further, even if such structure was built according to the then-existing code or zoning requirement, it may not be in compliance with current building standards

or local zoning. It is also possible that local law may not permit structures that now exist to be rebuilt in the event of damage or destruction. Certain governmental agencies may require periodic inspections to occur in the future. If Buyer wants further information, Broker(s) recommend that Buyer discuss the issue with an appropriate professional during Buyer's inspection contingency period. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.

- 3. BUYER INTENDED FUTURE USE OF, AND MODIFICATIONS TO, THE PROPERTY:** Buyer and Seller are advised that Seller's existing use of the property may not be consistent with Buyer's intended use or any future use that Buyer makes of the property, whether or not Buyer has any current plans to change the use. Buyer is advised to check with appropriate government agencies or third party professionals to verify what legal requirements are needed to accommodate any change in use. In addition, neither Seller nor Broker make any representations as to what modifications Buyer can make to the Property after close of escrow as well as any cost factors associated with any such modifications. Buyer is advised to check with his own licensed contractor and other such professionals as well as with the appropriate government agencies to determine what modifications Buyer will be allowed to make after close of escrow. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
- 4. CALIFORNIA FAIR PLAN:** Buyer and Seller are advised that insurance for certain hillside, oceanfront and brush properties may be available only from the California Fair Plan. This may increase the cost of insurance for such properties and coverage may be limited. Broker(s) recommend that Buyer consult with Buyer's own insurance agent during Buyer's inspection contingency period regarding the availability of coverage under the California Fair Plan and the length of time it may take for processing of a California Fair Plan application. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
- 5. FUTURE REPAIRS, REPLACEMENTS AND REMODELS:** Buyer and Seller are advised that replacement or repairs of certain systems or rebuilding or remodeling of all or a portion of the Property may trigger requirements that homeowners comply with laws and regulations that either come into effect after Close of Escrow or are not required to be complied with until the replacement, repair, rebuild or remodel has occurred. Permit or code requirements or building standards may change after Close of Escrow, resulting in increasing costs to repair existing features. If Buyer wants further information, Broker recommends that Buyer discuss the issue with an appropriate professional during Buyer's inspection contingency period. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
- 6. HEATING VENTILATING AND AIR CONDITIONING SYSTEMS:** Changes to state and federal energy efficiency regulations impact the installation, replacement and some repairs of heating and air conditioning units (HVAC): **(i)** Federal regulations now require manufacturers of HVAC units to produce only units meeting a new higher Seasonal Energy Efficiency Rating (SEER). This will likely impact repairs and replacements of existing HVAC units. State regulations now require that when installing or replacing HVAC units, with some exceptions, duct work must be tested for leaks. Duct work leaking more than 15 percent must be repaired to reduce leaks. The average existing duct work typically leaks 30 percent. More information is available at the California Energy Commission's website: <https://www.energy.ca.gov/programs-and-topics/programs/home-energy-rating-system-hers-program>. Home warranty policies may not cover such inspections or repairs, **(ii)** the phase out of the use of HCFC-22 (R-22 Freon) will have an impact on repairs and replacement of existing air conditioning units and heat pumps. The production and import of HCFC-22 ended January 1, 2020. Existing systems may continue to be used and HCFC-22 recovered and reclaimed or that was produced prior to 2020 can help meet the needs of existing systems, however, costs may rise. More information is available from the Environmental Protection Agency at https://www.epa.gov/sites/production/files/2018-08/documents/residential_air_conditioning_and_the_phaseout_of_hcfc-22_what_you_need_to_know.pdf and <http://www.epa.gov/ozone/title6/phaseout/22phaseout.html>, and **(iii)** New efficiency standards are also in place for water heaters. As a consequence, replacement water heaters will generally be larger than existing units and may not fit in the existing space. Additional venting and other modifications may be required as well. More information is available from the U.S. Department of Energy at http://www.eere.energy.gov/buildings/appliance_standards/product.aspx/productid/27. If Buyer wants further information, Broker recommends that Buyer discuss the issue with an appropriate professional during Buyer's inspection contingency period. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
- 7. HISTORICAL DESIGNATION, COASTAL COMMISSION, ARCHITECTURAL, LANDSCAPE, AGRICULTURAL OR OPEN SPACE AND OTHER RESTRICTIONS ON BUILDINGS OR IMPROVEMENTS:** Buyer and Seller are advised that the Property may be: **(i)** designated as a historical landmark, **(ii)** protected by a historical conservancy, **(iii)** subject to an architectural or landscaping review process, **(iv)** within the jurisdiction of the California Coastal Commission or other government agency, or **(v)** subject to a contract preserving use of all or part of the Property for agriculture or open space. If the Property is so designated or within the jurisdiction of any such, or similar, government agency, then there may be restrictions or requirements regarding Buyer's ability to develop, remove or trim trees or other landscaping, remodel, make improvements to and build on or rebuild the Property. Broker(s) recommend that Buyer satisfy him/herself during Buyer's inspection contingency period if any of these issues are of concern to Buyer. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
- 8. INSURANCE, TITLE INSURANCE AND TITLE INSURANCE AFTER FORECLOSURE:** Buyer and Seller are advised that Buyer may have difficulty obtaining insurance regarding the Property if there has been a prior insurance claim affecting the Property or made by Buyer but unrelated to the Property. Seller is required by C.A.R. Form RPA to disclose known insurance claims made during the past five years (C.A.R. Form SPQ or ESD). Sellers may not be aware of claims prior to their ownership. If Buyer wants further information, Broker(s) recommend that, during Buyer's inspection contingency period, Buyer conduct his or her own investigation for past claims. Buyer may need to obtain Seller's consent in order to have access to certain investigation reports. If the Property is a condominium, or is located in a planned unit development or other common interest subdivision, Buyer and Seller are advised to determine if the individual unit is covered by the Homeowner's Association Insurance and the type of insurance coverage that Buyer may purchase. Broker(s) recommend that Buyer consult Buyer's insurance agents during Buyer's inspection contingency

period to determine the need, availability and possibility of securing any and all forms of other insurance or coverage or any conditions imposed by insurer as a requirement of issuing insurance. If Buyer does any repairs to the property during the escrow period or Buyer takes possession prior to Close of Escrow or Seller remains in possession after Close of Escrow, whether for a limited or extended period of time, Broker(s) recommend that Buyer and Seller each consult with their own insurance agent regarding insurance or coverage that could protect them in the transaction (including but not limited to: personal property, flood, earthquake, umbrella and renter's). Buyer and Seller are advised that traditional title insurance generally protects Buyer's title acquired through the sale of the property. While all title insurance policies, as do all insurance policies, contain some exclusions, some title insurance policies contain exclusions for any liability arising from a previous foreclosure. This can occur when a short sale has occurred but the lender mistakenly has also proceeded with a foreclosure. Buyer is strongly advised to consult with a title insurer to satisfy themselves that the policy to be provided adequately protects their title to the property against other possible claimants. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.

9. LAND LEASE: Buyer and Seller are advised that certain developments are built on leased land. This means that: **(i)** Buyer does not own the land, **(ii)** the right to occupy the land will terminate at some point in time, **(iii)** the cost to lease the land may increase at some point in the future, and **(iv)** Buyer may not be able to obtain title insurance or may have to obtain a different type of title insurance. If Buyer wants further information, Broker recommends that Buyer discuss the issue with an attorney or other appropriate professional. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.

10. MARIJUANA, CANNABIS, AND METHAMPHETAMINE LABS: Buyer and Seller are advised that California law permits individual patients to cultivate, possess and use marijuana for medical purposes. Furthermore, California law permits primary caregivers, lawfully organized cooperatives, and collectives to cultivate, distribute and possess marijuana for medicinal purposes. California law also allows recreational use of marijuana for adults, as well as limited rights for individuals to grow and cultivate marijuana, and rights of others, subject to a licensing process, to grow, cultivate and distribute marijuana for recreational use. California's medical and recreational marijuana laws are in direct conflict with federal law which recognizes no lawful use for marijuana and has no exemptions for medical use. Federal criminal penalties, some of which mandate prison time, remain in effect for the possession, cultivation and distribution of marijuana. Buyer and Seller are strongly advised to seek legal counsel as to the legal risks and issues surrounding owning or purchasing a property where medical or any other marijuana activity is taking place. Marijuana storage, cultivation and processing carry the risk of causing mold, fungus or moisture damage to a property, additionally, some properties where marijuana has been cultivated have had alterations to the structure or the electrical system which may not have been done to code or with permits and may affect the safety of the structure or the safe operation of the electrical system. Buyer is strongly advised to retain an environmental hygienist contractor and other appropriate professionals to inspect a property where medical or any other marijuana activity has taken place. Broker recommends that Buyer and Seller involved with a property where there is medical marijuana activity or where it may take place review the California Attorney General's Guidelines for the "Security and Non-Diversion of Marijuana Grown for Medical Use" <https://oag.ca.gov/system/files/attachments/press-docs/MEDICINAL%20CANNABIS%20Guidelines.pdf> and the U.S. Department of Justice memo regarding marijuana prosecutions at <https://www.justice.gov/opa/press-release/file/1022196/download>. Brokers do not have expertise in this area. While no state law permits the private production of methamphetamine, some properties have been the site of an illegal methamphetamine laboratory. State law imposes an obligation to notify occupants, a ban on occupying the property and clean up requirements when authorities identify a property as being contaminated by methamphetamine. Buyer is advised that a property where methamphetamine has been produced may pose a very serious health risk to occupants. Buyer is strongly advised to retain an environmental hygienist contractor or other appropriate professionals to inspect the property if methamphetamine production is suspected to have taken place. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.

11. OWNER'S TITLE INSURANCE: The Truth in Lending/RESPA integrated disclosure (TRID) established by the Consumer Financial Protection Bureau (CFPB) requires that lenders must tell borrowers that title insurance is "optional." While obtaining an owner's policy of title insurance may be "optional", it may be a contractual requirement as between Buyer and Seller. Furthermore, California Civil Code § 1057.6 requires that Buyers be provided with the following notice: "IMPORTANT: IN A PURCHASE OR EXCHANGE OF REAL PROPERTY, IT MAY BE ADVISABLE TO OBTAIN TITLE INSURANCE IN CONNECTION WITH THE CLOSE OF ESCROW SINCE THERE MAY BE PRIOR RECORDED LIENS AND ENCUMBRANCES WHICH AFFECT YOUR INTEREST IN THE PROPERTY BEING ACQUIRED. A NEW POLICY OF TITLE INSURANCE SHOULD BE OBTAINED IN ORDER TO ENSURE YOUR INTEREST IN THE PROPERTY THAT YOU ARE ACQUIRING."

Additionally, even the CFPB on its "ask CFPB" "What is owner's title insurance?" page advises "You may want to buy an owner's title insurance policy, which can help protect your financial interest in the home." Moreover, not obtaining an owner's policy may increase the cost of the lender's policy (required by most lenders), possibly require the separate purchase of a preliminary title report, and may have an impact on the sale of the Property in the future.

Buyers who decide to opt out of obtaining an owner's title insurance policy are acting against the advice of Brokers as well as the advice provided in the California Civil Code § 1057.6 and by the CFPB. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.

- 12. RENT AND EVICTION CONTROL LAWS AND ORDINANCES:** Buyer and Seller are advised that California and some cities and counties impose or may impose restrictions that limit the rent that can be charged to a tenant, the maximum number of tenants who can occupy the property, the right of a landlord to terminate a tenancy and the costs to do so, and the consequences of terminating a tenancy unlawfully. Even if property that is currently vacant was previously tenant occupied, the termination of that previous tenancy may affect a buyer's rights such as the legal use of the property and who may occupy the property in the future. If Buyer wants further information, Broker(s) recommend that Buyer investigate the issue with an appropriate government authority or a qualified California real estate attorney during Buyer's inspection contingency period. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
- 13. RETROFIT, BUILDING REQUIREMENTS, AND POINT OF SALE REQUIREMENTS:** Buyer and Seller are advised that state and local Law may require (i) the installation of operable smoke detectors, (ii) bracing or strapping of water heaters, and (iii) upon sale completion of a corresponding written statement of compliance that is delivered to Buyer. Although not a point of sale or retrofit obligation, state law may require the property to have operable carbon monoxide detection devices. Additionally, some city and county governments may impose additional retrofit standards at time of sale including, but not limited to, installing or retrofitting low-flow toilets and showerheads, gas shut-off valves, fireplaces, and tempered glass. Further, there may be potential health impacts from air pollution caused from burning wood. Exposure to particulate matter from the smoke may cause short-term and long-term health effects. Buyers should consult with licensed professional to inspect, properly maintain, and operate a wood burning stove or fireplace. Broker(s) recommend that Buyer and Seller consult with the appropriate government agencies, inspectors, and other professionals to determine the retrofit standards for the Property, the extent to which the Property complies with such standards, and the costs, if any, of compliance. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
- 14. SHORT TERM RENTALS AND RESTRICTIONS:** Buyer and Seller are advised that some cities, counties and Homeowner Associations (HOAs) do impose or may impose restrictions that limit or prohibit the right of the owner or occupant to rent-out the Property for short periods of time (usually 30 Days or less). In short term rentals, as well as all rentals, Buyer and Seller are advised to seek assistance to ensure compliance with all fair housing laws and regulations. If Buyer wants further information, Broker(s) recommend that Buyer investigate the issue with an appropriate government authority or HOA during Buyer's inspection contingency period. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
- 15. VIEWS:** Buyer and Seller are advised that present views from the Property may be affected by future development or growth of trees and vegetation on adjacent properties and any other property within the line of sight of the Property. Brokers make no representation regarding the preservation of existing views. If Buyer wants further information, Broker(s) recommend that Buyer review covenants, conditions and restrictions, if any, and contact neighboring property owners, government agencies and homeowner associations, if any, during Buyer's inspection contingency period. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
- 16. SWIMMING POOL, SECURITY AND SAFETY:** Buyer and Seller are advised that state and local Law may require the installation of barriers, anti-entrapment grates, access alarms, self-latching mechanisms, pool covers, exit alarms and/or other measures to decrease the risk to children and other persons of existing swimming pools and hot tubs, as well as various fire safety and other measures concerning other features of the Property. Compliance requirements differ from city to city and county to county. Unless specifically agreed, the Property may not be in compliance with these requirements. If Buyer wants further information, Broker(s) recommend that Buyer contact local government agencies about these restrictions and other requirements. State law requires that new pools and spas be equipped with at least two of seven specified drowning prevention safety features. Home inspectors have a statutory obligation to perform a non-invasive physical examination of the pool area to identify which safety features are present. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
- 17. WATER SHORTAGES AND CONSERVATION:** Buyer and Seller are advised that the Property may be located in an area that could experience water shortages. The policies of local water districts and the city or county in which the Property is located can result in the occurrence of any or all of the following: (i) limitations on the amount of water available to the Property, (ii) restrictions on the use of water, and (iii) an increasingly graduated cost per unit of water use, including, but not limited to, penalties for excess usage. For further information, Broker recommends that Buyer contact the supplier of water to the Property regarding the supplier's current or anticipated policies on water usage and to determine the extent to which those policies may affect Buyer's intended use of the Property. If the Property is serviced by a private well, Buyer is advised that drought conditions and/or a low water table may make it necessary to arrange, through a private supplier, for delivery of water to the Property. Buyers should contact water truck companies for the costs involved. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
- 18. 1915 IMPROVEMENT BOND MELLO-ROOS COMMUNITY DISTRICT, AND OTHER ASSESSMENT DISTRICTS:** Buyer and Seller are advised that the Property may be subject to an improvement bond assessment under the Improvement Bond Act of 1915, a levy of a special tax pursuant to a Mello-Roos Community Facilities district, and/or a contractual assessment as provided in § 5898.24 of the Streets And Highways Code or other assessment districts. Seller is generally required to make a good faith effort to obtain a disclosure notice from any local agency collecting such taxes and deliver such notice to Buyers. If there is a question as to whether an existing bond or assessment will be prorated as of the close of escrow, or whether Seller will pay off the bond or assessment at close of escrow, Buyers are advised to discuss the matter with the appropriate entity and address the responsibility for payment in negotiations for the purchase agreement or amendment prior to removing contingencies. Some cities and other localities have begun, or have the intention to begin, the process of requiring the replacement of utility poles by requiring that utility lines be buried underground. These projects can result in special tax assessments and set-up costs that are imposed on individual property owners. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.

C. Off-Site and Neighborhood Conditions

- 1. GOLF COURSE DISCLOSURES:** Buyer and Seller are advised that if the Property is located adjacent to or near a golf course the following may apply: **(i)** Stray golf balls – Any residence near a golf course may be affected by errant golf balls, resulting in personal injury or destruction to property. Golfers may attempt to trespass on adjacent property to retrieve golf balls even though the project restrictions may expressly prohibit such retrieval. **(ii)** Noise and lighting – The noise of lawn mowers irrigation systems and utility vehicles may create disturbances to homeowners. Maintenance operations may occur in the early morning hours. Residents living near the clubhouse may be affected by extra lighting, noise, and traffic. **(iii)** Pesticides and fertilizer use – A golf course may be heavily fertilized, as well as subjected to other chemicals during certain periods of the year. **(iv)** Irrigation system – Golf course sprinkler systems may cause water overspray upon adjacent property and structures. Also the irrigation system of a golf course may use reclaimed and retreated wastewater. **(v)** Golf carts – Certain lots may be affected more than others by the use of golf carts. Lots adjacent to a tee or putting green may be subject to noise disturbances and loss of privacy. **(vi)** Access to golf course from residences – It is likely that most residences will not have direct access from their lots to the golf course. The project restrictions may disclaim any right of access or other easements from a resident's lot onto the golf course. **(vii)** View obstruction – Residents living near a golf course may have their views over the golf course impacted by maturing trees and landscaping or by changes to the course's configuration. **(viii)** Water restrictions – As some municipalities face water shortages, the continued availability of water to the golf course may be restricted or otherwise reduced by the local water agency. If Buyer wants further information, Broker(s) recommend that Buyer contact the local water agency regarding this matter. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
- 2. NEIGHBORHOOD, AREA, PERSONAL FACTORS, BUYER INTENDED USE, HIGH SPEED RAILS, AND SMOKING RESTRICTIONS:** Buyer and Seller are advised that the following may affect the Property or Buyer's intended use of it: neighborhood or area conditions, including schools, proximity and adequacy of law enforcement, crime, fire protection, other government services, availability, adequacy and cost of any speed-wired, wireless internet connections or other telecommunications or other technology services and installations, proximity to medical marijuana growing or distribution locations, cell phone towers, manufacturing, commercial, industrial, airport or agricultural activities or military ordnance locations, existing and proposed transportation, construction, and development, any other source that may affect noise, view, traffic, or odor, wild and domestic animals, susceptibility to tsunami and adequacy of tsunami warnings, other nuisances, hazards, or circumstances, protected species, wetland properties, botanical diseases, historic or other governmentally-protected sites or improvements, cemeteries, conditions and influences of significance to certain cultures and/or religions, and personal needs, requirements and preferences of Buyer and FAA requirements for recreational and non-recreational use of Unmanned Aircraft Systems (UAS) (drones) (see UAS frequently asked questions <http://www.faa.gov/uas/faqs/>). California is potentially moving toward high speed rail service between Northern and Southern California. This rail line could have an impact on the Property if it is located nearby. More information on the timing of the project and routes is available from the California High-Speed Rail Authority at www.cahighspeedrail.ca.gov/. The State of California has long-standing no smoking laws in place restricting smoking in most business and some public spaces. Local jurisdictions may enact laws that are more restrictive than state law. Many California cities have enacted restrictions on smoking in parks, public sidewalks, beaches and shopping areas. Some jurisdictions have restrictions entirely banning smoking inside privately owned apartments and condominiums as well as in the common areas of such structures, or limiting smoking to certain designated areas. If Buyer wants further information, Broker(s) recommend that Buyer contact local government agencies about these restrictions. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
- 3. NEIGHBORHOOD NOISE SOURCES:** Buyer and Seller are advised that even if the Property is not in an identified airport noise influence area, the Property may still be subject to noise and air disturbances resulting from airplanes and other aircraft, commercial or military or both, flying overhead. Other common sources of noise include nearby commercial districts, schools, traffic on streets, highways and freeways, trains and general neighborhood noise from people, dogs and other animals. Noise levels and types of noise that bother one person may be acceptable to others. Buyer is advised to satisfy him/herself with regard to any sources of and amounts of noise at different times of day and night. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
- 4. SCHOOLS:** Buyer and Seller are advised that children living in the Property may not, for numerous reasons, be permitted to attend the school nearest the Property. Various factors including, but not limited to, open enrollment policies, busing, overcrowding and class size reductions may affect which public school serves the Property. School district boundaries are subject to change. Buyer is advised to verify whether the Property is now, and at the Close of Escrow will be, in the school district Buyer understands it to be in and whether residing in the Property entitles a person to attend any specific school in which that Buyer is interested. Broker(s) recommend that Buyer contact the local school or school district for additional information during Buyer's inspection contingency period. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
- 5. UNDERGROUND PIPELINES AND UTILITIES:** Throughout California underground pipelines transport natural gas, liquid fuel and other potentially hazardous materials. These pipelines may or may not provide utility services to the Property. Information about the location of some of the pipelines may be available from a company that also provides disclosures of natural and other hazards or from other sources of public maps or records. Proximity to underground pipelines, in and of itself, does not affirmatively establish the risk or safety of the property. If Buyer wants further information about these underground pipelines and utilities, Buyer is advised to consult with appropriate experts during Buyer's inspection contingency period. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
- 6. WILDLIFE:** California is the home to many species of wildlife. The location of homes in California continues to expand into areas that are the natural habitat of wildlife and the Property may be in such an area. Wildlife may become a nuisance especially if the availability of their natural sources of food or water is limited. Buyer should investigate the need to

implement mitigation measures at the Property including but not limited to the use of animal-resistant garbage containers, and other appropriate measures depending on the species and habitat involved. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.

7. **SEA LEVEL RISE/COASTAL PROPERTIES:** Sea level rise has the potential to affect coastal residents, recreation, and development. Coastal communities may or may not have addressed the potential impact. The following is a non-exclusive list of issues that may be impacted by sea level rise: **(i)** Shoreline, beach and bluff erosion, and flooding; **(ii)** The effectiveness of seawalls and bulkheads, whether built with or without permits; **(iii)** Seaward construction, development or improvement to existing structures; **(iv)** The enactment of geological hazard abatement districts and assessments; and **(v)** The location of the “mean high tide line” which is used to delineate shoreline boundaries for some coastal properties.

Below is a non-exhaustive list of potential resources provided as a starting point for Buyer investigations into sea level rise, and not as an endorsement or guarantee that any federal, state, county, city or other resource will provide complete advice.

- A. California Coastal Commission contact information: <https://www.coastal.ca.gov/contact/#/>
- B. State Lands Commission contact information: <https://www.slc.ca.gov/contact-us/>
- C. National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (sea level rise page): <https://coast.noaa.gov/slr/>
- D. California Coastal Commission (sea level rise page): <https://www.coastal.ca.gov/climate/slr/>
- E. Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA): <https://www.fema.gov/flood-maps>; <https://msc.fema.gov>

If Buyer wants further information, Broker recommends that Buyer discuss the issue with an appropriate professional during Buyer’s inspection contingency period. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.

D. Legal Requirements (Federal, State and Local)

1. **DEATH ON THE PROPERTY:** California Civil Code § 1710.2 protects a seller from: **(i)** failing to disclose a death on the property that occurred more than 3 years before a buyer has made an offer on a property; and **(ii)** failing to disclose if an occupant of a property was afflicted with HIV/AIDS, regardless of whether a death occurred or if so, when § 1710.2 does not protect a seller from making a misrepresentation in response to a direct inquiry. If the Buyer has any concerns about whether a death occurred on the Property or the manner, location, details or timing of a death, the buyer should direct any specific questions to the Seller in writing. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
2. **EARTHQUAKE FAULT ZONES AND SEISMIC HAZARD ZONES:** Buyer and Seller are advised that California Public Resources Code §§ 2622 and 2696 require the delineation and mapping of “Earthquake Fault Zones” along known active faults and “Seismic Hazard Zones” in California. Affected cities and counties must regulate certain development projects within these zones. Construction or development on affected properties may be subject to the findings of a geological report prepared by a registered California geologist. Generally, Seller must disclose if the Property is in such a zone and can use a research company to aid in the process. If Buyer wants further information, Broker recommends that, during Buyer’s inspection contingency period, Buyer make independent inquiries with such research companies or with appropriate government agencies concerning the use and improvement of the Property. Buyer is advised that there is a potential for earthquakes and seismic hazards even outside designated zones. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
3. **EPA’s LEAD-BASED PAINT RENOVATION, REPAIR AND PAINTING RULE:** The new rule requires that contractors and maintenance professionals working in pre-1978 housing, child care facilities, and schools with lead-based paint be certified; that their employees be trained; and that they follow protective work practice standards. The rule applies to renovation, repair, or painting activities affecting more than six square feet of lead-based paint in a room or more than 20 square feet of lead-based paint on the exterior. Enforcement of the rule begins October 1, 2010. See the EPA website at <http://www.epa.gov/lead> for more information. Buyer and Seller are advised to consult an appropriate professional. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
4. **FIRE HAZARDS:** Buyer and Seller are advised that fires annually cause the destruction of thousands of homes. Due to varied climate and topography, certain areas have higher risks of fires than others. Certain types of materials used in home construction create a greater risk of fire than others. If the Property is located within a State Fire Responsibility Area or a Very High Fire Hazard Zone, generally Seller must disclose that fact to Buyer under California Public Resources Code § 4136 and California Government Code §§ 51178 and 51183.5, and may use a research company to aid in the process. Owners of property may be assessed a fire prevention fee on each structure on each parcel in such zones. The fee may be adjusted annually commencing July 1, 2013. If Buyer wants further information, Broker recommends that, during Buyer’s inspection contingency period, Buyer contact the local fire department and Buyer’s insurance agent regarding the risk of fire. Buyer is advised that there is a potential for fires even outside designated zones. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
5. **FIRPTA/CALIFORNIA WITHHOLDING:** Buyer and Seller are advised that: **(i)** Internal Revenue Code § 1445, as of February 17, 2016, requires a Buyer to withhold and to remit to the Internal Revenue Service 15% of the purchase price of the property if the Seller is a non-resident alien, unless an express exemption applies. Only 10% needs to be withheld if the Buyer acquires the property as Buyer’s residence and the price does not exceed \$1,000,000. Seller may avoid withholding by providing Buyer a statement of non-foreign status. The statement must be signed by Seller under penalty of perjury and must include Seller’s tax identification number. Buyer can also avoid having to withhold Federal taxes from Seller’s Proceeds if the property price is \$300,000 or less, and the Buyer signs an affidavit stating Buyer intends to occupy the property as a principal residence. **(ii)** California Revenue and Taxation Code § 18662 requires that a Buyer withhold and remit to the California Franchise Tax Board 3 1/3% of the purchase price of the property unless the Seller

signs an affidavit that the property was the Seller's (or the decedent's, if a trust or probate sale) principal residence or that the sales price is \$100,000 or less or another express exemption applies. Exemptions from withholding also apply to legal entities such as corporations, LLCs, and partnerships. Brokers cannot give tax or legal advice. Broker recommends that Buyer and Seller seek advice from a CPA, attorney or taxing authority. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.

6. **FLOOD HAZARDS:** Buyer and Seller are advised that if the Property is located within a Special Flood Hazard Area, as designated by the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA), or an area of Potential Flooding pursuant to California Government Code § 8589.3, generally Seller must disclose this fact to Buyer and may use a research company to aid in the process. The National Flood Insurance Program was established to identify all flood plain areas and establish flood-risk zones within those areas. The program mandates flood insurance for properties within high-risk zones if loans are obtained from a federally-regulated financial institution or are insured by any agency of the United States Government. The extent of coverage and costs may vary. If Buyer wants further information, Broker(s) recommend that Buyer consult his or her lender and/or insurance agent during Buyer's inspection contingency period. Buyer is advised that there is a potential for flooding even outside designated zones. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
7. **MEGAN'S LAW DATABASE DISCLOSURE:** Notice: Pursuant to § 290.46 of the Penal Code, information about specific registered sex offenders is made available to the public via an Internet Web site maintained by the Department of Justice at <http://www.meganslaw.ca.gov/>. Depending on an offender's criminal history, this information will include either the address at which the offender resides or the community of residence and ZIP Code in which he or she resides. (Neither Seller nor Brokers, in any, are required to check this website. If Buyer wants further information, Buyer should obtain information directly from this website.) Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
8. **NOTICE OF YOUR SUPPLEMENTAL PROPERTY TAX BILL; ACCURATE SALES PRICE REPORTING:** Buyer and Seller are advised that pursuant to Civil Code § 1102.6(c), Seller, or his or her agent, is required to provide the following notice to the Buyer:

“California property tax law requires the Assessor to revalue real property at the time the ownership of property changes. Because of this law, you may receive one or two supplemental tax bills, depending on when your loan closes.

The supplemental tax bills are not mailed to your lender. Even if you have arranged for your property tax payments to be paid through an impound account, the supplemental tax bills will not be paid by your lender. It is your responsibility to pay these supplemental bills directly to the Tax Collector. If you have any questions concerning this matter, please call your Tax Collector's Office.”

Although the notice refers to loan closing as a trigger, it is actually the change of ownership which triggers this reassessment of property taxes. Therefore, the Property can be reassessed even if there is no loan involved in the purchase of the Property. The Purchase Agreement may allocate supplemental tax bills received after the Close of Escrow to the Buyer. A change (preliminary change) of ownership form is generally required to be filed by the Buyer with the local taxing agency. The form identifies the sales price of the Property. An assessor may value the Property at its fair market value regardless of the sales price declared by the Buyer. If Buyer wants further information concerning these matters, Broker(s) recommend that Buyer discuss the issue with the County Assessor or Tax Collector or their own tax or legal advisor. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.

9. **ZONE MAPS MAY CHANGE:** Maps that designate, among other things, Earthquake Fault Zones, Seismic Hazard Zones, State Fire Responsibility Areas, Very High Fire Hazard Zones, Special Flood Hazard Areas, and Potential Flooding Areas are occasionally redrawn by the applicable Government Agency. Properties that are currently designated in a specified zone or area could be removed and properties that are not now designated in a specified zone or area could be placed in one or more such zones or areas in the future. A property owner may dispute a FEMA flood hazard location by submitting an application to FEMA. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
10. **ELECTRIFICATION OF ENERGY SOURCE:** Several local jurisdictions in California have enacted laws which prohibit the use of natural gas appliances in new construction. Other local jurisdictions, and State of California, are considering bans, and may even prohibit the replacement, sale or installation of appliances that use any fuel source other than electricity. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.

E. Contract Related Issues and Terms

1. **SIGNING DOCUMENTS ELECTRONICALLY:** The ability to use electronic signatures to sign legal documents is a great convenience, however Buyers and Sellers should understand they are signing a legally binding agreement. Read it carefully. Although electronic signature programs make it easy to skip from one signature or initial line to another, Buyers and Sellers are cautioned to only sign if they have taken the time necessary to read each document thoroughly, understand the entire document, and agree to all of its terms. Do not just scroll through or skip to the next signature or initial line, even if you have reviewed an earlier draft of the document. If you have questions or do not understand a provision, before you sign ask your Broker, Agent or legal advisor about the contract term and sign only if you agree to be bound by it. Some signature or initial lines are optional, such as for the liquidated damages and arbitration clauses. Consider your decision before signing or initialing. See below for more information on the liquidated damages and arbitration clauses. If there are more than one buyer or seller, each must sign or initial on their own. Do not sign or initial for anyone else unless you have a power of attorney for that person or are otherwise legally authorized, in writing, to

sign or initial for another. Print or electronically store a copy of the document for your own records. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.

- 2. LIQUIDATED DAMAGES:** Buyer and Seller are advised that a liquidated damages clause is a provision Buyer and Seller can use to agree in advance to the amount of damages that a seller will receive if a buyer breaches the Agreement. The clause usually provides that a seller will retain a buyer's initial deposit paid if a buyer breaches the agreement, and generally must be separately initialed by both parties and meet other statutory requirements to be enforceable. For any additional deposits to be covered by the liquidated damages clause, there generally must be another separately signed or initialed agreement (see C.A.R. Form DID). However, if the Property contains from 1 to 4 units, one of which a buyer intends to occupy, California Civil Code Section 1675 limits the amount of the deposit subject to liquidated damages to 3% of the purchase price. Even though both parties have agreed to a liquidated damages clause, an escrow company will usually require either a judge's or arbitrator's decision or instructions signed by both parties in order to release a buyer's deposit to a seller. Buyers and Sellers must decide on their own, or with the advice of legal counsel, whether to agree to a liquidated damages clause. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
- 3. MEDIATION:** Buyer and Seller are advised that mediation is a process by which the parties hire a neutral person to facilitate discussion and negotiation between the parties with the goal of helping them reach a settlement of their dispute. The parties generally share in the cost of this confidential, non-binding negotiation. If no agreement is reached, either party can pursue further legal action. Under C.A.R. Form RPA: (i) the parties must mediate any dispute arising out of their agreement (with a few limited exceptions, such as matters within the jurisdiction of a small claims court) before they resort to arbitration or court, and (ii) if a party proceeds to arbitration or court without having first attempted to mediate the dispute, that party risks losing the right to recover attorney fees and costs even if he or she prevails. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
- 4. ARBITRATION:** Buyer and Seller are advised that arbitration is a process by which the disputing parties hire a neutral person to render a binding decision. Generally, arbitration is faster and less expensive than resolving disputes by litigating in court. The rules are usually less formal than in court, and it is a private process not a matter of public record. By agreeing to arbitration, the parties give up the right to a jury trial and to appeal the arbitrator's decision. Arbitration decisions have been upheld even when arbitrators have made a mistake as to the law or the facts. If the parties agree to arbitration, then after first attempting to settle the dispute through mediation, any dispute arising out of their agreement (with a few limited exceptions) must be submitted to binding arbitration. Buyer and Seller must weigh the benefits of a potentially quicker and less expensive arbitration against giving up the right to a jury trial and the right to appeal. Brokers cannot give legal advice regarding these matters. Buyers and Sellers must decide on their own, or with the advice of legal counsel, whether to agree to arbitration. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
- 5. ESCROW FUNDS:** Buyer and Seller are advised that California Insurance Code § 12413.1 provides that escrow companies cannot disburse funds unless there are sufficient "good funds" to cover the disbursement. "Good funds" are defined as cash, wire transfers and cashiers' or certified checks drawn on California depositories. Escrow companies vary in their own definitions of "good funds." Broker(s) recommend that Buyer and Seller ask the escrow company regarding its treatment of "good funds." All samples and out-of-state checks are subject to waiting periods and do not constitute "good funds" until the money is physically transferred to and received by the escrow holder. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
- 6. HOME WARRANTY:** Buyer and Seller are advised that Buyer and Seller can purchase home warranty plans covering certain standard systems of the Property both before and after Close of Escrow. Seller can obtain coverage for the Property during the listing period. For an additional premium, an upgraded policy providing additional coverage for air conditioning, pool and spa and other features can be purchased. Home warranties do not cover every aspect of the Property and may not cover inspections or upgrades for repairs required by state or federal laws or pre-existing conditions. Broker(s) recommend that Buyer review the policy for details. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
- 7. IDENTIFICATION OF NATURAL PERSONS BEHIND SHELL COMPANIES IN ALL-CASH TRANSACTIONS:** The U.S. Treasury Department's Financial Crimes Enforcement Network (FinCEN) has issued Geographic Targeting Orders (GTOs) targeting alleged money laundering risk in the real estate sector. The GTOs will temporarily require U.S. title insurance companies to identify the natural persons behind shell companies used to pay "all cash" for high-end residential real estate in certain major metropolitan areas. FinCEN explained that it remains concerned that all-cash purchases (i.e., those without bank financing) may be conducted by individuals attempting to hide their assets and identity by purchasing residential properties through limited liability companies or other similar structures. Since the original issuance, the GTOs have been renewed and may continue to be renewed. The GTOs cover the following areas in California: Los Angeles, San Francisco, San Mateo, Santa Clara and San Diego Counties. The monetary thresholds for each county is \$300,000. GTOs have helped law enforcement identify possible illicit activity. FinCEN reported that a significant portion of covered transactions have dictated possible criminal activity associated with the individuals reported to be the beneficial owners behind shell company purchasers. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
- 8. NON CONFIDENTIALITY OF OFFERS:** Buyer is advised that Seller or Listing Agent may disclose the existence, terms, or conditions of Buyer's offer, unless all parties and their agent have signed a written confidentiality agreement (such as C.A.R. Form CND). Whether any such information is actually disclosed depends on many factors, such as current market conditions, the prevailing practice in the real estate community, the Listing Agent's marketing strategy and the instructions of the Seller. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
- 9. ONLINE OR WIRE FUNDS TRANSFERS:** Instructions for the online or wire transfer of escrow deposits have been known to be intercepted by hackers who alter them so that Buyer's funds are actually wired to accounts controlled by criminals rather than the escrow company. Buyers should exercise extreme caution in making electronic funds transfers,

verifying that the organization they are transferring funds to is, in fact, the escrow company and that their own bank account information is not being exposed. See C.A.R. Form WFA for further information. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.

F. Other Factors Affecting Property

- 1. COMMUNITY ENHANCEMENT AND PRIVATE TRANSFER FEES:** Buyer and Seller are advised that some areas or communities may have enhancement fees or user-type fees, or private transfer taxes and fees, over and above any stated fees. The Federal Housing Finance Agency has issued a rule that prohibits Fannie Mae and Freddie Mac from purchasing loans made on properties with private transfer fees if those fees were established on or after February 8, 2011. See title 12 Code of Federal Regulations § 1228 for more information and exceptions. Private transfer fees: **(i)** may last for a fixed period of time or in perpetuity, **(ii)** are typically calculated as a percentage of the sales price, and **(iii)** may have private parties, charitable organizations or interest-based groups as their recipients who may use the funds for social issues unrelated to the property. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
- 2. GENERAL RECALL/DEFECTIVE PRODUCT/CLASS ACTION INFORMATION:** Buyer and Seller are advised that government entities and manufacturers may at any time issue recall notices and/or warnings about products that may be present in the Property, and that these notices or warnings can change. The following nonexclusive, non-exhaustive list contains examples of recalled/defective products/class action information: horizontal furnaces, Whirlpool Microwave Hood Combination; RE-ConBuilding products roof tiles; Central Sprinkler Company Fire Sprinklers; Robert Shaw Water Heater Gas Control Valves; Trex Decking; water heaters; aluminum wiring; galvanized, abs, polybutylene PEX, KITEC® and copper pipe; and dry wall manufactured in China. There is no single, all-inclusive source of information on product recalls, defective products or class actions; however, the U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission (CPSC) maintains a website that contains useful information. If Buyer wants further information regarding the items listed above, Broker(s) recommend that Buyer review the CPSC website at <http://www.cpsc.gov/> during Buyer's inspection contingency period. Another source affiliated with the CPSC is <http://saferproducts.gov/> which allows a Buyer to search by product type or product name. Buyer may also search using the various search engines on the Internet for the specified product or products in question. Brokers recommend that Buyer satisfy themselves regarding recalled or defective products. Brokers will not determine if any aspect of the Property is subject to a recall or is affected by a class action lawsuit. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
- 3. HOMEOWNER ASSOCIATIONS AND COVENANTS, CONDITIONS AND RESTRICTIONS ("CC&Rs"); CHARGING STATIONS; FHA/VA APPROVAL:** Buyer and Seller are advised that if the Property is a condominium, or located in a planned unit development, or in a common interest subdivision, there are typically restrictions on use of the Property and rules that must be followed. Restrictions and rules are commonly found in Declarations and other governing documents. Further there is likely to be a homeowner association (HOA) that has the authority to affect the Property and its use. Whether or not there is a HOA, the Property may still be subject to CC&Rs restricting use of the Property. The HOA typically has the authority to enforce the rules of the association, assess monetary payments (both regular monthly dues and special assessments) to provide for the upkeep and maintenance of the common areas, and enforce the rules and assessment obligations. If you fail to abide by the rules or pay monies owed to the HOA, the HOA may put a lien against your Property. Additionally, if an electric vehicle charging station is installed in a common area or an exclusive use common area, each Seller whose parking space is on or near that charging station must disclose its existence and that the Buyer will have the responsibilities set forth in California Civil Code §4745. The law requires the Seller to provide the Buyer with the CC&Rs and other governing documents, as well as a copy of the HOA's current financial statement and operating budget, among other documents. Effective July 1, 2016, a Common Interest Development (CID) will be required to include in its annual budget report a separate statement describing the status of the CID as a Federal Housing Administration or Department of Veterans Affairs approved Development. While the purchase agreement and the law require that the annual budget be provided by Seller to Buyer, Brokers will not and cannot verify the accuracy of information provided by the CID. Buyer is advised to carefully review all HOA documents provided by Seller and the CC&Rs, if any, and satisfy him/herself regarding the use and restrictions of the Property, the amount of monthly dues and/or assessments, the adequacy of reserves, current and past insurance coverage and claims, and the possibility of any legal action that may be taken by or against the HOA. The HOA may not have insurance or may not cover personal property belonging to the owner of the unit in the condominium, common interest or planned unit development. For more information Buyer may request from Broker the C.A.R. Legal Q&A titled: "Homeowners' Associations: A Guide for REALTORS®". Brokers do not have expertise in this area.

Although unenforceable, it is possible the CC&Rs, deed or other document on title may contain a covenant which at one time may have purported to discriminate against persons based on race, religion or other protected class or characteristics. You have the right to request the assistance of the title or escrow company to help you prepare a form which will be provided to the County and may result in the discriminatory language being removed from the public record. You may also get a notice informing you of these rights from the Broker or title or escrow company. For more information Buyer may request from Broker the C.A.R. Legal Quick Guide titled: "Agent Disclosure of Discriminatory Covenants Based on Actual Knowledge."

- 4. LEGAL ACTION:** Buyer and Seller are advised that if Seller or a previous owner was involved in a legal action (litigation or arbitration) affecting the Property, Buyer should obtain and review public and other available records regarding the

legal action to determine: (i) whether the legal action or any resolution of it affects Buyer and the Property, (ii) if any rights against any parties involved in the legal action survive the legal action or have been terminated or waived as a result of the legal action, whether or not involving the same issue as in the legal action, and (iii) if any recommendations or requirements resulting from the legal action have been fulfilled and, if so, that Buyer is satisfied with any such action. Buyer should seek legal advice regarding these matters. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.

5. **MARKETING; INTERNET ADVERTISING; INTERNET BLOGS; SOCIAL MEDIA:** Buyer and Seller are advised that Broker may employ a “staging” company to assist in the presentation of the Property. The furnishings and decorations in the staging are generally not included in the sale unless specifically noted in the Agreement. Statements and inclusion in the MLS entry, flyers, and other marketing materials are NOT part of the Agreement. In addition, Broker may employ a service to provide a “virtual tour” or “virtual staging” or Internet marketing of the Property, permitting potential buyers to view the Property over the Internet. While they are supposed to be an accurate representation of the property, the photos may be enhanced and not fully representative of the actual condition of the property. Further, neither the service provider nor Broker have total control over who will obtain access to materials placed on the internet or what action such persons might take. Additionally, some Internet sites and other social media provide formats for comments or opinions of value of properties that are for sale. Information on the Property, or its owner, neighborhood, or any homeowner association having governance over the Property may be found on the internet on individual or commercial web sites, blogs, Facebook pages, or other social media. Any such information may be accurate, speculative, truthful or lies, and it may or may not reflect the opinions or representations by the Broker. Broker will not investigate any such sites, blogs, social media or other internet sites or the representations contained therein. Buyer is advised to make an independent search of electronic media and online sources prior to removing any investigation contingency. Buyer and Seller are advised that Broker has no control over how long the information or photos concerning the Property will be available on the Internet or through social media, and Broker will not be responsible for removing any such content from the internet or MLS. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
6. **PACE LOANS AND LIENS:** The acronym PACE stands for Property Assessed Clean Energy. PACE programs allow property owners to finance energy and water conservation improvements and pay for them through an assessment on the owner’s property. PACE programs are available in most areas for both residential one to four unit properties and commercial properties. PACE programs may be referred to by different names such as HERO or SCEIP, among others. If a PACE project is approved, an assessment lien is placed on a property for the amount owed plus interest. A property owner repays the entity for the improvements as a special tax assessment on the property tax bill over a period of years. A PACE lien is similar to a property tax lien in that it has “super priority.” Sellers are obligated to disclose, pursuant to the C.A.R. Residential Purchase Agreement (C.A.R. Form RPA), whether any improvement is subject to a lien such as a PACE lien. Properties that are subject to PACE liens made on or after July 6, 2010 may not be eligible for financing. For more information, Buyer may request from Broker the C.A.R. Legal Q&A titled: “PACE Programs and Solar Leases”. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
7. **RE-KEYING:** All locks should be re-keyed immediately upon close of escrow so as to ensure the Buyer’s safety and security of their persons as well as their personal belongings. Alarms, if any, should be serviced by professionals and codes should be changed. Garage door openers and remotes should be re-coded. In the event of a lease back to Seller after the close of escrow, Seller is advised that the Buyer is entitled to the keys as the Owner of the Property even though the Seller stays in possession of the Property as provided in the RPA. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
8. **SOLAR PANELS AND NET ENERGY METERING:** Solar panel or power systems may be owned or leased. Although leased systems are probably personal property, they are included in the sale by the C.A.R. purchase agreement which also obligates the Seller to make a disclosure to the Buyer and provide the Buyer with documentation concerning the lease and system. Leasing companies generally secure payments by filing a UCC-1 (a Uniform Commercial Code form giving notice of a creditor’s security interest) against the property. Sellers are required to provide material information about solar panels (C.A.R. form SOLAR may be used). Buyers are given a contingency right to investigate the solar related system and documentation and assume any lease. Assumption of the lease may require Buyer to provide financial information to the leasing company who may require a credit report be obtained on the Buyer. Should a solar panel or power system be on the Property, Buyers should determine if the system is leased or owned. Buyers willingness to assume any such lease is a contingency in favor of Seller. For more information, Buyer may request from Broker the C.A.R. Legal Q&A titled: “PACE Programs and Solar Leases”. **Solar panel systems may have net energy metering.** Payback rates from utilities to property owners with their own source of energy (such as rooftop solar panels) who contribute electricity back to the grid may change from those currently in place and may differ upon change of ownership in the property, Fees for new solar installation may be added or changed. Buyers should discuss with the applicable utility if applicable to the property. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
9. **RECORDING DEVICES:** Audio or video recording devices or both may be present on the Property, whether or not notice of any such devices has been posted. Seller may or may not even be aware of the capability of such devices. Brokers do not have expertise in this area.
10. **WOOD BALCONIES, STAIRS AND OTHER STRUCTURES:** Prior to January 1, 2025, and periodically thereafter, buildings with three units or more, may be required to obtain an inspection of exterior balconies, stairways, walkways,



or decks that are supported in whole or in substantial part by a wood or wood-based materials. For condos, the HOA will be responsible for the inspections per its governing documents. For other buildings, it is the owner's responsibility. An inspection report must be incorporated into a condo HOA's study of reserve account requirements. This could in turn affect lender certification requirements as well as future dues and assessments. A balcony report that identifies an immediate threat to the safety of the occupants will require the condo HOA or owner to prevent access to the balcony further impacting a property's marketability.

G. Local Disclosures and Advisories

LOCAL ADVISORIES OR DISCLOSURES (IF CHECKED):

The following disclosures or advisories are attached:

- A. _____
- B. _____
- C. _____
- D. _____

Buyer and Seller are encouraged to read all 15 pages of this Advisory carefully. By signing below, Buyer and Seller acknowledge that each has read, understands and received a copy of all 15 pages of this Advisory.

BUYER _____ Date _____

BUYER _____ Date _____

SELLER _____ Date _____

SELLER _____ Date _____

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SECURITY DEPOSIT DISCLOSURE AND ADDENDUM (C.A.R. Form SDDA, 6/24)

This is a disclosure and addendum to the Residential Lease or Month-to-Month rental Agreement, OR Other _____ ("Agreement"), dated _____, on property known as _____ ("Premises"), in which _____ is referred to as Housing Provider, and _____ is referred to as Tenant.

- 1. RESIDENTIAL RENTAL PROPERTY SECURITY DEPOSIT LAW: California Civil Code § 1950.5(c)(1) provides that a landlord may not demand or receive security, however denominated, in an amount or value in excess of an amount equal to one month's rent, in addition to any rent for the first month paid on or before initial occupancy. There is an exception to this law based on the status of the landlord. The exception is specified in paragraph 2. This law is effective on July 1, 2024. Security deposits received before July 1, 2024 are not affected by this law.
2. EXCEPTION TO RESIDENTIAL RENTAL PROPERTY SECURITY DEPOSIT LAW: A landlord, which includes the owner of the property and any other person or entity identified as Housing Provider, may demand or receive a security deposit, paid on or before initial occupancy, in an amount equal to two months' rent, in addition to any first month's rent only if the following two conditions exist: (i) The landlord is a natural person or a limited liability company in which all members are natural persons; and (ii) The landlord owns no more than two residential rental properties that collectively include no more than four dwelling units offered for rent. For purposes of this law, (i) "Natural person" includes any natural person who is a settlor or beneficiary of a family trust; and (ii) "Family trust" means a revocable living trust or irrevocable trust in which the settlors and beneficiaries of the trust are persons who are related to each other as sibling, spouse, domestic partner, child, parent, grandparent, or grandchild.
3. SECURITY DEPOSIT LIMIT FOR MEMBERS OF THE ARMED SERVICES: Even if a landlord meets the conditions established in paragraph 2, a landlord may not demand or receive security deposit exceeding one month's rent if the prospective tenant is (service member): (i) An active member of the Army, Navy, Air Force, Marine Corps, Space Force or Coast Guard or reserve member of any of the just named armed forces who is ordered into active duty; or (ii) A member of the California National Guard, State Guard or Naval Militia called or ordered into active service.
4. REPRESENTATION OF LANDLORD OF EXCEPTION TO RESIDENTIAL SECURITY DEPOSIT LAW: Landlord (Housing Provider) represents that Landlord (Housing Provider) meets the conditions specified in paragraph 2, above, and, accordingly, may demand or receive from tenant a security deposit in an amount of up to two months' rent.

Landlord (Housing Provider) _____ Date _____
Landlord (Housing Provider) _____ Date _____

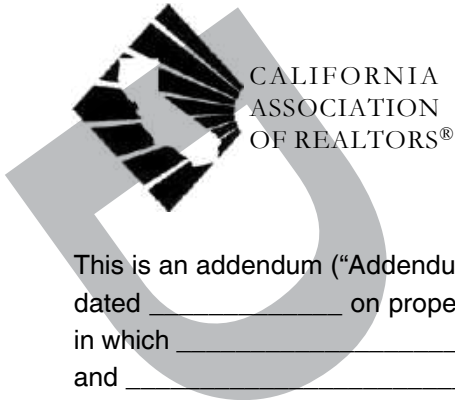
- 5. REPRESENTATION OF TENANT OF SERVICE MEMBER STATUS: Tenant represents that tenant is a member of the Army, Navy, Air Force, Marine Corps, Space Force, Coast Guard, as (check applicable boxes in A(1) or A(2), or B):
A. As:
(1) An active member;
OR (2) A reserve member who is ordered into active duty;
OR B. A member of the California National Guard, State Guard, Naval Militia called or ordered into active service.

Tenant _____ Date _____
Tenant _____ Date _____

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SELLER INSTRUCTION TO EXCLUDE LISTING FROM INTERNET

(C.A.R. Form SELI, Revised 6/24)

This is an addendum ("Addendum") to the Listing Agreement Other _____ ("Agreement") dated _____ on property known as _____ ("Property"), in which _____ is referred to as Seller and _____ is referred to as Broker.

- 1. **MULTIPLE LISTING SERVICE:** Broker is a participant/subscriber to the _____ Multiple Listing Service (MLS). The MLS is a database of properties for sale that is available and disseminated to and accessible by all other real estate agents who are participants or subscribers to the MLS or a reciprocal MLS. Property information submitted to the MLS describes the price, terms and conditions under which the Seller's Property is offered for sale. The MLS may further transmit the MLS database to Internet sites that post property listings online, including national compilations of properties for sale.
- 2. **MANDATORY SUBMISSION TO MLS:** The MLS generally requires brokers participating in the service to submit all exclusive right to sell and exclusive agency listings for residential real property or vacant lots to the MLS within **1 business day of any public marketing**. However, in accordance with MLS rules, Broker can elect to exclude certain listing information from appearing on certain Internet sites even if the listing is submitted to the MLS, if within that same period Broker submits to the MLS such an instruction signed by Seller (such as this form or a local equivalent form).
- 3. **SELLER OPT-OUT OF INTERNET DISPLAY:** Seller understands and acknowledges that if either **paragraph 3A** or **3B** is checked, consumers who search for listings on Internet sites may not see information about the Property or its address in response to their search.
 - A. **Exclusion of Property from Internet:** Seller requests that Broker advise the MLS that Seller does not want the Property to be displayed on the Internet.
 - OR B. **Exclusion of Property Address from Internet:** Seller requests that Broker advise the MLS that Seller does not want the address of the Property to be displayed on the Internet. Seller understands and acknowledges that (i) if this option is checked, consumers who search for listings on Internet sites may not see the Property's address in response to their search; and (ii) all requests are subject to MLS rules.
- 4. **SELLER OPT-OUT OF FEATURES ON MLS PARTICIPANT AND SUBSCRIBER WEBSITES OR ELECTRONIC DISPLAYS:** Seller understands and acknowledges that if **paragraph 4A** or **4B** or both is/are checked (i) this opt-out applies only to the Websites or Electronic Displays of MLS participants and subscribers who are real estate broker and agent members of an MLS; (ii) other Internet sites may or may not have the features set forth herein; and (iii) neither Broker nor the MLS may have the ability to control or block such features on other Internet sites.
 - A. **Exclusion of Comment or Property Review Feature from MLS Participant or Subscriber Websites or Electronic Displays:** Seller requests that Broker advise the MLS that Seller does not want visitors to MLS participant or subscriber Websites or Electronic Displays that display the Property listing to have (i) the ability to write comments or reviews about Seller's Property on those sites; or (ii) the ability to link to another site containing such comments or reviews.
 - OR B. **Exclusion of Automated Estimate of Property Value Feature from MLS Participant or Subscriber Websites or Electronic Displays:** Seller requests that Broker advise the MLS that Seller does not want MLS participant or subscriber Websites or Electronic Displays that display the Property listing (i) to create an automated estimate of the market value of the Property; or (ii) the ability to link to another site containing such automated estimate of the market value of the Property.

By signing below, Seller acknowledges that Seller has read, understands, accepts and has received a copy of this Addendum.

Seller _____ Date _____
Seller _____ Date _____

Real Estate Broker (Firm) _____ DRE Lic. # _____

By (Broker or Office Manager) _____ DRE Lic. # _____ Date _____

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SELLER LICENSE TO REMAIN IN POSSESSION ADDENDUM (Intended for Possession of 29 days or less) (C.A.R. Form SIP, Revised 6/24)

This is an addendum to the Purchase Agreement, OR [] Seller Counter Offer No. _____, [] Buyer Counter Offer No. _____, [] Other _____, ("Agreement"), dated _____, on property known as _____ ("Property"), between _____ ("Buyer"), and _____ ("Seller").

This Addendum is intended to grant Seller a license to remain in possession of, and use, the Property after the Close Of Escrow. It is intended for short-term occupancy (i.e. 29 days or less). If occupancy is intended to be for 30 days or longer, Parties are advised to use Residential Lease After Sale (C.A.R. Form RLAS). Regardless of the length of the time of possession, Buyer is advised to consult with a qualified local landlord attorney to discuss whether the possession could be interpreted as creating a landlord-tenant relationship between Buyer and Seller. Note: Local rent control or other Law regarding tenant's rights may impact Buyer's and Seller's rights and obligations. Close Of Escrow shall be day "0" for the purposes of counting days for the term of this license to remain in possession.

1. TERM: Seller is granted a license to remain in possession of Property for _____ calendar days after Close Of Escrow (or [] to _____ (date)) until 6 PM (or [] AM/[] PM). Seller has no right to remain in possession beyond this term and may be responsible for court awarded damages if Seller does remain.

2. CONSIDERATION:

A. In consideration for Seller agreeing to sell to Buyer and Buyer agreeing to allow Seller to remain in possession After Close Of Escrow, Seller agrees to pay Buyer a non-refundable License Fee for the term specified in paragraph 1 of \$ _____ per day (or [] _____). Seller shall deposit such funds with escrow holder prior to Close Of Escrow or such funds shall be withheld from Seller's proceeds. At Close Of Escrow, all consideration will be released to Buyer (or [] held in escrow). If Seller vacates the Property prior to the end of the term in paragraph 1, no portion of the consideration will be returned to Seller unless otherwise agreed in writing.

B. LATE CHARGE/NSF CHECKS: If any payment from Seller to Buyer is required outside of escrow, and any such payment is not received by Buyer within 5 (or _____) days after date due, Seller shall pay to Buyer an additional sum of \$ _____ as a Late Charge. If a check is returned for non-sufficient funds ("NSF"), Seller shall pay to Buyer \$25.00 as an NSF charge. Seller and Buyer agree that these charges represent a fair and reasonable estimate of the costs Buyer may incur by reason of Seller's late or NSF payment. Buyer's acceptance of any Late Charge or NSF fee shall not constitute a waiver as to any default by Seller.

3. SELLER'S OBLIGATIONS FOR CONDITION OF PROPERTY:

A. MAINTENANCE: Seller shall make reasonable efforts to maintain the Property, including pool, spa, landscaping and grounds, and all personal property included in the sale in substantially the same condition as on the date of Acceptance of the Agreement or as modified by the Agreement. However, Seller shall not be responsible for any latent defects, or any damage or destruction that is not caused by Seller or that is out of the control of Seller. Buyer is advised to: (i) obtain homeowners insurance to cover any damages that may occur after the Close Of Escrow; and (ii) consult with an insurance agent regarding coverage in light of this license for Seller to remain in possession. Except as provided in the Agreement, Seller shall not make alterations to the Property without Buyer's written consent.

B. DELIVERY OF POSSESSION: Seller shall deliver the Property in the condition and on the terms provided in the Agreement.

C. DELIVERY OF POSSESSION FEE: In addition to the license fee specified in paragraph 2, Seller agrees to deposit with escrow holder, or such funds shall be withheld from Seller's proceeds, a Delivery of Possession fee in the amount of \$ _____. At Close Of Escrow, this fee will be released to Buyer (or [] held in escrow). Within 5 Days after delivery of possession to Buyer, Buyer shall return the Delivery of Possession fee to Seller if the Property is delivered to Buyer (i) in the condition specified in paragraphs 3A and B and (ii) on the date specified in paragraph 1.

4. UTILITIES: Seller agrees to pay for all utilities and any related utility services, and the following charges: _____ except _____, which shall be paid for by Buyer.

5. ENTRY: Seller shall make Property available to Buyer for the purpose of entering to make necessary or agreed repairs, or to supply necessary or agreed services, or to show Property to prospective or actual purchasers, tenants, mortgagees, lenders, appraisers or contractors. Buyer and Seller agree that 24 hours notice (oral or written) shall be reasonable and sufficient notice. In an emergency, Buyer may enter Property at any time without prior notice. Buyer may not move personal property into Property without prior written consent from Seller.

6. KEYS AND OTHER ITEMS INCLUDED:

A. Seller shall provide keys and other items necessary to access the Property as required in the Agreement, at Close Of Escrow or [] (if checked) at the end of the Term of this Seller License to Remain in Possession.

B. Other items included in the Agreement shall be provided at the end of the Term of this Seller License to Remain in Possession.

7. ASSIGNMENT; SUBLETTING: Seller shall not assign or sublet all or any part of the Property, or assign or transfer this license to remain in possession of the Property. Any assignment, subletting or transfer of the Property by voluntary act of Seller, by operation of Law or otherwise, without Buyer's prior written consent shall give Buyer the right to terminate Seller's license to remain in possession.

8. INSURANCE: Seller's personal property (including vehicles) is not insured by Buyer, and, if applicable, not by the owner's association, against loss or damage due to fire, theft, vandalism, rain, water, criminal or negligent acts of others, or any other cause. Seller is advised to carry Seller's own insurance to protect Seller from such loss and to contact its own insurance carrier to discuss available options.

9. WAIVER: The waiver of any breach shall not be construed as a continuing waiver of the same or any subsequent breach.



10. OTHER TERMS AND CONDITIONS/SUPPLEMENTS: _____

NOTE: Regardless of the length of time for possession as originally agreed, if Buyer and Seller intend to extend this SIP beyond 29 Days from Close of Escrow, Buyer and Seller are advised to consult with a qualified local landlord tenant attorney regarding whether a landlord tenant relationship may inadvertently be created.

By signing below Buyer and Seller acknowledge that each has read, understands, has received a copy of and agrees to the terms of this Seller License to Remain In Possession Addendum.

Buyer _____ Date _____

Buyer _____ Date _____

Seller _____ Date _____

Seller _____ Date _____

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- 1. SOLAR OWNERSHIP:** Solar power systems may be owned outright, owned with financing, owned with a lien or security interest on the real property, or leased. Many property owners who believe that they own their solar power system may not have free and clear ownership of that system. Ownership could be subject to a note and deed of trust issued when a solar power system was financed or a UCC-1 financing statement filed with the California Secretary of State. Financing of the solar power system may also be secured by an assessment against the real property that is collected through additional property tax payments for the period of financing (e.g., HERO or PACE). Because a seller's property tax statement will reference the solar lien, sellers may not remember the lien or consider it as a separate lien; nonetheless it should be disclosed. Some owners obtain private lending to purchase a solar power system that is not secured by the real property or panels or other equipment attached to it. If the seller is intending for these private loans to be paid off as part of a sale, terms may need to be added in the agreement to address this situation.
- 2. SOLAR LIENS, POWER PURCHASE AGREEMENTS, AND SOLAR LEASES:** Many solar power systems are not owned but instead are leased. While a leased system typically has a fixed or scheduled monthly payment, other systems may have a power purchase agreement requiring the purchase of all or a portion of the solar power generated at an agreed contractual rate from the solar company with an ability to sell any excess energy to the electrical provider company (e.g., PG&E) in accordance with the system's governing regulatory scheme. Payments under such an arrangement can vary depending on the amount of energy created and used. Even solar power systems that are leased may have security interests attached such as a UCC-1 or fixture filing recorded in the county where the property is located.

In some cases, the lender or lien holder for the solar power system may allow a buyer to assume the existing loan and may agree to allow the solar lien to subordinate to, or become secondary to, a new purchase loan. However, in many cases, the holder of the security interest will not release the priority of its security interest which means that the solar loan must either be paid off when the property is sold or that any buyer must purchase without obtaining any new financing.

When there is a solar lease, a buyer may be permitted to assume the terms of a solar lease but only with the approval of the solar company. For leased systems, there may be a provision enabling the purchase of the solar equipment prior to the end of the lease term, or a provision allowing the termination of the lease at cost with no retained ownership of the solar equipment (a "Buyout"). There may also be a clause enabling the purchase of the equipment or the termination of the lease without any pre-agreed cost; in those cases, the cost will be an appraised value determined by the solar company.

If a solar power system is owned by the seller, the seller may have the right to remove the system or its components and install them on another property. If the system has been financed and the financing is secured by a lien on the property or the component parts, the seller should consult with the company about both the effect of removal of the system or its components on the lien and the consequence of any damage caused by the removal.

- 3. ADVERTISING MATERIAL:** All parties are advised that the Multiple Listing Service ("MLS") and other advertisements that are used to list and market a property for sale and are not contractual agreements. Thus, it is imperative that buyers of Property with a solar power system ("Solar Property") receive and carefully review copies of all documents, including any solar agreement, underlying security agreements for owned equipment, or any other material that the seller possesses prior to the buyer making any final decision regarding the solar power system. Buyers should not simply rely on the information in the MLS or any other advertising material.
- 4. PURCHASE CONTRACT AND TRANSFER ISSUES:** The C.A.R. Purchase Agreements include a contingency for the review of leased or liened items and systems, in order for the buyer to review any agreements or documents related to any solar power system and to properly evaluate all of the present and future terms and conditions, including the costs of accepting the existing solar power system. The default language provides that the system is being transferred, and the buyer has a contingency to determine whether the buyer is willing or able to assume any lease, lien, or other agreement. If the solar power system is not intended to be transferred with the property, the contract may need to be modified to address this.

If a leased or liened system is to be assumed by the buyer, the solar company may take steps to insure its priority interest against the property and/or the buyer's lender may require a solar endorsement from the title company; if this occurs, escrow could be delayed. Buyers and sellers should be aware that because any buyout or assumption of a solar power system could impact closing escrow, they should consider including a provision in the purchase agreement to allow for the possible extension of the closing date to facilitate dealing with any problems that may arise because of the solar power system.

- 5. SOLAR EVALUATION, RECOMMENDATIONS, AND LEGAL ADVICE:** Real estate brokers and their agents are not qualified to evaluate the terms, conditions and/or the security interests in a solar power system. They are also not qualified to determine the quality of solar equipment or the impact of any regulatory scheme on the ownership or use of solar equipment. Buyers and sellers of Solar Property should consider retaining the services of a solar photovoltaic system inspector if one is available in the area where the property is located.

Brokers recommend that sellers and buyers of Solar Property exercise diligence in obtaining copies of any contracts, agreements or other documents related to any possible solar power system security interests as soon as practicable to enable a prompt evaluation of what may be required to facilitate a sale of the property. Additionally, obtaining a buyout or obtaining any agreement for a buyer to assume the solar agreement may take considerable time and/or be of an uncertain cost. Therefore, sellers of Solar Property should, prior to entering into a purchase agreement, determine if a Buyout or loan assumption is available and at what cost or terms so as to make full and complete disclosure to potential buyer and to avoid delays in closing escrow.

Whether or not a solar photovoltaic system inspector is used, buyers and sellers should consult with a qualified California real estate attorney prior to entering into any agreement to purchase or sell Solar Property; that attorney should evaluate the existing solar documentation and properly craft language to be included in the purchase agreement that will best protect the interests of their clients. Real estate brokers and their agents are allowed to prepare standard real estate transaction documents, but they are not qualified to create specialized contract language that may be needed to deal with the specific issues involved in any specific Solar Property.

Property Address: _____ Date: _____

6. SOLAR PROPERTY QUESTIONNAIRE (IF YES TO ANY QUESTION, PROVIDE EXPLANATION):

A. GENERAL SOLAR POWER SYSTEM ISSUES:

ARE YOU (SELLER) AWARE OF...

- (1) Approximate age of the solar power system? ... Yes No
(2) Name of the installation company? ... Yes No
(3) Does the solar power system provide power only for a portion of the property? ... Yes No
(4) Approximate size of the system (# of panels, Kilowatt size)? ... Yes No
(5) Whether the system is central inverter or micro inverters? ... Yes No
(6) Whether the system is on-grid only, on and off grid, or off-grid only? ... Yes No
(7) Whether there is a battery bank or power wall that enables the system to run off-grid? ... Yes No
(8) Whether any portion of the system is installed anywhere other than the roof? ... Yes No
(9) Regardless of whether the solar power system is owned, leased, or subject to a power purchase agreement, any transfer fee or any other fee for change of ownership? ... Yes No
(10) Whether there is a maintenance agreement for the solar power system? ... Yes No
(11) Material Facts or information related to the solar power system? ... Yes No

Explanation: _____

B. IF APPLICABLE, OWNED-SOLAR POWER SYSTEMS THAT ARE CONVEYING WITH THE PROPERTY:

ARE YOU (SELLER) AWARE OF...

- (1) Whether the system still has a balance due on any financing? ... Yes No
(A) If Yes, what is the balance? \$ _____
(B) If Yes, what is the monthly payment due on the financing? \$ _____
(C) If Yes, is it secured by an interest on title? ... Yes No
(D) If Yes, is the loan transferrable to or assumable by buyer? ... Yes No

NOTE: if it is not secured on title, the agreement may have to be amended for Buyer to be responsible for the balance.

- (2) Whether there is an annual true-up bill from the power company? ... Yes No
If Yes, what is the approximate bill amount? \$ _____
(3) Whether there is any other type of lien or encumbrance on title, on a property tax bill or otherwise? ... Yes No
(4) Whether there is a power purchase agreement (if yes, complete 6C below)? ... Yes No

Explanation: _____

C. IF APPLICABLE, LEASED SOLAR POWER SYSTEMS OR SYSTEMS WITH POWER PURCHASE AGREEMENTS:

ARE YOU (SELLER) AWARE OF...

- (1) The name of the company with the lease or power purchase agreement? ... Yes No
If Yes, what is the name? _____
(2) The year that the agreement expires? ... Yes No
If Yes, what is the year? _____
(3) The current monthly solar payments? ... Yes No
If Yes, what is the amount? \$ _____
(4) Whether the payments are fixed or vary over the life of the agreement? ... Yes No
(5) Whether the lease or power purchase agreement is transferrable to or assumable by buyer? ... Yes No
(6) Whether the solar power system is not owned at the end of the agreement? ... Yes No
If not owned, can the equipment be purchased? ... Yes No
If Yes, what is the estimated amount that would be owed? \$ _____

Explanation: _____

Seller acknowledges that Seller has read, understands and has received a copy of this Solar Advisory and Questionnaire, and Seller represents that Seller has provided the answers and, if any, explanations and comments on this form and any attached addenda and that such information is true and correct to the best of Seller's knowledge as of the date signed by Seller.

Seller _____ Date _____

Seller _____ Date _____

Buyer acknowledges that Buyer has read, understands and has received a copy of this Solar Advisory and Questionnaire.

Buyer _____ Date _____

Buyer _____ Date _____

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