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	12	Plaintiff,	CLASS ACTION REVISED [PROPSSED] JUDGMENT AND ORDER GRANTING PLAINTIFF'S MOTION FOR FINAL APPROVAL OF CLASS ACTION SETTLEMENT FINAL APPROVAL HEARING Date: April 18, 2025 Time: 9:00 a.m.		
	14	v.			
	15	PJ PRINTERS, an unknown entity; and DOES 1 through 10, inclusive,			
	16	Defendants.			
	17		Dept.: CX101		
	18		Complaint filed: Trial date:	February 28, 2022 Not set	
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FINAL APPROVAL OF CLASS ACTION SETTLEMENT

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On or around November 22, 2024, this Court issued an Order Granting Eric Harold Peterson's ("Plaintiff") Motion for Preliminary Approval of Class Action Settlement. Plaintiff now seeks an order granting final approval of the Class Action Settlement Agreement and Class Notice ("Settlement" or "Settlement Agreement"). The Settlement Agreement is attached to the Declaration of Arrash T. Fattahi in Support of Plaintiff's Motion for Final Approval of Class Action Settlement as Exhibit 1.

Due and adequate notice having been given to the Class, and the Court having reviewed and considered the Settlement, Plaintiff's Notice of Motion and Motion for Final Approval of Class Action Settlement, the supporting declarations and exhibits thereto, all papers filed and proceedings had herein, and the absence of any written objections received regarding the Settlement, and having reviewed the record in this action, and good cause appearing therefor,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED that:

- 1. The Court, for purposes of this Order, adopts all defined terms as set forth in the Settlement filed in this case.
- 2. The Court has jurisdiction over all claims asserted in the action, Plaintiff, the Settlement Class Members, and Defendant PJ Printers ("Defendant," and together with Plaintiff, the "Parties").
- 3. The Court finds that the Settlement Agreement appears to be fair, adequate, and reasonable and therefore meets the requirements for final approval. The Court grants final approval of the Settlement and the Settlement Class based upon the terms set forth in the Settlement Agreement, attached to the Declaration of Arrash T. Fattahi in Support of Plaintiff's Motion for Final Approval of Class Action Settlement as **Exhibit 1**.
- 4. The Court finds that the Settlement appears to have been made and entered into in good faith and hereby approves the Settlement subject to the limitations on the requested fees and enhancement as set forth below.
- 5. Plaintiff and all Participating Class Members shall have, by operation of this Final Order and Judgment, fully, finally, and forever released, relinquished, and discharged Defendant from all Released Claims as defined in the Settlement.

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- 6. All Participating Class Members, on behalf of themselves and their respective former and present representatives, agents, attorneys, heirs, administrators, successors, and assigns, release Released Parties from all claims, rights, demands, liabilities, penalties, wages, and causes of action that were alleged, or reasonably could have been alleged, based on the Class Period facts stated in the Operative Complaint and ascertained in the course of the Action including any and all claims for: (1) failure to pay minimum and straight time wages; (2) failure to pay overtime wages; (3) failure to provide meal periods; (4) failure to authorize and permit rest periods; (5) failure to timely pay final wages at termination; (6) failure to provide accurate itemized wage statements; (7) failure to indemnify employees for expenditures; and (8) violation of California's Unfair Competition Law, California Business and Professions Code §§ 17200, et seq. Participating Class Members do not release any other claims, including claims for vested benefits, wrongful termination, violation of the Fair Employment and Housing Act, unemployment insurance, disability, social security, workers' compensation, or claims based on facts occurring outside the Class Period.
- 7. Upon final approval of the Settlement by the Court, Participating Class Members will release the aforementioned claims against all Released Parties.
- 8. The Parties shall bear their own respective attorneys' fees and costs, except as otherwise provided for in the Settlement and approved by the Court.
- 9. Solely for purposes of effectuating the Settlement, the Court finally certified the following Class all of Defendant's current and former non-exempt employees in the state of California during the Class Period.
 - 10. No Class Member has objected to the terms of the Settlement.
 - 11. No Class Member has requested exclusion from the Settlement.
- 12. The Notice provided to the Class conforms with the requirements of California Rules of Court, Rules 3.766 and 3.769, and constitutes the best notice practicable under the circumstances, by providing individual notice to all Class Members who could be identified through reasonable effort, and by providing due and adequate notice of the proceedings and of the matters set forth therein to the Class Members. The Notice fully satisfies the requirements of due process.

- 13. The Court finds the Gross Settlement Amount, the Net Settlement Amount, and the methodology used to calculate and pay each Participating Class Members' Net Settlement Payment are fair and reasonable and authorizes the Settlement Administrator to pay the Net Settlement Payments to the Participating Class Members in accordance with the terms of the Settlement.
- 14. Defendant shall pay \$350,000 of new money and separately pay any and all employer payroll taxes owed on the Wage Portions of the individual class payments.
- 15. From the Gross Settlement Amount, \$5,000.00 shall be paid to Plaintiff Eric Harold Peterson, for his services as a class representative and for his agreement to release claims.
- 16. From the Gross Settlement Amount, \$8,195.00 shall be paid to the Settlement Administrator, ILYM Group, Inc.
- 17. The Court hereby confirms Benjamin H. Haber and Arrash T. Fattahi of Wilshire Law Firm, PLC as Class Counsel.
- 18. From the Gross Settlement Amount, Class Counsel is awarded \$108,240.00 for their reasonable attorneys' fees and \$13,813 for their reasonable costs incurred in the action. The fees and costs shall be distributed to Class Counsel as set forth in the Settlement. The Court finds that the fees are reasonable in light of the benefit provided to the Class.
- 19. The unclaimed funds are to be directed to the Controller's Unclaimed Property Fund in the name of the class member.
- 20. Without affecting the finality of this Order in any way, this Court retains continuing jurisdiction over the implementation, interpretation, and enforcement of the Settlement with respect to all Parties to this action, and their counsel of record.
- 21. Plaintiff's Motion for Final Approval of Class Action Settlement is hereby granted and the Court directs that judgment shall be entered in accordance with the terms of this Order.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

DATE: 4-25-25

Hon. William Claster Orange County Superior Court

PROOF OF SERVICE 1 Peterson v. PJ Printers, et al. 30-2022-01247546-CU-OE-CXC 2 STATE OF CALIFORNIA 3 COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES 4 I, Ashley Narinyans, state that I am employed in the aforesaid County, State of California; I 5 am over the age of eighteen years and not a party to the within action; my business address is 3055 Wilshire Blvd., 12th Floor, Los Angeles, California 90010. My electronic service address is 6 ashley.narinyans@wilshirelawfirm.com. 7 On April 24, 2025, I served the foregoing, REVISED [PROPOSED] JUDGMENT AND ORDER GRANTING PLAINTIFF'S MOTION FOR FINAL APPROVAL OF CLASS 8 ACTION SETTLEMENT, on the interested parties by placing a true copy thereof, enclosed in a sealed envelope by following one of the methods of service as follows: 9 10 Julie R. Trotter (SBN 209675) itrotter@calljensen.com 11 D. Eric Lystrup (SBN 325906) elystrup@calljensen.com 12 Denise Reigel dreigel@calljensen.com 13 Naomi Berry 14 nberry@calljensen.com CALL & JENSEN 15 610 Newport Center Drive, Suite 700 Newport Beach, California 92660 16 Telephone: (949) 717-3000 Facsimile: (949) 717-3100 17 18 Attorneys for Defendant 19 (X) BY E-MAIL: I hereby certify that this document was served from Los Angeles, California, 20 by e-mail delivery on the parties listed herein at their most recent known email address or e-mail of record in this action. 21 I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing 22 is true and correct. 23 Executed this April 24, 2025, at Los Angeles, California. 24 25 26

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