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#### UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA SAN JOSE DIVISION

THEODORE BROOMFIELD, et al.,

Plaintiffs,

v.

CRAFT BREW ALLIANCE, INC., et al.,

Defendants.

CASE NO.: 5:17-cv-01027-BLF

# SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT

### **SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT**

This Settlement Agreement is entered into by Plaintiffs Theodore Broomfield and Simone Zimmer ("Plaintiffs" or "Class Representatives"), individually and on behalf of the Settlement Class (defined herein), and by Defendant Craft Brew Alliance, Inc. ("CBA") (collectively with the Plaintiffs, the "Parties"), in the above-captioned action. This Settlement Agreement is intended by the Parties to fully and finally resolve, discharge, and settle the Released Claims, as defined herein, subject to the terms and conditions set forth below and the final approval of the District Court.

# **RECITALS**

- On February 28, 2017, Plaintiff Zimmer and former plaintiff Sara Cilloni commenced a proposed class action in the Northern District of California against CBA in *Cilloni v. Craft Brew Alliance, Inc.* No. 5-17-cv-01027-BLF in connection with CBA's marketing and sale of Kona Brewing Company Beers (the "*Cilloni* Action").
- On March 6, 2017, Plaintiff Broomfield also commenced a proposed class action in the Northern District of California against CBA in *Broomfield v. Kona Brewing Co., et al.*, No.
   3:17-cv-01159-MEJ in connection with CBA's marketing and sale of Kona Brewing Company Beers (the "*Broomfield* Action").
- 3. On March 20, 2017, the Court entered a Stipulation and Order to Consolidate Related Cases, consolidating the *Cilloni* Action and *Broomfield* Action. The consolidated Action proceeded as *Broomfield v. Craft Brew Alliance, Inc.*, No. 5-17-cv-01027-BLF.
- 4. On April 7, 2017, Plaintiffs filed a Consolidated Class Action Complaint against CBA.
- On April 28, 2017, CBA filed a Motion to Dismiss the Consolidated Class Action Complaint.
- 6. On May 26, 2017, Plaintiffs opposed the Motion to Dismiss.

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- 7. On September 1, 2017, the Court granted in part and denied in part the Motion to Dismiss.
- 8. On October 6, 2017, CBA filed an Answer to the Consolidated Class Action Complaint.
- 9. On November 6, 2017, Plaintiffs filed a Motion for Reconsideration of the Court's dismissal of Plaintiffs' request for injunctive relief.
- 10. On November 27, 2017, the Court granted the Motion for Reconsideration.
- 11. On December 7, 2017, Plaintiffs filed a stipulation of dismissal pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 41(a)(1)(A)(ii), dismissing Sara Cilloni's individual claims against CBA and removing Sara Cilloni as a plaintiff and class representative.
- 12. On December 15, 2017, Plaintiffs filed a First Amended Consolidated Class Action Complaint ("FAC"). In the FAC, Plaintiffs alleged, *inter alia*, that CBA's representations that Kona Brewing Company Beers are brewed in Hawaii are false and deceptive, and based on this factual predicate, asserted the following causes of action: (1) violation of California's Consumers Legal Remedies Act ("CLRA"), Cal. Civ. Code §§ 1750, *et seq.*, (2) violation of California's Unfair Competition Law ("UCL"), Cal. Bus. & Prof. Code §§ 17200, *et seq.*, (3) violation of California's False Advertising Law ("FAL"), Cal. Bus. & Prof. Code §§ 17500, *et seq.*, (4) common law fraud, (5) intentional misrepresentation, (6) negligent misrepresentation, and (7) unjust enrichment.
- 13. On December 29, 2017, CBA filed an Answer to the FAC.
- 14. The Parties have engaged in substantial fact and expert discovery, including multiple rounds of interrogatories, document requests, and requests for admission, extensive document review, and depositions of key corporate employee witnesses, the plaintiffs, and the Parties' respective experts.

15. On July 16, 2018, Plaintiffs filed a Motion for Class Certification, moving to certify two classes:

Six-Pack Class

All persons who purchased any six-pack bottles of the Kona Beers<sup>1</sup> in California at any time beginning four (4) years prior to the filing of this action on February 28, 2017 until the present ("Class Period").

# Twelve-Pack Class

All persons who purchased any twelve-pack bottles of the Kona Beers in California at any time beginning four (4) years prior to the filing of this action on February 28, 2017 until the present ("Class Period").

- 16. On August 10, 2018, CBA opposed the Motion for Class Certification.
- 17. On September 25, 2018, the Court granted Plaintiffs' Motion for Class Certification in its entirety, certifying: (1) a damages Class of California purchasers of six- and twelve-packs of Kona Beers pursuant to Rule 23(b)(3), and (2) an injunctive relief Class of California purchasers of six- and twelve-packs of Kona Beers pursuant to Rule 23(b)(2). The law firms of Faruqi & Faruqi, LLP and the Wand Law Firm, P.C. were appointed as Class Counsel, and Theodore Broomfield and Simone Zimmer were appointed as Class Representatives.
- On October 5, 2018, CBA filed a Motion for Leave to Seek Reconsideration of the Court's Order Granting Class Certification. Plaintiffs opposed this Motion on October 5, 2018.
- 19. On October 16, 2018, the Court denied the Motion for Leave to Seek Reconsideration.
- 20. On October 22, 2018, CBA filed a Rule 23(f) petition for interlocutory appeal of the Court's Order Granting Class Certification, which Plaintiffs timely opposed.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Kona Beers were defined for the purposes of Class Certification as Longboard Island Lager, Hanalei IPA, Castaway IPA, Big Wave Golden Ale, Lemongrass Luau, Wailua Wheat, Fire Rock Pale Ale, and Pipeline Porter.

- 21. On January 24, 2019, the Parties participated in a day-long mediation session with BruceA. Edwards of JAMS in San Francisco, California. The Parties did not reach settlementduring this mediation.
- 22. On February 1, 2019, the Ninth Circuit Court of Appeals denied CBA's Rule 23(f) petition.
- On February 15, 2019, CBA filed a Petition for Rehearing *En Banc* of the Ninth Circuit's denial of CBA's Rule 23(f) petition.
- 24. On March 6, 2019, the Parties participated in a second mediation session with Mr. Edwards. The session lasted approximately 12 hours and the Parties were able to reach a settlement in principle at the conclusion of the mediation.
- In the subsequent weeks, the Parties continued to negotiate and finalize all terms of this Settlement Agreement.
- 26. On April 24, 2019, the Parties filed a request to stay all appellate proceedings pending the settlement approval process, including CBA's Petition for Rehearing *En Banc*. Also on April 24, 2019, the Parties filed a Joint Status Report Re: Settlement, informing the Court that the Parties had reached a settlement in principle, the terms of which are set forth herein.
- 27. CBA, while continuing to deny all allegations of wrongdoing, and disclaiming all liability with respect to all claims, considers it desirable to resolve the Action on the terms stated herein to avoid further expense, inconvenience, and burden, and therefore determines that this Settlement Agreement is in CBA's best interests.
- 28. The Parties have engaged in extensive litigation, including substantial completion of fact and expert discovery, and have had a full and fair opportunity to evaluate the strengths and weaknesses of their respective positions. This Settlement Agreement was reached after extensive review of the underlying facts, after extensive arm's length negotiations between

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Class Counsel and CBA's Counsel, and after two mediation sessions with Bruce A. Edwards.

- 29. Weighing risks and uncertainties of continued litigation and all factors bearing on the merits of settlement, Plaintiffs and Class Counsel are satisfied that the terms and conditions of this settlement are fair, reasonable, adequate, and in the best interests of the Plaintiffs and the Class.
- 30. NOW, THEREFORE, without any admission or concession of liability or wrongdoing or the lack of merit of any defense whatsoever by CBA, or any admission or concession of the lack of merit of this Action whatsoever by Plaintiffs, it is hereby stipulated and agreed by the undersigned, on behalf of Plaintiffs, the Settlement Class, and CBA, that the Action and all claims of the Settlement Class be settled, compromised, and dismissed on the merits and with prejudice, subject to Court approval as required by Federal Rules of Civil Procedure 23, on the terms and conditions set forth herein and upon the Effective Date (as defined below).
- 31. Each Party affirms that the Recitals above are true and accurate and are hereby made a part of this Settlement Agreement.

### I. **DEFINITIONS**

As used in this Settlement Agreement and the Exhibits hereto, in addition to any definitions set forth elsewhere in this Settlement Agreement, the following terms shall have the meanings set forth below. Unless otherwise indicated, defined terms include the plural as well as the singular.

32. "Action" means the consolidated class action initiated by Plaintiffs Theodore Broomfield and Simone Zimmer, captioned *Broomfield v. Craft Brew Alliance, Inc.*, No. 5-17-cv-01027-BLF, in the United States District Court for the Northern District of California.

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- 33. "Agreement" or "Settlement Agreement" means this Settlement Agreement, and its Exhibits attached hereto and incorporated herein.
- 34. "CAFA Notice" means the notice which CBA shall serve upon the appropriate State and Federal officials, providing notice of the proposed settlement. CBA's Counsel shall provide a declaration attesting to compliance with 28 U.S.C. § 1715(b), which will be filed with Plaintiffs' motion for preliminary and/or final approval.
- 35. "Claim Deadline" means the date to be set by the Court as the deadline for Settlement Class Members to submit Claim Forms, and which shall be ninety (90) calendar days after the Notice Date, subject to Court approval.
- 36. "Claim Form" means the document, substantially in the form attached as Exhibit 1, which Settlement Class Members must submit to the Settlement Administrator in order to obtain the Settlement Benefit.
- 37. "Claims Period" means the period of time from the Notice Date until the Claim Deadline.
- 38. "Claimant" means a Settlement Class Member that submits a Claim Form.
- 39. "Class Counsel" or "Plaintiffs' Counsel" means the law firms of Faruqi & Faruqi, LLP and the Wand Law Firm, P.C.
- 40. "Class Period" or "Settlement Class Period" means the period of time from February 28,2013 through the date Preliminary Approval is granted.
- 41. "Class Representatives" or "Plaintiffs" means Plaintiffs Theodore Broomfield and Simone Zimmer.
- 42. "Class Representative Service Award" means the monetary award, sought by application and approved by the Court, which is payable to the Class Representatives for their efforts and diligence in prosecuting this Action on behalf of the Class and Settlement Class.

- "Court" means the United States District Court for the Northern District of California, the Honorable Beth Labson Freeman presiding.
- 44. "Defendant" or "CBA" means Craft Brew Alliance, Inc.
- 45. **"Defendant's Counsel," "Defense Counsel,"** or **"CBA's Counsel"** means the law firm of Shook, Hardy & Bacon LLP.
- 46. "Effective Date" means the date on which the Court enters an Order and Final Judgment, if no appeal is taken. If an appeal is taken, the Effective Date shall mean the first date all appellate rights (including proceedings in the Supreme Court) with respect to said Order and Final Judgment have expired or been exhausted in such a manner as to affirm the Order and Final Judgment.
- 47. "Final Approval Hearing" means the hearing that is to take place after the entry of a Preliminary Approval Order and after the Notice Date and Claim Deadline for purposes of (a) determining whether the Settlement Agreement should be approved as fair, reasonable, adequate and in the best interests of the Class Members; (b) entering the Order and Final Judgment and dismissing the Action with prejudice; and (c) ruling upon an application by Class Counsel for an award of attorneys' fees, costs and expenses, and Class Representative Service Awards.
- 48. **"Fee Application**" means a motion for a Fee Award and Class Representative Service Awards, which Plaintiffs will file not later than thirty-five (35) calendar days before the Objection/Exclusion Deadline and the Claim Deadline.
- 49. "Fee Award" means an award of reasonable fees, costs and expenses in an amount up to
  \$2,900,000.00 (Two Million Nine Hundred Thousand Dollars and Zero Cents), sought by
  application and approved by the Court, which is payable to Class Counsel.

- 50. **"Final Approval"** means the Court's entry of an Order following the Final Approval Hearing, substantially in the form of **Exhibit 5** hereto, approving the Settlement pursuant to the terms and conditions of this Agreement without material change, confirming the certification of the Settlement Class for purposes of this Agreement only, and releasing all claims of Plaintiffs and the Settlement Class Members.
- 51. **"Final Judgment"** means the Court's entry of an Order and Final Judgment following the Final Approval Hearing, substantially in the form of **Exhibit 6** hereto, dismissing the Action with prejudice.
- 52. "**Fraudulent Claims**" means any Claim Forms the Settlement Administrator determines in good faith contain indicia of fraud, deceit or other invalidity, including but not limited to any attempts to bypass the terms and limitations set out in this Agreement regarding Claim Forms, Claimants, Settlement Class Members and Settlement Benefits.
- 53. "Kona Beers" means all 4-pack, 6-pack, 12-pack, or 24-packs of Longboard Island Lager, Hanalei IPA, Castaway IPA, Big Wave Golden Ale, Lemongrass Luau, Wailua Wheat, Fire Rock Pale Ale, Pipeline Porter, Lavaman Red Ale, Koko Brown Ale, Kua Bay IPA, Gold Cliff IPA, Kanaha Blonde Ale, Liquid Aloha Variety Pack, Island Hopper Variety Pack, Happy Mahalo Variety Pack, Wave Rider Tandem Pack. Excluded from this definition are all Kona Beers that are sold without packaging (i.e., loose bottles, loose cans, and draft beer).
- 54. "Long Form Notice" means notice of the proposed settlement to be provided to Settlement Class Members substantially in the forms attached as **Exhibit 3**, but which may be modified as necessary to comply with the provisions of any order of Preliminary Approval entered by the Court. The Long Form Notice shall be published on the Settlement Website.

- 55. "**Motion for Final Approval**" means the motion that the Plaintiffs shall file seeking Final Approval of this Settlement.
- 56. "Notice" means notice of this Settlement Agreement as defined in Section IV.
- 57. "**Notice Date**" means the date that Internet banner notice ads are first published in accord with the Notice Plan set forth in Section IV below.
- 58. "Notice Plan" means the plan for dissemination of notice of this Settlement Agreement by the Settlement Administrator in accord with the terms and provisions set forth in Section IV below.
- 59. "Notice of Missing or Inaccurate Information" means the notice sent by the Settlement Administrator to a Claimant who has submitted a Claim Form with inaccurate, disqualifying, incomplete or missing information that is required for the Claimant to be considered eligible for the Settlement Benefit provided by this Settlement.
- 60. "**Objection/Exclusion Deadline**" means the date to be set by the Court as the deadline for Settlement Class Members to submit Objections or Requests for Exclusion, and which shall be ninety (90) calendar days after the Notice Date, subject to Court approval.
- 61. "**Objection**" means the written communication that a Settlement Class Member must submit to the Court by the Objection/Exclusion Deadline in order to object to the Settlement, as provided for in Section VI below.
- 62. "Person" means any natural person.
- "Parties" means Plaintiffs and CBA, collectively, and "Party" means either Plaintiffs or CBA, individually.

- 64. "**Preliminary Approval**" or "**Preliminary Approval Order**" shall mean the issuance of an order by the Court, substantially in the form of **Exhibit 4** hereto, preliminarily approving, *inter alia*, the terms of this Settlement and authorizing Notice to the Class.
- 65. "**Proof of Purchase**" means a receipt, a copy of the purchase on a credit/debit card statement, a copy of the UPC from the package(s) of Kona Beers, retailer reward or membership programs evidencing a purchase of Kona Beers, or other similar type of documentation evidencing the purchase of Kona Beers by the Settlement Class Member.
- 66. "Released Claims" means any claim, cross-claim, liability, right, demand, suit, matter, obligation, damage, restitution, disgorgement, loss or cost, attorneys' fee, cost or expense, action or cause of action, of every kind and description that the Releasing Party had or has, including assigned claims, whether in arbitration, administrative, or judicial proceedings, whether as individual claims or as claims asserted on a class basis or on behalf of the general public, whether known or unknown, asserted or unasserted, suspected or unsuspected, latent or patent, that is, has been, could reasonably have been, or in the future might reasonably be asserted by the Releasing Party in the Action against any of the Released Parties arising out of the allegations in the complaints filed in the Action. Excluded from the Released Claims is any claim for alleged bodily injuries arising after the Effective Date of this Settlement Agreement.
- 67. "**Released Parties**" means CBA, and all of its past, present and/or future parents, predecessors, successors, assigns, subsidiaries, divisions, departments, and affiliates, and any and all of their past, present and/or future officers, directors, employees, stockholders, partners, agents, servants, successors, attorneys, representatives, advisors, consultants,

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brokers, distributors, wholesalers, subrogees and assigns of any of the foregoing, and representatives of any of the foregoing.

- 68. "**Releasing Parties**" means the Plaintiffs, each Settlement Class Member that does not submit a timely and valid Request for Exclusion, and any Person claiming by or through such Settlement Class Member as his/her spouse, parent, child, heir, guardian, associate, co-owner, attorney, agent, administrator, devisee, predecessor, successor, assignee, representative of any kind, shareholder, partner, director, employee, or affiliate.
- 69. "**Request for Exclusion**" means the written communication that a Settlement Class Member must submit to the Settlement Administrator by the Objection/Exclusion Deadline in order to be excluded from the Settlement as provided for in Section VI below.
- 70. "Settlement" means the settlement embodied in this Agreement.
- 71. "Settlement Administrator" means CPT Group, Inc., which will be responsible for providing notice to the Class and administering the Settlement as provided for in Sections IV and V below. The Parties each represent they do not have any financial interest in the Settlement Administrator or otherwise have a relationship with the Settlement Administrator that could create a conflict of interest. Should a conflict of interest or other issue lead to the disqualification of the selected Settlement Administrator, the Parties will meet and confer as to a suitable replacement.
- 72. "Settlement Notice and Administration Costs" means the costs for providing Notice and administration of the Settlement. CBA shall pay the Settlement Notice and Administration Costs, which are currently estimated to be \$395,000.

- 73. "Settlement Benefit" means the monetary payment described in Section II, available to Settlement Class Members who meet eligibility requirements and submit a timely and valid Claim Form.
- 74. "Settlement Class Members," "Class Members," "Class," or "Settlement Class" means: All Persons who purchased any four-pack, six-pack, twelve-pack or twenty-four pack of Kona Beers in the United States, it territories, or at any Untied States military facility, during the Class Period. For the purposes of this definition, individuals living in the same household shall be deemed to be a single Class Member. Excluded from the Settlement Class are: (a) CBA's and any of its parents', affiliates', or subsidiaries' employees, officers and directors, (b) distributors, retailers or re-sellers of Kona Beers, (c) governmental entities, (d) Persons who timely and properly exclude themselves from the Settlement Class as provided herein, (e) the Court, the Court's immediate family, and Court staff, and (f) counsel of record for the Parties, and their respective law firms.
- 75. "Settlement Website" means the website to be established by the Settlement Administrator for purpose of providing notice, Claim Forms and other information regarding this Agreement. The Settlement Website will include, *inter alia*, (a) an FAQ section, (b) links to all pertinent documents including relevant pleadings as agreed by the Parties or as ordered by the Court, (c) the Fee Application and Motions for Preliminary Approval and Final Approval (and orders granting these motions if and when they are issued), (d) a toll-free number, (e) and other pertinent information about the Settlement. The Settlement Website will be updated regularly with relevant documents as they become available.

76. "Summary Notice" means notice of the proposed Settlement to be provided to Settlement Class Members substantially in the forms attached as **Exhibit 2**, but which may be modified as necessary to comply with the provisions of any order of Preliminary Approval entered by the Court. The Summary Notice will be emailed directly to Class Members for whom CBA has contact information, published on the Settlement Website, and published in print in the National Geographic Magazine and San Jose Mercury News Newspaper.

# **II. SETTLEMENT CONSIDERATION**

Settlement consideration shall consist of two primary components: (1) a monetary component consisting of payments to Claimants; and (2) an injunctive relief component whereby CBA agrees to make certain changes to its business practices with respect to Kona Beers.

# **Monetary Relief**

- 77. To each Claimant who submits a timely and valid Claim Form, CBA will pay a monetary Settlement Benefit. Settlement Class Members residing in the same household (i.e., the same mailing address) who each submit a Claim Form shall only be entitled to a collective maximum payment of \$10 or \$20 per household, depending on whether Proof of Purchase is submitted, as follows:
  - a. Per Unit Values: Claimants may seek the following payment per unit of each Kona
     Beer purchased during the Settlement Class Period.
    - i. 4-pack Kona Beers: \$1.25 per unit.
    - ii. 6-pack Kona Beers: \$1.25 per unit.
    - iii. 12-pack Kona Beers: \$2.00 per unit.
    - iv. 24-pack Kona Beers: \$2.75 per unit.

- b. With Proof of Purchase. Claimants who submit sufficient Proof of Purchase and age verification may claim the above payments per unit, up to a maximum recovery of \$20 per Settlement Class Member.
- c. Without Proof of Purchase. Claimants who do not submit sufficient Proof of Purchase, or no Proof of Purchase at all, but who submit attestation of his or her purchase of Kona Beers under penalty of perjury, along with age verification, may claim the above payments per unit, up to a maximum recovery of up to \$10 per Settlement Class Member.
- d. Option to Terminate. Subject to the above terms, should the Settlement Class Members submit more than one million (1,000,000) Claims in this Settlement (regardless of the dollar amount of such claims), CBA shall have the unconditional right, but not the obligation, to terminate this Settlement Agreement. If CBA elects to terminate this Settlement Agreement under this paragraph, CBA must provide written notice to the other Parties' counsel, by hand delivery, mail, or e-mail within ten (10) calendar days of the occurrence of the condition permitting termination. CBA shall be responsible for any Settlement Notice costs incurred if it chooses to exercise this option.

### **Injunctive Relief**

- 78. Not later than March 2020 or thirty calendar days after the Effective Date, whichever is later, CBA shall make the following changes to its business practices:
  - a. To the extent permitted by law and/or regulation, CBA shall include a conspicuous statement on all consumer-facing Kona Beer packaging on a panel other than the bottom of the package that lists each location where the Kona Beers are brewed or

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lists the location or locations at which a particular Kona Beer is brewed, for a minimum of four years after the Effective Date. An initial mock-up of the new packaging for one of the Kona Beer products is attached hereto as **Exhibit 7**.

- b. For a minimum of four years after the Effective Date, CBA's General Counsel or
   his or her designee shall conduct annual meetings with CBA's marketing
   department to review and comply with the injunctive terms of this Settlement.
- 79. To the extent not already done, and to the extent necessary, CBA agrees to provide Plaintiffs and Class Counsel with sufficient confidential sales information and forecasts that will allow the Parties to estimate the monetary value of the foregoing injunctive relief to the Settlement Class. CBA shall not oppose the use of this information in connection with any filings or proceedings related to the Settlement, provided that Plaintiffs shall provide CBA the opportunity to review any such filings in advance, and the Parties will meet and confer and reach mutual agreement as to the appropriate form of disclosing such information to the Court, which may involve filing under seal. The Parties acknowledge and recognize that, in accordance with the interest of public transparency, the filing of any such information under seal will not be requested unless the Parties believe it is necessary to do so.

# III. CLAIMS PROCESS AND PAYMENT

#### **Submission of Claims**

80. To be eligible to receive the Settlement Benefit under the Settlement Agreement, Settlement Class Members must submit a claim to the Settlement Administrator by either:
(a) completing, certifying, and mailing the Claim Form to the Settlement Administrator;
(b) completing, certifying, and submitting the Claim Form electronically on the Settlement

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Website; or (c) completing, certifying and submitting all information contained in the Claim Form electronically on the Settlement Website.

- 81. In order to be timely, the Claim Form must be postmarked or electronically submitted by no later than the Claim Deadline. Claim Forms postmarked or electronically submitted after the Claim Deadline may be denied by the Settlement Administrator, and CBA will not be obligated to make any payment on such claims, unless the Parties agree otherwise.
- 82. In order to be valid, the Claim Form must: (a) be signed in hard copy or electronically by the Settlement Class Member under penalty of perjury; and (b) bear an attestation by the Settlement Class Member that he/she purchased the Kona Beers during the Class Period, and that he/she was over 21 years old at the time of purchase(s) of the claimed Kona Beers. Claim Forms that do not meet these requirements may be denied by the Settlement Administrator, and CBA will not be obligated to make any payment on such claims, unless the Parties agree otherwise.

#### **Review of Claims**

83. The Settlement Administrator shall review all submitted Claim Forms within a reasonable time to determine the validity and timeliness of the Claim, each Settlement Class Member's eligibility for the Settlement Benefit, and the amount of such relief, if any. Copies of submitted Claim Forms shall be provided to CBA's Counsel and to Class Counsel upon request. Settlement Class Members who submit valid and timely Claim Forms shall be entitled to the Settlement Benefit. Settlement Class Members who submit Claims Forms that do not meet the eligibility requirements described herein may not be entitled to such relief.

### Invalid/Fraudulent Claims

84. The Settlement Administrator shall use good faith and appropriate procedures to prevent, detect, and reject the payment of Fraudulent Claims and ensure payment of only legitimate claims. The Settlement Administrator shall notify the Claimant via mail or email of the rejection. If any Claimant whose Claim Form has been rejected, in whole or in part, desires to contest such rejection, the Claimant must, within ten (10) calendar days from receipt of the rejection, mail or email the Settlement Administrator a notice and statement of reasons indicating the grounds for contesting the rejection along with any supporting documentation, requesting further review by the Settlement Administrator, of denial of the Claim. If any Claimant whose Claim Form has been rejected fails to respond to the Settlement Administrator with within ten (10) calendar days from receipt of the rejection, the Relational and valid. The Settlement Administrator, in consultation with CBA's Counsel and Class Counsel, shall notify the Claimant of its decision within ten (10) business days from receipt of the Claimant's reply contesting the rejection.

#### **Incomplete or Inaccurate Claim Forms**

- 85. After receipt of any Claim Forms containing incomplete or inaccurate information, and/or submitted Claims Forms omitting required information, the Settlement Administrator shall send a Notice of Missing or Inaccurate Information explaining what information is missing or inaccurate.
- 86. Claimants shall have until the end of the Claims Period, or thirty (30) calendar days from when the Notice of Missing or Inaccurate Information was mailed, whichever is later, to reply to the Notice of Missing or Inaccurate Information, and provide the required information.

87. If a Claimant fails to respond by the end of the Claims Period or within thirty (30) calendar days from when the Notice of Missing or Inaccurate Information was mailed, whichever is later, or the Settlement Administrator is unable to provide a Notice of Missing or Inaccurate Information as a result of the omitted information, the Settlement Administrator will reject such Claimant's claim, and CBA will not be obligated to make any payment on such claim.

### **Provision of Settlement Benefits**

- 88. CBA shall transmit to the Settlement Administrator the aggregate dollar value of all Settlement Benefits by no later than fifteen (15) calendar days after the Effective Date.
- 89. The Settlement Administrator shall pay all Settlement Benefits to Settlement Class Members who are eligible and who submit a valid and timely Claim Form within fifteen (15) calendar days of receiving the funds from CBA or thirty (30) calendar days of the Effective Date, whichever date is earlier.
- 90. Within twenty-one (21) calendar days after the distribution of the Settlement Benefits, theParties shall file a Post-Distribution Accounting with the Court.
- 91. All cash awards to Settlement Class Members will be in the form of a check or via electronic payment, whichever option the Settlement Class Member so chooses.

# IV. NOTICE

92. Notice of the Settlement shall conform to all applicable requirements of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, the United States Constitution (including the Due Process Clauses), the Class Action Fairness Act of 2005, 28 U.S.C. § 1715, the United States District Court for the Northern District of California's Procedural Guidance for Class Action Settlements, and any other applicable law, and shall otherwise be in the manner and form approved by the Court. To the extent any changes to the notice plan set forth herein need to be modified in any way, the Parties agree to work cooperatively to make any such changes.

# **Forms of Notice**

- 93. Upon Preliminary Approval, Notice of the Settlement shall be according to the following Notice Plan:
  - a. <u>Settlement Website Notice</u>: No later than five (5) calendar days before Internet Publication Notice (*see* Paragraph 93(e)), the Settlement Administrator shall create a Settlement Website, which will include, *inter alia*, links to the Long Form Notice, the Summary Notice, this Settlement Agreement and Exhibits, the Claim Form, relevant filings and orders, and information relating to filing a claim, objecting to the Settlement, opting out of the Settlement, other deadlines relating to the Settlement, and instructions on how to access the case docket via PACER or in person at any of the Court's locations.
  - b. <u>Toll-Free Telephone Support</u>: No later than five (5) calendar days before Internet Publication Notice (*see* Paragraph 93(e)), the Settlement Administrator shall establish a toll-free telephone support system to provide Settlement Class Members with (a) general information about the Action and Settlement; (b) frequently asked questions and answers; and (c) information relating to filing a claim, objecting to the Settlement, opting out of the Settlement, and other deadlines relating to the Settlement.
  - c. <u>Direct Notice</u>: At or before the filing of the Motion for Preliminary Approval, CBA shall provide the Settlement Administrator with a list of all potential Class Members for whom it has e-mail or mailing addresses. No later than twenty-five

(25) calendar days after Preliminary Approval, the Settlement Administrator shall cause the Summary Notice to be sent to all Class Members for whom email addresses or mailing addresses have been provided.

- d. <u>Print Publication Notice</u>: On the first available publication date after Preliminary Approval, the Settlement Administrator will publish the Summary Notice in print in National Geographic Magazine for a period of one month. On the first available publication date after Preliminary Approval, the Settlement Administrator will also publish the Summary Notice in print in the San Jose Mercury News Newspapers one day per week for a period of four consecutive weeks in compliance with the CLRA.
- e. Internet Publication Notice: No later than twenty-five (25) calendar days after Preliminary Approval, the Settlement Administrator will issue an informational press release to PR Newswire of the Settlement. The press release will include the Settlement Website address so that Settlement Class Members can easily access information about the Action and Settlement. The Settlement Administrator will also purchase Internet banner notice ads that will allow access to the Settlement Website through an embedded hyperlink contained within the banner notice ad. These Internet banner ads will be first published no later than twenty-five (25) calendar days after Preliminary Approval, and will continue for a period of ten (10) weeks.

# V. ADMINISTRATION OF SETTLEMENT

94. All Settlement Notice and Administration Costs shall be paid by CBA.

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- 95. The Settlement Administrator shall be responsible for administrative tasks, including, without limitation:
  - a. Arranging, as set forth in this Section and in the Preliminary Approval Order, for distribution of Notice of the Settlement (in a form substantially similar to that approved by the Court) and Claims Forms (in a form substantially similar to that approved by the Court) to Settlement Class Members;
  - b. Answering inquiries from Settlement Class Members and/or forwarding such written inquiries to Class Counsel or their designee;
  - Receiving and maintaining correspondence regarding Objections and Requests for Exclusion from the Settlement Agreement;
  - d. Posting notices, Claim Forms, and other related documents on the Settlement
     Website and otherwise maintaining the Settlement Website;
  - e. Receiving and processing Claim Forms, including sending Notices of Missing or Inaccurate Information where applicable;
  - f. Providing weekly updates to CBA's Counsel and Class Counsel regarding the number of Claims, Requests for Exclusion, and Objections. The updates shall be made on Friday of every week;
  - g. Providing declaration(s) in support of preliminary and final approval as necessary and appropriate;
  - h. Distributing all payments under the Settlement, including payments to Settlement
     Class Members and the Class Representative Service Awards;
  - i. Providing a post-distribution accounting declaration; and

j. Otherwise assisting with implementation and administration of the Settlement Agreement terms as the Parties mutually agree or the Court orders the Settlement Administrator to perform.

# VI. OBJECTIONS AND OPT-OUTS

### **Objections**

- 96. Settlement Class Members shall have the right to appear and present Objections as to any reason why the terms of this Agreement should not be given Final Approval. Any Objection must be in writing and submitted to the Court no later than the Objection/Exclusion Deadline. Settlement Class Members shall submit written objection to the Court, either by (1) mailing them to the Class Action Clerk, United States District Court for the Northern District of California, 280 South 1st Street, Courtroom 3, San Jose, CA 95113, or (2) filing them in person at any location of the United States District Court for the Northern District of California or via the ECF electronic filing system.
- 97. Any Objection must contain a caption or title that identifies it as "Objection to Class Settlement in *Broomfield, et al. v. Craft Brew Alliance, Inc.*, No. 5-17-cv-01027-BLF" and shall also contain:
  - a. Information sufficient to identify and contact the objecting Settlement Class Member, including name, address, telephone number, and, if available, email address, and if represented by counsel, the foregoing information for his/her counsel;
  - b. Whether the Settlement Class Member, or his or her counsel, intends to appear at the Final Approval Hearing;

- c. Whether the Objection applies only to the Settlement Class Member, to a specific subset of the Settlement Class, or to the entire Settlement Class;
- d. A clear and concise statement of the Settlement Class Member's Objection, including all bases and legal grounds for the Objection;
- e. Documents sufficient to establish the person's standing as a Settlement Class Member, *i.e.*, verification under penalty of perjury as to the person's purchase of Kona Beers during the Class Period, or a Proof of Purchase;
- f. A list of any other objections submitted by the Settlement Class Member, or his/her counsel, to any proposed class action settlements submitted in any court, whether state or federal, in the United States for the previous five (5) years. If the Settlement Class Member or his/her counsel has not objected to any other class action settlement in any other court in the previous five (5) years, he or she shall affirmatively state so; and
- 98. No Settlement Class Member shall be entitled to be heard at the Final Approval Hearing (whether individually or through counsel) or to object to the Agreement, and no written Objections or briefs submitted by any Settlement Class Member shall be received or considered by the Court at the Final Approval Hearing, unless written notice of the Settlement Class Member's intention to appear at the Final Approval Hearing, and copies of any written Objections or briefs, have been filed with the Court on or before the Objection/Exclusion Deadline.
- 99. Class Counsel and CBA shall have the right to respond to any Objection no later than thirtyfive (35) calendar days prior to the Final Approval Hearing.

100. Settlement Class Members who fail to submit written Objections in the manner specified above shall be deemed to have waived any objections and shall be foreclosed from making any objection (whether by appeal or otherwise) to the Settlement Agreement and shall be bound, to the extent allowed by law, by the terms of the Settlement Agreement.

# **Requests for Exclusion/Opt Out**

- 101. Any Settlement Class Member who does not wish to participate in this Settlement must submit a Request for Exclusion to the Settlement Administrator by the Objection/Exclusion Deadline, stating a clear intention to be "excluded" from this Settlement. The written request for exclusion must contain the Settlement Class Member's name, current address, and telephone number. The Request for Exclusion must be personally signed by the Settlement Class Member, dated and sent to the Settlement Administrator via the Settlement Website or by hard copy sent via U.S. Mail.
- 102. The date of the postmark on the envelope, or the electronic date of submission in the case of a submission via the Settlement Website, shall be the exclusive means used to determine whether a Request for Exclusion has been timely submitted by the Objection/Exclusion Deadline. Any Settlement Class Member whose request to be excluded from the Settlement Class is approved by the Court will not be bound by this Settlement Agreement nor will he or she have any right to object, appeal, or comment thereon.
- 103. Settlement Class Members who fail to submit a valid and timely Request for Exclusion on or before the Objection/Exclusion Deadline shall be bound, to the extent allowed by law, by all terms of the Settlement Agreement and any Judgment entered in the Action if the Settlement Agreement is approved by the Court, regardless of whether they have requested exclusion from the Class.

104. Settlement Class Members who submit a valid and timely Request for Exclusion cannot object to the Settlement.

#### No Solicitation of Objections or Exclusions

105. The Parties and their counsel agree to use their best efforts to carry out this Agreement. At no time shall any of the Parties or their counsel seek to solicit or otherwise encourage any Party or Settlement Class Member to submit Objections or Requests for Exclusion, or to appeal from the Court's Judgment.

# VII. ATTORNEYS' FEES & COSTS, AND CLASS REPRESENTATIVE SERVICE AWARDS

### Attorneys' Fees and Costs

- 106. Class Counsel shall submit a Fee Application for an award of attorneys' fees and costs, including expert fees and costs, in an amount not to exceed \$2,900,000.00 (Two Million Nine Hundred Thousand Dollars and Zero Cents). CBA and its counsel will not oppose or undermine that request or solicit others to do so.
- 107. The Fee Award shall be the total obligation of CBA to pay for attorneys' fees, costs, and/or expenses of any kind (including, but not limited to, travel, filing fees, court reporter and videographer expenses, expert fees and costs, notice of pendency costs and expenses, and document review and production costs) related to this Action.
- 108. CBA shall pay the Fee Award by wire transfer to Class Counsel not later than ten (10) calendar days following Final Approval.
- 109. This Settlement is not contingent upon the Court awarding any particular amount in attorneys' fees and costs, however, Plaintiffs retain the right to appeal any decision by the Court regarding the Fee Award.
- 110. Class Counsel, in their sole discretion, shall allocate and distribute the Fee Award.

111. CBA shall pay its own attorneys' fees and costs incurred in this Action.

### **Class Representative Service Awards**

- 112. In recognition of the time and effort the Class Representatives expended in pursuing this Action and fulfilling their obligations and responsibilities as Class Representatives, Class Counsel shall also petition the Court for, and CBA shall not oppose, a service award in an amount of \$5,000.00 (Five Thousand Dollars and Zero Cents) to each of the two Class Representatives.
- 113. The Court's award of any Class Representative Service Awards shall be separate from its determination of whether to approve the Settlement as set forth in this Agreement.
- 114. In the event the Court approves the Settlement, but declines to award a Class Representative Service Award in the amount requested by Class Counsel, the Settlement will nevertheless be binding on the Parties. However, if the Court declines to approve the Settlement, no Class Representative Service Awards shall be paid.
- 115. CBA shall pay the Class Representative Service Awards by wire transfer to the Settlement Administrator not later than fifteen (15) calendar days after the Effective Date. The Settlement Administrator shall pay the Class Representative Service Awards to Plaintiffs within fifteen (15) calendar days of receiving the funds from CBA or thirty (30) calendar days of the Effective Date, whichever date is earlier. The Settlement Administrator shall issue an IRS Form 1099-MISC to Plaintiffs solely for the amount awarded by the Court for each Plaintiffs' Class Representative Service Award. Plaintiffs shall be solely and legally responsible to pay and all applicable taxes on their Class Representative Service Awards, and shall hold harmless CBA and Class Counsel from any claim or liability for

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taxes, penalties, or interest arising as a result of the Class Representative Service Awards.

116. Payment by CBA of the Class Representative Service Awards is separate from, and in addition to, the other relief afforded to the Settlement Class Members in this Agreement.

# VIII. PRELIMINARY APPROVAL

### **Motion for Preliminary Approval**

- 117. As soon as reasonably practicable after the signing of this Settlement Agreement, Plaintiffs shall file an unopposed Motion for Preliminary Approval of Class Settlement that seeks entry of the Preliminary Approval Order, which, in accordance with the terms of this Agreement, for settlement purposes only would:
  - a. Preliminarily approve this Settlement Agreement;
  - b. Certify a Settlement Class under Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 23 composed of the Settlement Class Members;
  - c. Approve the Settlement Administrator;
  - Approve and authorize the contents of the Notice Plan and distribution of the Notice;
  - e. Approve and authorize the procedures for submitting Objections and Requests for Exclusion and the binding nature thereof;
  - f. Set deadlines for submitting papers in support of the Motion for Final Approval, the Motion for Attorneys' Fees, Costs, and Expenses and Class Representative Service Awards, and any responses to timely and valid Objections;
  - g. Schedule the Final Approval Hearing to determine whether Final Approval of the Settlement Agreement is warranted; and

 h. Stay all activity in the Action except to the extent necessary to effectuate this Agreement unless and until this Agreement is terminated pursuant to its terms and conditions.

# **Certification of Settlement Class for Settlement Purposes Only**

- 118. The Parties agree, for settlement purposes only, that the Settlement Class shall be certified and proceed as a class action under Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 23(b)(3), with a class consisting of all Settlement Class Members, and with Plaintiffs Theodore Broomfield and Simone Zimmer as Class Representatives, and with Class Counsel as counsel for the Settlement Class Members.
- 119. In the event that the Court does not preliminarily or finally approve the Settlement Agreement, nothing herein shall be construed to alter the Court's September 25, 2018 Certification Order, or CBA's ability to contest that decision.

# IX. FINAL APPROVAL

# **Motion for Final Approval**

- 120. Prior to the Final Approval Hearing, Class Counsel shall petition the Court for Final Approval and Order and Final Judgment that would:
  - a. Confirm the certification of the Settlement Class as defined above;
  - b. Dismiss this Action, with prejudice, upon the Effective Date;
  - c. Decree that neither the Final Approval nor this Agreement constitutes an admission of liability, fault or wrongdoing;
  - d. Release the Released Parties from the Released Claims of the Releasing Parties;
  - e. Find that this Agreement is entered into in good faith, is reasonable, fair and adequate, and is in the best interest of the Settlement Class Members; and

- f. Make such orders as are necessary and appropriate to effectuate the terms and conditions of this Settlement Agreement.
- 121. Prior to the Final Approval Hearing, Class Counsel and CBA shall have the right to respond to any Objections submitted by Settlement Class Members.

# **Final Approval Hearing**

122. The Court shall conduct a Final Approval Hearing so that the Court may review any objections to this Agreement, consider the fairness, reasonableness and adequacy of this Agreement and consider the Parties' petition for Final Approval and Class Counsel's Application for a Fee Award and for the Class Representatives' Service Awards. The date of the Final Approval Hearing shall be posted on the Settlement Website in advance of the hearing. If the date of the Final Approval Hearing is subsequently modified by the Court, no further notice is required to be published to Settlement Class Members, except that, the Parties will notify any Settlement Class Member who has filed a timely Objection in writing of any change to the date of the Final Approval Hearing.

# **Dismissal of this Action**

123. The Final Approval shall provide that this Action shall be dismissed, with prejudice, upon the Effective Date.

# X. RELEASES

# **General Release from Liability**

124. Upon Effective Date, each of the Plaintiffs and each Settlement Class Member who has not validly and timely submitted a Request for Exclusion shall be deemed to release and forever discharge any and all Released Parties of and from liability of any kind or type whatsoever for any and all Released Claims, and shall be permanently barred and enjoined

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from initiating, asserting and/or prosecuting any Released Claim(s) against any Released Party in any court or forum. This Agreement shall be the sole and exclusive remedy available to the Releasing Parties for any and all Released Claims against the Released Parties. No Released Party shall be subject to liability or expense of any kind to any Releasing Party with respect to any Released Claim.

- 125. The Parties agree that they may hereafter discover facts in addition to or different from those they believe to be true with respect to the subject matter of this Agreement. The Parties agree that, notwithstanding the discovery of the existence of any such additional or different facts that, if known, would materially affect its decision to enter into this Agreement, the releases herein given shall be and remain in effect as a full, final and complete general release of the Released Claims and the Parties shall not be entitled to modify or set aside this Agreement, either in whole or in part, by reason thereof. The Parties hereby waive and relinquish, to the fullest extent permitted by law, the rights and benefits of any statute which might otherwise render unenforceable a release contained in this Agreement.
- 126. With respect to all Released Claims, Plaintiffs and each of the other Settlement Class Members who have not validly opted out of this Settlement agree that they are expressly waiving and relinquishing to the fullest extent permitted by law (a) the provisions, rights and benefits conferred by Section 1542 of the California Civil Code, which provides: "A GENERAL RELEASE DOES NOT EXTEND TO CLAIMS THAT THE CREDITOR OR RELEASING PARTY DOES NOT KNOW OR SUSPECT TO EXIST IN HIS OR HER FAVOR AT THE TIME OF EXECUTING THE RELEASE AND THAT, IF KNOWN BY HIM OR HER, WOULD HAVE MATERIALLY AFFECTED HIS OR HER

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SETTLEMENT WITH THE DEBTOR OR RELEASED PARTY" and (b) any law of any state or territory of the United States, federal law or principle of common law, or of international or foreign law, that is similar, comparable or equivalent to Section 1542 of the California Civil Code.

### XI. Termination and Effect of Termination

- 127. Each Party shall have the right to terminate this Settlement Agreement if: (a) the Court denies preliminary approval of this Settlement Agreement (or grants preliminary approval through an order that is not substantially similar in form and substance to Exhibit 4 hereto); (b) the Court denies final approval of this Settlement Agreement (or grants final approval through an order that materially differs in substance from Exhibit 5 hereto); or (c) the Final Approval Order and Judgment do not become Final by reason of a higher court reversing final approval by the Court, and the Court thereafter declines to enter a further order or orders approving the Settlement on the terms set forth herein. If a Party elects to terminate this Settlement Agreement under this paragraph, that Party must provide written notice to the other Parties' counsel, by hand delivery, mail, or e-mail within ten (10) calendar days of the occurrence of the condition permitting termination.
- 128. If the Settlement is not approved, the Parties shall meet and confer in good faith, in an effort to effectuate the material terms of the Settlement and/or negotiate a different settlement, consistent with the Parties' desire to resolve this Action. As part of this meet and confer process, the Parties shall contact the mediator (Bruce A. Edwards), or another mediator as mutually agreed by the Parties.
- 129. Nothing shall prevent Plaintiffs and/or CBA from appealing or seeking other appropriate relief from an appellate court with respect to any denial by the Court of Final Approval of

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the Settlement. In the event such appellate proceedings result, by order of the appellate court or by an order after remand or a combination thereof, in the entry of an order(s) whereby the Settlement is approved in a manner substantially consistent with the substantive terms and intent of this Settlement Agreement, and dismissing all claims in the Action with prejudice, and otherwise meeting the substantive criteria of this Agreement for approval of the Settlement, such order shall be treated as a Final Approval Order.

130. If this Settlement Agreement is terminated or disapproved, or if the Effective Date should not occur for any reason, then: (a) this Settlement Agreement and all orders entered in connection therewith shall be rendered null and void; and (b) all Parties shall be deemed to have reverted to their respective status in the Action as of the date and time immediately preceding the execution of this Settlement Agreement and, except as otherwise expressly provided, the Parties shall stand in the same position and shall proceed in all respects as if this Settlement Agreement and any related orders had never been executed, entered into, or filed, except that the Parties shall not seek to recover from one another any attorneys' fees, costs, and expenses incurred in connection with this Settlement, including any Settlement Notice and Administration costs already incurred by the Settlement Administrator.

### XII. Non-Admission of Fault or Liability

131. This Agreement, whether or not consummated, and any communications exchanged or actions taken pursuant to or during the negotiation of this Agreement are for settlement purposes only. Neither the fact of nor the contents of this Agreement or its exhibits, nor any communications exchanged, nor actions taken, pursuant to or during the negotiation of this Agreement, shall constitute, be construed as, or be admissible in evidence as an

admission of the validity of any claim asserted or fact alleged in this Action or of any wrongdoing, fault, violation of law or liability of any kind on the part of CBA.

# XIII. Miscellaneous

#### **Non-Admissibility**

132. This Agreement and all negotiations, correspondence and communications leading up to its execution shall be deemed to be within the protection of Federal Rule of Evidence 408 and any analogous state or federal rules or principles. Neither this Agreement, nor any terms, conditions, contents or provisions hereof or exhibits hereto, nor any negotiations, correspondence or communications leading up to the execution of this Agreement, shall constitute a precedent or be admissible for any purpose in any proceeding; provided, however, that this Agreement shall be admissible in any proceeding related to the approval of this Agreement, to enforce any of its terms and conditions, to support or defend this Agreement in an appeal from an order granting or denying Final Approval, or to enforce or assert a claim or defense of *res judicata, collateral estoppel*, claim preclusion, issue preclusion, settlement, release, merger and bar, or any similar claim or defense against the Plaintiffs, any Settlement Class Member, or any third party.

#### **Reservation of Rights**

133. This Settlement Agreement is made without prejudice to the right of CBA to take any position in its defense of the Action, should this Agreement not be approved or implemented.

# **Dispute Resolution**

134. If Plaintiffs or Class Counsel, on behalf of Plaintiffs or any Settlement Class Member, or CBA's Counsel, on behalf of CBA, at any time believe that the other Party has breached or acted contrary to the Agreement, that Party shall notify the other Party in writing of the alleged violation. The Parties shall meet and confer in good faith to resolve the dispute. If the Parties are unable to resolve their differences within twenty (20) calendar days, either Party shall first contact the mediator (Bruce A. Edwards) to try to resolve the dispute. If that proves unsuccessful, the Party may file an appropriate motion for enforcement with the Court.

#### Non-Disparagement

135. Class Counsel and Class Representatives agree not to disparage or otherwise take any action which could reasonably be expected to adversely affect the reputation of CBA regarding this matter. CBA and its attorneys agree not to disparage or otherwise take any action which could reasonably be expected to adversely affect the personal or professional reputation of Class Counsel and Class Representatives regarding this matter.

### Authority to Execute

136. The Parties warrant and represent that the persons executing this Agreement are duly authorized to do so.

#### **Assignment of Claims**

137. The Parties warrant and represent that no claim or any portion of any claim referenced or released in this Agreement has been sold, assigned, conveyed, or otherwise transferred to any other entity or Person.

### **Reading and Understanding**

138. The Parties warrant and represent that they have carefully read this Agreement, have consulted their attorneys regarding this Agreement, and fully understand and voluntarily accept the terms and conditions of this Agreement.

### **Reliance on Own Judgment**

- 139. The Parties warrant and represent that they have relied upon their own judgment and that of their legal counsel regarding the sufficient and agreed upon consideration for this Agreement and that no statement or representation by any of the other Parties or their agents, employees, officers, directors or legal representatives influenced or induced them to execute this Agreement.
- 140. This Agreement shall be construed under and governed by the laws of the State of California, applied without regard to laws applicable to choice of law.

#### **Jurisdiction of the Court**

141. The Court shall retain jurisdiction with respect to the interpretation, implementation and enforcement of the terms of this Agreement and all orders and judgments entered in connection therewith, and the parties and their counsel hereto submit to the jurisdiction of the Court for purposes of interpreting, implementing and enforcing the resolution embodied in this Agreement and all orders and judgments entered in connection therewith.

# **Entire Agreement**

142. This Agreement, including all exhibits hereto, shall constitute the entire Agreement among the Parties with regard to the subject of this Agreement and shall supersede any previous agreements, representations, communications and understandings among the Parties with respect to the subject matter of this Agreement.

# **Joint Preparation**

143. This Agreement shall be construed as if the Parties jointly prepared it, and any uncertainty or ambiguity shall not be interpreted against any of the Parties.

# Recitals

144. The Recitals are a material part of this Agreement and are incorporated herein in their entirety.

# Captions

145. The captions used in this Agreement are for convenience and identification purposes only, and are not part of this Agreement.

# **Amendment or Modification**

146. This Agreement may not be changed, modified, or amended except in writing signed by all Parties (or their successors-in-interest) and approved by the Court. Notwithstanding the foregoing, however, the claims process set forth above may be modified by mutual agreement of the Parties without Court approval and the Parties may agree to reasonable extensions of time in which to accomplish the tasks required by the terms and conditions of this Agreement.

# Cooperation

147. The Parties and their counsel agree to cooperate fully with one another and to use their best efforts to effectuate the Settlement, including without limitation in seeking preliminary and final Court approval of the Settlement embodied herein, carrying out the terms of this Settlement, and promptly agreeing upon and executing all such other documentation as may be reasonably required to obtain Final Approval by the Court of the Settlement.

# No Waiver

148. The waiver of any term or condition or breach of this Agreement shall not be deemed to be a waiver of any other term or condition or breach of this Agreement and shall not be deemed to be a continuing waiver.

# Parties' Waiver of Right to be Excluded and Object.

149. The Parties agree that by signing this Agreement they are bound to these terms. The Parties agree to not object to or appeal from this Agreement or the exhibits attached hereto. Plaintiffs further agree not to request to be excluded from the Class.

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