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BEFORE THE DEPARTMENT OF REAL ESTATE

STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of:

DRE NO. H-2504 FR

KENNETH MARK DOOLITTLE and,
MONTEREY BAY SECURITITES, INC.,

Respondents

Respondents

BAR ORDER

(B&P Code § 10087)

TO: KENNETH MARK DOOLITTLE 1406 North Main Street, # 210 Meridian, ID 83642

Pursuant to Section 10087(b) of the California Business and Professions Code (hereinafter "the Code"), you are hereby notified of the intention of the California Real Estate Commissioner (hereinafter "Commissioner") to issue a Bar Order pursuant to Section 10087(a) of the California Business and Professions Code.

Pursuant to the authority granted by Section 10087 of the Code, and after review and consideration of the following facts, the Commissioner makes the following:

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. On or about September 11, 2009, the Department filed an Accusation against Respondents, KENNETH MARK DOOLITTLE ("DOOLITTLE") and MONTEREY BAY SECURITITES, Inc. ("MBS"). A true and correct copy of the Department's

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September 11, 2009 Accusation is attached hereto as Exhibit "1" and incorporated herein by 1 reference. The Department's accusation alleged, inter alia: 3 On or about January 2, 2007, the California Department of Corporations 4 (hereinafter the "DOC") issued a Desist and Refrain Order for violations of Sections 25110, 5 25230 and 25401 of the California Corporations Code. The DOC ordered Respondents 6 DOOLITTLE and MBS cease conducting business activities that violated the California 7 Corporations Code, including, inter alia, offering for sale securities wherein the offers contained material statements which were untrue or misleading and/or omitted material facts, all in violation of Corporations Code Section 25401; that Respondent DOOLITTLE was doing 10 business as Respondent MBS and also was doing business as Monterey Bay Investments, 11 M Homes, Mobile Repo, Inc., Recycled Mobile Homes and/or Recycled Homes and was 12 conducting business as an investment advisor without first applying for and securing a certificate 13 from the DOC authorizing such activities, all in violation of Section 25230 of the California 14 Corporations Code. Further, the DOC ordered Respondents DOOLITTLE and MBS to quit 15 offering or selling securities until the offerings and sales had been qualified, under the California 16 Corporations Code or which were otherwise exempt from qualification. 17 2 18 On or about May 27, 2008, the DOC in OAH Case Number L-2007090318, 19 adopted, with minor typographical error corrections, the proposed decision of Administrative 20 Law Judge Mary-Margaret Anderson wherein Judge Anderson made, among other findings, the 21 following: 1. Respondent DOOLITTLE had moved Respondent MBS out of its office 22 located at 11 Seascape Village, Aptos, California and was now receiving mail through an Aptos post office box; 23 24 Respondent DOOLITTLE had relocated to the State of Idaho and was 2. operating out of the Idaho location; 25 3. In March 2005, the Department of Housing and Community 26 Development denied Respondents' DOOLITTLE and MBS application for a license required to sell new manufactured homes within the state of 27 California:

- 4. Respondent DOOLITTLE failed to inform his clients of a 1997 NASD (National Association of Securities Dealers) action concerning his failure to disclose a pending San Mateo County Superior Court felony criminal action on his NASD *Uniform Application for Securities Industry Registration or Transfer* (Form U-4) required by the NASD. This complaint resulted in a 2007 settlement wherein Respondents DOOLITTLE and MBS withdrew their membership with the NASD:
- 5. Respondent DOOLITTLE failed to turn over certain Books and Records to the DOC as requested by the DOC in connection with Respondents' DOOLITTLE and MBS surrender of its Broker-Dealer license;
- 6. Between 1997 and 2005, Respondents' DOOLITTLE and MBS bought and sold more than 500 manufactured homes with some being sold outright, but with the vast majority sold with seller-provided financing with funds obtained from private third party investors solicited by Respondents DOOLITTLE and MBS by publishing a booklet entitled Recycled Housing Manufactured Home Promissory Note Mortgage Program and through advertisements seeking First Deed of Trust investors;
- 7. Respondent DOOLITTLE indicated that Recycled Housing was a fictitious business name of Respondent DOOLITTLE;
- 8. The funds received from investors were placed in a single bank account in which the funds could sit for months without being invested and when invested the investment, at times, was moved from one deed of trust to another based solely upon the decision of Respondent DOOLITTLE;
- 9. Payments on the deeds of trust were made directly to Respondent DOOLITTLE as the servicer of the notes;
- 10. During the hearing on the DOC accusation, Respondent DOOLITTLE took the position his manufactured home sales and lending activities were being conducted under his Department of Real Estate license and that Recycled Housing was a d.b.a. under his Department of Real Estate license;
- 11. Judge Anderson found that the activities of Respondent DOOLITTLE and MBS were the offering and selling of securities for which a DOC license was required; and,
- 12. Judge Anderson granted the DOC's request to bar Respondent DOOLITTLE from the Securities Industry, finding that it was in the best interest of the public.

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The findings of fact in Department of Corporations, Case Number L2007090318, and the January 2, 2007 Department of Corporations' Desist and Refrain Order identified above include findings that Respondents DOOLITTLE and/or MBS violated California Corporate Securities Laws, including, but not limited to, Sections 25212, 25401, 25230, 25224, and, 25110 of the California Corporations Code.

In addition, in its May 27, 2008 Decision, the Department of Corporations, pursuant to California Corporations Code Section 25213, barred Respondents DOOLITTLE and MBS from future employment in the securities industry.

The aforementioned California Corporations Code violations and Department of Corporations Debarment give rise to grounds for suspension or revocation of Respondents' DOOLITTLE and MBS broker licenses pursuant to Section 10177(n) of the California Business and Professions Code.

In addition, the acts and/or omissions identified above, and contained within the Department of Corporations Decision in OAH Case Number L-2007090318 and the Department of Corporation's January 2, 2007 Desist and Refrain Order, if committed by a real estate licensee in the context of the representation of real estate clients, would constitute grounds for suspension or revocation of a real estate license pursuant to the provisions of Section 10176 (i) of the Code and Section 2832, Title 10, of the California Code of Regulations (the "Regulations").

Further, Respondent DOOLITTLE, as the designated officer/broker of Respondent MBS was required to exercise reasonable supervision and control over the activities of Respondent MBS. These duties included, but were not limited to, insuring that the Respondent MBS complied with relevant California Corporation Code Sections. Respondent DOOLITTLE failed

1 to exercise reasonable supervision and control over the activities of Respondent MBS as 2 evidenced by the disciplinary action taken by the Department of Corporations against 3 Respondent MBS, as identified above; all in violation of Section 10159.2 of the Code which 4 constitutes cause for suspension or revocation of all licenses and license rights of Respondents 5 DOOLITTLE and MBS under Section 10177(d) of the Code. 6 3. On May 13, 2010, in the Oakland Office of the Department of 7 Administrative Hearings after proper notice being given to Respondents DOOLITTLE and MBS and having failed to appear and/or otherwise seek a continuance and/or object to the hearing on 8 9 the Department's Accusation, a default hearing was held wherein the Department presented 10 evidence in support of the Department's Accusation. The Department was represented by Kenneth C. Espell, Real Estate Counsel. No one appeared on behalf of Respondents 11 DOOLITTLE and/or MBS. 12 13 4. On or about June 14, 2010, the Court issued its Proposed Decision recommending that Respondent KENNETH MARK DOOLITTLE's real estate broker license be 14 revoked outright and that Respondent Monterey Bay Securities, Inc.'s corporate real estate 15 broker license be revoked outright. The court further ruled that an Order of Debarment be 16 issued. On or about July 19, 2010, the Commissioner adopted the proposed decision as his 17 18 decision in this matter. A true and correct copy of the Commissioner's Decision dated July 19, 2010 is attached hereto as Exhibit "2" and is incorporated herein by reference. 19

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

Based on the aforementioned findings set forth above, the Commissioner has determined that:

- (A) A Bar Order is in the public interest;
- (B) Respondent has knowingly committed violations of the Real Estate Law; and,
- (C) Respondent's violations of the Real Estate Law have caused material damage to the public.

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NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that pursuant to the authority of Sections 10086 and 10087 of the Code, KENNETH MARK DOOLITTLE is hereby barred and prohibited for a period of thirty-six (36) months from the effective date of this Bar Order, from engaging in any of the following activities in the State of California:

- (A) Holding any position of employment, management, or control in a real estate business;
- (B) Participating in any business activity of a real estate salesperson or a real estate broker;
- (C) Engaging in any real estate related business activity on the premises where a real estate salesperson or real estate broker is conducting business; and, Participating in any real estate related business activity of a finance lender, residential mortgage lender, bank, credit union, escrow company, title company, or underwritten title company.

THIS BAR ORDER IS EFFECTIVE IMMEDIATELY.

It is so ordered on $\frac{7//9}{20/0}$

JEFF DAVI Real Estate Commissioner

BY: Barbara J. Bigby

Chief Deputy Commissioner

1 KENNETH C. ESPELL, Counsel (SBN 178757) Department of Real Estate JUL 2 3 2009 2 P. O. Box 187007 Sacramento, CA 95818-7007 **DEPARTMENT OF REAL ESTATE** 3 4 Telephone: (916) 227-0789 (916) 227-0868 (Direct) -or-5 6 7 BEFORE THE DEPARTMENT OF REAL ESTATE STATE OF CALIFORNIA 8 9 In the Matter of the Accusation of 10 H-2406 FR 11 ACCUSATION and KENNETH MARK DOOLITTLE and, NOTICE OF INTENT TO ISSUE 12 MONTEREY BAY SECURITIES, INC., ORDER OF DEBARMENT 13 Respondents. 14 The Complainant, JOHN SWEENEY, in his official capacity as a Deputy Real 15 Estate Commissioner of the State of California, for cause of Accusation against Respondents 16 KENNETH MARK DOOLITTLE ("DOOLITTLE") and MONTEREY BAY SECURITIES, 17 INC., ("MBS"), is informed and alleges as follows: 18 THE RESPONDENTS 19 20 Respondent DOOLITTLE is presently licensed and/or has license rights under the 21 Real Estate Law (Part 1 of Division 4 of the Business and Professions Code) (hereinafter "the 22 Code") as a real estate broker. 23 2 24 Respondent MBS is presently licensed and/or has license rights under the Real 25 Estate Law and is licensed by the Department of Real Estate (hereafter "the Department") as a 26 corporate real estate broker. Respondent MBS is currently a suspended California corporation 27

and therefore is not authorized to conduct business within the State of California.

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Whenever reference is made in an allegation in this Accusation to an act or omission of Respondent MBS, such allegation shall be deemed to mean that the officers, directors, employees, agents and real estate licensees employed by or associated with Respondent MBS committed such act or omission while engaged in the furtherance of the business or operations of Respondent MBS and while acting within the course and scope of their corporate authority and employment.

At all times herein mentioned, Respondent DOOLITTLE was and is the designated officer/broker of Respondent MBS. Pursuant to Sections 10159.2 and 10177(h) of the Code, as the designated officer/broker of Respondent MBS, Respondent DOOLITTLE was at all times mentioned herein responsible for the supervision of the activities of the officers, agents, real estate licensees and employees of Respondent MBS.

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At all times mentioned, Respondents DOOLITTLE and MBS engaged in the business of, acted in the capacity of, advertised or assumed to act as real estate brokers in the State of California within the meaning of Sections 10131(d) and 10131(e) of the Code, including the operation and conduct of a mortgage loan brokerage business with the public wherein Respondents solicited private money lenders and private borrowers for loans secured directly or collaterally by liens on real property or a business opportunity, and wherein such loans were arranged, negotiated, processed, and consummated by Respondent on behalf of others and wherein promissory notes or interests therein were sold or purchased on behalf of another or others for compensation or in expectation of a compensation.

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NOTICE OF INTENT TO ISSUE ORDER OF DEBARMENT

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The facts alleged in Paragraphs 6 through 9, and 12, above, subject Respondents DOOLITTLE AND MBS to the issuance of an Order of Debarment pursuant to Section 10087 of the Code. Pursuant to Section 10087(b) of the Code, you, Respondents DOOLITTLE and MBS, are hereby notified of the intention of the Commissioner to issue an Order of Debarment pursuant to Section 10087(a) of the Code should the facts alleged herein support findings that an Order of Debarment be issued.

WHEREFORE, Complainant prays that a hearing be conducted on the allegations of this Accusation and Notice of Intention to Issue Order of Debarment, and that upon proof thereof, a decision be rendered imposing disciplinary action against all licenses and license rights of Respondent under the Code and, in addition, an Order of Debarment issue against Respondent pursuant to Section 10087 of the Code, and for such other and further relief as may be proper under other provisions of law.

JOHN SWEENEY

Deputy Real Estate Commissioner

Dated at Fresno, California,

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DEPARTMENT OF REAL ESTATE

In the Matter of the Accusation of

KENNETH MARK DOOLITTLE and
MONTEREY BAY SECURITIES, INC.,

Respondents.

OAH NO. 2009090993

DECISION

The Proposed Decision dated June 14, 2010, of the Administrative Law Judge of the Office of Administrative Hearings is hereby adopted as the Decision of the Real Estate Commissioner in the above-entitled matter.

Pursuant to Section 11517(b)(3) of the Government Code, the following corrections are made to the Proposed Decision.

FACTUAL FINDINGS, Page 2, #2 of the Proposed Decision is revised to read:

"Respondent Monterey Bay Securities, Inc., is presently licensed. The license expired on March 24, 2010. . . "

The Decision suspends or revokes one or more real estate licenses on grounds of the conviction of a crime.

The right to reinstatement of a revoked real estate license or to the reduction of a suspension is controlled by Section 11522 of the Government Code. A copy of Section 11522 and a copy of the Commissioner's <u>Criteria of Rehabilitation</u> are attached hereto for the information of respondent.

This Decision shall become effective at 12 o'clock noon on AUG 9 2010

IT IS SO ORDERED 7/19, 2010.

JEFF DAVI Real Estate Commissioner

BY: Barbara J. Bigby

Chief Deputy Commissioner

EXHIBIT 7