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DEPARTMENT OF REAL ESTATE

STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of NO. H-9629 SF RUSSELLE S. ARCIAGA. STIPULATION AND WAIVER Respondent.

It is hereby stipulated by and between RUSSELLE S. ARCIAGA (hereinafter "Respondent") and Respondent's attorney, Thomas C. Lasken, and the Complainant, acting by and through Daniel E. Kehew, Counsel for the Department of Real Estate, as follows for the purpose of settling and disposing of the Statement of Issues filed on June 29, 2006 in this matter:

Respondent acknowledges that Respondent has received and read the Statement of Issues and the Statement to Respondent filed by the Department of Real Estate in connection with Respondent's application for a real estate salesperson license. Respondent understands that the Real Estate Commissioner may hold a hearing on this Statement of Issues for the purpose of requiring further proof of Respondent's honesty and truthfulness and to prove other allegations therein, or that he may in his discretion waive the hearing and grant Respondent a restricted real estate salesperson license based upon this Stipulation and Waiver. Respondent also understands that by filing the Statement of Issues in this matter the Real Estate Commissioner is shifting the burden to Respondent to make a satisfactory showing that Respondent meets all the requirements for issuance of a real estate salesperson license. Respondent further understands that by entering into this stipulation and waiver Respondent will be stipulating that the Real Estate Commissioner

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has found that Respondent has failed to make such a showing, thereby justifying the denial of the issuance to Respondent of an unrestricted real estate salesperson license.

Respondent hereby admits that the allegations of the Statement of Issues filed against Respondent are true and correct and requests that the Real Estate Commissioner in his discretion issue a restricted real estate salesperson license to Respondent under the authority of Section 10156.5 of the Business and Professions Code. Respondent understands that any such restricted license will be issued subject to and be limited by Section 10153.4 of the Business and Professions Code.

Respondent is aware that by signing this Stipulation and Waiver, Respondent is waiving Respondent's right to a hearing and the opportunity to present evidence at the hearing to establish Respondent's rehabilitation in order to obtain an unrestricted real estate salesperson license if this Stipulation and Waiver is accepted by the Real Estate Commissioner. However, Respondent is not waiving Respondent's right to a hearing and to further proceedings to obtain a restricted or unrestricted license if this Stipulation and Waiver is not accepted by the Commissioner.

Respondent further understands that the following conditions, limitations, and restrictions will attach to a restricted license issued by the Department of Real Estate pursuant hereto:

- 1. The license shall not confer any property right in the privileges to be exercised including the right of renewal, and the Real Estate Commissioner may by appropriate order suspend the right to exercise any privileges granted under this restricted license in the event of:
 - a. The conviction of Respondent (including a plea of nolo contendere) to a crime which bears a substantial relationship to Respondent's fitness or capacity as a real estate licensee; or
 - b. The receipt of evidence that Respondent has violated provisions of the California

 Real Estate Law, the Subdivided Lands Law, Regulations of the Real Estate

 Commissioner, or conditions attaching to this restricted license.
- Respondent shall not be eligible to apply for the issuance of an unrestricted real estate
 license nor the removal of any of the conditions, limitations or restrictions attaching to

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the restricted license until two years have elapsed from the date of issuance of the restricted license to Respondent.

- 3. With the application for license, or with the application for transfer to a new employing broker, Respondent shall submit a statement signed by the prospective employing broker on a form approved by the Department of Real Estate wherein the employing broker shall certify as follows:
 - a. That broker has read the Statement of Issues which is the basis for the issuance of the restricted license; and
 - b. That broker will carefully review all transaction documents prepared by the restricted licensee and otherwise exercise close supervision over the licensee's performance of acts for which a license is required.
- Respondent's restricted real estate salesperson license is issued subject to the requirements of Section 10153.4 of the Business and Professions Code, to wit: Respondent is required, within eighteen (18) months of the issuance of the restricted license, to submit evidence satisfactory to the Commissioner of successful completion, at an accredited institution, of a course in real estate practices and one of the courses listed in Section 10153.2, other than real estate principles, advanced legal aspects of real estate, advanced real estate finance, or advanced real estate appraisal. If Respondent fails to timely present to the Department satisfactory evidence of successful completion of the two required courses, the restricted license shall be automatically suspended effective eighteen (18) months after the date of its issuance. Said suspension shall not be lifted unless, prior to the expiration of the restricted license, Respondent has submitted the required evidence of course completion and the Commissioner has given written notice to Respondent of the lifting of the suspension.
- 5. Pursuant to Section 10154, if Respondent has not satisfied the requirements for an unqualified license under Section 10153.4, Respondent shall not be entitled to renew the restricted license, and shall not be entitled to the issuance of another license which

is subject to Section 10153.4 until four years after the date of the issuance of the preceding restricted license.

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DANIEL E. KEHEW, Command, Department of Real Estate

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I have read the Stipulation and Waiver, have discussed it with my counsel, and its terms are understood by me and are agreeable and acceptable to me. I understand that I am waiving rights given to me by the California Administrative Procedure Act (including but not limited to Sections 11506, 11508, 11509, and 11513 of the Government Code), and I willingly, intelligently, and voluntarily waive those rights, including the right of a hearing on the Statement of Issues at which I would have the right to cross-examine witnesses against me and to present evidence in defense and mitigation of the charges.

Respondent can signify acceptance and approval of the terms and conditions of this Stipulation and Waiver by faxing a copy of the signature page, as actually signed by Raspondent, to the Department at fix number (916) 227-9458. Respondent agrees, acknowledges and understands that by electronically sending to the Department a fax copy of his actual signature as it appears on the Stipulation and Waiver, that receipt of the faxed copy by the Department shall be as binding on Respondent as if the Department had received the original signed Stipulation and Waiver.

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RUSSELLES ARCIAGA, Respondent

I have reviewed the Stipulation and Watver as to form and content and have advised my

client accordingly.

October 16,2006

THOMAS C. LAEKEN, Attorney for Respondent

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I have read the Statement of Issues filed herein and the foregoing Stipulation and Waiver signed by Respondent. I am satisfied that the hearing for the purpose of requiring further proof as to the honesty and truthfulness of Respondent need not be called and that it will not be inimical to the public interest to issue a restricted real estate salesperson license to Respondent.

Therefore, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that a restricted real estate salesperson license be issued to Respondent, if Respondent has otherwise fulfilled all of the statutory requirements for licensure. The restricted license shall be limited, conditioned, and restricted as specified in the foregoing Stipulation and Waiver.

This Order is effective immediately.

IT IS SO ORDERED

JEFF DAVI REAL ESTAZE Commissioner

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understanding that any license issued as a result of said

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application would be subject to the conditions of Section 10153.4 of the Business and Professions Code (hereinafter "Code").

III

On or about March 18, 2002, in the Superior Court of the State of California, County of San Mateo, Respondent was convicted of Assault in violation of Penal Code Section 240, and of Preventing/Dissuading the Testimony of a Witness in violation of Penal Code Section 136.12(b)(1), each count a misdemeanor and crime involving moral turpitude that bears a substantial relationship under Section 2910, Title 10, California Code of Regulations, to the qualifications, functions, or duties of a real estate licensee.

IV

Respondent's criminal convictions, described in Paragraph III, above, individually and/or collectively constitute cause for denial of Respondent's application for a real estate license under Sections 480(a) and 10177(b) of the Code.

WHEREFORE, Complainant prays that above-entitled matter be set for hearing and, upon proof of the charges contained herein, that the Commissioner refuse to authorize the issuance of, and deny the issuance of a real estate salesperson license to Respondent, and for such other and further relief as may be just and proper under the law.

Dated at Sacramento, California this day of June, 2006.

Deputy Real Estate Commissioner