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# BEFORE THE DEPARTMENT OF REAL ESTATE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Accusation of:

MYKEL ANNE MARTIN,

Respondent.

No. H-41631 LA

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#### **DISMISSAL**

The Accusation herein filed on March 10, 2020, against MYKEL ANNE MARTIN, is DISMISSED.

IT IS SO ORDERED 6 16 21

REAL ESTATE COMMISSIONER

DOUGLAS R. McCAULEY

Department of Real Estate P.O. Box 137007 Sacramento, CA 95813-7007 Telephone: (916) 263-8672

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### BEFORE THE DEPARTMENT OF REAL ESTATE

#### STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Accusation of

MYKEL ANNE MARTIN;

REALTY MASTERS &
ASSOCIATES, INC;

VINCENT KYAN, as designated officer of Realty Masters
& Associates, Inc,

Respondents.

Respondents.

It is hereby stipulated by and between Respondent MYKEL ANNE MARTIN ("Respondent"), and the Complainant, acting by and through Julie L. To, Counsel for the Department of Real Estate ("Department"), as follows for the purpose of settling and disposing of the Accusation filed on March 10, 2020 in this matter:

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- 1. All issues which were to be contested and all evidence which was to be presented by Complainant and Respondents at a formal hearing on the Accusation, which hearing was to be held in accordance with the provisions of the Administrative Procedure Act ("APA"), shall instead and in place thereof be submitted solely on the basis of the provisions of this Stipulation and Agreement to Citation and Fine ("Stipulation").
- 2. Respondent has received, read, and understands the Statement to Respondent, and the Discovery Provisions of the APA filed by the Department in this proceeding.
- 3. On April 21, 2020, Respondent filed her Notice of Defense pursuant to Section 11505 of the Government Code for the purpose of requesting a hearing on the allegations in the Accusation. Respondent hereby freely and voluntarily withdraws said Notice of Defense. Respondent acknowledges that Respondent understands that by withdrawing said Notice of Defense Respondent will thereby waive Respondent's right to require the Real Estate Commissioner ("Commissioner") to prove the allegations in the Accusation at a contested hearing held in accordance with the provisions of the APA, and that Respondent will waive other rights afforded to Respondent in connection with the hearing such as the right to present evidence in defense of the allegations in the Accusation and the right to cross-examine witnesses.
- 4. This Stipulation and Agreement to Citation and Fine is based on the factual allegations contained in the Accusation. In the interest of expediency and economy, Respondent chooses not to contest these factual allegations, but to remain silent and understand that, as a result thereof, these factual statements will serve as a prima facie basis for the citation(s), administrative fine(s), and violations set forth below. The Commissioner shall not be required to provide further evidence to prove such allegations.
- 5. This Stipulation and Agreement to Citation and Fine and Respondent's decision not to contest the Accusation and Citation are made for the purpose of reaching an agreed disposition of this proceeding and are expressly limited to this proceeding and any other proceeding or case in which the Department, the state or federal government, an agency of this state, or an agency of another state is involved. Respondent further understands that the

- 6. Respondent further understands and agrees that this Stipulation and Agreement to Citation and Fine or any subsequent Order of the Commissioner made pursuant to this Stipulation and Agreement to Citation and Fine shall not constitute an estoppel, merger, or bar to any further administrative or civil proceedings by the Department with respect to any matters which were not specifically alleged in Accusation H-41631 LA.
- 7. Respondent agrees to pay an administrative fine, not to exceed \$2,500.00, pursuant to the authority provided by Section 10080.9 of the Business and Professions Code ("Code"), in conjunction with Sections 2907.1, 2907.2, and 2907.4 of Title 10, Chapter 6 of the Code of Regulations ("Regulations"), for violations of:
  - a. <u>Code Section 10159.5</u> and <u>Regulation 2731</u> (fictitious name; use of false or fictitious name);
  - b. Code Section 10159.6 (team name requirements); and
  - c. Code Section 10162 (place of business).
- 8. Respondent's signature indicates full agreement to the terms of this Stipulation and Agreement to Citation and Fine and to the terms set forth herein. Respondent expressly agrees not to contest any aspect of the citation(s), pursuant to Section 2907.3 of the Regulations.
- 9. Respondent agrees to remit payment of the administrative fine in the form of a cashier's check made payable to the Department of the Real Estate, within thirty (30) days of the date of the citation(s). The payment should include a reference to the citation number. The payment shall be delivered to the Department of Real Estate, Flag Section at P.O. Box 137013, Sacramento, CA 95813-7013.

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10. Respondent understands that by agreeing to this Stipulation and Agreement to Citation and Fine, Respondent agrees to pay the cost of the Department's investigation and enforcement costs ("investigation costs") which led to this disciplinary action. The amount of said investigation costs is \$1,694.85. The investigative costs must be delivered to the Department of Real Estate, Flag Section at P.O. Box 137013, Sacramento, CA 95813-7013, within thirty (30) days of the date of the citation. Said payment shall be in the form of a cashier's check made payable to the Department of Real Estate.

administrative fine imposed in the citation, or to comply with any of the above conditions in the Stipulation and Agreement to Citation and Fine, will result in further formal disciplinary action by the Department, including, but not limited to the continued prosecution of Accusation H-41631 LA. Respondent shall not be entitled to any repayment nor credit, prorated or otherwise, for money paid to the Department under the terms of this Stipulation and Agreement to Citation and Fine and the citation. In the event that Respondent does not comply with the terms of this Stipulation and Agreement to Citation and Fine and/or the citation, this Stipulation and Agreement to Citation and Fine shall be void and of no effect, and Respondent shall retain the right to a hearing and proceeding on the Accusation under all provisions of the APA, and shall not be bound by any admission or waiver made herein.

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12. The Department agrees that, upon timely receipt of the administrative fine imposed in the citation(s) by Respondent, and upon timely completion of all of the above conditions in this Stipulation and Agreement to Citation and Fine, the Department will consider the citation(s) satisfied and will obtain an Order dismissing Accusation H-41631 LA, and the reference to Accusation H-41631 LA will be removed from the Department's website.

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7-14-20 DATED

Julie L. To, Counsel for Complainant

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Respondent can signify acceptance and approval of the terms and conditions of this Stipulation and Agreement to Citation and Fine by sending a hard copy of the original signed signature page of the Stipulation herein to Julie L. To, Legal Section, Department of Real Estate, 320 W. Fourth St., Suite 350, Los Angeles, California 90013-1105. In the event of time constraints before an administrative hearing, Respondent can signify acceptance and approval of the terms and conditions of this Stipulation and Agreement to Citation and Fine by emailing a scanned copy of the signature page, as actually signed by Respondent, to the Department counsel assigned to this case. Respondent agrees, acknowledges, and understands that by electronically sending to the Department a scan of copy of Respondent's actual signature as it appears on the Stipulation and Agreement to Citation and Fine, that receipt of the scan by the Department shall be binding on Respondent as if the Department had received the original signed Stipulation and Agreement to Citation and Fine.

I have read the Stipulation and Agreement to Citation and Fine, 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, and I willingly, intelligently and voluntarily waive those rights, including the right of requiring the Commissioner to prove the

1	allegations in the Accusation at a hearing at which I would have the right to cross-examine
2	witnesses against me and to present evidence in defense and mitigation of the charges.
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4	DATED Lyhal Drna Mortin
5	DATED MYKEL ANNE MARTIN, Respondent
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7	The foregoing Stipulation and Agreement to Citation and Fine is hereby adopted
8	as my Decision as to Respondent MYKEL ANNE MARTIN and shall become effective at 12
9	o'clock noon on, 2020.
10	IT IS SO ORDERED 8, 27, 20, 2020.
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12	REAL ESTATE COMMISSIONER
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16	DOUGLAS R. McCAULEY
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19	On or about 10/14/2028, on behalf of the Department of Real Estate, Luke
20	S. Martin, Citation and Fine Compliance Officer, issued Citation No. <u>C320/0/2 00/</u>
21	to Respondent MYKEL ANNE MARTIN. The Citation ordered Respondent MYKEL ANNE
22	MARTIN to pay an administrative fine of \$ 2000.00 by 11/23/2020. Respondent
23	MYKEL ANNE MARTIN made payment of the administrative fine on 12/04/2020
24	12/15/2020 LSMart
25	DATED LUKE S. MARTIN,
26	Citation and Fine Compliance Officer
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