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13	In the Matter of the Accusation of			
.14	THE WALTERS HOME MANAGEMENT COMPANY and JENNIFER J. NEWTON,	No. H-2872 SD		
15	Respondents.			
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17	ORDER GRANTING REINSTA			
18		-2872 SD, a Decision was rendered revoking		
19	the real estate broker and real estate corporation lice	•		
20	but granting Respondents the right to the issuance of a restricted real estate broker license and a			
21	restricted real estate corporation license. A restricted real estate broker license and a restricted			
22	real estate corporation license were issued to Respondents on June 7, 2004, and Respondents			
23	have operated as restricted licensees since that time.			
24		etitioned for the removal of restrictions		
25	attaching to Respondents' real estate broker and real estate corporation licenses, and the Attorney			
26	General of the State of California has been given notice of the filing of the petition.			
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1	I have considered Respondents' petition and the evidence and arguments in
2	support thereof. Respondents have demonstrated to my satisfaction that Respondents meets the
. 3	requirements of law for the issuance to Respondents of an unrestricted real estate broker license
4	and an unrestricted real estate corporation license, and that it would not be against the public
5	interest to issue said licenses to Respondents.
6	NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that Respondents' petition for
7	reinstatement is granted and that real estate broker and real estate corporation licenses be issued
8	to Respondents if Respondents satisfy the following requirements:
9	1. Submit a completed application and pay the fee for a real estate broker
10	license and a real estate corporation license within the 12 month period following the date of this
11	Order; and
12	2. Submit proof that Respondent Jennifer J. Newton has completed the
13	continuing education requirements for renewal of the license sought. The continuing education
14	courses must be completed either (i) within the 12 month period preceding the filing of the
15	completed application, or (ii) within the 12 month period following the date of this Order.
16	This Order shall become effective immediately.
17	DATED: 6 8 6 6
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7	BEFORE THE DEPARTMENT OF REAL ESTATE
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10	In the Matter of the Accusation of
11	THE WALTERS HOME MANAGEMENT CO.,) NO. H-2872 SD
12	and JENNIFER J. NEWTON,
13	Respondents.)))
14	ORDER STAYING EFFECTIVE DATE
15	On February 9, 2004, a Decision was rendered in the
16	above-entitled matter to become effective on May 6, 2004.
17	On April 26, 2004, Respondent requested a stay for the
18	purpose of filing a petition for reconsideration of the Decision
19	of February 9, 2004.
20	IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the effective date of the
21	Decision is stayed for a period of thirty (30) days. The
22	Decision of February 9, 2004, shall become effective at
23	12 o'clock noon on June 7, 2004.
24	DATED: <u>April 27</u> , 2004.
25	JOHN R. LIBERATOR Acting Real Estate Commissioner
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12	In the Matter of the Accusation of)
13) NO. H-2872 SD THE WALTERS HOME MANAGEMENT)
14	COMPANY, and) <u>STIPULATION AND AGREEMENT</u> JENNIFER J. NEWTON,)
15)
16	Respondents.)
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18	It is hereby stipulated by and between THE WALTERS
19	HOME MANAGEMENT COMPANY and JENNIFER J. NEWTON (hereafter
20	Respondents), represented by Kenneth E. Lange, Attorney at Law,
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22	Law Offices of Kimball, Tirey & St. John, and the Complainant,
23	acting by and through Deidre L. Johnson, Counsel for the
24	Department of Real Estate, as follows for the purpose of
25	settling and disposing the Accusation filed on June 19, 2003,
	in this matter:
26	1. All issues which were to be contested and all
27	evidence which was to be presented by Complainant and Respondents
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at a formal hearing on the Accusation, which hearing was to be 1 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.

Respondents have each received, read and understand 2. 6 the Statement to Respondent, and the Discovery Provisions of the 7 APA filed by the Department of Real Estate in this proceeding. 8

On July 1, 2003, Respondents filed their Notices of 3. 9 Defense pursuant to Section 11505 of the Government Code for the 10 purpose of requesting a hearing on the allegations in the 11 Accusation. Respondents hereby freely and voluntarily withdraw 12 said Notices of Defense. Respondents acknowledge that they each 13 understand that by withdrawing said Notices of Defense they will 14 thereby waive their rights to require the Commissioner to prove 15 the allegations in the Accusation at a contested hearing held in 16 accordance with the provisions of the APA, and that they will 17 waive other rights afforded to them in connection with the 18 hearing such as the right to present evidence in defense of the 19 allegations in the Accusation and the right to cross-examine 20 witnesses. 21

4. Respondents, pursuant to the limitations set forth 22 below, hereby admit that the factual allegations pertaining to 23 them in Paragraphs I through V of the Accusation filed in this 24 proceeding are true and correct and the Real Estate Commissioner 25 shall not be required to provide further evidence of such 26 allegations. 27

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1 Without admitting the truth of the allegations 5. 2 contained in the rest of the Accusation as to each Respondent, 3 Respondents stipulate that they will not interpose a defense 4 thereto. This Stipulation is based on the factual allegations 5 contained in the Accusation as found below. In the interests of 6 expedience and economy, Respondents each choose not to contest 7 the allegations that pertain to them, but to remain silent, and 8 understand that, as a result thereof, these factual allegations, 9 without being admitted or denied, will serve as a basis for the 10 disciplinary action stipulated to herein. The Real Estate 11 Commissioner shall not be required to provide further evidence to 12 prove said factual allegations.

13 Respondents have received, read and understand the 6. 14 "Notice Concerning Costs of Audits." Respondents understand, by 15 agreeing to this Stipulation and Agreement, and after the 16 findings set forth below in the "Determination of Issues" become 17 final, that the Commissioner may charge Respondents THE WALTERS 18 HOME MANAGEMENT COMPANY and JENNIFER J. NEWTON, jointly and 19 severally, for the costs of the following audits that have been 20 and may be conducted pursuant to Section 10148 of the Business 21 and Professions Code:

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- (a) Audit #SD-010035 dated April 26, 2002.
- (b) Future follow-up audit.

7. It is understood by the parties that the Real
 Estate Commissioner may adopt the Stipulation and Agreement as
 his/her decision in this matter thereby imposing the penalty and

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1 sanctions on the real estate licenses and license rights of 2 Respondents as set forth in the below "Order". In the event that 3 the Commissioner in his/her discretion does not adopt the 4 Stipulation and Agreement, it shall be void and of no effect, and 5 Respondents shall each retain the right to a hearing and 6 proceeding on the Accusation under all the provisions of the APA 7 and shall not be bound by any admission or waiver made herein. 8 The Order or any subsequent Order of the Real 8. 9 Estate Commissioner made pursuant to this Stipulation and 10 Agreement shall not constitute an estoppel, merger or bar to any 11 further administrative or civil proceedings by the Department of 12 Real Estate with respect to any matters which were not 13 specifically alleged to be causes for accusation in this 14 proceeding. 15 16 DETERMINATION OF ISSUES 17 By reason of the foregoing stipulations and waivers and 18 solely for the purpose of settlement of the pending Accusation 19 without a hearing, it is stipulated and agreed that the following 20 determination of issues shall be made: 21 22 The acts and/or omissions of Respondent THE WALTERS 23 HOME MANAGEMENT COMPANY as stipulated above violate 24 Sections 10161.8 and 10145 of the California Business and 25 Professions Code (hereafter the Code), and Sections 2752, 2831, 26 2831.1, 2831.2, 2832.1, and 2834 of Title 10, California Code of 27 111 FILE NO. H-2872 SD THE WALTERS HOME MANAGEMENT COMPANY-NEWTON

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, 1	Regulations, and constitute grounds for disciplinary action under		
2	the provisions of Sections 10176(g) and 10177(d) of the Code.		
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4	The acts and/or omissions of Respondent JENNIFER J.		
5	NEWTON as stipulated above constitute grounds for disciplinary		
6	action under the provisions of Section 10177(h) of the Code.		
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8	ORDER		
9	A. All real estate license(s) and license rights of Respondents		
10	THE WALTERS HOME MANAGEMENT COMPANY and JENNIFER J. NEWTON		
11	are revoked.		
12	B. A restricted real estate broker corporation license shall be		
13	issued to Respondent THE WALTERS HOME MANAGEMENT COMPANY and		
14	a restricted real estate broker license shall be issued to		
15	Respondent JENNIFER J. NEWTON pursuant to Section 10156.6 of		
. 16	the Code if they each make application therefor and pay to		
17	the Department the appropriate fee for each license within		
18	ninety (90) days of the effective date of the Order.		
19	C. The restricted licenses issued to Respondents shall be		
20	subject to all of the provisions of Section 10156.7 of the		
. 21	Business and Professions Code and to the following conditions		
22	and limitations imposed under authority of Section 10156.6 of		
23	said Code:		
24	1) Respondent JENNIFER J. NEWTON shall, prior to and as a		
25	condition of the issuance of said restricted license,		
26	submit proof satisfactory to the Commissioner of having		
27	taken and completed the continuing education course on		
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trust fund accounting and handling specified in paragraph (3) of subdivision (a) of Section 10170.5 of the Business and Professions Code from an approved continuing education course provider. Said course may have been completed within one hundred and twenty (120) days prior to the effective date of the order herein.

2) The restricted licenses issued to Respondents may each be suspended prior to hearing by order of the Real Estate Commissioner in the event of each Respondent's conviction or plea of nolo contendere to a crime which bears a substantial relationship to that Respondent's fitness or capacity as a real estate licensee.

3) The restricted licenses may each be suspended prior to
 hearing by Order of the Real estate Commissioner on
 evidence satisfactory to the Commissioner that
 Respondents have violated provisions of the California
 Real Estate Law, the Subdivided Lands Law, Regulations of
 the Real Estate Commissioner or conditions attaching to
 the restricted license.

4) Respondents shall not be eligible to apply for the
issuance of an unrestricted real estate license, nor the
removal of any of the conditions of the restricted
license, until two (2) years have elapsed from the
effective date of this Order.

5) Pursuant to Section 10148 of the Business and Professions Code, Respondents, jointly and severally, shall pay the ///

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Commissioner's reasonable cost for the following audits as a result of the above found violations:

(a) Audit #SD-010035 dated April 26, 2002.

(b) Future follow-up audit.

In calculating the amount of the Commissioner's reasonable costs for each audit, the Commissioner may use the estimated average hourly salary for all Department Audit Section personnel performing audits of real estate brokers, and shall include an allocation for travel time to and from the auditor's place of work. Respondents THE WALTERS HOME MANAGEMENT COMPANY and JENNIFER J. NEWTON, jointly and severally, shall pay such costs within sixty (60) days of receiving an invoice from the Commissioner detailing the activities performed during each audit and the amount of time spent performing those activities. The Commissioner may suspend the restricted licenses issued to Respondents pending a hearing held in accordance with Section 11500, et seq., of the Government Code, if payment is not timely made as provided for herein, or as provided for in a subsequent agreement between Respondent and the Commissioner. The suspensions shall remain in effect until payment is made in full for each audit or until Respondents enter into an agreement satisfactory to the Commissioner to provide for payment, or until a decision providing otherwise is adopted following a hearing held pursuant to this condition.

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6) Respondent JENNIFER J. NEWTON shall, within nine (9) months from the effective date of this Order, present evidence satisfactory to the Real Estate Commissioner that Respondent has, since the most recent issuance of an original or renewal real estate license, taken and successfully completed the continuing education requirements of Article 2.5 of Chapter 3 of the Real Estate Law for renewal of a real estate license. Τf Respondent fails to satisfy this condition, the Commissioner may order the suspension of the restricted license until the Respondent presents such evidence. The Commissioner shall afford Respondent the opportunity for hearing pursuant to the Administrative Procedure Act to present such evidence.

7) Respondent JENNIFER J. NEWTON shall, within six (6) months from the effective date of this Decision, take and pass the Professional Responsibility Examination administered by the Department including the payment of the appropriate examination fee. If Respondent fails to satisfy this condition, the Commissioner may order suspension of the restricted license until Respondent passes the examination.

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Counsel for Complainant

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1 I have read the Stipulation and Agreement, have 2 discussed it with my counsel, and its terms are understood by me 3 and are agreeable and acceptable to me. I understand that I am 4 waiving rights given to me by the California Administrative 5 Procedure Act, and I willingly, intelligently and voluntarily 6 waive those rights, including the right of requiring the 7 Commissioner to prove the allegations in the Accusation at a 8 hearing at which I would have the right to cross-examine 9 witnesses against me and to present evidence in defense and 10 mitigation of the charges. 11 12 <u>1-5-2004</u> DATED TERS HOME MANAGEMENT 13 COMPANY 14 Respondent BY: Jennifer Newton, President 15 16 17 -5-2004 18 ENNIFER J. NEWTON Respondent 19 20 APPROVED AS TO FORM: 21 22 23 24 MÉNNETH E./ LANGE ttorney for Respondents 25 26 27 FILE NO. H-2872 SD 9 THE WALTERS HOME MANAGEMENT COMPANY-NEWTON

The foregoing Stipulation and Agreement is hereby adopted as my Decision and shall become effective at 12 o'clock <u>May</u> 6 2004. noon on _ February 9, 2004. IT IS SO ORDERED _ JOHN R. LIBERATOR Chief Deputy Commissioner John Khibeaton - 10 - the walters home management company-newton, FILE NO. H-2872 SD

BEFORE THE DEPARTMENT OF REAL ESTATE

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In the Matter of the Accusation of

THE WALTERS HOME MANAGEMENT COMPANY, and JENNIFER J. NEWTON, Case No. H-2872 SD OAH No. L-2003100172

Respondents

NOTICE OF HEARING ON ACCUSATION

To the above named respondents:

You are hereby notified that a hearing will be held before the Department of Real Estate at the OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS, 1350 FRONT STREET, ROOM 6022, SAN DIEGO, CA 92101 on JANUARY 7, 2004, at the hour of 9:00 AM, or as soon thereafter as the matter can be heard, upon the Accusation served upon you. If you object to the place of hearing, you must notify the presiding administrative law judge of the Office of Administrative Hearings within ten (10) days after this notice is served on you. Failure to notify the presiding administrative law judge within ten days will deprive you of a change in the place of the hearing.

You may be present at the hearing. You have the right to be represented by an attorney at your own expense. You are not entitled to the appointment of an attorney to represent you at public expense. You are entitled to represent yourself without legal counsel. If you are not present in person nor represented by counsel at the hearing, the Department may take disciplinary action against you based upon any express admission or other evidence including affidavits, without any notice to you.

You may present any relevant evidence and will be given full opportunity to cross-examine all witnesses testifying against you. You are entitled to the issuance of subpenas to compel the attendance of witnesses and the production of books, documents or other things by applying to the Department of Real Estate.

The hearing shall be conducted in the English language. If you want to offer the testimony of any witness who does not proficiently speak the English language, you must provide your own interpreter and pay his or her costs. The interpreter must be certified in accordance with Sections 11435.30 and 11435.55 of the Government Code.

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DEIDRE L. JOHNSON, Counsel

Dated: OCTOBER 14, 2003

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13) NO. H-2872 SD THE WALTERS HOME MANAGEMENT)
14	COMPANY, and) <u>ACCUSATION</u> JENNIFER J. NEWTON,)
15) Respondents.)
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17	The Complainant, J. CHRIS GRAVES, a Deputy Real Estate
18	Commissioner of the State of California, for causes of Accusation
19	against THE WALTERS HOME MANAGEMENT COMPANY and JENNIFER J.
20	NEWTON, is informed and alleges as follows:
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22	PRELIMINARY ALLEGATIONS
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24	THE WALTERS HOME MANAGEMENT COMPANY and JENNIFER J.
25	NEWTON are presently licensed and/or have license rights under
26	the Real Estate Law, Part 1 of Division 4 of the California
27	Business and Professions Code (hereafter the Code).
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1 II 2 The Complainant, J. CHRIS GRAVES, a Deputy Real 3 Estate Commissioner of the State of California, makes this Accusation against THE WALTERS HOME MANAGEMENT COMPANY, and 4 JENNIFER J. NEWTON in his official capacity and not otherwise. 5 6 III 7 At all times herein mentioned, Respondent THE WALTERS 8 HOME MANAGEMENT COMPANY (hereafter WHMC) was and is licensed by the Department as a real estate broker corporation. 9 10 IV 11 At all times herein mentioned, Respondent JENNIFER J. 12 NEWTON (hereafter NEWTON) was and is licensed by the Department 13 as an individual real estate broker, and as the designated broker officer of Respondent WHMC. 14 15 V 16 At least within the last three years, Respondent WHMC 17 engaged in activities on behalf of others for which a California 18 real estate license is required, for or in expectation of 19 compensation under Section 10131(b) of the Code, and leased or 20 rented, offered to lease or rent, solicited prospective tenants, 21 collected rents on, and/or managed certain real properties in 22 California. 23 FIRST CAUSE OF ACTION 24 VI 25 Beginning in about February of 2002, the Department conducted an audit of some of the above business activities of 26 27 WHMC for the time period of December 1, 1999 through December 31, - 2 -

2001 (hereafter the audit period), as more particularly set
forth in Audit Report No. SD-010035 dated April 26, 2002, and
accompanying exhibits and working papers. During the course of
the activities described above, WHMC received and disbursed funds
in trust on behalf of others.

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Within the last three years, WHMC deposited the trust
funds into three trust bank account maintained at Union Bank of
California in Los Angeles, as follows:

(a) Account No. 2110071879, in the name of "The Walters
 Home Management Company Trust Account" (hereafter Trust Account
 #1), used primarily to handle trust funds for property management
 activities in general;

(b) Account No. 2110093244, in the name of "Shirlstar
Rental Pool Trust Account" (hereafter Trust Account #2), used
primarily to handle trust funds for one individual; and

(c) Account No. 2110080959, in the name of "La Costa
Rental Pool Trust Account" (hereafter Trust Account #3), used
primarily to handle trust funds for a company owned by about
32 individual owners of condominiums in a complex.

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In connection with the collection and disbursement of trust funds during the audit period as alleged above, WHMC failed to deposit and maintain the trust funds in a trust account or neutral escrow depository, or to deliver them into the hands of the owners of the funds, as required by Section 10145 of the ///

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Code, in such a manner that there were trust fund shortages as 1 follows: 2 (a) As to Trust Account #1, a trust fund shortage in З 4 the approximate amount of \$15,401.66 as of December 31, 2001; and 5 (b) As to Trust Account #3, a trust fund shortage in the approximate amount of \$4,352.88 as of December 31, 2001. 6 7 IX In connection with the receipt and disbursement of 8 9 trust funds as above alleged, WHMC: Failed to maintain a written control record of 10 (a) all trust funds received and disbursed as to each 11 trust account containing all information required 12 by Section 2831 of the Regulations, including but 13 14 not limited to the posting of all transactions in chronological sequence, and accurate dates of 15 deposit; 16 17 (b) Failed to maintain separate beneficiary or 18 transaction records as to each trust account 19 containing all information required by Section 20 2831.1, including but not limited to the posting 21 of all transactions in chronological sequence, and 22 accurate daily balances; 23 (c) Failed to reconcile the balance of separate 24 beneficiary or transaction records for each bank 25 account with the control record of trust funds 26 received and disbursed at least once a month, 27 and/or failed to maintain a record of such

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reconciliations as required by Section 2831.2 of the Regulations; and

(d) Failed to obtain the prior written consents of the principals for the reductions of the aggregate balances of trust funds in Trust Accounts #1 and #3 to an amount less than the existing aggregate trust fund liability to the owners of said funds in each account, in conformance with Section 2832.1 of the Regulations.

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11 Within the last three years, WHMC authorized or 12 permitted withdrawals to be made from some or all of the above 13 bank accounts upon the sole signature of John Alioto and Joseph Alioto and Farinelli were licensed real estate 14 Farinelli. 15 brokers and shareholders of WHMC, and did not have written 16 association or employment agreements with the company, pursuant to Section 2726 of the Regulations, and did not have specific 17 18 written authorization from the designated broker officer of WHMC 19 to conduct such trust fund activities, pursuant to Section 2834 20 of the Regulations.

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As of January 25, 2002, Ryan Hayden Hoberg was a
licensed real estate salesperson registered with the Department
in the employ of Respondent WHMC, when he had left the employ of
WHMC in approximately April of 2001. Respondent WHMC failed to
notify the Department of Hoberg's termination pursuant to
Section 10161.8 of the Code and Section 2752 of the Regulations.

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XII 1 During the audit period, Respondent WHMC collected 2 various fees on behalf of the property owners, including but not 3 4 limited to late fees charged to tenants paying rent late, lease cancellation fees charged to tenants guitting their rentals prior 5 to expiration of their leases, and "NSF" fees charged to tenants 6 7 whose checks did not clear the bank. Respondent WHMC retained some or all of the above fees for the benefit of WHMC and not 8 for the benefit of the owners of the funds. 9 10 XTTT Respondent WHMC did not have written disclosures 11 regarding the company's charging, collecting, accounting for, and 12 retaining of the above fees in the written management agreements 13 with the property owners. Respondent WHMC thereby claimed or 14 took secret or undisclosed compensation or profit, and/or failed 15 to reveal the full amount of its compensation and/or profit to 16 17 some or all of the principal property owners. 18 XIV The acts and/or omissions of WHMC as alleged above 19 constitute grounds for disciplinary action under the following 20 21 provisions: As to Paragraphs VIII(a) and VIII(b), under 22 (a) Section 10145 of the Code in conjunction with 23 Section 10177(d) of the Code: 24 As to Paragraph IX(a), under Section 2831 of 25 (b) the Regulations in conjunction with Section 26 27 10177(d) of the Code;

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l	(c)	As to Paragraph IX(b), under Section 2831.1 of	
2		the Regulations in conjunction with Section	
3		10177(d) of the Code;	
4	(d)	As to Paragraph IX(c), under Section 2831.2 of	
5		the Regulations in conjunction with Section	
6		10177(d) of the Code;	
7	(e)	As to Paragraph IX(d), under Section 2832.1 of	
. 8		the Regulations in conjunction with Section	
9		10177(d) of the Code;	
10	(f)	As to Paragraph X, under Section 2834 of the	
11		Regulations in conjunction with Section	
12		10177(d) of the Code;	
13	(g)	As to Paragraph XI, under Section 10161.8 of the	
14		Code and Section 2752 of the Regulations; and	
15	(h)	As to Paragraphs XII and XIII, under Section	
16	-	10176(g) of the Code.	
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18		SECOND CAUSE OF ACTION	
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20	At all times above mentioned, NEWTON was responsible,		
21	as the designated real estate officer, for the supervision and		
22	control of the activities conducted on behalf of WHMC by its		
23	officers, agents, and employees, and failed to so exercise		
24	reasonable supervision and control. In particular, NEWTON		
25	caused, permitted, and/or ratified some or all of the conduct		
26	alleged above, and/or failed to take reasonable steps to oversee		
27	the daily oper	ations of WHMC, including but not limited to:	

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(a) the establishment and maintenance of policies,
 rules, procedures and systems to review, oversee, inspect and
 manage the trust fund records, the handling of trust funds,
 access to trust accounts, and the charging of fees; and/or

(b) the implementation of systems for monitoring
compliance therewith to ensure compliance by WHMC with the Real
Estate Law.

XVI

9 The acts and/or omissions of NEWTON as alleged above 10 constitute grounds for disciplinary action under the provisions 11 of Section 10177(h) of the Code.

WHEREFORE, Complainant prays that a hearing be
conducted on the allegations of this Accusation and that upon
proof thereof a decision be rendered imposing disciplinary action
against all licenses and license rights of Respondents under the
Real Estate Law (Part 1 of Division 4 of the Business and
Professions Code), and for such other and further relief as may
be proper under other provisions of law.

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J. CHRIS GRAVES Deputy Real Estate Commissioner

Dated at San Diego, California, this // _____ day of June, 2003

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