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TO:

RICHARD HELSTEN and SUSAN 12 HELSTEN, individually and doing 13

business as Pescadero Properties

No. H-8111 SF

ORDER TO DESIST AND REFRAIN (B&P Code Section 10086)

The Real Estate Commissioner of the State of California (hereinafter "Commissioner") has determined from evidence available to the Department of Real Estate of the State of California (hereinafter "the Department") that you, RICHARD HELSTEN and you, SUSAN HELSTEN, individually and doing business as Pescadero Properties (hereinafter "you"), while engaged in activities which require a real estate broker license under the provisions of Sections 10131(a) and 10131(b) of the California Business and Professions Code (hereinafter "the Code"), violated Section 10130 of the Code.

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At all times herein mentioned from and after

February 26, 1999, you engaged in the business of, acted in the capacity of, advertised, or assumed to act as real estate brokers within the State of California within the meaning of:

- (a) Section 10131(a) of the Code, including the operation and conduct of a real estate resale brokerage with the public wherein, on behalf of another or others, for compensation or in expectation of compensation, you sold and offered to sell, bought and offered to buy, solicited prospective sellers and purchasers of, and negotiated the purchase and sale of real property; and
- (b) Section 10131(b) of the Code, including the operation and conduct of a property management business with the public wherein, on behalf of others, for compensation or in expectation of compensation, you leased or rented and offered to lease or rent, and placed for rent, and solicited listings of places for rent, and solicited for prospective tenants of real property or improvements thereon, and collected rents from real property or improvements thereon.

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Between on or about February 26, 1999 and on or about July 20, 1999, and at other times and in other transactions known to you but unknown to the Department, in the course of the real estate resale activities described in Paragraph I(a), above, on behalf of another or others, for compensation or in expectation of compensation, you bought and offered to buy, sold

and offered to sell, solicited prospective purchasers and sellers of, and negotiated the purchase and sale of real property consisting of units 8, 29 and 44 in that certain sixty (60) unit condominium project known as the Mid Valley Garden Apartments, 9500 Center Street, Carmel, Monterey County, California (hereinafter Mid Valley Garden Apartments").

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At all times mentioned herein from and after February 26, 1999, and at other times known to you but unknown to the Department, in course of the property management activities described in Paragraph I(b), above, on behalf of individual owners of condominium units in the Mid Valley Garden Apartments, for compensation or in expectation of compensation, you leased or rented and offered to lease or rent, and placed for rent, and solicited listings of places for rent, and solicited for prospective tenants of condominium units in the Mid Valley Garden Apartments, and collected rents from said real property.

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At no time mentioned herein were you, RICHARD HELSTEN, or you, SUSAN HELSTEN, licensed by the Department as a real estate salesperson or as a real estate broker.

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In acting as described in Paragraphs I through IV, inclusive, above, you violated Section 10130 of the Code.

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1 NOW, THEREFORE, YOU, RICHARD HELSTEN AND YOU SUSAN HELSTEN, INDIVIDUALLY AND DOING BUSINESS AS PESCADERO PROPERTIES, AND YOUR AGENTS AND EMPLOYEES, ARE HEREBY ORDERED TO DESIST AND REFRAIN from performing any activities for which a real estate license is required unless and until you comply with Section 10130 of the Code. april 24, 2002 7 8 PAULA REDDISH ZINNEMANN Real Estate Commissioner 9 10 11 12

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