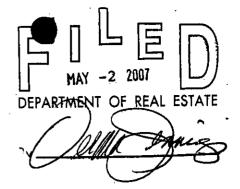
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BEFORE THE DEPARTMENT OF REAL ESTATE

STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Accusation of ) No. H-33033 LA L-2006 100 110 CLARION MORTGAGE CAPITAL, INC., )

LAWRENCE OTIS MARR, ) STIPULATION AND individually and as ) AGREEMENT designated officer of Clarion Mortgage Capital, Inc., )

Respondents, )

It is hereby stipulated by and between CLARION

MORTGAGE CAPITAL, INC. (sometimes referred to as Respondent),
and its attorney, Frank M. Buda, and the Complainant, acting by
and through James R. Peel, Counsel for the Department of Real
Estate, as follows for the purpose of settling and disposing of
the Accusation filed on July 3, 2006, 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 Respondent 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 ("Stipulation").

- 2. Respondent has received, read and understands the Statement to Respondent, the Discovery Provisions of the Administrative Procedure Act ("APA") and the Accusation filed by the Department of Real Estate in this proceeding.
- 3. On July 14, 2006, Respondent filed a Notice of Defense pursuant to Section 11506 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 it understands that by withdrawing said Notice of Defense it will thereby waive its right to require the Commissioner to prove the allegations in the Accusation at a contested hearing held in accordance with the provisions of the APA and that it will waive other rights afforded to it 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.

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4. This Stipulation is based on the factual allegations contained in the Accusation filed in this proceeding. In the interest of expedience and economy, Respondent chooses not to contest these factual allegations, but to remain silent and understands that, as a result thereof, these factual statements, will serve as a prima facie basis for the disciplinary action stipulated to herein. The Real Estate Commissioner shall not be required to provide further evidence to prove such allegations.

- 5. This Stipulation and Respondent's decision not to contest the Accusation is made for the purpose of reaching an agreed disposition of this proceeding and is expressly limited to this proceeding and any other proceeding or case in which the Department of Real Estate ("Department"), the state or federal government, or an agency of this state, another state or the federal government is involved.
- 6. It is understood by the parties that the Real Estate Commissioner may adopt the Stipulation as his decision in this matter thereby imposing the penalty and sanctions on Respondent's real estate licenses and license rights as set forth in the below "Order". In the event that the Commissioner in his discretion does not adopt the Stipulation, the Stipulation shall be void and of no effect, and Respondent shall retain the right to a hearing on the Accusation under all the provisions of the APA and shall not be bound by any stipulation or waiver made herein.

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7. The Order or any subsequent Order of the Real Estate Commissioner made pursuant to this Stipulation shall not constitute an estoppel, merger or bar to any further administrative or civil proceedings by the Department of Real Estate with respect to any conduct which was not specifically alleged to be causes for accusation in this proceeding.

## DETERMINATION OF ISSUES

By reason of the foregoing stipulations and waivers and solely for the purpose of settlement of the pending Accusation without a hearing, it is stipulated and agreed that the following determination of issues shall be made:

The conduct, acts and/or omissions of Respondent CLARION MORTGAGE CAPITAL, INC., as set forth in the Accusation, constitute cause for the suspension or revocation of all of the real estate licenses and license rights of Respondent under the provisions of Section 10177(d) of the Business and Professions Code ("Code") for violation of Code Sections 10137 and 10240.

## ORDER

All licenses and licensing rights of Respondent

CLARION MORTGAGE CAPITAL, INC. under the Real Estate Law are

suspended for a period of thirty (30) days from the effective

date of this Decision; provided, however, that thirty (30) days

of said suspension shall be stayed for two (2) years upon the

following terms and conditions:

1. Respondent shall obey all laws, rules and regulations governing the rights, duties and responsibilities of a real estate licensee in the State of California; and

after hearing or upon stipulation that cause for disciplinary action occurred within two (2) years of the effective date of this Decision. Should such a determination be made, the Commissioner may, in his discretion, vacate and set aside the stay order and reimpose all or a portion of the stayed suspension. Should no such determination be made, the stay imposed herein shall become permanent.

DATED: Feb. 21, 2007

JAMES R. PEEL, Counsel for the Department of Real Estate

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I have read the Stipulation and Agreement, 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 requiring the Commissioner to prove the allegations in the Accusation at a hearing at which I would have the right to cross-examine witnesses against me and to present evidence in defense and mitigation of the charges.

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Respondent can signify acceptance and approval of the 1 terms and conditions of this Stipulation and Agreement by faxing 2 a copy of the signature page, as actually signed by Respondent, 3 to the Department at the following telephone/fax number: 4 (213) 576-6917. Respondent agrees, acknowledges and understands 5 that by electronically sending to the Department a fax copy of 6. his or her actual signature as it appears on the Stipulation and 7 Agreement, that receipt of the faxed copy by the Department 8 shall be as binding on Respondent as if the Department had 9 received the original signed Stipulation and Agreement. 10 Further, if the Respondent is represented, the 11 Respondent's counsel can signify his or her agreement to the 12 terms and conditions of the Stipulation and Agreement by 13 submitting that signature via fax. 14 15 16 DATED: CLARION MORTGAGE CAPITAL, Respondent -18 19 DATED: 20 FRANK M. BUDA Counsel for Respondent 21 22 23 /// 24 /// 25 26

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The foregoing Stipulation and Agreement is hereby adopted as my Decision and Order in this matter, and shall become effective at 12 o'clock noon on May 22, 2007

IT IS SO ORDERED 5-8-07.

JEFF DAVI Real Estate Commissioner Hug.



DEPARTMENT OF REAL ESTATE

STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Accusation of ) No. H-33033 LA )

CLARION MORTAGE CAPITAL, INC., ) L-2006 100 110 and LAWRENCE OTIS MARR, )

Respondents. )

DISMISSAL

The Accusation filed July 3, 2006, against Respondent LAWRENCE OTIS MARR is hereby dismissed.

This Order is effective immediately.

DATED: 3-8-07

JEFF DAVI Real Estate Commissioner

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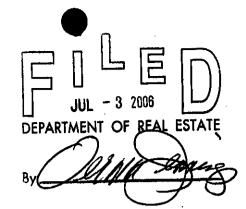
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No. H-33033 LA

<u>ACCUSATION</u>

Respondents.

The Complainant, Janice A. Waddell, a Deputy Real Estate Commissioner of the State of California, for cause of accusation against CLARION MORTGAGE CAPITAL, INC. and LAWRENCE OTIS MARR, individually and as designated officer of Clarion Mortgage Capital, Inc., alleges as follows:

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The Complainant, Janice A. Waddell, acting in her official capacity as a Deputy Real Estate Commissioner of the State of California, makes this Accusation against CLARION

MORTGAGE CAPITAL, INC. and LAWRENCE OTIS MARR, individually and as designated officer of Clarion Mortgage Capital, Inc.

II

CLARION MORTGAGE CAPITAL, INC. and LAWRENCE OTIS MARR, individually and as designated officer of said corporation (hereinafter referred to as "Respondents"), are presently licensed and/or have license rights under the Real Estate Law (Part 1 of Division 4 of the Business and Professions Code) (hereinafter Code).

III

At all times mentioned herein, Respondent CLARION

MORTGAGE CAPITAL, INC. was licensed as a real estate broker

through Respondent LAWRENCE OTIS MARR as its designated brokerofficer.

IV

At all times material herein, Respondents engaged in the business of, acted in the capacity of, advertised or assumed to act as a real estate broker in the State of California, within the meaning of Section 10131(d) of the Code, including negotiating loans on real property.

V

On or about February 23, 2005, the Department completed an examination of Respondent CLARION MORTGAGE CAPITAL, INC.'s books and records, pertaining to the activities described in Paragraph IV above, covering a period from January 1, 2003, through December 31, 2004, which examination revealed violations

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of the Code and of Title 10, Chapter 6, California Code of Regulations (hereinafter Regulations) as set forth below.

VI

The examination described in Paragraph V, above, determined that, in connection with the activities described in Paragraph IV above, Respondent CLARION MORTGAGE CAPITAL, INC. accepted or received funds, including funds in trust (hereinafter "trust funds") from or on behalf of principals, and thereafter made deposit or disbursement of such funds.

VII

In the course of activities described in Paragraphs IV through VI and during the examination period described in Paragraph V, Respondents CLARION MORTGAGE CAPITAL, INC. and LAWRENCE OTIS MARR acted in violation of the Code and the Regulations as follows, and as more specifically set forth in Audit Report No. LA 040128 and related exhibits:

- (1) Violated Section 10137 of the Code by employing and compensating Dave Theobald, Julie Marquis, Shelly Watson, Beth Samuelson, Myron Reinker, and Dave C. Munoz, as loan originators to solicit and negotiate real estate mortgage loans in California. The aforementioned individuals were working from Respondents' corporate office at 9034 East Easter Place, Englewood, Colorado. Said individuals did not have a California real estate salesperson license or broker license.
- (2) Violated Section 10159.5 of the Code and Regulation 2731 by using the unlicensed fictitious business name

Colorado Mortgage Lending.com in Respondents' internet advertising.

- (3) Violated Section <u>10140.6</u> of the Code and Regulation <u>2770</u> by not disclosing in Respondents' internet advertising that they were performing activities for which a real estate license is required in California.
- (4) Violated Section 10235.5 of the Code and Regulation 2847.3 by not disclosing in Respondents' internet advertising the license under which the loan would be made or arranged.
- (5) Violated Section 10240 of the Code and Regulation 2840 by not maintaining copies of all Mortgage Loan Disclosure Statements as signed by the broker and borrower.
- (6) Violated Section 10236.4 of the Code by failing to disclose Respondents' real estate broker license number in all Mortgage Loan Disclosure Statements.
- (7) Violated Section 10176(a) of the Code by failing to disclose to borrowers Ritesh Agarwai and Sandi Jardon all fees and compensation received by Respondents for aranging the loans obtained by the borrowers.

## VIII

The conduct, acts, and/or omissions of Respondents

CLARION MORTGAGE CAPITAL, INC. and LAWRENCE OTIS MARR, as alleged above, subjects their real estate licenses and license rights to suspension or revocation pursuant to Sections 10137, 10176(a), 10177(d), and/or 10177(g), of the Code.

IX

The conduct, acts, and/or omissions of Respondent LAWRENCE OTIS MARR, as alleged above, subjects his real estate licenses and license rights to suspension or revocation pursuant to Sections 10159.2, 10177(h), 10177(d), and/or 10177(g), 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 CLARION MORTGAGE CAPITAL, INC. and LAWRENCE OTIS MARR, individually and as designated officer of Clarion Mortgage Capital, Inc. 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 applicable provisions of law. Dated at Los Angeles, California this day of

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