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4	DEPARTMENT OF REALESTATE
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8	BEFORE THE DEPARTMENT OF REAL ESTATE
9	STATE OF CALIFORNIA
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11	In the Matter of the Accusation of) NO. H-34807 LA
12	CHARLES CHRISTOPHER HURD,) L-2008050064
13))) <u>STIPULATION AND AGREEMENT</u>
14	Respondent.)
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16	It is hereby stipulated by and between CHARLES
17	CHRISTOPHER HURD, (sometimes referred to as "Respondent"), and
18	Respondent's attorney, Frank Buda, and the Complainant, acting
19	by and through Cheryl Keily, Counsel for the Department of Real
20	Estate, as follows for the purpose of settling and disposing of
21	the Accusation filed on April 9, 2008, in this matter.
22	1. All issues which were to be contested and all
23	evidence which was to be presented by Complainant and Respondent
24	at a formal hearing on the Accusation, which hearing was to be
25	held in accordance with the provisions of the Administrative
26	Procedure Act (APA), shall instead and in place thereof be
27	submitted solely on the basis of the provisions of this
	Stipulation and Agreement.
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2. Respondent has received, read and understands the Statement to Respondent, the Discovery Provisions of the APA and the Accusation filed by the Department of Real Estate ("Department") in this proceeding.

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3. On April 17, 2008, 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 he understands that by withdrawing said Notice of Defense he will thereby waive his 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 he will waive other rights afforded to him 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. Respondent, pursuant to the limitations set forth below, hereby admits that the factual allegations set forth in the Accusation filed in this proceeding are true and correct and the Real Estate Commissioner shall not be required to provide further evidence of such allegations.

5. It is understood by the parties that the Real Estate Commissioner may adopt the Stipulation and Agreement 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

1 the Commissioner in his discretion does not adopt the Stipulation and Agreement, it shall be void and of no effect, and Respondent shall retain the right to a hearing and proceeding on the Accusation under all the provisions of the APA and shall not be bound by any admission or waiver made herein.

6. The Order or any subsequent Order of the Real Estate Commissioner made pursuant to this Stipulation and Agreement shall constitute an estoppel, merger or bar to any further administrative or civil proceedings by the Department of Real Estate with respect to any matters which were specifically alleged to be causes for accusation in this proceeding and the conviction of October 10, 2000, in the United States District Court, Central District of California, Case No. CR98-1163-ALL.

DETERMINATION OF ISSUES

By reason of the foregoing stipulations, admissions 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 of Respondent, as described in the Accusation, are grounds for the suspension or revocation of all of the real estate licenses and license rights of Respondent under the provisions of Business & Professions Code sections 490 and 10177(b).

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ORDER

2	WHEREFORE, THE FOLLOWING ORDER is hereby made:
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	ALL licenses and licensing rights of Respondent
4	CHARLES CHRISTOPHER HURD, under the Real Estate Law are revoked;
5	provided, however, a restricted real estate broker license shall
6	be issued to Respondent pursuant to Section 10156.5 of the Code
7	if Respondent makes application therefor and pays to the
8	Department the appropriate fee for the restricted license within
9	90 days from the effective date of this Decision.
10	The Restricted license issued to Respondent shall be
11	subject to all of the provisions of Section 10156.7 of the Code
12	and to the following conditions, limitations and restrictions
13	imposed under the authority of Section 10156.6 of the Code:
14	1. The restricted license issued to Respondent may be
15	suspended prior to hearing by Order of the Commissioner in the
16	event of Respondent's conviction or plea of nolo contendere to a
17	crime which is substantially related to Respondent's fitness or
18	capacity as a real estate licensee.
19	2. The restricted license issued to Respondent may be
20	suspended prior to hearing by Order of the Commissioner on
21	evidence satisfactory to the Commissioner that Respondent has
22	violated provisions of the Real Estate law, the Subdivided Lands
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24	Law, Regulations of the Real Estate Commissioner or conditions
25	attaching to the restricted license.
26	3. Respondent shall not be eligible to apply for
27	issuance of an unrestricted real estate license nor for the
.	removal of any of the conditions, limitations or restrictions of

a restricted license until two (2) years have elapsed from the effective date of this Decision.

4. Respondent shall, within nine (9) months from the 4 effective date of this Decision, present evidence satisfactory 5 to the Commissioner that Respondent has, since the most recent 6 issuance of an original or renewal real estate license, taken 7 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. If Respondent fails to satisfy this condition, the Commissioner may order the suspension of the 11 restricted license until Respondent presents such evidence. The 12 Commissioner shall afford Respondent the opportunity for a hearing pursuant to the APA to present such evidence.

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Coun KEILY, DEPARTMENT OF REAL ESTATE

I have read the Stipulation and Agreement, 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

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p.8 7603459423 Jan 12 09 03:15p C. Hurd witnesses against me and to present evidence in defense and 1 mitigation of the charges. 2 Respondent can signify acceptance and approval of the 3 terms and conditions of this Stipulation and Agreement by faxing 4 a copy of its signature page, as actually signed by Respondent, 5 to the Department at the following telephone/fax number (213) 6 Respondent agrees, acknowledges, and understands that 7 576-6917. by electronically sending to the Department a fax copy of his 8 actual signature as it appears on the Stipulation and Agreement, 9 that receipt of the faxed copy by the Department shall be as 10 binding on Respondent as if the Department had received the 11 original signed Stipulation and Agreement. 12 13 14 DATED : CHARLES CHRISTOPHER HURD, 15 Respondent I have reviewed the Stipulation and Agreement as to form and content and have 16 advised my client accordingly. 17 18 DATED: Frank Buda, 19 Attorney for Respondent 20 31 111 22 /// 23 /// 24 /// 25 111 26 []] 27 111

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4	terms and conditions of this Stipulation and Agreement by faxing	
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9	actual signature as it appears on the Stipulation and Agreement,	
10	that receipt of the faxed copy by the Department shall be as	
11	binding on Respondent as if the Department had received the	
12	original signed Stipulation and Agreement.	
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14	DATED: CHARLES CHRISTOPHER HURD,	
15	Respondent	
	I have reviewed the Stipulation and Agreement as to form and content and have	
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17	I have reviewed the Stipulation and Agreement as to form and content and have advised my client accordingly.	
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The foregoing Stipulation and Agreement is hereby adopted as my Decision in this matter and shall become effective 2009. at 12 o'clock noon on <u>March 2</u> 2009. IT IS SO ORDERED JEFF DAV Real Estate Commissioner . <u>,</u>20

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4 5 6	Telephone: (213) 576-6982 (Direct) (213) 576-5770 APR - 9 2008 DEPARTMENT OF REAL ESTATE BY:
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13 14 15	CHARLES CHRISTOPHER HURD,) <u>A C C U S A T I O N</u> Respondent.))
16 17 18	The Complainant, Maria Suarez, a Deputy Real Estate Commissioner of the State of California, for cause of Accusation against CHARLES CHRISTOPHER HURD, aka Charles C. Hurd, aka
- 19 20 21	Charles C. Hunt, ("Respondent") alleges as follows: 1. The Complainant, Maria Suarez, a Deputy Real Estate
22 23 24	Commissioner of the State of California, makes this Accusation in her official capacity. 2.
25 26 27	Respondent is presently licensed and/or has license rights under the Real Estate Law, Part 1 of Division 4 of the
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California Business and Professions Code ("Code") as a real estate broker.

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(CRIMINAL CONVICTIONS)

On or about April 13, 2005, in the Superior Court for the State of California, County of Riverside, Case No. INF031149, confirmed on appeal, Respondent was convicted of violating California Penal Code section 664(a) and California Civil Code section 892(a) (Attempted Multiple Acts of Rent Skimming), a felony. The underlying facts of this crime involve moral turpitude, which bear a substantial relationship under Section 2910, Title 10, Chapter 6, California Code of Regulations to the qualifications, functions or duties of a real estate licensee.

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On or about April 13, 2005, in the Superior Court for 17 the State of California, County of Riverside, Case No. 18 INF034757, confirmed on appeal, Respondent was convicted of 19 violating California Penal Code section 496 (Receiving Stolen 20 Property), a felony, and California Business and Professions 21 Code section 17500 (False and Misleading Advertising), a 22 The underlying facts of these crimes involve moral misdemeanor. 23 24 turpitude, which bear a substantial relationship under Section 25 2910, Title 10, Chapter 6, California Code of Regulations to the 26 qualifications, functions or duties of a real estate licensee.

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The crimes of which Respondent was convicted, as described in Paragraphs 3 and 4, above, constitute cause under Sections 490 and 10177(b) of the Code for the suspension or revocation of the license and license rights of Respondent under the Real Estate Law.

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 the licenses and license rights of Respondent, CHARLES CHRISTOPHER HURD, 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.

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Dated at Los Angeles California this MM - day of 2008.

Deputy Real Estate Commissioner

CHARLES CHRISTOPHER HURD Maria Suarez Sacto.

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