FILED 1 2 DEC - 8 2008 3 DEPARTMENT OF REALEST BY: 4 5 б 7 BEFORE THE DEPARTMENT OF REAL ESTATE 8 9 STATE OF CALIFORNIA 10 11. No. H- 35512 LA In the Matter of 12 PLATINUM EQUITY FINANCIAL, 13 a California corporation, 14 15 Respondent. 16 ORDER ACCEPTING VOLUNTARY SURRENDER OF REAL ESTATE LICENSE 17 On September 1, 2008, PLATINUM EQUITY FINANCIAL, a 1.8 California corporation, in connection with an investigation of 19 possible violations of the Real Estate Law (Sections 10000 et 20 seq., of the Business and Professions Code) and Regulations of 21 the Commissioner (Title 10, Code of Regulations), petitioned the 22 Commissioner to voluntarily surrender its real estate broker 23 license pursuant to Section 10100.2 of the Business and 24 Professions Code. 25 111 26 /// 27

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| 1 | IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that PLATINUM EQUITY FINANCIAL'S |
| 2 | petition for voluntary surrender of its real estate broker |
| 3 | license is accepted as of the effective date of this Order as set |
| 4 | forth below, based upon the understanding and agreement expressed |
| 5 | in PLATINUM EQUITY FINANCIAL'S Declaration dated September 1, |
| 6 | 2008, (attached as Exhibit "A" hereto). PLATINUM EQUITY |
| 7 | FINANCIAL's license certificate(s), pocket card(s) and any branch |
| 8 | office license certificate shall be sent to the below listed |
| 9 | address so that they reach the Department on or before the |
| 10 | effective date of this Order: |
| 11 | Department of Real Estate Atten: Licensing Flag Section |
| 12 | P.O. Box 187000 Sacramento, CA 95818-7000 |
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| 14 | This Order shall become effective at 12 o'clock noon on |
| 15 | <u>December 29</u> , 2008 |
| 16 | DATED: $12-2$, 2008 |
| 17 | JEFF DAVI |
| 18 | Real Estate Commissioner |
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EXHIBIT "A "

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No. H- 35512 LA

PLATINUM EQUITY FINANCIAL, a California corporation,

Respondent.

DECLARATION

My name is Patrick Daniel McKenna. I am the former designated officer of PLATINUM EQUITY FINANCIAL, a California corporation. I am authorized and empowered to sign this declaration on behalf of PLATINUM EQUITY FINANCIAL.

I am acting on behalf of PLATINUM EQUITY FINANCIAL in this matter.

I have been informed by the Department of Real Estate that PLATINUM EQUITY FINANCIAL is the subject of an investigation of possible violations of the Real Estate Law (Sections 10000 et seq., of the Business and Professions Code) and Regulations of the Real Estate Commissioner (Title 10 of the California Code of

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Regulations) which could result in the filing of an Accusation to revoke or suspend its real estate license; and pursuant to Business and Professions Code Section 10100.2, PLATINUM EQUITY FINANCIAL wishes to voluntarily surrender its real estate broker license issued by the Department.

I understand that PLATINUM EQUITY FINANCIAL by so
voluntarily surrendering its license, can only have it reinstated
in accordance with the provisions of Section 11522 of the
Government Code.

I agree on behalf of PLATINUM EQUITY FINANCIAL that the 10 filing of this Declaration shall be deemed to be its petition to 11 voluntary surrender its real estate license and shall also be 12 deemed to be an understanding and agreement by it that upon 13 acceptance by the Commissioner, as evidenced by an appropriate 14 order, all affidavits and all other relevant statements, 15 declarations and evidence obtained during the course of the 16 investigation prior to the Commissioner's acceptance may be 17 considered by the Department to be true and correct for the 18 purpose of deciding whether or not to grant reinstatement of its 19 license pursuant to the provisions of Government Code Section 20 11522. This understanding and agreement is made without 21 admitting or denying the truth or contents of the aforementioned 22 documents. 23

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I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the above is true and correct and that I am acting freely and voluntarily on behalf of PLATINUM EQUITY FINANCIAL to surrender its license and all license rights attached thereto.

Date and Place 9/1/08 - Orange, Ch

DANIEL MCKENNA, CK

BY: PATRI Former Designated Officer Platinum Equity Financial