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DEPARTMENT OF REAL ESTATE

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BEFORE THE DEPARTMENT OF REAL ESTATE

STATE OF CALIFORNIA

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In the Matter of the Accusation of)

SOLUBANC FUNDING INC., doing)

business as Home Loan Funding Solutions; ORLANDO DANILO MONTERO, individually, and as designated officer for

SoluBanc Funding Inc.,

Respondents.

NO. H-36145 LA

L-2009090737

STIPULATION AND AGREEMENT

It is hereby stipulated by and between ORLANDO DANILO MONTERO, individually, and as designated broker-officer of Solubanc Funding Inc., (sometimes referred to as "Respondent"), and the Complainant, acting by and through Cheryl Keily, Counsel for the Department of Real Estate, as follows for the purpose of settling and disposing of the Accusation filed on July 30, 2009, in this matter.

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.

- 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.
- 3. On August 24, 2009, 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. This Stipulation and Agreement 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 litigate these allegations at a formal administrative hearing, but to remain silent and understands that, as a result thereof, these factual allegations, without being admitted or denied, will serve as a

prima facie basis for the disciplinary action stipulated to herein. This Stipulation and Agreement and Respondent's decision not to contest the Accusation are hereby expressly limited to this proceeding and made for the sole purpose of reaching an agreed disposition of this proceeding. Respondent's decision not to contest the factual allegations at a formal administrative hearing is made solely for the purpose of effectuating this Stipulation and Agreement and is intended to be non-binding upon Respondent in any actions against him by third parties. The Real Estate Commissioner shall not be required to provide further evidence to prove said factual 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 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 not 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 not specifically alleged to be causes for accusation in this proceeding.

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 Paragraph 4, above, is in violation of Business and Professions Code Sections 10137 and 10159.5 and Section 2731(a) of the Regulations, and is a basis for discipline of Respondent's license and license rights as violations of the Real Estate Law pursuant to Business and Professions Code Section 10177(d).

ORDER

WHEREFORE, THE FOLLOWING ORDER is hereby made:

ALL licenses and licensing rights of Respondent

ORLANDO DANILO MONTERO under the Real Estate Law are suspended

for a period of sixty (60) days from the effective date of this

Decision;

A. Provided, however, that if Respondent requests, the initial thirty (30) days of said suspension (or a portion thereof) shall be stayed upon condition that:

- 2. Said payment shall be in the form of a cashier's check or certified check made payable to the Recovery Account of the Real Estate Fund. Said check must be received by the Department prior to the effective date of the Decision in this matter.
- 3. No further cause for disciplinary action against the real estate license of Respondent occurs within two (2) years from the effective date of the Decision in this matter.
- 4. If Respondent fails to pay the monetary penalty in accordance with the terms of the Decision, the Commissioner may, without a hearing, order the immediate execution of all or any part of the stayed suspension, in which event the Respondent shall not be entitled to any repayment or credit, prorated or otherwise, for money paid to the Department under the terms of this Decision.
- 5. If Respondent pays the monetary penalty and if no further cause for disciplinary action against the real estate license of Respondent occurs within two (2) years from the effective date of the Decision, the stay hereby granted shall become permanent.
- B. The remaining thirty (30) days of the sixty (60) day 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

2. That no final subsequent determination be made, 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: Sec mbs 9, 2009

CHERYL D. KEILY, Counsel DEPARTMENT OF REAL ESTATE

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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 witnesses against me and to present evidence in defense and mitigation of the charges.

Respondent can signify acceptance and approval of the terms and conditions of this Stipulation and Agreement by faxing a copy of its signature page, as actually signed by Respondent, to the Department at the following telephone/fax number (213) Respondent agrees, acknowledges, and understands that by electronically sending to the Department a fax copy of his actual signature as it appears on the Stipulation and Agreement, that receipt of the faxed copy by the Department shall be as binding on Respondent as if the Department had received the original signed Stipulation and Agreement.

DATED: December 2, 2009

ORLANDO DANILO MONTERO, Respondent

The foregoing Stipulation and Agreement is hereby

adopted as my Decision in this matter and shall become effective at 12 o'clock noon on

IT IS SO ORDERED

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Real Estate Commissioner

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No. H-36145 LA L-2009090737 SOLUBANC FUNDING INC., doing Business as Home Loan Funding Solutions; ORLANDO DANILO MONTERO, individually, and as designated officer for SoluBanc Funding Inc.,

Respondents

ORDER ACCEPTING VOLUNTARY SURRENDER OF REAL ESTATE LICENSE

On July 30, 2009, an Accusation was filed in this matter against Respondent SOLUBANC FUNDING INC..

On December 2, 2009, Respondent petitioned the Commissioner to voluntarily surrender its real estate license(s) pursuant to Section 10100.2 of the Business and Professions Code.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Respondent SOLUBANC FUNDING INC.'s petition for voluntary surrender of its real estate salesperson license(s) is accepted as of the effective date of this Order as set forth below, based upon the understanding and agreement expressed in Respondent's Declaration dated December 2, 2009 (attached as Exhibit "A" hereto). Respondent's license

certificate(s), pocket card(s) and any branch office license certificate(s) shall be sent to the below listed address so that they reach the Department on or before the effective date of this Order: DEPARTMENT OF REAL ESTATE Attn: Licensing Flag Section P. O. Box 187000 Sacramento, CA 95818-7000 This Order shall become effective at 12 o'clock noon MAR - 8 2010on DATED: dommissioner Estate/

Exhibit "A"

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No. H-36145 LA

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Solutions; ORLANDO DANILO MONTERO, individually, and as

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DECLARATION

My name is Orlando Danilo Montero. SOLUBANC FUNDING INC. is licensed as a real estate corporation and/or has license rights with respect to said license. I am currently an officer of SOLUBANC FUNDING INC., and am authorized and empowered to sign this declaration on behalf of SOLUBANC FUNDING INC.

In lieu of proceeding in this matter in accordance with the provisions of the Administrative Procedure Act (Sections 11400 et seq., of the Government Code) SOLUBANC FUNDING INC.

wishes to voluntarily surrender its real estate license issued by the Department of Real Estate ("Department"), pursuant to the provisions of Business and Professions Code Section 10100.2.

I understand that SOLUBANC FUNDING INC., by so voluntarily surrendering its license, can only have it reinstated in accordance with the provisions of Section 11522 of the Government Code. I also understand that by so voluntarily surrendering its license, SOLUBANC FUNDING INC. agrees to the following:

- 1. The filing of this Declaration shall be deemed as the petition of SOLUBANC FUNDING INC. for voluntary surrender.
- 2. It shall also be deemed to be an understanding and agreement by SOLUBANC FUNDING INC. that it waives all rights it has to require the Commissioner to prove the allegations contained in the Accusation filed in this matter at a hearing held in accordance with the provisions of the Administrative Procedure Act (Government Code Sections 11400 et seq.), and that SOLUBANC FUNDING INC. also waives other rights afforded to it in connection with the hearing such as the right to discovery, the right to present evidence in defense of the allegations in the Accusation and the right to cross-examine witnesses.
- 3. SOLUBANC FUNDING INC. further agrees that upon acceptance by the Commissioner, as evidenced by an appropriate order, all affidavits and all relevant evidence obtained by the Department in this matter prior to the Commissioner's acceptance, and all allegations contained in the Accusation filed by the Department in Case No. H-36145 LA, may be considered by the

Department to be true and correct for the purpose of deciding whether to grant relicensure or reinstatement of SOLUBANC FUNDING INC.'s license pursuant to Government Code Section 11522.

4. I am acting freely and voluntarily on behalf of SOLUBANC FUNDING INC. to surrender its license and all license rights attached thereto.

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the above is true and correct.

December 2, 2009
Date and Place

Orlando Danilo Montero, Designated Officer for Solubanc Funding Inc.

CHERYL D. KEILY SBN# 94008 Department of Real Estate FILED 320 West 4th Street, Suite 350 Los Angeles, California 90013-1105 3 JUL 3 0 2009 Telephone: (213) 576-6982 (Direct) (213) 576-6905 DEPARTMENT OF REAL ESTATE 5 6 7 8 BEFORE THE DEPARTMENT OF REAL ESTATE 9 STATE OF CALIFORNIA 10 11 No. H- 36145 LA In the Matter of the Accusation of 12 $\underline{A} \ \underline{C} \ \underline{C} \ \underline{U} \ \underline{S} \ \underline{A} \ \underline{T} \ \underline{I} \ \underline{O} \ \underline{N}$ SOLUBANC FUNDING INC., doing 13 business as Home Loan Funding Solutions; ORLANDO DANILO 14 MONTERO, individually, and as designated officer for 15 SoluBanc Funding Inc., 16 Respondents. 17 18 The Complainant, Robin Trujillo, a Deputy Real Estate 19 Commissioner of the State of California, for cause of Accusation 20 21 against SOLUBANC FUNDING INC. ("SOLUBANC"), doing business as 22 Home Loan Funding Solutions, and ORLANDO DANILO MONTERO 23 ("MONTERO"), individually, and as designated officer for 24 SoluBanc Funding Inc., is informed and alleges as follows: 25 111 26 111 27

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The Complainant, Robin Trujillo, a Deputy Real Estate Commissioner of the State of California, makes this Accusation in her official capacity.

2.

Respondent SOLUBANC is presently licensed and/or has license rights under the Real Estate Law (Part 1 of Division 4 of the Business and Professions Code, hereafter "Code"), as a real estate corporation acting by and through Respondent MONTERO as its designated broker-officer. On or about September 6, 2001, the Franchise Tax Board of the State of California suspended the powers, rights and privileges of Respondent SOLUBANC pursuant to the provisions of the California Revenue and Taxation Code. The corporate powers, rights and privileges of Respondent remain suspended to date. The license of Respondent SOLUBANC expired on or about June 14, 2008. Pursuant to Code Section 10201 Respondent retains renewal rights.

Pursuant to Section 10103 the Department retains jurisdiction.

3.

Respondent MONTERO is presently licensed and/or has license rights under the Real Estate Law as a real estate broker.

4.

At no time mentioned herein has Rudy Rubio been licensed by the Department as a real estate broker or salesperson.

5.

At all times herein mentioned, Respondent SOLUBANC and MONTERO, on behalf of others and in expectation of compensation, engaged in the business, 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 subparts (a) and (d) of the Code, including negotiating for the purchase and sale of real property, soliciting borrowers and lenders and negotiating loans on real property.

6.

From June 15, 2004, to June 14, 2008, Respondent MONTERO, as the officer designated by Respondent SOLUBANC pursuant to Section 10211 of the Code, was responsible for the supervision and control of the activities conducted on behalf of Respondent SOLUBANC by its officers and employees as necessary to secure full compliance with the Real Estate Law as set forth in Section 10159.2 of the Code.

FIRST CAUSE OF ACCUSATION (Unlicensed Activity)

7.

In or around March, 2006, Rubio negotiated a purchase agreement on behalf of Martin Peralta ("Peralta") for the

purchase of the real property located at 1101 W. Olive Street, Fullerton, California 92833 (the "Property") for a total purchase price of \$665,000.

Thereafter, an escrow was opened with Real Estate
Professionals Escrow Division, Escrow No. 6951187-REP3, to
handle the transaction for the purchase and sale of the
Property. Peralta's checks in the following amounts were
delivered to the escrow: (1) a check in the amount of \$66,500
made payable to Home Loan Funding Solutions, the authorized
fictitious business name of Respondent SOLUBANC; and (2) a check
in the amount of \$500 made payable to Real Estate Professionals
Escrow Division.

9.

On or about August 9, 2006, Rubio presented a demand for payment in the amount of \$4,000 to the escrow demanding compensation for services rendered by him in negotiating the purchase and sale of the Property on Peralta's behalf. On or about August 10, 2006, payment was made to Rubio from the escrow pursuant to his demand.

10.

Based on the information contained in Paragraph 9, above, Rubio performed and/or participated in the negotiation for the purchase or sale of the Property, which activity requires a real estate broker license under the provisions of Code Sections 10131(a), during a period of time when Rubio was

not licensed by the Department of Real Estate as a real estate 1 broker nor employed as a real estate salesperson by a broker on 2 whose behalf the activities were performed. 3 11. Respondents MONTERO and SOLUBANC violated Section 5 10137 of the Code by employing and/or compensating Rubio, an 6 individual who was not licensed as a real estate salesperson or 7 as a broker, to perform activities requiring a license. 8 9 12. 10 The conduct, acts and/or omissions of Respondents 11 MONTERO and SOLUBANC, as set forth in Paragraph 9, above, 12 violate Code Section 10137, and are cause for the suspension or 13 revocation of the licenses and license rights of Respondents 14 pursuant to Code Sections 10177(d) and/or 10177(g). 15 SECOND CAUSE OF ACCUSATION (Use of Unauthorized Fictitious Business Name) 16 17 13. 18 Complainant hereby incorporates by reference the 19 allegations set forth in Paragraphs 1 through 12, above. 20 14. 21 At a time within the last three years Respondent 22 MONTERO used the fictitious business names, "Real Estate 23 Professionals" and "Real Estate Professionals Escrow Division" 24 for activities requiring the issuance of a real estate license 25 without filing an application for the use of such name with the 26 Department of Real Estate ("Department") as required by the 27

provisions of Code Section 10159.5 and Section 2731(a) of Title 10, Chapter 6, California Code of Regulations ("Regulations").

15.

The conduct, acts and/or omissions of Respondent MONTERO, as set forth in Paragraph 14, above, violate Code Section 10159.5 and Section 2731(a) of the Regulations, and are cause for the suspension or revocation of the licenses and license rights of said Respondent pursuant to Code Sections 10177(d) and/or 10177(g).

THIRD CAUSE OF ACCUSATION (Failure to Supervise)

16.

Complainant hereby incorporates the allegations set forth in Paragraphs 1 through 15, above.

17. ·

Respondent MONTERO ordered, caused, authorized or participated in the conduct of Respondent SOLUBANC, as is alleged in this Accusation.

18.

The conduct, acts and/or omissions, of Respondent MONTERO, in allowing Respondent SOLUBANC to violate the Real Estate Law, as set forth above, constitutes a failure by MONTERO, as the officer designated by a corporate broker licensee, to exercise the supervision and control over the activities of SOLUBANC, as required by Code Section 10159.2, and is cause to suspend or revoke the real estate licenses and

license rights of MONTERO under Code Sections 10177(d), 10177(g) and/or 10177(h).

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 ORLANDO DANILO MONTERO and SOLUBANC FUNDING 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 29 day of July

Robin Trajillo

Deputy Real Estate Commissioner

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cc:

ORLANDO DANILO MONTERO SOLUBANC FUNDING INC. Robin Trujillo Sacto.