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BEFORE THE DEPARTMENT OF REAL ESTATE

STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Accusation of ) No. H-38302 LA

ACCUSATION

N A NATIONWIDE MORTGAGE,

NOELLE TIWANA WHEELER,
individually and as designated officer of NA Nationwide

Mortgage, and
EDWARD BOGART,

Respondents.

The Complainant, Maria Suarez, a Deputy Real Estate

Commissioner of the State of California, for cause of Accusation

against N A NATIONWIDE MORTGAGE, NOELLE TIWANA WHEELER,

individually and as designated officer of N A Nationwide

Mortgage, and EDWARD BOGART (collectively "Respondents"), is

informed and alleges as follows:

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The Complainant, Maria Suarez, a Deputy Real Estate

Commissioner of the State of California, makes this Accusation

in her official capacity.

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Respondents are presently licensed and/or have license rights under the Real Estate Law (Part 1 of Division 4 of the California Business and Professions Code, "Code").

3.

From on or about December 5, 1998, through the present, Respondent N A NATIONWIDE MORTGAGE ("NANM") has been licensed by the Department of Real Estate ("Department") as a corporate real estate broker, Department ID 01247594.

From on or about February 28, 1994, through the present, Respondent NOELLE TIWANA WHEELER ("WHEELER") has been licensed by the Department as a real estate broker, Department ID 01125188.

5.

During all times relevant herein, Respondent NANM was acting by and through Respondent WHEELER as its officer pursuant to Code Section 10159.2 to be responsible for ensuring compliance with the Real Estate Law.

From on or about May 7, 1991, through the present, Respondent EDWARD BOGART, aka Edward J. Bogart ("BOGART"), was licensed by the Department as a real estate salesperson, Department ID 01109063. Respondent BOGART was licensed under the employment of broker NANM from August 8, 2007, through November 6, 2008. From November 7, 2008, through July 22, 2011, Respondent was licensed "NBA" - non working status due to no

broker affiliation.

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## Prior Discipline

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Respondents NANM and WHEELER were publicly reproved by the Department in Case No. H-31749 LA. The public reproval was released on December 8, 2005.

## FIRST CAUSE OF ACCUSATION (BOGART)

8.

Code Section 10132 defines a real estate salesperson as a person who, for compensation or in expectation of compensation, is employed by a licensed real estate broker to do one or more of the acts set forth in Sections 10131, 10131.1, 10131.2, 10131.3, 10131.4, and 10131.6. Code Section 10131 defines a real estate broker as a person who: (a) sells or offers to sell, buys or offers to buy, solicits prospective sellers or purchasers of, solicits or obtains listings of, or negotiates the purchase, sale or exchange of real property or a business opportunity; or (d) solicits borrowers, negotiate loans, collects payments or perform services for borrowers in connection with loans secured directly or collaterally by liens on real property.

9.

In or around April, 2010, Respondent BOGART, while acting on behalf of Respondent NANM solicited and offered to perform refinance services for borrowers Frank and Mary S. in connection with loans secured directly or collaterally by liens

indirectly, any person for performing acts requiring a real estate license, who is not a real estate salesperson licensed under the broker employing or compensating him or her. Code Section 10161.8(a) states that whenever a real estate salesperson enters the employ of a real estate broker, the broker shall immediately notify the commissioner thereof in writing.

14.

Respondent NANM failed to promptly notify the Department in writing of Respondent BOGART's employment with NANM after November 7, 2008.

15.

The conduct, acts and/or omissions of Respondent NANM, as set forth in Paragraphs 13 and 14, above, constitute cause to suspend or revoke the real estate license and license rights of Respondent NANM under the provisions of Code Sections 10177(d) and/or 10177(g), for violation of Code Sections 10137 and 10161.8.

## THIRD CAUSE OF ACCUSATION (FAILURE TO SUPERVISE)

16.

There is hereby incorporated in this Third, separate and distinct Cause of Accusation, all of the allegations contained in Paragraphs 1 through 15, with the same force and effect as if herein fully set forth.

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The conduct, acts and/or omissions of Respondent WHEELER, in allowing Respondents NANM and BOGART to violate the Real Estate Law, as set forth above, constitutes a failure by Respondent WHEELER, as the officer designated by the corporate broker licensee, to exercise the supervision and control of the activities conducted on behalf of NANM by its offices and employees as required by Code Section 10159.2 and Regulation 2725, and is cause to suspend or revoke the real estate license and license rights of Respondent WHEELER pursuant to Code Sections 10177(h), 10177(d) and/or 10177(g).

18.

Code Section 10106 provides, in pertinent part, that in any order issued in resolution of a disciplinary proceeding before the Department of Real Estate, the Commissioner may request the administrative law judge to direct a licensee found to have committed a violation of this part to pay a sum not to exceed the reasonable costs of the investigation and enforcement of the case.

cc: N A Nationwide Mortgage
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Allied Financial Network, Inc.
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