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Labor and Workforce Development Agency
Department of Industrial Regulations
Attn: PAGA Administrator
1515 Clay St., Ste. 801
Oakland, CA 94612
via electronic submission

Re: Claimant	:	Veronica Ruiz, Griselda Munguia
Respondent	:	Staffmark Investments, LLC
LWDA Case No.	:	LWDA-CM-874646-22
Court	:	Private Arbitration with Dennis Moss, Esq.
Court Case No.	:	n/a
Hearing Date	:	n/a
Hearing Time	:	n/a
Hearing Location	:	n/a
# of Aggrieved Employees	:	155
Gross Settlement Amount	:	\$2,690,000
Gross Penalty Amount	:	\$50,000
Penalties to LWDA	:	\$37,500
Date of Proposed Settlement	:	Sept. 19, 2022

NOTICE OF PENDING APPROVAL OF CLASS ACTION SETTLEMENT

Dear PAGA Administrator:

On April 9, 2021, Veronica Ruiz, via counsel, filed a civil action in California Federal District Court against Staffmark Investment LLC. The action was later moved to private arbitration, with Griselda Munguia designated as the representative claimant.

The Parties have reached a settlement, which Ms. Ruiz and Ms. Munguia have submitted to an Arbitrator for approval. A copy of the proposed settlement agreement is being provided to the LWDA pursuant to California Labor Code section 2699.3(l)(2).

If I can be of any assistance, please do not hesitate to contact me. Thank you for your careful consideration of this matter.

Yours very truly,

/s/ Matthew S. Parmet

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