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**SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA
FOR THE COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES**

JOSE D. MEJIA, an individual;

Plaintiff,

v.

LEON C. WILLARD, individually & doing
business as L. C. WILLARD ROOFING; and
DOES 1 through 20, inclusive;

Defendants.

Case Number: 21STCV20776

[Honorable Michael P. Linfield; Department 34]

~~PROPOSED~~ **ORDER GRANTING
PLAINTIFF JOSE D. MEJIA'S
UNOPPOSED MOTION FOR COURT
APPROVAL OF PAGA SETTLEMENT**

Hearing:

Date: April 14, 2022

Time: 08:30 AM

Dept.: 34

Complaint Filed: June 3, 2021

Trial Date: October 17, 2022

RESERVATION ID: 763237618842

TO ALL PARTIES AND THEIR COUNSEL OF RECORD:

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE THAT the Court, having considered Plaintiff JOSE D. MEJIA's
UNOPPOSED MOTION FOR COURT APPROVAL OF PAGA SETTLEMENT, along with the
supporting documents and records filed herein, and good cause appearing therefrom, it is hereby
ORDERED:

1. The Court heard the present motion on March 18, 2022. The Court raised its concerns about
the PAGA Settlement in its Tentative Ruling and at the hearing. On the Court's own motion,
the Court continued the hearing to April 14, 2022 to allow for supplemental briefing;
2. Plaintiff filed a Supplemental Brief on April 7, 2022 addressing the Court's concerns.

1 Additionally, Plaintiff's counsel waived his initial request for legal fees of \$333.33 and
2 consented to redistribute that amount proportionally to the LWDA and to the aggrieved
3 employees;

4 3. Accordingly, the \$1,000 PAGA settlement will now be distributed as follows:

5 Maximum Settlement Amount (non-reversionary)	\$1,000.00
6 Settlement Administrator's Costs	\$75.00
7 Plaintiff Counsel's Attorney's Fees	\$0.00
8 Plaintiff Litigation Costs	\$0.00
9 Plaintiff Service Award	\$0.00
10 Net Settlement Amount	\$925.00
11 LWDA (Labor and Workforce Development Agency)	\$693.75
12 Aggrieved Employees (4 members)	\$231.25
13 Each member receives	\$57.81

14 4. GOOD CAUSE appearing, Plaintiff's Unopposed Motion for Court Approval of PAGA
15 Settlement is GRANTED;

16 5. The Entire Action is Dismissed with Prejudice; The Court shall retain jurisdiction over the
17 parties to enforce the settlement until performance in full of the terms of the settlement per
18 California *Code of Civil Procedure* Section 664.6.
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20 **IT IS SO ORDERED.**
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22 DATED: 04/20/2022
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A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Michael P. Linfield".

24 Michael P. Linfield / Judge
25 Judge of the Superior Court; Dept. 34
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(§ 1013a, 2015.5 C.C.P.)

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