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SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

COUNTY OF ORANGE

JOANABELLE PIZARRO ORDONA,
TAKEYA RIDEOUT, Individually and on
Behalf of Other Members of the Public and
those Similarly Situated,

Plaintiffs,

v.

FIRST CLASS NURSES, INC., a California
Corporation,
AMGAD WAHBA,
RAMY WAHBA, and
DOES 1-10, Inclusive,

Defendants.

Case No. 30-2021-01238237-CU-OE-CXC

ASSIGNED FOR ALL PURPOSES TO:

HONORABLE LON F. HURWITZ

DEPARTMENT: CX-103

ACTION FILED: DECEMBER 27, 2021

FAC FILED: MARCH 23, 2022

ANSWER FILED: APRIL 26, 2022

CLASS ACTION/PAGA ACTION

NOTICE OF RULING

Hearing:

Date: September 13, 2024

Time: 1:30 p.m.

Location: Dept.: CX-103

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1 TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS AND PARTIES, AND THEIR ATTORNEY OF RECORD:
2 PLEASE TAKE NOTICE THAT the Honorable Lon F. Hurwitz, in Department CX-103 of the
3 Orange County Superior Court, located at Civil Complex Center, 751 West Santa Ana Blvd., Santa Ana,
4 CA 92701, **issued a ruling** on Joanabelle Pizarro Ordon and Takeya Rideout's ("Plaintiffs") motion for
5 final approval of class action and PAGA settlement that was set for hearing on September 13, 2024 at 1:30
6 p.m. A true and correct copy of the Court's ruling on Plaintiffs' motion is attached hereto as **Exhibit A**.

7 PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that, pursuant to the Court's ruling attached as **Exhibit A**,
8 "The Motion for Final Approval of Class Action and PAGA Settlement is CONTINUED to October 25,
9 2024 at 1:30 p.m. in Department CX103 so that counsel can resolve" three items addressed by the Court.
10 "If counsel adequately address these issues and submits satisfactory supplemental filings to the Court at
11 least ten (10) calendar days prior to the continued hearing date, then the Court will vacate the continued
12 hearing. If the supplemental filings are not satisfactory or are not filed, the continued hearing will proceed
13 as scheduled. If counsel timely submits satisfactory supplemental filings, the Court will GRANT the
14 Motion, and approve the following distributions..."

15 Respectfully submitted,

16 RICHARD LAW, P.C.

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18 September 16, 2024

By: Diane Richard
DIANE E. RICHARD
Attorney for Plaintiffs,
Joanabelle Pizarro Ordon and
Takeya Rideout

EXHIBIT A

#8	Ordonas vs. First Class Nurses, Inc. 2021- 01238237	Motion for Final Approval <u>RULING:</u> The Motion for Final Approval of Class Action and PAGA Settlement is CONTINUED to October 25, 2024, at 1:30 p.m. in Department CX103 so that counsel can resolve the following issues: 1. Settlement Administrator must attest as to total number of workweeks used to calculate Individual Class Payments, and total number of pay periods used to calculate Individual PAGA Payments. 2. Counsel must provide proof of service of the Motion for Final Approval on the LWDA. 3. Proposed Order must include statement of injunctive relief obtained in settlement. If counsel adequately address these issues and submits satisfactory supplemental filings to the Court at least ten (10) calendar days prior to the continued hearing date, then the Court will vacate the continued hearing. If the supplemental filings are not satisfactory or are not filed, the continued hearing will proceed as scheduled. If counsel timely submits satisfactory supplemental filings, the Court will GRANT the Motion, and approve the following distributions: Attorneys’ fees \$104,000.00 Litigation costs \$ 11,288.58 Administration costs \$ 6,000.00
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Enhancement awards \$ 20,000.00 (\$10,000 for each Named Plaintiff)

LWDA PAGA Payment \$ 3,750.00

Final Accounting will be set for June 26, 2026, at 1:30 p.m. in Department CX103. Counsel shall submit a final administrator's report at least ten (10) calendar days prior to the Final Accounting hearing regarding the status of the settlement administration. The final report must include all information necessary for the Court to determine the total amount actually paid to Class Members and any amounts disbursed to the State Controller's Office Unclaimed Property Fund. If the uncashed funds are not fully disbursed by the report deadline, counsel must request a continuance.

Plaintiffs to give notice of ruling, including to the LWDA, and file proof of service within five (5) court days.

The Court does not require any physical or remote appearance at the hearing on September 13, 2024.

If the parties do not intend to submit on the tentative, please inform the clerk by emailing her before 12:00 p.m. on the day of the hearing at CX103@occourts.org.

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PROOF OF SERVICE

Joanabelle Pizarro Ordon, et al. v. First Class Nurses, Inc. (30-2021-01238237-CU-OE-CXC)

1. At the time of service, I was a United States citizen, a resident of the County of San Diego, over 18 years of age, and not a party to or interest in this action.

2. My business address is 5060 N. Harbor Drive, Suite 265, San Diego, CA 92106.

3. On **September 16, 2024**, I served the following document(s), including all exhibits thereto:

• **NOTICE OF RULING**

4. I served the document(s) on the following:

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5. The document(s) were served by the following means:

☒ **BY ELECTRONIC SERVICE** –Based on a court order, court rule, or an agreement of the parties to accept electronic service, I caused such document(s) to be delivered to the person(s) at the electronic service address set forth above. Said document(s) was/were served electronically and the transmission was reported as complete and without error.

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct. Executed on **September 16, 2024**, at San Diego, California.

Diane Richard

Name

/s/ Diane Richard

Signature