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SUPERIOR STATE OF CALIFORNIA
COUNTY OF ALAMEDA

TYWANA PAULK, on behalf of the State of
California and Aggrieved Employees,

Plaintiff(s),

v.

GOBRANDS, INC., a Delaware
Corporation; GBL CALIFORNIA, LLC, a
Delaware Limited Liability Company and
GB LOGISTICS LLC d/b/a GOPUFF
LOGISTICS LLC, a Delaware Limited
Liability Company,

Defendants.

Lead Case No. 22CV007331

Hon. Julia Spain – Dept. 520

Consolidated with Case Nos. 22CV013580,
22CV013582, 23CV041050

**[PROPOSED] ORDER GRANTING MOTION
FOR APPROVAL OF PAGA SETTLEMENT**

Action Filed: February 22, 2022

GERALD HANNAFIN, on behalf of the
State of California and Aggrieved
Employees,

Plaintiff(s),

v.

GOBRANDS, INC., a Delaware
Corporation; GBL CALIFORNIA, LLC, a
Delaware Limited Liability Company; and
GB LOGISTICS LLC d/b/a GOPUFF
LOGISTICS LLC, a Delaware Limited
Liability Company

Defendants.

Case No. 22CV013580

Action Filed: June 29, 2022

ERICA MEDRANO, on behalf of the State
of California and Aggrieved Employees,

Plaintiff(s),

v.

GOBRANDS, INC., a Delaware
Corporation; GBL CALIFORNIA, LLC, a
Delaware Limited Liability Company and
GB LOGISTICS LLC d/b/a GOPUFF
LOGISTICS LLC, a Delaware Limited
Liability Company,

Defendants.

Case No. 22CV013582
Action Filed: June 29, 2022

ANGEL GALLARDO, FARIS HAMATI,
DANTE MADDOX, AND JHOVANNY
NOLASCO, on behalf of the State of
California and Aggrieved Employees,

Plaintiffs,

v.

GOBRANDS, INC., a Delaware
Corporation; GBL CALIFORNIA, LLC, a
Delaware Limited Liability Company and
GB LOGISTICS LLC d/b/a GOPUFF
LOGISTICS LLC, a Delaware Limited
Liability Company,

Defendants.

Case No. 23CV041050
Action Filed: August 18, 2023

1 The motion of Plaintiffs Tywana Paulk, Erica Medrano, Gerald Hannafin, Angel Gallardo,
2 Jhovanny Nolasco, Dante Maddox, and Faris Hamati (“Plaintiffs”) requesting approval of the
3 PAGA settlement of the above-captioned action and entering judgment thereon (“Motion”), having
4 come before the Court, the Court being duly apprised of the premises, and good cause appearing,

5 **IT IS HEREBY ORDERED** that the Motion shall be and hereby is **GRANTED** and the
6 settlement of this action is hereby **APPROVED**, and

7 **IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** as follows:

8 1. Capitalized terms in this Order shall have the same meaning they are given in the
9 Amended Private Attorneys General Act Settlement Agreement (“Settlement”) attached as **Exhibit**
10 **A** to the Declaration of Ori Edelstein (“Edelstein Decl.”) filed in support of Plaintiff’s Motion for
11 Approval of PAGA Settlement;

12 2. Phoenix Class Action Administration Solutions (“Phoenix”) is approved to serve as
13 the Settlement Administrator and is hereby authorized to perform all of the duties assigned to it in
14 the Settlement and to disburse the following from the Settlement Amount in accordance with the
15 terms of the Settlement:

- 16 a. Payment to the LWDA (75% of the PAGA Payment) in the amount of
17 \$626,884.28;
- 18 b. Net Settlement Amount to the Aggrieved Individuals (25% of the PAGA
19 Payment) in the aggregate amount of \$208,961.43;
- 20 c. Plaintiffs’ Counsel’s attorneys’ fees in the amount of \$466,666.66;
- 21 d. Plaintiffs’ Counsel’s litigation costs in the amount of \$39,937.63;
- 22 e. Plaintiffs’ Service Awards, in the amount of \$3,000 each, for a total of
23 \$21,000; and
- 24 f. The Settlement Administrator Costs in the amount of \$36,550.00.

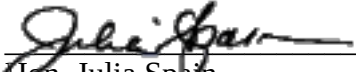
25 3. The State of California and all Aggrieved Individuals (including Plaintiffs) are hereby
26 deemed to have, and by operation of this Order and Judgment shall have, expressly released, waived,
27 and discharged the Released Parties from the released claims, as set forth in the Settlement, and they
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1 shall be bound by this Order and Judgment and be forever barred from suing the Released Parties
2 on any of the released claims.

3 4. Judgment shall be entered forthwith in accordance with the foregoing, with each side
4 to pay its own attorneys' fees and costs except as expressly set forth in the Settlement.

5 **IT IS SO ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED.**

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8 Dated: 06/14/2024


Hon. Julia Spain
JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT
Julia Spain / Judge

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF ALAMEDA		Reserved for Clerk's File Stamp
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PLAINTIFF/PETITIONER: Tywana Paulk		
DEFENDANT/RESPONDENT: GoBrands, Inc., a Delaware Corporation et al		
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I, the below-named Executive Officer/Clerk of the above-entitled court, do hereby certify that I am not a party to the cause herein, and that on this date I served the attached document upon each party or counsel named below by placing the document for collection and mailing so as to cause it to be deposited in the United States mail at the courthouse in Hayward, California, one copy of the original filed/entered herein in a separate sealed envelope to each address as shown below with the postage thereon fully prepaid, in accordance with standard court practices.

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Chad Finke, Executive Officer / Clerk of the Court

Dated: 06/14/2024

By:

Danielle Labrecque

D. Labrecque, Deputy Clerk

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