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

DARIUS YOUNG, individually, and on
behalf of all others similarly situated,

Plaintiff,

v.

M. ARTHUR GENSLER JR. &
ASSOCIATES, INC., a California
corporation, and DOES 1 through 10,
inclusive,

Defendants.

Case No.: 22STCV07284

**SUPPLEMENTAL DECLARATION
OF WILLIAM ARGUETA WITH
RESPECT TO SETTLEMENT
ADMINISTRATION AND CLASS
NOTICE**

Date: October 5, 2023

Time: 10:00 a.m.

Judge: Hon. Lawrence Riff

1 I, WILLIAM ARGUETA, DECLARE AS FOLLOWS:

2 1. I am employed by CPT Group, Inc., the court appointed class action claims
3 administrator, as Case Manager for *Young v. M. Arthur Gensler Jr & Associates, Inc.* and have
4 personal knowledge of the facts set forth in this Declaration, and if called as a witness, could and
5 would testify competently thereto.

6 2. CPT Group, Inc. ("CPT") has extensive experience in providing notice of class
7 actions and administering class action settlements. In the past 30 years, we have provided
8 notification and/or claims administration services in hundreds of class action cases.

9 3. I submit this Supplemental Declaration to update my prior Declaration dated
10 September 12, 2023.

11 4. The deadline to submit disputes, requests for exclusion or objections was
12 September 8, 2023.

13 5. As of the date of this declaration, 30 Notice Packets have been returned to our
14 office by the U.S. Postal Service and (1) one has been forwarded directly by the U.S. Postal
15 Service to a forwarding address. CPT performed a skip trace on all returned mail that was
16 returned with no forwarding address in an attempt to locate a better address using Accurant, one
17 of the most comprehensive databases available. Accurant utilizes hundreds of different databases
18 supplied by credit reporting agencies, public records and a variety of other national databases.

19 6. The deadline for Class Members to dispute the number of workweeks used to
20 calculate their settlement shares was September 8, 2023. As of the date of this declaration, CPT
21 has not received any disputes.

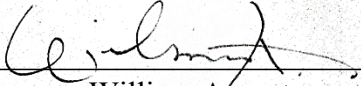
22 7. The deadline for Class Members to request exclusion from the Settlement was
23 September 8, 2023. As of the date of this declaration, CPT has received (3) three Requests for
24 Exclusion, 2 of which were flagged as deficient for not including the approximate dates of
25 employment and/or social security number. CPT mailed cure letters to both individuals and
26 instructed them to contact CPT as soon as possible regarding their deficient submissions. As of
27 the date of this declaration, one individual named Virginia McDonald's has contacted CPT to
28 cure her deficiency and one submission remains deficient. After providing my prior Declaration,

1 CPT received an additional Request for Exclusion which was postmarked timely from an
2 individual named Jia Lan Chow.

3 8. The deadline for Class Members to object to the Settlement was September 8,
4 2023. As of the date of this declaration, CPT has not received any Objections to the Settlement
5 or any portion thereof.

6 9. CPT now reports a total of 530 Settlement Class Members are part of this
7 Settlement, which represents a 99% participation rate.
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9 I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States and the State of
10 California that the foregoing is true and correct and that this declaration is executed on
11 September 26, 2023 at Irvine, California.
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PROOF OF SERVICE

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STATE OF CALIFORNIA)
) ss
COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES)

I, Sandy S. Sespene, state that I am employed in the aforesaid County, State of California; I am over the age of eighteen years and not a party to the within action; my business address is 3055 Wilshire Blvd., 12th Floor, Los Angeles, California 90010. My electronic service address is ssespene@wilshirelawfirm.com.

On **September 27, 2023**, I served the foregoing **SUPPLEMENTAL DECLARATION OF WILLIAM ARGUETA WITH RESPECT TO SETTLEMENT ADMINISTRATION AND CLASS NOTICE**, on the interested parties by placing a true copy thereof, enclosed in a sealed envelope by following one of the methods of service as follows:

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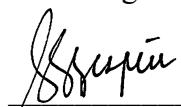
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(X) **BY ELECTRONIC SERVICE:** Based on a court order or an agreement of the parties to accept electronic service, I caused the documents to be sent to the persons at the electronic service addresses listed above via third-party cloud service **CASEANYWHERE**.

(X) **BY UPLOAD:** I hereby certify that the documents were uploaded by my office to the State of California Labor and Workforce Development Agency Online Filing Site.

I declare under the penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California, that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed on September 27, 2023, at Los Angeles, California.



Sandy S. Sespene