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SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA
FOR THE COUNTY OF ORANGE

ALEXANDRO MORA, as an individual and
on behalf of all others similarly situated,

Plaintiff,

vs.

PRIME TECH CABINETS, INC., a
California corporation; and DOES 1 through
100, inclusive,

Defendants.

Case No. 30-2022-01289157-CU-OE-CXC

*[Assigned for all purposes to the Hon. Melissa
R. McCormick, Dept. CX104]*

**DECLARATION OF SEAN M. BLAKELY
IN SUPPORT OF PLAINTIFF'S
SUPPLEMENTAL BRIEF IN SUPPORT OF
PRELIMINARY APPROVAL OF CLASS
ACTION AND PAGA SETTLEMENT**

Date: September 12, 2024
Time: 2:00 p.m.
Dept.: CX104

Complaint Filed: October 31, 2022
Trial Date: None Set

1 I, SEAN M. BLAKELY, declare as follows:

2 1. I am a Partner at Haines Law Group, APC, and counsel for the named Plaintiff
3 Alexandro Mora (“Plaintiff”) and the proposed Settlement Class in the above-captioned matter. I
4 am a member in good standing of the bar of the State of California and am admitted to practice
5 in this Court. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this declaration and could testify
6 competently to them if called upon to do so.

7 2. This declaration is submitted in support of Plaintiff’s Supplemental Brief in
8 Support of Plaintiff’s Motion for Preliminary Approval of Class Action Settlement. Following
9 the Court’s June 20, 2024 Tentative Ruling regarding Plaintiff’s Motion for Preliminary Approval
10 of Class Action Settlement (the “Order”), my firm has worked diligently with defense counsel to
11 amend the Stipulation of Settlement (“Settlement Agreement”) and the Notice of Pendency of
12 Class and PAGA Action and Proposed Settlement (“Class Notice”) in accordance with the issues
13 identified by the Court.

14 3. Attached hereto as **Exhibit 1** is the fully executed Amendment to the Stipulation
15 of Settlement. Attached hereto as **Exhibit 2** is the final version of the Class Notice. Attached
16 hereto as **Exhibit 3** is a red-line version of the amended Class Notice reflecting all changes.
17 Attached hereto as **Exhibit 4** is the proposed Objection Form. Attached hereto as **Exhibit 5** is
18 the certified Spanish translation of the Class Notice. Attached hereto as **Exhibit 6** is the certified
19 Spanish translation of the Request for Exclusion Form. Attached hereto as **Exhibit 7** is the
20 certified Spanish translation of the Objection Form. Attached hereto as **Exhibit 8** is a red-line
21 version of the amended [Proposed] Order Granting Preliminary Approval of Class and PAGA
22 Action Settlement reflecting all changes.

23 4. On March 7, 2024, Plaintiff served the LWDA with the Stipulation of Settlement,
24 Plaintiff’s Motion for Preliminary Approval of Class Action Settlement, and the Declaration of
25 Sean M. Blakely In Support of Plaintiff’s Motion for Preliminary Approval of Class Action
26 Settlement. Attached hereto as **Exhibit 9** is the Proof of Service on the Labor and Workforce
27 Development Agency (ROA 84) filed on March 7, 2024. Attached hereto as **Exhibit 10** Proof of
28 Service to the Labor and Workforce Development Agency (ROA 98) filed on August 16, 2024.

1 I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the
2 foregoing is true and correct. Executed on August 29, 2024, at El Segundo, California.

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**AMENDMENT TO STIPULATION OF
SETTLEMENT**

Complaint Filed: October 20, 2022
Trial Date: None set

1 **AMENDMENT TO STIPULATION OF SETTLEMENT**

2 The Stipulation of Settlement (“Settlement Agreement”) entered into by and between
3 Plaintiff Alexandro Mora (“Plaintiff”), for himself and on behalf of the proposed Settlement
4 Class, and Defendant Prime Tech Cabinets, Inc. (“Defendant”) (Plaintiff and Defendant are
5 collectively referred to as “the Parties”), is hereby amended and modified as follows:

6 **Section 2(C):** is hereby deleted and replaced in its entirety with the following: “Release
7 by Plaintiff. Upon Defendant’s complete funding of the Gross Settlement Amount, Plaintiff has
8 agreed to release, individually and in addition to the Class Released Claims and PAGA Released
9 Claims described above, all claims, whether known or unknown, without exception, against the
10 Released Parties. The Parties understand and agree that Plaintiff is not, by way of this release,
11 releasing any workers’ compensation claims, unemployment insurance claims, nor any other
12 claims which cannot be released as a matter of law. Notwithstanding the foregoing, Plaintiff
13 understands that this release includes unknown claims and that Plaintiff is, as a result, waiving all
14 rights and benefits afforded by Section 1542 of the California Civil Code, which provides: A
15 general release does not extend to claims that the creditor or releasing party does not know or
16 suspect to exist in his or her favor at the time of executing the release and that, if known by him
17 or her, would have materially affected his or her settlement with the debtor or released party.”

18 **Section 3(C):** is hereby deleted and replaced in its entirety with the following: “The Gross
19 Settlement Amount shall be deposited into a Qualified Settlement Fund established by the
20 Settlement Administrator within fifteen (15) calendar days of the Effective Date.”

21 **Section 3(D)(2):** is hereby deleted and replaced in its entirety with the following: “All
22 costs of the Settlement Administrator and settlement administration, which are anticipated to be
23 no greater than Eleven Thousand Dollars and Zero Cents (\$11,000.00).”

24 **Section 4(C):** is hereby deleted and replaced in its entirety with the following: “PAGA
25 Amount: Each Aggrieved Employee who was employed by Defendant at any time during the
26 PAGA Period (including those who submit a valid and timely Request for Exclusion from the
27 class action settlement) shall receive a portion of the Twelve Thousand Five Hundred Dollars and
28 Zero Cents (\$12,500.00) of the Gross Settlement Amount that has been designated as the “PAGA

Amount” proportionate to the number of pay periods that he or she worked during the PAGA Period. The payment will be calculated by multiplying the PAGA Amount by a fraction, the numerator of which is the Aggrieved Employee’s number of pay periods worked during the PAGA Period, and the denominator of which is the total number of pay periods worked by all Aggrieved Employees during the PAGA Period (including those who submit a valid and timely Request for Exclusion from the class action settlement).”

Section 7: is hereby deleted and replaced in its entirety with the following: “Settlement Administrator. Defendant will not object to the appointment of Phoenix Settlement Administrators as Settlement Administrator. Defendant will not object to Plaintiff seeking permission to pay up to Eleven Thousand Dollars and Zero Cents (\$11,000.00) for its services from the Gross Settlement Amount. The Settlement Administrator shall be responsible for sending notices and for calculating Settlement Awards and preparing all checks and mailings, calculating Defendant’s share of taxes payable on the wages, and other duties as described in this Settlement Agreement. The Settlement Administrator shall be authorized to pay itself from the Gross Settlement Amount only after Settlement Awards have been mailed to all participating Settlement Class members. The Settlement Administrator shall also give notice of final judgment by posting the final judgment to its website.”

Section 9(D): is hereby deleted and replaced in its entirety with the following: “Objections. Settlement Class members who do not request exclusion may object to this Settlement Agreement as explained in the Class Notice by mailing a written objection to the Settlement Administrator by the Response Deadline (who shall serve all objections as received on Class Counsel and Defendant’s counsel via e-mail, as well as file all such objections with the Court). Defendant’s counsel and Class Counsel shall file any responses to objections no later than the deadline to file the Motion for Final Approval, unless the objections are filed within ten (10) days of the Motion for Final Approval filing deadline, in which case Defendant’s counsel and Class Counsel shall have ten (10) days from the date of service to the objections by the Settlement Administrator to file a response to the objections. All objections should contain the objecting Settlement Class member’s full name and current address. Settlement Class members may also

1 appear at the final approval hearing to orally object, even if they have not submitted a written
2 objection.”

3 **Section 9(E):** is hereby deleted and replaced in its entirety with the following: “Notice of
4 Estimated Settlement Award / Disputes. Each Notice Packet mailed to a Settlement Class member
5 shall disclose the amount of the Settlement Class member’s estimated Settlement Award as well
6 as all of the information that was used from Defendant’s records in order to calculate the
7 Settlement Award. Settlement Class members will have the opportunity, should they disagree
8 with Defendant’s records regarding the information stated in the Notice of Estimated Settlement
9 Award, to provide documentation and an explanation to show contrary information. Any such
10 dispute, including any supporting documentation, must be mailed to the Settlement Administrator
11 and postmarked by the Response Deadline. The Parties shall file with the Court all disputes
12 submitted by Settlement Class members, the evidence submitted, and the resolution of any
13 disputes. The Settlement Administrator shall make the initial determination regarding any
14 disputes with input from the Parties, however, the Court may review any decision made by the
15 Settlement Administrator regarding a dispute.”

16 **Section 9(F):** is hereby deleted and replaced in its entirety with the following: “Any
17 Notice Packets returned to the Settlement Administrator as non-deliverable on or before the
18 Response Deadline shall be re-mailed to the forwarding address affixed thereto. If no forwarding
19 address is provided, the Settlement Administrator shall make reasonable efforts, including
20 utilizing a “skip trace,” to obtain an updated mailing address within five (5) business days of
21 receiving the returned Notice Packet. If an updated mailing address is identified, the Settlement
22 Administrator shall resend the Notice Packet to the Settlement Class member immediately, and
23 in any event within five (5) business days of obtaining the updated address. The address identified
24 by the Settlement Administrator as the current mailing address shall be presumed to be the best
25 mailing address for each Settlement Class member. It will be conclusively presumed that, if an
26 envelope so mailed has not been returned within thirty (30) days of the mailing, the Settlement
27 Class member received the Notice Packet. Settlement Class members to whom Notice Packets
28 are re-mailed after having been returned as undeliverable to the Settlement Administrator shall

1 have fourteen (14) calendar days from the date of re-mailing, or until the Response Deadline has
2 expired, whichever is later, to submit a Request for Exclusion, Objection, or dispute. Notice
3 Packets that are re-mailed shall inform the recipient of this adjusted deadline. If a Settlement
4 Class member's Notice Packet is returned to the Settlement Administrator more than once as non-
5 deliverable, then an additional Notice Packet shall not be mailed. Nothing else shall be required
6 of, or done by, the Parties, Class Counsel, or Defendant's Counsel to provide notice of the
7 proposed settlement. The Settlement Administrator shall conduct a skip trace on returned
8 settlement checks as well. If an updated mailing address is identified through a skip trace, the
9 Settlement Administrator shall resend the settlement check to the Settlement Class member
10 immediately."

11 In all other respects, the Stipulation of Settlement previously entered into remains
12 unchanged and in full force and effect.

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1 **AGREED TO AND ACCEPTED.**

2 **DATED:**

Prime Tech Cabinets, Inc.

3 By: *Alexandro Mora*

5 **DATED:**

Alexandro Mora

6 By: _____
7 Plaintiff and Settlement Class Representative

8 **APPROVED AS TO FORM:**

10 **DATED:**

LAW OFFICES OF SOTOODEH & ASSOCIATES

11 By: _____
12 Yass McNeil
13 Attorneys for Defendant

15 **DATED:**

HAINES LAW GROUP, APC

16 By: _____
17 Paul K. Haines
18 Sean M. Blakely
19 Attorneys for Plaintiff

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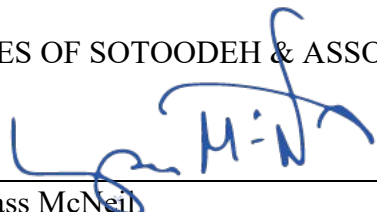
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13 Attorneys for Defendant

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18 Sean M. Blakely
19 Attorneys for Plaintiff

EXHIBIT 2

NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF CLASS AND PAGA ACTION AND PROPOSED SETTLEMENT

Alexandro Mora v. Prime Tech Cabinets, Inc.

Orange County Superior Court

Case No.: 30-2022-01289157-CU-OE-CXC

To: All current and former non-exempt employees who worked for Defendant Prime Tech Cabinets, Inc. in California from October 31, 2018 until <<PRELIM APPROVAL DATE>>. Collectively, these employees will be referred to as “Settlement Class members.”

PLEASE READ CAREFULLY YOUR LEGAL RIGHTS MAY BE AFFECTED WHETHER YOU ACT OR NOT THIS NOTICE IS BEING SENT IN ENGLISH AND SPANISH

Why should you read this Notice?

The Court has granted preliminary approval of a proposed settlement (the “Settlement”) in the matter of *Alexandro Mora v. Prime Tech Cabinets, Inc.*, Orange County Superior Court Case No. 30-2022-01289157-CU-OE-CXC (the “Action”). Because your rights may be affected by the Settlement, it is important that you read this Notice carefully.

You may be entitled to money from this Settlement. Defendant Prime Tech Cabinets, Inc.’s (hereinafter “Prime Tech Cabinets”) records show that you were employed by Prime Tech Cabinets as a non-exempt employee in California between October 31, 2018 until <<PRELIM APPROVAL DATE>> (the “Class Period”). The Court ordered that this Notice be sent to you because you may be entitled to money under the Settlement and because the Settlement affects your legal rights.

The purpose of this Notice is to provide you with a brief description of the Action, to inform you of the terms of the Settlement, to describe your rights in connection with the Settlement, and to explain what steps you may take to participate in, object to, or exclude yourself from the Settlement. If you do not exclude yourself from the Settlement and the Court finally approves the Settlement, you will be bound to the terms of the Settlement and any final judgment.

You may access this Notice, the Request for Exclusion Form and Objection Form, and other relevant documents from this case, including the operative complaint, the Settlement Agreement and any amendments, the PAGA notice letter, the orders granting preliminary and final approval, and the final judgment at the Settlement Administrator’s website at <<INSERT URL FOR SETTLEMENT ADMINISTRATOR>>. The final judgment will be posted on the Settlement Administrator’s website for at least 180 days after entry.

What is this case about?

Plaintiff Alexandro Mora (“Plaintiff”) brought this Action against Prime Tech Cabinets, seeking to assert claims on behalf of a class of all current and former non-exempt employees who worked for Prime Tech Cabinets in California during the Class Period. Plaintiff is known as the “Class Representative,” and his attorneys, who also represent the interests of all Settlement Class members, are known as “Class Counsel.”

In the Action, Plaintiff alleges that Prime Tech Cabinets: (1) failed to pay all overtime wages; (2) failed to pay all minimum wages; (3) failed to provide all meal periods; (4) failed to authorize and permit all rest periods; (5) failed to furnish accurate, compliant, and itemized wage statements; (6) failed to timely pay all wages due or final wages due; (7) engaged in unfair, unlawful business practices; and (8) is liable for civil penalties under the Private Attorneys’ General Act (“PAGA”).

Prime Tech Cabinets denies that it has done anything wrong. Prime Tech Cabinets also denies that it owes Settlement Class members any wages, restitution, penalties, damages, or other amounts. Accordingly, the Settlement constitutes a compromise of disputed claims and should not be construed as an admission of liability on the part of Prime Tech Cabinets, which expressly denies all liability.

The Court has not ruled on the merits of Plaintiff’s claims. The Court has determined only that there is sufficient evidence to suggest that the proposed Settlement might be fair, adequate and reasonable. Any final determination of

whether the proposed Settlement is fair, adequate, and reasonable will be made at the Final Approval Hearing. However, to avoid additional expense, inconvenience, and interference with its business operations, Prime Tech Cabinets has concluded that it is in its best interests to settle the Action on the terms summarized in this Notice. After Prime Tech Cabinets provided relevant information to Class Counsel, the Settlement was reached after mediation and arm's length negotiations between the parties.

The Class Representative and Class Counsel support the Settlement. Among the reasons for support are the defenses to liability potentially available to Prime Tech Cabinets, the inherent risk of trial on the merits, and the delays and uncertainties associated with ongoing litigation.

If you are still employed by Prime Tech Cabinets, your decision about whether to participate in the Settlement will not affect your employment. California law and Prime Tech Cabinets' policy strictly prohibit unlawful retaliation. Prime Tech Cabinets will not take any adverse employment action against or otherwise target, retaliate, or discriminate against any Settlement Class member because of their decision to either participate or not participate in the Settlement.

Who are the Attorneys?

Attorneys for Plaintiff/Settlement Class: HAINES LAW GROUP, APC Paul K. Haines phaines@haineslawgroup.com Sean M. Blakely sblakely@haineslawgroup.com Alexandra R. McIntosh amcintosh@haineslawgroup.com 2155 Campus Drive, Suite 180 El Segundo, California 90245 Tel: (424) 292-2350 Fax: (424) 292-2355 haineslawgroup.com	Attorneys for Prime Tech Cabinets: LAW OFFICES OF SOTOODEH & ASSOCIATES Yass McNeil ymcneil@sotoodeh.net 5 Hutton Centre Drive, Suite 860 Santa Ana, California 92707 Telephone: (714) 662-2664
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What are the terms of the Settlement?

On <<PRELIM APPROVAL DATE>>, the Court preliminarily certified a class, for settlement purposes only, of all current and former non-exempt employees who worked for Prime Tech Cabinets in California during the Class Period. Settlement Class members who do not opt out of the Settlement pursuant to the procedures set forth in this Notice will be bound by the Settlement and will release their claims against Prime Tech Cabinets as described below.

Prime Tech Cabinets has agreed to pay \$1,600,000.00 (the "Gross Settlement Amount") to fully resolve all claims in the Action, including payments to Settlement Class members, Class Counsel's attorneys' fees and expenses, Settlement administration costs, payment to the LWDA, and the Class Representative Enhancement Payment.

The following deductions from the Gross Settlement Amount will be requested by the parties:

Attorneys' Fees and Expenses. Class Counsel have been prosecuting the Action on behalf of Settlement Class members on a contingency fee basis (that is, without being paid any money to date) and have been paying all litigation costs and expenses. The Court will determine the actual amount awarded to Class Counsel as attorneys' fees, which will be paid from the Gross Settlement Amount. Settlement Class members are not personally responsible for any of Class Counsel's attorneys' fees or expenses. Class Counsel will ask for up to one-third of the Gross Settlement Amount, which is currently estimated at \$533,333.33, as reasonable compensation for the work Class Counsel performed and will continue to perform in this Action through Settlement finalization. Class

Counsel also will ask for reimbursement of up to \$35,000.00 in verified costs incurred in connection with the Action.

Settlement Administration Costs. The Court has approved Phoenix Settlement Administrators to act as the “Settlement Administrator,” who is sending this Notice to you and will perform many other duties relating to the Settlement. The Court has approved setting aside up to \$11,000.00 from the Gross Settlement Amount to pay the settlement administration costs.

Class Representative Enhancement Payment. Class Counsel will ask the Court to award the Class Representative an enhancement payment in the amount of \$7,500.00, to compensate him for his service and extra work provided on behalf of Settlement Class members.

PAGA Payment to State of California. The parties have agreed to allocate \$50,000.00 towards the Settlement of the PAGA claims in the Action. \$37,500.00 will be paid to the state’s Labor and Workforce Development Agency (“LWDA”), representing its 75% share of the civil penalties. The remaining \$12,500.00 will be allocated to Aggrieved Employees as the “PAGA Amount” as described below.

Calculation of Individual Settlement Class Members’ Settlement Awards. After deducting the Court-approved amounts above, the balance of the Gross Settlement Amount will form the Net Settlement Amount, which will be distributed to all Settlement Class members who do not submit a valid and timely Request for Exclusion Form (described below). The Net Settlement Amount is estimated at approximately \$963,166.67 and will be allocated as follows:

- (i) Payments to all participating Settlement Class members: 85% of the Net Settlement Amount will be allocated to all participating Settlement Class members in proportion to the number of workweeks that he or she worked during the Class Period.
- (ii) Waiting Time Amount: 10% of the Net Settlement Amount shall be designated as the “Waiting Time Amount” and will be allocated in equal amounts to all participating Settlement Class members whose employment with Prime Tech Cabinets ended at any time between October 31, 2019 through <<PRELIM APPROVAL DATE>>.
- (iii) Wage Statement Amount: 5% of the Net Settlement Amount shall be designated as the “Wage Statement Amount.” Each participating Settlement Class member who was employed by Prime Tech Cabinets at any time from October 31, 2021 to <<PRELIM APPROVAL DATE>> shall receive a portion of the Wage Statement Amount proportionate to the number of workweeks that he or she worked during the time period of October 31, 2021 to <<PRELIM APPROVAL DATE>>.

Payment from PAGA Amount: In addition to the Net Settlement Amount, \$12,500.00 of the Gross Settlement Amount has been designated as the “PAGA Amount.” Individuals employed by Prime Tech Cabinets as non-exempt employees in California (including those who opt out of the class action settlement) at any time from November 1, 2021 through <<PRELIM APPROVAL DATE>> (“PAGA Period”) are “Aggrieved Employees.” Each Aggrieved Employee shall receive a portion of the PAGA Amount proportionate to the number of pay periods that he or she worked during the PAGA Period.

Payments to Settlement Class Members. If the Court grants final approval of the Settlement, individual Settlement Awards will be mailed to all Settlement Class members who did not submit a valid and timely Request for Exclusion from the Settlement.

Settlement checks will be valid for 180 days. Any checks not cashed within 180 days after mailing will escheat to the State Controller to be deposited in the Unclaimed Property Fund in the name of the Settlement Class member.

Allocation and Taxes. For tax purposes, each Settlement Award shall be allocated as follows: any payment made from the PAGA Amount shall be classified as 100% penalties. Any payment made from the Net Settlement Amount shall be allocated as thirty percent (30%) as penalties and interest, and seventy percent (70%) as wages. The Settlement

Administrator will be responsible for issuing participating Settlement Class members IRS Forms W-2 for the amounts allocated as “wages” and IRS Forms 1099 for the amounts allocated as penalties and interest. Settlement Class members are responsible for the proper income tax treatment of the individual settlement payments. The Settlement Administrator, Prime Tech Cabinets and its counsel, and Class Counsel cannot provide tax advice. Accordingly, Settlement Class members should consult with their tax advisors concerning the tax consequences and treatment of payments they receive under the Settlement.

Release. If the Court approves the Settlement, and upon the Effective Date and the complete funding of the Gross Settlement Amount, Plaintiff and every member of the Settlement Class (except those who opt out) will fully release and discharge Prime Tech Cabinets, and all of its present and former officers, directors, employees, shareholders, agents, trustees, representatives, attorneys, insurers, reinsurers, parent companies, subsidiaries, divisions, affiliates, predecessors, successors, as well as any individual or entity that could be jointly liable with Prime Tech Cabinets (collectively the “Released Parties”) of any and all claims, causes of action, and legal theories alleged or which could have been alleged based on the facts in the operative First Amended Class and Representative Action Complaint (“FAC”), including: (a) failure to pay all overtime wages; (b) failure to pay all minimum wages; (c) failure to provide all meal periods in accordance with California law; (d) failure to authorize and permit all rest periods in accordance with California law; (e) failure to furnish accurate and itemized wage statements; (f) failure to pay all wages owed upon separation of employment; and (g) all claims for unfair business practices that could have been premised on the facts, claims, causes of action or legal theories of relief pled in the FAC (the “Class Released Claims”). The period of the Class Released Claims shall extend to the limits of the Class Period.

In addition, all Aggrieved Employees (regardless of whether they opt out of the Settlement Class) shall release the Released Parties from all claims for civil penalties under PAGA arising during the PAGA Period as disclosed in Plaintiff’s November 1, 2022 Notification Letter to the LWDA (“the PAGA Released Claims”). Aggrieved Employees will be bound by the PAGA Released Claims even if they do not cash their PAGA settlement check.

Conditions of Settlement. The Settlement is conditioned upon the Court entering an order at or following the Final Approval Hearing finally approving the Settlement as fair, reasonable, adequate, and in the best interests of the Settlement Class, and the entry of a Judgment.

How can I claim money from the Settlement?

Do Nothing. If you do nothing, you will be entitled to your share of the Settlement based on the proportionate number of workweeks you worked for Prime Tech Cabinets during the Class Period, whether you ended your employment with Prime Tech Cabinets during the time period of October 31, 2019 to <<PRELIM APPROVAL DATE>>, the proportionate number of workweeks you worked from October 31, 2021 to <<PRELIM APPROVAL DATE>>, and the proportionate number of workweeks you worked during the PAGA Period. You also will be bound by the Settlement, including the release of claims stated above.

What other options do I have?

Dispute Information. Your award is based on the proportionate number of workweeks you worked for Prime Tech Cabinets during the Class Period, as well as whether you separated employment with Prime Tech Cabinets during the time period of October 31, 2019 to <<PRELIM APPROVAL DATE>>, the proportionate number of workweeks you worked from October 31, 2021 to <<PRELIM APPROVAL DATE>>, and the proportionate number of workweeks you worked during the PAGA Period. The information contained in Prime Tech Cabinets’ records regarding each of these factors, along with your estimated Settlement Award, is listed below. If you disagree with the information listed below, you may submit a dispute, along with any supporting documentation, to <<INSERT ADMINISTRATOR CONTACT INFO>>. Any disputes, along with supporting documentation, must be postmarked no later than <<RESPONSE DEADLINE>>. **DO NOT SEND ORIGINALS; DOCUMENTATION SENT TO THE SETTLEMENT ADMINISTRATOR WILL NOT BE RETURNED OR PRESERVED.**

The Settlement Administrator shall make the initial determination regarding any disputes with input from the Parties, however, the Court may review any decision made by the Settlement Administrator regarding a dispute.

According to Prime Tech Cabinets’ records:

- (a) you worked for Prime Tech Cabinets in California from [REDACTED] to [REDACTED];
- (b) you worked [REDACTED] workweeks between October 31, 2018 until <<PRELIM APPROVAL DATE>> as a non-exempt employee for Prime Tech Cabinets;
- (c) you worked [REDACTED] workweeks between October 31, 2021 until <<PRELIM APPROVAL DATE>> as a non-exempt employee for Prime Tech Cabinets;
- (d) you worked [REDACTED] workweeks between November 1, 2021 until <<PRELIM APPROVAL DATE>> as a non-exempt employee for Prime Tech Cabinets; and
- (e) your employment with Prime Tech Cabinets <<DID/DID NOT>> end between October 31, 2019 until <<PRELIM APPROVAL DATE>>.

Based on the above, your Settlement Award is estimated at \$[REDACTED]. The highest Settlement Award is estimated to be approximately \$6,095.59 and the lowest Settlement Award is estimated to be approximately \$372.22. The highest payment from the PAGA Amount is estimated to be approximately \$77.30. The lowest payment from the PAGA Amount is estimated to be approximately \$3.87.

Exclude Yourself from the Settlement. If you **do not** wish to take part in the class action settlement, you may exclude yourself by sending to the Settlement Administrator an executed Request for Exclusion Form no later than <<RESPONSE DEADLINE>>, with your name, address, telephone number, and your signature. A Request for Exclusion Form is included with this Notice.

Send the Request for Exclusion Form directly to the Settlement Administrator at <<INSERT ADMINISTRATOR CONTACT INFO>>. Any person who submits a timely Request for Exclusion shall, upon receipt by the Settlement Administrator, no longer be a Settlement Class member, and shall be barred from participating in any portion of the class action settlement. However, Aggrieved Employees may not opt out of the PAGA Settlement, and Aggrieved Employees will still be entitled to a portion of the PAGA Amount as described above even if they request exclusion from the class action settlement. **Do not submit both a Dispute and a Request for Exclusion.** If you do, the Request for Exclusion will be invalid, you will be included in the Settlement Class, and you will be bound by the terms of the Settlement.

Objecting to the Settlement. You also have the right to object to the terms of the Settlement. However, if the Court rejects your objection, you will still be bound by the terms of the Settlement. If you wish to object to the Settlement, or any portion of it (with the exception of the PAGA Settlement, which you may not object to), you may mail a written objection to the Settlement Administrator at <<INSERT ADMINISTRATOR CONTACT INFO>>. Your written objection should include your name and address. Objections should be in writing and must be postmarked on or before <<RESPONSE DEADLINE>>. All objections or other correspondence must state the name and number of the case, which is *Alexandro Mora v. Prime Tech Cabinets, Inc.*, Orange County Superior Court Case No. 30-2022-01289157-CU-OE-CXC. An Objection Form is included with this Notice.

You may also appear at the Final Approval Hearing scheduled for January 30, 2025, at 2:00 p.m. in Department CX104 of the Orange County Superior Court, located at 751 W. Santa Ana Blvd., Santa Ana, California 92701. You have the right to appear either in person or through your own attorney at this hearing. You may appear at the Final Approval Hearing to orally object, even if you did not submit a written objection.

If you object to the Settlement, you will remain a member of the Settlement Class, and if the Court approves the Settlement, you will be bound by the terms of the Settlement in the same way as Settlement Class members who do not object.

Settlement Class members to whom Notice Packets are re-mailed after having been returned as undeliverable to the Settlement Administrator shall have fourteen (14) calendar days from the date of re-mailing, or until the <<RESPONSE DEADLINE>> has expired, whichever is later, to submit a Request for Exclusion, Objection, or dispute.

What is the next step?

The Court will hold a Final Approval Hearing on the adequacy, reasonableness, and fairness of the Settlement on January 30, 2025, at 2:00 p.m., in Department CX104 of the Orange County Superior Court, located at 751 W. Santa Ana Blvd., Santa Ana, California 92701. The Court also will be asked to rule on Class Counsel's request for attorneys' fees and reimbursement of documented costs and expenses, settlement administration costs, and the Class Representative Enhancement Payment. The Final Approval Hearing may be postponed without further notice to Settlement Class members. **You are not required to attend the Final Approval Hearing, although any Settlement Class member is welcome to attend the hearing.**

How can I get additional information?

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You may also access key documents from the case, including the operative complaint, the Settlement Agreement, this Class Notice, as well as the order granting preliminary approval at the Settlement Administrator's website at <<SETTLEMENT ADMINISTRATOR WEBSITE>>.

PLEASE DO NOT CALL OR WRITE THE COURT, PRIME TECH CABINETS, OR THEIR ATTORNEYS FOR INFORMATION ABOUT THIS SETTLEMENT OR THE SETTLEMENT PROCESS

REMINDER AS TO TIME LIMITS

The deadline for submitting any Disputes, Requests for Exclusion, or Objections is <<RESPONSE DEADLINE>>. These deadlines will be strictly enforced.

EXHIBIT 3

NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF CLASS AND PAGA ACTION AND PROPOSED SETTLEMENT

Alexandro Mora v. Prime Tech Cabinets, Inc.

Orange County Superior Court

Case No.: 30-2022-01289157-CU-OE-CXC

To: All current and former non-exempt employees who worked for Defendant Prime Tech Cabinets, Inc. in California from October 31, 2018 until <<PRELIM APPROVAL DATE>>. Collectively, these employees will be referred to as "Settlement Class members."

**PLEASE READ CAREFULLY
YOUR LEGAL RIGHTS MAY BE AFFECTED WHETHER YOU ACT OR NOT
THIS NOTICE IS BEING SENT IN ENGLISH AND SPANISH**

Why should you read this Notice?

The Court has granted preliminary approval of a proposed settlement (the "Settlement") in the matter of *Alexandro Mora v. Prime Tech Cabinets, Inc.*, Orange County Superior Court Case No. 30-2022-01289157-CU-OE-CXC (the "Action"). Because your rights may be affected by the Settlement, it is important that you read this Notice carefully.

You may be entitled to money from this Settlement. Defendant Prime Tech Cabinets, Inc.'s (hereinafter "Prime Tech Cabinets") records show that you were employed by Prime Tech Cabinets as a non-exempt employee in California between October 31, 2018 until <<PRELIM APPROVAL DATE>> (the "Class Period"). The Court ordered that this Notice be sent to you because you may be entitled to money under the Settlement and because the Settlement affects your legal rights.

The purpose of this Notice is to provide you with a brief description of the Action, to inform you of the terms of the Settlement, to describe your rights in connection with the Settlement, and to explain what steps you may take to participate in, object to, or exclude yourself from the Settlement. If you do not exclude yourself from the Settlement and the Court finally approves the Settlement, you will be bound to the terms of the Settlement and any final judgment.

You may access this Notice, the Request for Exclusion Form and Objection Form, and other relevant documents from this case, including the operative complaint, the Settlement Agreement and any amendments, the PAGA notice letter, the orders granting preliminary and final approval, and the final judgment at the Settlement Administrator's website at <<INSERT URL FOR SETTLEMENT ADMINISTRATOR>>. The final judgment will be posted on the Settlement Administrator's website for at least 180 days after entry.

What is this case about?

Plaintiff Alexandro Mora ("Plaintiff") brought this Action against Prime Tech Cabinets, seeking to assert claims on behalf of a class of all current and former non-exempt employees who worked for Prime Tech Cabinets in California during the Class Period. Plaintiff is known as the "Class Representative," and his attorneys, who also represent the interests of all Settlement Class members, are known as "Class Counsel."

In the Action, Plaintiff alleges that Prime Tech Cabinets: (1) failed to pay all overtime wages; (2) failed to pay all minimum wages; (3) failed to provide all meal periods; (4) failed to authorize and permit all rest periods; (5) failed to furnish accurate, compliant, and itemized wage statements; (6) failed to timely pay all wages due or final wages due; (7) engaged in unfair, unlawful business practices; and (8) is liable for civil penalties under the Private Attorneys' General Act ("PAGA").

Prime Tech Cabinets denies that it has done anything wrong. Prime Tech Cabinets also denies that it owes Settlement Class members any wages, restitution, penalties, damages, or other amounts. Accordingly, the Settlement constitutes a compromise of disputed claims and should not be construed as an admission of liability on the part of Prime Tech Cabinets, which expressly denies all liability.

The Court has not ruled on the merits of Plaintiff's claims. The Court has determined only that there is sufficient evidence to suggest that the proposed Settlement might be fair, adequate and reasonable. Any final determination of

whether the proposed Settlement is fair, adequate, and reasonable will be made at the Final Approval Hearing. However, to avoid additional expense, inconvenience, and interference with its business operations, Prime Tech Cabinets has concluded that it is in its best interests to settle the Action on the terms summarized in this Notice. After Prime Tech Cabinets provided relevant information to Class Counsel, the Settlement was reached after mediation and arm's length negotiations between the parties.

The Class Representative and Class Counsel support the Settlement. Among the reasons for support are the defenses to liability potentially available to Prime Tech Cabinets, the inherent risk of trial on the merits, and the delays and uncertainties associated with ongoing litigation.

If you are still employed by Prime Tech Cabinets, your decision about whether to participate in the Settlement will not affect your employment. California law and Prime Tech Cabinets' policy strictly prohibit unlawful retaliation. Prime Tech Cabinets will not take any adverse employment action against or otherwise target, retaliate, or discriminate against any Settlement Class member because of their decision to either participate or not participate in the Settlement.

Who are the Attorneys?

Attorneys for Plaintiff/Settlement Class:	Attorneys for Prime Tech Cabinets:
HAINES LAW GROUP, APC Paul K. Haines phaines@haineslawgroup.com Sean M. Blakely sblakely@haineslawgroup.com Alexandra R. McIntosh amcintosh@haineslawgroup.com 2155 Campus Drive, Suite 180 El Segundo, California 90245 Tel: (424) 292-2350 Fax: (424) 292-2355 haineslawgroup.com	LAW OFFICES OF SOTOODEH & ASSOCIATES Yass McNeil ymcneil@sotoodeh.net 5 Hutton Centre Drive, Suite 860 Santa Ana, California 92707 Telephone: (714) 662-2664

What are the terms of the Settlement?

On <<PRELIM APPROVAL DATE>>, the Court preliminarily certified a class, for settlement purposes only, of all current and former non-exempt employees who worked for Prime Tech Cabinets in California during the Class Period. Settlement Class members who do not opt out of the Settlement pursuant to the procedures set forth in this Notice will be bound by the Settlement and will release their claims against Prime Tech Cabinets as described below.

Prime Tech Cabinets has agreed to pay \$1,600,000.00 (the "Gross Settlement Amount") to fully resolve all claims in the Action, including payments to Settlement Class members, Class Counsel's attorneys' fees and expenses, Settlement administration costs, payment to the LWDA, and the Class Representative Enhancement Payment.

The following deductions from the Gross Settlement Amount will be requested by the parties:

Attorneys' Fees and Expenses. Class Counsel have been prosecuting the Action on behalf of Settlement Class members on a contingency fee basis (that is, without being paid any money to date) and have been paying all litigation costs and expenses. The Court will determine the actual amount awarded to Class Counsel as attorneys' fees, which will be paid from the Gross Settlement Amount. Settlement Class members are not personally responsible for any of Class Counsel's attorneys' fees or expenses. Class Counsel will ask for up to one-third of the Gross Settlement Amount, which is currently estimated at \$533,333.33, as reasonable compensation for the work Class Counsel performed and will continue to perform in this Action through Settlement finalization. Class

Counsel also will ask for reimbursement of up to \$35,000.00 in verified costs incurred in connection with the Action.

Settlement Administration Costs. The Court has approved Phoenix Settlement Administrators to act as the “Settlement Administrator,” who is sending this Notice to you and will perform many other duties relating to the Settlement. The Court has approved setting aside up to \$112,000.00 from the Gross Settlement Amount to pay the settlement administration costs.

Class Representative Enhancement Payment. Class Counsel will ask the Court to award the Class Representative an enhancement payment in the amount of \$7,500.00, to compensate him for his service and extra work provided on behalf of Settlement Class members.

PAGA Payment to State of California. The parties have agreed to allocate \$50,000.00 towards the Settlement of the PAGA claims in the Action. \$37,500.00 will be paid to the state’s Labor and Workforce Development Agency (“LWDA”), representing its 75% share of the civil penalties. The remaining \$12,500.00 will be allocated to Aggrieved Employees as the “PAGA Amount” as described below.

Calculation of Individual Settlement Class Members’ Settlement Awards. After deducting the Court-approved amounts above, the balance of the Gross Settlement Amount will form the Net Settlement Amount, which will be distributed to all Settlement Class members who do not submit a valid and timely Request for Exclusion Form (described below). The Net Settlement Amount is estimated at approximately \$962,166,963.166.67 and will be allocated as follows:

- (i) Payments to all participating Settlement Class members: 85% of the Net Settlement Amount will be allocated to all participating Settlement Class members in proportion to the number of workweeks that he or she worked during the Class Period.
- (ii) Waiting Time Amount: 10% of the Net Settlement Amount shall be designated as the “Waiting Time Amount” and will be allocated in equal amounts to all participating Settlement Class members whose employment with Prime Tech Cabinets ended at any time between October 31, 2019 through <<PRELIM APPROVAL DATE>>.
- (iii) Wage Statement Amount: 5% of the Net Settlement Amount shall be designated as the “Wage Statement Amount.” Each participating Settlement Class member who was employed by Prime Tech Cabinets at any time from October 31, 2021 to <<PRELIM APPROVAL DATE>> shall receive a portion of the Wage Statement Amount proportionate to the number of workweeks that he or she worked during the time period of October 31, 2021 to <<PRELIM APPROVAL DATE>>.

Payment from PAGA Amount: In addition to the Net Settlement Amount, \$12,500.00 of the Gross Settlement Amount has been designated as the “PAGA Amount.” Individuals employed by Prime Tech Cabinets as non-exempt employees in California (including those who opt out of the class action settlement) at any time from November 1, 2021 through <<PRELIM APPROVAL DATE>> (“PAGA Period”) are “Aggrieved Employees.” Each Aggrieved Employee shall receive a portion of the PAGA Amount proportionate to the number of workweeks-pay periods that he or she worked during the PAGA Period.

Payments to Settlement Class Members. If the Court grants final approval of the Settlement, individual Settlement Awards will be mailed to all Settlement Class members who did not submit a valid and timely Request for Exclusion from the Settlement.

Settlement checks will be valid for 180 days. Any checks not cashed within 180 days after mailing will escheat to the State Controller to be deposited in the Unclaimed Property Fund in the name of the Settlement Class member.

Allocation and Taxes. For tax purposes, each Settlement Award shall be allocated as follows: any payment made from the PAGA Amount shall be classified as 100% penalties. Any payment made from the Net Settlement Amount shall be allocated as thirty percent (30%) as penalties and interest, and seventy percent (70%) as wages. The Settlement

Administrator will be responsible for issuing participating Settlement Class members IRS Forms W-2 for the amounts allocated as “wages” and IRS Forms 1099 for the amounts allocated as penalties and interest. Settlement Class members are responsible for the proper income tax treatment of the individual settlement payments. The Settlement Administrator, Prime Tech Cabinets and its counsel, and Class Counsel cannot provide tax advice. Accordingly, Settlement Class members should consult with their tax advisors concerning the tax consequences and treatment of payments they receive under the Settlement.

Release. If the Court approves the Settlement, and upon the Effective Date and the complete funding of the Gross Settlement Amount, Plaintiff and every member of the Settlement Class (except those who opt out) will fully release and discharge Prime Tech Cabinets, and all of its present and former officers, directors, employees, shareholders, agents, trustees, representatives, attorneys, insurers, reinsurers, parent companies, subsidiaries, divisions, affiliates, predecessors, successors, as well as any individual or entity that could be jointly liable with Prime Tech Cabinets (collectively the “Released Parties”) of any and all claims, causes of action, and legal theories alleged or which could have been alleged based on the facts in the operative First Amended Class and Representative Action Complaint (“FAC”), including: (a) failure to pay all overtime wages; (b) failure to pay all minimum wages; (c) failure to provide all meal periods in accordance with California law; (d) failure to authorize and permit all rest periods in accordance with California law; (e) failure to furnish accurate and itemized wage statements; (f) failure to pay all wages owed upon separation of employment; and (g) all claims for unfair business practices that could have been premised on the facts, claims, causes of action or legal theories of relief pled in the FAC (the “Class Released Claims”). The period of the Class Released Claims shall extend to the limits of the Class Period.

In addition, all Aggrieved Employees (regardless of whether they opt out of the Settlement Class) shall release the Released Parties from all claims for civil penalties under PAGA arising during the PAGA Period as disclosed in Plaintiff’s November 1, 2022 Notification Letter to the LWDA (“the PAGA Released Claims”).— [Aggrieved Employees will be bound by the PAGA Released Claims even if they do not cash their PAGA settlement check.](#)

Conditions of Settlement. The Settlement is conditioned upon the Court entering an order at or following the Final Approval Hearing finally approving the Settlement as fair, reasonable, adequate, and in the best interests of the Settlement Class, and the entry of a Judgment.

How can I claim money from the Settlement?

Do Nothing. If you do nothing, you will be entitled to your share of the Settlement based on the proportionate number of workweeks you worked for Prime Tech Cabinets during the Class Period, whether you ended your employment with Prime Tech Cabinets during the time period of October 31, 2019 to <<PRELIM APPROVAL DATE>>, the proportionate number of workweeks you worked from October 31, 2021 to <<PRELIM APPROVAL DATE>>, and the proportionate number of workweeks you worked during the PAGA Period. You also will be bound by the Settlement, including the release of claims stated above.

What other options do I have?

Dispute Information. Your award is based on the proportionate number of workweeks you worked for Prime Tech Cabinets during the Class Period, as well as whether you separated employment with Prime Tech Cabinets during the time period of October 31, 2019 to <<PRELIM APPROVAL DATE>>, the proportionate number of workweeks you worked from October 31, 2021 to <<PRELIM APPROVAL DATE>>, and the proportionate number of workweeks you worked during the PAGA Period. The information contained in Prime Tech Cabinets’ records regarding each of these factors, along with your estimated Settlement Award, is listed below. If you disagree with the information listed below, you may submit a dispute, along with any supporting documentation, to <<INSERT ADMINISTRATOR CONTACT INFO>>. Any disputes, along with supporting documentation, must be postmarked no later than <<RESPONSE DEADLINE>>. **DO NOT SEND ORIGINALS; DOCUMENTATION SENT TO THE SETTLEMENT ADMINISTRATOR WILL NOT BE RETURNED OR PRESERVED.**

[The Settlement Administrator shall make the initial determination regarding any disputes with input from the Parties, however, the Court may review any decision made by the Settlement Administrator regarding a dispute. Any disputes will be resolved by the Settlement Administrator with input and assistance from the Parties.](#)

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According to Prime Tech Cabinets' records:

- (a) you worked for Prime Tech Cabinets in California from [REDACTED] to [REDACTED];
- (b) you worked [REDACTED] workweeks between October 31, 2018 until <<PRELIM APPROVAL DATE>> as a non-exempt employee for Prime Tech Cabinets;
- (c) you worked [REDACTED] workweeks between October 31, 2021 until <<PRELIM APPROVAL DATE>> as a non-exempt employee for Prime Tech Cabinets;
- (d) you worked [REDACTED] workweeks between November 1, 2021 until <<PRELIM APPROVAL DATE>> as a non-exempt employee for Prime Tech Cabinets; and
- (e) your employment with Prime Tech Cabinets <<DID/DID NOT>> end between October 31, 2019 until <<PRELIM APPROVAL DATE>>.

Based on the above, your Settlement Award is estimated at \$ [REDACTED]. The highest Settlement Award is estimated to be approximately \$6,095.59 and the lowest Settlement Award is estimated to be approximately \$372.22. The highest payment from the PAGA Amount is estimated to be approximately \$77.30. The lowest payment from the PAGA Amount is estimated to be approximately \$3.87.

Exclude Yourself from the Settlement. If you **do not** wish to take part in the class action settlement, you may exclude yourself by sending to the Settlement Administrator an executed Request for Exclusion Form no later than <<RESPONSE DEADLINE>>, with your name, address, telephone number, and your signature. A Request for Exclusion Form is included with this Notice.

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EXHIBIT 4

OBJECTION FORM

Alexandro Mora v. Prime Tech Cabinets, Inc.
Orange County Superior Court
Case No. 30-2022-01289157-CU-OE-CXC

All objections must be mailed directly to the Settlement Administrator, [INSERT SETTLEMENT ADMINISTRATOR], at <<INSERT ADMINISTRATOR CONTACT INFO>> on or before <<RESPONSE DEADLINE>>. All objections must be postmarked on or before <<RESPONSE DEADLINE>>.

Objecting Class Member Information:

Name

Telephone Number

Address

Date

Signature

Describe the nature and basis of each objection and please attach additional pages if necessary:

EXHIBIT 5



CONTACT INFO: 1-888-999-8628

EMAIL: INFO@TRANSAPTION.COM

Certification of Translation Accuracy

Translation of Legal Document from English to Spanish

As an authorized representative of TransapTION, a professional translation services agency, I hereby certify that the above-mentioned document has been translated by an experienced, qualified, and competent professional translator, fluent in the above-mentioned language pair and that, in our best judgment, the translated text truly reflects the content, meaning, and style of the original text and constitutes in every respect a complete and accurate translation of the original document. This document has not been translated for a family member, friend, or business associate.

This is to certify the correctness of the translation only. We do not make any claims or guarantees about the authenticity or content of the original document. Further, TransapTION assumes no liability for the way in which the translation is used by the customer or any third party, including end-users of the translation.

A copy of the translation is attached to this certification.

Translation reference to **2024-08-27 Prime Tech Cabinets Class Notice (FINAL), Alexandro Mora v. Prime Tech Cabinets, Inc. Case No - 30-2022-01289157-CU-OE-CXC**

Order Date: August 29, 2024

Name: Christina Guerrero Harmon

ATA Member#: 487584

Signature: Christina Harmon

TRANSAPTION



3 Germay Drive, Unit 4, Suite A#9999, Wilmington, DE 19804. United States.

TRANSLATION CERTIFICATION

I, Christina Guerrero Harmon, a California ATA-Certified Spanish Translator (ATA Member ID: 487584), am competent to translate from English into Spanish, and have reviewed and edited the translation of **2024-08-27 Prime Tech Cabinets Class Notice (FINAL)**, in the case Alexandro Mora v. Prime Tech Cabinets, Inc. Case No. 30-2022-01289157-CU-OE-CXC, and certify that it is true and correct, to the best of my abilities.

I certify this in Santa Rosa, CA, on AUG 29, 2024.

Christina Harmon

Christina Guerrero Harmon

08/29/2024

Date

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https://web.atanet.org/onlinedirectories/tsd_view.php?id=11930

AVISO DE PENDENCIA DE LA DEMANDA COLECTIVA Y DE PAGA Y PROPUESTA DE ACUERDO

Alexandro Mora contra Prime Tech Cabinets, Inc.

Tribunal Superior del Condado de Orange

Nº de causa: 30-2022-01289157-CU-OE-CXC

Para: Todos los empleados actuales y anteriores no exentos que fueron empleados por el Demandado Prime Tech Cabinets, Inc. en California desde el 31 de octubre de 2018 hasta el <<PRELIM APPROVAL DATE>>. Colectivamente, se hará referencia a estos empleados como “Miembros de la Clase del Acuerdo”.

LEA ATENTAMENTE

SUS DERECHOS LEGALES PUEDEN VERSE AFECTADOS TANTO SI ACTÚA COMO SI NO ESTE AVISO SE ENVÍA EN ESPAÑOL E INGLÉS

¿Por qué debe leer este Aviso?

El Juez ha concedido la aprobación preliminar de un Acuerdo propuesto (el “Acuerdo”) en el asunto de *Alexandro Mora contra Prime Tech Cabinets, Inc.*, nº de causa 30-2022-01289157-CU-OE-CXC del Tribunal Superior del Condado de Orange (la “Acción”). Debido a que sus derechos pueden verse afectados por el Acuerdo, es importante que lea detenidamente este Aviso.

Usted puede tener derecho a recibir dinero como resultado de este Acuerdo. Los expedientes del Demandado Prime Tech Cabinets, Inc. (en adelante “Prime Tech Cabinets”) muestran que usted fue empleado por Prime Tech Cabinets como empleado no exento en California entre el 31 de octubre de 2018 hasta el <<PRELIM APPROVAL DATE>> (el “Período de la Clase”). El Juez ordenó que se le envíe este Aviso porque usted puede tener derecho a recibir dinero en virtud del Acuerdo y porque el Acuerdo afecta sus derechos legales.

El propósito de esta Aviso es proporcionarle una breve descripción de la Acción, informarle de las cláusulas del Acuerdo, describir sus derechos en relación con el Acuerdo y explicarle qué pasos puede dar para participar en el Acuerdo, oponerse a él o excluirse del mismo. Si no se excluye del Acuerdo y el Juez aprueba definitivamente el Acuerdo, quedará vinculado a las cláusulas del Acuerdo y a cualquier sentencia definitiva.

Puede acceder a este Aviso, al Formulario de Solicitud de Exclusión y al Formulario de Objeción, así como a otros documentos relevantes de esta causa, incluyendo la Demanda operativa, el Acuerdo de conciliación y cualquier enmienda, la carta de aviso PAGA, las órdenes que otorgan la aprobación preliminar y final, y la sentencia final en el sitio web del Administrador del Acuerdo en <<INSERT URL FOR SETTLEMENT ADMINISTRATOR>>. La sentencia definitiva se publicará en el sitio web del Administrador del Acuerdo durante al menos 180 días después de su entrada en vigor.

¿De qué trata esta causa?

El Demandante Alexandro Mora (“Demandante”) entabló esta Acción contra Prime Tech Cabinets, buscando hacer valer reclamaciones en nombre de una clase de todos los empleados actuales y anteriores no exentos que fueron empleados por Prime Tech Cabinets en California durante el Período de la Clase. El Demandante es conocido como el “Representante de la Clase”, y sus abogados, que también representan los intereses de todos los Miembros de la Clase del Acuerdo, son conocidos como los “Abogados de la Clase”.

El Demandante alega en la Demanda que Prime Tech Cabinets (1) no pagó todos los salarios por horas extras; (2) no pagó todos los salarios mínimos; (3) no proporcionó todos los períodos de comida; (4) no autorizó ni permitió todos los períodos de descanso; (5) no proporcionó declaraciones de salarios precisas, conformes y detalladas; (6) no pagó oportunamente todos los salarios adeudados o los salarios finales adeudados; (7) incurrió en prácticas comerciales desleales e ilegales; y (8) es responsable de sanciones civiles en virtud de la Ley General de Abogados Privados (“PAGA” por sus siglas en inglés).

Prime Tech Cabinets niega haber cometido falta alguna. Prime Tech Cabinets también niega adeudarles a los Miembros de la Clase del Acuerdo salarios, restituciones, sanciones, daños y perjuicios u otras cantidades. En consecuencia, el Acuerdo constituye un compromiso de las reclamaciones en disputa y no debe interpretarse como



una admisión de responsabilidad por parte de Prime Tech Cabinets, que niega expresamente toda responsabilidad.

El Juez no se ha pronunciado sobre el fondo de las reclamaciones del Demandante. El Juez ha determinado únicamente que existen pruebas suficientes que sugieren que el Acuerdo propuesto podría ser justo, adecuado y razonable. Cualquier determinación final sobre si el Acuerdo propuesto es justo, adecuado y razonable se hará en la Audiencia de Aprobación Definitiva. Sin embargo, para evitar gastos adicionales, inconvenientes e interferencias con sus operaciones comerciales, Prime Tech Cabinets ha llegado a la conclusión de que lo mejor para sus intereses es llegar a un Acuerdo sobre la Acción en las cláusulas resumidos en esta Notificación. Después de que Prime Tech Cabinets proporcionara la información pertinente a los Abogados de la Clase se llegó al Acuerdo tras una mediación y negociaciones en condiciones de igualdad entre las partes.

El Representante de la Clase y los Abogados de la Clase apoyan el Acuerdo. Entre las razones por las que se apoya se encuentran las defensas a la responsabilidad potencialmente disponibles para Prime Tech Cabinets, el riesgo inherente de llegar a un juicio sobre el fondo y los retrasos e incertidumbres asociados con el litigio en curso.

Si usted sigue siendo empleado de Prime Tech Cabinets, su decisión de participar o no en el Acuerdo no afectará a su empleo. La ley de California y la política de Prime Tech Cabinets prohíben estrictamente las represalias ilegales. Prime Tech Cabinets no tomará ninguna medida laboral adversa ni tomará represalias ni discriminará de ningún otro modo a ningún Miembro de la Clase del Acuerdo por su decisión de participar o no participar en el Acuerdo.

¿Quiénes son los abogados?

Abogados del Demandante/Acuerdo colectivo:	Abogados de Prime Tech Cabinets:
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¿Cuáles son las cláusulas del Acuerdo?

El <<PRELIM APPROVAL DATE>>, el Juez certificó preliminarmente una clase, únicamente a los fines del Acuerdo, de todos los empleados actuales y anteriores no exentos que trabajaron para Prime Tech Cabinets en California durante el Período de la Clase. Los Miembros de la Clase del Acuerdo que no opten por excluirse del Acuerdo de conformidad con los procedimientos establecidos en este Aviso estarán obligados por el Acuerdo y liberarán sus reclamaciones contra Prime Tech Cabinets como se describe a continuación.

Prime Tech Cabinets ha acordado pagar \$1,600,000.00 (el “Monto Bruto del Acuerdo”) para resolver completamente todas las reclamaciones en la Acción, incluyendo los pagos a los Miembros de la Clase del Acuerdo, los honorarios y gastos de los abogados del Abogado de la Clase, los costos de administración del Acuerdo, el pago a la LWDA y el Pago de Mejora del Representante de la Clase.

Las partes solicitarán las siguientes deducciones del importe bruto del Acuerdo:



Honorarios y Gastos de los Abogados. Los Abogados de la Clase han estado llevando adelante la Demanda en nombre de los Miembros de la Clase del Acuerdo sobre la base de honorarios condicionales (es decir, sin recibir ningún pago hasta la fecha) y han estado pagando todos los costos y gastos del litigio. El Juez determinará la cantidad real concedida a los Abogados de la Clase en concepto de honorarios de abogados, que se abonará con cargo al Importe bruto del Acuerdo. Los Miembros de la Clase del Acuerdo no son personalmente responsables de ninguno de los honorarios o gastos de los abogados del Abogado de la Clase. Los Abogados de la Clase de la Demanda Colectiva solicitarán hasta un tercio del Importe bruto del Acuerdo, que actualmente se estima en \$533,333.33, como compensación razonable por el trabajo que los Abogados de la Clase de la Demanda Colectiva realizaron y seguirán realizando en esta Demanda hasta la finalización del Acuerdo. Los Abogados de la Clase también solicitarán el reembolso de hasta \$35,000.00 en concepto de costes verificados incurridos en relación con la Acción.

Costes de Administración del Acuerdo. El Juez ha aprobado que Phoenix Settlement Administrators actúe como “Administrador del Acuerdo”, quien le está enviando este Aviso y realizará muchas otras tareas relacionadas con el Acuerdo. El Juez ha aprobado reservar hasta \$11,000.00 del Monto Bruto del Acuerdo para pagar los costos de administración del Acuerdo.

Pago de mejora al Representante de la Clase de la Demanda Colectiva. El Asesor Legal de la Clase le solicitará al Juez que le otorgue al Representante de la Clase un pago de mejora por un monto de \$7,500.00, para compensarlo por su servicio y trabajo extra prestado en nombre de los Miembros de la Clase del Acuerdo.

Pago PAGA al Estado de California. Las partes han acordado asignar \$50,000.00 hacia el Acuerdo de las reclamaciones PAGA en la Acción. \$37,500.00 se pagarán a la Agencia de Trabajo y Desarrollo de la Fuerza Laboral del estado (“LWDA”), representando su parte del 75% de las sanciones civiles. Los \$12,500.00 restantes se asignarán a los Empleados Agraviados como el “Monto PAGA” según se describe a continuación.

Cálculo de las Compensaciones del Acuerdo Colectivo de los Miembros Individuales del Acuerdo. Tras deducir los importes aprobados por el Juez indicados anteriormente, el saldo del Importe Bruto del Acuerdo formará el Importe Neto del Acuerdo, que se distribuirá a todos los Miembros de la Clase del Acuerdo que no presenten un Formulario de Solicitud de Exclusión válido y oportuno (descrito a continuación). El Importe Neto del Acuerdo se estima en aproximadamente \$963,166.67 y se asignará de la siguiente manera:

- (i) Pagos a todos los Miembros Participantes de la Clase del Acuerdo: El 85% del Importe Neto del Acuerdo se asignará a todos los Miembros Participantes de la Clase del Acuerdo en proporción al número de Semanas Laborales que haya trabajado durante el Período de la Clase.
- (ii) Monto por Tiempo de Espera: El 10% del Monto Neto del Acuerdo se designará como el “Monto por Tiempo de Espera” y se asignará en cantidades iguales a todos los Miembros Participantes de la Clase del Acuerdo cuyo empleo con Prime Tech Cabinets finalizó en cualquier momento entre el 31 de octubre de 2019 y el <<PRELIM APPROVAL DATE>>.
- (iii) Importe de la Declaración Salarial: El 5% del Monto Neto del Acuerdo será designado como el “Monto de la Declaración de Salarios”. Cada Miembro Participante de la Clase del Acuerdo que haya sido empleado por Prime Tech Cabinets en cualquier momento desde el 31 de octubre de 2021 hasta el <<PRELIM APPROVAL DATE>> recibirá una porción del Monto de la Declaración de Salarios proporcional al número de Semanas Laborales que haya trabajado durante el período de tiempo comprendido entre el 31 de octubre de 2021 y el <<PRELIM APPROVAL DATE>>

Pago del Importe PAGA: Además del Monto Neto del Acuerdo, \$12,500.00 del Monto Bruto del Acuerdo han sido designados como el “Monto PAGA”. Los individuos empleados por Prime Tech Cabinets como empleados no exentos en California (incluyendo aquellos que opten por no participar en el Acuerdo de Demanda Colectiva) en cualquier momento desde el 1 de noviembre de 2021 hasta el <<PRELIM APPROVAL DATE>> (“Período PAGA”) son “Empleados Agraviados”. Cada Empleado Agraviado recibirá una parte de la Cantidad PAGA proporcional al número de períodos de pago que haya trabajado durante el Período PAGA.



Pagos a los Miembros de la Clase del Acuerdo. Si el Juez concede la aprobación definitiva del Acuerdo, se enviarán por correo las Adjudicaciones del Acuerdo individuales a todos los Miembros de la Clase del Acuerdo que no hayan presentado una Solicitud de Exclusión del Acuerdo válida y oportuna.

Los cheques del Acuerdo tendrán una validez de 180 días. Los cheques que no se cobren en un plazo de 180 días a partir de su envío se transferirán al Interventor del Estado para ser depositados en el Fondo de Propiedad No Reclamada a nombre del Miembro de la Clase del Acuerdo.

Asignación e Impuestos. A efectos fiscales, cada Adjudicación del Acuerdo se asignará de la siguiente manera: cualquier pago realizado con cargo al Importe PAGA se clasificará como un 100% en concepto de sanciones. Cualquier pago realizado a partir del Importe Neto del Acuerdo se asignará en un treinta por ciento (30%) como sanciones e intereses, y en un setenta por ciento (70%) como salarios. El Administrador del Acuerdo será responsable de emitir a los Miembros Participantes de la Clase del Acuerdo los Formularios W-2 del IRS por los montos asignados como “salarios” y los Formularios 1099 del IRS por los montos asignados como penalidades e intereses. Los Miembros de la Clase del Acuerdo son responsables del tratamiento adecuado del impuesto sobre la renta de los pagos individuales del Acuerdo. El Administrador del Acuerdo, Prime Tech Cabinets y sus abogados, y los Abogados de la Clase no pueden proporcionar asesoramiento fiscal. En consecuencia, los Miembros de la Clase del Acuerdo deben consultar con sus asesores fiscales acerca de las consecuencias fiscales y el tratamiento de los pagos que reciban en virtud del Acuerdo.

Liberación. Si el Juez aprueba el Acuerdo, y tras la Fecha de entrada en vigor y la financiación completa del Importe bruto del Acuerdo, el Demandante y cada uno de los Miembros de la Clase del Acuerdo (excepto aquellos que opten por no participar) liberarán y exonerarán totalmente a Prime Tech Cabinets, y a todos sus funcionarios, directores, empleados, accionistas, agentes, fideicomisarios, representantes, abogados, aseguradores, reaseguradores, sociedades matrices actuales y anteriores, subsidiarias, divisiones, filiales, predecesores, sucesores, así como cualquier individuo o entidad que pudiera ser responsable conjuntamente con Prime Tech Cabinets (colectivamente las “Partes Exoneradas”) de todas y cada una de las reclamaciones, causas de acción y teorías legales alegadas o que podrían haberse alegado basándose en los hechos de la Primera Demanda de Acción Colectiva y Representativa Enmendada (“FAC” por sus siglas en inglés) operativa, incluyendo: (a) el impago de todos los salarios por horas extraordinarias; (b) el impago de todos los salarios mínimos; (c) el impago de todos los períodos de comida de Acuerdo con la ley de California; (d) el impago de todos los períodos de descanso de Acuerdo con la ley de California; (e) el impago de declaraciones salariales precisas y desglosadas; (f) falta de pago de todos los salarios adeudados tras la separación del empleo; y (g) todas las reclamaciones por prácticas comerciales desleales que podrían haberse basado en los hechos, reclamaciones, causas de acción o teorías legales de reparación alegadas en el FAC (las “Reclamaciones Exoneradas de la Clase”). El período de las Reclamaciones Exoneradas de la Clase se extenderá hasta los límites del Período de la Clase.

Además, todos los Empleados Agraviados (independientemente de si optan por no participar en el Acuerdo Colectivo) liberarán a las Partes Exoneradas de todas las reclamaciones por sanciones civiles en virtud de PAGA que surjan durante el Período PAGA, según lo divulgado en la Carta de Aviso de el Demandante a la LWDA del 1 de noviembre de 2022 (“las Reclamaciones Exoneradas de PAGA”). Los Empleados Agraviados estarán obligados por las Reclamaciones Exoneradas de PAGA incluso si no cobran su cheque de Acuerdo PAGA.

Condiciones del Acuerdo. El Acuerdo está condicionado a que el Juez emita una orden en la Audiencia de Aprobación Definitiva o con posterioridad a ésta, aprobando definitivamente el Acuerdo como justo, razonable, adecuado y en el mejor interés de la Clase del Acuerdo, y a la emisión de una Sentencia.

¿Cómo puedo reclamar dinero del Acuerdo?

No hacer nada. Si no hace nada, tendrá derecho a percibir su parte del Acuerdo en función del número proporcional de Semanas Laborales que trabajó para Prime Tech Cabinets durante el Período de la Demanda Colectiva, si finalizó su empleo con Prime Tech Cabinets durante el período de tiempo del 31 de octubre de 2019 al <<PRELIM APPROVAL DATE>>, y el número proporcional de Semanas Laborales que trabajó del 31 de octubre de 2021 al <<PRELIM APPROVAL DATE>>, y el número proporcional de Semanas Laborales que trabajó durante el Período PAGA. Usted también quedará obligado por el Acuerdo, incluida la exoneración de reclamaciones indicada anteriormente.



¿Qué otras opciones tengo?

Información sobre la disputa. Su adjudicación se basa en el número proporcional de Semanas Laborales que trabajó para Prime Tech Cabinets durante el Período de la Demanda Colectiva, así como si se separó del empleo con Prime Tech Cabinets durante el período de tiempo de 31 de octubre de 2019 al <<PRELIM APPROVAL DATE>>, el número proporcional de Semanas Laborales que trabajó desde el 31 de octubre de 2021 hasta el <<PRELIM APPROVAL DATE>>, y el número proporcional de Semanas Laborales que trabajó durante el Período PAGA. La información contenida en los registros de Prime Tech Cabinets con respecto a cada uno de estos factores, junto con su estimación de la Adjudicación del Acuerdo, se enumeran a continuación. Si no está de acuerdo con la información que se enumera a continuación, puede presentar una disputa, junto con cualquier documentación justificativa, a <<INSERT ADMINISTRATOR CONTACT INFO>>. Las impugnaciones, junto con la documentación acreditativa, deberán llevar matasellos de correos con fecha no posterior al <<PRELIM APPROVAL DATE>>. **NO ENVÍE ORIGINALES; LA DOCUMENTACIÓN ENVIADA AL ADMINISTRADOR DEL ACUERDO NO SERÁ DEVUELTA NI CONSERVADA.**

El Administrador del Acuerdo tomará la determinación inicial respecto a cualquier disputa con la aportación de las Partes, sin embargo, el Juez podrá revisar cualquier decisión tomada por el Administrador del Acuerdo respecto a una disputa.

Según los registros de Prime Tech Cabinets:

- (a) trabajó para Prime Tech Cabinets en California de [REDACTED] a [REDACTED];
- (b) trabajó [REDACTED] Semanas Laborales entre el 31 de octubre de 2018 hasta el <<PRELIM APPROVAL DATE>> como empleado no exento para Prime Tech Cabinets;
- (c) trabajó [REDACTED] Semanas Laborales entre el 31 de octubre de 2021 hasta el <<PRELIM APPROVAL DATE>> como empleado no exento para Prime Tech Cabinets;
- (d) trabajó [REDACTED] Semanas Laborales entre el 1 de noviembre de 2021 hasta el <<PRELIM APPROVAL DATE>> como empleado no exento para Prime Tech Cabinets; y
- (e) su empleo con Prime Tech Cabinets <<SI/NO>> finalizó entre el 31 de octubre de 2019 y el <<PRELIM APPROVAL DATE>>

Con base en lo anterior, su Adjudicación del Acuerdo se estima en \$[REDACTED]. La Adjudicación del Acuerdo más alta se estima en aproximadamente \$XX y la Adjudicación del Acuerdo más baja se estima en aproximadamente \$XX. El pago más alto del Monto PAGA se estima en aproximadamente \$XX. El pago más bajo del Importe PAGA se estima en aproximadamente \$XX.

Excluirse del Acuerdo. Si **no** desea participar en el Acuerdo de la Demanda Colectiva, puede excluirse enviando al Administrador del Acuerdo un Formulario de Solicitud de Exclusión ejecutado a más tardar el <<RESPONSE DEADLINE>>, con su nombre, dirección, número de teléfono y su firma. Se incluye un Formulario de Solicitud de Exclusión con este Aviso.

Envíe el Formulario de solicitud de exclusión directamente al Administrador del Acuerdo a <<INSERT ADMINISTRATOR CONTACT INFO>>. Cualquier persona que envíe una Solicitud de Exclusión a tiempo dejará de ser, una vez recibida por el Administrador del Acuerdo, un Miembro de la Clase del Acuerdo, y se le impedirá participar en cualquier parte del Acuerdo de la Demanda Colectiva. Sin embargo, los Empleados perjudicados no podrán optar por no participar en el Acuerdo PAGA, y los Empleados perjudicados seguirán teniendo derecho a una parte del Importe PAGA, tal y como se ha descrito anteriormente, aunque soliciten la exclusión del Acuerdo de Demanda Colectiva. **No presente tanto una Disputa como una Solicitud de Exclusión.** Si lo hace, la Solicitud de Exclusión no será válida, se le incluirá en la Clase del Acuerdo y quedará vinculado por las cláusulas del Acuerdo.

Objetarse el Acuerdo. También tiene derecho a objetarse a las cláusulas del Acuerdo. Sin embargo, si el Juez rechaza su objeción, seguirá estando obligado por las cláusulas del Acuerdo. Si desea objetarse al Acuerdo, o a cualquier parte de este (con la excepción del Acuerdo PAGA, al que no puede objetarse), puede enviar por correo una objeción por escrito al Administrador del Acuerdo a <<INSERT ADMINISTRATOR CONTACT INFO>>. Su objeción por escrito debe incluir su nombre y dirección. Las objeciones deberán presentarse por escrito y llevar matasellos con fecha de <<RESPONSE DEADLINE>> o anterior. Todas las objeciones u otro tipo de



correspondencia deben indicar el nombre y el número de la causa, que es *Alexandro Mora contra Prime Tech Cabinets, Inc.*, n° de causa 30-2022-01289157-CU-OE-CXC del Tribunal Superior del Condado de Orange. Se incluye un Formulario de Objeción con este Aviso.

También puede comparecer en la Audiencia de Aprobación Definitiva programada para <<FINAL APPROVAL HEARING DATE/TIME>> en el Juzgado CX104 del Tribunal Superior del Condado de Orange, ubicado en 751 W. Santa Ana Blvd., Santa Ana, California 92701. Tiene derecho a comparecer en persona o a través de su propio abogado en esta audiencia. Puede comparecer en la Audiencia de Aprobación Definitiva para objetarse oralmente, aunque no haya presentado una objeción por escrito.

Si usted se opone al Acuerdo, seguirá siendo Miembro de la Clase del Acuerdo y, si el Juez aprueba el Acuerdo, estará obligado por las cláusulas del Acuerdo del mismo modo que los Miembros de la Clase del Acuerdo que no se opongan.

Los Miembros de la Clase de Demandantes a los que se vuelvan a enviar los paquetes de aviso por correo después de haber sido devueltos al administrador del Acuerdo como imposibles de entregar dispondrán de catorce (14) días naturales a partir de la fecha de reenvío, o hasta que haya vencido el <<RESPONSE DEADLINE>>, lo que ocurra más tarde, para presentar una solicitud de exclusión, objeción o disputa.

¿Cuál es el siguiente paso?

El Juez celebrará una Audiencia de Aprobación Definitiva sobre la idoneidad, razonabilidad y equidad del Acuerdo el <<FINAL APPROVAL HEARING DATE/TIME>>, en el Juzgado CX104 del Tribunal Superior del Condado de Orange, ubicado en 751 W. Santa Ana Blvd., Santa Ana, California 92701. También se solicitará al Juez que se pronuncie sobre la solicitud de los Abogados de la Clase de Demandantes de honorarios de abogados y reembolso de costes y gastos documentados, costes de administración del Acuerdo y el Pago de mejora del representante de la Clase de Demandantes. La Audiencia de Aprobación Definitiva puede posponerse sin previo aviso a los Miembros de la Clase del Acuerdo. **Usted no está obligado a asistir a la Audiencia de Aprobación Definitiva, aunque cualquier Miembro de la Clase del Acuerdo es bienvenido a asistir a la audiencia.**

¿Cómo puedo obtener información adicional?

Este Aviso es sólo un resumen de la Acción y del Acuerdo. Para obtener más información, puede inspeccionar los archivos del Tribunal y el Acuerdo de conciliación en la Oficina del Secretario del Tribunal Superior del Condado de Orange, ubicada en 751 W. Santa Ana Blvd., Santa Ana, California 92701, durante el horario habitual del tribunal. También puede visitar el sitio web del Tribunal Superior del Condado de Orange en www.occourts.org para inspeccionar los archivos del Tribunal yendo a la pestaña “Case Access” (Acceso a causas) en “Online Services” (Servicios en línea), seleccionando “Civil Case & Document Access” (Acceso a causas y documentos civiles) e introduciendo la información del número de la causa para esta causa, que es Case No. 30-2022-01289157-CU-OE-CXC. Para obtener más información, también puede ponerse en contacto con los Abogados de la Clase utilizando la información de contacto indicada anteriormente.

También puede acceder a los documentos clave de la causa, incluida la Demanda operativa, el Acuerdo de conciliación, este aviso de Demanda Colectiva, así como la orden por la que se concede la aprobación preliminar en el sitio web del administrador del Acuerdo en <<SETTLEMENT ADMINISTRATOR WEBSITE>>.

POR FAVOR, NO LLAME NI ESCRIBA AL TRIBUNAL, A PRIME TECH CABINETS NI A SUS ABOGADOS PARA OBTENER INFORMACIÓN SOBRE ESTE ACUERDO O SOBRE EL PROCESO DE ACUERDO

RECORDATORIO EN CUANTO A LOS PLAZOS

La fecha límite para presentar cualquier disputa, solicitud de exclusión u objeción es <<RESPONSE DEADLINE>>. Estos plazos se cumplirán estrictamente.



EXHIBIT 6



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Order Date: August 29, 2024

Name: Christina Guerrero Harmon

ATA Member#: 487584

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I certify this in Santa Rosa, CA, on AUG 29, 2024.

Christina Harmon

Christina Guerrero Harmon

08/29/2024

Date

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FORMULARIO DE SOLICITUD DE EXCLUSIÓN

Alexandro Mora contra Prime Tech Cabinets, Inc.
Tribunal Superior del Condado de Orange
Caso n° 30-2022-01289157-CU-OE-CXC

SI NO DESEA FORMAR PARTE DEL ACUERDO DE DEMANDA COLECTIVA, DEBE CUMPLIMENTAR, FIRMAR Y ENVIAR POR CORREO ESTE FORMULARIO, CON MATASELLOS DE **INSERT DATE** O ANTERIOR, DIRIGIDO A

PHOENIX SETTLEMENT ADMINISTRATORS
ALEXANDRO MORA CONTRA PRIME TECH CABINETS, INC.
ADMINISTRADOR DEL ACUERDO

ADDRESS
ADDRESS
PHONE
FAX

NO ENVÍE ESTE FORMULARIO SI DESEA RECIBIR UN PAGO EN VIRTUD DEL ACUERDO.

Al firmar, rellenar y devolver este formulario, confirmo que no deseo ser incluido en el Acuerdo de la Demanda titulada *Alexandro Mora contra Prime Tech Cabinets, Inc.*, Caso N° 30-2022-01289157-CU-OE-CXC del Tribunal Superior del Condado de Orange.

DESEO SER EXCLUIDO DE LA CLASE DEL ACUERDO EN EL CASO *ALEXANDRO MORA contra PRIME TECH CABINETS, INC.* ENTIENDO QUE SI SOLICITO SER EXCLUIDO DE LA CLASE DEL ACUERDO, NO RECIBIRÉ DINERO DEL ACUERDO COLECTIVO DE ESTA DEMANDA. SIN EMBARGO, AÚN PUEDO TENER DERECHO A RECIBIR UNA PARTE DE LA CONCILIACIÓN DE LAS DEMANDAS INTERPUESTAS DE CONFORMIDAD CON LA LEY GENERAL DE ABOGADOS PRIVADOS DEL CÓDIGO LABORAL DE 2004 (“PAGA”), TAL COMO SE DESCRIBE EN LA NOTIFICACIÓN ADJUNTA DE PENDENCIA DE LA DEMANDA COLECTIVA Y PAGA Y EN EL ACUERDO PROPUESTO.

Nombre

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Fecha

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Alexandro Mora v. Prime Tech Cabinets, Inc. Case No - 30-2022-01289157-CU-OE-CXC**

Order Date: August 29, 2024

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I certify this in Santa Rosa, CA, on AUG 29, 2024.

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08/29/2024

Date

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FORMULARIO DE OBJECCIÓN

Alexandro Mora contra Prime Tech Cabinets, Inc.
Tribunal Superior del Condado de Orange
Caso n° 30-2022-01289157-CU-OE-CXC

Todas las objeciones deben enviarse por correo directamente al Administrador del Acuerdo, [INSERT SETTLEMENT ADMINISTRATOR], a <<[INSERT ADMINISTRATOR CONTACT INFO]>> el o antes del <<[RESPONSE DEADLINE]>>. Todas las objeciones deberán estar mataselladas el o antes del <<[RESPONSE DEADLINE]>>.

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100, inclusive,

Defendants.

Case No. 30-2022-01289157-CU-OE-CXC

[Assigned for all purposes to the Hon. Melissa
R. McCormick, Dept. CX104]

**[PROPOSED] ORDER GRANTING
PRELIMINARY APPROVAL OF CLASS
ACTION AND PAGA SETTLEMENT**

Date: ~~June 20~~September 12, 2024
Time: 2:00 p.m.
Dept.: CX104

Complaint Filed: October 31, 2022
Trial Date: None Set

[PROPOSED] ORDER GRANTING PRELIMINARY APPROVAL OF CLASS ACTION AND PAGA
SETTLEMENT

1 The Motion of Plaintiff Alexandro Mora ("Plaintiff") for Preliminary Approval of Class
2 Action and PAGA Settlement came on regularly for hearing before this Court on ~~June~~
3 29 September 12, 2024 at 2:00 p.m. This Court, having considered the proposed Stipulation of
4 Settlement (the "Settlement"), the Amendment to the Settlement attached to the Declaration of
5 Sean M. Blakely filed concurrently herein; having considered Plaintiff's Motion for Preliminary
6 Approval of Class Action Settlement, Memorandum of Points and Authorities in support thereof,
7 and supporting declarations filed therewith; Plaintiff's Supplemental Brief and supporting
8 declarations filed therewith; and good cause appearing, HEREBY ORDERS THE FOLLOWING:

9 1. The Court GRANTS preliminary approval of the class action settlement as set
10 forth in the Settlement and finds its terms to be within the range of reasonableness of a settlement
11 that ultimately could be granted approval by the Court at a Final Fairness Hearing. For purposes
12 of the Settlement, the Court finds that the proposed Settlement Class is ascertainable and that
13 there is a sufficiently well-defined community of interest among the members of the Settlement
14 Class in questions of law and fact. Therefore, for settlement purposes only, the Court grants
15 conditional certification of the following Settlement Class:

16 All current and former non-exempt employees who worked for
17 Defendant Prime Tech Cabinets, Inc. in California from October 31,
18 2018 until the date of preliminary approval of the settlement ("Class
Period").

19 2. The "Aggrieved Employees" are defined as "Individuals employed by Defendant
20 Prime Tech Cabinets, Inc. in California and who were classified as hourly, non-exempt employees
21 any time from November 1, 2021 through the date of preliminary approval ("PAGA Period")."

22 2.3. For purposes of the Settlement, the Court preliminarily designates named Plaintiff
23 Alexandro Mora as Class Representative, and preliminarily designates Paul K. Haines and Sean
24 M. Blakely of Haines Law Group, APC as Class Counsel.

25 3.4. The Court designates Phoenix Settlement Administrators as the third-party
26 Settlement Administrator for mailing notices. The Settlement Administrator is ordered to carry
27 out its administration functions as set forth in the Settlement.

1 4-5. The initial Stipulation of Settlement is attached hereto as Exhibit 1. The
2 Amendment to the Stipulation of Settlement is attached hereto as Exhibit 2. The Court approves,
3 as to form and content, the Class Notice, ~~and~~ Request for Exclusion Form, and the Objection
4 Form (collectively, the “Notice Packet”), attached as Exhibits ~~43, and 24~~, and 5, respectively, to
5 the Settlement, this Order. Certified translations of the Class Notice, Request for Exclusion Form,
6 and Objection Form are attached hereto as Exhibits 6, 7, and 8, respectively.

7 5-6. The Court finds that the form of notice to the Settlement Class regarding the
8 pendency of the action and of the Settlement, and the methods of giving notice to members of the
9 Settlement Class, constitute the best notice practicable under the circumstances, and constitute
10 valid, due, and sufficient notice to all of the Settlement Class members. The form and method of
11 giving notice complies fully with the requirements of California Code of Civil Procedure section
12 382, California Civil Code section 1781, California Rules of Court 3.766 and 3.769, the California
13 and United States Constitutions, and other applicable law.

14 6-7. The Court further approves the procedures for the Settlement Class members to
15 opt out of or object to the Settlement, as set forth in the Class Notice. A Settlement Class member
16 who wishes to exclude themselves from the settlement must submit a Request for Exclusion Form
17 by the Response Deadline. The Request for Exclusion Form must: (1) contain the name, address,
18 telephone number and the last four digits of the Social Security number of the Settlement Class
19 member; (2) contain a statement that the Settlement Class member wishes to be excluded from
20 the settlement; (3) be signed by the Settlement Class member; and (4) be postmarked by the
21 Response Deadline and mailed to the Settlement Administrator at the address specified in the
22 Class Notice. If the Request for Exclusion Form does not contain the information listed in (1)-
23 (3), it will not be deemed valid for exclusion from the settlement, except a Request for Exclusion
24 Form not containing a Settlement Class member’s telephone number or last four digits of the
25 Social Security number will be deemed valid. The date of the postmark on the Request for
26 Exclusion Form shall be the exclusive means used to determine whether a Request for Exclusion
27 has been timely submitted. Any Settlement Class member who requests to be excluded from the
28 Settlement Class will not be entitled to any recovery under this Settlement Agreement and will

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1 not be bound by the terms of the settlement or have any right to object, appeal or comment
2 thereon. Settlement Class members who do not request exclusion may object to the Settlement
3 Agreement by mailing a written objection to the Settlement Administrator by the Response
4 Deadline. All objections should contain the objecting Settlement Class member's full name and
5 current address. Settlement Class members may also appear at the final approval hearing to orally
6 object, even if they have not submitted a written objection. Each Notice Packet mailed to a
7 Settlement Class member shall disclose the amount of the Settlement Class member's estimated
8 Settlement Award as well as all of the information that was used from Defendant's records in
9 order to calculate the Settlement Award. Settlement Class members will have the opportunity,
10 should they disagree with Defendant's records regarding the information stated in the Notice of
11 Estimated Settlement Award, to provide documentation and an explanation to show contrary
12 information. Any such dispute, including any supporting documentation, must be mailed to the
13 Settlement Administrator and postmarked by the Response Deadline. The Parties shall file with
14 the Court all disputes submitted by Settlement Class members, the evidence submitted, and the
15 resolution of any disputes. The Settlement Administrator shall make the initial determination
16 regarding any disputes with input from the Parties, however, the Court may review any decision
17 made by the Settlement Administrator regarding a dispute.

18 ~~7. The procedures and requirements for filing objections in connection with the Final~~
19 ~~Fairness Hearing are intended to ensure the efficient administration of justice and the orderly~~
20 ~~presentation of any Settlement Class member's objection to the Settlement in accordance with the~~
21 ~~due process rights of all members of the Settlement Class.~~

22 8. The Court directs the Settlement Administrator to mail the Notice Packet to the
23 members of the Settlement Class in accordance with the terms of the Settlement. The Settlement
24 Administrator is ordered to carry out its administration functions as set forth in the Settlement.

25 9. The Class Notice shall provide at least sixty (60) calendar days' notice for
26 Settlement Class members to opt out of, or object to, the Settlement.

27 10. The Final Fairness Hearing on the question of whether the Settlement should be
28 finally approved as fair, reasonable, and adequate is scheduled in Department CX-104 of this

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Court, located at 751 West Santa Ana Boulevard, Santa Ana, California 92701 on
~~January 30, 2024-2025~~ at ~~a.m.~~ 2:00 p.m.

11. At the Final Fairness Hearing, the Court will consider: (a) whether the Settlement should be finally approved as fair, reasonable, and adequate for the Settlement Class; (b) whether a judgment granting final approval of the Settlement should be entered; and (c) whether Plaintiff's application for reasonable attorneys' fees, reimbursement of litigation expenses, enhancement payment to Plaintiff, settlement administration costs, and payment to the Labor & Workforce Development Agency ("LWDA") for penalties under the Labor Code Private Attorneys General Act, should be granted.

12. The Court preliminarily approves the Gross Settlement Amount of \$1,600,000.00 and the not-to-exceed amount for attorneys' fees (\$533,333.33), litigation costs (\$35,000.00), enhancement payment (\$7,500.00), settlement administration costs (\$11,000.00), and PAGA civil penalties (\$50,000.00, of which 75% will be payable to the Labor & Workforce Development Agency, and 25% will be payable to Aggrieved Employees).

12-13. Counsel for the parties shall file memoranda, declarations, or other statements and materials in support of their request for final approval of the Settlement, attorneys' fees, litigation expenses, Plaintiff's enhancement payment, payment to the LWDA, and settlement administration costs, prior to the Final Fairness Hearing according to the time limits set by the Code of Civil Procedure and the California Rules of Court.

13-14. An implementation schedule is below:

Event	Date
Defendant to provide Class Data to the Settlement Administrator no later than [10 business days after preliminary approval]:	July 5 <u>September 26</u> , 2024
Settlement Administrator to mail the Notice Packet to Settlement Class members no later than [10 business days after receiving Class Data]:	July 19 <u>October 10</u> , 2024
Deadline for Settlement Class members to request exclusion from, submit a dispute, or object to, the Settlement [60 calendar days after mailing]:	September 17 <u>December 9</u> , 2024

Deadline for Plaintiff to file his Motion for Final Approval of Class Action Settlement:	October 15, 2024 <u>January 3, 2025</u>
Final Fairness Hearing:	<u>January 30, 2024</u> 2025 at 2:00 p.m.

15. Pending the Final Fairness Hearing, all proceedings in this action, other than proceedings necessary to carry out or enforce the terms and conditions of the Settlement and this Order, are stayed.

~~14-16.~~ To the extent consistent with class action procedure, the Court shall retain continuing jurisdiction over this Action and the Settlement pursuant to California Code of Civil Procedure § 664.6.

~~15. Counsel for the parties are hereby authorized to utilize all reasonable procedures in connection with the administration of the Settlement which are not materially inconsistent with either this Order or the terms of the Settlement.~~

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: _____, 2024

Hon. Melissa R. McCormick
Judge of the Superior Court

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**PROOF OF SERVICE OF PROPOSED
SETTLEMENT TO THE LABOR AND
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PROOF OF SERVICE

Alexandro Mora v. Prime Tech Cabinets, Inc.

Orange Superior Court Case No. 30-2022-01289157-CU-OE-CXC

STATE OF CALIFORNIA)
) ss.
COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES)

I am employed in the County of Los Angeles, State of California. I am over the age of 18 and not a party to the within action; my business address is 2155 Campus Drive, Suite 180, El Segundo, California 90245.

On March 7, 2024, I served the document(s) described as:

STIPULATION OF SETTLEMENT

PLAINTIFF'S NOTICE OF MOTION AND MOTION FOR PRELIMINARY APPROVAL OF CLASS ACTION SETTLEMENT

DECLARATION OF SEAN M. BLAKELY IN SUPPORT OF PLAINTIFF'S MOTION FOR PRELIMINARY APPROVAL OF CLASS ACTION SETTLEMENT

on the interested party(ies) in this action as follows:

California Labor & Workforce Development Agency (LWDA)
800 Capitol Mall, MIC-55
Sacramento, CA 95814
<http://www.dir.ca.gov/Private-Attorneys-General-Act/Private-Attorneys-General-Act.html>

☒ (VIA ELECTRONIC SUBMISSION) I submitted a true and correct copy of the document(s) described above to the LWDA's website in accordance with the policies and procedures of the LWDA for submission of such documents.

☒ (STATE) I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the above is true and correct.

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**PLAINTIFF'S NOTICE OF MOTION AND MOTION FOR PRELIMINARY
APPROVAL OF CLASS ACTION SETTLEMENT (ROA # 70)**

**DECLARATION OF PAUL K. HAINES IN SUPPORT OF PLAINTIFF'S MOTION
FOR PRELIMINARY APPROVAL OF CLASS ACTION SETTLEMENT (ROA # 74)**

**DECLARATION OF PLAINTIFF ALEXANDRO MORA IN SUPPORT OF
APPROVAL OF CLASS ACTION SETTLEMENT (ROA # 76)**

[PROPOSED] ORDER GRANTING PRELIMINARY APPROVAL OF CLASS ACTION SETTLEMENT (ROA # 68)

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Sacramento, CA 95814
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Attached hereto as “Exhibit A” is a true and correct copy of the confirmation email sent by the LWDA with regard to this submission as well as a copy of the PAGA Notice Public Search – Case Detail showing a record of all submissions with respect to this PAGA claim, which is available publicly at the URL <https://cadir.my.salesforce-sites.com/PagaSearch>.

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1 [X] (STATE) I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that
2 the above is true and correct.

3 Executed on August 16, 2024, at El Segundo, California.

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EXHIBIT A

From: [DIR PAGA Unit](#)
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Subject: Thank you for your Proposed Settlement Submission
Date: Friday, August 16, 2024 2:21:27 PM

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Thank you for your submission to the Labor and Workforce Development Agency.

Item submitted: Proposed Settlement

If you have questions or concerns regarding this submission or your case, please send an email to pagainfo@dir.ca.gov.

DIR PAGA Unit on behalf of
Labor and Workforce Development Agency

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PAGA NOTICE PUBLIC SEARCH - CASE DETAIL

Case Information

Case Number: LWDA-CM-917150-22
Plaintiff for PAGA Case: Alexandro Mora
Filer/Attorney for PAGA Case: Paul Haines
Law Firm for PAGA Plaintiff: Haines Law Group, APC
Employer: Prime Tech Cabinets, Inc.
Date Case Received:
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Court Type: California Superior Courts
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Related BOFE Case:

Attachments

Attachment Name	Description	Date Submitted	Type
Additional Document Submitted with Proposed Settlement on 03/07/2024 10:11:17 AM by Sean Blakely	2024-03-07 Prime Tech Blakely Decl ISO Preliminary Approval.pdf	3/7/2024 6:11 PM	Proposed Settlement
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PAGA NOTICE PUBLIC SEARCH - CASE DETAIL

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Court Complaint Submitted on 01/11/2023 12:10:39 PM by P Haines	2023-01-06 Prime Tech Cabinets FAC.pdf	1/11/2023 8:10 PM	Court Complaint
PAGA Notice Submitted on 11/01/2022 12:30:21 PM by Paul Haines	2022-11-01 Prime Tech Cabinets PAGA letter.pdf	11/1/2022 7:30 PM	PAGA Notice
Proposed Settlement Submitted on 03/07/2024 10:11:17 AM by Sean Blakely	Stipulation of Settlement.pdf	3/7/2024 6:11 PM	Proposed Settlement
Proposed Settlement Submitted on 08/16/2024 02:20:35 PM by Sean Blakely	Stipulation of Settlement.pdf	8/16/2024 9:20 PM	Proposed Settlement

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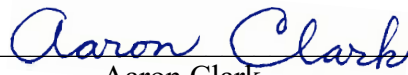
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[X] (VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL) Pursuant to California Rule of Court 2.251(c), I caused the document described above to be sent to the persons at the electronic service addresses listed above via third party cloud service One Legal.

[X] (STATE) I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the above is true and correct.

Executed on August 16, 2024, at El Segundo, California.



Aaron Clark