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COUNTY OF SAN BERNARDINO
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CHRISTINA SANCHEZ, individually, and on
behalf of all others similarly situated,

Plaintiff,

v.

BSK ASSOCIATES, a California corporation;
and DOES 1 through 50, inclusive,

Defendant.

Case No.: CIVSB2309732

[Hon. Joseph T. Ortiz]

**[PROPOSED] PRELIMINARY APPROVAL
ORDER**

Date: June 12, 2024
Time: 1:30 p.m.
Dept.: S17

Action Filed: April 28, 2023
Trial Date: None Set

1 **[PROPOSED] PRELIMINARY APPROVAL ORDER**

2 Before the Court is Plaintiff Christina Sanchez ("Plaintiff")'s unopposed Motion for Preliminary
3 Approval of Class Action Settlement ("Motion"). After reviewing the Motion, the Class Action
4 Settlement Agreement and Release ("Settlement Agreement")¹ and exhibits attached thereto, and good
5 cause appearing therefore, the Court hereby finds and orders as follows:

6 1. The Court finds on a preliminary basis that the settlement memorialized in the Settlement
7 Agreement appears to be fair and adequate, and falls within the range of reasonableness, and therefore
8 meets the requirement for preliminary approval.

9 2. The Court conditionally certifies for settlement purposes the following Class:

10 All current and former hourly-paid or non-exempt employees of Defendant in California, who are
11 not subject to an arbitration agreement, during the Class Period.

12 The Class Period is April 28, 2019 to March 1, 2024.

13 3. The Court finds, for settlement purposes, that the Class meets the requirements for
14 certification under California Code of Civil Procedure § 382 in that: (a) the Class is so numerous that
15 joinder is impractical; (b) there are questions of law and fact that are common, or of general interest, to
16 the Class, which predominate over any individual issues; (c) Plaintiff's claims are typical of the claims of
17 the Class; (d) Plaintiff and her counsel will fairly and adequately protect the interests of the Class; and (e)
18 a class action is superior to other available methods for the fair and efficient adjudication of the
19 controversy.

20 4. The Court appoints, for settlement purposes, Plaintiff Christina Sanchez as
21 Representatives for the Class.

22 5. The Court appoints, for settlement purposes, Aubry Wand of the Wand Law Firm, P.C., as
23 Counsel for the Class.

24 6. The Court appoints Simpluris, Inc. as the Settlement Administrator.

25 7. The Parties are ordered to carry out the Settlement according to the following
26 implementation schedule:

27 _____
28 ¹ All capitalized terms have the same meaning as defined in the Settlement Agreement unless otherwise indicated.

Event	Date
Last day for Defendant to provide the Settlement Administrator with the Class Information	
Last day for Settlement Administrator to mail Class Notice	
Last day for Class Members to submit a dispute re. Workweeks, Request for Exclusion, or written Objection	
Last Day for Plaintiff to file Motion for Final Approval and Motion for Attorneys' Fees and Costs and Class Representative Service Award	
Final Approval Hearing	10/22/24 at 1:30 a.m. / p.m.

8. The Court approves, as to form and content, the Class Notice (attached as Exhibit 1 to the Settlement Agreement).

9. The Court finds that the method of giving notice to the Class constitutes the best means practicable of providing notice under the circumstances. The Court further finds that the Class Notice and the method of giving notice to the Class meet the requirements of California Code of Civil Procedure § 382, California Rules of Court, Rules 3.766 and 3.769, and due process under the California and United States Constitutions, and other applicable law.

10. At the Final Approval Hearing, the Court will consider, *inter alia*, whether the Settlement should be finally approved as fair, reasonable and adequate, whether a final judgment should be entered, and whether the payments provided for under the Settlement, including attorneys' fees and costs and class representative service award, should be finally approved and granted.

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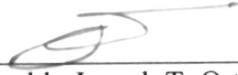
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1 11. Pending the Final Approval Hearing, all proceedings in this Action, other than
2 proceedings necessary to implement the Settlement and this Order, are stayed.

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4 **IT IS SO ORDERED.**

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6 DATED: June 12, 2024


Honorable Joseph T. Ortiz
Judge of the Superior Court