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SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

FOR THE COUNTY OF COUNTY OF ORANGE

GUSTAVO CHAVEZ FRANCO, solely as a
representative of the Labor & Workforce
Development Agency and the Aggrieved
Employees,

Plaintiff,

v.

PADILLA CONSTRUCTION COMPANY,
a California corporation,

Defendant.

Case No. 30-2023-01339685-CU-OE-CXC

**NOTICE OF ENTRY OF AMENDED
JUDGMENT**

1 **TO ALL PARTIES AND THEIR ATTORNEYS OF RECORDS:**

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3 PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that on August 5, 2026, the above-entitled Court entered its Amended
4 Judgment, signed by Judge Melissa R. McCormick. A true and correct copy of the Amended
5 Judgment is attached hereto as Exhibit 1.

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7 Respectfully submitted,

8 **ACKERMANN & TILAJEF, P.C.**

9 **LAW OFFICE OF TATIANA HERNANDEZ, P.C.**

10 Dated: August 17, 2026

11 *Tatiana Hernandez*
12 Craig Ackermann, Esq.
13 Tatiana Hernandez, Esq.
14 *Attorneys for Plaintiff on behalf of the LWDA*
15 *and the Aggrieved Employees*

EXHIBIT 1

**SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA
FOR THE COUNTY OF ORANGE – COMPLEX CIVIL**

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Assigned for All Purposes:
Judge: Hon. Melissa R. McCormick
Dept.: CX105

AMENDED JUDGMENT

1 Plaintiff submitted a proposed amended judgment on July, 21, 2026 (ROA 334) to which
2 no objections have been filed. The judgment entered January 13, 2026 (ROA 246), a copy of
3 which is attached hereto as Exhibit A, is amended as follows to include the awards of attorneys'
4 fees and costs addressed in the court's May 7, 2026 and May 21, 2026 orders (ROA 318, 322):
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- 6 1. Plaintiff is awarded \$195,450 in attorneys' fees.
- 7 2. Plaintiff is awarded \$3,613.06 in costs.

8 **IT IS SO ORDERED, AJUDGED AND DECREED.**
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12 Dated: August 5, 2026



Melissa R. McCormick
Judge of the Superior Court

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JUDGMENT

This matter came for hearing before the Honorable Melissa R. McCormick on December 11, 2025 for determination of the amount of civil penalties to be imposed for defendant's violation of Labor Code section 226(a)(6), following the court's (Judge Lon Hurwitz) August 30, 2024 order granting plaintiff's motion for summary adjudication. The court, having read and considered the documents identified in the court's oral statement of decision issued December 11, 2025, and the parties' oral arguments at the December 11, 2025 hearing, issued an oral statement of decision on December 11, 2025. For the reasons set forth in the court's oral statement of

1 decision, the court now enters judgment as follows:

2 Judgment is entered in favor of plaintiff Gustavo Chavez Franco, in his representative
3 capacity under the California Private Attorneys General Act (PAGA) on behalf of the Labor
4 Workforce Development Agency and the PAGA aggrieved employees, and against defendant
5 Padilla Construction Company, in the amount of \$109,940.00, calculated based on 10,994
6 violative wage statements and \$10.00 per violative wage statement.

7 **IT IS SO ORDERED, ADJUGED AND DECREED.**

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10 Dated: January 13, 2026



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Melissa R. McCormick
12 Judge of the Superior Court
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