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

DEMARIS MASADAS, KOA GARCES, and
JACOB PARCELL, individually, and on
behalf of Aggrieved Employees pursuant to
the California Private Attorneys General Act,

Plaintiffs,

vs.

CALIFORNIA DINNER
ENTERTAINMENT, LLC dba PIRATE'S
DINNER ADVENTURE, a Florida limited
liability company; and DOES 1 through 25,
inclusive,

Defendants.

Case No.: 30-2023-01354556-CU-OE-CXC

Honorable Melissa R. McCormick
Department CX105

**FURTHER SUPPLEMENTAL
DECLARATION OF ALEXANDRA ROSE IN
SUPPORT OF PLAINTIFFS' MOTION FOR
APPROVAL OF SETTLEMENT OF CLAIMS
BROUGHT UNDER THE PRIVATE
ATTORNEYS GENERAL ACT AND
REASONABLE ATTORNEYS' FEES,
COSTS, AND ENHANCEMENT PAYMENTS
(RELATED TO ROA #87)**

Complaint Filed: October 3, 2023
FAC Filed: January 27, 2026
Trial Date: Not Set

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

3 Executed on July 23, 2026, at Jersey City, New Jersey.



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EXHIBIT 1

**SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA,
COUNTY OF ORANGE
CIVIL COMPLEX CENTER**

MINUTE ORDER

DATE: 07/16/2026 TIME: 02:00:00 PM DEPT: CX105

JUDICIAL OFFICER PRESIDING: Melissa R. McCormick

CLERK: E. Perreault

REPORTER/ERM: None

BAILIFF/COURT ATTENDANT: R. Fragola

CASE NO: **30-2023-01354556-CU-OE-CXC** CASE INIT.DATE: 10/03/2023

CASE TITLE: **Masadas vs. California Dinner Entertainment, LLC**

CASE CATEGORY: Civil - Unlimited CASE TYPE: Other employment

EVENT ID/DOCUMENT ID: 74800918

EVENT TYPE: Motion - Other

MOVING PARTY: Jacob Parcell, Koa Garces, Demaris Masadas

CAUSAL DOCUMENT/DATE FILED: Motion - Other for approval of PAGA settlement, 01/07/2026

APPEARANCES

Sean Blakely, from Haines Law Group, APC, present for Plaintiff(s) remotely.

Jasmine Yasaman Kianfard, from Blackstone Law, APC, present for Plaintiff(s) remotely.

Tiffany Rouhi, from O'Hagan Meyer LLP, present for Defendant(s) remotely.

Hearing held, all participants appearing remotely.

Tentative Ruling posted on the Internet.

The Court hears oral argument and confirms the tentative ruling as follows:

Plaintiffs' Motion for Approval of PAGA Settlement

The court has reviewed and considered the papers, including the supplemental papers, filed in support of plaintiffs' motion for approval of an \$620,000 PAGA settlement. Subject to plaintiffs' submission of the documents identified below, the court grants the motion as follows:

\$1,000.00 enhancement award to each plaintiff (\$3,000.00 total);

\$186,000.00 for attorneys' fees;

\$26,933.70 for attorneys' costs (see No. 1 below);

\$4,250.00 for settlement administration fees (see No. 2 below); and

\$399,816.30 total PAGA penalties (\$299,862.22 to LWDA).

1. Blackstone Law, APC previously sought reimbursement of \$7,874.89 in costs. See 3/12/26 Order (ROA 105) No. 7. Blackstone Law, APC now seeks reimbursement of \$10,141.45 in costs. Blackstone Law, APC provides no explanation for the disparities in entries and amounts between the itemized costs statement it previously submitted (Rose Decl. (ROA 81) Ex. 4) and the itemized costs statement it submitted with the most recent supplemental papers (Rose Decl. (ROA 117) Ex. 4). The court thus

approves \$7,758.19 in Blackstone Law, APC costs (\$7,874.89 less mailing changes and the "Wizzy Marketing" cost). See 3/12/26 Order (ROA 105) No. 7.

2. The court approves \$4,250 in settlement administration fees, i.e., \$5,000 less the \$750 fee for the language translation that counsel states is not required. See ROA 111 (¶ 13); ROA 79 (Ex. C at 2).

3. Blackstone Law, APC states that it has a referral fee agreement with Tork Law Firm. Rose Decl. (ROA 117) ¶ 13. Blackstone Law, APC must file a declaration by July 23, 2026 describing the financial terms of the agreement with Tork Law Firm.

Plaintiffs are ordered to submit by July 23, 2026 a proposed order and judgment (including the above amount) with all exhibits attached (settlement agreement; amendments thereto; and notice letter). The notice letter should be revised to include the above amounts.

The final accounting hearing is scheduled for October 29, 2026 at 9:00 a.m. in Department CX105. Plaintiffs shall submit a final administrator's report at least 9 court days before the hearing addressing the status of the settlement administration, including the actual amounts paid to the aggrieved employees and the other amounts distributed under the settlement, including any uncashed checks. Plaintiffs are ordered to give notice, including to the LWDA, and to file a proof of service.