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SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

FOR THE COUNTY OF SAN BERNARDINO

EMMA ROMERO, individually and on behalf of
others similarly situated and on behalf of other
aggrieved employees,

Plaintiff,

vs.

CHARLES ABBOTT ASSOCIATES, INC., a
California corporation; ROBERT HALF INC.
(formerly doing business as ROBERT HALF
INTERNATIONAL INC.), a Delaware
corporation; ROBERT HALF
INTERNATIONAL INC., a Delaware
corporation; and DOES 1 through 25, inclusive,

Defendants.

Case No. CIVSB2322374

Honorable Charlie L. Hill
Department S30

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Complaint Filed:	September 15, 2023
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Trial Date:	Not Set

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STATE OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF SAN BERNARDINO

I, Lorena Bautista, certify and declare as follows:

I am over eighteen years of age and not a party to the within action; my business address is 8383 Wilshire Blvd, Suite 745, Beverly Hills, California 90211. On November 21, 2025, I served a copy of the following document(s):

- **NOTICE OF MOTION AND MOTION FOR FINAL APPROVAL OF CLASS ACTION AND PAGA SETTLEMENT, ATTORNEYS' FEES AND COSTS, ENHANCEMENT PAYMENT, AND SETTLEMENT ADMINISTRATION COSTS; MEMORANDUM OF POINTS AND AUTHORITIES IN SUPPORT THEREOF**
- **DECLARATION OF ALEXANDRA ROSE IN SUPPORT OF PLAINTIFF'S MOTION FOR FINAL APPROVAL OF CLASS ACTION AND PAGA SETTLEMENT, ATTORNEYS' FEES AND COSTS, ENHANCEMENT PAYMENT, AND SETTLEMENT ADMINISTRATION COSTS**
- **DECLARATION OF PLAINTIFF EMMA ROMERO IN SUPPORT OF MOTION FOR FINAL APPROVAL OF CLASS ACTION AND PAGA SETTLEMENT**
- **DECLARATION OF MADELY NAVA OF APEX CLASS ACTION, LLC, REGARDING NOTICE AND SETTLEMENT ADMINISTRATION**
- **[PROPOSED] FINAL APPROVAL ORDER AND JUDGMENT**

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10 /s/ Lorena Bautista

11 Lorena Bautista