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SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

FOR THE COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

GERI GATES, individually, and on behalf
of others similarly situated,

Plaintiffs,

vs.

SD & A TELESERVICES, INC., a
Georgia Corporation; and DOES 1 through 25,
inclusive,

Defendants.

Case No. 23STCV29390

Honorable Laura A. Seigle
Department 17

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Complaint Filed: November 30, 2023
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STATE OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

I, Lorena Bautista, certify and declare as follows:

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- **NOTICE OF MOTION AND MOTION FOR PRELIMINARY APPROVAL OF CLASS ACTION AND PAGA SETTLEMENT; MEMORANDUM OF POINTS AND AUTHORITIES IN SUPPORT THEREOF**
- **DECLARATION OF PLAINTIFF GERI GATES IN SUPPORT OF MOTION FOR PRELIMINARY APPROVAL OF CLASS ACTION AND PAGA SETTLEMENT**
- **DECLARATION OF TINA PICHON IN SUPPORT OF MOTION FOR PRELIMINARY APPROVAL OF CLASS ACTION AND PAGA SETTLEMENT**
- **DECLARATION OF ALEXANDRA ROSE IN SUPPORT OF PLAINTIFFS' MOTION FOR PRELIMINARY APPROVAL OF CLASS ACTION AND PAGA SETTLEMENT**
- **DECLARATION OF CARLY NESE IN SUPPORT OF PLAINTIFF'S MOTION FOR FINAL APPROVAL OF CLASS ACTION SETTLEMENT**
- **DECLARATION OF LOUIS BENOWITZ IN SUPPORT OF PLAINTIFF'S MOTION FOR PRELIMINARY APPROVAL OF CLASS ACTION SETTLEMENT**
- **DECLARATION OF LISA MULLINS OF ILYM GROUP, INC., THE PROPOSED SETTLEMENT ADMINISTRATOR**
- **[PROPOSED] ORDER GRANTING PRELIMINARY APPROVAL OF CLASS ACTION AND PAGA SETTLEMENT**

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/s/ Lorena Bautista

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