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

MILES JOURDAN, individually, and on behalf
of all others similarly situated,

Plaintiff,

v.

ONE THE CHEESE STEAK SHOP, LLC, a
California limited liability company; and DOES
1 through 10, inclusive,

Defendants.

Case No.: 23CV048329

[Related Case No.: 24CV075887]

*[Assigned for All Purposes to the Hon.
Patrick McKinney, Dept. 18]*

**DECLARATION OF MILES JOURDAN
IN SUPPORT OF PLAINTIFF'S
MOTION FOR PRELIMINARY
APPROVAL OF CLASS ACTION AND
PAGA SETTLEMENT**

Action Filed: October 18, 2023

DECLARATION OF MILES JOURDAN

I, Miles Jourdan, hereby declare as follows:

1. I have personal knowledge of the facts set forth herein and if called upon to testify, I could and would do so competently under oath. I make this declaration in support of my Motion for Preliminary Approval of Class Action and PAGA Settlement.

2. I worked for Defendant One the Cheese Steak Shop, LLC (“The Cheese Steak Shop”) as an hourly-paid non-exempt employee from approximately November 2022 to approximately August 2023. I worked for The Cheese Steak Shop as a cashier and cook. My job duties included operating a cash register, taking orders from customers, preparing food, serving food, cleaning, and other tasks.

3. Based on my experience and knowledge of The Cheese Steak Shop’s wage and hour policies and my familiarity with its employment practices, I worked with my attorneys to bring claims on behalf of myself as well as other hourly-paid non-exempt employees of The Cheese Steak Shop.

4. I am seeking to become a class representative in this case. I believe my experiences are similar to those of other hourly-paid non-exempt employees of The Cheese Steak Shop. I believe we were all subject to the same employment policies and practices while working for The Cheese Steak Shop.

5. I do not have any conflicts with other hourly-paid non-exempt employees of The Cheese Steak Shop that would interfere with my ability to represent them. I believe I will adequately represent the other hourly-paid non-exempt employees at The Cheese Steak Shop.

6. My interests as a named plaintiff in this case are not adverse to the interests of the other hourly-paid non-exempt employees. I believe my interests are the same as the other employees because we were all subject to the same policies and practices and were similarly injured by The Cheese Steak Shop’s company-wide policies and practices. I am seeking the same recovery on behalf of myself and the other employees, which is to collect unpaid wages, penalties, and interest that are owed to us by The Cheese Steak Shop.

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7. I have always kept the best interests of the other hourly-paid non-exempt employees in mind while performing my duties as the named plaintiff in this case. I have been committed throughout the course of this case to vigorously prosecuting this case on behalf of myself and the other employees. I believe that I have demonstrated my ability to advocate for the interests of the other hourly-paid non-exempt employees by initiating this lawsuit, providing information and documentation to my attorneys, keeping in regular contact with my attorneys regarding the status of the case, meeting with my attorneys regarding the claims, being available on the day of mediation to answer questions, and reviewing the settlement agreement to make sure it was fair.

8. I will continue to actively participate in this lawsuit as necessary and will continue to make myself available to assist in this case moving forward as needed.

9. I do not have any actual or potential conflicts of interest with Class Members or the proposed Settlement Administrator, Apex Class Action LLC.

10. I am not aware of any other pending matter or action asserting claims that will be extinguished or adversely affected by this Settlement.

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

Executed on 3/4/2026, at Oakland, California.
(City name)

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Miles Jourdan