## IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

### Supreme Court Case No. 80508

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# HELIX ELECTRIC OF NEVADA, LLC,

Appellant,

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# APCO CONSTRUCTION, INC., A NEVADA CORPORATION,

## Respondent.

# APPENDIX TO DOCKETING STATEMENT Volume VIII

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Dated this  $5^{7}$  day of March, 2020.

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Pursuant to Nev. R. App. P. 25(b) and NEFCR 9(f), I certify that I am an employee of **PEEL BRIMLEY, LLP**, and that on this *H* day of March, 2020, I caused the above and foregoing document, **APPENDIX TO DOCKETING STATEMENT**, to be served as follows:

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	1	HEINAMAN CONTRACT GLAZING, a California corporation,
	3	Plaintiff in Intervention,
	4	vs.
	5	CAMCO PACIFIC CONSTRUCTION
	6	COMPANY, INC., a California corporation; GEMSTONE DEVELOPMENT WEST,
	7	INC., Nevada corporation; FIDELITY AND DEPOSIT COMPANYOF MARYLAND;
	8	SCOTT FINANCIAL CORPORATION, a North Dakota Corporation; DOES I through
	9	X; ROE CORPORATIONS I through X; BOE BONDING COMPANIES I through X:
	10	LOE LENDERS I through X, inclusive,
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7.107	16 17	HEINAMAN CONTRACT GLAZING, a California corporation; and DOES I through X, inclusive,
	18	Counterdefendants,
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	20	Third Party Defendants CAMCO PACIFIC CONSTRUCTION COMPANY, INC.
	21	(hereinafter "Camco") and FIDELITY AND DEPOSIT COMPANY OF MARYLAND
	22	(hereinafter "Fidelity") (Camco and Fidelity are sometimes collectively referred to herein as
	23	"Defendants"), by and through their counsel, Steven L. Morris, Esq. of the law firm of
	24	Woodbury, Morris & Brown, hereby answer the Third Party Complaint of HEINAMAN
	25	CONTRACT GLAZING, (hereinafter "Plaintiff" or "Heinaman"), on file herein, and admit,
	26	deny, and allege as follows:
	27	1. Camco and Fidelity deny each and every allegation contained in Paragraphs 1
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13, 14, 15, 18, 19, 20, 22, 23, 24, 26, 27, 28, 29, 31, 33, 39, 44, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53,
 56, 57, 58, 59, and 68 of Plaintiff's Complaint.

Camco and Fidelity are without information or knowledge sufficient to ascertain
the truth of the allegations contained in Paragraphs 7, 32, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, and 42 of
Plaintiff's Complaint, and therefore deny each and every allegation contained therein.

6 3. Camco and Fidelity admit the allegations contained in Paragraphs 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6,
7 41, 61, 62, 65, and 66 of PlaintifP's Complaint.

8 4. As to Paragraphs 8, 16, 21, 30, 40, 45, 54, and 60 of Plaintiff's Complaint,
9 Camco and Fidelity repeat and reallege the answers to paragraphs 1 through 68 as though fully
10 set forth herein.

5. As to Paragraph 9 Camco and Fidelity admit that Camco entered into a
 Subcontract Agreement with Heinaman, but as for the remaining allegations therein, Camco
 admits that the contract speaks for itself.

6. As to Paragraph 10 Camco admits that Heinaman furnished work for the benefit of and at the specific request of the Owner, but denies the remaining allegations therein.

7. As to Paragraph 11 Camco admits that Heinaman was to be paid by the Owner
for its services, but denies the remaining allegations therein.

18 8. As to Paragraph 17 Camco admits that it acted in good faith, but as for the
19 remaining allegations therein, Camco admits that the contract speaks for itself.

20 9. As to Paragraph 25 Camco admits that Heinaman knew or should have known
21 that payment would have been made by Owner, but denies the remaining allegations therein.

10. As to Paragraph 43 Camco denies that Heinaman's claim against the Property is
 superior to Camco's, but is without information or knowledge sufficient to ascertain the truth of
 the remaining allegations therein.

11. As to Paragraph 55 Camco admits that the Statute speaks for itself, but denies
the remaining allegations therein.

12. As to Paragraph 63 Camco admits that the Mezzanine Deeds of Trust

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Subordination Agreement speaks for itself, but denies the remaining allegations therein.

As to Paragraph 64 Camco admits that the Mezzanine Deeds of Trust
 Subordination Agreement speaks for itself, but denies the remaining allegations therein.

4 14. As to Paragraph 67 Camco admits that there is an actual controversy as to the
5 overall priority of all the mechanic's liens, but denies the remaining allegations therein.

15. To the extent that any allegations set forth in Plaintiff's Complaint have not been answered, these answering Defendants deny each and every allegation or inference thereof not expressly set forth hereinabove.

9 16. It has become necessary for these answering Defendants to retain the services of
10 WOODBURY, MORRIS, & BROWN, attorneys at law, to defend this action, and as a result,
11 these answering Defendants have been damaged by the Plaintiff, and these answering
12 Defendants are accordingly entitled to their attorney fees and costs incurred herein.

#### **AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSES**

The Complaint on file herein fails to state a claim against Camco and Fidelity
 upon which relief can be granted.

16 2. That any or all negligence or fault on the part of the Plaintiff would be active and
17 primary, and any negligence or fault of Camco, if any, would be secondary and passive.

18 3. Any and all damages sustained by Plaintiff are the result of its own negligence
 and breach of contract.

20 4. Camco is not negligent with respect to the transactions which are the subject of
21 the Complaint, and is and was not in breach of contract.

5. At the time and place under the circumstances alleged by the Plaintiff, Plaintiff
had full and complete knowledge and information in regard to the conditions and circumstances
then and there existing, and through Plaintiff's own knowledge, conduct, acts and omissions,
assume the risk attendant to any condition there or then present.

26 6. The liability, if any, of Camco must be reduced by the percentage of fault of
27 others, including the Plaintiff.

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1 7. The claims, and each of them, are barred by the failure of the Plaintiff to plead 2 those claims with particularity. 3 8. The claims of Plaintiff have been waived as a result of the acts and the conduct 4 of the Plaintiff. 5 9. The claim for breach of contract is barred as a result of the failure to satisfy 6 conditions precedent. 7 10. Plaintiff has failed to mitigate its damages. 8 11. Plaintiff's claims are barred from recovery by the doctrine of unclean hands. 9 12. Plaintiff's claims are barred by the doctrine of laches and estoppel 10 To the extent that the Plaintiff's work was substandard, not workmanlike, 13. (702) 933-0777 + Fax (702) 933-0778 11 defective, incomplete, or untimely, Plaintiff is not entitled to recover for said work. Henderson, Nevada 89074 12 14. Plaintiff has approved and ratified the alleged acts of Camco for which Plaintiff 13 now complains. 14 15. Plaintiff has failed to name parties that are necessary and/or indispensable to this 15 action. 16 Defendant Fidelity is informed and believes that it is entitled to assert all of the 16. 17 defenses available to its principal, and Fidelity hereby incorporates by reference all defenses 18 raised, or that could have been raised, by Fidelity's principal. 19 17. Fidelity alleges that its liability, if any exists, which is expressly denied, is 20 limited to the penal sum of the applicable Contractor's License Bond. 21 18. Any license or surety bond executed by Fidelity was limited to the classification 22 of contracting activities as set forth in its Nevada State Contractor's License Bond. 23 19. The liability of Fidelity if any, is limited to its obligations as set forth in its surety 24 bond agreement. 25 20. The liability of Fidelity if any, is limited to the statutory liability as set forth in 26 NRS 624.273. 27 Fidelity is not liable for the acts or omissions of persons, individuals, firms, 21. 28 partnerships, corporations, associations, or other organizations that are not its named principal. Page 5 of 10

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1 22. The damages sustained by Plaintiff, if any, were caused by the acts of third 2 persons who were not agents, servants, or employees of Fidelity, or its principal, and who were 3 not acting on behalf of Fidelity or its principal in any manner or form, and as such, Fidelity or 4 its principal are not liable in any manner to the Plaintiff.

5 Fidelity is not liable for the acts or omissions of persons, individuals, firms, 23. 6 partnerships, corporations, associations, or other organizations that are not its named principal.

7 24. Plaintiff's suit against Fidelity is not timely brought under the terms of the bond 8 because no judgment or court decree has been entered against its principal.

9 25. It has been necessary for Camco and Fidelity to retain the services of the law 10 offices of Woodbury, Morris & Brown, attorneys at law, for the purpose of defending this action, and Camco is entitled to payment of all costs, fees and expenses associated with and/or 12 arising out of the defense of this action.

26. Pursuant To NRCP 8, all possible affirmative defenses may not have been alleged herein, inasmuch as sufficient facts were not available after reasonable investigation and inquiry upon the filing of Defendants' Answer and, therefore, Defendants reserves the right to amend their Answer to allege additional affirmative defenses if subsequent investigation warrants.

WHEREFORE, Third Party Defendants Camco and Fidelity pray as follows:

1. That Plaintiff take nothing by way of its Complaint;

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20 2. For an award of reasonable attorneys' fees and costs for having to defend this 21 action; and

> 3. For such other and further relief as the Court deems just and proper.

#### COUNTERCLAIM

24 Counterclaimant CAMCO PACIFIC CONSTRUCTION COMPANY, INC. (hereinafter 25 'Camco") by and through its attorney, Steven L. Morris, Esq. of the law firm of Woodbury, 26 Morris & Brown complains as follows:

#### JURISDICTIONAL ALLEGATIONS

Camco was and is at all times relevant to this action, a California corporation, 1.

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t doing business in Clark County, Nevada as a contractor duly licensed by the Nevada State 2 Contractor's Board.

3 2. Counterdefendant HEINAMAN CONTRACT GLAZING, a California 4 corporation (hereinafter referred to as "Heinaman") is and was at all times relevant to this 5 action, a corporation conducting business in Clark County, Nevada.

6 3. The true names and capacities, whether individual, corporate, associate or 7 otherwise of Defendants named herein as DOES I through X are unknown to Counterclaimant. 8 Said DOE Defendants are responsible for damages suffered by Counterclaimant; therefore, 9 Counterclaimants sue Defendants by such fictitious names. Counterclaimants will ask leave to 10 amend this Counterclaim to show the true names and capacities of each such DOE Defendants at such time as the same have been ascertained.

#### FIRST CAUSE OF ACTION

#### (Breach of Contract)

4. Camco repeats and realleges each and every allegation contained in the preceding paragraphs of Camco's Counterclaim, incorporates the same at this point by reference and further allege:

17 5. On or about September 8, 2008, Camco and Heinaman entered into a 18 Subcontract Agreement (the "Agreement") relative to the Manhattan West Condominiums 19 project, located in Clark County, Nevada (the "Project").

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20 Section II.A. of the Subcontract Agreement states: "Contractor and 6. 21 Subcontractor expressly acknowledge that all payments due to Subcontractor under this 22 Agreement shall be made by Contractor solely out of funds actually received by Contractor from 23 Owner. Subcontractor acknowledges that Subcontractor is sharing, as set forth herein, in the risk 24 that Owner may for at any reason, including, but not limited to, insolvency or an alleged 25 dispute, fail to make one or more payments to Contractor for all or a portion of the Contract 26 Work. Contractor's receipt of the corresponding payment from Owner is a condition precedent 27 to Contractor's obligation to pay Subcontractor; it being understood that Subcontractor is solely 28 responsible for evaluating Owner's ability to pay for Subcontractor's portion of the Contract

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Work, and Subcontractor acknowledges that Contractor is not liable to Subcontractor for
 payment of Subcontractor's invoice unless and until Contractor receives the corresponding
 payment from Owner."

All payments made to subcontractors and suppliers on the Project were made
directly by Gemstone through Nevada Construction Services. (See Exhibit A, attached hereto
and incorporated herein by this reference).

8. Camco never received payment on behalf of the subcontractors, including
Heinaman, and was therefore, not responsible nor liable for payment to the subcontractors,
including Heinaman.

 Heinaman agreed and expressly acknowledged that it assumed the risk of nonpayment by the Owner.

10. Heinaman breached its contract with Camco by demanding payment from Camco and by bringing claims against Camco and its License Bond Surety relative to payment for the work allegedly performed by Heinaman on the Project.

 Camco is entitled to all of its attorneys fees and costs pursuant to the terms and conditions of the Agreement.

12. Camco has been required to engage the services of the law firm of

18 WOODBURY, MORRIS & BROWN to prosecute this matter and Camco is entitled to a
 19 reasonable attorneys fees and costs therefor.

#### SECOND CAUSE OF ACTION

(Breach of Covenant of Good Faith and Fair Dealing)

13. Camco repeats and realleges each and every allegation contained in the
 preceding paragraphs of Counterclaimant's Counterclaim, incorporate the same at this point by
 reference and further allege:

14. The law imposes upon Heinaman, by virtue of the contract, a covenant to act in
good faith and deal fairly with Counterclaimant;

27 15. Despite this covenant, Heinaman's intentional failure to abide by the terms of the
28 parties written contract, Heinaman breached its covenant to act in good faith and deal fairly;

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	1	16. As a result of its breach of the covenant of good faith and fair dealing, Heinaman	
	2	has injured Camco in an amount in excess of \$10,000.00.	
	3	17. Camco has been required to engage the services of the law firm of	
	4	WOODBURY, MORRIS & BROWN to prosecute this matter and Camco is entitled to a	
	5	reasonable attorneys fees and costs therefor.	
	6	WHEREFORE, Counterclaimant Camco prays as follows:	
	7	1. This Court enter judgment against Counterdefendants, and each of them, in an	
	8	amount in excess of \$10,000.00, plus interest at the contract rate;	
	9	2. For an award of reasonable attorneys' fees and costs for having to prosecute this	
	10	action; and	
-0778	n	3. For such other and further relief as the Court deems just and proper.	
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WOODBURY, MORRIS & BROWN 701 N. Green Valley Parkway, Suite 110 Henderson, Nevada 89074 (702) 933-0777♦ Fax (702) 933-0778	1       CERTIFICATE OF MAILING         3       I hereby certify that on the 1 <sup>th</sup> day of September 2009, I served a copy of the         ANSWER TO HEINAMAN CONTRACT GLAZING'S STATEMENT OF FACT'S         CONSTRUCTION'S COUNTERCLAIM by facsimile and by enclosing a true and correct         copy of the same in a sealed envelope upon which first-class postage was fully prepaid, and         addressed to the following:         RICHARD L. PEEL, ESQ         PEEL BRIMLEY, LLP         333 E. Serene Avenue, Suite 200         Henderson, Nevada 89074         Fax: 702-990-7273         and that there is regular communication by mail between the place of mailing and the place st         addressed.         An Employee of Woodbury (Morris) & Brown         An Employee of Woodbury (Morris) & Brown
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# EXHIBIT A



 Date:
 April 28, 2009

 To:
 Nevada State Contractor's Board

 From:
 Scott Financial Corporation

 Subject:
 ManhattanWest Project

I am the President of Scott Financial Corporation ("SFC"), which is a seasoned commercial finance company located in Bismarck, North Dakota and licensed in Nevada.

SFC is the lender for ManhattanWest Buildings 2, 3, 7, 8, and 9 located at West Russell Road and Rocky Hill Street in Las Vegas, Nevada (the "Project"). No other ManhattanWest buildings were funded or constructed. The Project consisted of condominiums developed by Gemstone Development West, Inc. ("Gemstone").

The purpose of this letter is to explain the payment process for the Project and to demonstrate that Camco Pacific Construction Company, Inc. ("Camco") had no direct responsibility to pay the trade contractors or any other contracting parties on the Project.

As the Project's lender, SFC established a credit facility between SFC (with its network of participating community banks) and Gemstone. As the loan originator and lead lender, SFC established both the Senior and Mezzanine Credit Facilities that were forecasted to fund the entire construction cost to complete the Project; provided however, that an adequate level of condominium sales were closed by Gemstone in a timely manner

In connection with its funding of the Project, SFC required a very detailed and disciplined payment procedure, which it has used successfully and extensively in the past. This payment procedure was developed collectively between SFC, Gemstone, and Nevada Construction Services ("NCS") to execute the monthly construction funding on the Project in a proper and timely manner.

This payment procedure was communicated to the general contractors and the trade contractors through them and was used to facilitate the payment structure for all trade contractors/vendors.

Prior to the commencement of the Project, SFC entered into a voucher control contract with NCS. First, pursuant to such agreement, NCS managed the voucher control and served as the third party disbursement agent. Second, as part of such agreement, NCS also performed third party site construction inspections for SFC prior to each disbursement. Please note that NCS is a disbursement agent for SFC and does not "approve funding", that is a role of SFC and our participating banks exclusively.

APCO Construction ("APCO") was the original General Contractor for the Project. The protocol for issuing payment involved APCO submitting a monthly payment application to Gemstone based on a schedule of values and materials delivered by the vendors and trade contractors (the "Payment Application").

Next, Gemstone would review the Payment Application and approve or reject its contents based upon the work completed as of the submission of such Payment Application. Upon the final agreement and approval of the Payment Application by Gemstone and APCO, Gemstone would send the Payment Application and any supporting documents to NCS. NCS

15010 Sundown Drive • Blsmarck, ND 58503 Office: 701.255.2215 • Fax: 701.223.7299 A licensed and bonded corporate finance company. would review the Payment Application and the supporting documents and compare them with its payment records. Thereafter, NCS would order a formal NCS inspection of the jobsite to verify that sufficient progress was made to warrant the amount in the Payment Application. After completing such inspection, NCS submitted its request for funding to SFC.

Upon receiving such approval, SFC conducted its final monthly creditor review and completed the funding approval process by taking the following steps: (a) formally signing-off on the Payment Application and (b) obtaining final approval of the Payment Application from the co-lead bank.

Finally, after the Payment Application was properly approved and verified, the corresponding funds were requested by SFC from its participating lenders and advanced into the SFC Project Control Account. Thereafter, the respective (a) soft costs in the Payment Application were advanced directly to Gemstone and (b) the hard costs in the Payment Application were wired directly to NCS for controlled disbursement.

Upon receiving such hard cost funds, NCS would send the corresponding payment directly to APCO for disbursement to the trade contractors. This was the payment process throughout the period that APCO remained on the Project, except for the June and July 2008 Pay Applications where NCS was notified by Gemstone to issue joint checks to the sub contractors.

APCO was terminated by Gemstone for cause in August 2008. After such termination, Gemstone engaged Camco to serve as the General Contractor for the Project. When this substitution occurred, the payment process used during the APCO engagement was continued with some alterations.

The most important of these alterations was based on the shift from a Guaranteed Maximum Price to a simple monthly fee. APCO had agreed to deliver the Project for a Guaranteed Maximum Price and received a fee for its services based on a percentage of each Payment Application. Consequently, APCO assumed responsibility for the financial aspects of the Project and the proper engagement and payment of the trade contractors.

In contrast, Camco was paid a basic fee of \$100,000 per month plus certain expenses to serve as the General Contractor for the project; provided however, that Gemstone, not Camco, was solely responsible for selecting and negotiating the engagement of the trade contractors by Camco. Because of this shift in responsibility, all decisions and communications for payment authorization and processing were handled by Gemstone, without Camco's ongoing involvement.

In addition, Gemstone provided the financial management component of the Project and was responsible for (a) establishing and maintaining the budget and (b) keeping full and detailed accounts on the Project.

Furthermore, NCS's protocol also changed to effectively limit Camco's involvement. Because Camco was not responsible for establishing or maintaining the budget, Camco's only role in the payment process was to compile and submit each initial Payment Application.

Thereafter, the review, negotiation, and request for the corresponding payments were handled by Gemstone. As a result, NCS never sent payment for trade contractors to Camco. Instead, such payments were sent directly to the trade contractors.

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Furthermore, Camco (a) as a rule did not communicate directly with SFC; (b) only occasionally communicated with NCS regarding the payment process; and (c) did not make any decisions related to the Payment Application or the corresponding payments to Camco or the trade contractors. Payments decisions were all made by Gemstone because they were responsible for the budget and as they pertained to credit decisions reviewed by SFC.

In addition, Camco had no physical control over the funds, and all disbursements were completed between NCS and the trade contractors directly. We understand the trade contractors were aware of Camco's limited role in this payment process. First, the negotiation of each trade contractor's engagement was managed by Gemstone employees and only subsequently ratified by Camco. Second, the terms of the engagement contracts between Camco and each trade contractor and Camco and Gemstone described this relationship. Third, on several occasions when a particular trade contractor expressed concern regarding the timing of a forthcoming payment, Gemstone and Camco repeatedly and consistently explained that all lending decisions regarding funding (credit issues specifically) were ultimately made by SFC and that neither Gemstone nor Camco had the ability, authority, or resources to make any payments that did not come from SFC approval.

To this end, on occasion, trade contractors demanded that they be provided with some evidence of payment in order to continue working. In response, Camco could not, and to our understanding did not, promise that any payment was forthcoming.

SFC delivered on a limited basis, letters to such disgruntled trade contractors informing them that all credit decisions on payment funding must be approved by SFC and that such funds would be only paid once SFC had completed its required approval process and determined that such payments were appropriate. Attached to this letter as <u>Exhlbit A</u> are two such letters executed by SFC and delivered to certain trade contractors.

In December 2008, SFC sent correspondence to NCS that due to uncured loan defaults by Gemstone, a decision was made to cease all funding on the Project. The communications regarding this decision are attached to this letter as <u>Exhibit B</u>. SFC further requested that NCS return funds in the amount of \$993,866.72. NCS returned the funds requested and no additional payment for previous work performed was disbursed to Gemstone, Camco, or any of the trade contractors for the Project. Camco was not a part of these transactions, was not a participant in these decisions, and was unaware of such decisions until the above notice was sent to NCS.

Upon learning of SFC's decision to cease funding, we understand Camco terminated its engagement contract with Gemstone based on Gemstone's failure to pay Camco pursuant to the terms of such contract. As a result of changed circumstances on the Project after APCO's termination, Camco's role was limited with regard to payment.

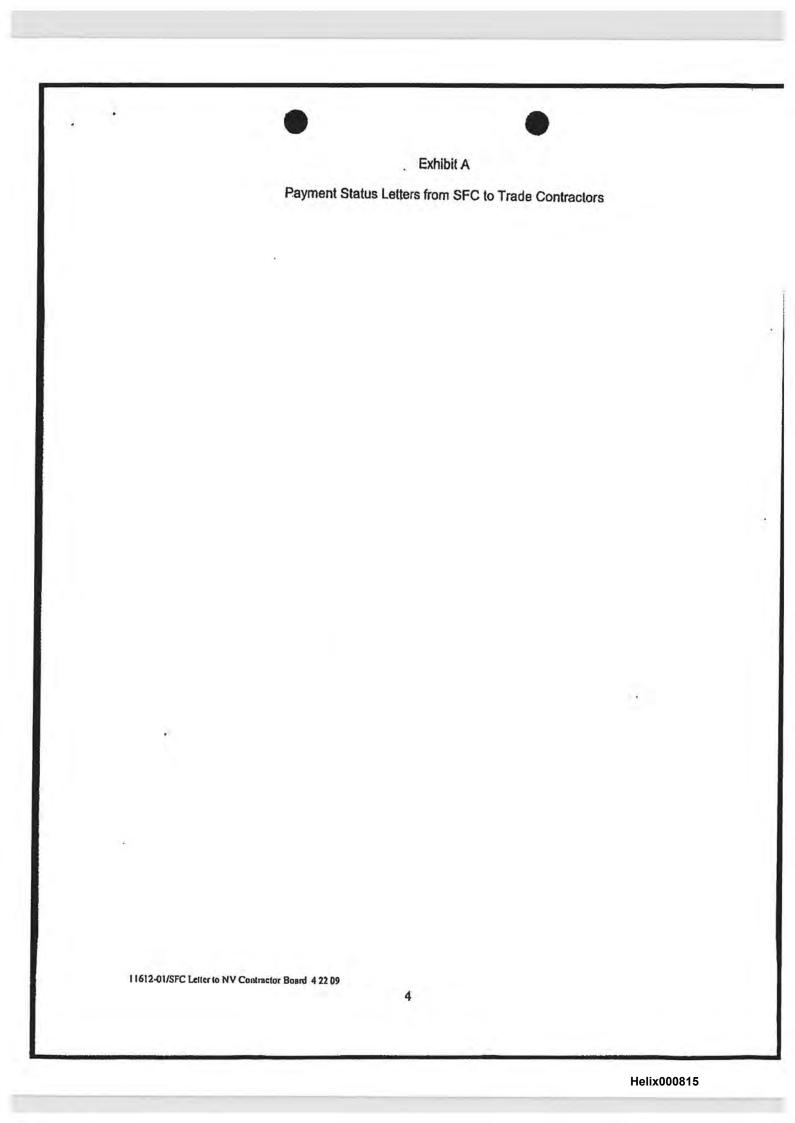
As a result, SFC does not believe Camco or for that matter NCS can be held responsible for payment of any outstanding applications of the trade contractors.

Sincerely

Brad Scott President Scott Financial Corporation

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November 4, 2008

Mr. Mike Evans 6380 South Valley View, Suite 110 Las Vegas, NV 89118

**RE: ManhattanWest Funding** 

Mr. Evans:

I have been asked by Gemstone to provide you with an update on the status of the September Draw.

As you may likely know Scott financial Corporation is the Creditor of record and has been funding the vertical construction through the various credit facilities established.

The September Draw was submitted to Scott Financial Corporation late last week. We are currently completing the final review of the September Review Review

Despite this temporary delay, the funding necessary to satisfy the outstanding amounts due pursuant to the September Payment Application are in final stages of approval and ancienticipated temperature sector and ancientic sector and ancient sector ancient sector and ancient sector an

The amount in processing includes a payment of \$1,092,121.34 to E&E Fire Protection LLC and its corresponding suppliers.

I trust this letter assists you with your questions on the timing of the funding.

Please feel free to contact me directly if you have any questions.

Since Brad J Scott

President

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December 1, 2008

Leo Duckstein Canas Angeland 2711 E. Craig Road, Suite A North Las Vegas, NV 89030

RE: ManhattanWest Funding

Mr. Duckstein:

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As you may likely know Scott financial Corporation (SFC) is the Creditor of record and has been funding the vertical construction through the various credit facilities established.

The October Draw was submitted to SFC late last week.

We are currently completing the final review of the **Getebent Represent Application**. However, in light of the complications related to in large part to the termination of the former general contractor, the approval of the October Payment Application has required more review, investigation and time than in the past.

Despite this delay, the funding necessary to satisfy the outstanding amounts due pursuant to the October Payment Application are in being reviewed and a determination of approval is being considered by our team.

Clearly approval of the draw is subject to our complete review process.

I understand the MHW draw which is in the review process at SFC includes a payment amount of approximately \$598,475.00 to CabineTec Inc. and its corresponding suppliers. I believe the Developer approved payment amount is \$483,664,32.

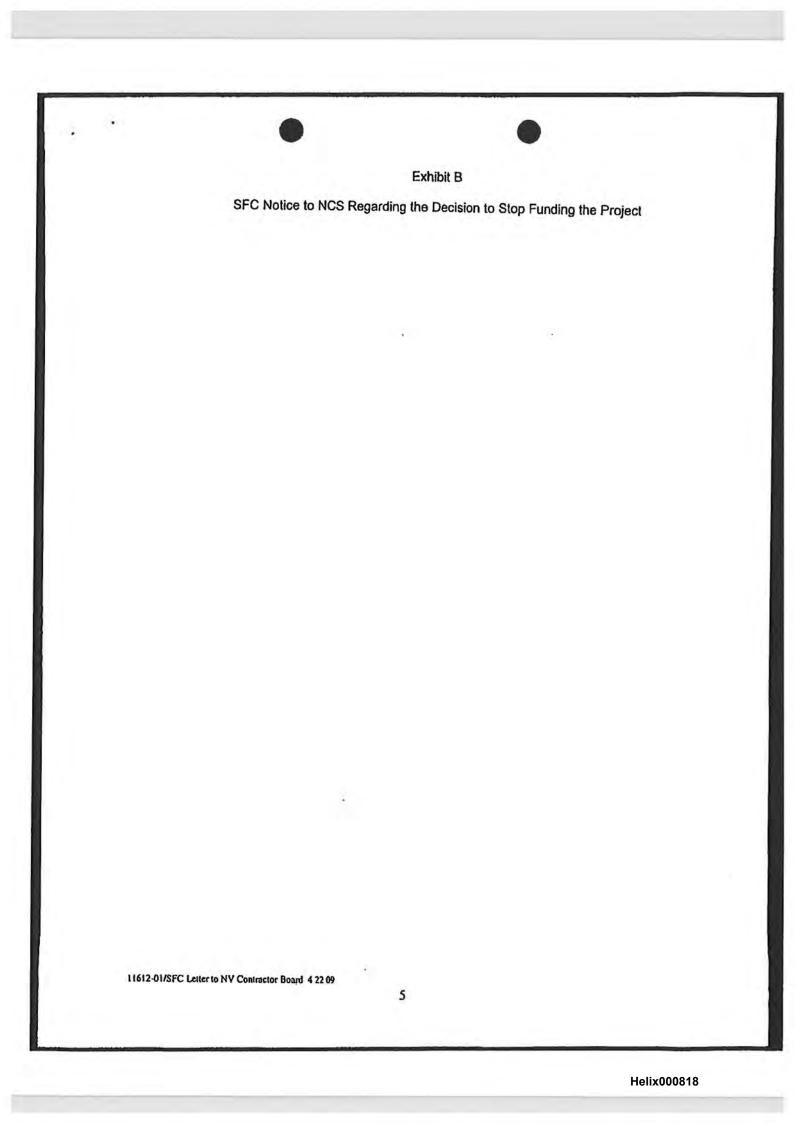
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Please feel free to contact me directly if you have any questions.

Scott President

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#### Jennifer Olivares

Sent: Tuesday, December 16, 2008 9:38 AM

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Cc: 'Margo Scotl'; 'Jason Ulmer'; Patricia Curlis; 'Tim James' Subject: ManhattanWest Status

Importance: High

Jen:

As of right now11AM CST 12/16/08 the October Draw is still on permanent hold.

A final decision confirming the lender's direction on Project was expected yesterday. It did not happen.

I anticipate this final decision will however likely lead to

Foreclosure options and discussion on how we will proceed have been explored.

SFC has requested our legal counsel to address the return wire from NCS to SFC discussed yesterday.

Those funds will be held in the SFC escrow account at NSB for the time being, until further direction is provided to SFC.

SFC will keep you posted as a final determination is made.

Thanks.

Brad J. Scott Scott Financial Corporation 15010 Sundown Drive Bismarck, ND 58503 W: 701.255.2215 M: 701.220.3999 F: 701.223.7299 brad@scottfinancialcorp.com



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#### **Jennifer Olivares**

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Sent: Monday, December 15, 2008 3:00 PM

FW: ManhattanWest

Cc: 'Alex Edelstein'; 'Peter Smith'; 'Jim Horning'; dparry@camcopacific.com

Importance: High

Attachments: Document.pdf; 09004-20-04 Billing #4 2008-12-12.pdf; Wiring Instructions TO SFC at NSB.XLS

#### Jennifer & Anne:

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These funds will be held at SFC until further notice.

Please call with any questions.

Thanks.

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1	NOTICE OF ENTRY OF ORDER
2	PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that an Order Granting Heinaman Contract Glazing's Motion
3	for Attorney's Fees, Interest and Costs was filed on July 2, 2018, a copy of which is attached as
4	Exhibit A.
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6	DATED this 2 day of July, 2018.
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	1	CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE
	2	Pursuant to NRCP 5(b), I certify that I am an employee of PEEL BRIMLEY LLP and
	3	that on this $\underline{\mathcal{V}}$ day of July 2018, I caused the above and foregoing document entitle
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	24	2018. Jefferson W. Boswell, Esq. of PEEL BRIMLEY LLP appeared on behalf of Heinaman.			
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The Court having considered all of the pleadings and papers on file, and after review of 1 2 the pleadings on file and for good cause appearing, 3 IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED that Heinaman's Motion 4 for Attorney's Fees, Interest and Costs is granted. 5 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED that attomeys' fees in 6 the amount of \$10,113.47 is granted. 7 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED that costs in the 8 amount of \$2,704.96 is granted. 9 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED that interest in the 10 amount of \$61,666.85 through May 31, 2018 (and continuing to accrue until paid) is granted; 11 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED that Heinaman's 12 request for an Amended Judgment in the amount of \$262,010.64, with interest accruing thereon 13 from the date of Judgment at prime plus 4% is granted. Dated this 2 day of June, 2018. 14 15 16 DISTRICT COURT JUDGE 17 18 Submitted by: 19 PEEL BRIMLEY LLP 20 21 ZIMBELMAN, ESO B. Nevada Bar No. 9407 RICHARD L. PEEL, ESQ. 22 Nevada Bar No. 4359 23 3333 E. Serene Avenue, Suite 200 Henderson, NV 89074-6571 24 Attorneys for Heinaman Contract Glazing 25 26 27 28 Pape 2 of 2

### **Notice of Entry of Judgment**

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3	CONTRACT GLASING AGAINST CAMCO	O CONSTRUCTION CO., INC.] was filed on
4	May 30, 2018, a copy of which is attached as Ex	hibit A.
5	DATED this 31st day of May, 2018.	
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The Court having taken the matter under consideration and advisement;

7 The Court having entered its April 26, 2018 Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law
8 as to the Claims of Heinaman against Camco, incorporated herein by this reference and
9 attached hereto as Exhibit 1 ("the Heinaman FFCL");

The Court enters the following Judgment as to the claims of Heinaman against
 Camco;

IT IS ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED that judgment is to be entered in favor of Heinaman and against Camco as set forth on the Heinaman FFCL.

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 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED that the Court may

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 issue an amended judgment after the Court has heard and decided upon Heinaman's Motion

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Dated this day of May 2018.

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A. Procedural History.

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 This is one of the oldest cases on the Court's docket. This action arises out of a construction project in Las Vegas, Nevada known as the Manhattan West Condominiums Project ("the Project") located at West Russell Road and Rocky Hill Street in Clark County Nevada, APNs 163-32-101-003 through 163-32-101-005, 163-32-101-010 and 163-32-101-014 (the "Property" and/or "Project"), owned by Gemstone Development West, Inc. ("Gemstone" or "the Owner").

 Gemstone hired APCO, and, subsequently, Camco as its general contractors, who in turn entered into subcontract agreements with various subcontractors. In December 2008 the Owner suspended the Project and advised the various contractors that Gemstone's lender did not expect to disburse further funds for construction. The Project was never completed. Numerous contractors, including the parties hereto, recorded mechanic's liens against the Property.

3. After several years of litigation and a Writ Action to determine the priority of the various lienors (during which the Property was sold, the proceeds of the same held in a blocked account and this action was stayed), the Nevada Supreme Court ruled that the Owner's lenders had priority over the proceeds of the sale of the Property, holding that the NRS Ch. 108 mechanic's liens were junior to the lenders' deeds of trust. The Court subsequently ordered the proceeds be released to the lenders. Thereafter, the stay was lifted and many of the trade contractors continued to pursue claims for non-payment from APCO and Camco. The trial focused on these claims.

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В.	Significant	<b>Prc-Trial</b>	Orders
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2 I. Order Granting Partial Summary Judgment re: Pay-if-Paid. On 3 January 2, 2018, this Court issued an Order granting a Motion for Partial Summary 4 Judgment brought by a group of subcontractors represented by the Peel Brimley Law Firm 5 (the "Peel Brimley Lien Claimants") and joined in by others. Generally, but without 6 limitation, the Court concluded that, pursuant to NRS 624.624 and Lehrer McGovern 7 Bovis, Inc. v. Bullock Insulation, Inc., 124 Nev. 1102, 1117-18, 197 P.3d 1032, 1042 (Nev. 8 2008), higher-tiered contractors, such as APCO and Camco, are required to pay their 9 lower-tiered subcontractors within the time periods set forth in NRS 624.626(1) and may 10 not fail to make such payment based on so-called "pay-if-paid" agreements ("Pay-if-Paid") 11 that are against public policy, void and unenforceable except under limited circumstances. 12 Accordingly, the Court ruled that APCO and Camco may not assert or rely on any defense 13 to their payment obligations, if any, to the party subcontractors that is based on a pay-if-14 paid agreement.

15 2. Order on Peel Brimley Licn Claimants' Motion in Limine Against 16 Camco. On December 29, 2017 the Court issued an order on motions in limine brought by 17 the Peel Brimley Lien Claimants Against Camco. Specifically, the Court precluded Camco 18 from asserting or offering evidence that any of the Peel Brimley Lien Claimants' work on 19 the Project was (i) defective, (ii) not done in a workmanlike manner or (iii) not done in 20 compliance with the terms of the parties' agreement because Camco's person most 21 knowledgeable was not aware of any evidence to support such claims. For the same 22 reason, the Court also precluded Camco from asserting or offering evidence at trial that the 23 Peel Brimley Lien Claimants have breached their agreements other than with respect to 24 pay-if-paid agreements, evidence and argument of which is otherwise precluded by the 25 Partial Summary Judgment discussed above. For the same reason, the Court also precluded 26 Camco from asserting or offering evidence at trial to dispute the amounts invoiced, paid

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<sup>1</sup> The Peel Brimley Lien Claimants are: Helix, Heinaman, Fast Glass, Cactus Rose and SWPPP.

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1	and that remain	to be owed as asserted by the Peel Brimley Lien Claimants in their
2	respective Requ	uests for Admission. For the same reason, the Court also precluded Camco
3	from asserting	or offering evidence at trial that any liens recorded by the Peel Brimley
4		were in any way defective or unperfected and are otherwise valid and
5	enforceable.	
6	С.	Findings of Fact.
7	Having	received evidence and having heard argument of counsel, the Court makes
8	the following F	indings of Fact:
9	1.	The original general contractor on the Project was APCO. Gemstone and
10	APCO entered	into the ManhattanWest General Construction Agreement for GMP (the
11	"APCO-Gemst	one Agreement") on or about September 6, 2006. [See Exhibit 2].
12		Among other things, and in exchange for a guaranteed maximum price
13	("GMP") of \$!	53,472,300.00 as forth in the APCO-Gemstone Agreement (Ex. 2, ¶
14	5.02(a)), APCO	) agreed to:
15		"Complete the work" required by the APCO-Gemstone Agreement,
16		"furnish efficient business administration and superintendence" and "use its
17		best efforts to complete the Project;" [Ex 2., ¶ 2.01(a)];
18		"engage contractors, subcontractors, sub-subcontractors, service
19		providers, [and others, collectively referred to as "Third-Party Service
20		Providers"] to perform the work "; [Ex 2., ¶ 2.02(a)];
21		Monthly submit to Gemstone "applications for payment for the previous
22		month on forms similar to AIA G702 and G703 and a corresponding
23		approved Certificate for Payment;" [Ex 2., ¶ 5.05(a)]. Each payment
24		application was to be "based on a Schedule of Values [that] shall allocate
25		the entire GMP among the various portions of the Work" with APCO's fee
26		to be shown as a separate line item." [Ex 2., ¶ 5.05(b)]; The payment
27		applications were to "show the Percentage of Completion of each portion of
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1	the Work as of the end of the period covered by the Application for
2	Payment. [Ex 2., ¶ 5.05(c)]; and
3	<ul> <li>Upon receipt of a monthly progress payment, "promptly pay each Third-</li> </ul>
4	Party Service Provider the amount represented by the portion of the
5	Percentage of the Work Completed that was completed by such Third-Party
6	Service Provider <sup>2</sup> during the period covered by the corresponding Progress
7	Payment." [Ex 2., ¶ 5.05(g)];
8	<ol> <li>APCO in turn hired various subcontractors to perform certain scopes of</li> </ol>
9	work and provided its form Subcontract Agreement to its subcontractors ("the APCO
10	Subcontract"). Heinaman did not work for APCO on the Project and only first provided
11	work after APCO ceased work on the project and, as discussed below, Gemstone hired
12	Camco as the general contractor to replace APCO. APCO ceased work on the Project in or
13	about the end of August 2008. APCO and Gemstone each claim to have terminated the
14	other.
15	<ol> <li>After APCO ceased work on the project, Gemstone hired Camco to be its</li> </ol>
16	general contractor pursuant to an Amended and Restated ManhattanWest General
17	Construction Agreement effective as of August 25, 2008 ("the Camco-Gemstone
18	Agreement"). [See Exhibit 162].
19	5. On cross examination, Camco's Dave Parry could not point to any portion
20	of the Camco-Gemstone Agreement that required Camco to supervise the work of the
21	subcontractors. [TR5-50:17-51:9]. Nothing in Article II ("General Contractor
22	Responsibilities") obligates Camco to supervise the work or the subcontractors. [See Ex.
23	162, "Article II]. Parry did not deny that Camco was "essentially there to lend [its]
24	license" to Gemstone. [TR5-50:15-17].
25	6. Mr. Parry described Camco as "more of a construction manager at this point
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27	<sup>2</sup> Because the only Third-Party Service Providers at issue on this trial were subcontractors, the Court will herein use the terms "subcontractor" and "Third-Party Service Provider" interchangeably and
28	synonymously.
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1	than a general contractor" [TR5-31:10-11 <sup>3</sup> ]. Nonetheless, the Camco-Gemstone
2	Agreement is plainly called a "General Construction Agreement." The Camco-Gemstone
3	Agreement also requires Camco, in the same way that APCO did, to aggregate payment
4	applications from subcontractors and prepare and submit to Gemstone payment
5	applications for the amounts represented by the subcontractor payment applications and
6	Camco's fee. [See Ex. 162-008-010; ¶7.01].
7	7. Camco continued the same payment application format and numbering and
8	same schedule of values that APCO had been following. [See Exhibit 218; TR5-30:21-
9	31:44]. Like APCO before it, Camco compiled and included in its payment applications to
10	Gemstone the amounts billed by its subcontractors, including Heinaman. [See e.g., Exhibit
11	522-001-011]. Also like the APCO-Gemstone Agreement, the Camco-Gemstone
12	Agreement required Camco, upon receipt of a progress payment from Gemstone, to
13	"promptly pay each [subcontractor] the amount represented by the portion of the
14	Percentage of the Work Completed that was completed by such [subcontractor]." [Ex. 162-
15	010, ¶7.03(e)].5 It is only after Gemstone announced that the Project would be suspended
16	that Camco asserted otherwise.
17	8. Camco's initial letter to subcontractors following Gemstone's
18	announcement demonstrates both that it believed it had subcontracts (because it purported
19	to terminate the same) and that it intended to continue to forward payment applications to
20	Gemstone. [See e.g., Exhibit 804-003-004]. Specifically, Camco wrote:
21	Camco is left with no choice but to terminate our agreement with Gemstone
22	and all subcontracts on the Project, including our agreement with your
23	Gemstone, effective December 19, 2008, and we hereby terminate for convenience our subcontract with your company, effective immediately.
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25	Please submit to Camco all amounts you believe are due and owing on your subcontract. We will review and advise you of any issues regarding any
26	<sup>3</sup> Testimony of Dave Parry.
27	<sup>4</sup> Testimony of Dave Parry. <sup>5</sup> Unlike APCO and the subcontractors, no retention was to be withheld from the contractor's fee to be paid to Camco (through retention continued to be withheld from subcontractors). [Ex. 162-010, 97.03(a)].
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1	amounts you claim are owed. For all amounts that should properly be billed to
2	Gemstone, Camco will forward to Gemstone such amounts for payment y Gemstone. If your claims appear to be excessive, we will ask you to justify
3	and/or revise the amount.
4	[See e.g., Ex. 804-003-004].
5	9. Camco quickly retracted its initial communication and replaced it with a
6	second letter [See e.g., Ex. 804-005-007] asking the subcontractors to "please disregard
7	previous letter which was sent in error." [See e.g., Ex. 804-005]. Among other things,
8	Camco's second letter:
9	<ul> <li>Deleted its statement that it had terminated the Camco-Gemstone</li> </ul>
10	Agreement (while continuing to terminate the subcontractors);
11	<ul> <li>Asserts that the subcontractors agreed to Pay-if-Paid and accepted the risk</li> </ul>
12	of non-payment from the owner (which is also Pay-if-Paid); and,
13	<ul> <li>Stated, inaccurately, that "Camco's contract with Gemstone is a cost-plus</li> </ul>
14	agreement wherein the subcontractors and suppliers were paid directly by
- E E -	Gemstone and/or its agent Nevada Construction Services." [See e.g., Ex.
15	804-007].
16	While Gemstone eventually did make partial payment to some subcontractors through
17	NCS and not Camco [see discussion, infra], the Camco-Gemstone Agreement expressly
18	required Camco, upon receipt of a progress payment from Gemstone, to "promptly pay
19	each [subcontractor] the amount represented by the portion of the Percentage of the Work
20	Completed that was completed by such [subcontractor]." [Ex. 162-010, ¶7.03(e)].
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22	10. Some subcontractors stopped working after APCO left the Project. Others, such as Helix, continued to work on the Project and began working for Camco as the
23	general contractor. Others, such as Heinaman, Fast Glass, Cactus Rose and SWPPP started
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25	working on the Project only after APCO left and worked only for Camco.
26	11. Camco presented some subcontractors with a standard form subcontract
27	Agreement ("the Camco Subcontract"), a representative example of which is Camco's
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1	subcontract v	vith Fast Glass. [See Exhibit 801-007-040; TR5-57:8-16 <sup>6</sup> ].
2	12.	However, Heinaman and Camco never entered into the Camco Subcontract.
3	Instead, the a	greement between Camco and Heinaman is memorialized by a Letter of
4		eed with the Work and Memorandum of Understanding Regarding Terms
5		ns between Heinaman, Camco and Gemstone. [Exhibit 701 - "the Heinaman
6		. The Heinaman Agreement provides, among other things:
7		"CAMCO and Gemstone both promise to pay and to be liable to
8		[Heinaman]"
9	•	"CAMCO and Gemstone agree to be jointly and severally liable for
10	1.000	payment of [Heinaman's invoices]" and to "pay [Heinaman on the fifth day
11		after receipt of an Invoice from [Heinaman];"
12		"Each [Heinaman] invoice shall be paid without retention;"
13		"Each invoice shall be [prepared on a Time and Material basis plus 15%
14		standard mark up on each invoice for Overhead and 10% mark up on each
15		invoice for Profit;"
16		CAMCO and Gemstone authorize [Heinaman] to proceed with the scope of
17		work as referenced herein.;" and
18		The Parties understand that this document shall be binding on all Parties
19	Sec. 19	until a different contract is signed by all parties."
20	[Ex. 701].	
21	13.	Heinaman's representative, Mark Heinaman, testified that there is no
22	"different co	ntract signed by all Parties." Camco did not dispute this testimony or offer any
23	contract sign	ed by Heinaman, Camco and Gemstone.
24	14.	In fact, Heinaman offered, and the Court admitted, a separate agreement
25		nco, Gemstone, Scott Financial Corporation ("SCF" - Gemstone's lender) and
26	Nevada Con	struction Services, Inc. ("NCS") titled ManhattanWest Heinaman Contract
27		imony of Dave Parry.
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1	Glazing Funding Instruction Agreement ("the Heinaman Funding Agreement") that
2	confirms:
3	<ul> <li>"[I]t is in the best interests if the project to engage Heinaman;" and</li> </ul>
4	<ul> <li>"Heinaman has demanded the right to invoice Camco weekly and requires</li> </ul>
5	that Camco pay each invoice within five calendar days."
6	[Exhibit 718-002]. In addition, the Heinaman Funding Agreement identifies a source of
7	payments to Heinaman (monies in the NCS account previously "earmarked" to pay a
8	terminated glazing contractor) and sets forth a procedure as between Camco, Gemstone,
9	Scott and NCS to make payments to Heinaman for its work. [Ex. 718-002-004] Heinaman
10	was not a party to the Heinaman Funding Agreement.
11	15. Consistent with the Heinaman Agreement (i.e., time and materials plus 15%
12	overhead and 10% profit), Heinaman submitted multiple invoices to Camco, some of
13	which were paid [see Exhibit 702-001-003] and some of which were unpaid [see Ex. 702-
14	004-007]. Heinaman's unpaid invoices total \$187,525.26. The Court finds that Camco
15	agreed to pay all of Heinaman's invoices, breached the Heinaman Agreement by failing to
16	pay the unpaid invoices and owes Heinaman the principal sum (i.e., exclusive of interest,
17	costs and attorney's fees) of \$187,525.26.
18	<ol><li>The Court further finds that Heinaman performed the work for which it</li></ol>
19	invoiced. [See e.g., Exhibits 704, 705. 706, 707 and 708 (project record documents)].
20	Based in part on the undisputed testimony of Mark Heinaman the Court finds that
21	Heinaman's invoices represent a reasonable value for the work performed.
22	17. Heinaman presented undisputed evidence, and the Court finds, that
23	Heinaman timely recorded a mechanic's lien, as amended ("the Heinaman Lien"), pursuant
24	to NRS Chapter 108 and perfected the same. [See Exhibit 703]. The Heinaman Lien
25	identified both Camco as the "person by whom the lien claimant was employed or to
26	whom the lien claimant furnished or agreed to furnish work, materials or equipment." [See
27	Ex. 703-038].
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18. Any finding of fact herein that is more appropriately deemed a conclusion
 of law shall be treated as such.
 FROM the foregoing Findings of Fact, the Court hereby makes the following

B. Conclusions of Law.

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5 1. "Basic contract principles require, for an enforceable contract, an offer and 6 acceptance, meeting of the minds, and consideration." May v. Anderson, 121 Nev. 668, 7 672, 119 P.3d 1254, 1257 (2005). A meeting of the minds exists when the parties have 8 agreed upon the contract's essential terms. Roth v. Scott, 112 Nev. 1078, 1083, 921 P.2d 9 1262, 1265 (1996). Which terms are essential "depends on the agreement and its context 10 and also on the subsequent conduct of the parties, including the dispute which arises, and 11 the remedy sought." Restatement (Second) of Contracts § 131 cmt. g (1981). Whether a 12 contract exists is a question of fact and the District Court's findings will be upheld unless 13 they are clearly erroneous or not based on substantial evidence. May, 121 Nev. at 672-73, 14 119 P.3d at 1257.

15 2. The Court concludes that Camco entered into and breached the Heinaman
16 Agreement by failing, without excuse, to pay Heinaman in full for the invoices it
17 submitted and for the work it performed in the amount of \$187,525.26 and that Heinaman
18 is entitled to judgment for that amount, exclusive of interest, costs and attorney's fees.

19 3. Alternatively, the Court concludes that there is an implied contract between 20 Heinaman and Camco and that Heinaman is entitled quantum meruit damages for recovery 21 of the full and reasonable value of the work it has performed. See Certified Fire Prot. Inc. 22 v. Precision Constr., 128 Nev. 371, 379, 283 P.3d 250, 257 (2012) ("quantum meruit's 23 first application is in actions based upon contracts implied-in-fact."). A contract implied-24 in-fact must be "manifested by conduct." Id. at 380 citing Smith v. Recrion Corp., 91 Nev. 25 666, 668, 541 P.2d 663, 664 (1975); Hay v. Hay, 100 Nev. 196, 198, 678 P.2d 672, 674 26 (1984). It "is a true contract that arises from the tacit agreement of the parties." Id. To find 27 a contract implied-in-fact, the fact-finder must conclude that the parties intended to

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contract and promises were exchanged, the general obligations for which must be sufficiently clear. *Id.* Here, Heinaman and and Camco clearly intended to enter into a contract whereby Heinaman would perform work for Camco and Camco would pay Heinaman for its work.

Where an implied-in-fact contract exists "quantum meruit ensures the 5 4. laborer receives the reasonable value, usually market price, for his services." Precision 6 Constr., 128 Nev. at 380 citing Restatement (Third) of Restitution and Unjust Enrichment 7 § 31 cmt. e (2011), Sack v. Tomlin, 110 Nev. 204, 208, 871 P.2d 298, 302 (1994) ("The 8 doctrine of quantum meruit generally applies to an action ... involving work and labor 9 performed which is founded on a[n] oral promise [or other circumstances] on the part of 10 the defendant to pay the plaintiff as much as the plaintiff reasonably deserves for his labor 11 in the absence of an agreed upon amount."). Here, the only and undisputed testimony was 12 that the monies Heinaman billed for its work were a reasonable value for the work 13 performed. Moreover, Camco's submission of at least some of those amounts to Gemstone 14 as part of its own pay application estopps Camco from disputing the reasonable value of 15 Heinaman's work. Heinaman is therefore entitled quantum meruit damages in the amount 16 of \$187,525.26 for recovery of the full and reasonable value of the work it performed. See 17 Certified Fire Prot., 128 Nev. at 380. 18

The Court rejects Camco's argument that it is not liable to Heinaman (and 19 5. other subcontractors) because it never received payment from Gemstone who instead made 20 payments to subcontractors through the disbursement company, NCS. Camco's position 21 notwithstanding, both the Camco-Gemstone Agreement and the Camco Subcontract 22 demonstrate that (consistent with the APCO-Gemstone Agreement and the APCO 23 Subcontract) payments to subcontractors were intended to flow through the general 24 contractor. Camco presented no evidence that Heinaman or any other subcontractor 25 consented in advance to Gemstone's eventual decision to release payments (in part) 26 through NCS and not Camco. 27

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Similarly, the Court rejects Camco's contention that the Court's decision on 1 6. 2 Pay-if-Paid is inapplicable because it was "impossible" for Camco to have paid Helix and 3 other subcontractors. Camco presented no evidence that it, for example, declared 4 Gemstone to be in breach for failing to make payments through Camco rather than through 5 NCS. Instead, Camco appears to have acceded to Gemstone's deviation from the contract 6 and, at least until Gemstone announced that it was suspending construction, continued to 7 process subcontractor payment applications and submit them to Gemstone. Camco's 8 "impossibility" claim is, in any event, another form of Pay-if-Paid, against the public 9 policy of Nevada, void and unenforceable and barred by this Court's summary judgment. 10 7. Specific to Heinaman, the Court concludes that Camco's reliance on any 11 form of Pay-if-Paid (i.e., even if the same could be deemed permissible under Nevada law) 12 is inapplicable to its relationship with Heinaman. Pursuant to the Heinaman Agreement, 13 Camco expressly agreed to be liable to Heinaman "jointly and severally with Genstone. 14 Accordingly, even if (as Camco urges) the subcontractors as a whole are required to look 15 solely to the defunct Gemstone for payment (which, for the reasons explained above, they 16 are not), Camco has expressly agreed to be liable to Heinaman in the same way that 17 Gemstone is liable. 18 Heinaman is therefore awarded the principal sum of \$187,525.26 (i.e., 8. 19 exclusive of interest, costs and attorney's fees) against Camco and may apply for judgment 20 as to the same. 21 The Court denies all of Camco's affirmative defenses. 9. 22 Heinaman is entitled to prejudgment interest pursuant to NRS 108.237 10. 23 and/or NRS 17.130 and is granted leave to apply for the same by way of an amendment or supplement to these Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law and for judgment as to the 24 25 same. Heinaman is the prevailing party and/or prevailing lien claimant as to 26 11. Camco and is entitled to an award of reasonable attorney's fees pursuant to NRS 108.237. 27 28 MARK R. DENTON

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1	Heinaman is granted leave to apply for the same by way of an amendment or supplement
2	to these Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law and for judgment as to the same.
3	12. As the prevailing party, Heinaman may also apply for an award of costs in
4	accordance with the relevant statutes and for judgment as to the same.
5	13. Any conclusion of law herein that is more appropriately deemed a finding
6	of fact shall be treated as such.
7	ORDER
8	NOW, THEREFORE, the Court hereby directs entry of the foregoing Findings of
9	Fact and Conclusions of Law; and
10	IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that, based upon the foregoing Findings of Fact and
11	Conclusions of Law, and those made regarding the other parties and claims involved in th
12	consolidated cases, the Court shall issue a separate Judgment or Judgments reflective of the
13	same at the appropriate time subject to further order of the Court.
14	IT IS SO ORDERED this day of April, 2018.
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18	CERTIFICATE
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#### Heinaman's Answer to CAMCO's Counterclaim

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1	Plaintiff and Counterclaim Defendant Hei	naman Contract Glazing ("Heinaman"), by and
2	through its counsel, Richard L. Peel, Esq. and Mi	chael T. Gebhart, Esq. of the law firm Peel
3	Brimley LLP, hereby answer the Counterclaim of	a second s
4	("Camco"), on file herein, and admit deny and all	ege as follows:
5	1. Heinaman denies each and every a	llegation contained in Paragraphs 5, 6, 9, 10, 1
6	12, 15, 16 and 17.	
7	2. Heinaman is without information of	or knowledge sufficient to ascertain the truth of
	the allegations contained in Paragraphs 3, 7 and 8	

1	3.	Heinaman admits the allegations contained in Paragraphs 1 and 2.
2	4.	As to Paragraphs 4 and 13 of Camco's Counterclaim, Heinaman repeats and
3		e answers to Paragraphs 1 through 17 as though fully set forth herein.
4	5.	As to Paragraph 14, Heinaman admits that there is a covenant of good faith and
5	fair dealing	implied in every enforceable agreement. Heinaman further admits that it acted in
6	good faith, b	out denies any remaining allegations contained in Paragraph 14.
7	6.	It has become necessary for Heinaman to retain the services of Peel Brimley LLP,
8	attorneys at	law, to defend this counterclaim, and as a result, Heinaman has been damaged by the
9	Counterclain	nant, and Heinaman is accordingly entitled to its attorney fees and costs incurred
10	herein.	
11		AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSES
12	1.	The Counterclaim on file herein fails to state a claim against Heinaman upon
13	which relief can be granted.	
14	2.	Any and all damages sustained by Counterclaimant are the result of its own
15	negligence a	nd breach of contract.
16	3.	Heinaman is not negligent with respect to the transaction(s) which may be the
17	subject of th	e counterclaim, and is and was not in breach of contract.
18	4.	Counterclaimant's damages, if any, are the direct and consequential result of
19	Counterclaimant's own acts and omissions.	
20	5.	Counterclaimant has failed to satisfy all conditions precedent to bring and/or
21	maintain a c	ause of action against Counterdefendant.
22	6.	Counterclaimant's claims are barred under the doctrine of waiver and the doctrine
23	of estoppel.	
24	7.	Counterclaimant is barred from recovery by the doctrine of unclean hands.
25	8.	Counterclaimant's claims are barred by the doctrines of laches and estoppel.
26	9.	Counterclaimant has failed to mitigate its damages.
27	10.	Pursuant to NRCP 8, all possible affirmative defenses may not have been alleged
28	herein, inasn	nuch as sufficient facts were not available after reasonable inquiry and investigation
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1	upon the filing of Plaintiff/Counterdefendant's Answer and, therefore, Plaintiff/Counterdefendan
2	reserves the right to amend its answer to allege additional affirmative defenses if subsequent
3	investigation and discovery of facts so warrants.
4	WHEREFORE, Plaintiff/Counterdefendant Heinaman prays as follows:
5	1. That Counterclaimant takes nothing by way of its Counterclaim;
6	2. For an award of reasonable attorneys' fees and costs for having to defend this
7	claim; and
8	3. For such other and further relief as this Court deems just and proper.
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10	DATED this day of April, 2010. PEEL BRIMLEY LLP
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1	CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE
2	I HEREBY CERTIFY that I am employed in the Law Offices of PEEL BRIMLEY LLP,
3	and that on this 15 <sup>th</sup> day of April 2010, I served a true and correct copy of the foregoing
4	HEINAMAN CONTRACT GLAZING'S ANSWER TO CAMCO PACIFIC
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#### WRG's Amended Statement of Facts Constituting Notice of Lien and Third-Party Complaint

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1 DEVELOPMENT WEST, INC., Nevada corporation; FIDELITY AND DEPOSIT COMPANY OF MARYLAND; SCOTT 2 FINANCIAL CORPORATION, a North Dakota 3 corporation; DOES I through X; ROE CORPORATIONS I through X; BOE 4 BONDING COMPANIES I through X: LOE LENDERS I through X, inclusive, 5 Defendants. 6 7 WRG DESIGN, INC. ("WRG") by and through its attorneys PEEL BRIMLEY LLP, as 8 for its Amended Statement of Facts Constituting a Notice of Lien and Third Party Complaint 9 ("Amended Complaint") against the above-named defendants complains, avers and alleges as 10 follows: 11 THE PARTIES 12 1. WRG is and was at all times relevant to this action a Delaware corporation, duly 13 14 authorized, licensed and qualified to do business in Clark County, Nevada, 15 2. WRG is informed and believes and therefore alleges that Defendant GEMSTONE 16 DEVELOPMENT WEST, INC., Nevada corporation ("Owner") is and was at all times relevant 17 to this action, the owner, reputed owner, or the person, individual and/or entity who claims an 18 ownership interest in that certain real property portions thereof located in Clark County, Nevada 19 and more particularly described as follows: 20 Manhattan West Condominiums (Project) 21 Spring Valley 22 County Assessor Description: PT NE4 NW4 SEC 32 21 60 & PT N2 NW4 SEC 32 21 60 23 SEC 32 TWP 21 RNG 60 24 and more particularly described as Clark County Assessor Parcel Numbers 163-32-101-020 and 25 163-32-101-022 through 163-32-101-024 (formerly known as 163-32-101-019 and 163-32-112-26 001 thru 163-32-112-246) including all casements, rights-of-way, common areas and 27

appurtenances thereto, and surrounding space may be required for the convenient use and

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occupation thereof, upon which Owners caused or allowed to be constructed certain improvements (the "Property").

 The whole of the Property is reasonably necessary for the convenient use and occupation of the improvements.

4. WRG is informed and believes and therefore alleges that Defendant APCO CONSTRUCTION, a Nevada corporation ("APCO"), is and was at all times relevant to this action doing business as a licensed contractor authorized to conduct business in Clark County, Nevada. APCO may also be known as Asphalt Products Company.

5. WRG is informed and believes and therefore alleges that Defendant CAMCO PACIFIC CONSTRUCTION COMPANY, INC., a California corporation ("CPCC"), is and was at all times relevant to this action doing business as a licensed contractor authorized to conduct business in Clark County, Nevada.

6. WRG is informed and believes and therefore alleges that Defendant, FIDELITY AND DEPOSIT COMPANY OF MARYLAND (hereinafter "CPCC Surety"), was and is a bonding company licensed and qualified to do business as a surety in Nevada.

7. WRG is informed and believes and therefore alleges that Defendant Scott Financial Corporation ("SFC") is a North Dakota corporation with its principle place of business in Bismark, North Dakota. SFC is engaged in the business of underwriting and originating loans, selling participation in those loans, and servicing the loans. SFC has recorded deeds of trust securing loans given to the Owner for, inter alia, development of the Property.

8. WRG does not know the true names of the individuals, corporations, partnerships
 and entities sued and identified in fictitious names as DOES I through X, ROE
 CORPORATIONS I through X, BOE BONDING COMPANIES I through X and LOE
 LENDERS I through X. WRG alleges that such Defendants claim an interest in or to the

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Properties, and/or are responsible for damages suffered by WRG as more fully discussed under the claims for relief set forth below. WRG will request leave of this Honorable Court to amend this Amended Complaint to show the true names and capacities of each such fictitious Defendant when WRG discovers such information.

#### FIRST CAUSE OF ACTION (Breach of Contract against Owner)

9. WRG repeats and realleges each and every allegation contained in the preceding paragraphs of this Amended Complaint, incorporates them by reference, and further alleges as follows:

10. On or about July 31, 2006 WRG entered into an Agreement with Owner (the "Owner Agreement") to provide certain surveying and mapping related work, materials and equipment to the Property located in Clark County, Nevada (the "Owner Services")

11. WRG furnished the Services for the benefit of and at the specific instance and request of the Owner.

12. Pursuant to the Owner Agreement, WRG was to be paid an amount in excess of Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000.00) (hereinafter "Owner Outstanding Balance") for the Owner Services.

20 13. WRG furnished the Owner Services and has otherwise performed its duties and 21 obligations as required by the Owner Agreement.

> 14. The Owner has breached the Owner Agreement by, among other things:

a. Failing and/or refusing to pay the monies owed to WRG for the Owner Services;

b. Failing to adjust the Owner Agreement price to account for extra and/or 26 changed work, as well as suspensions and delays of Owner Services caused or ordered by the 27 28 Defendants and/or their representatives;

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c. Failing to promptly recognize and grant time extensions to reflect additional time allowable under the Owner Agreement and permit related adjustments in scheduled performance;

 d. Failing and/or refusing to comply with the Owner Agreement and Nevada law; and

 e. Negligently or intentionally preventing, obstructing, hindering or interfering with WRG's performance of the Owner Services.

 WRG is owed an amount in excess of Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000.00) for the Owner Services.

16. WRG has been required to engage the services of an attorney to collect the Owner Outstanding Balance, and WRG is entitled to recover its reasonable costs, attorney's fees and interest therefore.

### SECOND CAUSE OF ACTION (Breach of Contract against APCO)

17. WRG repeats and realleges each and every allegation contained in the preceding paragraphs of this Amended Complaint, incorporates them by reference, and further alleges as follows:

20 18. On or about April 17, 2007 WRG entered into an Agreement with APCO (the
 21 "APCO Agreement") to provide certain surveying and mapping related work, materials and
 22 equipment to the Property located in Clark County, Nevada (the "APCO Services")

 WRG furnished the APCO Services for the benefit of and at the specific instance and request of APCO and/or Owner.

20. Pursuant to the APCO Agreement, WRG was to be paid an amount in excess of
27 Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000.00) (hereinafter "APCO Outstanding Balance") for the APCO

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 WRG furnished the APCO Services and has otherwise performed its duties and obligations as required by the APCO Agreement.

22. APCO has breached the APCO Agreement by, among other things:

a. Failing and/or refusing to pay the monies owed to WRG for the APCO Services;

 b. Failing to adjust the APCO Agreement price to account for extra and/or changed work, as well as suspensions and delays of APCO Services caused or ordered by the Defendants and/or their representatives;

 c. Failing to promptly recognize and grant time extensions to reflect additional time allowable under the APCO Agreement and permit related adjustments in scheduled performance;

d. Failing and/or refusing to comply with the APCO Agreement and Nevada law;

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e. Negligently or intentionally preventing, obstructing, hindering or interfering
 with WRG's performance of the APCO Services.

 WRG is owed an amount in excess of Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000.00) for the APCO Services.

24. WRG has been required to engage the services of an attorney to collect the APCO Outstanding Balance, and WRG is entitled to recover its reasonable costs, attorney's fees and interest therefore.

### THIRD CAUSE OF ACTION (Breach of Contract against CPCC)

25. WRG repeats and realleges each and every allegation contained in the preceding paragraphs of this Amended Complaint, incorporates them by reference, and further alleges as follows:

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26. On or about August 26, 2008, WRG entered into the Ratification and Amendment of Subcontract Agreement ("CPCC Agreement") with CPCC, who replaced APCO as the general contractor on the Project, to continue the services for the Property ("CPCC Services").

 WRG furnished the CPCC Services for the benefit of and at the specific instance and request of CPCC and/or Owner.

28. Pursuant to the CPCC Agreement, WRG was to be paid an amount in excess of Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000.00) (hereinafter "CPCC Outstanding Balance") for the CPCC Services.

 WRG furnished the CPCC Services and has otherwise performed its duties and obligations as required by the CPCC Agreement.

30. CPCC has breached the CPCC Agreement by, among other things:

a. Failing and/or refusing to pay the monies owed to WRG for the CPCC Services;

 b. Failing to adjust the CPCC Agreement price to account for extra and/or changed work, as well as suspensions and delays of CPCC Services caused or ordered by the Defendants and/or their representatives;

 c. Failing to promptly recognize and grant time extensions to reflect additional time allowable under the CPCC Agreement and permit related adjustments in scheduled performance;

d. Failing and/or refusing to comply with the CPCC Agreement and Nevada law;

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e. Negligently or intentionally preventing, obstructing, hindering or interfering

with WRG's performance of the CPCC Services.

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31. WRG is owed an amount in excess of Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000.00) for the CPCC Services.

32. WRG has been required to engage the services of an attorney to collect the CPCC Outstanding Balance, and WRG is entitled to recover its reasonable costs, attorney's fees and interest therefore.

### FOURTH CAUSE OF ACTION

(Breach of Implied Covenant of Good Faith & Fair Dealing Against Owner)

33. WRG repeats and realleges each and every allegation contained in the preceding paragraphs of this Amended Complaint, incorporates them by reference, and further alleges as follows:

34. There is a covenant of good faith and fair dealing implied in every agreement, including the Owner Agreement.

Owner breached its duty to act in good faith by performing the Owner Agreement 35. in a manner that was unfaithful to the purpose of the Owner Agreement, thereby denying WRG's justified expectations.

36. Due to the actions of Owner, WRG suffered damages in an amount to be determined at trial for which WRG is entitled to judgment plus interest.

20 37. WRG has been required to engage the services of an attorney to collect the Owner Outstanding Balance, and WRG is entitled to recover its reasonable costs, attorney's fees and interest therefore.

#### FIFTH CAUSE OF ACTION

(Breach of Implied Covenant of Good Faith & Fair Dealing Against APCO)

38. WRG repeats and realleges each and every allegation contained in the preceding paragraphs of this Amended Complaint, incorporates them by reference, and further alleges as follows:

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39. There is a covenant of good faith and fair dealing implied in every agreement, including the APCO Agreement.

40. APCO breached its duty to act in good faith by performing the APCO Agreement in a manner that was unfaithful to the purpose of the APCO Agreement, thereby denying WRG's justified expectations.

41. Due to the actions of APCO, WRG suffered damages in an amount to be determined at trial for which WRG is entitled to judgment plus interest.

42. WRG has been required to engage the services of an attorney to collect the APCO Outstanding Balance, and WRG is entitled to recover its reasonable costs, attorney's fees and interest therefore.

# SIXTH CAUSE OF ACTION

(Breach of Implied Covenant of Good Faith & Fair Dealing Against CPCC)

WRG repeats and realleges each and every allegation contained in the preceding 43. paragraphs of this Amended Complaint, incorporates them by reference, and further alleges as follows:

44. There is a covenant of good faith and fair dealing implied in every agreement, including the CPCC Agreement.

20 45. CPCC breached its duty to act in good faith by performing the CPCC Agreement 21 in a manner that was unfaithful to the purpose of the CPCC Agreement, thereby denying WRG's 22 justified expectations.

23 Due to the actions of CPCC, WRG suffered damages in an amount to be 46. determined at trial for which WRG is entitled to judgment plus interest. 25

47. WRG has been required to engage the services of an attorney to collect the CPCC 26 Outstanding Balance, and WRG is entitled to recover its reasonable costs, attorney's fees and 27 28 interest therefore.

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1 SEVENTH CAUSE OF ACTION (Unjust Enrichment or in the Alternative Quantum Meruit - Against All Defendants) 2 48. WRG repeats and realleges each and every allegation contained in the preceding 3 paragraphs of this Amended Complaint, incorporates them by reference, and further alleges as 4 5 follows: 6 49. WRG furnished the Owner Services, APCO Services and CPCC Services for the 7 benefit of and at the specific instance and request of the Defendants. 8 50. As to Owner, Asphalt, APCO and CPCC, this cause of action is being pled in the 9 alternative. 10 51. The Defendants accepted, used and enjoyed the benefit of the Owner Services, 11 APCO Services and CPCC Services. 12 13 52. The Defendants knew or should have known that WRG expected to be paid for the 14 Owner Services, APCO Services and CPCC Services. 15 WRG has demanded payment of the Owner Outstanding Balance, APCO 53. 16 Outstanding Balance and CPCC Outstanding Balance. 17 54. To date, the Defendants have failed, neglected, and/or refused to pay the APCO 18 Outstanding Balance and CPCC Outstanding Balance. 19 20 55. The Defendants have been unjustly enriched, to the detriment of WRG. 21 56. WRG has been required to engage the services of an attorney to collect the APCO 22 Outstanding Balance and CPCC Outstanding Balance, and WRG is entitled to recover its 23 reasonable costs, attorney's fees and interest therefore. 24 111 25 111 26 111 27 28 111 H:VB&S/CLIENT FILES/8000 - 8999 (U -W)\8874 - WRG Design Inc\033 - Camco Pacific [Manhattan West] WX\Driginals\090622 WRO Amd Page 10

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## EIGHTH CAUSE OF ACTION (Foreclosure of Mechanic's Lien)

57. WRG repeats and realleges each and every allegation contained in the preceding paragraphs of this Amended Complaint, incorporates them by reference, and further alleges as follows:

58. The provision of the Owner Services, APCO Services and CPCC Services was at the special instance and request of the Defendants for the Property.

59. As provided at NRS 108.245 and common law, the Defendants had knowledge of WRG's delivery of the Owner Services, APCO Services and CPCC Services Services to the Property or WRG provided a Notice of Right to Lien.

60. WRG demanded payment of an amount in excess of Ten Thousand and no/100 Dollars (\$10,000.00), which amount remains past due and owing.

61. On or about February 13, 2009, WRG timely recorded a Notice of Lien in Book 20090213 of the Official Records of Clark County, Nevada, as Instrument No. 0004321 (the "Original Lien").

62. One or about April 27, 2009, WRG timely recorded an Amended Notice of Lien in Book 20090427 of the Official Records of Clark County, Nevada, as Instrument No. 0000107 (the "Amended Lien").

63. The Original Lien and Amended Lien are hereinafter collectively referred to as the "Liens".

64. The Liens were in writing and were recorded against the Property for the outstanding balance due to WRG in the amount of Two Hundred Seventy-Five Thousand One Hundred Fifteen and 66/100 Dollars (\$275,115.66).

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65. The Liens were served upon the Owner and/or its authorized agents, as required by

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66. WRG is entitled to an award of reasonable attorney's fees, costs and interest on the APCO Outstanding Balance and CPCC Outstanding Balance, as provided in Chapter 108 of the Nevada Revised Statutes.

### NINTH CAUSE OF ACTION (Claim of Priority)

67. WRG repeats and realleges each and every allegation contained in the preceding paragraphs of this Amended Complaint, incorporates them by reference, and further alleges as follows:

68. WRG is informed and believes and therefore alleges that construction on the Property commenced before the recording of any deed(s) of trust and/or other interest(s) in the Property, including the deeds of trust recorded by SFC.

69. WRG is informed and believes and therefore alleges that even if a deed(s) of trust and/or other interest(s) in the Property were recorded before construction on the Property commenced, those deed(s) of trust, including SFC's, were thereafter expressly subordinated to WRG's statutory mechanics' lien thereby elevating WRG's statutory mechanics' lien to a position superior to those deed(s) of trust and/or other interests(s) in the Property.

70. WRG's claim against the Property is superior to the claim(s) of SFC, any other defendant, and/or any Loe Lender.

71. WRG has been required to engage the services of an attorney to collect the Owner Outstanding Balance, APCO Outstanding Balance and CPCC Outstanding Balance due and owing for the Owner Services, APCO Services and CPCC Services, and WRG is entitled to recover its reasonable costs, attorney's fees and interest therefore.

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	1 1 2	<u>TENTH CAUSE OF ACTION</u> (Claim Against Bond – CPCC Surety)
	3	72. WRG repeats and realleges each and every allegation contained in the preceding
	paragraphs of this Amended Complaint, incorporates them by reference, and further alleges as	
	5	follows:
	6	73. Prior to the events giving rise to this Amended Complaint, the CPCC Surety issued
	7	License Bond No. 8739721 (hereinafter the "Bond") in the sum of Fifty Thousand Dollars
	8	(\$50,000.00).
	9	74. CPCC is named as principal and CPCC Surety is named as surety on the Bond.
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33	11	75. The Bond was provided pursuant to the requirements of NRS 624.270, which
074 074	12	Bond was in force during all times relevant to this action.
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BRIMLEY LLI NE AVENUE, NN, NEVADA 8 1 + FAX (702)	14	same. WRG therefore claims payment on said Bond.
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428	16	78. Demand for the payment of the sums due to WRG has been made, but CPCC and
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	18	the CPCC Surety have failed, neglected and refused to pay the same to WRG.
	19	79. CPCC and the CPCC Surety owe WRG the penal sum of the Bond.
	20	80. WRG was required to engage the services of an attorney to collect the CPCC
	21	Outstanding Balance due and owing to WRG and WRG is entitled to recover its reasonable
	22	attorney's fees and costs therefore.
	23	ELEVENTH CAUSE OF ACTION
	24	(Declaratory Judgment)
	25	81. WRG repeats and realleges each and every allegation contained in the preceding
	26	paragraphs of this Complaint, incorporates them by reference, and further alleges as follows:
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1 1 82. Upon information and belief, Owner is the Trustor and SFC is the beneficiary 2 under the following deeds of trust covering the real property at issue: 3 a. Senior Deed of Trust dated June 26, 2006, and recorded July 5, 2006, at Book 20060705, Instrument No. 0004264; 4 5 b. Junior Deed of Trust dated June 26, 2006, and recorded July 5, 2006, at Book 20060705, Instrument No. 0004265; 6 c. Third Deed of Trust dated June 26, 2006, and recorded July 5, 2006, at Book 7 20060705, Instrument No. 0004266; and, 8 d. Senior Debt Deed of Trust dated and recorded February 7, 2008, at Book 9 20080207, Instrument No. 01482. 10 83. On February 7, 2008, SFC executed a Mezzanine Deeds of Trust Subordination 11 Agreement that expressly subordinated the Senior, Junior, and Third Deeds of Trust to the Senior 12 Debt Deed of Trust "in all respects", "for all purposes", and, " regardless of any priority 13 otherwise available to SFC by law or agreement". 14 84. The Mezzanine Deeds of Trust Subordination Agreement contains a provision that 15 16 it shall not be construed as affecting the priority of any other lien or encumbrances in favor of 17 SFC. Thus, no presumptions or determinations are to be made in SFC's favor concerning the 18 priority of competing liens or encumbrances on the property, such as WRG's mechanics' lien. 19 85. Pursuant to the a Mezzanine Deeds of Trust Subordination Agreement, SFC was to 20 cause the Senior, Junior, and Third Deeds of Trust to contain specific statements thereon that they 21 were expressly subordinated to the Senior Debt Deed of Trust and SFC was to mark its books 22 conspicuously to evidence the subordination of the Senior, Junior, and Third Deeds of Trust to the 23 24 Senior Debt Deed of Trust. 25 86. WRG is informed and believes and therefore alleges that construction on the 26 Property commenced at least before the recording of the Senior Debt Deed of Trust and that by 27 28 H:\PB&S\CLIENT FILES\8000 - 8999 (U -W)\8874 - WRO Design hic\033 - Camco Pacific Page 14 [Manhattan West]\PX\Originals\090622 WRG And

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law, all mechanics' liens, including WRG's, enjoy a position of priority over the Senior Debt Deed of Trust.

87. Because the Mezzanine Deeds of Trust Subordination Agreement renders the Senior, Junior, and Third Deeds of Trust expressly subordinate to the Senior Debt Deed of Trust, it also renders, as a matter of law, the Senior, Junior, and Third Deeds of Trust expressly subordinate to all mechanics' liens, including WRG's.

88. A dispute has arisen, and an actual controversy now exists over the priority issue of WRG's mechanics' lien over other encumbrances on the property.

89. WRG is entitled to a court order declaring that its mechanics' lien has a superior lien position on the Property over any other lien or encumbrance created by or for the benefit of SFC or any other entity.

WHEREFORE, WRG prays that this Honorable Court:

 Enters judgment against the Defendants, and each of them, jointly and severally, in the Owner Outstanding Balance, APCO Outstanding Balance and CPCC Outstanding Balance amounts;

 Enters a judgment against Defendants, and each of them, jointly and severally, for WRG's reasonable costs and attorney's fees incurred in the collection of the Owner Outstanding Balance, APCO Outstanding Balance and CPCC Outstanding Balance, as well as an award of interest thereon;

Enter a judgment declaring that WRG has valid and enforceable mechanic's liens
 against the Property, with priority over all Defendants, in an amount of the Owner Outstanding
 Balance, APCO Outstanding Balance and CPCC Outstanding Balance;

4. Adjudge a lien upon the Property for the Owner Outstanding Balance, APCO Outstanding Balance and CPCC Outstanding Balance, plus reasonable attorneys fees, costs and

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interest thereon, and that this Honorable Court enter an Order that the Property, and improvements, such as may be necessary, be sold pursuant to the laws of the State of Nevada, and that the proceeds of said sale be applied to the payment of sums due WRG herein;

5. Enter a judgment declaring that WRG's mechanics' lien enjoys a position of priority superior to any lien or encumbrance created by or for the benefit of SFC or any other entity; and

 For such other and further relief as this Honorable Court deems just and proper in the premises.

Dated this 22 day of June 2009.

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APCO'S Answer to WRG's Amended Statement of Facts Constituting Notice of Lien and Third-Party Complaint

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( ) 1 corporation; APCO CONSTRUCTION, a Nevada corporation; CAMCO PACIFIC 2 CONSTRUCTION COMPANY, INC., a California corporation; GEMSTONE 3 DEVELOPMENT WEST, INC., a Nevada 4 corporation; FIDELITY AND DEPOSIT COMPANY OF MARYLAND; SCOTT 5 FINANCIAL CORPORATION, a North Dakota corporation; DOES I through X; ROE 6 CORPORATIONS I through X; BOE 7 BONDING COMPANIES I through X; LOE LENDERS I through X, inclusive 8 Defendants. 9 10 AND ALL RELATED CASES AND 11 MATTERS. 12 HOWARD & HOWARD ATTORNEYS PLLC 13 3800 Howard Hughes Pkwy., Suite 1400 Las Vegas, NV 89169 APCO CONSTRUCTION'S ANSWER TO WRG DESIGN INC.S' AMENDED STATEMENT OF FACTS CONSTITUTING 14 NOTICE OF LIEN AND THIRD-PARTY COMPLAINT 15 (702) 257-1483 APCO CONSTRUCTION formerly ASPHALT PRODUCT CORPORATION 16 (hereinafter "APCO"), by and through its attorneys, Gwen Rutar Mullins, Esq. and Wade B. 17 Gochnour, Esq., of the law firm of Howard and Howard Attorneys PLLC, hereby files this 18 Answer to WRG Design Inc.'s Amended Statement of Facts Constituting Notice of Lien and 19 Third Party Complaint (hereinafter "Complaint") and hereby responds and alleges as follows: 20 THE PARTIES 21 1. Answering Paragraph 1, 5, 6, 7, and 8 of the Complaint, APCO does not have 22 sufficient knowledge or information upon which to base a belief as to the truth of the 23 allegations contained therein, and upon said grounds, denies each and every allegation 24 contained therein. 25 Answering Paragraphs 2, 3 and 4 of the Complaint, APCO admits the 2. 26 allegations contained therein. 27 28 Page 2 of 15 #554113-11

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## (Breach of Contract Against Owner)

3. Answering Paragraph 9 of the Complaint, APCO repeats and realleges each and every allegation contained in paragraphs 1 and 2 of this Answer to the Complaint as though fully set forth herein.

4. Answering Paragraphs 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, and 16 of the Complaint, APCO APCO does not have sufficient knowledge or information upon which to base a belief as to the truth of the allegations contained therein, and upon said grounds, denies each and every allegation contained therein on those basis.

#### SECOND CAUSE OF ACTION

### (Breach of Contract Against APCO)

5. Answering Paragraph 17 of the Complaint, APCO repeats and realleges each and every allegation contained in paragraphs 1 through 4 of this Answer to the Complaint as though fully set forth herein.

6. Answering Paragraph 18 of the Complaint, APCO admits that APCO entered into subcontract with WRG Design, Inc. ("WRG") to provide certain surveying and mapping related work and materials on the Manhattan West Condominium Project. As to the remaining allegations of Paragraph 18 of the Complaint, APCO does not have sufficient knowledge or information upon which to base a belief as to the truth of the allegations contained therein, and upon said grounds, denies each and every allegation contained therein on those basis.

7. Answering Paragraph 19 of the Complaint, APCO admits that WRG's services benefited Owner. APCO denies the remaining allegations of Paragraph 19 of the Complaint.

 Answering Paragraph 20 of the Complaint, APCO admits that the terms of the subcontract with WRG speak for themselves. APCO denies the remaining allegations of Paragraph 20 of the Complaint.

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9. Answering Paragraph 21 of the Complaint, APCO admits that WRG furnished services under subcontract, which subcontract was subsequently ratified and assumed by CPCC and/or Gemstone. APCO denies the remaining allegations of Paragraph 21 of the Complaint.

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10. Answering Paragraphs 22, 23 and 24 of the Complaint, APCO denies each and every allegation contained therein.

## THIRD CAUSE OF ACTION

## (Breach of Contract Against CPCC)

11. Answering Paragraph 25 of the Complaint, APCO repeats and realleges each and every allegation contained in paragraphs 1 and 10 of this Answer to the Complaint as though fully set forth herein.

12. Answering Paragraph 26 of the Complaint, APCO, upon information and belief, admits the allegations contained therein

13. Answering Paragraphs 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, and 32 of the Complaint, APCO does not have sufficient knowledge or information upon which to base a belief as to the truth of the allegations contained therein, and upon said grounds, denies each and every allegation contained therein on those basis.

### FOURTH CAUSE OF ACTION

(Breach of Implied Covenant of Good Faith & Fair Dealing Against Owner)

14. Answering Paragraph 33 of the Complaint, APCO repeats and realleges each and every allegation contained in paragraphs 1 through 13 of this Answer to the Complaint as though fully set forth herein.

15. Answering Paragraph 34 of the Complaint, APCO, upon information and belief, admits the allegations contained therein.

16. Answering Paragraphs 35, 36 and 37 of the Complaint, APCO does not have sufficient knowledge or information upon which to base a belief as to the truth of the allegations contained therein, and upon said grounds, denies each and every allegation contained therein on those basis.

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# FIFTH CAUSE OF ACTION

(Breach of Implied Covenant of Good Faith & Fair Dealing Against APCO)

17. Answering Paragraph 38 of the Complaint, APCO repeats and realleges each and every allegation contained in paragraphs 1 through 16 of this Answer to the Complaint as though fully set forth herein.

 Answering Paragraph 39 of the Complaint, APCO, upon information and belief, admits the allegations contained therein.

19. Answering Paragraphs 40, 41 and 42 of the Complaint, APCO does not have sufficient knowledge or information upon which to base a belief as to the truth of the allegations contained therein, and upon said grounds, denies each and every allegation contained therein on those basis.

## SIXTH CAUSE OF ACTION

(Breach of Implied Covenant of Good Faith & Fair Dealing Against CPCC)

20. Answering Paragraph 43 of the Complaint, APCO repeats and realleges each and every allegation contained in paragraphs 1 through 19 of this Answer to the Complaint as though fully set forth herein.

21. Answering Paragraph 44 of the Complaint, APCO, upon information and belief, admits the allegations contained therein.

22. Answering Paragraphs 45; 46 and 47 of the Complaint, APCO does not have sufficient knowledge or information upon which to base a belief as to the truth of the allegations contained therein, and upon said grounds, denies each and every allegation contained therein on those basis.

### SEVENTH CAUSE OF ACTION

(Unjust Enrichment or in the Alternative Quantum Meriut - Against All Defendants)

23. Answering Paragraph 48 of the Complaint, APCO repeats and realleges each
 and every allegation contained in paragraphs 1 through 22 of this Answer to the Complaint as
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24. Answering Paragraphs 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, and 56 of the Complaint, APCO denies all the allegations as they pertain to, or as they are alleged against, APCO. With respect to any allegations that have been asserted against the remaining Defendants, APCO does not have sufficient knowledge or information upon which to base a belief as to the truth of 5 the allegations contained therein, and upon said grounds, denies each and every allegation 6 contained therein.

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# **EIGHTH CAUSE OF ACTION**

### (Foreclosure of Mechanic's Lien)

25. Answering Paragraph 57 of the Complaint, APCO repeats and realleges each and every allegation contained in paragraphs 1 through 24 of this Answer to the Complaint as though fully set forth herein.

26. Answering Paragraphs 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, and 66 of the Complaint, APCO denies all the allegations as they pertain to, or as they are or may be alleged against, APCO. With respect to any allegations that have been asserted against the remaining Defendants, APCO does not have sufficient knowledge or information upon which to base a belief as to the truth of the allegations contained therein, and upon said grounds, denies each and every allegation contained therein.

## NINTH CAUSE OF ACTION

## (Claim of Priority)

27. Answering Paragraph 67 of the Complaint, APCO repeats and realleges each and every allegation contained in paragraphs 1 through 26 of this Answer to the Complaint as though fully set forth herein.

Answering Paragraph 68 of the Complaint, APCO admits the allegations 28. contained therein.

29. Answering Paragraph 69 of the Complaint, APCO does not have sufficient 26 knowledge or information upon which to base a belief as to the truth of the allegations 27 contained therein, and upon said grounds, denies each and every allegation contained therein. 28

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30. Answering Paragraphs 70 and 71 of the Complaint, APCO denies all the allegations as they pertain to, or as they are alleged against, APCO. With respect to any allegations that have been asserted against the remaining Defendants APCO does not have sufficient knowledge or information upon which to base a belief as to the truth of the allegations contained therein, and upon said grounds, denies each and every allegation contained therein.

### TENTH CAUSE OF ACTION

(Claim Against Bond - CPCC Surety)

31. Answering Paragraph 72 of the Complaint, APCO repeats and realleges each and every allegation contained in paragraphs 1 through 30 of this Answer to the Complaint as though fully set forth herein.

32. Answering Paragraphs 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, and 80 of the Complaint, APCO does not have sufficient knowledge or information upon which to base a belief as to the truth of the allegations contained therein, and upon said grounds, denies each and every allegation contained therein.

## ELEVENTH CAUSE OF ACTION

### (Declaratory Judgment)

33. Answering Paragraph 81 of the Complaint, APCO repeats and realleges each and every allegation contained in paragraphs 1 through 32 of this Answer to the Complaint as though fully set forth herein.

34. Answering Paragraphs 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, and 88 of the Complaint, APCO, upon information and belief, admits the allegations contained therein.

35. Answering Paragraph 89 of the Complaint, APCO denies all the allegations as they pertain to, or as they are alleged against, APCO. With respect to any allegations that have been asserted against the remaining Defendants, APCO does not have sufficient knowledge or information upon which to base a belief as to the truth of the allegations contained therein, and upon said grounds, denies each and every allegation contained therein

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	Ţ	FIRST AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE
	2	WRG has failed to state a claim against APCO upon which relief can be granted.
	3	SECOND AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE
25	4	The claims of the WRG have been waived as a result of their respective acts and
	5	conduct.
	6	THIRD AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE
	7	No monies are due WRG at this time as APCO has not received payment for WRG's
	8	work from Gemstone, the developer of the Manhattan West Project.
	9	FOURTH AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE
	10	Any and all damages sustained by WRG are the result of negligence, breach of contract
	11	and/or breach of warranty, express and/or implied, of a third-party over whom APCO has no
Q	12	control, and for whose acts APCO is not responsible or liable to WRG.
WARD & HOWARD ATTORNEYS PLLC 3800 Howard Hugbes Pkwy., Suite 1400 Las Vegas, NV 89169 (702) 257-1483	13	FIFTH AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE
NEYS PI uite 1400	14	At the time and place under the circumstances alleged by the WRG, WRG had full and
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DAT SPley NV 8 NV 8	16	there existing, and through WRG's own knowledge, conduct, acts and omissions, assumed the
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WARD & HOWAJ 3800 Howard Hugh Las Vega (702) :	18	SIXTH AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE
ND &	19	Whatever damages, if any, were sustained by WRG, were caused in whole or in part or
380	20	were contributed to by reason of WRG's own actions.
HON	21	SEVENTH AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE
	22	The liability, if any, of APCO must be reduced by the percentage of fault of others,
	23	including WRG.
	24	EIGHTH AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE
	25	The damages alleged by WRG were caused by and arose out of the risk which WRG
	26	had knowledge and which WRG assumed.
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The alleged damages complained of by WRG were caused in whole or in part by a new, independent and intervening cause over which APCO had no control. Said independent, intervening cause was the result of any alleged damages resulting to WRG.

## TENTH AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE

APCO's obligations to WRG have been satisfied or excused.

#### **ELEVENTH AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE**

WRG failed to perform their work in workmanlike manner thus causing damages in excess to the sums WRG claim are due under the subcontract with APCO.

## TWELFTH AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE

The claim for breach of contract is barred as a result of WRG's failure to satisfy conditions precedent.

### THIRTEENTH AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE

The claims, and each of them, are premature.

#### FOURTEENTH AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE

WRG should indemnify APCO for any and all losses, damages or expenses APCO sustains as a result of any claims by Gemstone for damages that Gemstone allegedly sustained due to WRG's improper workmanship on the Manhattan West Project, including, but not limited to, any damage amount and the attorney's fees and costs incurred by APCO relative thereto.

## FIFTEENTH AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE

APCO is entitled to an offset or a setoff of any damages that APCO sustains as a result of WRG's failure to complete the work in a workmanlike manner and/or breach of contract.

## SIXTEENTH AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE

Any obligations or responsibilities of APCO under the subcontract with WRG, if any,
 have been replaced, terminated, voided, cancelled or otherwise released by the ratification
 entered into between WRG, Gemstone and CPCC and APCO no longer bears any liability
 thereunder.

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	1	SEVENTEENTH AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE					
	2	APCO has been forced to retain the services of an attorney to defend this action and					
	3	therefore is entitled to reasonable attorneys' fees and costs.					
	4	EIGHTEENTH AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE					
	5	WRG has failed to comply with the requirements of NRS 624.					
	6	NINETIETH AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE					
	7	WRG may have failed to comply with all requirements of NRS 108 to perfect its lien.					
	8	TWENTIETH AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE					
	9	WRG has failed to promptly assert its respective claims against APCO and APCO					
	10	reserves the right to request the Court to strike any improper pleadings filed against APCO.					
	n	TWENTY-FIRST AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE					
	12	The claims against APCO are barred as a result of WRG's failure to comply with the					
	13	requirements of NRCP Rule 24 including, but not limited to, WRG having failed to timely					
	14	apply to the Court to intervene in this action as required.					
	15	TWENTY-SECOND AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE					
	16	WRG's claims are barred under the doctrine of accord and satisfaction.					
	17	TWENTY-THIRD AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE					
18	18	Pursuant to NRCP Rule 8 and 11, as amended, all possible affirmative defenses may not					
	19	have been alleged herein insofar as sufficient facts were not available after reasonable inquiry					
	20	upon the filing of this Answer to the Statement, and therefore, APCO reserves the right to					
	21	amend their Answer to allege additional affirmative defenses if subsequent investigation so					
	22	warrants.					
	23	WHEREFORE, APCO prays for judgment as follows:					
	24	1. That WRG take nothing by way of its Complaint on file herein and that the same					
	25	be dismissed with prejudice against APCO;					
	26	2. For an award of attorneys' fees and costs incurred herein by APCO; and					
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	<ol> <li>For such other and further relief as this Court may deem just and proper.</li> </ol>	
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