

Case Nos. 80427 & 80831

In the Supreme Court of Nevada

In the Matter of the Petition of
CLA PROPERTIES LLC.

SHAWN BIDSAL,
Appellant,

vs.

CLA PROPERTIES LLC,
Respondent.

CLA PROPERTIES LLC,
Appellant,

vs.

SHAWN BIDSAL,
Respondent.

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serve on other Parties a response and a statement of any affirmative defenses, including jurisdictional challenges, or counterclaims it may have.

(d) Within fourteen (14) calendar days of service of a counterclaim, a Claimant may submit to JAMS and serve on other Parties a response to such counterclaim and any affirmative defenses, including jurisdictional challenges, it may have.

(e) Any claim or counterclaim to which no response has been served will be deemed denied.

(f) Jurisdictional challenges under Rule 11 shall be deemed waived, unless asserted in a response to a Demand or counterclaim or promptly thereafter, when circumstances first suggest an issue of arbitrability.

Rule 10. Changes of Claims

After the filing of a claim and before the Arbitrator is appointed, any Party may make a new or different claim against a Party or any third party that is subject to Arbitration in the proceeding. Such claim shall be made in writing, filed with JAMS and served on the other Parties. Any response to the new claim shall be made within fourteen (14) calendar days after service of such claim. After the Arbitrator is appointed, no new or different claim may be submitted, except with the Arbitrator's approval. A Party may request a hearing on this issue. Each Party has the right to respond to any new or amended claim in accordance with Rule 9(c) or (d).

Rule 11. Interpretation of Rules and Jurisdictional Challenges

(a) Once appointed, the Arbitrator shall resolve disputes about the interpretation and applicability of these Rules and conduct of the Arbitration Hearing. The resolution of the issue by the Arbitrator shall be final.

(b) Jurisdictional and arbitrability disputes, including disputes over the formation, existence, validity, interpretation or scope of the agreement under which Arbitration is sought, and who are proper Parties to the Arbitration, shall be submitted to and ruled on by the Arbitrator. The Arbitrator has the authority to determine jurisdiction and arbitrability issues as a preliminary matter.

(c) Disputes concerning the appointment of the Arbitrator shall be resolved by JAMS.

(d) The Arbitrator may, upon a showing of good cause or *sua sponte*, when necessary to facilitate the Arbitration, extend any deadlines established in these Rules, provided that the time for rendering the Award may be altered only in accordance with Rules 22(i) or 24.

Rule 12. Representation

(a) The Parties, whether natural persons or legal entities such as corporations, LLCs or partnerships, may be represented by counsel or any other person of the Party's choice. Each Party shall give prompt written notice to the Case Manager and the other Parties of the name, address, telephone and fax numbers and email address of its representative. The representative of a Party may act on the Party's behalf in complying with these Rules.

(b) Changes in Representation. A Party shall give prompt written notice to the Case Manager and the other Parties of any change in its representation, including the name, address, telephone and fax numbers and email address of the new representative. Such notice shall state that the written consent of the former representative, if any, and of the new representative, has been obtained and shall state the effective date of the new representation.

Rule 13. Withdrawal from Arbitration

(a) No Party may terminate or withdraw from an Arbitration after the issuance of the Commencement Letter (see Rule 5), except by written agreement of all Parties to the Arbitration.

(b) A Party that asserts a claim or counterclaim may unilaterally withdraw that claim or counterclaim without prejudice by serving written notice on the other Parties and the Arbitrator. However, the opposing Parties may, within seven (7) calendar days of service of such notice, request that the Arbitrator condition the withdrawal upon such terms as he or she may direct.

Rule 14. Ex Parte Communications

(a) No Party may have any *ex parte* communication with a neutral Arbitrator, except as provided in section (b) of this Rule. The Arbitrator(s) may authorize any Party to communicate directly with the Arbitrator(s) by email or other written means as long as copies are simultaneously forwarded to the JAMS Case Manager and the other Parties.

(b) A Party may have *ex parte* communication with its appointed neutral or non-neutral Arbitrator as necessary to secure the Arbitrator's services and to assure the absence of conflicts, as well as in connection with the selection of the Chairperson of the arbitral panel.

(c) The Parties may agree to permit more extensive *ex parte* communication between a Party and a non-neutral Arbitrator. More extensive communication with a non-neutral Arbitrator may also be permitted by applicable law and rules of ethics.

Rule 15. Arbitrator Selection, Disclosures and Replacement

(a) Unless the Arbitrator has been previously selected by agreement of the Parties, JAMS may attempt to facilitate agreement among the Parties regarding selection of the Arbitrator.

(b) If the Parties do not agree on an Arbitrator, JAMS shall send the Parties a list of at least five (5) Arbitrator candidates in the case of a sole Arbitrator and ten (10) Arbitrator candidates in the case of a tripartite panel. JAMS shall also provide each Party with a brief description of the background and experience of each Arbitrator candidate. JAMS may replace any or all names on the list of Arbitrator candidates for reasonable cause at any time before the Parties have submitted their choice pursuant to subparagraph (c) below.

(c) Within seven (7) calendar days of service upon the Parties of the list of names, each Party may strike two (2) names in the case of a sole Arbitrator and three (3) names in the case of a tripartite panel, and shall rank the remaining Arbitrator candidates in order of preference. The remaining Arbitrator candidate with the highest composite ranking shall be appointed the Arbitrator. JAMS may grant a reasonable extension of the time to strike and rank the Arbitrator candidates to any Party without the consent of the other Parties.

(d) If this process does not yield an Arbitrator or a complete panel, JAMS shall designate the sole Arbitrator or as many members of the tripartite panel as are necessary to complete the panel.

(e) If a Party fails to respond to a list of Arbitrator candidates within seven (7) calendar days after its service, or fails to respond according to the instructions provided by

JAMS, JAMS shall deem that Party to have accepted all of the Arbitrator candidates.

(f) Entities whose interests are not adverse with respect to the issues in dispute shall be treated as a single Party for purposes of the Arbitrator selection process. JAMS shall determine whether the interests between entities are adverse for purposes of Arbitrator selection, considering such factors as whether the entities are represented by the same attorney and whether the entities are presenting joint or separate positions at the Arbitration.

(g) If, for any reason, the Arbitrator who is selected is unable to fulfill the Arbitrator's duties, a successor Arbitrator shall be chosen in accordance with this Rule. If a member of a panel of Arbitrators becomes unable to fulfill his or her duties after the beginning of a Hearing but before the issuance of an Award, a new Arbitrator will be chosen in accordance with this Rule, unless, in the case of a tripartite panel, the Parties agree to proceed with the remaining two Arbitrators. JAMS will make the final determination as to whether an Arbitrator is unable to fulfill his or her duties, and that decision shall be final.

(h) Any disclosures regarding the selected Arbitrator shall be made as required by law or within ten (10) calendar days from the date of appointment. Such disclosures may be provided in electronic format, provided that JAMS will produce a hard copy to any Party that requests it. The Parties and their representatives shall disclose to JAMS any circumstance likely to give rise to justifiable doubt as to the Arbitrator's impartiality or independence, including any bias or any financial or personal interest in the result of the Arbitration or any past or present relationship with the Parties or their representatives. The obligation of the Arbitrator, the Parties and their representatives to make all required disclosures continues throughout the Arbitration process.

(i) At any time during the Arbitration process, a Party may challenge the continued service of an Arbitrator for cause. The challenge must be based upon information that was not available to the Parties at the time the Arbitrator was selected. A challenge for cause must be in writing and exchanged with opposing Parties, who may respond within seven (7) calendar days of service of the challenge. JAMS shall make the final determination as to such challenge. Such determination shall take into account the materiality of the facts and any prejudice to the Parties. That decision will be final.

(j) Where the Parties have agreed that a Party-appointed Arbitrator is to be non-neutral, that Party-appointed Arbitrator is not obliged to withdraw if requested to do so only by the Party who did not appoint that Arbitrator.

Rule 16. Preliminary Conference

At the request of any Party or at the direction of the Arbitrator, a Preliminary Conference shall be conducted with the Parties or their counsel or representatives. The Preliminary Conference may address any or all of the following subjects:

- (a) The exchange of information in accordance with Rule 17 or otherwise;
- (b) The schedule for discovery as permitted by the Rules, as agreed by the Parties or as required or authorized by applicable law;
- (c) The pleadings of the Parties and any agreement to clarify or narrow the issues or structure the Arbitration Hearing;
- (d) The scheduling of the Hearing and any pre-Hearing exchanges of information, exhibits, motions or briefs;
- (e) The attendance of witnesses as contemplated by Rule 21;
- (f) The scheduling of any dispositive motion pursuant to Rule 18;
- (g) The premarking of exhibits, the preparation of joint exhibit lists and the resolution of the admissibility of exhibits;
- (h) The form of the Award; and
- (i) Such other matters as may be suggested by the Parties or the Arbitrator.

The Preliminary Conference may be conducted telephonically and may be resumed from time to time as warranted.

Rule 16.1. Application of Expedited Procedures

- (a) If these Expedited Procedures are referenced in the Parties' agreement to arbitrate or are later agreed to by all Parties, they shall be applied by the Arbitrator.

(b) The Claimant or Respondent may opt into the Expedited Procedures. The Claimant may do so by indicating the election in the Demand for Arbitration. The Respondent may opt into the Expedited Procedures by so indicating in writing to JAMS with a copy to the Claimant served within fourteen (14) days of receipt of the Demand for Arbitration. If a Party opts into the Expedited Procedures, the other side shall indicate within seven (7) calendar days of notice thereof whether it agrees to the Expedited Procedures.

(c) If one Party elects the Expedited Procedures and any other Party declines to agree to the Expedited Procedures, each Party shall have a client or client representative present at the first Preliminary Conference (which should, if feasible, be an in-person conference), unless excused by the Arbitrator for good cause.

Rule 16.2. Where Expedited Procedures Are Applicable

(a) The Arbitrator shall require compliance with Rule 17(a) prior to conducting the first Preliminary Conference. Each Party shall confirm in writing to the Arbitrator that it has so complied or shall indicate any limitations on full compliance and the reasons therefor.

(b) Document requests shall (1) be limited to documents that are directly relevant to the matters in dispute or to its outcome; (2) be reasonably restricted in terms of time frame, subject matter and persons or entities to which the requests pertain; and (3) not include broad phraseology such as "all documents directly or indirectly related to." The Requests shall not be encumbered with extensive "definitions" or "instructions." The Arbitrator may edit or limit the number of requests.

(c) E-Discovery shall be limited as follows:

(i) There shall be production of electronic documents only from sources used in the ordinary course of business. Absent a showing of compelling need, no such documents are required to be produced from backup servers, tapes or other media.

(ii) Absent a showing of compelling need, the production of electronic documents shall normally be made on the basis of generally available technology in a searchable format that is usable by the requesting Party and convenient and economical for the producing Party. Absent a showing of compelling need, the Parties need not produce

metadata, with the exception of header fields for email correspondence.

(iii) The description of custodians from whom electronic documents may be collected should be narrowly tailored to include only those individuals whose electronic documents may reasonably be expected to contain evidence that is material to the dispute.

(iv) Where the costs and burdens of e-discovery are disproportionate to the nature of the dispute or to the amount in controversy, or to the relevance of the materials requested, the Arbitrator may either deny such requests or order disclosure on the condition that the requesting Party advance the reasonable cost of production to the other side, subject to the allocation of costs in the final Award.

(v) The Arbitrator may vary these Rules after discussion with the Parties at the Preliminary Conference.

(d) Depositions of percipient witnesses shall be limited as follows:

(i) The limitation of one discovery deposition per side (Rule 17(b)) shall be applied by the Arbitrator, unless it is determined, based on all relevant circumstances, that more depositions are warranted. The Arbitrator shall consider the amount in controversy, the complexity of the factual issues, the number of Parties and the diversity of their interests and whether any or all of the claims appear, on the basis of the pleadings, to have sufficient merit to justify the time and expense associated with the requested discovery.

(ii) The Arbitrator shall also consider the additional factors listed in the JAMS Recommended Arbitration Discovery Protocols for Domestic Commercial Cases.

(e) Expert depositions, if any, shall be limited as follows: Where written expert reports are produced to the other side in advance of the Hearing (Rule 17(a)), expert depositions may be conducted only by agreement of the Parties or by order of the Arbitrator for good cause shown.

(f) Discovery disputes shall be resolved on an expedited basis.

(i) Where there is a panel of three Arbitrators, the Parties are encouraged to agree, by rule or otherwise, that the Chair or another member of the panel is authorized to resolve discovery issues, acting alone.

(ii) Lengthy briefs on discovery matters should be avoided. In most cases, the submission of brief letters will

sufficiently inform the Arbitrator with regard to the issues to be decided.

(iii) The Parties should meet and confer in good faith prior to presenting any issues for the Arbitrator's decision.

(iv) If disputes exist with respect to some issues, that should not delay the Parties' discovery on remaining issues.

(g) The Arbitrator shall set a discovery cutoff not to exceed seventy-five (75) calendar days after the Preliminary Conference for percipient discovery and not to exceed one hundred five (105) calendar days for expert discovery (if any). These dates may be extended by the Arbitrator for good cause shown.

(h) Dispositive motions (Rule 18) shall not be permitted, except as set forth in the JAMS Recommended Arbitration Discovery Protocols for Domestic Commercial Cases or unless the Parties agree to that procedure.

(i) The Hearing shall commence within sixty (60) calendar days after the cutoff for percipient discovery. Consecutive Hearing days shall be established, unless otherwise agreed by the Parties or ordered by the Arbitrator. These dates may be extended by the Arbitrator for good cause shown.

(j) The Arbitrator may alter any of these Procedures for good cause.

Rule 17. Exchange of Information

(a) The Parties shall cooperate in good faith in the voluntary and informal exchange of all non-privileged documents and other information (including electronically stored information ("ESI")) relevant to the dispute or claim immediately after commencement of the Arbitration. They shall complete an initial exchange of all relevant, non-privileged documents, including, without limitation, copies of all documents in their possession or control on which they rely in support of their positions, and names of individuals whom they may call as witnesses at the Arbitration Hearing, within twenty-one (21) calendar days after all pleadings or notice of claims have been received. The Arbitrator may modify these obligations at the Preliminary Conference.

(b) Each Party may take one deposition of an opposing Party or of one individual under the control of the opposing Party. The Parties shall attempt to agree on the time, location and duration of the deposition. If the Parties do not agree, these issues shall be determined by the Arbitrator.

The necessity of additional depositions shall be determined by the Arbitrator based upon the reasonable need for the requested information, the availability of other discovery options and the burdensomeness of the request on the opposing Parties and the witness.

(c) As they become aware of new documents or information, including experts who may be called upon to testify, all Parties continue to be obligated to provide relevant, non-privileged documents to supplement their identification of witnesses and experts and to honor any informal agreements or understandings between the Parties regarding documents or information to be exchanged. Documents that were not previously exchanged, or witnesses and experts that were not previously identified, may not be considered by the Arbitrator at the Hearing, unless agreed by the Parties or upon a showing of good cause.

(d) The Parties shall promptly notify JAMS when a dispute exists regarding discovery issues. A conference shall be arranged with the Arbitrator, either by telephone or in person, and the Arbitrator shall decide the dispute. With the written consent of all Parties, and in accordance with an agreed written procedure, the Arbitrator may appoint a special master to assist in resolving a discovery dispute.

Rule 18. Summary Disposition of a Claim or Issue

The Arbitrator may permit any Party to file a Motion for Summary Disposition of a particular claim or issue, either by agreement of all interested Parties or at the request of one Party, provided other interested Parties have reasonable notice to respond to the request.

Rule 19. Scheduling and Location of Hearing

(a) The Arbitrator, after consulting with the Parties that have appeared, shall determine the date, time and location of the Hearing. The Arbitrator and the Parties shall attempt to schedule consecutive Hearing days if more than one day is necessary.

(b) If a Party has failed to participate in the Arbitration process, the Arbitrator may set the Hearing without consulting with that Party. The non-participating Party shall be served with a Notice of Hearing at least thirty (30) calendar days prior to the scheduled date, unless the law of the relevant

jurisdiction allows for, or the Parties have agreed to, shorter notice.

(c) The Arbitrator, in order to hear a third-party witness, or for the convenience of the Parties or the witnesses, may conduct the Hearing at any location. Any JAMS Resolution Center may be designated a Hearing location for purposes of the issuance of a subpoena or subpoena *duces tecum* to a third-party witness.

Rule 20. Pre-Hearing Submissions

(a) Except as set forth in any scheduling order that may be adopted, at least fourteen (14) calendar days before the Arbitration Hearing, the Parties shall file with JAMS and serve and exchange (1) a list of the witnesses they intend to call, including any experts; (2) a short description of the anticipated testimony of each such witness and an estimate of the length of the witness' direct testimony; (3) any written expert reports that may be introduced at the Arbitration Hearing; and (4) a list of all exhibits intended to be used at the Hearing. The Parties should exchange with each other copies of any such exhibits to the extent that they have not been previously exchanged. The Parties should pre-mark exhibits and shall attempt to resolve any disputes regarding the admissibility of exhibits prior to the Hearing.

(b) The Arbitrator may require that each Party submit a concise written statement of position, including summaries of the facts and evidence a Party intends to present, discussion of the applicable law and the basis for the requested Award or denial of relief sought. The statements, which may be in the form of a letter, shall be filed with JAMS and served upon the other Parties at least seven (7) calendar days before the Hearing date. Rebuttal statements or other pre-Hearing written submissions may be permitted or required at the discretion of the Arbitrator.

Rule 21. Securing Witnesses and Documents for the Arbitration Hearing

At the written request of a Party, all other Parties shall produce for the Arbitration Hearing all specified witnesses in their employ or under their control without need of subpoena. The Arbitrator may issue subpoenas for the attendance of witnesses or the production of documents either prior to or at the Hearing pursuant to this Rule or Rule 19(c). The subpoena or subpoena *duces tecum* shall be issued in accordance with the applicable law. Pre-issued

subpoenas may be used in jurisdictions that permit them. In the event a Party or a subpoenaed person objects to the production of a witness or other evidence, the Party or subpoenaed person may file an objection with the Arbitrator, who shall promptly rule on the objection, weighing both the burden on the producing Party and witness and the need of the proponent for the witness or other evidence.

Rule 22. The Arbitration Hearing

(a) The Arbitrator will ordinarily conduct the Arbitration Hearing in the manner set forth in these Rules. The Arbitrator may vary these procedures if it is determined to be reasonable and appropriate to do so.

(b) The Arbitrator shall determine the order of proof, which will generally be similar to that of a court trial.

(c) The Arbitrator shall require witnesses to testify under oath if requested by any Party, or otherwise at the discretion of the Arbitrator.

(d) Strict conformity to the rules of evidence is not required, except that the Arbitrator shall apply applicable law relating to privileges and work product. The Arbitrator shall consider evidence that he or she finds relevant and material to the dispute, giving the evidence such weight as is appropriate. The Arbitrator may be guided in that determination by principles contained in the Federal Rules of Evidence or any other applicable rules of evidence. The Arbitrator may limit testimony to exclude evidence that would be immaterial or unduly repetitive, provided that all Parties are afforded the opportunity to present material and relevant evidence.

(e) The Arbitrator shall receive and consider relevant deposition testimony recorded by transcript or videotape, provided that the other Parties have had the opportunity to attend and cross-examine. The Arbitrator may in his or her discretion consider witness affidavits or other recorded testimony even if the other Parties have not had the opportunity to cross-examine, but will give that evidence only such weight as he or she deems appropriate.

(f) The Parties will not offer as evidence, and the Arbitrator shall neither admit into the record nor consider, prior settlement offers by the Parties or statements or recommendations made by a mediator or other person in connection with efforts to resolve the dispute being arbitrated, except

to the extent that applicable law permits the admission of such evidence.

(g) The Hearing, or any portion thereof, may be conducted telephonically or videographically with the agreement of the Parties or at the discretion of the Arbitrator.

(h) When the Arbitrator determines that all relevant and material evidence and arguments have been presented, and any interim or partial Awards have been issued, the Arbitrator shall declare the Hearing closed. The Arbitrator may defer the closing of the Hearing until a date determined by the Arbitrator in order to permit the Parties to submit post-Hearing briefs, which may be in the form of a letter, and/or to make closing arguments. If post-Hearing briefs are to be submitted or closing arguments are to be made, the Hearing shall be deemed closed upon receipt by the Arbitrator of such briefs or at the conclusion of such closing arguments, whichever is later.

(i) At any time before the Award is rendered, the Arbitrator may, *sua sponte* or on application of a Party for good cause shown, reopen the Hearing. If the Hearing is reopened, the time to render the Award shall be calculated from the date the reopened Hearing is declared closed by the Arbitrator.

(j) The Arbitrator may proceed with the Hearing in the absence of a Party that, after receiving notice of the Hearing pursuant to Rule 19, fails to attend. The Arbitrator may not render an Award solely on the basis of the default or absence of the Party, but shall require any Party seeking relief to submit such evidence as the Arbitrator may require for the rendering of an Award. If the Arbitrator reasonably believes that a Party will not attend the Hearing, the Arbitrator may schedule the Hearing as a telephonic Hearing and may receive the evidence necessary to render an Award by affidavit. The notice of Hearing shall specify if it will be in person or telephonic.

(k) Any Party may arrange for a stenographic or other record to be made of the Hearing and shall inform the other Parties in advance of the Hearing.

(i) The requesting Party shall bear the cost of such stenographic record. If all other Parties agree to share the cost of the stenographic record, it shall be made available to the Arbitrator and may be used in the proceeding.

(ii) If there is no agreement to share the cost of the stenographic record, it may not be provided to the Arbitrator

and may not be used in the proceeding, unless the Party arranging for the stenographic record agrees to provide access to the stenographic record either at no charge or on terms that are acceptable to the Parties and the reporting service.

(iii) If the Parties agree to the Optional Arbitration Appeal Procedure (Rule 34), they shall, if possible, ensure that a stenographic or other record is made of the Hearing and shall share the cost of that record.

(iv) The Parties may agree that the cost of the stenographic record shall or shall not be allocated by the Arbitrator in the Award.

Rule 23. Waiver of Hearing

The Parties may agree to waive the oral Hearing and submit the dispute to the Arbitrator for an Award based on written submissions and other evidence as the Parties may agree.

Rule 24. Awards

(a) The Arbitrator shall render a Final Award or a Partial Final Award within thirty (30) calendar days after the date of the close of the Hearing, as defined in Rule 22(h) or (i), or, if a Hearing has been waived, within thirty (30) calendar days after the receipt by the Arbitrator of all materials specified by the Parties, except (1) by the agreement of the Parties; (2) upon good cause for an extension of time to render the Award; or (3) as provided in Rule 22(i). The Arbitrator shall provide the Final Award or the Partial Final Award to JAMS for issuance in accordance with this Rule.

(b) Where a panel of Arbitrators has heard the dispute, the decision and Award of a majority of the panel shall constitute the Arbitration Award.

(c) In determining the merits of the dispute, the Arbitrator shall be guided by the rules of law agreed upon by the Parties. In the absence of such agreement, the Arbitrator shall be guided by the rules of law and equity that he or she deems to be most appropriate. The Arbitrator may grant any remedy or relief that is just and equitable and within the scope of the Parties' agreement, including, but not limited to, specific performance of a contract or any other equitable or legal remedy.

(d) In addition to a Final Award or Partial Final Award, the Arbitrator may make other decisions, including interim or partial rulings, orders and Awards.

(e) Interim Measures. The Arbitrator may grant whatever interim measures are deemed necessary, including injunctive relief and measures for the protection or conservation of property and disposition of disposable goods. Such interim measures may take the form of an interim or Partial Final Award, and the Arbitrator may require security for the costs of such measures. Any recourse by a Party to a court for interim or provisional relief shall not be deemed incompatible with the agreement to arbitrate or a waiver of the right to arbitrate.

(f) The Award of the Arbitrator may allocate Arbitration fees and Arbitrator compensation and expenses, unless such an allocation is expressly prohibited by the Parties' Agreement. (Such a prohibition may not limit the power of the Arbitrator to allocate Arbitration fees and Arbitrator compensation and expenses pursuant to Rule 31(c).)

(g) The Award of the Arbitrator may allocate attorneys' fees and expenses and interest (at such rate and from such date as the Arbitrator may deem appropriate) if provided by the Parties' Agreement or allowed by applicable law. When the Arbitrator is authorized to award attorneys' fees and must determine the reasonable amount of such fees, he or she may consider whether the failure of a Party to cooperate reasonably in the discovery process and/or comply with the Arbitrator's discovery orders caused delay to the proceeding or additional costs to the other Parties.

(h) The Award shall consist of a written statement signed by the Arbitrator regarding the disposition of each claim and the relief, if any, as to each claim. Unless all Parties agree otherwise, the Award shall also contain a concise written statement of the reasons for the Award.

(i) After the Award has been rendered, and provided the Parties have complied with Rule 31, the Award shall be issued by serving copies on the Parties. Service may be made by U.S. mail. It need not be sent certified or registered.

(j) Within seven (7) calendar days after service of a Partial Final Award or Final Award by JAMS, any Party may serve upon the other Parties and on JAMS a request that the Arbitrator correct any computational, typographical or other similar error in an Award (including the reallocation of fees pursuant to Rule 31(c) or on account of the effect of an offer to allow judgment), or the Arbitrator may *sua sponte* propose to correct such errors in an Award. A Party opposing such correction shall have seven (7) calendar days thereafter in which to file any objection. The Arbitrator

may make any necessary and appropriate corrections to the Award within twenty-one (21) calendar days of receiving a request or fourteen (14) calendar days after his or her proposal to do so. The Arbitrator may extend the time within which to make corrections upon good cause. The corrected Award shall be served upon the Parties in the same manner as the Award.

(k) The Award is considered final, for purposes of either the Optional Arbitration Appeal Procedure pursuant to Rule 34 or a judicial proceeding to enforce, modify or vacate the Award pursuant to Rule 25, fourteen (14) calendar days after service is deemed effective if no request for a correction is made, or as of the effective date of service of a corrected Award.

Rule 25. Enforcement of the Award

Proceedings to enforce, confirm, modify or vacate an Award will be controlled by and conducted in conformity with the Federal Arbitration Act, 9 U.S.C. Sec 1, *et seq.*, or applicable state law. The Parties to an Arbitration under these Rules shall be deemed to have consented that judgment upon the Award may be entered in any court having jurisdiction thereof.

Rule 26. Confidentiality and Privacy

(a) JAMS and the Arbitrator shall maintain the confidential nature of the Arbitration proceeding and the Award, including the Hearing, except as necessary in connection with a judicial challenge to or enforcement of an Award, or unless otherwise required by law or judicial decision.

(b) The Arbitrator may issue orders to protect the confidentiality of proprietary information, trade secrets or other sensitive information.

(c) Subject to the discretion of the Arbitrator or agreement of the Parties, any person having a direct interest in the Arbitration may attend the Arbitration Hearing. The Arbitrator may exclude any non-Party from any part of a Hearing.

Rule 27. Waiver

(a) If a Party becomes aware of a violation of or failure to comply with these Rules and fails promptly to object in writing, the objection will be deemed waived, unless the Arbitrator determines that waiver will cause substantial injustice or hardship.

(b) If any Party becomes aware of information that could be the basis of a challenge for cause to the continued service of the Arbitrator, such challenge must be made promptly, in writing, to the Arbitrator or JAMS. Failure to do so shall constitute a waiver of any objection to continued service by the Arbitrator.

Rule 28. Settlement and Consent Award

(a) The Parties may agree, at any stage of the Arbitration process, to submit the case to JAMS for mediation. The JAMS mediator assigned to the case may not be the Arbitrator or a member of the Appeal Panel, unless the Parties so agree, pursuant to Rule 28(b).

(b) The Parties may agree to seek the assistance of the Arbitrator in reaching settlement. By their written agreement to submit the matter to the Arbitrator for settlement assistance, the Parties will be deemed to have agreed that the assistance of the Arbitrator in such settlement efforts will not disqualify the Arbitrator from continuing to serve as Arbitrator if settlement is not reached; nor shall such assistance be argued to a reviewing court as the basis for vacating or modifying an Award.

(c) If, at any stage of the Arbitration process, all Parties agree upon a settlement of the issues in dispute and request the Arbitrator to embody the agreement in a Consent Award, the Arbitrator shall comply with such request, unless the Arbitrator believes the terms of the agreement are illegal or undermine the integrity of the Arbitration process. If the Arbitrator is concerned about the possible consequences of the proposed Consent Award, he or she shall inform the Parties of that concern and may request additional specific information from the Parties regarding the proposed Consent Award. The Arbitrator may refuse to enter the proposed Consent Award and may withdraw from the case.

Rule 29. Sanctions

The Arbitrator may order appropriate sanctions for failure of a Party to comply with its obligations under any of these Rules or with an order of the Arbitrator. These sanctions may include, but are not limited to, assessment of Arbitration fees and Arbitrator compensation and expenses; assessment of any other costs occasioned by the actionable conduct, including reasonable attorneys' fees; exclusion of certain evidence; drawing adverse inferences; or, in extreme cases, determining an issue or issues submitted to Arbitration adversely to the Party that has failed to comply.

Rule 30. Disqualification of the Arbitrator as a Witness or Party and Exclusion of Liability

(a) The Parties may not call the Arbitrator, the Case Manager or any other JAMS employee or agent as a witness or as an expert in any pending or subsequent litigation or other proceeding involving the Parties and relating to the dispute that is the subject of the Arbitration. The Arbitrator, Case Manager and other JAMS employees and agents are also incompetent to testify as witnesses or experts in any such proceeding.

(b) The Parties shall defend and/or pay the cost (including any attorneys' fees) of defending the Arbitrator, Case Manager and/or JAMS from any subpoenas from outside parties arising from the Arbitration.

(c) The Parties agree that neither the Arbitrator, nor the Case Manager, nor JAMS is a necessary Party in any litigation or other proceeding relating to the Arbitration or the subject matter of the Arbitration, and neither the Arbitrator, nor the Case Manager, nor JAMS, including its employees or agents, shall be liable to any Party for any act or omission in connection with any Arbitration conducted under these Rules, including, but not limited to, any disqualification of or recusal by the Arbitrator.

Rule 31. Fees

(a) Each Party shall pay its *pro rata* share of JAMS fees and expenses as set forth in the JAMS fee schedule in effect at the time of the commencement of the Arbitration, unless the Parties agree on a different allocation of fees and expenses. JAMS' agreement to render services is jointly with the Party and the attorney or other representative of the Party in the Arbitration. The non-payment of fees may result in an administrative suspension of the case in accordance with Rule 6(c).

(b) JAMS requires that the Parties deposit the fees and expenses for the Arbitration from time to time during the course of the proceedings and prior to the Hearing. The Arbitrator may preclude a Party that has failed to deposit its *pro rata* or agreed-upon share of the fees and expenses from offering evidence of any affirmative claim at the Hearing.

(c) The Parties are jointly and severally liable for the payment of JAMS Arbitration fees and Arbitrator compensation

and expenses. In the event that one Party has paid more than its share of such fees, compensation and expenses, the Arbitrator may award against any other Party any such fees, compensation and expenses that such Party owes with respect to the Arbitration.

(d) Entities whose interests are not adverse with respect to the issues in dispute shall be treated as a single Party for purposes of JAMS' assessment of fees. JAMS shall determine whether the interests between entities are adverse for purpose of fees, considering such factors as whether the entities are represented by the same attorney and whether the entities are presenting joint or separate positions at the Arbitration.

Rule 32. Bracketed (or High-Low) Arbitration Option

(a) At any time before the issuance of the Arbitration Award, the Parties may agree, in writing, on minimum and maximum amounts of damages that may be awarded on each claim or on all claims in the aggregate. The Parties shall promptly notify JAMS and provide to JAMS a copy of their written agreement setting forth the agreed-upon minimum and maximum amounts.

(b) JAMS shall not inform the Arbitrator of the agreement to proceed with this option or of the agreed-upon minimum and maximum levels without the consent of the Parties.

(c) The Arbitrator shall render the Award in accordance with Rule 24.

(d) In the event that the Award of the Arbitrator is between the agreed-upon minimum and maximum amounts, the Award shall become final as is. In the event that the Award is below the agreed-upon minimum amount, the final Award issued shall be corrected to reflect the agreed-upon minimum amount. In the event that the Award is above the agreed-upon maximum amount, the final Award issued shall be corrected to reflect the agreed-upon maximum amount.

Rule 33. Final Offer (or Baseball) Arbitration Option

(a) Upon agreement of the Parties to use the option set forth in this Rule, at least seven (7) calendar days before the Arbitration Hearing, the Parties shall exchange and provide to JAMS written proposals for the amount of money damages they would offer or demand, as applicable, and

that they believe to be appropriate based on the standard set forth in Rule 24(c). JAMS shall promptly provide copies of the Parties' proposals to the Arbitrator, unless the Parties agree that they should not be provided to the Arbitrator. At any time prior to the close of the Arbitration Hearing, the Parties may exchange revised written proposals or demands, which shall supersede all prior proposals. The revised written proposals shall be provided to JAMS, which shall promptly provide them to the Arbitrator, unless the Parties agree otherwise.

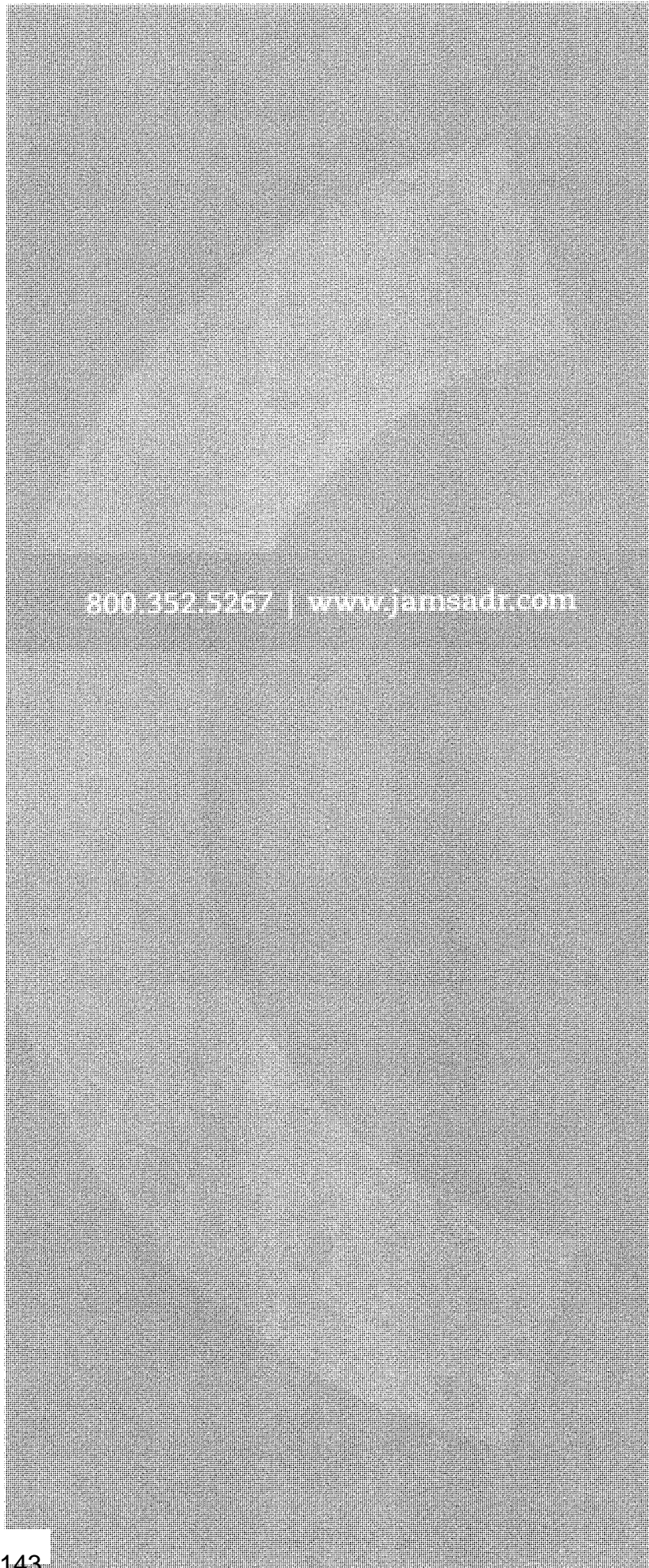
(b) If the Arbitrator has been informed of the written proposals, in rendering the Award, the Arbitrator shall choose between the Parties' last proposals, selecting the proposal that the Arbitrator finds most reasonable and appropriate in light of the standard set forth in Rule 24(c). This provision modifies Rule 24(h) in that no written statement of reasons shall accompany the Award.

(c) If the Arbitrator has not been informed of the written proposals, the Arbitrator shall render the Award as if pursuant to Rule 24, except that the Award shall thereafter be corrected to conform to the closest of the last proposals and the closest of the last proposals will become the Award.

(d) Other than as provided herein, the provisions of Rule 24 shall be applicable.

Rule 34. Optional Arbitration Appeal Procedure

The Parties may agree at any time to the JAMS Optional Arbitration Appeal Procedure. All Parties must agree in writing for such procedure to be effective. Once a Party has agreed to the Optional Arbitration Appeal Procedure, it cannot unilaterally withdraw from it, unless it withdraws, pursuant to Rule 13, from the Arbitration.



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Additional Excerpts from Merits Hearing Transcript

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1 Q Okay. And is this --

2 A About 20 -- about 10 percent, I believe.

3 Q Well, and take a look. You know what --
4 and did you -- I see.

5 So you understood the -- so you put up
6 \$404,250?

7 A That's right.

8 Q And what was this -- what property was
9 this for?

10 A For Green Valley.

11 Q And did Mr. Bidsal put up any of that
12 money?

13 A No. At that time, he said that he is
14 short on cash. And I said, "It's no problem. I
15 do have the cash." So I did put up the money.

16 Q Let's take a look at Exhibit No. 3.
17 What is this?

18 A That's the -- the -- I believe wire
19 instruction of Mr. Bidsal to his bank to send
20 money to the escrow.

21 Q All right. And take a look at Exhibit
22 No. 4.

23 A That's the closing statement.

24 Q For Green Valley?

25 A Correct.

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1 what the -- what the appraised price is. It's a
2 forced buy/sell.

3 THE ARBITRATOR: All right. Noted.
4 Thank you. Proceed.

5 BY MR. SHAPIRO:

6 Q Thank you.

7 Mr. Golshani, you commissioned an
8 appraisal in July of 2017 of property owned by
9 Green Valley Commerce; correct?

10 A Correct.

11 Q What day did you commission that
12 appraisal?

13 A I don't remember. Sometime in June,
14 July.

15 Q Okay. Looking at the first page, which
16 is Bates-stamped Bidsal 000244, this is a
17 declaration of Petra Latch. In paragraph 5, she
18 states that, "On or about July 20th, 2017, Shawn
19 Golshani contacted me and requested an appraisal
20 report be prepared on behalf of Benjamin
21 Golshani."

22 Do you see that?

23 A Yes.

24 Q Does that sound accurate to you?

25 A I -- I asked her to do, but there was

1 disadvantaged, that was -- never came up. Both
2 parties in this case at all times had the money,
3 so I don't think not having the money was an
4 issue.

5 Q Well, you could -- well, didn't you tell
6 Mr. Golshani at the outset that you were sort of
7 short of cash, that's why you wanted him to put up
8 the deposit?

9 A No.

10 Q Did he put -- did he put up all the
11 deposits for the auctions?

12 A The auction structure doesn't work that
13 way. There are two levels of deposits. One is a
14 deposit where you put up to participate in an
15 auction, and the other one is to show proof of
16 funds.

17 Q He gave you his credit cards to put up
18 the deposit for the auctions; right?

19 A In a couple of instances; and we bid on
20 multiple auctions. And few others, like three or
21 four, I did that.

22 Q Didn't he -- didn't, in fact, you max
23 out his credit cards?

24 A I don't recall doing that.

25 Q You don't? Didn't Mr. Golshani tell you

1 escrow, \$404,250.

2 A Can I look at that --

3 Q It's Exhibit No. 2.

4 A Ben put that deposit.

5 Q Okay. And then didn't he put that
6 deposit down because you told him that you were
7 short on cash?

8 A No.

9 Q Okay. Just going back to -- going back
10 to what we were talking about, Exhibit 23, when
11 you -- pardon me, Exhibit 24, which has -- this
12 has Mr. LeGrand's rewrite of rough draft two;
13 right?

14 A Yes.

15 Q Okay. So when it says -- it says --
16 does it -- did you and Mr. Golshani have a
17 discussion as to why the remaining member would
18 have the right to -- to demand an appraisal?

19 A We had many discussions, but --

20 Q Did you have a discussion about why the
21 remaining member would have the right to demand an
22 appraisal?

23 A If the remaining member is not
24 satisfied, he can always have an appraisal done.

25 Q Did you and Mr. Golshani have a

1 letter, says it's your best estimate, the current
2 fair market value.

3 Do you see that?

4 A Yes.

5 Q And that -- and was that the truth?

6 A That's my estimate, yes.

7 Q Was that your best estimate?

8 A Yes.

9 Q And what did you base that estimate on?

10 A I looked at the financials of the
11 company very briefly, and I made an estimation and
12 I told my attorney to write it up.

13 Q Did you look at the -- at the
14 information you said that you had received from
15 the brokers?

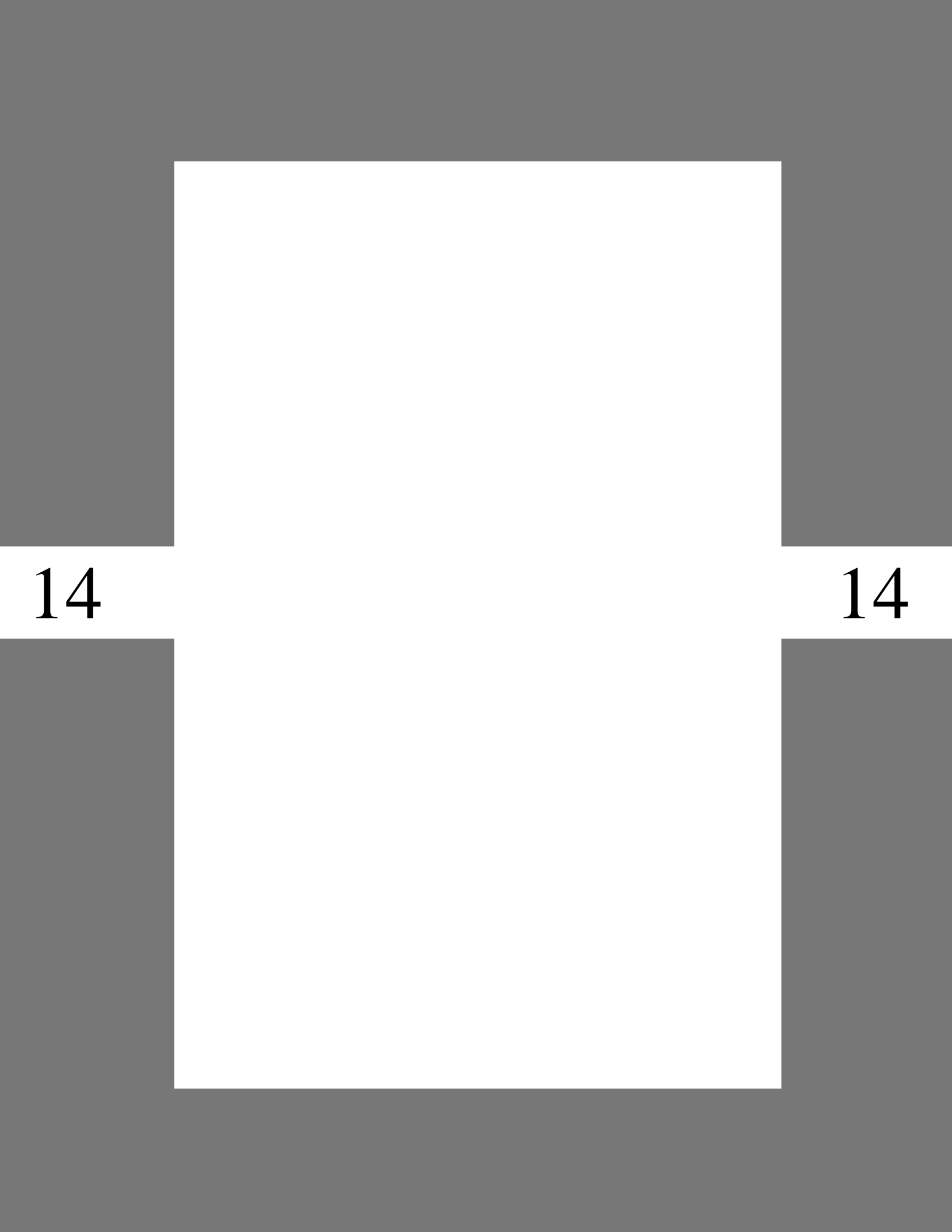
16 A No.

17 Q Did you -- did you consider the offer --
18 the listing price for the property that you had
19 listed the property for in March?

20 A No, because that didn't sell, and that
21 was expired already.

22 Q Okay. So March is, roughly -- March was
23 roughly four months away from July 7.

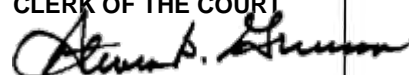
24 And I think you said that the -- that
25 the listing price was something over \$6 million?



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Petitioner,

vs.

SHAWN BIDSAL, an individual,

Respondent.

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**CLA'S MEMORANDUM OF POINTS
AND AUTHORITIES IN SUPPORT OF
PETITION FOR CONFIRMATION OF
ARBITRATION AWARD AND IN
OPPOSITION TO COUNTER-PETITION
TO VACATE AWARD**

Petitioner CLA Properties LLC ("CLA"), hereby submits its Memorandum of Points and Authorities in support of its petition for an order, confirming Arbitration award entered on April 5, 2019 ("Award"), in JAMS Arbitration Number: 1260004569 in favor of CLA and against Respondent, Shawn Bidsal ("Bidsal"), and in opposition to Bidsal's counter-petition to vacate the Award.

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17	<i>Schoenduve Corp. v. Lucent Technologies</i>	
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26	109 Nev., 847 P.3d 727 (1993)	30
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1. INTRODUCTION

Respondent's Opposition to CLA's Petition For Confirmation of Arbitration Award And Counter-petition to Vacate Award ("Opposition" or "Opp.") is truly no more than Respondent's quarreling with the decision of Arbitrator Judge Stephen E. Haberfeld and his asking this Court to **retry the entire case**. Not only did Judge Haberfeld hold a two day hearing at which he received evidence, Judge Harberfeld had the benefit of not less than 12 briefs filed by the parties. Prior to the arbitration there were counter-motions for summary judgment in which each side submitted opening, reply and opposition briefs. In addition, there were 6 briefs filed by the parties in connection with the arbitration, again, a Pre-Arbitration Brief, then each side submitted a Closing brief and a Reply Brief to the Opposition's Closing Brief pursuant to a schedule agreed to by the parties.¹ Judge Haberfeld did exactly what he was engaged to do— interpret the Buy-Sell Agreement; that he found against Bidsal is not grounds for vacating the award.

In significant measure, the Opposition is premised on Bidsal's own testimony, while wholly ignoring important facts and contradictory evidence (not the least of which is the stated "Specific Intent" language in the Agreement) and the fact that Bidsal was impeached and that Judge Haberfeld, who reviewed the all of the briefs filed by the parties, and heard all of the evidence, found Bidsal to be not credible.² Truly, a thorough reading of Judge Haberfeld's detailed Award (Ex. MM, App

^{1/}Exhibits 108, 109, 110, 111, 112, 113, 115, 116, 118, 119, 120 and 121, respectively PX 166, 374, 430, 439, 455, 468, 483, 515, 984, 1030, 1066 and 1114. Respondent's lettered exhibits are alphabetically listed in Respondent's Appendix; numbered exhibits referred to herein are those of Petitioner and are numerically listed in Petitioner's separately filed Appendix. Petitioner uses the same abbreviations for Bidsal's Appendix as did Bidsal: "APP" Petitioner's Appendix is herein abbreviated "PX." All Appendix page numbering is with six figures with zeros before the number; herein only the actual number and not the preceding zeros will be shown. Unless otherwise stated page, line and paragraph references are to the Exhibit rather than to the Appendix number. Exhibit 117 is the transcript of the arbitration hearing, day 1 starting at PX 559 and day 2 starting at PX 781. So that it can be quickly recognized, instead of identification by exhibit number it will be referred to as "Tr." with page numbers those in the transcript along with the Appendix page number of the first page of the transcript for day 1 or day when it took place, PX 559 or 781. Other than the transcript all of CLA's exhibits were either filed with the Arbitrator or made exhibits at the hearing.

Bidsal's Ex. Q, V and W, APP 453, 493 and 529, respectively were neither exhibits introduced in the arbitration proceeding nor filed with the Arbitrator.

^{2/} Given that Bidsal not only falsely claimed he had not received two vital e-mails (Exhibits 101, PX_3 and P, APP 449), but he also fabricated an exhibit (Ex. 114, PX_481) purportedly to prove his claim, only to concede at hearing that in fact he had received each of the e-mails. (Ex. 115 at

1 1088) demonstrates that Bidsal's positions then and now have no merit, that the Award should be
2 confirmed.

3 4 2. BASIC FACTS

5 In 2011 Petitioner ("CLA") and Bidsal signed an Operating Agreement for Green Valley
6 Commerce, LLC. (Ex. O, APP 420) Section 4 of Article V commences on page 10 and the relevant
7 portions read as follows, and using same bold and indenting features (underscoring added):

8 **Section 4. Purchase or Sell Right among Members.**

9 In the event that a Member is willing to purchase the Remaining Member's Interest in the
10 Company then the procedures and terms of Section 4.2. shall apply.

11 **Section 4.1 Definitions.**

12 Offering Member means the member who offers to purchase the membership Interest(s)
13 of the Remaining Member. "Remaining members" means the Members who received an
14 offer (from Offering Member) to sell their shares.

"COP" means the "cost of purchase" . . .

"Seller" means [*word never again appears*]

14 "FMV" means "fair market value" obtained as specified in section 4.2

15 **Section 4.2 Purchase or Sell Procedure.**

16 Any Member ("Offering Member") may give notice to the Remaining Member(s)
17 that he or it is ready, willing and able to purchase the Remaining Members' Interests for a
18 price the Offering Member thinks is the fair market value. The terms to be all cash and
19 close escrow within 30 days of the acceptance.

20 If the offered price is not acceptable to the Remaining Member(s), within 30 days of
21 receiving the offer, the Remaining Members (or any of them) can request to establish
22 FMV based on the following procedure. [*Procedure calls for two appraisers.*] The
23 medium of these 2 appraisals constitute the fair market value of the property which is
24 called (FMV).

25 The Offering Member has the option to offer to purchase the Remaining Member's share at
26 FMV as determined by Section 4.2, based on the following formula.

27 (FMV - COP) x 0.5 plus capital contribution of the Remaining Member(s) at the time of
28 purchasing the property minus prorated liabilities.

The Remaining Member(s) shall have 30 days within which to respond in writing to the

3:15 and 3:21, PX 485 at 487, and Tr. 179:11-180:2 and 378:9-279:20, PX 559 and 781.) As
26 another example Bidsal testified that he sent out his offer so that he could close out this deal and
27 get out of managing Green Valley (Tr. 390:14-18, PX 781). But his offer to buy is the exact
28 opposite of getting out of Green Valley. Little wonder that Judge Haberfeld did not buy Bidsal's
testimony or story, and ruled against him.

Offering Member by either

- (i) Accepting the Offering Member's purchase offer, or.
- (ii) Rejecting the purchase offer and making a counteroffer to purchase the interest of the Offering Member based upon the same fair market value (FMV) according to the following formula.

$(\text{FMV} - \text{COP}) \times 0.5 + \text{capital contribution of the Offering Member(s) at the time of purchasing the property minus prorated liabilities.}$

The specific intent of this provision is that once the Offering Member presented his or its offer to the Remaining Members, then the Remaining Members shall either sell or buy at the same offered price (or FMV if appraisal is invoked) and according to the procedure set forth in Section 4. In the case that the Remaining Member(s) decide to purchase, then Offering Member shall be obligated to sell his or its Member Interests to the remaining Member(s).

Section 4.3 Failure To Respond Constitutes Acceptance

Failure by all or any of the Remaining Members to respond to the Offering Member's notice within the thirty (30) day period shall be deemed to constitute an acceptance of the Offering Member.

Before describing the remaining operative facts CLA calls attention to these aspects:

1. The right (§ 4 caption) described is not a right to buy, but rather a right to buy or sell;
2. The ultimate amount to be paid is a formula stated twice which is the same whether Offering Member buys or sells: one-half of the increase in value of the property, stated as the sum of fair market value less the cost multiplied by 0.5 plus the capital contribution of the selling Member and less any prorated liabilities so that the reference to "price," which is the amount the "Offering Member thinks is the fair market value" is truly only of one element of that price (and Bidsal has acknowledged that Tr. 390:1-5, PX 781);
3. Only the Remaining Member is given the right to demand an appraisal, but if he does so, then the Offering Member "has the option to offer to purchase" or in other words is not bound to buy at the appraised value;
4. The Remaining Member has the option of rejecting the offer and instead "counteroffer to purchase the interest of the Offering member based upon the **same fair market value**," but there is no antecedent reference to "fair market value" to which it can be the "same" except the amount in the notice from the Offering Member;
5. While the words "offer" and "counteroffer" are used neither recipient can simply reject and kill the process; the Remaining Member must either accept the offer or counteroffer and the Offering Member in response to counteroffer must sell, all as expressed in the final portion that **"The specific intent of this provision is that once the Offering Member presented his or its offer to the Remaining Members, then the Remaining Members shall either sell or buy at the same offered price (or FMV if appraisal is**

invoked) and according to the procedure set forth in Section 4. In the case that the Remaining Member(s) decide to purchase, then Offering Member shall be obligated to sell his or its Member Interests to the remaining Member(s).” (Emphasis Added)

Except when the Remaining Member demands an appraisal, there is no possible meaning to the words “offered price” other than the amount included in Offering Member’s notice, and Bidsal has conceded that. (Ex. 108 8:7, PX 166 at 174) and (Ex. 110 5:8, PX 430 at 114). The Award in part states, “That ‘specific intent’ language is express, specific and could not be more clear as to these parties’ objectively manifested ‘specific intent’ to be so bound.”^{3/} (Ex. MM ¶ 13, APP 1088 at 420 at 427.)

Bidsal totally ignores this very clear and unambiguous statement of the parties intent; **NOT ONCE is it mentioned in his 39 page Opposition**, although it was discussed at some length in the Award. If there was any ambiguity in the buy-sell section it says what is supposed to happen. Why Bidsal ignores this is obvious and disingenuous at best, but by ignoring the parties clearly stated intent Bidsal has waived any contrary interpretation. Instead Bidsal falsely argues, “It is also to note that there is no draft that includes both ‘sell’ and ‘purchase’ in the same sentence.” Opp. 8:8. Not only does the specific intent sentence include both those words in the same sentence, just as did prior drafts, but it also uses the words “buy” and “sell” in the same sentence, and similar words (“sell or purchase”) existed in five earlier drafts^{4/}.

On July 7, 2017 Bidsal, acting through his attorney, James Shapiro, offered to buy CLA’s membership interest in Green Valley Commerce, LLC (“Green Valley”) “pursuant to and on the terms and conditions set forth in Section 4 of Article V.” (Ex. Y, APP 588.) In it Bidsal is identified as the Offering Member and stated his “best estimate of the current fair market value of the Company is \$5,000,000 (the ‘FMV’)” and that “the foregoing FMV shall be used to calculate the purchase price of the Membership Interest to be sold.” What jumps out is that Bidsal acting through his attorney said

^{3/} In support, Judge Haberfeld cited “*American First Federal Credit Union v. Soro*, 359 P.3d 105, 106 (Nev. 2015), quoting and citing *Davis v. Beling*, 279 P.3d 501,515 (Nev. 2011).”

^{4/} ¶ 7 of Ex. J, APP 294 at 306 “sell or purchase;” ¶ 7.1 of Ex. N, APP at 417 “sell or purchase;” ¶ 7.2 of Ex. P, APP at 451 “sell or buy;” ¶ 7.2 of Ex. S, ¶ 7.2 of Ex. S, APP at 457 “sell or buy;” and ¶ 4.2 of Ex 103, PX 12 “sell or buy.”

1 that his offered \$5,000,000 was the FMV and that the stated use of “the foregoing FMV” is not
2 limited to sale of “your” Membership Interest, but rather is to the “the Membership Interest to be
3 sold.”

4 On August 3rd CLA responded that instead it would buy Bidsal’s membership interest using
5 the same \$5,000,000 fair market value. (Ex. AA, APP 827.) Two days later Mr. Shapiro once again
6 acting for Bidsal responded that Bidsal “does hereby invoke his right to establish the FMV by
7 appraisal.” (Ex. BB, APP 829.) In other words he refused to sell using the \$5,000,000 as the FMV.

8 That framed what has been called the core issue: **If the Remaining Member elects to buy
9 instead of sell, does the Offering Member have the right to an appraisal?**

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11 **3. THE OFFERING MEMBER HAS NO RIGHT TO AN APPRAISAL**

12 The whole purpose of a buy-sell is to enable a party to extricate himself from his relationship
13 with the another. One way to do that, which Judge Haberfeld ruled was what happened here, is to do
14 so quickly and easily by having the party wanting “out” to set a price at which the other party then can
15 elect either to buy or be bought out at that price. That concept was specifically discussed by the
16 parties with their attorney, David LeGrand, as he so testified during the course of drafting the
17 Agreement. (Tr. 282:5-11, 282:20-25, 283:1-6, 284:11-20, 286:1-7 and 298:8-13, PX 781 and Ex. K,
18 APP 352.) David LeGrand in 2011 called it a “Dutch Auction” and at his deposition also referred to
19 it as “forced buy-sell.” (*Id.*)

20 It is all but axiomatic that in setting a price the disenchanted party wanting an end to the
21 relationship would want to set a low figure if he ends up buying and a high figure if he ends up
22 selling. In an ideal situation the party making the offer would select a price equal to the actual value;
23 but the entire concept is that the party wanting “out,” wants it bad enough that he is willing to subject
24 himself either to paying more or receiving less than otherwise he would pay or accept, unless of
25 course if his intent is to attempt to take advantage of his partner.

26 Bidsal’s entire position rested on his assertion that the one and only definition of “FMV” is
27 that appearing in the sentence at the end of portion describing appraisal process if appraisal is
28 demanded by a Remaining Member (which CLA did not demand). It reads, “The medium of these 2

1 appraisals constitute the fair market value of the property which is called (FMV).” But as Judge
 2 Haberfeld recognized, that position makes no sense. (Ex. OO pg 6, ¶10.B, APP 420 at 426.) FMV is
 3 an element of the amount to be paid for the other’s membership interest whether the Remaining
 4 Member accepts or rejects the offer. But if there is no FMV except when there is an appraisal, there
 5 could never be a purchase or sale if the Remaining Member accepted the offer (or just failed to
 6 respond whatsoever) because one element of the formula would always be missing. That was a
 7 critical factor in Judge Haberfeld’s Award stated not only in Ex. MM, ¶ 10B, APP 1088 at 1094, but
 8 even more clearly in ¶ 18 at APP 1097:

9 18. Beyond the parties’ signed, closely read, express Section 4.2 specific intent, per se,
 10 there is an unanswered logical flaw in Bidsal’s position - which the Arbitrator has
 11 determined to be “outcome determinative.” That is, Mr. Bidsal’s position might be
 12 plausible in the situation in which he has found himself on August 3 – after and in light of
 13 CLA’s written response to his July 7 offer - but it does not and cannot work in all “buy-
 sell” contingencies contemplated by Section 4.2, given that section’s formula, specific
 intent language and all other language in that section, without Mr. Bidsal sub silentio
 conceding the correctness of CLA’s internally consistent position which “works” in all
 contemplated Section 4.2 “buy-sell” contingencies.

14 A. Specifically, without that important concession, Mr. Bidsal would be unable to assign
 15 a “FMV” value to the Section 4.2 formula in contingencies in which CLA accepted or
 16 deliberately or inadvertently failed to respond to Mr. Bidsal’s July 7 offer timely, properly
 at all.

17 B. Under the parties’ agreed formula for arriving at the “buyout” price, as set forth
 18 immediately above the “specific intent” provision of Section 4.2 – regardless of who is
 19 the buyer – the buy-out price could not be computed, and Mr. Bidsal’s contemplated
 transaction be completed or performed or enforced, without \$5 million being “FMV” in
 the formula, if CLA, via Mr. Golshani, accepted or ignored the Offering Member’s
 Section 4.2 offer.

20 That critical fact is not just raised by CLA now for the first time. Rather CLA challenged
 21 Bidsal to state what the FMV is if the Remaining Member accepts the offer (alternative (i) in Section
 22 4.2) or fails to respond (treated as acceptance under §4.3) since in neither instance will there be any
 23 appraisal even under Bidsal’s contention.⁵ And it is not as though Bidsal could not have known he

24 ^{5/} Section 4.2 sets out the formula to determine the amount the Offering Member must pay the
 25 Remaining Member the first part of which reads “(FMV-COP) x 0.5.” The very next portion of
 26 Section 4.2 gives the Remaining Member 30 days to respond either “(i) accepting the Offering
 27 Member’s purchase offer, or (ii) rejecting the purchase offer and making a counteroffer to purchase
 the interest of the Offering Member based upon the same fair market value (FMV) . . .” Had
 CLA chosen option (i) the FMV would have been the amount in the offer, \$5,000,000, just as Bidsal
 acknowledged (Tr. 383:8-13, PX 781).

28 But what if the Remaining Member chooses option (ii) as CLA did here. Then what is the
 “same fair market value (FMV)?” If, as was the case here the Remaining Member, CLA, did not

1 should address this challenge if he had any answer (he doesn't). No, in fact CLA has made this point
 2 in not less than five different briefs⁶ following which Bidsal presented briefs. **YET BIDSAL HAS**
 3 **NEVER RESPONDED TO THIS CHALLENGE IN ANY OF HIS BRIEFS BECAUSE HE**
 4 **CANNOT.** Little wonder Judge Haberfeld rejected Bidsal's contention.

5 Moreover this same point (almost verbatim) is in the Proposed Interim Award (Ex. FF, APP
 6 858) bearing the same paragraph numbers as in the final Award. Paragraph 3 on page 14 of the prior
 7 Merits Order (Ex. EE, APP 842) give Bidsal the right to file objections to the thereafter filed
 8 Proposed Interim Award and Bidsal did so on November 20, 2018 (Ex. HH, APP 967⁷), and on March
 9 3, 2019 Bidsal again filed Objections to the Interim Award (Ex. LL, APP 1085) but never addressed
 10 this challenge.

11 Bidsal contends that instead the word "same" in the phrase "same fair market value" must be
 12 to the earlier mention of appraisal to determine fair market value when appraisal is requested by the
 13 Remaining Member. In determining the antecedent of "same fair market value" ordinarily the "last
 14 antecedent rule" supports Judge Haberfeld's interpretation and conclusion that it must be the amount
 15 that immediately before the reference that is used if the offer is accepted.⁸

16 As we have noted above Section 4.2 concludes with

17 "The specific intent of this provision is that . . .the Remaining Members **shall either sell or**
 18 **demand an appraisal,** the only possible amount is the amount offered by the Offering Member, here
 19 Bidsal. Even if not the only possible amount, certainly it is at a minimum a reasonable interpretation
 by Judge Haberfeld.

20 ^{6/} Ex. 111, PX 439 starting at 6:20, Ex 112, PX 455, starting at 8:13, Section 5.5.3 of Ex, 116, PX
 21 515, Section 7.1.C on page 30 of Ex.118, PX 984 and 4:15 of Ex. 120, PX 1066.

22 ^{7/} Note: Bidsal's Appendix List erroneously switches the names of the papers identified in Exhibits
 HH and LL.

23 ^{8/} In a case involving interpretation of a contract, the court in *People ex rel. Lockyer v. R.J. Reynolds*
 24 *Tobacco Co.*, 107 Cal.App.4th 516,529, 132 Cal.R.2d 151,161 (2003) referred to "A longstanding
 25 rule of statutory construction-the "last antecedent rule"-provides that "qualifying words, phrases and
 26 clauses are to be applied to the words or phrases immediately preceding and are not to be construed as
 27 extending to or including others more remote" ' ' and cited other cases in which the same rule applied
 28 to contract interpretation. *State Farm Mut. Auto. Ins. Co. v. Eastman* 158 Cal.App.3d 562, 569, 204
 Cal.Rptr. 827 (1984) and *Anderson v. State Farm Mut. Auto. Ins. Co.* 270 Cal.App.2d 346, 349, 75
 Cal.Rptr. 739 (1969). While Nevada law governs, Bidsal has claimed "[A]lthough Nevada law
 controls, Nevada courts do consider California cases if they assist with the interpretation (Ex. 108
 7:1, PX 166).

1 **buy at the same offered price (or FMV if appraisal is invoked)** . . . In the case that the
 2 Remaining member(s) decide to purchase, then **the Offering Member shall be obligated to**
 3 **sell his or its member interests to the remaining Member(s).**" (Emphasis added.)

4 Judge Haberfeld's determination that the FMV in purchase by CLA is the \$5,000,000 offered by
 5 Bidsal, if not required by the foregoing, surely is supported by it.

6 The conjunction "or" in the parenthetical phrase "or FMV if appraisal is invoked" necessarily
 7 must mean that a different amount is used if there is no appraisal, and that therefore the reference in
 8 the specific intent provision to the Remaining Member's buying or selling at "the same offered price"
 9 is to an amount determined without appraisal, and the only amount to which it could possibly refer is
 10 the offered amount by the Offering Member.

11 Additionally the parenthetical exception for appraisal by the very words applies only "if
 12 appraisal is invoked," and here it was not invoked by the Remaining Member, the only party given the
 13 right to so invoke.

14 Bidsal's contention would have made the words "same offered price" and "or," or "if appraisal
 15 invoked" meaningless. Whether the writing be a contract, a statute or a constitution, one principle
 16 appears to be nationwide: that if at all possible every part shall be given meaning. Seemingly both
 17 parties agree on that.⁹ Bidsal originally contended that as Offering Member he had the right to
 18 demand an appraisal. (Ex. BB, APP 829 and Ex. 10, PX 430.) When CLA noted that there was
 19 nothing that would support that contention, Bidsal, changed tunes and acknowledged his prior claim
 20 was false but instead argued that appraisal was automatic if the Remaining Member decided to buy
 21 rather than sell. (Ex. 112 5:26, PX 455 and Tr. 381:16-384:4, PX 940-943.) Little wonder Judge
 22 Haberfeld did not buy his story.

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 25 ^{9/} Bidsal has stated: "A court should not interpret a contract so as to make its provisions meaningless.
 26 See, *Phillips v. Mercer* (1978) 94 Nev. 279, 579 P.2d 174. . . .[T]he court will prefer the interpretation
 27 which gives meaning to both or all provisions rather than an interpretation which renders one of the
 28 provisions meaningless. See, *Quirion v. Sherman* (1993) 109 Nev. 62, 846 P.2d 1051 (1993). To
 that end, in construing contracts, every word must be given effect if at all possible. See, *Royal*
Indemnity Company v. Special Service Supply Company (1996) 82 Nev. 148, 413 P.2d 500 (1966)."
 (Ex 108, pages 6-7, PX 172.)

4. OVERVIEW OF BIDSAL'S ARGUMENTS AND APPLICABLE LAW

Bidsal relies on 9 U.S.C §§ 10(a)(2) (“evident partiality”) and (4) (“the arbitrators exceeded their powers, or so imperfectly executed them that a mutual, final and definite award upon the subject matter submitted was not made”) . An examination of the Opposition shows that the entire 39 pages boils down to these claims: First, Judge Haberfeld failed to conclude that Benjamin Golshani, Petitioner’s principal, drafted Section 4 of Article V of the Operating Agreement for Green Valley Commerce, LLC (“Section 4 ”), and if Golshani were the draftsman, then Bidsal’s interpretation that he was entitled to demand an appraisal had to be followed no matter how in conflict that was both with the language of Section 4 and the evidence of intent. In every respect he is wrong; there was evidence that Bidsal was the last to draft that Section (Ex. 103, PX 12, 104, PX 43, 105, PX 45, 106, PX 104, Tr.101:9-103:9, 104:19-105:18, 166:4-168:4, PX 559, Tr. 297:21-298:2, PX 781 and U, APP 462). Further, the Arbitrator said that his decision would be the same even if Golshani had been the draftsman (§ 17 of Ex. MM pg 9, APP 1088 at 1097).

Second, Bidsal claims that the Arbitrator made his decision not based on the facts but rather on “rough justice.” In fact to the extent the Arbitrator mentioned “rough justice,” what he said was not that he was relying upon it, but rather the provision in question achieved “rough justice.” (§ 8 of Ex. MM pg 5, APP 1088 at 1093.)

Bidsal cites both federal and Nevada cases and statutes. We likewise discuss both federal and Nevada law, without prejudice to CLA’s position that it is the FAA and not Nevada law that should govern the pending petitions.¹⁰

In ruling on these Petitions the following principles apply:

^{10/} Article III, Section 14 of the Agreement (Ex. O, APP 418) in part provides, “The arbitration shall be governed by the United Arbitration Act (“FAA”), 9 U.S.C. § 1 et seq.” while Article X, Section “d” provides “In all respects this Agreement shall be governed and construed in accordance with the laws of the state of Nevada.”

The reconciliation of seemingly inconsistent provisions regarding the law to apply has been addressed in *WPH Architecture, Inc. V. Vegas VP, LP*, 131 Nev. Adv.Op 88 page 3, 360 P.3d 1145,1147 (2015). The court relied on *Mastrobuono v. Shearson Lehman Hutton, Inc.*, 514 U.S. 52,63-64 , 115 S.Ct. 1212 (1995) that effect had to be given to all provisions, and therefore the substantive provisions of the contract would be those of the state and the procedural aspect of the arbitration would be governed by the arbitration rules. That would seemingly make the FAA rather than Nevada statute or common law applicable to procedural motions to confirm or vacate an award.

1 Courts presume that arbitrators are acting within the scope of their authority. Parties
2 moving to vacate an award on the ground that an arbitrator exceeded his or her authority
3 have the burden of demonstrating by clear and convincing evidence how the arbitrator
4 exceeded that authority . . .

5 Arbitrators exceed their powers when they address issues or make awards outside the
6 scope of the governing contract. The broader the arbitration clause in a contract, the
7 greater the scope of an arbitrator's powers. However, allegations that an arbitrator
8 misinterpreted the agreement or made factual or legal errors do not support vacating an
9 award as being in excess of the arbitrator's powers. Arbitrators do not exceed their
10 powers if their interpretation of an agreement, even if erroneous, is rationally grounded in
11 the agreement. The question is whether the arbitrator had the authority under the
12 agreement to decide an issue, not whether the issue was correctly decided. Review under
13 excess-of-authority grounds is limited and only granted in very unusual circumstances."

14 *Health Plan of Nev., Inc. v. Rainbow Med., LLC*, 120 Nev. 689, 697-698, 100 P.3d 172, 178 (2004).

15 The arbitration clause in Section 14.1 of the Agreement (Ex. O, pg 7 and APP 420 at 427)
16 provides, "any controversy, dispute or claim arising out of or relating in any way to this Agreement or
17 the transactions arising hereunder shall be settled exclusively by arbitration." It could hardly have
18 been "broader," and each of the matters decided by Judge Haberfeld are within rather than "outside
19 the scope of the governing contract". The cases cited by Bidsal actually support Judge Haberfeld's
20 award.

21 Yet it is clear that the "exceeded their powers" clause of § 10(a)(4) does not encompass
22 Kyocera's claims; the clause provides for vacatur only when arbitrators purport to
23 exercise powers that the parties did not intend them to possess or otherwise display a
24 manifest disregard for the law. The risk that arbitrators may construe the governing law
25 imperfectly in the course of delivering a decision that attempts in good faith to interpret
26 the relevant law, or may make errors with respect to the evidence on which they base their
27 rulings, is a risk that every party to arbitration assumes, and such legal and factual errors
28 lie far outside the category of conduct embraced by § 10(a)(4).

29 *Kyocera, Corp. V. Prudential-Bache Trade Servs., Inc.* 341 F.3d 987, 1002-1003 (9th Cir., 2003)
30 relied upon by Bidsal, Opp. 18:12.

31 In *French v. Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner and Smith*, 784 F.2d 902,906 (9th Cir., 1986),
32 cited by the court in *Kyocera*, the court stated the fountainhead principle that confirmation is required
33 even in the face of "erroneous findings of fact or misinterpretations of law." *French*, in turn, was
34 relied upon *George Day Construction Co., v. United Brotherhood of Carpenters*, 722 F.2d 1471,1477
35 (9th Cir., 1984) where at 1479 the court said:

36 We find no reason "to assume that this arbitrator has abused the trust the parties have

1 confided in him” by disregarding the express terms of the contractual provision that he
2 was called upon to interpret.” *Id.* Because the question is essentially one of contract
3 interpretation, we defer to the arbitrator.

4 The same is true here. There is no basis to assume the Arbitrator disregarded the express
5 terms of the contract; this case was “essentially one of contract interpretation” and thus for this reason
6 alone the court should “defer to the arbitrator.”

7 Similarly in *Stolt-Nielsen, S.A. v. Animal Feeds International*, 559 U.S. 662, 130 S.Ct. 1758
8 (2010), likewise relied upon by Bidsal (Opp. 18:15) the court at 671 said,

9 Petitioners contend that the decision of the arbitration panel must be vacated, but in order
10 to obtain that relief, they must clear a high hurdle. It is not enough for petitioners to show
11 that the panel committed an error—or even serious error.

12 Bidsal also relies on *Major League Baseball Players Assn. v. Garvey*, 532 U.S. 504, 509, 121
13 S.Ct. 1724 (2001). (Opp, 18:16.) In part the Supreme Court there said:

14 The Court of Appeals . . . found the arbitrator's refusal to [credit some evidence] at
15 worst “irrational” and at best “bizarre.” [Citation omitted.]. But even “serious error”
16 on the arbitrator's part does not justify overturning his decision, where, as here, he is
17 construing a contract and acting within the scope of his authority. 532 U.S. at 510.

18 The conclusion to be drawn from that discussion is either that even being “irrational” and
19 “bizarre” are not grounds for vacating or that misconstruing a contract does not qualify as “irrational.”
20 Yet all that Judge Haberfeld did here was construe the contract. As the *Garvey* court stated: “[T]he
21 arbitrator's ‘improvident, even silly, fact finding’ does not provide a basis for a reviewing court to
22 refuse to enforce the award. 532 U.S. at 510.

23 Bidsal also relies upon *ASPIC Eng’g & Constr. Co. V. ECC Centcom Constructors LLC*, 913
24 F.3d 1162 (9th Cir., 2019). There the court stated: “[n]either erroneous legal conclusions nor
25 unsubstantiated factual findings justify federal court review of an arbitral award” and that “Review of
26 an arbitration award is ‘both limited and highly deferential’” *Id* at 1166.

27 In *Oxford Health Plans LL v. Sutter*, 569 U.S. 564, 133 S.Ct. 2064 (2013), the Court stated

28 So the sole question for us is whether the arbitrator (even arguably) interpreted the
 parties' contract, not whether he got its meaning right or wrong . . .
 Because the parties [here CLA and Bidsal] “bargained for the arbitrator’s construction
 of their agreement,” an [here, the] arbitral decision “even arguably construing or
 applying the contract” must stand, regardless of a court’s view of its (de)merits. . .
 [T]he sole question for us is whether the arbitrator (even arguably) interpreted the
 parties contact, not whether he its meaning right or wrong. *Id* at 569.

To overturn his decision, we would have to rely on a finding that he misapprehended the parties' intent. But § 10(a) (4) bars that course: It permits courts to vacate an arbitral decision only when the arbitrator strayed from his delegated task of interpreting a contract, not when he performed that task poorly. * * * [C]onvincing a court of an arbitrator's error—even his grave error—is not enough. . . [A] court may not correct his mistakes under §10(a) (4). The potential for those mistakes is the price of agreeing to arbitration. . . The arbitrator did what the parties requested: He provided an interpretation of the contract resolving that disputed issue. His interpretation went against Oxford, maybe mistakenly so. But still, Oxford does not get to rerun the matter in a court. Under § 19(a) (4), the question for a judge is not whether the arbitrator construed the parties contract correctly, but whether he construed it at all. *Id* at 571-573.

So even if this court should believe that Judge Haberfeld got it wrong, that would not be grounds to vacate the award.

Also see *United Steelworkers of America v. Enterprise Wheel & Car Corp.*, 363 U.S.593, 80 S.Ct.1358 (1960):

The . . . agreement could have provided that if . . . the employees were wrongfully discharged, the remedy would be reinstatement and back pay up to the date they were returned to work. Respondent's major argument seems to be that by applying correct principles of law to the interpretation of the . . . agreement . . . the agreement did not so provide, and that therefore the arbitrator's decision was not based upon the contract. **The acceptance of this view would require courts, even under the standard arbitration clause, to review the merits of every construction of the contract. This plenary review by a court of the merits would make meaningless the provisions that the arbitrator's decision is final, for in reality it would almost never be final. . . It is the arbitrator's construction which was bargained for; and so far as the arbitrator's decision concerns construction of the contract, the courts have no business overruling him because their interpretation of the contract is different from his.** (Emphasis added.) 363 U.S. at 598, 599.

Yet that is exactly what Bidsal here is attempting. He is seeking review of the merits of the arbitrator's construction of the contract making meaningless the provision in this contract that "[t]he award rendered by the arbitrator shall be final and not subject to judicial review." Article III, Section 14.1 of Exhibit O, APP 420 at 427. After bargaining for the construction of the agreement by an arbitrator, he seeks to have a court overruling the arbitrator which "the courts have no business overruling."

Finally, Bidsal cites *Bohlmann v. Printz And Ash*, 120 Nev. 543, 96 P.3d 1155 (2004). There the court said:

Bohlmann's argument assumes that the district court acted as an appellate court reviewing the arbitrator's decision. This assumption is incorrect. The district court's review of an arbitrator's actions is far more limited than an appellate court's review of a trial court's actions. 120 Nev at 546, 96 P.3d at 1157.

1 But Bidsal does not merely ask this Court to review as would an appellate court, he wants this
2 Court to retry the case as a trial court! And what else does Bidsal argue other than that Judge
3 Haberfeld was not “correct” and on the merits he, Bidsal, should have prevailed?

4 With or without such principles, none of Bidsal’s claims to this Court are right. Judge
5 Haberfeld did not commit any error, much less “plain” error (as claimed by Bidsal at Opp. 2:11) and
6 as just noted such error does not enable Bidsal to avoid confirmation of the Award. Judge Haberfeld
7 did not disregard some law that he had recognized (as claimed by Bidsal at Opp. 2:2), and Bidsal
8 identifies no such law. Judge Haberfeld did not misconstrue any facts, much less undisputed facts
9 (as claimed by Bidsal at Opp 2:22), and had he done so, still the foregoing authorities teach that that is
10 not grounds to vacate an award.

11 Judge Haberfeld did not exceed his powers (as Bidsal argues at Opp. 2:22). Finally Bidsal’s
12 complaint that Judge Haberfeld ignored evidence and misinterpreted the Agreement is neither true nor
13 grounds to avoid confirmation of the Award.

14 At Opp. 33:19 Bidsal acknowledges what we suggest in FN. 10 that truly Nevada law,
15 including its adoption of common law applicable to seeking vacation of an award, should not be
16 considered, and rather only the FAA “is controlling.”

18 **5. ADDITIONAL EVIDENCE SUPPORTING JUDGE HABERFELD’S FINDINGS**

19 **5.1. Bidsal Controlled the Final Drafting; the Parties wanted a “forced buy-sell”.**

20 Rather than addressing the significant evidence in support of the Award, Bidsal spends half of
21 page 3, all of page 4 and most of page 5 of the Opposition with facts having nothing to do with
22 allowed grounds for attacking an arbitration award, as well misrepresenting the evidence. An
23 example of this is at 5:10 where Bidsal claims that On June 17, 2011 Jeff Chain provided CLA’s
24 principal, Ben Golshani, with a form operating agreement citing the Transcript of hearing 360:11-18
25 and Exhibit “E”. That transcript portion does not mention anything about an operating agreement and
26 the Exhibit shows that the form was sent to Mr. Golshani by Bidsal not Jeff Chain. And of course
27 Bidsal’s selective portions of the Transcript omits Mr. Golshani’s testimony that he never received
28 anything from anyone other than Bidsal until well after a July 22, 2011 meeting with attorney

1 LeGrand. (Tr. 53:7-54:21, PX 559.) Bidsal has argued that the “Dutch Auction” concept was not
2 introduced until late in the game. Evidence to the exact contrary is what was presented at the
3 arbitration hearing. Space limitations prevents CLA from pointing out all of the misrepresentations of
4 evidence by Bidsal.

5 Before there was any draft, Bidsal and Golshani had already orally agreed that the Operating
6 Agreement would include a provision “that for whatever reason, if we don’t want to be together or
7 somebody is not—doesn’t want to work in Las Vegas or whatever, there should be a way to separate
8 without having to go into court” (Tr. 44:23-45:7, 45:17-18, PX 559), and they told that to the
9 attorney, David LeGrand, at the first meeting of the three of them (Tr. 58:22-60:7, 70:7-71:1, 73:25
10 and 86:2-7, PX 559).

11 Golshani testified that from his first meeting with the company’s attorney, David LeGrand on
12 July 21st ¹¹ (Ex. H, APP 211 and Tr. 57:1-4, PX 559) the parties made clear to LeGrand that they
13 wanted an exit plan that was quick and simple by allowing the Offering Member to make an offer and
14 there set the offered price, and the Remaining Member then have the right to sell (his interest) or buy
15 (the Offering Member’s interest) based on the offered price. “We need to have a system that if a
16 partner doesn’t want to be a partner, should be able to somehow buy or sell and leave the partnership
17 amicably.” (Tr. 46:2-5, PX 559.) “And I said that we are here so that you would write a provision that
18 anytime we didn’t want to be partners, we would be able to separate without having to go to court . .
19 Bidsal said that for no reason at all . . . I said and Mr. Bidsal said the same thing, that a partner, a
20 member or an investor would offer to buy the interest of the other member, and within certain time,
21 that member has to either sell his interest at that price or buy the interest of the first person at that
22 price.” (Tr. 59:21, see also 60:16, 72:10-25, 73:4-74:1 and 86:4-7, PX 559.) None of this testimony
23 was disputed by Bidsal!

24 Initially LeGrand testified that he had no recollection of the details of the discussion of a buy-
25 sell provision at that meeting (Tr. 272:21-273:6, PX 781) and “believed” the concept of giving the
26 offeree (Remaining Member) the right to either buy or sell or forced sale came up later (Tr. 273:16-
27 274:17, PX 781). But the exchange of e-mails helps place the time of the first discussion of such a
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^{11/} Except as otherwise stated herein, all dates are in 2011.

1 provision at the July 21st meeting and supports Golshani's testimony. On July 22nd LeGrand wrote
2 (Ex. H, APP 211 with emphasis added):

3 "I am unclear as to the discussion at the end of the meeting about buy sell. I added a
4 provision to compel arbitration in the event that the two of you reach a deadlock on a
5 significant issue. But you may say no, if we deadlock then either one can force the
other to buy at fair market value. I will draft whatever you want, but forced buy-sell
because of deadlock could prove damaging to the party that has to buy. . . .

6 "As to the buy sell, do you want the death or disability of either of you to trigger a
7 forced buy/sell. I think that is what you decided, but then we started talking about
deadlock."

8 And once his memory was refreshed by looking at that exhibit LeGrand acknowledged that it
9 was in that July 21st meeting that **"the forced buy/sell, they wanted a buy/sell provision. In**
10 **particular a--Ben proposed a--a style of provision that if a member made an offer, they needed**
11 **to be ready to buy or sell at that offer price. That was the fundamental concept."** (Tr. 282:5-11,
12 PX 781.)

13 And LeGrand further testified that the context of this was **"where a member could just make**
14 **an offer for any reason"** (Tr. 282:20-25, PX 781) and **"the responding member either had to buy**
15 **or sell"** (Tr. 283: 1-6, PX 781). See also Tr. 281:7-21, 282:7-11 and 284:11-20, PX 781.

16 Removing all doubt as to what not only Golshani, but also Bidsal, wanted, LeGrand testified
17 at his deposition and at the hearing that **"both Mr. Bidsal and Mr. Golshani wanted the forced**
18 **buy/sell. In other words, this was something they both wanted."** (Tr. 284:11-20 and 289:8-13,
19 PX 117.)

20 By August 18th LeGrand had inserted a mandatory (forced) buy/sell provision into a draft of
21 the Operating Agreement which he characterized as "Dutch Auction." (Ex. J, APP 294.) LeGrand
22 explained that what he then meant by that term was **"the proposition that if a member makes an**
23 **offer, that is an offer to buy or sell at that price. And the other member could either buy or sell**
24 **at that price."** (Tr. 286:1-7, PX 781.)

25 Section 7 of that draft provided that after an offer to sell an interest the Remaining Member
26 had to choose either to buy or sell based on the fair market value of the Company's assets stated in the
27 offer. So from the very first draft that included a buy/sell provision (Ex. J, APP 294) these elements
28 were present: (i) the process started with an offer; (ii) regardless of the fact that the offer was stated

1 just to sell, the offeree could then either buy the offeror's interest or sell his interest; and (iii)
2 whatever choice the offeree made, the price would be that set out in the offer. The critical portion of
3 Section 7 of Exhibit J, APP 294 read:

4 Any Member ("Offering Member") may give notice to the remaining Member(s) that
5 he or it is ready, willing and able to sell his or its Member Interest for fair market value
6 based upon the net fair market value of the Company's assets divided by the offering
7 Member's proportionate interest in profits and losses of the Company. The Offering
8 Member shall obtain an appraisal in writing from a qualified real estate appraiser and
9 provide a copy of such appraisal to the other Member(s) attached to a notice setting
10 forth the proposed offer to sell. The other member(s) shall have ten (10) business days
11 within which to respond in writing to the Offering Member by either (i) accepting the
12 Offering member's offer to sell; or, (ii) rejecting the offer to sell and counteroffering to
13 sell his or its Member Interest to the Offering Member based upon the same appraisal
14 and fair market value formula as set forth above. The specific intent of this provision
15 is that the Offering Member shall be obligated to either sell his or its Member Interests
16 to the remaining Member(s) or purchase the Member Interest of the remaining
17 member(s) based upon the fair market value of the Company's assets.

12 **IT IS IMPOSSIBLE TO READ THIS DRAFT AS REQUIRING THE USE OF ANY**
13 **AMOUNT OTHER THAN THAT IN THE OFFER SHOULD THE REMAINING MEMBER**
14 **"COUNTEROFFER" (REJECT THE OFFER AND CHOOSE THE OPPOSITE).**

15 That draft called for the fair market value used in the offer to have been already determined
16 by an appraiser the Offering Member selected, obviously in an amount approved by the Offering
17 Member. Of course if the appraisal came in at a figure the Offering Member did not like, he would
18 simply not make an offer at all (or get another appraiser). That was something which LeGrand came
19 up with. (Tr. 287:17-288:1, PX 781.) But it was not what the parties wanted or had discussed with
20 LeGrand. Rather what was desired was a provision where the offeror simply set the amount, and the
21 offeree chose to buy or sell based on that amount. (Tr. 71:16-25, 72:10-25 and 73:4-74:1, PX 559.)
22 As stated by Golshani at Tr. 86:2, PX 559, **"We thought that the Offering Member should be free**
23 **to make any number he is happy with, you know, because he's going to either buy or sell."**

24 LeGrand's e-mail of September 16th (Ex. K, APP 353) to the parties in part said **"We**
25 **discussed that you want to be able to name a price and either get bought or buy at the offer**
26 **price."** There is no evidence that Bidsal ever objected to LeGrand's statement, claimed that LeGrand
27 had misunderstood, or otherwise claimed there had been no such discussion. It went on to say, "I can
28 write that provision, but I am not sure it makes sense because Ben has put in more than double the

1 capital of Shawn.” So the problem with “the concept of the ‘Dutch Auction’ to which LeGrand then
2 and later referred was with any provision that simply set a price and both parties had to buy or sell at
3 the same price without recognizing the differences in capital accounts.

4 Three days later attorney LeGrand wrote to Bidsal and Golshani and said, “I talked with
5 Shawn [Bidsal] about the issue that because your capital contributions are so different, **you should**
6 **consider a formula** or other approach to valuing your interests. A simple ‘Dutch Auction’ where
7 either of you can make an offer to the other and the other can elect to buy or sell at the offered price
8 does not appear sensible to me.” (Ex. L, APP 382.) So the one who originated the concept of using a
9 formula rather than flat price was LeGrand and any drafting along those lines could not reasonably be
10 put at the feet of Golshani as Bidsal would have the court. Bidsal has been given to characterize that
11 e-mail as a statement by LeGrand that a Dutch Auction does not appear sensible omitting the critical
12 word “simple.”

13 The upshot is that as of September 19th the situation was that the parties wanted one to be able
14 to set a price and the other could either be bought out or buy at the price, which LeGrand
15 characterized as “simple Dutch Auction,” but LeGrand called their attention to the fact that they had
16 to vary a “simple Dutch Auction” to take into account their capital contributions, and he proposed a
17 formula to do so.

18 LeGrand’s next attempt the next day was in Ex. M, APP 384 (§ 5 of Article V) in which there
19 was no mention of appraisal at all. Regardless of the fact that the offer there was still stated solely as
20 one to “sell,” it again provided that the Remaining Member could force the Offering Member to use
21 the price in the offer either to buy or sell, meaning the Offering Member could end up being required
22 to do the opposite of what his offer said. Again the critical portion read:

23 Upon receipt of the Notice, each of the other members shall have the first right and
24 option to agree to purchase all (subject to Article 5 hereof) of the Offering member’s
25 Interest proposed to be transferred at the price set forth in the Notice . . . In the
26 alternative, each of the Other Member’s [sic] shall have the right to sell their interests
27 to the Offering Member on the terms set forth in the Notice and at the same price as set
28 forth in the Notice . . .”

So here too once an offer was made the Remaining Member could either buy or sell using the
offered price, and in this instance appraisal was not either mandatory or an alternative.

1 **ONCE AGAIN IT IS IMPOSSIBLE TO READ THIS DRAFT AS REQUIRING THE**
2 **USE OF ANY AMOUNT OTHER THAN THAT IN THE OFFER SHOULD THE**
3 **REMAINING MEMBER "COUNTEROFFER" (REJECT THE OFFER AND CHOOSE THE**
4 **OPPOSITE).**¹²

5 Golshani's uncontradicted testimony was that Bidsal and he discussed that this draft was not
6 satisfactory because Section 5 bound only the Offering Member and not the Remaining Member, and
7 the language regarding ratio of capital language was unclear to them (Tr. 80:12-81:22, PX 559).

8 With the elapse of so much time and both Golshani and Bidsal testifying they wanted to get
9 the Agreement completed, the two of them decided to try to draft something that LeGrand could then
10 review and after making such changes as he felt necessary could then use. They had discussions, and
11 based on those discussions Golshani typed a proposal in writing and sent it to Bidsal for his
12 comments. (Tr. 81:23-85:3, 86:25-94:19, 146:2-8, 151:18- 152:15, PX 559 and 378:21-379:18, PX
13 781 and Ex. N, APP 416, referred to as "Rough Draft 1".) After falsely claiming he had not received
14 that e-mail and creating an Exhibit (Ex. 114, PX 481) to prove he had not received it (Ex. 115 3:15,
15 PX 483) Bidsal at the hearing conceded, that it was not true that he had not received them. (Tr.
16 179:11-180:20 and 376:11, PX 559 and 781, respectively.)

17 So not only did Bidsal falsely deny receipt, but he created an exhibit purporting to show a
18 record of all e-mails he had received, and relied upon it to prove he had not received Exhibit N.)!

19 In significant measure this Rough Draft 1 was still the product of LeGrand or to satisfy his
20 suggestion to insert a formula. (Tr. 85:17-86:7 and 140:16-143:11, PX 559.) The section stating the
21 specific intent of the provision came largely from the words used by LeGrand in the August 18th draft.
22 It too gave the Remaining Member the option to buy or sell. But it introduced another option for the
23 Remaining Member: he or it could require multiple appraisals with the medium of those appraisal
24 becoming the fair market value rather than the offered price. Bidsal suggested this provision to

25 ^{12/} Contrary to Bidsal's claim (Opp 7:3) that Section 5 thereof was "not even close to what ultimately
26 ended up in Section 4," a comparison of the two sections demonstrates that Section 5 contained many
27 similarities to what became Section 4. Additionally LeGrand's expressed reservations were not "that
28 the 'Dutch Auction' concept was not sensible," (Opp. 6:24). Rather what he referred to was a
 "simple" Dutch Auction where there was one price regardless of which Member's interest was being
 given that Golshani's contributions had been so much more than Bidsal's. This is not the first time
 Bidsal has omitted "simple" from LeGrand's assertion and not the first time we have pointed that out.

1 protect against an offer being made at an unreasonably low amount, and the Remaining Member then
2 not having the money to buy rather than sell; thus the right to demand an appraisal. This gave the
3 Remaining Member, who might not have the cash available to buy within the 30 day time limit,
4 protection against having to sell at an artificially low number (Tr. 82:19-83:6, PX 559). Otherwise
5 this draft closely tracked what LeGrand had provided back in August including a provision stating:

6 "The specific intent of this provision is that the Offering Member shall be obligated to
7 either sell his or its Member Interests to the remaining member(s) or purchase the
8 member Interest of the remaining member(s) based upon the fair market value
established above."

9 Rough Draft 1 included a formula to satisfy the point that LeGrand had raised. For the added
10 protection of a Remaining Member, not the Offering Member, Bidsal proposed giving the Remaining
11 Member the right to have the property appraised (Tr. 82:15- 83:6, PX 559). Regarding this provision
12 Bidsal testified, "If the remaining member is not satisfied, he can always have an appraisal done" and
13 "The remaining member had the option to ask for an appraisal if he chooses." (Tr. 201:23 and
14 204:17, PX 559.) Note: He did not suggest that this was done for the Offering Member or that the
15 Offering Member could insist on an appraisal. Since the appraisal was not mandatory and was solely
16 at the Remaining Member's "option" because he was "not satisfied," the appraisal was for his
17 protection. There was no provision that if the Remaining Member rejected the offer and chose to sell
18 instead of buy, that an appraisal was required.

19 Yet Bidsal relies on that insertion to claim that if the Remaining Member chooses to buy then
20 (a "counteroffer"), then even though the Remaining Member did not elect to demand an appraisal
21 there had to be an appraisal. There is no evidence that either party or LeGrand ever wrote, said,
22 hinted at or otherwise intended that the insertion of this additional protection for the Remaining
23 Member should or would forfeit his right to elect to buy using the offered amount.

24 Bidsal wanted changes to the Rough Draft 1 and he and Golshani discussed the changes many
25 times. (Tr. 87:21-88:17, PX 559.) Using comments by Bidsal (Tr. 87:7-89:9, 99:19-100:3, PX 559)
26 the language of the Rough Draft 1 was, as admitted by Bidsal, "massaged" by both Bidsal and
27 Golshani: "So we massaged the language in our conversations." (Tr. 383:8-9, PX 781.) Note:
28 Contrary to Bidsal's claim at Opp. 7:23, there clearly was evidence that Golshani was not the sole

1 drafter of what became Section 4. But there is much more evidence of that.¹³

2 Golshani retyped what he had prepared to satisfy those comments and sent Rough Draft 2
3 (Exhibit 22) to Bidsal for review and approval. (Tr. 91:20-96:21, PX 559).

4 At Tr. 378:9-379:20, PX 781 Bidsal, when questioned by his own counsel, admitted that the
5 joint composing of Rough Draft 2, (Ex. P, Ex. 22 at hearing, APP 449) spanned several meetings and
6 many conversations. (Tr. 378:8-381:15, PX 781). In this Rough Draft 2 the initiating offer was
7 changed to be to buy rather than sell. This made no true legal difference since the Remaining
8 Member in each instance could choose whether to buy or sell.¹⁴

9 The point is that the change from offer to sell to offer to buy had nothing to do with appraisal
10 as Bidsal has argued.

11 There was clear evidence that Bidsal at least as much, if not more, than Golshani was the
12 composer/drafter of Rough Draft 2. (Tr. 93:3-7, PX 559.) Who actually typed the document is not
13 relevant.

14 In addition, to satisfy Bidsal's comments regarding the Rough Draft 1, the formula was
15 changed at Bidsal's request and the number of appraisers (if appraisal requested by Remaining
16 Member) was reduced. (Tr. 88:5-89:9 and 92:14-93:11, PX 559.)

17 Significantly, Rough Draft 2 continued to provide that the Remaining Member could use the
18 offered price either to buy or sell. But after Bidsal's input it became even clearer that absent the
19 Remaining Member's electing to have an appraisal, the offered price would be so used. The "specific
20 intent" provision was changed to read:

21 "The specific intent of this provision is that once the Offering member presented his

22 ^{13/} Tr. 81:23, 85:18-86:7, 86:25-94:19, 87:7-89:9, 89:1, 91:20-96:21, 92:14-18, 93:3-7, 99:19-100:25,
23 101:9-103:9, 103:21-106:20, 104:19-105:18, 140:10-143:11, 146:2-8, 181:18-152:15 and 166:1-
24 168:4, PX 559, Tr. 297:21-298:2, 278:8-381:15, and 383:8-9, PX 781, Ex. L, N, O, P, respectively
APP 281, 416, 419, and 419 and Ex. 102, 103, 104, 105 and 106, respectively PX 7, 12, 43, 45 and
104.

25 ^{14/} Golshani explained the reason for the change as follows. If the offer remained as one to sell, and
26 the Offering Member failed to take into account the right of the Remaining Member to choose to have
27 the opposite done, then the Offering Member could find himself in a position where he had to buy,
28 but not have the funds to do so. On the other hand, if the provision were changed to call for an offer
to buy, then even though the Remaining member choose the opposite, the Offering Member would
always be able to comply with selling his interest. (Tr. 93:18-94:15, PX 559.) Bidsal did not dispute
this explanation.

1 or its offer the Remaining Members have the right to either sell or buy **at the same offered**
2 **price** and according to the above manner. In the case that the Remaining Member(s) decide to
3 purchase the Offering Member shall be obligated to sell his or its Member Interests to the
4 remaining Members.” (Emphasis added.)

5 This fact cannot be overlooked: even after Bidsal’s massaging the language and receipt and
6 review of Rough Draft 2, and the numerous meetings and conversations with Golshani, Rough Draft 2
7 **STILL set forth the “Specific Intent” of the parties and what their agreement was, that the**
8 **Remaining Member can use the offered price either to buy or sell, and the Offering Member**
9 **must go along with that choice!!** If that was not Bidsal’s understanding of what he and Golshani
10 wanted and had agreed upon, surely that would have been changed or deleted as well other changes!

11 The fact that the language setting forth their mutual “specific intent” still remained in Rough
12 Draft 2 and in the final operating agreement (Ex. O, APP. 420) reflects their mutual understanding
13 and agreement and **is fatal** to Bidsal’s false contentions.

14 What takes place thereafter is truly indisputable. After Rough Draft 2 was extensively
15 discussed and approved by Bidsal, at Bidsal’s instruction, Golshani then sent a copy on to LeGrand
16 for LeGrand to “take care of it.” (Ex. R, APP 455 and Tr. 96:16-24, PX 559). LeGrand reviewed and
17 revised it to clarify the language in order to assure that it reflected what he had been told by the Bidsal
18 and Golshani what the deal was supposed to be. (Ex. S, APP 457 and 103 “Draft 2”, PX 559.)

19 After the changes made by LeGrand in Draft 2, it still provided that the Remaining Member
20 was entitled to use the offered price either in a sale or purchase, and appraisal was limited to where it
21 was requested by the Remaining Member.

22 The very next day, on November 11th, Bidsal responded that “it looks good” and asked
23 LeGrand to complete the operating agreement and send it to them for signature (Ex. 102, PX 559)

24 On November 29th LeGrand injected modifications to what was Section 7 of his Draft 2 into
25 the full agreement as Section 4, and still the only appraisal right was with the Remaining Member.
26 (Ex. 103, PX 12.) And still it provided that the Remaining Member had the right either to buy or sell
27 using the offered price. And this was in accordance with what Bidsal and Golshani had told LeGrand
28 was their agreement. (Tr. 295:19-296:5, PX 781.) Here there was a change to the specific intent
portion. It read:

“The specific intent of this provision is that once the Offering Member presented his or

1 its offer to the Remaining Members, then the Remaining Members shall either sell or
2 buy at the same offered price (or FMV if appraisal is invoked) and according to the
3 above manner. In the case that the Remaining member(s) decide to purchase the
4 Offering Member shall be obligated to sell his or its Member Interests to the remaining
5 Members.” (Emphasis Added)

6 In this version, LeGrand inserted “(or FMV if appraisal is invoked).” The insertion
7 recognized that there were two ways in which the FMV could be determined. IF the Remaining
8 Member elected to have (“invoked”) an appraisal, then the appraised amount would be the FMV. If
9 the Remaining did not so elect, then the offered price would be used to determine the FMV in the
10 formula for the Buyout Amount.

11 Bidsal has latched onto this inserted parenthetical addition to claim that it distinguishes
12 “offered price” from FMV and therefore the “offered price” can never be the fair market value.
13 Nonsense! The FMV is the offered price unless the Remaining Member “requests” an appraisal.

14 Bidsal held on to the draft, telling Golshani and LeGrand that he was going to review and
15 revise it (Tr. 101:9-103:9, PX 559 and Tr. 297:21-298:2, PX 781) . Bidsal, not LeGrand, then made
16 further changes including a reduction of CLA’s percentage interest set out in Exhibit B to the
17 Agreement which Golshani did not discover until 2017 (Tr. 103:21- 106:20, PX 559) and compare
18 cross references in Section 4 in Ex. 103, PX 12 with those in Ex. O, APP 420.) On top of that are
19 Exhibits 105 and 106, PX 45 and 104. There is therefore substantial evidence that the changes to the
20 version sent out by LeGrand on November 29th (Ex. 103, PX 12) were made by Bidsal and not
21 LeGrand or Golshani, or as stated in ¶ 17 of the Award, Ex. MM, APP 1088 at 1097:

22 While Mr. Golshani had some role in what became Section 4, based on the evidence
23 the Arbitrator finds that Mr. Bidsal controlled the final drafting of the Green Valley
24 Commerce, LLC Operating Agreement, and had the last and final say on what
25 language was before signing the Operating Agreement. . .”

26 On December 10th LeGrand asked Bidsal if “he finished the revision?” (Ex. 104, PX 43 and
27 Tr. 166:1-168:4, PX 559.) The signed Agreement (Ex. O, APP 420) was printed by Bidsal in
28 Bidsal’s office. (Tr. 104:19-105:18, PX 559.)

29 The signed agreement, Ex. O, APP 420, even after Bidsal was finished with it still contained
30 the same language reflecting the “specific Intent” of the parties. So even if one went beyond the
31 actual language of Section 4, the history of its development shows that never was there a statement

1 made by anyone to anyone else that the offered price could not be used by the Remaining Member to
2 buy as well as to sell, and on that separate basis there is support for Judge Haberfeld's determination
3 that when the Remaining Member chooses to buy rather than sell an appraisal was not required, but
4 rather the amount set in the offer is used to determine the amount to be paid for the interest.

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6 **5.2. Bidsal's Offer Confirms That Offered Price is FMV**

7 As before noted, Bidsal's offer, prepared by his attorney so the excuse of lay person mistakes
8 is not available to Bidsal, in part stated:

9 "By this letter, SHAWN BIDSAL (the 'Offering Member'), owner of Fifty Percent
10 (50%) of the outstanding Membership Interest in Green Valley Commerce, LLC, a
11 Nevada limited liability company (the 'Company') does hereby formally offer to
12 purchase CLA Properties, LLC's (the 'Remaining Member') Fifty Percent (50%) of the
13 outstanding Membership Interest in the Company pursuant to and on the terms and
14 conditions set forth in Section 4 of Article V of the Company's Operating Agreement.

15 "The Offering Member's best estimate of the current fair market value
16 of the Company is \$5,000,000.00 (the 'FMV'). Unless contested in accordance with the
17 provisions of Section 4.2 of Article V of the Operating Agreement, the foregoing FMV
18 shall be used to calculate the purchase price **of the Membership Interest to be sold.**"
19 (Emphasis in original except for emphasis of last seven words.)

20 The definitions in the Agreement apply to the terms used in the letter. (Tr. 332:1-15, PX
21 781.) What Bidsal's offer said was (1) his best estimate was "the 'FMV'" and (2) it would be used
22 "to calculate the purchase price of the Membership Interest to be sold." In (2) he did not limit his
23 statement to the price for sale of Membership Interest of only CLA. No, his statement applied
24 regardless of whose interest was being sold. His current argument is, therefore, in two separate
25 respects in contradiction to what he wrote. The offered price is be the FMV (absent CLA's
26 demanding an appraisal which it did not) and it applies to the purchase by the Remaining Member,
27 here CLA, just as much as to the purchase by the Offering Member, here Bidsal.

28 Bidsal now argues that the \$5,000,000.00 that he called "FMV" in his offer was not really
the FMV. But in 2017 he referred to "\$5,000,000 (the *FMV*)" and said "the foregoing FMV shall be
used to calculate the purchase price." And the offer does not restrict the use of "the foregoing
FMV" to a purchase by Bidsal.

At Ex. 115 13:6, PX 483 Bidsal cited authority to support the claim that "The conduct of the

1 parties after execution of the contract and before any controversy has arisen as to the its effect
2 affords the most reliable evidence of the parties' intentions." Well, here the conduct was the offer
3 and it said the \$5,000,000.00 was the FMV as used in Section 4, and "shall be used to calculate the
4 purchase price of the Membership Interest to be sold."

5 When the offer states Bidsal's best estimate of current fair market value, and then labeled it
6 "the FMV," he could only have been referring to "FMV" as specified in Section 4.2. Thus, just as
7 Mr. Shapiro wrote, the offered amount becomes the FMV "unless contested", and CLA never
8 contested the offered amount.

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10 **5.3. Bidsal's Claim That There is No FMV Absent Appraisal Contradicted**

11 After describing the process to obtain two appraisals if requested by the Remaining
12 Member Section 4.2 continues, "The medium of these 2 appraisals constitute the fair market value
13 of the property which is called (FMV)." Based on that, Bidsal argues that the only definition of
14 FMV is the medium of the two appraisals. (Opp 21:3.) (In Ex. 110, PX 43 he said it eleven
15 times.¹⁵) For multiple reasons he is wrong, and therefore, each of his arguments fails.

16 First, the sentence that Bidsal relies upon only applies if the Remaining Member requests an
17 appraisal. That portion begins, "If the offered price is not acceptable to the Remaining Members,
18 within 30 days of receiving the offer, the Remaining Members (or any of them) can request to
19 establish FMV based on the following procedure." But here the Remaining Member, did not find
20 the offered price unacceptable and did not request appraisal to establish the FMV, so what followed
21 regarding appraisal, including that sentence, was never applicable. The provisions regarding
22 appraisal never came into being.

23 Second, as we have pointed out, the FMV is included in the formula to determine the
24 amount to be paid. Section 4.1 defines FMV as "fair market value" but does not say fair market
25 value of what. Likewise, Section 4.2 begins that a member can make an offer including what he or
26 it thinks "is the fair market value," but once again does not state of what. So it is in this sentence
27 where finally the Section 4.2 tells us what it is of which the fair market value is determined. It says

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¹⁵ 3:25, 4:11, 4:17, 4:23, 4:25, 5:7, 5:13, 5:16, 6:27, 7:6 and 7:16.

1 “fair market value of the property which is called FMV.” (Emphasis added.) In other words, the
2 purpose of that phrase is to finally say of what the fair market value or FMV is taken. It is the only
3 place in Section 4.2 where the object of which the fair market value is taken is expressed. What this
4 phrase emphasized by Bidsal says is not that the only FMV is that determined by appraisal, but
5 rather is that when FMV is referred to it means the fair market value of the property.

6 Third, as before noted, there has to be a determination of FMV to determine the amount to
7 be paid. But if there is no appraisal, what can possibly be that FMV other than the amount
8 included in the offer? If the offer were accepted there would be no appraisal so were Bidsal’s
9 argument accepted, the Offering Member’s purchase could never take place because there would
10 never be a FMV. Or what if CLA had just never responded. According to Section 4.3, “Failure by
11 all or any of the Remaining Members to respond to the Offering Member’s notice within the thirty
12 (30 day) period shall be deemed to constitute an acceptance . . .” What amount would be used for
13 the FMV then? **Actually Bidsal himself provided the answer, “[I]t would be the \$5 million as a**
14 **price, fair market value.**” (Tr. 261:19-25, PX 781.) By his own testimony, Bidsal established that
15 fair market value is the offered price absent an appraisal requested by the Remaining Member!

16 So while the FMV can be determined through appraisal when requested by the Remaining
17 Member, that is not the same as saying appraisal is the only way in which FMV can be determined,
18 which is Bidsal’s contention.

19 Fourth, Bidsal contends that if the Remaining Member is the seller, then there
20 does not have to be any determination of FMV because then the sale will be at “the offered price”
21 which Bidsal, argues is not “FMV.” (Ex. 110 6:2, PX 430.) Given the lack of evidence to support
22 that position, given the fact that Bidsal’s offer said the offered price was the FMV and given the fact
23 that such assertion ignores that the formula requires the insertion of FMV, Judge Haberfeld’s
24 rejection of Bidsal’s argument surely has support.

25 Finally, and damming to Bidsal’s claim, Bidsal ignores the provision stating the intent of
26 the parties: “The specific intent of this provision is that once the Offering Member presented his or
27 its offer to the Remaining Members, then the Remaining Members **shall either sell or buy at the**
28 **same offered price** (or FMV if appraisal is invoked). . .”

1 So even if the offered price were not FMV, CLA as Remaining Member can “buy at the
2 same offered price.”

3 5.4 It Was Bidsal Who Tried to Take Advantage of CLA

4 Bidsal argues that Golshani tried to take advantage of him by secretly obtaining an appraisal,
5 a contention contradicted by the evidence. (Opp. ¶ G, pg 12.) In fact Golshani not only had told
6 Bidsal in advance that he was going to get an appraisal, but after the appraisal he told Bidsal the
7 “range” of the amount of that appraisal. (Tr. 243:2-11, PX 781.)¹⁶ Let there be no doubt about what
8 Judge Haberfeld determined happened here. Within four or five months before Bidsal’s offer, he
9 had proposed additional investments with Golshani. Golshani responded that either he was not
10 liquid or had other projects he was considering. (Tr. 107:1-108:25, PX 559 .) Judge Haberfeld was
11 therefore entitled to conclude that,

12 As amplified below, the parties’ dispute and this arbitration have been a result and
13 expression of “seller’s remorse” by Mr. Bidsal. (Ex. MM, ¶ 9, pg 5, APP 420 at 425.)

14 It appears that in this case, Mr. Bidsal attempted to find a contractual ‘out’ to regain
15 lost leverage to either buy or sell a 50% membership interest in Green Valley at a price
16 and/or on terms less favorable than he originally envisaged, when he made his July 7,
17 2017 offer. (Ex. MM, pg 8, ¶ 15 APP 420 at 428.)

18 Miscalculating the intentions, thinking and/or financial resources available to the other
19 party . . . are not cognizable bases for re-writing or re-interpreting their parties’
20 contractual procedures.” (Ex. MM, ¶ G, APP 420 at 432.)

21 Far from Golshani attempting to take advantage, it was Bidsal who “attempted to find a
22 contractual ‘out.’” If Bidsal thought his \$5,000,000 was adequate, why on August 5, 2017, two
23 days after CLA’s response on August 3, 2017, did he reply to CLA’s response by demanding an
24 appraisal, especially given that he testified that at all times from his offer on July 7, 2017 through
25 August 5, 2017 (the date of CLA’s election to buy) he thought the \$5,000,000 was the fair market
26 value (Tr. 331:15-333:16 ; 335:20-25; 337:14-18 and 338:5-9, PX 781). He guessed wrong, but
27 having been hoisted by his own petard, he then demanded an appraisal, a demand for which he had
28 no right to make, and an appraisal that the Agreement never mentions except when requested by the
Remaining Member for its protection. Nothing in the Agreement supports Bidsal’s contention that

^{16/} Bidsal at Opp. 13:21 argues that Golshani’s getting an appraisal in order for him to know whether to buy or sell somehow proves that an appraisal was necessary. Bidsal’s contention was just not accepted by Judge Haberfeld and for good reason.

once CLA chose to buy rather than sell, an appraisal was required.

6. BIDSAL SHOWS NO BASIS FOR VACATING AWARD

Missing from the Opposition is any claim that there was not sufficient evidence to prove that the intent of the parties was that as the Remaining Member CLA was entitled to buy Bidsal's membership interest using \$5,000,000 as the FMV. In the pending petitions, that is a critical fact.

6.1 Bidsal's Authorities Do Not Support Vacating Award

Bidsal argues that under FAA §10(a)(4)¹⁷ an award can be vacated for the arbitrator's exceeding his powers if the award is completely irrational or exhibits as manifest disregard of the law, for which (at Opp. 18:7 et seq.) he cites *Kyocera, supra*, 341 F.3d at 997 in which neither of those was found so it can hardly be used to show that what Judge Haberfeld did here is similar. Then Bidsal changes direction at starting at Opp. 18:13 claims that an award is not enforceable if he dispenses his own brand of industrial justice. For that he cites *Stolt-Nielsen, supra*, 559 U.S.662, *Garvey, supra*, 532 U.S 504 and *ASPIC, supra*, 913 F.3d 1162.

The issue in *Stolt-Nielsen* was whether the arbitration panel erred in permitting class arbitration when the agreement is totally silent on the matter. Ultimately the court held that because of a peculiar stipulation¹⁸ such class arbitration could not be had when the agreement does not authorize it. In no sense is that similar to alleging misinterpreting of a contract as Bidsal here

^{17/} Actually, while that is clearly true where the Nevada statute is applicable, it is not quite so clear under FAA. There § 10(a)(4) reads, "where the arbitrators exceeded their powers, or so imperfectly executed them that a mutual, final and definite award upon the subject matter submitted was not made." (Emphasis added.) Seemingly the emphasized qualifier clearly could, and maybe should, apply not only to "imperfectly executed them" but also to "exceeded their powers." Since Petitioner believes that the claim of exceeding powers is frivolous even without the qualifier, Petitioner does not argue that the qualifier applies.

^{18/} Rather it was on the basis that arbitration "is a matter of consent, not coercion," (559 U.S. at 681 and see also at 682, 683, 684) and concluded that in light of the stipulation of the parties that no agreement had been reached on class arbitration an agreement to permit class arbitration cannot be inferred from silence and thereby be a "matter of consent." That the stipulation was the critical factor is made clear both at page 571 and in *Oxford Health Plans LLC v. Sutter*, 569 U.S.564,567, 133 S.Ct. 2064 (2013) where an opposite conclusion was reached because there was no such stipulation. In part the court said, "We think that the differences between bilateral and class-action arbitration are too great for arbitrators to presume, consistent with their limited powers under the FAS, that the parties' mere silence on the issue of class-action arbitration constitutes consent to resolve their disputes in class proceedings. (559 U.S. at 686, citations omitted.)

1 argues. But even the *Stolt-Nielsen* decision was not on the basis of the arbitrator's dispensing his
2 own brand of industrial justice.¹⁹

3 Bidsal next cites *Garvey, supra*, 532 U.S. 509. There the Ninth Circuit's conclusion that the
4 arbitrator had dispensed his own brand of industrial justice was overturned by the Supreme Court,
5 so it hardly aids Bidsal here. *Id* at 507 and 511.

6 In the third of these three federal cases, *Aspic Engineering and Construction Company v.*
7 *ECC Centcom Constructors, LLC*, 913 F.3d 1162 (9th Cir., 2019) both parties acknowledged that
8 the arbitration was governed by the portions of Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR) clauses by
9 reference, or *in haec verba*." *Id* at 1164 and 1168. The arbitrator acknowledged that *Aspic* did not
10 "conform to the strict and detailed requirements of general contractors on U.S. Federal projects."
11 Nonetheless he awarded *Aspic* relief because "There was not a true meeting of the minds." *Id* at
12 1167. Critical to the distinction the court drew from the arbitrator's simply erring which would not
13 justify vacating the award the court emphasized the following:

14 These regulations, while undoubtedly extensive, permit the government to maintain
15 fairly uniform contracting standards . . . To allow contractors and subcontractors,
16 foreign or domestic to evade the FAR provisions because a subcontractor was too
17 unsophisticated or inexperienced to fully understand them would potentially cripple
the government's ability to contract with private entities, and would violate
controlling federal law. 913 F.3d at 1168-1169.

18 There is nothing like that involved here. There is no violation of federal or state law by
19 reason of the determination of the meaning of the contract. There is no uniformity that would be
20 threatened by reason of the award. The case is just not authority for the proposition Bidsal here
21 urges.

22 At Opp. 18:24 Bidsal changes direction and relies on Nevada common law basis for
23 vacating an award, where the award is arbitrary, capricious or unsupported by the agreement or the
24 arbitrator manifestly disregarded the law. citing *Clark County Education Association v. Clark*
25 *County School District*, 122 Nev. 337, 131 P.3d 5 (2006). There the court found neither common
26 law ground had been met. Instead what it said was:

27 ^{19/} That concept was stated at page 671. Nowhere in the remaining sixteen pages of the majority
28 decision or in the dissenting opinion is does the term "industrial justice" appear much less be equated
to the grounds for the decision.

Judicial inquiry under the manifest-disregard-of-the-law standard is extremely limited. A party seeking to vacate an arbitration award based on manifest disregard of the law may not merely object to the results of the arbitration. In such instance, “the issue is not whether the arbitrator correctly interpreted the law, but whether the arbitrator, knowing the law and recognizing that the law required a particular result, simply disregarded the law. 122 Nev. at 342.

[N]either standard permits a reviewing court to consider the arbitrator’s interpretation of the law. *Id* at 342.

[W]e may not concern ourselves with the correctness of the arbitrator’s interpretation of the statute. *Id* at 345.

Both *Bohlmann v. Printz And Ash*, 120 Nev. 543, 96 P.3d 1155 (2004), cited by Bidsal and *Clark County* which relied on *Bohlmann* described the “manifest disregard of the law” grounds as:

An arbitrator manifestly disregards the law when he or she recognizes that the law absolutely requires a given result and nonetheless refuses to apply the law correctly. 120 Nev. at 543, 96 P.3d at 1155.

Nothing in the Opposition shows that either common law ground could possibly apply to Judge Haberfeld’s Award or conduct. In *Pacific Motor Trucking Co v. Automotive Machinists Union*, 702 F.2d 176 (9th Cir., 1983)²⁰ cited at Opp. 19:4,

The arbitrator acknowledged that this section gave the company discretion over the Working Foreman position. Nonetheless, he ruled that the company could not demote Turner as Working Foreman because to do so would be “unreasonable and unconscionable” in light of the “incredibly long” time Turner had held the job. . . The arbitrator disregarded a specific contract provision to correct what he perceived as an injustice. *Id* at 177.

But here Judge Haberfeld did not acknowledge or agree that Bidsal was entitled to an appraisal; he interpreted the Agreement finding that Bidsal was not entitled to have an appraisal, contrary to what Bidsal claimed. The “manifest disregard” just does not apply here.

At Opp. 27:1 Bidsal cites *Collins v. D.R. Horton, Inc.*, 505 F.3d 874 (9th Cir., 2007) holding “manifest disregard of the law exists where ‘the arbitrator “underst[oo]d and correctly state[d] the law, but proceeded to disregard the same.” The law about which Bidsal claims he is talking (Opp. 27:8) is to discern the intent of the parties. There is no evidence that Judge Haberfeld

^{20/} There is grave question if the case could survive later pronouncements of the ninth circuit, much less the Supreme Court. But assuming that it could, what it ruled is not in any sense related to what happened here. Here the arbitrator ruled on the interpretation of the contract. In *Pacific Motor* the arbitrator conceded he was not applying the contract, and instead ruled on the basis of what was reasonable giving credit for a factor that had nothing to do with the contract provision.

1 did anything but rule on the basis of the intent of the parties, and Bidsal does not even pretend to
2 cite any such evidence.

3 Bidsal next cites *Federated Employers of Nevada, Inc. v. Teamsters Local No. 632*, 600
4 1263 (9th Cir., 1979). That case construed the very power granted to an arbitrator. The arbitration
5 agreement provided that in case of dispute each party would submit its offer and the arbitrator had
6 to choose one or the other. Of course when the arbitrator violated the limits of his express authority
7 and made an award that was neither party's offer, the court vacated the award. In that context the
8 court said that an interpretation of the contract allowing for such award was not "plausible." This
9 case does not involve an express limitation of how the arbitrator could rule and therefore *Federated*
10 is not even close to being relevant.

11 Bidsal also cites dictum in *United Steelworkers of America v. Enterprise Wheel & Car*
12 *Corp.*, 363 U.S.593, 80 S.Ct.1358 (1960) which is remarkable, given that whatever "dispensing the
13 arbitrator's own brand of industrial justice" may mean it does not apply here and it did not apply in
14 *United Steelworkers*. There the employees were discharged, but the arbitration hearing took place
15 after the collective bargaining agreement (containing arbitration provision) had already expired so
16 that at that time the employees would have been dischargeable at will, and there was nothing in the
17 agreement that provided for such post expiration relief or arbitration. Still the court upheld the
18 arbitrator's award of reinstatement of certain employees and held that it did not constitute
19 "dispens[ing] his own brand of industrial justice." How that helps Bidsal escapes Petitioner.

20 Then at Opp. 25:5 Bidsal cites three more cases. As to *Wichinsky v. Mosa*, 109 Nev., 847
21 P.3d 727 (1993), CLA acknowledges that if the Award was "unsupported by the agreement" for
22 which Bidsal cited the case, then it could be vacated. But Judge Haberfeld's interpretation of the
23 Agreement and his Award are well supported by the Agreement.

24 In the second, *Lagstein v. Certain Underwriters at Lloyd's, London*, 607 F.3d 634,641 (9th
25 Cir., 2010) the court held that the district court had erred in vacating an award and in part said,
26 "Whether or not the panel's findings are supported by the evidence in the record is beyond the scope
27 of our review."

28 The most notable feature of *Biller v. Toyota Motor Corp.*, 668 F.3d 655,664 (9th Cir., 2012),

1 cited by Bidsal, is its statement that precludes Bidsal's reliance on Nevada common law as grounds
2 for vacating the award:

3 Kyocera's and Hall Street's holdings then stand for the proposition that § 10 of the FAA
4 provides the exclusive means by which a court reviewing an arbitration award under the
5 FAA may grant vacatur of a final arbitration award, and that such review under the
6 FAA is limited. Indeed, § 10 of the FAA provides no authorization for a merits review.

7 At Opp. 25:25 Bidsal next cites *Oxford Health Plans LL v. Sutter*, 569 U.S. 564, 133 S.Ct.
8 2064 (2013) for the proposition that an award cannot merely reflect arbitrator's own notions of
9 justice, of which of course Judge Haberfeld is not guilty. But the result in *Oxford* was that the
10 arbitrator's permitting class arbitration was upheld, so CLA is unable to detect how that is
11 applicable to Bidsal's arguments. Right after the portion quoted by Bidsal the court said, "So the
12 sole question for us is whether the arbitrator (even arguably) interpreted the parties' contract, not
13 whether he got its meaning right or wrong" *Id* at 569. So even if this court should believe that
14 Judge Haberfeld got it wrong, that would not be grounds to vacate the award.

15 As the court in *Oxford* noted there is "limited judicial review" of an arbitrator's decision (*Id*
16 at 566) and "courts may vacate an arbitrator's decision 'only in very unusual circumstances. (*Id* at
17 568)'" There is nothing "very unusual" about the circumstances here.

18 **6.2 Judge Haberfeld's Findings Are Supported, Not Contradicted, By Evidence**

19 At Opp. 19:13 Bidsal argues that Judge Haberfeld "apparently" asserts that Judge Haberfeld
20 "made up his mind how he wanted to rule from the very beginning." For this claim he provides no
21 evidence other than that he should not have lost. But of course even had it been true, which it is
22 not, it would not constitute grounds to vacate because so long as there is any evidence to support the
23 award, it must be confirmed. Deciding early on is not exceeding an arbitrator's authority. Errors of
24 fact or law by the arbitrator do not entitle the losing party to vacate the award. See Section 3 above.

25 Finally we come to what Bidsal is relying upon which are Judge Haberfeld's findings that
26 (a) Section 4 was drafted by him, (b) Section 4.2 was a Dutch Auction and (c) that Section 4.2
27 employed a rough form of rough justice. Thus begins several pages of the Opposition much of
28 which is simply false and/or contradicted by the evidence laid out above. For example at 19:20
Bidsal pulls out of nowhere the claim that Judge Haberfeld did not know who was the Remaining

1 Member and who was the Offering Member. Space limitations preclude our pointing out all of
2 these false, unsupported or contradicted statements starting at Opp. 19:20.

3 Even if one gave credence to how Bidsal portrays the facts, at worst all they would do is
4 show that Judge Haberfeld made a mistake on the facts, and that is not grounds for vacating an
5 award. In fact, Judge Haberfeld made no such mistake at all.

6 Bidsal's complaint is the "finding that Section 4 of the Operating Agreement was drafted by
7 Shawn Bidsal." Bidsal is wrong on all counts and for any one of six different reasons Bidsal's
8 claim is not grounds for vacating the award (in addition to the agreement that "the award rendered
9 by the arbitrator shall be final and not subject to judicial review").

10 First, of Section 17 on page 9 of the Award (Ex. MM, APP 1088 at 1097) reads (with
11 emphasis added):

12 Mr. Bidsal . . . contend[ed] that Section 4 should be interpreted in his favor because Mr.
13 Golshani was its draftsman. While Mr. Golshani had some role in what became Section
14 4, based on the evidence the Arbitrator finds that Mr. Bidsal controlled the final
15 drafting of the Green Valley Commerce, LLC Operating Agreement, and had the last
16 and final say on what the language was before signing the Operating Agreement, and is
17 deemed to be the principal drafter of Section 4.2 of that agreement and therefore bears
18 the burden of risk of ambiguity or inconsistency within the disputed provision.
19 However, the determinations and award contained herein are based upon the testimony
20 and exhibits introduced at the hearing in this matter, and the determination of draftsman
21 is not dispositive. For the reasons set out herein the determinations and award
22 would be made even if Mr. Bidsal's contention that Mr. Golshani was the
23 draftsmen of Section 4 were correct.

24 Thus Judge Haberfeld clearly stated that his decision was not reliant on who was the
25 draftsman. Bidsal's Opposition never mentions, much less addresses, that statement.
26 Second, at Opp. 22:5 and 25:16 Bidsal relies on footnote 5 of the Award (Ex. MM, APP 1088). It
27 reads:

28 While not dispositive, per se, the Arbitrator has materially determined that Mr. Bidsal
controlled the final drafting of the Green Valley Commerce, LLC Operating Agreement
and thus should be deemed the principal drafter of Section 4.2 of that agreement.

So the footnote commences, "While not dispositive." In other words the Arbitrator's
determination of the interpretation of the Agreement, given all the other evidence, was not
dependent on who was the drafter.

Third, Bidsal's argument rests on the false premise that all interpretations of contracts must

be against the draftsman. In so doing he gives weight to determination of drafter that the law does not. The law in this regard is well-stated in the recent case of *Lamps Plus, Inc. v. Varela*, 587 U.S. ____ (2019, slip opinion No 17-988, April 24, 2019):

The Ninth Circuit reached a contrary conclusion based on California's rule that ambiguity in a contract should be construed against the drafter, a doctrine known as *contra proferentem*. **The rule applies "only as a last resort" when the meaning of a provision remains ambiguous after exhausting the ordinary methods of interpretation.** A. Corbin, Contracts. At that point *contra proferentem* resolves the ambiguity against the drafter based on public policy factors, primarily equitable considerations about the parties' relative bargaining strength. E. Farnsworth; Williston on Contracts (stating that application of the rule may vary based on **"the degree of sophistication of the contracting parties or the degree to which the contract was negotiated"**); restatement (Second) of Contracts (classifying *contra proferentem* under "Considerations of Fairness and the Public Interest" rather than with rules for interpreting "The Meaning of Agreements"); Corbin, Contracts (noting that *contra proferentem* is "chiefly a rule of public policy"). Although the rule enjoys a place in every hornbook and treatise on contracts, we noted in recent FAA case that **"the reach of the canon construing contract language against the drafter must have limits, no matter who the drafter was."** This case brings those limits into focus.

Unlike contract rules that help to interpret the meaning of a term, and thereby uncover the intent of the parties, *contra proferentem* is by definition triggered only after a court determines that it cannot discern the intent of the parties. When a contract is ambiguous, *contra proferentem* provides a default rule based on public policy considerations; "it can scarcely be said to be designed to ascertain the meanings attached by the parties." Farnsworth, Contracts. Like the contract rule preferring interpretations that favor the public interest, see *id.*, at 304, *contra proferentem* seeks ends other than the intent of the parties.

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[*Contra proferentem*] "does not help to determine the meaning that the two parties gave to the words, or even the meaning that a reasonable person would have given to the language used." Corbin. (Emphasis added and citations omitted except for identification of treatises.)²¹

^{21/} California law parallels what the Supreme Court stated. California Civil Code § 1654 stating the use of drafter is only applied "In cases of uncertainty not removed by the preceding rules." California Civil Code § 1654 states it is subject to prior rules. Prior rules include § 1636 providing that "A contract must be so interpreted as to give effect to the mutual intention of the parties as it existed at the time of contracting, so far as the same is ascertainable and lawful," § 1638 providing, "The language of a contract is to govern its interpretation, if the language is clear and explicit, and does not involve an absurdity," § 1639 providing, "When a contract is reduced to writing, the intention of the parties is to be ascertained from the writing alone, if possible; subject, however, to the other provisions of this Title," and § 1643 providing, "A contract must receive such an interpretation as will make it lawful, operative, definite, reasonable, and capable of being carried into effect, if it can be done without violating the intention of the parties." In stating that even if Golshani were the draftsman his Award would be the same, Judge Haberfeld (were California law adopted by Nevada) in effect stated that those foregoing rules removed any uncertainty so that deciding on the basis of drafter never became a principle to apply.

1 As made clear above the Arbitrator determined he did not need to rely on a rule of “last
2 resort” as a matter of public policy that is not “designed to ascertain the meaning attached by the
3 parties,” and does not “determine the meaning that the two parties gave to the words” because he
4 was able to “discern the intent of the parties” by “ordinary methods of interpretation” so that the
5 meaning of the parties gave to the provision no longer “remain[ed] ambiguous.” Bidsal’s
6 argument exceeds the “limits” of *contra proferentem*.

7 Fourth, the Arbitrator never said that Bidsal was the sole drafter. Rather what the above
8 quoted footnote says is that Bidsal controlled the final drafting, not that he was necessarily the one
9 who first drafted the section. There was more than adequate evidence that Bidsal “controlled the
10 final drafting,” and that LeGrand and Bidsal as much or more than Golshani participated in the
11 drafting of Section 4. (See FN.13, above). On that basis alone Judge Haberfeld was not required to
12 accept LeGrand’s offhand characterization nineteen months later of Section 4 as “Ben’s language”
13 (Opp.¶ F, pg 12), especially since LeGrand could well have come upon that conclusion because
14 Golshani was the one who transmitted “rough draft 2” to LeGrand (Ex. R, APP 455) at which time
15 LeGrand said he was “writing it to be more complete and detailed.” (*Id.*)

16 Fifth, even as to the drafting of Section 4 the evidence (see preceding footnote) is that the
17 first draft was done in accordance with discussions with Bidsal, and after Mr. Golshani presented a
18 rough draft of Section 4, Bidsal requested changes which Golshani made in his next draft, and even
19 it was later changed by someone other than Golshani. In other words, there was no uncontradicted
20 testimony that Mr. Golshani alone drafted Section 4, and even had it been true, since Bidsal
21 controlled the final drafting, to the extent it was significant, he should be deemed the drafter.

22 Finally, Bidsal had multiple opportunities to raise this claim before the final Award was
23 made, and never did so.²² But never did he object to the language regarding drafting to which he

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25 ^{22/} On October 9, 2018 the Arbitrator issued a Merits Order. (Ex. EE, APP 842.) The essence of what
26 is quoted above from ¶ 17 of the Award then appeared as part of footnote 3 on page 3 of that Merits
27 Order. In part the Merits Order in Paragraph 3 on page 13 thereof gave Respondent here, CLA
28 Properties, LLC (“CLA”), twenty-one (21) days to present a “draft proposed interim award” and gave
Bidsal fourteen days to “file and serve written objections and corrections.” The proposed interim
award was filed and served on October 30, 2018 (Ex. FF, APP 858.) Section 7 of Part IV thereof in
part states that “Section 4.2 of the Green Valley Operating Agreement [was] a result of collective
drafting over a six-month period” and footnote 5 and paragraph 17 of the proposed interim award was
identical to that in the final Award. On November 20, 2018 Bidsal filed and served “Objections” to

1 now objects. By waiting until after the Arbitrator issued his final Award, Bidsal forfeited his right
2 to now raise the objection.

3 For any one of these reasons Judge Haberfeld's finding that Golshani was not the final
4 draftsman is not "contradicted by the plain, uncontroverted evidence," and does not constitute
5 grounds to vacate the Award. Bidsal's argument does not get better with age by being repeated at
6 Opp. 26:1.

7 **6.2.1 Characterization as Dutch Auction is Exactly What the Parties Had Done**

8 With what surely must rank as one of the high points of chutzpah²³ at Opp. 24:12 Bidsal
9 claims that LeGrand alone proposed the Dutch Auction and that it was ultimately discarded. The
10 evidence we have above set out shows that statement is 100% false. As set out above Golshani
11 testified that he proposed it at the first meeting and at all times Bidsal and he agreed that it would be
12 used, whether under that name, or "forced buy-sell" or no name at all. There is no evidence, none,
13 that the concept was ever discarded as Bidsal at Opp. 24:18 argues once and at 26:6 argues again.
14 None of what he cites supports his claim and the facts recited above shows the contradicting
15 evidence.

16 And of course, to the extent that description is used, it also appeared in the Proposed Interim
17 Award and the Interim Award and Bidsal, although filing Objections to each, never raised that
18 issue.

19 Bidsal's contention at Opp. 25:18 *et. seq.* that Judge Haberfeld relied upon what is common
20 among partners and rough justice is simply false—that is not what the Award says. As to the former,
21 all Judge Haberfeld said in ¶ 8 of the Award (Ex. MM, APP1088 at 1093) is that in fact what was

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23 that proposed award. (Ex. HH, APP. 967.) Notwithstanding that he could then have raised the
24 complaint he now makes, he raised no complaint that Section 4.2 was not the "result of collective
drafting" and he raised no complaint that the statement in Paragraph 17 or in footnote 5 was wrong in
any respect.

25 And that was not Bidsal's only opportunity to raise the issue before the Arbitrator. On
26 February 21, 2019, the Arbitrator issued the Interim Award. (Ex. JJ, APP 1032.) The same language
as appeared in the Proposed Interim Order regarding draftsmanship appeared therein. Once again,
27 Bidsal was given the right to "to file and serve any appropriate corrections and/or necessary additions
to this Interim Award." (¶ 4 on page 20 thereof.) On March 7, 2019 Bidsal filed and served
28 Objections to that Interim Award (Ex. LL, APP 1085). Once again, he raised no objection to the
Arbitrator's statements regarding drafter of Section 4.

²³ See *Miller v. California Commission of Women*, 176 Cal.App.3d 454,455 (1985)

1 called Dutch Auction by the participants here is common; he did not say that the fact that it
2 common was relied upon in any way to reach his decision. And as explained in the next section,
3 Judge Haberfeld's comment about rough justice was merely that that is the result of what the parties
4 intended, not that he relied upon rough justice to reach his decision. Finally, as to Judge
5 Haberfeld's supposed reliance upon language not in the Agreement, Bidsal cites no such example
6 because it does not exist.

8 **6.2.2 Rough Justice Merely Characterization of Impact**

9 "Finally, the Arbitrator found that the concept of 'rough justice' was part of the Parties'
10 intent." Bidsal at Opp. 24:24. But as he acknowledges those words don't appear in the transcript.
11 But Judge Haberfeld never said that "rough justice" was discussed by the parties. What he said
12 was, "If the provisions work, as intended, the result might not be expertly authoritative or precise,
13 but nevertheless a form of cost-effective 'rough justice,' when one partner 'pulls the trigger' on
14 separation, by initiating Section 4.2 procedures." ¶ 8 of Ex. MM, APP 1088 at 1093. That is
15 merely Judge Haberfeld's characterization of the result achieved by the process the parties intended.

17 **6.3 Free And Clear Obvious, Ten Days And Retained Jurisdiction**

18 At Opp. 28:1 Bidsal complains that the Award requires his transferring his interest free and
19 clear of liens and encumbrances. That clearly was within the Arbitrator's authority to order, and
20 indeed was all but required. The formula to determine the amount to be paid had no portion that
21 permitted the interest to be encumbered, and it would make no sense that the same amount must be
22 paid for an interest that is encumbered. The only evidence that was needed was the formula and the
23 recognition that it would make no sense if the purchaser had to pay the same amount for
24 encumbered interest as for an interest free and clear, and the formula by necessity anticipated a
25 transfer free and clear of encumbrances.

26 Bidsal cited *Schoenduve Corp. V. Lucent Technologies*, 442 F.3d 727 (9th Cir., 2006) in his
27 federal motion. There the arbitrator issued an award that the claim for commissions was not
28 covered by the contract in which the arbitration provision existed, but nonetheless awarded such

1 commissions on the doctrine of quasi-contract. *Id* at 730. After the court recognized that “review
2 of the actual award is ‘both limited and highly deferential,’” (*id.* at 730) and that while the award
3 should not be “upon a matter not submitted” for arbitration (*id* at 732) the award was confirmed
4 because “The scope of the arbitrator’s jurisdiction extends to issues not only explicitly raised by the
5 parties, but all issues implicit within the submission agreement” (*id* at 733). The demand for
6 arbitration (which the court deemed to be the submission agreement (*id* at 732)) here asked that
7 “Respondent [Bidsal] be ordered to transfer his interest in Green Valley Commerce, LLC (‘Green
8 Valley’) to Claimant [CLA] upon payment of the price.” To describe the state of title to Bidsal’s
9 interest as being free from liens was clearly implicit in the contract providing that in the
10 circumstances here CLA was entitled to buy Bidsal’s interest, and surely setting a time to do so was
11 equally implicit. Indeed setting a time was essential to having a transfer.

12 Yet Bidsal complains about a setting a 10 day period to do the transfer. By this point it is
13 more than 100 days and still the transfer has not been done so hardly is the ten days too short. More
14 than that Bidsal offers no reason why it would take anything more than signing his name to make
15 the transfer, and obviously some time period had to be designated. Clearly what Bidsal is shooting
16 for is to have further disputes about the details of the transfer so he can delay even longer.

17 Lastly Bidsal complains that Judge Haberfeld retained jurisdiction which is not authorized in
18 JAMS Rules. So true. But it is not prohibited by those rules and Rule 24(c) provides, “the
19 Arbitrator shall be guided by the rules of law and equity that he or she deems to be most
20 appropriate. The Arbitrator may grant any remedy or relief that is just and equitable and within the
21 scope of the Parties' agreement, including, but not limited to, specific performance of a contract or
22 any other equitable or legal remedy.” That surely is broad enough to include retaining jurisdiction.
23 Beyond that what the Award says is that the retention lasts “until the last day permitted by law and
24 JAMS Comprehensive Arbitration Rules and Procedures.” (Ex. MM, APP 1988 at 0191.) So
25 whenever the law or those Rules no longer permit retention of jurisdiction, it shall end.

26 27 **6.4 Conclusion Re Grounds For Vacating**

28 Just as we said at the beginning, Bidsal’s entire basis for vacating the Award is that Judge

1 Haberfeld disagreed with his contended meaning of the Agreement. But that is not a basis and
2 moreover Judge Haberfeld's reasoned Award correctly interpreted the Agreement.

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4 **7. JUDGE HABERFELD IS NOT GUILTY OF PARTIALITY OR MISBEHAVIOR**

5 Bidsal presents no different facts for the claim of Judge Haberfeld's partiality or
6 misbehavior claimed starting at Opp. 29:17. But Judge Haberfeld did nothing other than conduct an
7 arbitration and rule against Bidsal. And that is what he claims is partiality and misbehavior.

8 Before anything else it is important to note that in his two Objections to Proposed Interim
9 Order and Interim Order (Ex. HH and LL, APP 967 and 1085, respectively) Bidsal never raised
10 these claims. On that basis alone they should not be given any consideration.

11 An examination of all three pages Bidsal devotes to this claim shows that there is nothing
12 there argued that he has not already argued under other grounds. Like his other repetitions, they do
13 not become better simply by repeating them. We have addressed each of them in the preceding
14 sections.

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16 **8. THERE IS NO BASIS TO MODIFY THE AWARD**

17 At Opp. 33:15 *et. seq.* Bidsal argues that the Award should be modified. But his discussion
18 demonstrates that what he wants is to reverse the Award and rule in his favor.²⁴ And the grounds
19 on which he seeks modification (truly total change) are the same as he has argued in support of his
20 seeking vacation. So we will not repeat all of what we have said before.

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22 **9. JUDGE HABERFELD THOROUGHLY REVIEWED THE ATTORNEY'S FEE**
23 **REQUEST**

24 Lastly Bidsal makes the same arguments he made to Judge Haberfeld regarding fees and
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26 ^{24/} We note that here Bidsal specifically states he is proceeding under FAA § 11(b) rather than the
27 comparable Nevada statute at NRS 38.242(1)(b). There is a reason for that. The Nevada statute is
28 the exact opposite of the federal rule. Under the Nevada law the correction must not affect the
merits of the decision. But that is exactly what Bidsal is seeking. But if he is right in claiming
the FAA should govern, then his Nevada case citations, especially those giving common law
grounds, should be ignored.

1 which Judge Haberfeld already in part accepted (and reduced the award from what was claimed by
2 Petitioner) and otherwise rejected. See ¶ 28 of the Award, Ex. MM, APP 1088 at 1104. There
3 Judge Haberfeld thoroughly reviewed contentions made by Bidsal and addressed each of them, and
4 explained the basis for his award in accordance with Nevada law. The explanation for the amount
5 requested by Petitioner is thoroughly set out in Ex. GG and KK, APP 967 and 1055, respectively.

6 The reason for the amount of the award is clearly explained by Judge Haberfeld including
7 Bidsal's "conducting a 'no holds barred' litigation." Bidsal can hardly now complain about the size
8 of the fees.

9 There is one more interesting aspect. Although Bidsal objected to the fee request in Ex. II,
10 APP 981, he never revealed how much his attorneys fees were. One can readily guess that is
11 because his fees were as much or more than were those of CLA's counsel.

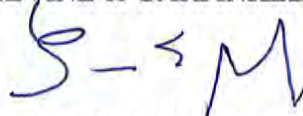
12 All of the authorities Bidsal cites have nothing to do with an arbitrator's award of attorneys
13 fees and for the same reasons that there is totally restricted review by court of what an arbitrator
14 rules on the merits, the award of attorneys fees must receive the same respect.

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16 10. CONCLUSION

17 For the reasons set out above, the Award should be confirmed in all respects.

18 DATED: August 5, 2019

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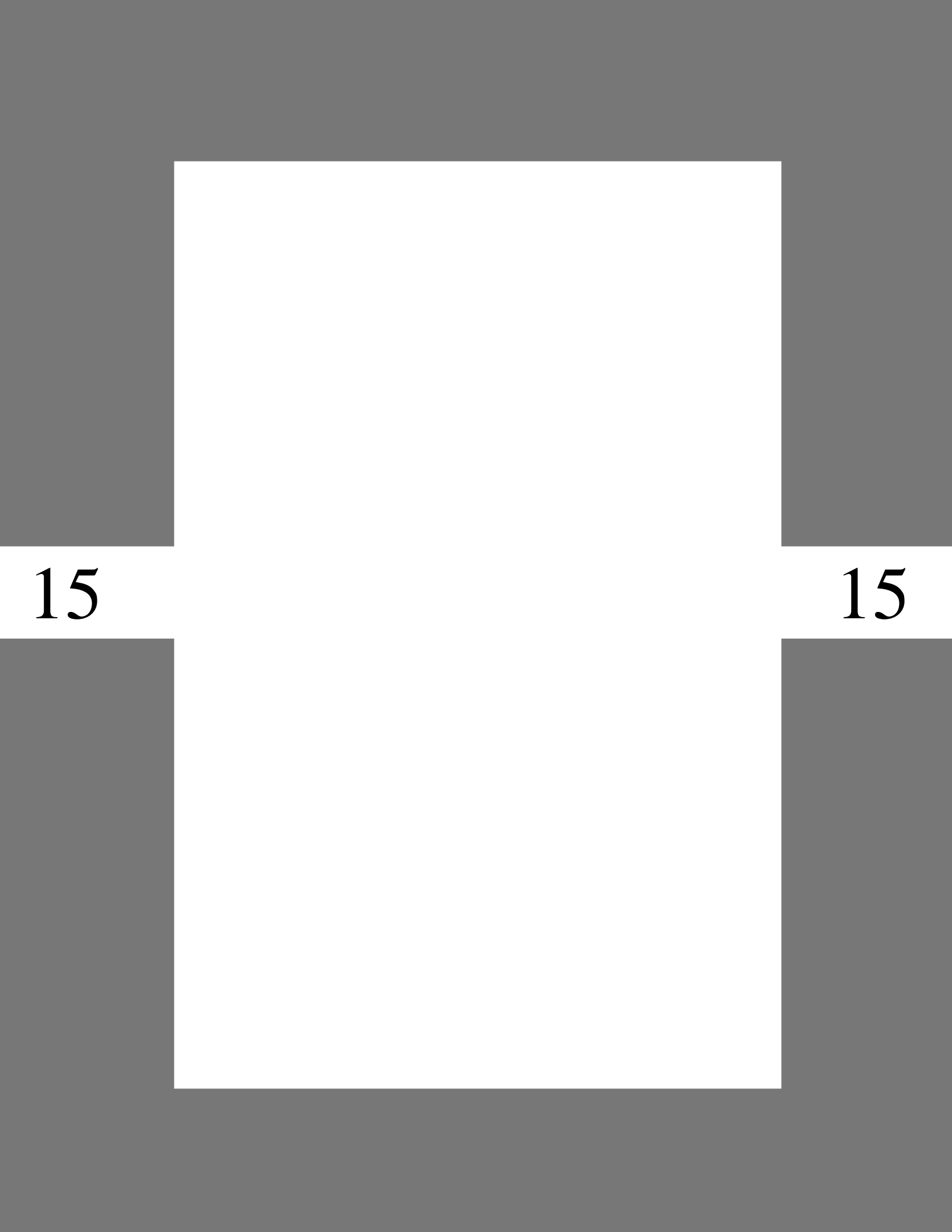
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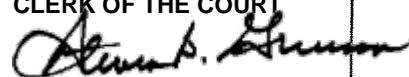

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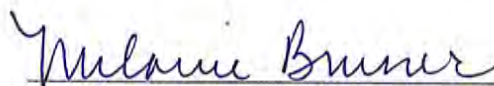
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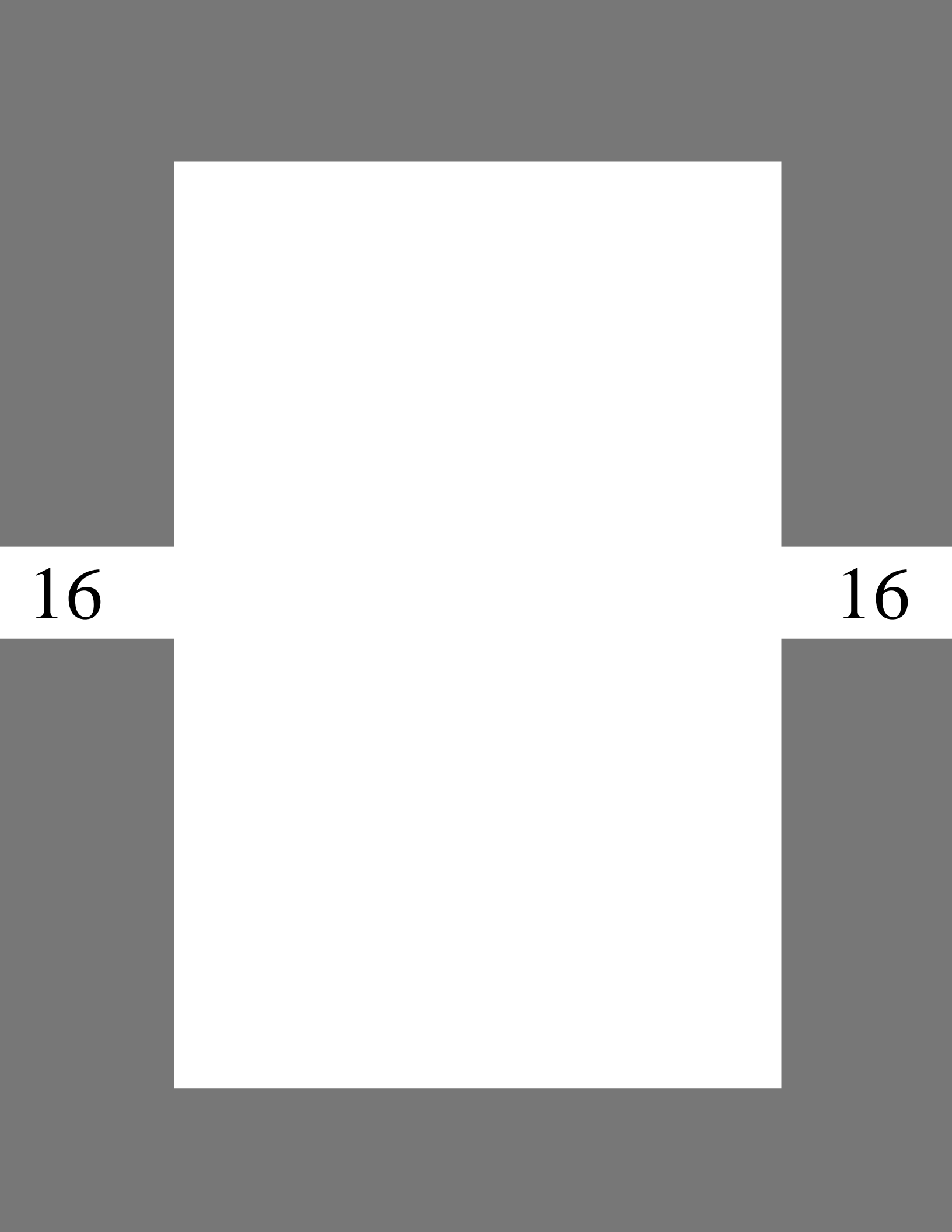
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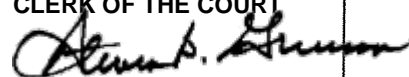
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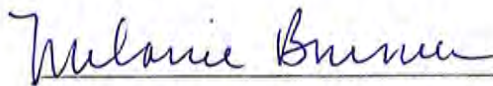
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Pursuant to Nevada Rules of Civil Procedure 5(b), I hereby certify that I am an employee of LEVINE & GARFINKEL, and that on the 5th day of August, 2019, I caused the foregoing **APPENDIX TO MEMORANDUM OF POINTS AND AUTHORITIES IN SUPPORT OF PETITION FOR CONFIRMATION OF ARBITRATION AWARD AND IN OPPOSITION TO COUNTER-PETITION TO VACATE AWARD-Part 1** to be served as follows:

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App.	PART	EXHIBIT	DATE	DESCRIPTION (<i>italics presented by Bidsal in arbitration</i>) (Parenthetical number is exhibit identification at arbitration hearing)
000003	1	101.	09/22/11	Golshani e-mail with rough draft (20, 316 and N)
000007	1	102.	11/10/11	LeGrand e-mail (24)
000012	1	103.	11/29/11	LeGrand e-mail with draft (26)
000043	1	104.	12/10/11	LeGrand e-mail (27)
000045	1	105.	06/19/13	<i>LeGrand e-mail and Agreement (343)</i>
000104	1	106.	10/02/13	<i>Bidsal e-mail with Agreement (344)</i>
000164	1	107.	08/31/17	Shapiro letter (38)
000166	2	108.	01/08/18	<i>Respondent's Opening Brief</i>
000374	3	109.	01/08/18	CLA Rule 18 Motion for Summary Disposition
000430	3	110.	01/19/18	<i>Respondent's Responding Brief</i>
000439	3	111.	01/19/18	CLA Response to Bidsal's Opening Brief
000455	3	112.	01/25/18	<i>Respondent's Reply Brief</i>
000468	3	113.	01/25/18	CLA Reply Brief In Support of Rule 18 Motion
000481	3	114.	03/21/18	<i>Bidsal's Exhibit 351</i>
000483	3	115.	05/03/18	<i>Respondent's Hearing Brief</i>
000515	3	116.	05/03/18	Claimant's Hearing Brief
000559	4	117.	05/08/18	Transcript of arbitration hearing-Day 1
000781	5	117.	05/09/18	Transcript of arbitration hearing-Day 2
000984	6	118.	06/28/18	Claimant's Closing Argument Brief
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EXHIBIT 101

(Golshani e-Mail with Rough Draft (20, 316 and N))

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EXHIBIT 101

Richard D. Agay

From: ben [bengol7@yahoo.com]
Sent: Thursday, September 22, 2011 8:51 AM
To: shawn bidsal
Attachments: Buy sell ben version.docx

Shawn E Aziz

Enclosed please find a rough draft of what I came up with. I tried to make it reciprocal. See if you like it. Comments are appreciated.

Ben

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EXHIBIT 20

ROUGH DRAFT

Section 7. Purchase or Sell Right among Members.

In the event that a Member is willing to sell his or its Member's Interest in the Company to the other Members, then the procedures and terms of Section 7.1 shall apply.

Section 7.1 Purchase or Sell Procedure.

Any member ("Offering Member") may give notice to the Remaining Member(s) that he or it is ready, willing and able to sell his or its Member Interests for a price the Offering member thinks is the fair market value.

If the offered price is not acceptable to the Remaining member(s), Within 30 days of receiving the offer, the Remaining member can request to establish a fair market value based on the following procedure.

The Remaining member must provide the offering Member the complete information of 3 MIA appraisers within 30 days of receiving the offer. The Offering Member must pick one of the appraisers to appraise the property and furnish a copy to all members. The Offering Member also must provide the Other Members with the complete information of 3 MIA approved appraisers. The Other Members must pick one of the appraisers to appraise the property and furnish a copy to all members. The medium of these 2 appraisals constitute the fair market value of the property which is called (FMV).

The offering party may offer to sell his share Remaining Members based on the following formula.

$(\text{FMV} - \text{cost of purchase stated in the escrow closing statement}) \times \text{interest percentage of Remaining member(s)} + \text{the amount of capital account of the Remaining Member(s)}.$

The Remaining Member(s) shall have 30 days within which to respond in writing to the Offering Member by either

- (i) accepting the Offering Member's offer to sell; or,
- (ii) rejecting the offer to sell and counter offering to sell his or its Member Interest to the Offering Member based upon the same fair market value (FMV) according to the following formula.

$(\text{FMV} - \text{cost of purchase stated in the escrow closing statement}) \times \text{interest percentage of offering Member} + \text{capital account of the Offering Member}.$

The specific intent of this provision is that the Offering Member shall be obligated to either sell his or its Member Interests to the remaining Member(s) or purchase the Member Interest of the remaining Member(s) based upon the fair market value established above.

- 7.1.1 Failure by all or any of the other Members to respond to the Offering Member's notice within the ten (30) day period shall be deemed to constitute a notification to the Offering Member of the decision of the non-responding Members to exercise the right to sell in lieu of purchase and therefore constitutes an acceptance of the offer to purchase the Offering Member's Interest pursuant to Section 7.1. Upon the decision and notice by the other Members to purchase all the Offering Member's Interest, the parties to such purchase shall close such purchase within thirty (30) days thereafter.
- 7.1.2 The payment of the purchase price shall be in cash. The payment may be done by installments upon mutual agreement of members

EXHIBIT 102

(LeGrand e-mail (24))

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EXHIBIT 102

Begin forwarded message:

From: benjamin golshani <bengol7@yahoo.com>
Subject: Re: Buy Sell Provisions
Date: November 11, 2011 at 3:34:29 PM PST
To: David LeGrand <dgllawyer@hotmail.com>
Reply-To: benjamin golshani <bengol7@yahoo.com>

Hi, it looks good, please complete and send it to us. Also, please issue Share certificate and send it to us by UPS.

Ben

Benjamin Golshani
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From: David LeGrand <dgllawyer@hotmail.com>
To: Benjamin Gholshami <bengol7@yahoo.com>; Shawn Bidsal <wcico@yahoo.com>
ent: Thursday, November 10, 2011 5:56 PM
Subject: Buy Sell Provisions

Gents: here is a revised version of what Ben sent me. I will insert into the OPAG if these terms are acceptable to you.

Question, do you me to keep the provisions for a buyout upon the death of a Member??

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Section 7. Purchase or Sell Right among Members.

In the event that a Member is willing to purchase the Remaining Member's Interest in the Company then the procedures and terms of Section 7.1 shall apply.

Section 7.1 Definitions

Offering Member means the member who offers to purchase the Membership Interest(s) of the Remaining Member(s). "Remaining Members" means the Members who received an offer (from Offering Member) to sell their shares.

"COP" means "cost of purchase" as it specified in the escrow closing statement at the time of purchase of each property owned by the Company.

"Seller" means the Member that accepts the offer to sell his or its Membership Interest.

"FMV" means "fair market value" obtained as specified in section 7.2.

Section 7.2 Purchase or Sell Procedure.

Any Member ("Offering Member") may give notice to the Remaining Member(s) that he or it is ready, willing and able to purchase the Remaining Members' Interests for a price the Offering Member thinks is the fair market value. The terms to be all cash and close escrow within 30 days of the acceptance.

If the offered price is not acceptable to the Remaining Member(s), within 30 days of receiving the offer, the Remaining Members (or any of them) can request to establish FMV based on the following procedure. The Remaining Member(s) must provide the Offering Member the complete information of 2 MIA appraisers. The Offering Member must pick one of the appraisers to appraise the property and furnish a copy to all Members. The Offering Member also must provide the Remaining Members with the complete information of 2 MIA approved appraisers. The Remaining Members must pick one of the appraisers to appraise the property and furnish a copy to all Members. The medium of these 2 appraisals constitute the fair market value of the property which is called (FMV).

The Offering Member has the option to offer to purchase the Remaining Member's share at FMV specified above, based on the following formula.

$(FMV - COP) \times 0.5$ plus capital contribution of the Remaining Member(s) at the time of purchasing the property minus prorated liabilities.

The Remaining Member(s) shall have 30 days within which to respond in writing to the Offering Member by either

- (i) accepting the Offering Member's purchase offer, or,
- (ii) rejecting the purchase offer and counter, offering to purchase the interest of the Offering Member based upon the same fair market value (FMV) according to the following formula.

$(FMV - COP) \times 0.5 +$ capital contribution of the Offering Member(s) at the time of purchasing the property minus prorated liabilities.

The specific intent of this provision is that once the Offering Member presented his or its offer the Remaining Members have the right to either sell or buy at the same offered price and according to the above manner. In the case that the Remaining Member(s) decide to purchase, then

Offering Member shall be obligated to sell his or its Member Interests to the remaining Member(s).

7.1.1 Failure by all or any of the other Members to respond to the Offering Member's notice within the thirty (30 day) period shall be deemed to constitute an acceptance of the Offering Member.

EXHIBIT 103

(LeGrand e-mail with Draft (26))

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EXHIBIT 103

From: David LeGrand <dgllawyer@hotmail.com>
Subject: Revised OPAG
Date: November 29, 2011 at 5:06:47 PM PST
To: Benjamin Gholshami <bengol7@yahoo.com>, Shawn Bidsal <wcico@yahoo.com>

Ben and Shawn. This version has Ben's "dutch auction" language and a buy-sell at FMV on a death or dissolution of a Member.

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OPERATING AGREEMENT

Of

Green Valley Commerce, LLC
a Nevada limited liability company

This Operating Agreement (the "Agreement") is by and among Green Valley Commerce, LLC, a Nevada Limited Liability Company (sometimes hereinafter referred to as the "Company" or the "Limited Liability Company") and the undersigned Member and Manager of the Company. This Agreement is made to be effective as of June 15, 2011 ("Effective Date") by the undersigned parties.

WHEREAS, on about May 26, 2011, Shawn Bidsal formed the Company as a Nevada limited liability company by filing its Articles of Organization (the "Articles of Organization") pursuant to the Nevada Limited Liability Company Act, as Filing entity #E0308602011-0; and

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the premises, the provisions and the respective agreements hereinafter set forth and for other good and valuable consideration, the parties hereto do hereby agree to the following terms and conditions of this Agreement for the administration and regulation of the affairs of this Limited Liability Company.

Article I. DEFINITIONS

Section 01 Defined Terms

Advisory Committee or Committees shall be deemed to mean the Advisory Committee or Committees established by the Management pursuant to Section 13 of Article III of this Agreement.

Agreement shall be deemed to mean this Operating Agreement of this herein Limited Liability Company as may be amended.

Business of the Company shall mean acquisition of secured debt, conversion of such debt into fee simple title by foreclosure, purchase or otherwise, and operation and management of real estate.

Business Day shall be deemed to mean any day excluding a Saturday, a Sunday and any other day on which banks are required or authorized to close in the State of Formation.

Limited Liability Company shall be deemed to mean Green Valley Commerce, LLC a Nevada Limited Liability Company organized pursuant of the laws of the State of Formation.

Management and Manager(s) shall be deemed to have the meanings set forth in Article, IV of this Agreement.

Member shall mean a person who has a membership interest in the Limited Liability Company.

Membership Interest shall mean, with respect to a Member the percentage of ownership interest in the Company of such Member (may also be referred to as **Interest**). Each Member's percentage of Membership Interest in the Company shall be as set forth in Exhibit B.

Person means any natural person, sole proprietorship, corporation, general partnership, limited partnership, Limited Liability Company, limited liability limited partnership, joint venture, association, joint stock company, bank, trust, estate, unincorporated organization, any federal, state, county or municipal government (or any agency or political subdivision thereof), endowment fund or any other form of entity.

State of Formation shall mean the State of Nevada.

Article II.

OFFICES AND RECORDS

Section 01 Registered Office and Registered Agent.

The Limited Liability Company shall have and maintain a registered office in the State of Formation and a resident agent for service of process, who may be a natural person of said state whose business office is identical with the registered office, or a domestic corporation, or a corporation authorized to transact business within said State which has a business office identical with the registered office, or itself which has a business office identical with the registered office and is permitted by said state to act as a registered agent/office within said state.

The resident agent shall be appointed by the Member Manager.

The location of the registered office shall be determined by the Management.

The current name of the resident agent and location of the registered office shall be kept on file in the appropriate office within the State of Formation pursuant to applicable provisions of law.

Section 02 Limited Liability Company Offices.

The Limited Liability Company may have such offices, anywhere within and without the State of Formation, the Management from time to time may appoint, or the business of the Limited Liability Company may require. The "principal place of business" or "principal business" or "executive" office or offices of the Limited Liability Company may be fixed and so designated from time to time by the Management.

Section 03 Records.

The Limited Liability Company shall continuously maintain at its registered office, or at such other place as may be authorized pursuant to applicable provisions of law of the State of Formation the following records:

- (a) A current list of the full name and last known business address of each Member and Managers separately identifying the Members in alphabetical order;
- (b) A copy of the filed Articles of Organization and all amendments thereto, together with executed copies of any powers of attorney pursuant to which any document has been executed;
- (c) Copies of the Limited Liability Company's federal income tax returns and reports, if any, for the three (3) most recent years;
- (d) Copies of any then effective written operating agreement and of any financial statements of the Limited Liability Company for the three (3) most recent years;
- (e) Unless contained in the Articles of Organization, a writing setting out:
 - (i) The amount of cash and a description and statement of the agreed value of the other property or services contributed by each Member and which each Member has agreed to contribute;
 - (ii) The items as which or events on the happening of which any additional contributions agreed to be made by each Member are to be made;
 - (iii) Any right of a Member to receive, or of a Manager to make, distributions to a Member which include a return of all or any part of the Member's contribution; and
 - (iv) Any events upon the happening of which the Limited Liability Company is to be dissolved and its affairs wound up.
- (f) The Limited Liability Company shall also keep from time to time such other or additional records, statements, lists, and information as may be required by law.
- (g) If any of the above said records under Section 3 are not kept within the State of Formation, they shall be at all times in such condition as to permit them to be delivered to any authorized person within three (3) days.

Section 04 Inspection of Records.

Records kept pursuant to this Article are subject to inspection and copying at the request, and at the expense, of any Member, in person or by attorney or other agent. Each Member shall have the right during the usual hours of business to inspect for any proper purpose. A proper purpose shall mean a purpose reasonably related to such person's interest as a Member. In every

instance where an attorney or other agent shall be the person who seeks the right of inspection, the demand under oath shall be accompanied by a power of attorney or such other writing which authorizes the attorney or other agent to so act on behalf of the Member.

Article III.

MEMBERS' MEETINGS AND DEADLOCK

Section 01 Place of Meetings.

All meetings of the Members shall be held at the principal business office of the Limited Liability Company the State of Formation except such meetings as shall be held elsewhere by the express determination of the Management; in which case, such meetings may be held, upon notice thereof as hereinafter provided, at such other place or places, within or without the State of Formation, as said Management shall have determined, and shall be stated in such notice. Unless specifically prohibited by law, any meeting may be held at any place and time, and for any purpose; if consented to in writing by all of the Members entitled to vote thereat.

Section 02 Annual Meetings.

An Annual Meeting of Members shall be held on the first business day of July of each year, if not a legal holiday, and if a legal holiday, then the Annual Meeting of Members shall be held at the same time and place on the next day is a full Business Day.

Section 03 Special Meetings.

Special meetings of the Members may be held for any purpose or purposes. They may be called by the Managers or by Members holding not less than fifty-one percent of the voting power of the Limited Liability Company or such other maximum number as may be, required by the applicable law of the State of Formation. Written notice shall be given to all Members.

Section 04 Action in Lieu of Meeting.

Any action required to be taken at any Annual or Special Meeting of the Members or any other action which may be taken at any Annual or Special meeting of the Members may be taken without a meeting if consents in writing setting forth the action so taken shall be signed by the requisite votes of the Members entitled to vote with respect to the subject matter thereof.

Section 05 Notice.

Written notice of each meeting of the Members, whether Annual or Special, stating the place, day and hour of the meeting, and, in case of a Special meeting, the purpose or purposes thereof, shall be given or given to each Member entitled to vote thereat, not less than ten (10) nor more than sixty (60) days prior to the meeting unless, as to a particular matter, other or further notice is required by law, in which case such other or further notice shall be given.

Notice upon the Member may be delivered or given either personally or by express or first class mail, Or by telegram or other electronic transmission, with all charges prepaid, addressed to each Member at the address of such Member appearing on the books of the Limited Liability Company or more recently given by the Member to the Limited Liability Company for the purpose of notice.

If no address for a Member appears on the Limited Liability Company's books, notice shall be deemed to have been properly given to such Member if sent by any of the methods authorized here in to the Limited Liability Company 's principal executive office to the attention of such Member, or if published, at least once in a newspaper of general circulation in the county of the principal executive office and the county of the Registered office in the State of Formation of the Limited Liability Company.

If notice addressed to a Member at the address of such Member appearing on the books of the Limited Liability Company is returned to the Limited Liability Company by the United States Postal Service marked to indicate that the United States Postal Service is unable to deliver the notice to the Member at such address, all future notices or reports shall be deemed to have been duly given without further mailing if the same shall be available to the Member upon written demand of the Member at the principal executive office of the Limited Liability Company for a period of one (1) year from the date of the giving of such notice. It shall be the duty and of each member to provide the manager and/or the Limited Liability Company with an official mailing address.

Notice shall be deemed to have been given at the time when delivered personally or deposited in the mail or sent by telegram or other means of electronic transmission.

An affidavit of the mailing or other means of giving any notice of any Member meeting shall be executed by the Management and shall be filed and maintained in the Minute Book of the Limited Liability Company.

Section 06 Waiver of Notice.

Whenever any notice is required to be given under the provisions of this Agreement, or the Articles of Organization of the Limited Liability Company or any law, a waiver thereof in writing signed by the Member or Members entitled to such notice, whether before or after the time stated therein, shall be deemed the equivalent to the giving of such notice.

To the extent provided by law, attendance at any meeting shall constitute a waiver of notice of such meeting except when the Member attends the meeting for the express purpose of objecting to the transaction of any business because the meeting is not lawfully called or convened, and such Member so states such purpose at the opening of the meeting.

Section 07 Presiding Officials.

Every meeting of the Limited Liability Company for whatever reason, shall be convened by the Managers or Member who called the meeting by notice as above provided; provided, however,

it shall be presided over by the Management; and provided, further, the Members at any meeting, by a majority vote of Members represented thereat, and notwithstanding anything to the contrary elsewhere in this Agreement, may select any persons of their choosing to act as the Chairman and Secretary of such meeting or any session thereof.

Section 08 Business Which May Be Transacted at Annual Meetings.

At each Annual Meeting of the Members, the Members may elect, with a vote representing ninety percent (90%) in Interest of the Members, a Manager or Managers to administer and regulate the affairs of the Limited Liability Company. The Manager(s) shall hold such office until the next Annual Meeting of Members or until the Manager resigns or is removed by the Members pursuant to the terms of this Agreement, whichever event first occurs. The Members may transact such other business as may have been specified in the notice of the meeting as one of the purposes thereof.

Section 09 Business Which May Be Transacted at Special Meetings.

Business transacted at all special meetings shall be confined to the purposes stated in the notice of such meetings.

Section 10 Quorum.

At all meetings of the Members, a majority of the Members present, in person or by proxy, shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business, unless a greater number as to any particular matter is required by law, the Articles of Organization or this Agreement, and the act of a majority of the Members present at any meeting at which there is a quorum, except as may be otherwise specifically provided by law, by the Articles of Organization, or by this Agreement, shall be the act of the Members.

Less than a quorum may adjourn a meeting successively until a quorum is present, and no notice of adjournment shall be required.

Section 11 Proxies.

At any meeting of the Members, every Member having the right to vote shall be entitled to vote in person, or by proxy executed in writing by such Member or by his duly, authorized attorney-in-fact. No proxy shall be valid after three years from the date of its execution, unless otherwise provided in the proxy.

Section 12 Voting.

Every Member shall have one (1) vote(s) for each \$1,000.00 of capital contributed to the Limited Liability Company which is registered in his/her name on the books of the Limited Liability Company, as the amount of such capital is adjusted from time to time to properly reflect any additional contributions to or withdrawals from capital by the Member.

12.1 The affirmative vote of a Majority of the Member Interests shall be required to:

(A) adopt clerical or ministerial amendments to this Agreement and

- (B) approve indemnification of any Manager, Member or officer of the Company as authorized by Article XI of this Agreement;

12.2. The affirmative vote of at least ninety percent of the Member Interests shall be required to:

- (A) alter the Preferred Allocations provided for in *Exhibit "B"*;
- (B) agree to continue the business of the Company after a Dissolution Event;
- (C) approve any loan to any Manager or any guarantee of a Manager's obligations; and
- (D) authorize or approve a fundamental change in the business of the Company.
- (E) approve a sale of substantially all of the assets of the Company.
- (F) approve a change in the number of Managers or replace a Manager or engage a new Manager.

Section 13 Meeting by Telephonic Conference or Similar Communications Equipment.

Unless otherwise restricted by the Articles of Organization, this Agreement of by law, the Members of the Limited Liability Company, or any Committee thereof established by the Management, may participate in a meeting of such Members or committee by means of telephonic conference or similar communications equipment whereby all persons participating in the meeting can hear and speak to each other, and participation in a meeting in such manner shall constitute presence in person at such meeting.

Section 14. Deadlock.

In the event that Members reach a deadlock that cannot be resolved with a respect to an issue that requires a ninety percent vote for approval, then either Member may compel arbitration of the disputed matter as set forth in Subsection 14.1

14.1 **Dispute Resolution.** In the event of any dispute or disagreement between the Members as to the interpretation of any provision of this Agreement (or the performance of obligations hereunder), the matter, upon written request of either Party, shall be referred to representatives of the Parties for decision. The representatives shall promptly meet in a good faith effort to resolve the dispute. If the representatives do not agree upon a decision within thirty (30) calendar days after reference of the matter to them, any controversy, dispute or claim arising out of or relating in any way to this Agreement or the transactions arising hereunder shall be settled exclusively by arbitration in the City of Las Vegas, Nevada. Such arbitration shall be administered by JAMS in accordance with its then prevailing expedited rules, by one independent and impartial

arbitrator selected in accordance with such rules. The arbitration shall be governed by the United States Arbitration Act, 9 U.S.C. § 1 et seq. The fees and expenses of JAMS and the arbitrator shall be shared equally by the Members and advanced by them from time to time as required; provided that at the conclusion of the arbitration, the arbitrator shall award costs and expenses (including the costs of the arbitration previously advanced and the fees and expenses of attorneys, accountants and other experts) to the prevailing party. No pre-arbitration discovery shall be permitted, except that the arbitrator shall have the power in his sole discretion, on application by any party, to order pre-arbitration examination solely of those witnesses and documents that any other party intends to introduce in its case-in-chief at the arbitration hearing. The Members Seller shall instruct the arbitrator to render his award within thirty (30) days following the conclusion of the arbitration hearing. The arbitrator shall not be empowered to award to any party any damages of the type not permitted to be recovered under this Agreement in connection with any dispute between or among the parties arising out of or relating in any way to this Agreement or the transactions arising hereunder, and each party hereby irrevocably waives any right to recover such damages. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary provided in this Section 14.1 and without prejudice to the above procedures, either Party may apply to any court of competent jurisdiction for temporary injunctive or other provisional judicial relief if such action is necessary to avoid irreparable damage or to preserve the status quo until such time as the arbitrator is selected and available to hear such party's request for temporary relief. The award rendered by the arbitrator shall be final and not subject to judicial review and judgment thereon may be entered in any court of competent jurisdiction. The decision of the arbitrator shall be in writing and shall set forth findings of fact and conclusions of law to the extent applicable.

Article IV. **MANAGEMENT**

Section 01 Management.

Unless prohibited by law and subject to the terms and conditions of this Agreement (including without limitation the terms of Article IX hereof), the administration and regulation of the affairs, business and assets of the Limited Liability Company shall be managed by Two (2) managers (alternatively, the "Managers" or "Management"). Managers must be Members and shall serve until resignation or removal. The initial Managers shall be Mr. Shawn Bidsal and Mr. Benjamin Gholshami.

Section 02 Rights, Powers and Obligations of Management.

Subject to the terms and conditions of Article IX herein, Management shall have all the rights and powers as are conferred by law or are necessary, desirable or convenient to the discharge of the Management's duties under this Agreement.

Without limiting the generality of the rights and powers of the Management (but subject to Article IX hereof), the Management shall have the following rights and powers which the Management may exercise in its reasonable discretion at the cost, expense and risk of the Limited Liability Company:

- (a) To deal in leasing, development and contracting of services for improvement of the properties owned subject to both Managers executing written authorization of each expense or payment exceeding \$ 20,000;
- (b) To prosecute, defend and settle lawsuits and claims and to handle matters with governmental agencies;
- (c) To open, maintain and close bank accounts and banking services for the Limited Liability Company.
- (d) To incur and pay all legal, accounting, independent financial consulting, litigation and other fees and expenses as the Management may deem necessary or appropriate for carrying on and performing the powers and authorities herein conferred.
- (e) To execute and deliver any contracts, agreements, instruments or documents necessary, advisable or appropriate to evidence any of the transactions specified above or contemplated hereby and on behalf of the Limited Liability Company to exercise Limited Liability Company rights and perform Limited Liability Company obligations under any such agreements, contracts, instruments or documents;
- (f) To exercise for and on behalf of the Limited Liability Company all the General Powers granted by law to the Limited Liability Company;
- (g) To take such other action as the Management deems necessary and appropriate to carry out the purposes of the Limited Liability Company or this Agreement; and
- (h) Manager shall not pledge, mortgage, sell or transfer any assets of the Limited Liability Company without the affirmative vote of at least ninety percent in Interest of the Members.

Section 03 Removal.

Subject to Article IX hereof: The Managers may be removed or discharged by the Members whenever in their judgment the best interests of the Limited Liability Company would be served thereby upon the affirmative vote of ninety percent in Interest of the Members.

Article V.

MEMBERSHIP INTEREST

Section 01 Contribution to Capital.

The Member contributions to the capital of the Limited Liability Company may be paid for, wholly or partly, by cash, by personal property, or by real property, or services rendered. By unanimous consent of the Members, other forms of contributions to capital of a Limited Liability company authorized by law may be authorized or approved. Upon receipt of the total amount of the contribution to capital, the contribution shall be declared and taken to be full paid and not liable to further call, nor shall the holder thereof be liable for any further payments on account of that contribution. Members may be subject to additional contributions to capital as determined by the unanimous approval of Members.

Section 02 Transfer or Assignment of Membership Interest.

A Member's interest in the Limited Liability Company is personal property. Except as otherwise provided in this Agreement, a Member's interest may be transferred or assigned. If the other (non-transferring) Members of the Limited Liability Company other than the Member proposing to dispose of his/her interest do not approve of the proposed transfer or assignment by unanimous written consent, the transferee of the Member's interest has no right to participate in the management of the business and affairs of the Limited Liability Company or to become a member. The transferee is only entitled to receive the share of profits or other compensation by way of income, and the return of contributions, to which that Member would otherwise be entitled.

A Substituted Member is a person admitted to all the rights of a Member who has died or has assigned his/her interest in the Limited Liability Company with the approval of all the Members of the Limited Liability Company by the affirmative vote of at least ninety percent in Interest of the members. The Substituted Member shall have all the rights and powers and is subject to all the restrictions and liabilities of his/her assignor, except that the substitution of the assignee does not release the assignor from liability to the Company under this Agreement.

Section 3. Right of First Refusal for Sales of Interests by Members. Payment of Purchase Price.

The payment of the purchase price shall be in cash or, if non-cash consideration is used, it shall be subject to this Article V, Section 3 and Section 4.

Section 4. Purchase or Sell Right among Members.

In the event that a Member is willing to purchase the Remaining Member's Interest in the Company then the procedures and terms of Section 7.1 shall apply.

Section 4.1 Definitions

Offering Member means the member who offers to purchase the Membership Interest(s) of the Remaining Member(s). "Remaining Members" means the Members who received an offer (from Offering Member) to sell their shares.

"COP" means "cost of purchase" as it specified in the escrow closing statement at the time of purchase of each property owned by the Company.

"Seller" means the Member that accepts the offer to sell his or its Membership Interest.

"FMV" means "fair market value" obtained as specified in section 7.2.

Section 4.2 Purchase or Sell Procedure.

Any Member ("Offering Member") may give notice to the Remaining Member(s) that he or it is ready, willing and able to purchase the Remaining Members' Interests for a price the Offering Member thinks is the fair market value. The terms to be all cash and close escrow within 30 days of the acceptance.

If the offered price is not acceptable to the Remaining Member(s), within 30 days of receiving the offer, the Remaining Members (or any of them) can request to establish FMV based on the following procedure. The Remaining Member(s) must provide the Offering Member the complete information of 2 MIA appraisers. The Offering Member must pick one of the appraisers to appraise the property and furnish a copy to all Members. The Offering Member also must provide the Remaining Members with the complete information of 2 MIA approved appraisers. The Remaining Members must pick one of the appraisers to appraise the property and furnish a copy to all Members. The medium of these 2 appraisals constitute the fair market value of the property which is called (FMV).

The Offering Member has the option to offer to purchase the Remaining Member's share at FMV as determined by Section 4.2., based on the following formula.

$(FMV - COP) \times 0.5$ plus capital contribution of the Remaining Member(s) at the time of purchasing the property minus prorated liabilities.

The Remaining Member(s) shall have 30 days within which to respond in writing to the Offering Member by either

- (i) accepting the Offering Member's purchase offer, or,
- (ii) rejecting the purchase offer and making a counteroffer to purchase the interest of the Offering Member based upon the same fair market value (FMV) according to the following formula.

$(FMV - COP) \times 0.5 +$ capital contribution of the Offering Member(s) at the time of purchasing the property minus prorated liabilities.

The specific intent of this provision is that once the Offering Member presented his or its offer to the Remaining Members, then the Remaining Members shall either sell or buy at the same offered price (or FMV if appraisal is invoked) and according to the procedure set forth in Section 4.. In the case that the Remaining Member(s) decide to purchase, then Offering Member shall be obligated to sell his or its Member Interests to the remaining Member(s).

Section 4.3 Failure To Respond Constitutes Acceptance.

Failure by all or any of the Remaining Members to respond to the Offering Member's notice within the thirty (30 day) period shall be deemed to constitute an acceptance of the Offering Member.

Section 5. Return of Contributions to Capital.

Return to a Member of his/her contribution to capital shall be as determined and permitted by law and this Agreement.

Section 6. Addition of New Members.

A new Member may be admitted into the Company only upon consent of at least ninety percent in Interest of the Members. The amount of Capital Contribution which must be made by a new Member shall be determined by the vote of all existing Members.

A new Member shall not be deemed admitted into the Company until the Capital Contribution required of such person has been made and such person has become a party to this agreement.

Section 7. Option of Members to Purchase Interest of Deceased or Dissolved Member.

Upon the death or dissolution of any Member, the other Members shall have an option, exercisable upon thirty (30) days written notice addressed to the executor or successor of the deceased or dissolved Member and to the Company, to purchase at FMV (determined in accordance with Section 4.2) the Interest of such deceased or dissolved Member in the Company in proportion to the ratio which the Interests of Members exercising such option bears to the total Interests of all Members.

Article VI.
DISTRIBUTION OF PROFITS

Section 3. Qualifications and Conditions.

The profits of the Limited Liability Company shall be distributed; to the Members, from time to time, as permitted under law and as determined by the Manager, provided however, that all distributions shall in accordance with Exhibit B, attached hereto and incorporated by reference herein.

Section 4. Record Date.

The Record Date for determining Members entitled to receive payment of any distribution of profits shall be the day in which the Manager adopts the resolution for payment of a distribution of profits. Only Members of record on the date so fixed are entitled to receive the distribution notwithstanding any transfer or assignment of Member's interests or the return of contribution to capital to the Member after the Record Date fixed as aforesaid, except as otherwise provided by law.

Section 5. Participation in Distribution of Profit.

Each Member's participation in the distribution shall be in accordance with Exhibit B, subject to the Tax Provisions set forth in Exhibit A.

Section 6. Limitation on the Amount of Any Distribution of Profit.

In no event shall any distribution of profit result in the assets of the Limited Liability Company being less than all the liabilities of the Limited Liability Company, on the Record Date, excluding liabilities to Members on account of their contributions to capital or be in excess of that permitted by law.

Section 05~~Section 07~~ Date of Payment of Distribution of Profit.

Unless another time is specified by the applicable law, the payment of distributions of profit shall be within thirty (30) days of after the Record Date.

Article VII~~Article VI~~.

ISSUANCE OF MEMBERSHIP INTEREST CERTIFICATES

Section 01 Issuance of Certificate of Interest.

The interest of each Member in the Company shall be represented by a Certificate of Interest (also referred to as the Certificate of Membership Interest or the Certificate). Upon the execution of this Agreement and the payment of a Capital Contribution by the Member, the Management shall cause the Company to issue one or more Certificates in the name of the Member certifying that he/she/it is the record holder of the Membership Interest set forth therein.

Section 02 Transfer of Certificate of Interest.

A Membership Interest which is transferred in accordance with the terms of Section 2 of Article V of this Agreement shall be transferable on the books of the Company by the record holder thereof in person or by such record holder's duly authorized attorney, but, except as provided in Section 3 of this Article with respect to lost, stolen or destroyed certificates, no transfer of a Membership Interest shall be entered until the previously issued Certificate representing such Interest shall have been surrendered to the Company and cancelled and a replacement Certificate issued to the assignee of such Interest in accordance with such procedures as the Management may establish. The management shall issue to the transferring Member a new Certificate representing the Membership Interest not being transferred by the Member, in the event such Member only transferred some, but not all, of the Interest represented by the original Certificate. Except as otherwise required by law, the Company shall be entitled to treat the record holder of a Membership Interest Certificate on its books as the owner thereof for all purposes regardless of any notice or knowledge to the contrary,

Section 03 Lost, Stolen or Destroyed Certificates.

The Company shall issue a new Membership Interest Certificate in place of any Membership Interest Certificate previously issued if the record holder of the Certificate:

- (a) makes proof by affidavit, in form and substance satisfactory to the Management, that a previously issued Certificate has been lost, destroyed or stolen;
- (b) requests the issuance of a new Certificate before the Company has notice that the Certificate has been acquired by a purchaser for value in good faith and without notice of an adverse claim;
- (c) satisfies any other reasonable requirements imposed by the Management.

If a Member fails to notify the Company within a reasonable time after it has notice of the loss, destruction or theft of a Membership Interest Certificate, and a transfer of the Interest represented by the Certificate is registered before receiving such notification, the Company shall have no liability with respect to any claim against the Company for such transfer or for a new Certificate.

~~Article VIII.~~Article VII.
AMENDMENTS

Section 01 Amendment of Articles of Organization.

Notwithstanding any provision to the contrary in the Articles of Organization or this Agreement, but subject to Article IX hereof, in no event shall the Articles of Organization be amended without the vote of Members representing at least ninety percent (90%) of the Members Interests.

Section 02 Amendment, Etc. of Operating Agreement.

This Agreement may be adopted, altered, amended or repealed and a new Operating Agreement may be adopted by at least ninety percent in Interest of the Members, subject to Article IX.

~~Article IX.~~Article VIII.
COVENANTS WITH RESPECT TO , INDEBTEDNESS,
OPERATIONS, AND FUNDAMENTAL CHANGES

The provisions of this Article IX and its Sections and Subsections shall control and supercede any contrary or conflicting provisions contained in other Articles in this Agreement or in the Company's Articles of Organization or any other organizational document of the Company.

Section 01 Title to Company Property.

All property owned by the Company shall be owned by the Company as an entity and, insofar as permitted by applicable law, no Member shall have any ownership interest in any Company property in its individual name or right, and each member's interest in the Company shall be personal property for all purposes.

Section 02 Effect of Bankruptcy, Death or Incompetency of a Member.

The bankruptcy, death, dissolution, liquidation, termination or adjudication of incompetency of a Member shall not cause the termination or dissolution of the Company and the business of the Company shall continue. Upon any such occurrence, the trustee, receiver, executor, administrator, committee, guardian or conservator of such Member shall have all the rights of such Member for the purpose of settling or managing its estate or property, subject to satisfying conditions precedent to the admission of such assignee as a substitute member. The transfer by

such trustee, receiver, executor, administrator, committee, guardian or conservator of any Company interest shall be subject to all of the restrictions hereunder to which such transfer would have been subject if such transfer had been made by such bankrupt, deceased, dissolved, liquidated, terminated or incompetent member.

Article X.
MISCELLANEOUS

a. Fiscal Year.

The Members shall have the paramount power to fix, and from time to time, to change, the Fiscal Year of the Limited Liability Company. In the absence of action by the Members, the fiscal year of the Limited Liability Company shall be on a calendar year basis and end each year on December 31 until such time, if any, as the Fiscal Year shall be changed by the Members, and approved by Internal Revenue service and the State of Formation.

b. Financial Statements; Statements of Account.

Within ninety (90) business days after the end of each Fiscal Year, the Manager shall send to each Member who was a Member in the Limited Liability Company at any time during the Fiscal Year then ended an unaudited statement of assets, liabilities and Contributions To Capital as of the end of such Fiscal Year and related unaudited statements of income or loss and changes in assets, liabilities and Contributions to Capital. Within forty, five (45) days after each fiscal quarter of the Limited Liability Company, the Manager shall mail or otherwise deliver to each Member an unaudited report providing narrative and summary financial information with respect to the Limited Liability Company. Annually, the Manager shall cause appropriate federal and applicable state tax returns to be prepared and filed. The Manager shall mail or otherwise deliver to each Member who was a Member in the Limited Liability Company at any time during the Fiscal Year a copy of the tax return, including all schedules thereto. The Manager may extend such time period in its sole discretion if additional time is necessary to furnish complete and accurate information pursuant to this Section. Any Member or Manager shall the right to inspect all of the books and records of the Company, including tax filings, property management reports, bank statements, cancelled checks, invoices, purchase orders, check ledgers, savings accounts, investment accounts, and checkbooks, whether electronic or paper, provided such Member complies with Article II, Section 4.

c. Events Requiring Dissolution.

The following events shall require dissolution winding up the affairs of the Limited Liability Company:

- i. When the period fixed for the duration of the Limited Liability Company expires as specified in the Articles of Organization.

d. Choice of Law.

IN ALL RESPECTS THIS AGREEMENT SHALL BE GOVERNED AND CONSTRUED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF NEVADA INCLUDING ALL MATTERS OF CONSTRUCTION, VALIDITY, PERFORMANCE AND THE RIGHTS AND INTERESTS OF THE PARTIES UNDER THIS AGREEMENT WITHOUT REGARD TO THE PRINCIPLES GOVERNING CONFLICTS OF LAWS, UNLESS OTHERWISE PROVIDED BY WRITTEN AGREEMENT.

e. Severability.

If any of the provisions of this Agreement shall contravene or be held invalid or unenforceable, the affected provision or provisions of this Agreement shall be construed or restricted in its or their application only to the extent necessary to permit the rights, interest, duties and obligations of the parties hereto to be enforced according to the purpose and intent of this Agreement and in conformance with the applicable law or laws.

f. Successors and Assigns.

Except as otherwise provided, this Agreement shall be binding upon and inure to the benefit of the parties and their legal representative, heirs, administrators, executors and assigns.

g. Non-waiver.

No provision of this Agreement shall be deemed to have been waived unless such waiver is contained in a written notice given to the party claiming such waiver has occurred, provided that no such waiver shall be deemed to be a waiver of any other or further obligation or liability of the party or parties in whose favor the waiver was given.

h. Captions.

Captions contained in this Agreement are inserted only as a matter of convenience and in no way define, limit or extend the scope or intent of this Agreement or any provision hereof.

i. Counterparts.

This Agreement may be executed in several counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original but all of which shall constitute one and the same instrument. It shall not be necessary for all Members to execute the same counterpart hereof.

j. Definition of Words.

Wherever in this agreement the term he/she is used, it shall be construed to mean also it's as pertains to a corporation member.

k. Membership.

A corporation, partnership, limited liability company, limited liability partnership or individual may be a Member of this Limited Liability Company.

I. Tax Provisions.

The provisions of Exhibit A, attached hereto are incorporated by reference as if fully rewritten herein.

ARTICLE XI INDEMNIFICATION AND INSURANCE

Section 1. Indemnification: Proceeding Other than by Company. The Company may indemnify any person who was or is a party or is threatened to be made a party to any threatened, pending or completed action, suit or proceeding, whether civil, criminal, administrative or investigative, except an action by or in the right of the Company, by reason of the fact that he or she is or was a Manager, Member, officer, employee or agent of the Company, or is or was serving at the request of the Company as a manager, member, shareholder, director, officer, partner, trustee, employee or agent of any other Person, joint venture, trust or other enterprise, against expenses, including attorneys' fees, judgments, fines and amounts paid in settlement actually and reasonably incurred by him or her in connection with the action, suit or proceeding if he or she acted in good faith and in a manner which he or she reasonably believed to be in or not opposed to the best interests of the Company, and, with respect to any criminal action or proceeding, had no reasonable cause to believe his or her conduct was unlawful. The termination of any action, suit or proceeding by judgment, order, settlement, conviction, or upon a plea of nolo contendere or its equivalent, does not, of itself, create a presumption that the person did not act in good faith and in a manner which he or she reasonably believed to be in or not opposed to the best interests of the Company, and that, with respect to any criminal action or proceeding, he or she had reasonable cause to believe that his or her conduct was unlawful.

Section 2. Indemnification: Proceeding by Company. The Company may indemnify any person who was or is a party or is threatened to be made a party to any threatened, pending or completed action or suit by or in the right of the Company to procure a judgment in its favor by reason of the fact that he or she is or was a Manager, Member, officer, employee or agent of the Company, or is or was serving at the request of the Company as a manager, member, shareholder, director, officer, partner, trustee, employee or agent of any other Person, joint venture, trust or other enterprise against expenses, including amounts paid in settlement and attorneys' fees actually and reasonably incurred by him or her in connection with the defense or settlement of the action or suit if he or she acted in good faith and in a manner which he or she reasonably believed to be in or not opposed to the best interests of the Company. Indemnification may not be made for any claim, issue or matter as to which such a person has been adjudged by a court of competent jurisdiction, after exhaustion of all appeals therefrom, to be liable to the Company or for amounts paid in settlement to the Company, unless and only to the extent that the court in which the action or suit was brought or other court of competent jurisdiction determines upon application that in view of all the circumstances of the case, the person is fairly and reasonably entitled to indemnity for such expenses as the court deems proper.

Section 3. Mandatory Indemnification. To the extent that a Manager, Member, officer, employee or agent of the Company has been successful on the merits or otherwise in defense of any action, suit or proceeding described in Article XI, Sections 1 and 2, or in defense of any claim, issue or matter therein, he or she must be indemnified by the Company against expenses, including attorneys' fees, actually and reasonably incurred by him or her in connection with the defense.

Section 4. Authorization of Indemnification. Any indemnification under Article XI, Sections 1 and 2, unless ordered by a court or advanced pursuant to Section 5, may be made by the Company only as authorized in the specific case upon a determination that indemnification of the Manager, Member, officer, employee or agent is proper in the circumstances. The determination must be made by a majority of the Members if the person seeking indemnity is not a majority owner of the Member Interests or by independent legal counsel selected by the Manager in a written opinion.

Section 5. Mandatory Advancement of Expenses. The expenses of Managers, Members and officers incurred in defending a civil or criminal action, suit or proceeding must be paid by the Company as they are incurred and in advance of the final disposition of the action, suit or proceeding, upon receipt of an undertaking by or on behalf of the Manager, Member or officer to repay the amount if it is ultimately determined by a court of competent jurisdiction that he or she is not entitled to be indemnified by the Company. The provisions of this Section 5 do not affect any rights to advancement of expenses to which personnel of the Company other than Managers, Members or officers may be entitled under any contract or otherwise.

Section 6. Effect and Continuation. The indemnification and advancement of expenses authorized in or ordered by a court pursuant to Article XI, Sections 1 – 5, inclusive:

(A) Does not exclude any other rights to which a person seeking indemnification or advancement of expenses may be entitled under the Articles of Organization or any limited liability company agreement, vote of Members or disinterested Managers, if any, or otherwise, for either an action in his or her official capacity or an action in another capacity while holding his or her office, except that indemnification, unless ordered by a court pursuant to Article XI, Section 2 or for the advancement of expenses made pursuant to Section Article XI, may not be made to or on behalf of any Member, Manager or officer if a final adjudication establishes that his or her acts or omissions involved intentional misconduct, fraud or a knowing violation of the law and was material to the cause of action.

(B) Continues for a person who has ceased to be a Member, Manager, officer, employee or agent and inures to the benefit of his or her heirs, executors and administrators.

(C) **Notice of Indemnification and Advancement.** Any indemnification of, or advancement of expenses to, a Manager, Member, officer, employee or agent of the Company in accordance with this Article XI, if arising out of a proceeding by or on behalf of the Company, shall be reported in writing to the Members with or before the notice of the next Members' meeting.

(D) **Repeal or Modification.** Any repeal or modification of this Article XI by the Members of the Company shall not adversely affect any right of a Manager, Member, officer, employee or agent of the Company existing hereunder at the time of such repeal or modification.

ARTICLE XII

INVESTMENT REPRESENTATIONS; PRIVATE OFFERING EXEMPTION

Each Member, by his or its execution of this Agreement, hereby represents and warrants to, and agrees with, the Managers, the other Members and the Company as follows:

Section 1. Pre-existing Relationship or Experience. (i) Such Member has a preexisting personal or business relationship with the Company or one or more of its officers or control persons or (ii) by reason of his or its business or financial experience, or by reason of the business or financial experience of his or its financial advisor who is unaffiliated with and who is not compensated, directly or indirectly, by the Company or any affiliate or selling agent of the Company, such Member is capable of evaluating the risks and merits of an investment in the Company and of protecting his or its own interests in connection with this investment.

Section 2. No Advertising. Such Member has not seen, received, been presented with or been solicited by any leaflet, public promotional meeting, newspaper or magazine article or advertisement, radio or television advertisement, or any other form of advertising or general solicitation with respect to the offer or sale of Interests in the Company.

Section 3. Investment Intent. Such Member is acquiring the Interest for investment purposes for his or its own account only and not with a view to or for sale in connection with any distribution of all or any part of the Interest.

Section 4. Economic Risk. Such Member is financially able to bear the economic risk of his or its investment in the Company, including the total loss thereof.

Section 5. No Registration of Units Such Member acknowledges that the Interests have not been registered under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the "Securities Act"), or qualified under any state securities law or under the laws of any other jurisdiction, in reliance, in part, on such Member's representations, warranties and agreements herein.

Section 6. No Obligation to Register. Such Member represents, warrants and agrees that the Company and the Managers are under no obligation to register or qualify the Interests under the Securities Act or under any state securities law or under the laws of any other jurisdiction, or to assist such Member in complying with any exemption from registration and qualification.

Section 7. No Disposition in Violation of Law. Without limiting the representations set forth above, and without limiting Article 12 of this Agreement, such Member will not make any disposition of all or any part of the Interests which will result in the violation by such Member or by the Company of the Securities Act or any other applicable securities laws. Without limiting the foregoing, each Member agrees not to make any disposition of all or any part of the Interests unless and until: (A) there is then in effect a registration statement under the Securities Act covering such proposed disposition and such disposition is made in accordance with such registration statement and any applicable requirements of state securities laws; or (B) such Member has notified the Company of the proposed disposition and has furnished the Company with a detailed statement of the circumstances surrounding the proposed disposition, and if reasonably requested by the

Managers, such Member has furnished the Company with a written opinion of legal counsel, reasonably satisfactory to the Company, that such disposition will not require registration of any securities under the Securities Act or the consent of or a permit from appropriate authorities under any applicable state securities law or under the laws of any other jurisdiction.

Section 8. Financial Estimate and Projections. That it understands that all projections and financial or other materials which it may have been furnished are not based on historical operating results, because no reliable results exist, and are based only upon estimates and assumptions which are subject to future conditions and events which are unpredictable and which may not be relied upon in making an investment decision.

ARTICLE XIII

Preparation of Agreement.

Section 1. This Agreement has been prepared by David G. LeGrand, Esq. (the "Law Firm"), as legal counsel to the Company, and:

- (A) The Members have been advised by the Law Firm that a conflict of interest would exist among the Members and the Company as the Law Firm is representing the Company and not any individual members, and
- (B) The Members have been advised by the Law Firm to seek the advice of independent counsel; and
- (C) The Members have been represented by independent counsel or have had the opportunity to seek such representation; and
- (D) The Law Firm has not given any advice or made any representations to the Members with respect to any consequences of this Agreement; and
- (E) The Members have been advised that the terms and provisions of this Agreement may have tax consequences and the Members have been advised by the Law Firm to seek independent counsel with respect thereto; and
- (F) The Members have been represented by independent counsel or have had the opportunity to seek such representation with respect to the tax and other consequences of this Agreement.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned, being the Members of the above-named Limited Liability Company, have hereunto executed this Agreement as of the Effective Date first set forth above.

Member:

Shawn Bidsal, Member

CLA Properties, LLC

by _____
Benjamin Gholshami, Manager

Manager/Management:

Shawn Bidsal, Manager

Benjamin Golshami, Manager

TAX PROVISIONS**EXHIBIT A****1.1 Capital Accounts.**

- 4.1.1 A single Capital Account shall be maintained for each Member (regardless of the class of Interests owned by such Member and regardless of the time or manner in which such Interests were acquired) in accordance with the capital accounting rules of Section 704(b) of the Code, and the regulations thereunder (including without limitation Section 1.704-1(b)(2)(iv) of the Income Tax Regulations). In general, under such rules, a Member's Capital Account shall be:
- 4.1.1.1 increased by (i) the amount of money contributed by the Member to the Company (including the amount of any Company liabilities that are assumed by such Member other than in connection with distribution of Company property), (ii) the fair market value of property contributed by the Member to the Company (net of liabilities secured by such contributed property that under Section 752 of the Code the Company is considered to assume or take subject to), and (iii) allocations to the Member of Company income and gain (or item thereof), including income and gain exempt from tax; and
- 4.1.1.2 decreased by (i) the amount of money distributed to the Member by the Company (including the amount of such Member's individual liabilities that are assumed by the Company other than in connection with contribution of property to the Company), (ii) the fair market value of property distributed to the Member by the Company (net of liabilities secured by such distributed property that under Section 752 of the Code such Member is considered to assume or take subject to), (iii) allocations to the Member of expenditures of the Company not deductible in computing its taxable income and not properly chargeable to capital account, and (iv) allocations to the Member of Company loss and deduction (or item thereof).
- 4.1.2 Where Section 704(c) of the Code applies to Company property or where Company property is revalued pursuant to paragraph (b)(2)(iv)(t) of Section 1.704-1 of the Income Tax Regulations, each Member's Capital Account shall be adjusted in accordance with paragraph (b)(2)(iv)(g) of Section 1.704-1 of the Income Tax Regulations as to allocations to the Members of depreciation, depletion, amortization and gain or loss, as computed for book purposes with respect to such property.
- 4.1.3 When Company property is distributed in kind (whether in connection with liquidation and dissolution or otherwise), the Capital Accounts of the Members shall first be adjusted to reflect the manner in which the unrealized income, gain, loss and deduction inherent in such property (that has not been

reflected in the Capital Account previously) would be allocated among the Members if there were a taxable disposition of such property for the fair market value of such property (taking into account Section 7701(g) of the Code) on the date of distribution.

- 4.1.4 The Members shall direct the Company's accountants to make all necessary adjustments in each Member's Capital Account as required by the capital accounting rules of Section 704(b) of the Code and the regulations thereunder.

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ALLOCATION OF PROFITS AND LOSSES; TAX AND ACCOUNTING MATTERS

- 5.1 **Allocations.** Each Member's distributive share of income, gain, loss, deduction or credit (or items thereof) of the Company as shown on the annual federal income tax return prepared by the Company's accountants or as finally determined by the United States Internal Revenue Service or the courts, and as modified by the capital accounting rules of Section 704(b) of the Code and the Income Tax Regulations thereunder, as implemented by Section 8.5 hereof, as applicable, shall be determined as follows:

- 5.1.1 **Allocations.** Except as otherwise provided in this Section 1.1:

- 5.1.1.1 items of income, gain, loss, deduction or credit (or items thereof) shall be allocated among the members in proportion to their Percentage Interests as set forth in *Exhibit "B"*, subject to the Preferred Allocation schedule contained in *Exhibit "B"*, except that items of loss or deduction allocated to any Member pursuant to this Section 2.1 with respect to any taxable year shall not exceed the maximum amount of such items that can be so allocated without causing such Member to have a deficit balance in his or its Capital Account at the end of such year, computed in accordance with the rules of paragraph (b)(2)(ii)(d) of Section 1.704-1 of the Income Tax Regulations. Any such items of loss or deduction in excess of the limitation set forth in the preceding sentence shall be allocated as follows and in the following order of priority:

- 5.1.1.1.1 first, to those Members who would not be subject to such limitation, in proportion to their Percentage Interests, subject to the Preferred Allocation schedule contained in *Exhibit "B"*; and

- 5.1.1.1.2 second, any remaining amount to the Members in the manner required by the Code and Income Tax Regulations.

Subject to the provisions of subsections 2.1.2 – 2.1.11, inclusive, of this Agreement, the items specified in this Section 1.1 shall be allocated to the

Members as necessary to eliminate any deficit Capital Account balances and thereafter to bring the relationship among the Members' positive Capital Account balances in accord with their pro rata interests.

- 5.1.2 Allocations With Respect to Property Solely for tax purposes, in determining each Member's allocable share of the taxable income or loss of the Company, depreciation, depletion, amortization and gain or loss with respect to any contributed property, or with respect to revalued property where the Company's property is revalued pursuant to paragraph (b)(2)(iv)(f) of Section 1.704-1 of the Income Tax Regulations, shall be allocated to the Members in the manner (as to revaluations, in the same manner as) provided in Section 704(c) of the Code. The allocation shall take into account, to the full extent required or permitted by the Code, the difference between the adjusted basis of the property to the Member contributing it (or, with respect to property which has been revalued, the adjusted basis of the property to the Company) and the fair market value of the property determined by the Members at the time of its contribution or revaluation, as the case may be.
- 5.1.3 Minimum Gain Chargeback. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this Section 2.1, if there is a net decrease in Company Minimum Gain or Company Nonrecourse Debt Minimum Gain (as such terms are defined in Sections 1.704-2(b) and 1.704-2(i)(2) of the Income Tax Regulations, but substituting the term "Company" for the term "Partnership" as the context requires) during a Company taxable year, then each Member shall be allocated items of Company income and gain for such year (and, if necessary, for subsequent years) in the manner provided in Section 1.704-2 of the Income Tax Regulations. This provision is intended to be a "minimum gain chargeback" within the meaning of Sections 1.704-2(f) and 1.704-2(i)(4) of the Income Tax Regulations and shall be interpreted and implemented as therein provided.
- 5.1.4 Qualified Income Offset. Subject to the provisions of subsection 2.1.3, but otherwise notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this Section 2.1, if any Member's Capital Account has a deficit balance in excess of such Member's obligation to restore his or its Capital Account balance, computed in accordance with the rules of paragraph (b)(2)(ii)(d) of Section 1.704-1 of the Income Tax Regulations, then sufficient amounts of income and gain (consisting of a pro rata portion of each item of Company income, including gross income, and gain for such year) shall be allocated to such Member in an amount and manner sufficient to eliminate such deficit as quickly as possible. This provision is intended to be a "qualified income offset" within the meaning of Section 1.704-1(b)(2)(ii)(d) of the Income Tax Regulations and shall be interpreted and implemented as therein provided.
- 5.1.5 Depreciation Recapture. Subject to the provisions of Section 704(c) of the Code and subsections 2.1.2 – 2.1.4, inclusive, of this Agreement, gain recognized (or deemed recognized under the provisions hereof) upon the sale

or other disposition of Company property, which is subject to depreciation recapture, shall be allocated to the Member who was entitled to deduct such depreciation.

- 5.1.6 Loans If and to the extent any Member is deemed to recognize income as a result of any loans pursuant to the rules of Sections 1272, 1273, 1274, 7872 or 482 of the Code, or any similar provision now or hereafter in effect, any corresponding resulting deduction of the Company shall be allocated to the Member who is charged with the income. Subject to the provisions of Section 704(c) of the Code and subsections 2.1.2 – 2.1.4, inclusive, of this Agreement, if and to the extent the Company is deemed to recognize income as a result of any loans pursuant to the rules of Sections 1272, 1273, 1274, 7872 or 482 of the Code, or any similar provision now or hereafter in effect, such income shall be allocated to the Member who is entitled to any corresponding resulting deduction.
- 5.1.7 Tax Credits Tax credits shall generally be allocated according to Section 1.704-1(b)(4)(ii) of the Income Tax Regulations or as otherwise provided by law. Investment tax credits with respect to any property shall be allocated to the Members pro rata in accordance with the manner in which Company profits are allocated to the Members under subsection 2.1.1 hereof, as of the time such property is placed in service. Recapture of any investment tax credit required by Section 47 of the Code shall be allocated to the Members in the same proportion in which such investment tax credit was allocated.
- 5.1.8 Change of Pro Rata Interests. Except as provided in subsections 2.1.6 and 2.1.7 hereof or as otherwise required by law, if the proportionate interests of the Members of the Company are changed during any taxable year, all items to be allocated to the Members for such entire taxable year shall be prorated on the basis of the portion of such taxable year which precedes each such change and the portion of such taxable year on and after each such change according to the number of days in each such portion, and the items so allocated for each such portion shall be allocated to the Members in the manner in which such items are allocated as provided in section 2.1.1 during each such portion of the taxable year in question.
- 5.1.9 Effect of Special Allocations on Subsequent Allocations. Any special allocation of income or gain pursuant to subsections 2.1.3 or 2.1.4 hereof shall be taken into account in computing subsequent allocations of income and gain pursuant to this Section 9.1 so that the net amount of all such allocations to each Member shall, to the extent possible, be equal to the net amount that would have been allocated to each such Member pursuant to the provisions of this Section 2.1 if such special allocations of income or gain under subsection 2.1.3 or 2.1.4 hereof had not occurred.
- 5.1.10 Nonrecourse and Recourse Debt. Items of deduction and loss attributable to Member nonrecourse debt within the meaning of Section 1.7042(b)(4) of the

Income Tax Regulations shall be allocated to the Members bearing the economic risk of loss with respect to such debt in accordance with Section 1704-2(i)(1) of the Income Tax Regulations. Items of deduction and loss attributable to recourse liabilities of the Company, within the meaning of Section 1.752-2 of the Income Tax Regulations, shall be allocated among the Members in accordance with the ratio in which the Members share the economic risk of loss for such liabilities.

- 5.1.11 State and Local Items. Items of income, gain, loss, deduction, credit and tax preference for state and local income tax purposes shall be allocated to and among the Members in a manner consistent with the allocation of such items for federal income tax purposes in accordance with the foregoing provisions of this Section 2.1.

- 5.2 Accounting Matters. The Managers or, if there be no Managers then in office, the Members shall cause to be maintained complete books and records accurately reflecting the accounts, business and transactions of the Company on a calendar-year basis and using such cash, accrual, or hybrid method of accounting as in the judgment of the Manager, Management Committee or the Members, as the case may be, is most appropriate; provided, however, that books and records with respect to the Company's Capital Accounts and allocations of income, gain, loss, deduction or credit (or item thereof) shall be kept under U.S. federal income tax accounting principles as applied to partnerships.

5.3 Tax Status and Returns.

- 5.3.1 Any provision hereof to the contrary notwithstanding, solely for United States federal income tax purposes, each of the Members hereby recognizes that the Company may be subject to the provisions of Subchapter K of Chapter 1 of Subtitle A of the Code; provided, however, the filing of U.S. Partnership Returns of Income shall not be construed to extend the purposes of the Company or expand the obligations or liabilities of the Members.
- 5.3.2 The Manager(s) shall prepare or cause to be prepared all tax returns and statements, if any, that must be filed on behalf of the Company with any taxing authority, and shall make timely filing thereof. Within one-hundred twenty (120) days after the end of each calendar year, the Manager(s) shall prepare or cause to be prepared and delivered to each Member a report setting forth in reasonable detail the information with respect to the Company during such calendar year reasonably required to enable each Member to prepare his or its federal, state and local income tax returns in accordance with applicable law then prevailing.
- 5.3.3 Unless otherwise provided by the Code or the Income Tax Regulations thereunder, the current Manager(s), or if no Manager(s) shall have been elected, the Member holding the largest Percentage Interest, or if the Percentage Interests be equal, any Member shall be deemed to be the "Tax

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From: David LeGrand <dgllawyer@hotmail.com>
Subject: GVC OPAG
Date: December 10, 2011 at 6:25:47 PM PST
To: Shawn Bidsal <wcico@yahoo.com>

Shawn, did you ever finish the revisions? Ben really wants to get this finished.

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August 31, 2017

VIA FIRST CLASS MAIL & EMAIL TO:

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RE: Green Valley Commerce, LLC, a Nevada limited liability company

Dear Mr. Golshani,

I am in receipt of your August 28, 2017 letter regarding Green Valley Commerce, LLC (the "Company"), wherein you incorrectly state that "[a]ll that remains is that we agree upon escrow and your client performs as required under the Operating Agreement."

As set forth in my August 5, 2017 letter to Benjamin Golshani, Shawn Bidsal has exercised his right under Article V, Section 4 of the Company's Operating Agreement, to establish the FMV by appraisal. Further, Mr. Bidsal identified the following MIA Appraisers:

For the Nevada properties:

- (1) Lubawy & Associate, 3034 South Durango, Suite 100, Las Vegas NV 89117, 702-242-9369.
- (2) Valuation Consultant, Keith Harper, 4200 Cannoli Circle, Las Vegas NV 89103, 702-222-0018.

For the Arizona properties:

- (3) Commercial Appraisals, 2415 E Camelback Rd, Ste 700, Phoenix AZ 85016, 602-254-3318.
- (4) US Property Valuations, 3219 E Camelback Rd, Phoenix AZ 85018, 602-315-4560.

Under the terms of the Operating Agreement, the ball is in Mr. Golshani's court as he must now identify which of the forgoing MIA Appraisers he desires to use, as well as identify two more MIA appraisers for the properties whom Mr. Golshani desires to use. Once Mr. Golshani provides this information, we will be able to move forward.

If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

SMITH & SHAPIRO, PLLC

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David LeGrand <dgllawyer@hotmail.com>

To Benjamin Gholshani Shawn Bidsal

Ben and Shawn: attached please find a new OPAG for Mission Square. Apparently there was a little confusion about which GVC OPAG I was to use as a base document. This revised version is based on the GVC OPAG that has Ben's language on buy sell.

I am attaching that document as well, just for clarity. Of course, there is no additional fees due to me for this work and I take responsibility for using the form sent by Shawn instead of checking my file.

I regret any inconvenience.

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OPERATING AGREEMENT

Of

Mission Square, LLC
a Nevada limited liability company

This Operating Agreement (the "Agreement") is by and among Mission Square, LLC, a Nevada Limited Liability Company (sometimes hereinafter referred to as the "Company" or the "Limited Liability Company") and the undersigned Member and Manager of the Company. This Agreement is made to be effective as of May 26, 2013 ~~June 15, 2013~~ ("Effective Date") by the undersigned parties.

~~WHEREAS, on about May 26, 2011, Shawn Bidsal formed the Company as a Nevada limited liability company by filing its Articles of Organization (the "Articles of Organization") pursuant to the Nevada Limited Liability Company Act, as Filing entity #E0308602011-0~~
WHEREAS, on about May 26, 2013, Benjamin Golshani formed the Company as a Nevada limited liability company by filing its Articles of Organization (the "Articles of Organization") pursuant to the Nevada Limited Liability Company Act, as Filing Entity E0241992013-4;; and

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the premises, the provisions and the respective agreements hereinafter set forth and for other good and valuable consideration, the parties hereto do hereby agree to the following terms and conditions of this Agreement for the administration and regulation of the affairs of this Limited Liability Company.

Article I.

DEFINITIONS

Section 01 Defined Terms

Advisory Committee or Committees shall be deemed to mean the Advisory Committee or Committees established by the Management pursuant to Section 13 of Article III of this Agreement.

Agreement shall be deemed to mean this Operating Agreement of this herein Limited Liability Company as may be amended.

Business of the Company shall mean acquisition of secured debt, conversion of such debt into fee simple title by foreclosure, purchase or otherwise, and operation and management of real estate.

Business Day shall be deemed to mean any day excluding a Saturday, a Sunday and any other day on which banks are required or authorized to close in the State of Formation.

Limited Liability Company shall be deemed to mean Mission Square, LLC a Nevada Limited Liability Company organized pursuant of the laws of the State of Formation.

Management and Manager(s) shall be deemed to have the meanings set forth in Article, IV of this Agreement.

Member shall mean a person who has a membership interest in the Limited Liability Company.

Membership Interest shall mean, with respect to a Member the percentage of ownership interest in the Company of such Member (may also be referred to as **Interest**). Each Member's percentage of Membership Interest in the Company shall be as set forth in Exhibit B.

Person means any natural person, sole proprietorship, corporation, general partnership, limited partnership, Limited Liability Company, limited liability limited partnership, joint venture, association, joint stock company, bank, trust, estate, unincorporated organization, any federal, state, county or municipal government (or any agency or political subdivision thereof), endowment fund or any other form of entity.

State of Formation shall mean the State of Nevada.

Article II.

OFFICES AND RECORDS

Section 01 Registered Office and Registered Agent.

The Limited Liability Company shall have and maintain a registered office in the State of Formation and a resident agent for service of process, who may be a natural person of said state whose business office is identical with the registered office, or a domestic corporation, or a corporation authorized to transact business within said State which has a business office identical with the registered office, or itself which has a business office identical with the registered office and is permitted by said state to act as a registered agent/office within said state.

The resident agent shall be appointed by the Member Manager.

The location of the registered office shall be determined by the Management.

The current name of the resident agent and location of the registered office shall be kept on file in the appropriate office within the State of Formation pursuant to applicable provisions of law.

Section 02 Limited Liability Company Offices.

The Limited Liability Company may have such offices, anywhere within and without the State of Formation, the Management from time to time may appoint, or the business of the Limited Liability Company may require. The "principal place of business" or "principal business" or "executive" office or offices of the Limited Liability Company may be fixed and so designated from time to time by the Management.

Section 03 Records.

The Limited Liability Company shall continuously maintain at its registered office, or at such other place as may be authorized pursuant to applicable provisions of law of the State of Formation the following records:

- (a) A current list of the full name and last known business address of each Member and Managers separately identifying the Members in alphabetical order;
- (b) A copy of the filed Articles of Organization and all amendments thereto, together with executed copies of any powers of attorney pursuant to which any document has been executed;
- (c) Copies of the Limited Liability Company's federal income tax returns and reports, if any, for the three (3) most recent years;
- (d) Copies of any then effective written operating agreement and of any financial statements of the Limited Liability Company for the three (3) most recent years;
- (e) Unless contained in the Articles of Organization, a writing setting out:
 - (i) The amount of cash and a description and statement of the agreed value of the other property or services contributed by each Member and which each Member has agreed to contribute;
 - (ii) The items as which or events on the happening of which any additional contributions agreed to be made by each Member are to be made;
 - (iii) Any right of a Member to receive, or of a Manager to make, distributions to a Member which include a return of all or any part of the Member's contribution; and
 - (iv) Any events upon the happening of which the Limited Liability Company is to be dissolved and its affairs wound up.
- (f) The Limited Liability Company shall also keep from time to time such other or additional records, statements, lists, and information as may be required by law.
- (g) If any of the above said records under Section 3 are not kept within the State of Formation, they shall be at all times in such condition as to permit them to be delivered to any authorized person within three (3) days.

Section 04 Inspection of Records.

Records kept pursuant to this Article are subject to inspection and copying at the request, and at the expense, of any Member, in person or by attorney or other agent. Each Member shall

have the right during the usual hours of business to inspect for any proper purpose. A proper purpose shall mean a purpose reasonably related to such person's interest as a Member. In every instance where an attorney or other agent shall be the person who seeks the right of inspection, the demand under oath shall be accompanied by a power of attorney or such other writing which authorizes the attorney or other agent to so act on behalf of the Member.

Article III.
MEMBERS' MEETINGS AND DEADLOCK

Section 01 Place of Meetings.

All meetings of the Members shall be held at the principal business office of the Limited Liability Company the State of Formation except such meetings as shall be held elsewhere by the express determination of the Management; in which case, such meetings may be held, upon notice thereof as hereinafter provided, at such other place or places, within or without the State of Formation, as said Management shall have determined, and shall be stated in such notice. Unless specifically prohibited by law, any meeting may be held at any place and time, and for any purpose; if consented to in writing by all of the Members entitled to vote thereat.

Section 02 Annual Meetings.

An Annual Meeting of Members shall be held on the first business day of July of each year, if not a legal holiday, and if a legal holiday, then the Annual Meeting of Members shall be held at the same time and place on the next day is a full Business Day.

Section 03 Special Meetings.

Special meetings of the Members may be held for any purpose or purposes. They may be called by the Managers or by Members holding not less than fifty-one percent of the voting power of the Limited Liability Company or such other maximum number as may be, required by the applicable law of the State of Formation. Written notice shall be given to all Members.

Section 04 Action in Lieu of Meeting.

Any action required to be taken at any Annual or Special Meeting of the Members or any other action which may be taken at any Annual or Special meeting of the Members may be taken without a meeting if consents in writing setting forth the action so taken shall be signed by the requisite votes of the Members entitled to vote with respect to the subject matter thereof.

Section 05 Notice.

Written notice of each meeting of the Members, whether Annual or Special, stating the place, day and hour of the meeting, and, in case of a Special meeting, the purpose or purposes thereof, shall be given or given to each Member entitled to vote thereat, not less than ten (10) nor more than sixty (60) days prior to the meeting unless, as to a particular matter, other or further notice is required by law, in which case such other or further notice shall be given.

Notice upon the Member may be delivered or given either personally or by express or first class mail, Or by telegram or other electronic transmission, with all charges prepaid, addressed to each Member at the address of such Member appearing on the books of the Limited Liability Company or more recently given by the Member to the Limited Liability Company for the purpose of notice.

If no address for a Member appears on the Limited Liability Company's books, notice shall be deemed to have been properly given to such Member if sent by any of the methods authorized here in to the Limited Liability Company 's principal executive office to the attention of such Member, or if published, at least once in a newspaper of general circulation in the county of the principal executive office and the county of the Registered office in the State of Formation of the Limited Liability Company.

If notice addressed to a Member at the address of such Member appearing on the books of the Limited Liability Company is returned to the Limited Liability Company by the United States Postal Service marked to indicate that the United States Postal Service is unable to deliver the notice to the Member at such address, all future notices or reports shall be deemed to have been duly given without further mailing if the same shall be available to the Member upon written demand of the Member at the principal executive office of the Limited Liability Company for a period of one (1) year from the date of the giving of such notice. It shall be the duty and of each member to provide the manager and/or the Limited Liability Company with an official mailing address.

Notice shall be deemed to have been given at the time when delivered personally or deposited in the mail or sent by telegram or other means of electronic transmission.

An affidavit of the mailing or other means of giving any notice of any Member meeting shall be executed by the Management and shall be filed and maintained in the Minute Book of the Limited Liability Company.

Section 06 Waiver of Notice.

Whenever any notice is required to be given under the provisions of this Agreement, or the Articles of Organization of the Limited Liability Company or any law, a waiver thereof in writing signed by the Member or Members entitled to such notice, whether before or after the time stated therein, shall be deemed the equivalent to the giving of such notice.

To the extent provided by law, attendance at any meeting shall constitute a waiver of notice of such meeting except when the Member attends the meeting for the express purpose of objecting to the transaction of any business because the meeting is not lawfully called or convened, and such Member so states such purpose at the opening of the meeting.

Section 07 Presiding Officials.

Every meeting of the Limited Liability Company for whatever reason, shall be convened by the Managers or Member who called the meeting by notice as above provided; provided, however, it shall be presided over by the Management; and provided, further, the Members at any meeting, by a majority vote of Members represented thereat, and notwithstanding anything to the contrary elsewhere in this Agreement, may select any persons of their choosing to act as the Chairman and Secretary of such meeting or any session thereof.

Section 08 Business Which May Be Transacted at Annual Meetings.

At each Annual Meeting of the Members, the Members may elect, with a vote representing ninety percent (90%) in Interest of the Members, a Manager or Managers to administer and regulate the affairs of the Limited Liability Company. The Manager(s) shall hold such office until the next Annual Meeting of Members or until the Manager resigns or is removed by the Members pursuant to the terms of this Agreement, whichever event first occurs. The Members may transact such other business as may have been specified in the notice of the meeting as one of the purposes thereof.

Section 09 Business Which May Be Transacted at Special Meetings.

Business transacted at all special meetings shall be confined to the purposes stated in the notice of such meetings.

Section 10 Quorum.

At all meetings of the Members, a majority of the Members present, in person or by proxy, shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business, unless a greater number as to any particular matter is required by law, the Articles of Organization or this Agreement, and the act of a majority of the Members present at any meeting at which there is a quorum, except as may be otherwise specifically provided by law, by the Articles of Organization, or by this Agreement, shall be the act of the Members.

Less than a quorum may adjourn a meeting successively until a quorum is present, and no notice of adjournment shall be required.

Section 11 Proxies.

At any meeting of the Members, every Member having the right to vote shall be entitled to vote in person, or by proxy executed in writing by such Member or by his duly, authorized attorney-in-fact. No proxy shall be valid after three years from the date of its execution, unless otherwise provided in the proxy.

Section 12 Voting.

Every Member shall have one (1) vote(s) for each \$1,000.00 of capital contributed to the Limited Liability Company which is registered in his/her name on the books of the Limited Liability Company, as the amount of such capital is adjusted from time to time to properly reflect any additional contributions to or withdrawals from capital by the Member.

12.1 The affirmative vote of a Majority of the Member Interests shall be required to:

- (A) adopt clerical or ministerial amendments to this Agreement and
- (B) approve indemnification of any Manager, Member or officer of the Company as authorized by Article XI of this Agreement;

12.2. The affirmative vote of at least ninety percent of the Member Interests shall be required to:

- (A) alter the Preferred Allocations provided for in *Exhibit "B"*;
- (B) agree to continue the business of the Company after a Dissolution Event;
- (C) approve any loan to any Manager or any guarantee of a Manager's obligations; and
- (D) authorize or approve a fundamental change in the business of the Company.
- (E) approve a sale of substantially all of the assets of the Company.
- (F) approve a change in the number of Managers or replace a Manager or engage a new Manager.

Section 13 Meeting by Telephonic Conference or Similar Communications Equipment.

Unless otherwise restricted by the Articles of Organization, this Agreement of by law, the Members of the Limited Liability Company, or any Committee thereof established by the Management, may participate in a meeting of such Members or committee by means of telephonic conference or similar communications equipment whereby all persons participating in the meeting can hear and speak to each other, and participation in a meeting in such manner shall constitute presence in person at such meeting.

Section 14. Deadlock.

In the event that Members reach a deadlock that cannot be resolved with a respect to an issue that requires a ninety percent vote for approval, then either Member may compel arbitration of the disputed matter as set forth in Subsection 14.1

14.1 Dispute Resolution. In the event of any dispute or disagreement between the Members as to the interpretation of any provision of this Agreement (or the performance of obligations hereunder), the matter, upon written request of either Party, shall be referred to representatives of the Parties for decision. The representatives shall promptly meet in a good faith effort to resolve the dispute. If the representatives do not agree upon a decision within thirty (30)

calendar days after reference of the matter to them, any controversy, dispute or claim arising out of or relating in any way to this Agreement or the transactions arising hereunder shall be settled exclusively by arbitration in the City of Las Vegas, Nevada. Such arbitration shall be administered by JAMS in accordance with its then prevailing expedited rules, by one independent and impartial arbitrator selected in accordance with such rules. The arbitration shall be governed by the United States Arbitration Act, 9 U.S.C. § 1 et seq. The fees and expenses of JAMS and the arbitrator shall be shared equally by the Members and advanced by them from time to time as required; provided that at the conclusion of the arbitration, the arbitrator shall award costs and expenses (including the costs of the arbitration previously advanced and the fees and expenses of attorneys, accountants and other experts) to the prevailing party. No pre-arbitration discovery shall be permitted, except that the arbitrator shall have the power in his sole discretion, on application by any party, to order pre-arbitration examination solely of those witnesses and documents that any other party intends to introduce in its case-in-chief at the arbitration hearing. The Members Seller shall instruct the arbitrator to render his award within thirty (30) days following the conclusion of the arbitration hearing. The arbitrator shall not be empowered to award to any party any damages of the type not permitted to be recovered under this Agreement in connection with any dispute between or among the parties arising out of or relating in any way to this Agreement or the transactions arising hereunder, and each party hereby irrevocably waives any right to recover such damages. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary provided in this Section 14.1 and without prejudice to the above procedures, either Party may apply to any court of competent jurisdiction for temporary injunctive or other provisional judicial relief if such action is necessary to avoid irreparable damage or to preserve the status quo until such time as the arbitrator is selected and available to hear such party's request for temporary relief. The award rendered by the arbitrator shall be final and not subject to judicial review and judgment thereon may be entered in any court of competent jurisdiction. The decision of the arbitrator shall be in writing and shall set forth findings of fact and conclusions of law to the extent applicable.

Article IV. **MANAGEMENT**

Section 01 Management.

Unless prohibited by law and subject to the terms and conditions of this Agreement (including without limitation the terms of Article IX hereof), the administration and regulation of the affairs, business and assets of the Limited Liability Company shall be managed by Two (2) managers (alternatively, the "Managers" or "Management"). Managers must be Members and shall serve until resignation or removal. The initial Managers shall be Mr. Shawn Bidsal and Mr. Benjamin Gholshami.

Section 02 Rights, Powers and Obligations of Management.

Subject to the terms and conditions of Article IX herein, Management shall have all the rights and powers as are conferred by law or are necessary, desirable or convenient to the discharge of the Management's duties under this Agreement.

Without limiting the generality of the rights and powers of the Management (but subject to Article IX hereof), the Management shall have the following rights and powers which the Management may exercise in its reasonable discretion at the cost, expense and risk of the Limited Liability Company:

- (a) To deal in leasing, development and contracting of services for improvement of the properties owned subject to both Managers executing written authorization of each expense or payment exceeding \$ 20,000;
- (b) To prosecute, defend and settle lawsuits and claims and to handle matters with governmental agencies;
- (c) To open, maintain and close bank accounts and banking services for the Limited Liability Company.
- (d) To incur and pay all legal, accounting, independent financial consulting, litigation and other fees and expenses as the Management may deem necessary or appropriate for carrying on and performing the powers and authorities herein conferred.
- (e) To execute and deliver any contracts, agreements, instruments or documents necessary, advisable or appropriate to evidence any of the transactions specified above or contemplated hereby and on behalf of the Limited Liability Company to exercise Limited Liability Company rights and perform Limited Liability Company obligations under any such agreements, contracts, instruments or documents;
- (f) To exercise for and on behalf of the Limited Liability Company all the General Powers granted by law to the Limited Liability Company;
- (g) To take such other action as the Management deems necessary and appropriate to carry out the purposes of the Limited Liability Company or this Agreement; and
- (h) Manager shall not pledge, mortgage, sell or transfer any assets of the Limited Liability Company without the affirmative vote of at least ninety percent in Interest of the Members.

Section 03 Removal.

Subject to Article IX hereof: The Managers may be removed or discharged by the Members whenever in their judgment the best interests of the Limited Liability Company would be served thereby upon the affirmative vote of ninety percent in Interest of the Members.

Article V. MEMBERSHIP INTEREST

Section 01 Contribution to Capital.

The Member contributions to the capital of the Limited Liability Company may be paid for, wholly or partly, by cash, by personal property, or by real property, or services rendered. By unanimous consent of the Members, other forms of contributions to capital of a Limited Liability company authorized by law may be authorized or approved. Upon receipt of the total amount of the contribution to capital, the contribution shall be declared and taken to be full paid and not liable to further call, nor shall the holder thereof be liable for any further payments on account of that contribution. Members may be subject to additional contributions to capital as determined by the unanimous approval of Members.

Section 02 Transfer or Assignment of Membership Interest.

A Member's interest in the Limited Liability Company is personal property. Except as otherwise provided in this Agreement, a Member's interest may be transferred or assigned. If the other (non-transferring) Members of the Limited Liability Company other than the Member proposing to dispose of his/her interest do not approve of the proposed transfer or assignment by unanimous written consent, the transferee of the Member's interest has no right to participate in the management of the business and affairs of the Limited Liability Company or to become a member. The transferee is only entitled to receive the share of profits or other compensation by way of income, and the return of contributions, to which that Member would otherwise be entitled.

A Substituted Member is a person admitted to all the rights of a Member who has died or has assigned his/her interest in the Limited Liability Company with the approval of all the Members of the Limited Liability Company by the affirmative vote of at least ninety percent in Interest of the members. The Substituted Member shall have all the rights and powers and is subject to all the restrictions and liabilities of his/her assignor, except that the substitution of the assignee does not release the assignor from liability to the Company under this Agreement.

Section 3. Right of First Refusal for Sales of Interests by Members. Payment of Purchase Price.

The payment of the purchase price shall be in cash or, if non-cash consideration is used, it shall be subject to this Article V, Section 3 and Section 4.

Section 4. Purchase or Sell Right among Members.

In the event that a Member is willing to purchase the Remaining Member's Interest in the Company then the procedures and terms of Section 7.1 shall apply.

Section 4.1 Definitions

Offering Member means the member who offers to purchase the Membership Interest(s) of the Remaining Member(s). "Remaining Members" means the Members who received an offer (from Offering Member) to sell their shares.

"COP" means "cost of purchase" as it specified in the escrow closing statement at the time of purchase of each property owned by the Company.

"Seller" means the Member that accepts the offer to sell his or its Membership Interest.

"FMV" means "fair market value" obtained as specified in section 7.2.

Section 4.2 Purchase or Sell Procedure.

Any Member ("Offering Member") may give notice to the Remaining Member(s) that he or it is ready, willing and able to purchase the Remaining Members' Interests for a price the Offering Member thinks is the fair market value. The terms to be all cash and close escrow within 30 days of the acceptance.

If the offered price is not acceptable to the Remaining Member(s), within 30 days of receiving the offer, the Remaining Members (or any of them) can request to establish FMV based on the following procedure. The Remaining Member(s) must provide the Offering Member the complete information of 2 MIA appraisers. The Offering Member must pick one of the appraisers to appraise the property and furnish a copy to all Members. The Offering Member also must provide the Remaining Members with the complete information of 2 MIA approved appraisers. The Remaining Members must pick one of the appraisers to appraise the property and furnish a copy to all Members. The medium of these 2 appraisals constitute the fair market value of the property which is called (FMV).

The Offering Member has the option to offer to purchase the Remaining Member's share at FMV as determined by Section 4.2., based on the following formula.

$(FMV - COP) \times 0.5$ plus capital contribution of the Remaining Member(s) at the time of purchasing the property minus prorated liabilities.

The Remaining Member(s) shall have 30 days within which to respond in writing to the Offering Member by either

- (i) accepting the Offering Member's purchase offer, or,
- (ii) rejecting the purchase offer and making a counteroffer to purchase the interest of the Offering Member based upon the same fair market value (FMV) according to the following formula.

$(FMV - COP) \times 0.5$ + capital contribution of the Offering Member(s) at the time of purchasing the property minus prorated liabilities.

The specific intent of this provision is that once the Offering Member presented his or its offer to the Remaining Members, then the Remaining Members shall either sell or buy at the same offered price (or FMV if appraisal is invoked) and according to the procedure set forth in Section 4.. In the case that the Remaining Member(s) decide to purchase, then Offering Member shall be obligated to sell his or its Member Interests to the remaining Member(s).

Section 4.3 Failure To Respond Constitutes Acceptance.

Failure by all or any of the Remaining Members to respond to the Offering Member's notice within the thirty (30 day) period shall be deemed to constitute an acceptance of the Offering Member.

Section 5. Return of Contributions to Capital.

Return to a Member of his/her contribution to capital shall be as determined and permitted by law and this Agreement.

Section 6. Addition of New Members.

A new Member may be admitted into the Company only upon consent of at least ninety percent in Interest of the Members. The amount of Capital Contribution which must be made by a new Member shall be determined by the vote of all existing Members.

A new Member shall not be deemed admitted into the Company until the Capital Contribution required of such person has been made and such person has become a party to this agreement.

Section 7. Option of Members to Purchase Interest of Deceased or Dissolved Member.

Upon the death or dissolution of any Member, the other Members shall have an option, exercisable upon thirty (30) days written notice addressed to the executor or successor of the deceased or dissolved Member and to the Company, to purchase at FMV(determined in accordance with Section 4.2) the Interest of such deceased or dissolved Member in the Company in proportion to the ratio which the Interests of Members exercising such option bears to the total Interests of all Members.

DISTRIBUTION OF PROFITS

Section 03 Qualifications and Conditions.

The profits of the Limited Liability Company shall be distributed; to the Members, from time to time, as permitted under law and as determined by the Manager, provided however, that all distributions shall in accordance with Exhibit B, attached hereto and incorporated by reference herein.

Section 04 Record Date.

The Record Date for determining Members entitled to receive payment of any distribution of profits shall be the day in which the Manager adopts the resolution for payment of a distribution of profits. Only Members of record on the date so fixed are entitled to receive the distribution notwithstanding any transfer or assignment of Member's interests or the return of contribution to capital to the Member after the Record Date fixed as aforesaid, except as otherwise provided by law.

Section 05 Participation in Distribution of Profit.

Each Member's participation in the distribution shall be in accordance with Exhibit B, subject to the Tax Provisions set forth in Exhibit A.

Section 06 Limitation on the Amount of Any Distribution of Profit.

In no event shall any distribution of profit result in the assets of the Limited Liability Company being less than all the liabilities of the Limited Liability Company, on the Record Date,

excluding liabilities to Members on account of their contributions to capital or be in excess of that permitted by law.

Section 07 Date of Payment of Distribution of Profit.

Unless another time is specified by the applicable law, the payment of distributions of profit shall be within thirty (30) days of after the Record Date.

Article VI.

ISSUANCE OF MEMBERSHIP INTEREST CERTIFICATES

Section 01 Issuance of Certificate of Interest.

The interest of each Member in the Company shall be represented by a Certificate of Interest (also referred to as the Certificate of Membership Interest or the Certificate). Upon the execution of this Agreement and the payment of a Capital Contribution by the Member, the Management shall cause the Company to issue one or more Certificates in the name of the Member certifying that he/she/it is the record holder of the Membership Interest set forth therein.

Section 02 Transfer of Certificate of Interest.

A Membership Interest which is transferred in accordance with the terms of Section 2 of Article V of this Agreement shall be transferable on the books of the Company by the record holder thereof in person or by such record holder's duly authorized attorney, but, except as provided in Section 3 of this Article with respect to lost, stolen or destroyed certificates, no transfer of a Membership Interest shall be entered until the previously issued Certificate representing such Interest shall have been surrendered to the Company and cancelled and a replacement Certificate issued to the assignee of such Interest in accordance with such procedures as the Management may establish. The management shall issue to the transferring Member a new Certificate representing the Membership Interest not being transferred by the Member, in the event such Member only transferred some, but not all, of the Interest represented by the original Certificate. Except as otherwise required by law, the Company shall be entitled to treat the record holder of a Membership Interest Certificate on its books as the owner thereof for all purposes regardless of any notice or knowledge to the contrary,

Section 03 Lost, Stolen or Destroyed Certificates.

The Company shall issue a new Membership Interest Certificate in place of any Membership Interest Certificate previously issued if the record holder of the Certificate:

- (a) makes proof by affidavit, in form and substance satisfactory to the Management, that a previously issued Certificate has been lost, destroyed or stolen;
- (b) requests the issuance of a new Certificate before the Company has notice that the Certificate has been acquired by a purchaser for value in good faith and without notice of an adverse claim;

(c) satisfies any other reasonable requirements imposed by the Management.

If a Member fails to notify the Company within a reasonable time after it has notice of the loss, destruction or theft of a Membership Interest Certificate, and a transfer of the Interest represented by the Certificate is registered before receiving such notification, the Company shall have no liability with respect to any claim against the Company for such transfer or for a new Certificate.

Article VII. **AMENDMENTS**

Section 01 Amendment of Articles of Organization.

Notwithstanding any provision to the contrary in the Articles of Organization or this Agreement, but subject to Article IX hereof, in no event shall the Articles of Organization be amended without the vote of Members representing at least ninety percent (90%) of the Members Interests.

Section 02 Amendment, Etc. of Operating Agreement.

This Agreement may be adopted, altered, amended or repealed and a new Operating Agreement may be adopted by at least ninety percent in Interest of the Members, subject to Article IX.

Article VIII. **COVENANTS WITH RESPECT TO , INDEBTEDNESS,** **OPERATIONS, AND FUNDAMENTAL CHANGES**

The provisions of this Article IX and its Sections and Subsections shall control and supercede any contrary or conflicting provisions contained in other Articles in this Agreement or in the Company's Articles of Organization or any other organizational document of the Company.

Section 01 Title to Company Property.

All property owned by the Company shall be owned by the Company as an entity and, insofar as permitted by applicable law, no Member shall have any ownership interest in any Company property in its individual name or right, and each member's interest in the Company shall be personal property for all purposes.

Section 02 Effect of Bankruptcy, Death or Incompetency of a Member.

The bankruptcy, death, dissolution, liquidation, termination or adjudication of incompetency of a Member shall not cause the termination or dissolution of the Company and the business of the Company shall continue. Upon any such occurrence, the trustee, receiver, executor,

administrator, committee, guardian or conservator of such Member shall have all the rights of such Member for the purpose of settling or managing its estate or property, subject to satisfying conditions precedent to the admission of such assignee as a substitute member. The transfer by such trustee, receiver, executor, administrator, committee, guardian or conservator of any Company interest shall be subject to all of the restrictions hereunder to which such transfer would have been subject if such transfer had been made by such bankrupt, deceased, dissolved, liquidated, terminated or incompetent member.

Article X.
MISCELLANEOUS

a. Fiscal Year.

The Members shall have the paramount power to fix, and from time to time, to change, the Fiscal Year of the Limited Liability Company. In the absence of action by the Members, the fiscal year of the Limited Liability Company shall be on a calendar year basis and end each year on December 31 until such time, if any, as the Fiscal Year shall be changed by the Members, and approved by Internal Revenue service and the State of Formation.

b. Financial Statements; Statements of Account.

Within ninety (90) business days after the end of each Fiscal Year, the Manager shall send to each Member who was a Member in the Limited Liability Company at any time during the Fiscal Year then ended an unaudited statement of assets, liabilities and Contributions To Capital as of the end of such Fiscal Year and related unaudited statements of income or loss and changes in assets, liabilities and Contributions to Capital. Within forty, five (45) days after each fiscal quarter of the Limited Liability Company, the Manager shall mail or otherwise deliver to each Member an unaudited report providing narrative and summary financial information with respect to the Limited Liability Company. Annually, the Manager shall cause appropriate federal and applicable state tax returns to be prepared and filed. The Manager shall mail or otherwise deliver to each Member who was a Member in the Limited Liability Company at any time during the Fiscal Year a copy of the tax return, including all schedules thereto. The Manager may extend such time period in its sole discretion if additional time is necessary to furnish complete and accurate information pursuant to this Section. Any Member or Manager shall the right to inspect all of the books and records of the Company, including tax filings, property management reports, bank statements, cancelled checks, invoices, purchase orders, check ledgers, savings accounts, investment accounts, and checkbooks, whether electronic or paper, provided such Member complies with Article II, Section 4.

c. Events Requiring Dissolution.

The following events shall require dissolution winding up the affairs of the Limited Liability Company:

- i. When the period fixed for the duration of the Limited Liability Company expires as specified in the Articles of Organization.

d. Choice of Law.

IN ALL RESPECTS THIS AGREEMENT SHALL BE GOVERNED AND CONSTRUED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF NEVADA INCLUDING ALL MATTERS OF CONSTRUCTION, VALIDITY, PERFORMANCE AND THE RIGHTS AND INTERESTS OF THE PARTIES UNDER THIS AGREEMENT WITHOUT REGARD TO THE PRINCIPLES GOVERNING CONFLICTS OF LAWS, UNLESS OTHERWISE PROVIDED BY WRITTEN AGREEMENT.

e. Severability.

If any of the provisions of this Agreement shall contravene or be held invalid or unenforceable, the affected provision or provisions of this Agreement shall be construed or restricted in its or their application only to the extent necessary to permit the rights, interest, duties and obligations of the parties hereto to be enforced according to the purpose and intent of this Agreement and in conformance with the applicable law or laws.

f. Successors and Assigns.

Except as otherwise provided, this Agreement shall be binding upon and inure to the benefit of the parties and their legal representative, heirs, administrators, executors and assigns.

g. Non-waiver.

No provision of this Agreement shall be deemed to have been waived unless such waiver is contained in a written notice given to the party claiming such waiver has occurred, provided that no such waiver shall be deemed to be a waiver of any other or further obligation or liability of the party or parties in whose favor the waiver was given.

h. Captions.

Captions contained in this Agreement are inserted only as a matter of convenience and in no way define, limit or extend the scope or intent of this Agreement or any provision hereof.

i. Counterparts.

This Agreement may be executed in several counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original but all of which shall constitute one and the same instrument. It shall not be necessary for all Members to execute the same counterpart hereof.

j. Definition of Words.

Wherever in this agreement the term he/she is used, it shall be construed to mean also it's as pertains to a corporation member.

k. Membership.

A corporation, partnership, limited liability company, limited liability partnership or individual may be a Member of this Limited Liability Company.

l. Tax Provisions.

The provisions of Exhibit A, attached hereto are incorporated by reference as if fully rewritten herein.

ARTICLE XI
INDEMNIFICATION AND INSURANCE

Section 1. Indemnification: Proceeding Other than by Company. The Company may indemnify any person who was or is a party or is threatened to be made a party to any threatened, pending or completed action, suit or proceeding, whether civil, criminal, administrative or investigative, except an action by or in the right of the Company, by reason of the fact that he or she is or was a Manager, Member, officer, employee or agent of the Company, or is or was serving at the request of the Company as a manager, member, shareholder, director, officer, partner, trustee, employee or agent of any other Person, joint venture, trust or other enterprise, against expenses, including attorneys' fees, judgments, fines and amounts paid in settlement actually and reasonably incurred by him or her in connection with the action, suit or proceeding if he or she acted in good faith and in a manner which he or she reasonably believed to be in or not opposed to the best interests of the Company, and, with respect to any criminal action or proceeding, had no reasonable cause to believe his or her conduct was unlawful. The termination of any action, suit or proceeding by judgment, order, settlement, conviction, or upon a plea of nolo contendere or its equivalent, does not, of itself, create a presumption that the person did not act in good faith and in a manner which he or she reasonably believed to be in or not opposed to the best interests of the Company, and that, with respect to any criminal action or proceeding, he or she had reasonable cause to believe that his or her conduct was unlawful.

Section 2. Indemnification: Proceeding by Company. The Company may indemnify any person who was or is a party or is threatened to be made a party to any threatened, pending or completed action or suit by or in the right of the Company to procure a judgment in its favor by reason of the fact that he or she is or was a Manager, Member, officer, employee or agent of the Company, or is or was serving at the request of the Company as a manager, member, shareholder, director, officer, partner, trustee, employee or agent of any other Person, joint venture, trust or other enterprise against expenses, including amounts paid in settlement and attorneys' fees actually and reasonably incurred by him or her in connection with the defense or settlement of the action or suit if he or she acted in good faith and in a manner which he or she reasonably believed to be in or not opposed to the best interests of the Company. Indemnification may not be made for any claim, issue or matter as to which such a person has been adjudged by a court of competent jurisdiction, after exhaustion of all appeals therefrom, to be liable to the Company or for amounts paid in settlement to the Company, unless and only to the extent that the court in which the action or suit was brought or other court of competent jurisdiction determines upon application that in view of all the circumstances of the case, the person is fairly and reasonably entitled to indemnity for such expenses as the court deems proper.

Section 3. Mandatory Indemnification. To the extent that a Manager, Member, officer, employee or agent of the Company has been successful on the merits or otherwise in defense of any action, suit or proceeding described in Article XI, Sections 1 and 2, or in defense of any claim, issue or matter therein, he or she must be indemnified by the Company against expenses, including attorneys' fees, actually and reasonably incurred by him or her in connection with the defense.

Section 4. Authorization of Indemnification. Any indemnification under Article XI, Sections 1 and 2, unless ordered by a court or advanced pursuant to Section 5, may be made by the Company only as authorized in the specific case upon a determination that indemnification of the Manager, Member, officer, employee or agent is proper in the circumstances. The determination must be made by a majority of the Members if the person seeking indemnity is not a majority owner of the Member Interests or by independent legal counsel selected by the Manager in a written opinion.

Section 5. Mandatory Advancement of Expenses. The expenses of Managers, Members and officers incurred in defending a civil or criminal action, suit or proceeding must be paid by the Company as they are incurred and in advance of the final disposition of the action, suit or proceeding, upon receipt of an undertaking by or on behalf of the Manager, Member or officer to repay the amount if it is ultimately determined by a court of competent jurisdiction that he or she is not entitled to be indemnified by the Company. The provisions of this Section 5 do not affect any rights to advancement of expenses to which personnel of the Company other than Managers, Members or officers may be entitled under any contract or otherwise.

Section 6. Effect and Continuation. The indemnification and advancement of expenses authorized in or ordered by a court pursuant to Article XI, Sections 1 – 5, inclusive:

(A) Does not exclude any other rights to which a person seeking indemnification or advancement of expenses may be entitled under the Articles of Organization or any limited liability company agreement, vote of Members or disinterested Managers, if any, or otherwise, for either an action in his or her official capacity or an action in another capacity while holding his or her office, except that indemnification, unless ordered by a court pursuant to Article XI, Section 2 or for the advancement of expenses made pursuant to Section Article XI, may not be made to or on behalf of any Member, Manager or officer if a final adjudication establishes that his or her acts or omissions involved intentional misconduct, fraud or a knowing violation of the law and was material to the cause of action.

(B) Continues for a person who has ceased to be a Member, Manager, officer, employee or agent and inures to the benefit of his or her heirs, executors and administrators.

(C) **Notice of Indemnification and Advancement.** Any indemnification of, or advancement of expenses to, a Manager, Member, officer, employee or agent of the Company in accordance with this Article XI, if arising out of a proceeding by or on behalf of the Company, shall be reported in writing to the Members with or before the notice of the next Members' meeting.

(D) **Repeal or Modification.** Any repeal or modification of this Article XI by the Members of the Company shall not adversely affect any right of a Manager, Member, officer, employee or agent of the Company existing hereunder at the time of such repeal or modification.

ARTICLE XII

INVESTMENT REPRESENTATIONS; PRIVATE OFFERING EXEMPTION

Each Member, by his or its execution of this Agreement, hereby represents and warrants to, and agrees with, the Managers, the other Members and the Company as follows:

Section 1. Pre-existing Relationship or Experience. (i) Such Member has a preexisting personal or business relationship with the Company or one or more of its officers or control persons or (ii) by reason of his or its business or financial experience, or by reason of the business or financial experience of his or its financial advisor who is unaffiliated with and who is not compensated, directly or indirectly, by the Company or any affiliate or selling agent of the Company, such Member is capable of evaluating the risks and merits of an investment in the Company and of protecting his or its own interests in connection with this investment.

Section 2. No Advertising. Such Member has not seen, received, been presented with or been solicited by any leaflet, public promotional meeting, newspaper or magazine article or advertisement, radio or television advertisement, or any other form of advertising or general solicitation with respect to the offer or sale of Interests in the Company.

Section 3. Investment Intent. Such Member is acquiring the Interest for investment purposes for his or its own account only and not with a view to or for sale in connection with any distribution of all or any part of the Interest.

Section 4. Economic Risk. Such Member is financially able to bear the economic risk of his or its investment in the Company, including the total loss thereof.

Section 5. No Registration of Units Such Member acknowledges that the Interests have not been registered under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the "Securities Act"), or qualified under any state securities law or under the laws of any other jurisdiction, in reliance, in part, on such Member's representations, warranties and agreements herein.

Section 6. No Obligation to Register. Such Member represents, warrants and agrees that the Company and the Managers are under no obligation to register or qualify the Interests under the Securities Act or under any state securities law or under the laws of any other jurisdiction, or to assist such Member in complying with any exemption from registration and qualification.

Section 7. No Disposition in Violation of Law. Without limiting the representations set forth above, and without limiting Article 12 of this Agreement, such Member will not make any disposition of all or any part of the Interests which will result in the violation by such Member or by the Company of the Securities Act or any other applicable securities laws. Without limiting the foregoing, each Member agrees not to make any disposition of all or any part of the Interests unless and until: (A) there is then in effect a registration statement under the Securities Act covering such proposed disposition and such disposition is made in accordance with such registration statement and any applicable requirements of state securities laws; or (B) such Member has notified the Company of the proposed disposition and has furnished the Company with a detailed statement of the circumstances surrounding the proposed disposition, and if reasonably requested by the

Managers, such Member has furnished the Company with a written opinion of legal counsel, reasonably satisfactory to the Company, that such disposition will not require registration of any securities under the Securities Act or the consent of or a permit from appropriate authorities under any applicable state securities law or under the laws of any other jurisdiction.

Section 8. Financial Estimate and Projections. That it understands that all projections and financial or other materials which it may have been furnished are not based on historical operating results, because no reliable results exist, and are based only upon estimates and assumptions which are subject to future conditions and events which are unpredictable and which may not be relied upon in making an investment decision.

ARTICLE XIII

Preparation of Agreement.

Section 1. This Agreement has been prepared by David G. LeGrand, Esq. (the "Law Firm"), as legal counsel to the Company, and:

- (A) The Members have been advised by the Law Firm that a conflict of interest would exist among the Members and the Company as the Law Firm is representing the Company and not any individual members, and
- (B) The Members have been advised by the Law Firm to seek the advice of independent counsel; and
- (C) The Members have been represented by independent counsel or have had the opportunity to seek such representation; and
- (D) The Law Firm has not given any advice or made any representations to the Members with respect to any consequences of this Agreement; and
- (E) The Members have been advised that the terms and provisions of this Agreement may have tax consequences and the Members have been advised by the Law Firm to seek independent counsel with respect thereto; and
- (F) The Members have been represented by independent counsel or have had the opportunity to seek such representation with respect to the tax and other consequences of this Agreement.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned, being the Members of the above-named Limited Liability Company, have hereunto executed this Agreement as of the Effective Date first set forth above.

Member:

Shawn Bidsal, Member

CLA Properties, LLC

by _____
Benjamin Gholshami, Manager

Manager/Management:

Shawn Bidsal, Manager

Benjamin Golshami, Manager

TAX PROVISIONS

EXHIBIT A

1.1 Capital Accounts.

- 4.1.1 A single Capital Account shall be maintained for each Member (regardless of the class of Interests owned by such Member and regardless of the time or manner in which such Interests were acquired) in accordance with the capital accounting rules of Section 704(b) of the Code, and the regulations thereunder (including without limitation Section 1.704-1(b)(2)(iv) of the Income Tax Regulations). In general, under such rules, a Member's Capital Account shall be:
- 4.1.1.1 increased by (i) the amount of money contributed by the Member to the Company (including the amount of any Company liabilities that are assumed by such Member other than in connection with distribution of Company property), (ii) the fair market value of property contributed by the Member to the Company (net of liabilities secured by such contributed property that under Section 752 of the Code the Company is considered to assume or take subject to), and (iii) allocations to the Member of Company income and gain (or item thereof), including income and gain exempt from tax; and
- 4.1.1.2 decreased by (i) the amount of money distributed to the Member by the Company (including the amount of such Member's individual liabilities that are assumed by the Company other than in connection with contribution of property to the Company), (ii) the fair market value of property distributed to the Member by the Company (net of liabilities secured by such distributed property that under Section 752 of the Code such Member is considered to assume or take subject to), (iii) allocations to the Member of expenditures of the Company not deductible in computing its taxable income and not properly chargeable to capital account, and (iv) allocations to the Member of Company loss and deduction (or item thereof).
- 4.1.2 Where Section 704(c) of the Code applies to Company property or where Company property is revalued pursuant to paragraph (b)(2)(iv)(t) of Section 1.704-1 of the Income Tax Regulations, each Member's Capital Account shall be adjusted in accordance with paragraph (b)(2)(iv)(g) of Section 1.704-1 of the Income Tax Regulations as to allocations to the Members of depreciation, depletion, amortization and gain or loss, as computed for book purposes with respect to such property.
- 4.1.3 When Company property is distributed in kind (whether in connection with liquidation and dissolution or otherwise), the Capital Accounts of the Members shall first be adjusted to reflect the manner in which the unrealized income, gain, loss and deduction inherent in such property (that has not been

reflected in the Capital Account previously) would be allocated among the Members if there were a taxable disposition of such property for the fair market value of such property (taking into account Section 7701 (g) of the Code) on the date of distribution.

- 4.1.4 The Members shall direct the Company's accountants to make all necessary adjustments in each Member's Capital Account as required by the capital accounting rules of Section 704(b) of the Code and the regulations thereunder.

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ALLOCATION OF PROFITS AND LOSSES; TAX AND ACCOUNTING MATTERS

5.1 **Allocations.** Each Member's distributive share of income, gain, loss, deduction or credit (or items thereof) of the Company as shown on the annual federal income tax return prepared by the Company's accountants or as finally determined by the United States Internal Revenue Service or the courts, and as modified by the capital accounting rules of Section 704(b) of the Code and the Income Tax Regulations thereunder, as implemented by Section 8.5 hereof, as applicable, shall be determined as follows:

5.1.1 **Allocations.** Except as otherwise provided in this Section 1.1:

5.1.1.1 items of income, gain, loss, deduction or credit (or items thereof) shall be allocated among the members in proportion to their Percentage Interests as set forth in *Exhibit "B"*, subject to the Preferred Allocation schedule contained in *Exhibit "B"*, except that items of loss or deduction allocated to any Member pursuant to this Section 2.1 with respect to any taxable year shall not exceed the maximum amount of such items that can be so allocated without causing such Member to have a deficit balance in his or its Capital Account at the end of such year, computed in accordance with the rules of paragraph (b)(2)(ii)(d) of Section 1.704-1 of the Income Tax Regulations. Any such items of loss or deduction in excess of the limitation set forth in the preceding sentence shall be allocated as follows and in the following order of priority:

5.1.1.1.1 first, to those Members who would not be subject to such limitation, in proportion to their Percentage Interests, subject to the Preferred Allocation schedule contained in *Exhibit "B"*; and

5.1.1.1.2 second, any remaining amount to the Members in the manner required by the Code and Income Tax Regulations.

Subject to the provisions of subsections 2.1.2 – 2.1.11, inclusive, of this Agreement, the items specified in this Section 1.1 shall be allocated to the

Members as necessary to eliminate any deficit Capital Account balances and thereafter to bring the relationship among the Members' positive Capital Account balances in accord with their pro rata interests.

- 5.1.2 Allocations With Respect to Property Solely for tax purposes, in determining each Member's allocable share of the taxable income or loss of the Company, depreciation, depletion, amortization and gain or loss with respect to any contributed property, or with respect to revalued property where the Company's property is revalued pursuant to paragraph (b)(2)(iv)(f) of Section 1.704-1 of the Income Tax Regulations, shall be allocated to the Members in the manner (as to revaluations, in the same manner as) provided in Section 704(c) of the Code. The allocation shall take into account, to the full extent required or permitted by the Code, the difference between the adjusted basis of the property to the Member contributing it (or, with respect to property which has been revalued, the adjusted basis of the property to the Company) and the fair market value of the property determined by the Members at the time of its contribution or revaluation, as the case may be.
- 5.1.3 Minimum Gain Chargeback. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this Section 2.1, if there is a net decrease in Company Minimum Gain or Company Nonrecourse Debt Minimum Gain (as such terms are defined in Sections 1.704-2(b) and 1.704-2(i)(2) of the Income Tax Regulations, but substituting the term "Company" for the term "Partnership" as the context requires) during a Company taxable year, then each Member shall be allocated items of Company income and gain for such year (and, if necessary, for subsequent years) in the manner provided in Section 1.704-2 of the Income Tax Regulations. This provision is intended to be a "minimum gain chargeback" within the meaning of Sections 1.704-2(f) and 1.704-2(i)(4) of the Income Tax Regulations and shall be interpreted and implemented as therein provided.
- 5.1.4 Qualified Income Offset. Subject to the provisions of subsection 2.1.3, but otherwise notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this Section 2.1, if any Member's Capital Account has a deficit balance in excess of such Member's obligation to restore his or its Capital Account balance, computed in accordance with the rules of paragraph (b)(2)(ii)(d) of Section 1.704-1 of the Income Tax Regulations, then sufficient amounts of income and gain (consisting of a pro rata portion of each item of Company income, including gross income, and gain for such year) shall be allocated to such Member in an amount and manner sufficient to eliminate such deficit as quickly as possible. This provision is intended to be a "qualified income offset" within the meaning of Section 1.704-1(b)(2)(ii)(d) of the Income Tax Regulations and shall be interpreted and implemented as therein provided.
- 5.1.5 Depreciation Recapture. Subject to the provisions of Section 704(c) of the Code and subsections 2.1.2 – 2.1.4, inclusive, of this Agreement, gain recognized (or deemed recognized under the provisions hereof) upon the sale

or other disposition of Company property, which is subject to depreciation recapture, shall be allocated to the Member who was entitled to deduct such depreciation.

- 5.1.6 Loans If and to the extent any Member is deemed to recognize income as a result of any loans pursuant to the rules of Sections 1272, 1273, 1274, 7872 or 482 of the Code, or any similar provision now or hereafter in effect, any corresponding resulting deduction of the Company shall be allocated to the Member who is charged with the income. Subject to the provisions of Section 704(c) of the Code and subsections 2.1.2 – 2.1.4, inclusive, of this Agreement, if and to the extent the Company is deemed to recognize income as a result of any loans pursuant to the rules of Sections 1272, 1273, 1274, 7872 or 482 of the Code, or any similar provision now or hereafter in effect, such income shall be allocated to the Member who is entitled to any corresponding resulting deduction.
- 5.1.7 Tax Credits Tax credits shall generally be allocated according to Section 1.704-1(b)(4)(ii) of the Income Tax Regulations or as otherwise provided by law. Investment tax credits with respect to any property shall be allocated to the Members pro rata in accordance with the manner in which Company profits are allocated to the Members under subsection 2.1.1 hereof, as of the time such property is placed in service. Recapture of any investment tax credit required by Section 47 of the Code shall be allocated to the Members in the same proportion in which such investment tax credit was allocated.
- 5.1.8 Change of Pro Rata Interests. Except as provided in subsections 2.1.6 and 2.1.7 hereof or as otherwise required by law, if the proportionate interests of the Members of the Company are changed during any taxable year, all items to be allocated to the Members for such entire taxable year shall be prorated on the basis of the portion of such taxable year which precedes each such change and the portion of such taxable year on and after each such change according to the number of days in each such portion, and the items so allocated for each such portion shall be allocated to the Members in the manner in which such items are allocated as provided in section 2.1.1 during each such portion of the taxable year in question.
- 5.1.9 Effect of Special Allocations on Subsequent Allocations. Any special allocation of income or gain pursuant to subsections 2.1.3 or 2.1.4 hereof shall be taken into account in computing subsequent allocations of income and gain pursuant to this Section 9.1 so that the net amount of all such allocations to each Member shall, to the extent possible, be equal to the net amount that would have been allocated to each such Member pursuant to the provisions of this Section 2.1 if such special allocations of income or gain under subsection 2.1.3 or 2.1.4 hereof had not occurred.
- 5.1.10 Nonrecourse and Recourse Debt. Items of deduction and loss attributable to Member nonrecourse debt within the meaning of Section 1.7042(b)(4) of the

Income Tax Regulations shall be allocated to the Members bearing the economic risk of loss with respect to such debt in accordance with Section 1704-2(i)(1) of the Income Tax Regulations. Items of deduction and loss attributable to recourse liabilities of the Company, within the meaning of Section 1.752-2 of the Income Tax Regulations, shall be allocated among the Members in accordance with the ratio in which the Members share the economic risk of loss for such liabilities.

- 5.1.11 State and Local Items. Items of income, gain, loss, deduction, credit and tax preference for state and local income tax purposes shall be allocated to and among the Members in a manner consistent with the allocation of such items for federal income tax purposes in accordance with the foregoing provisions of this Section 2.1.

- 5.2 Accounting Matters. The Managers or, if there be no Managers then in office, the Members shall cause to be maintained complete books and records accurately reflecting the accounts, business and transactions of the Company on a calendar-year basis and using such cash, accrual, or hybrid method of accounting as in the judgment of the Manager, Management Committee or the Members, as the case may be, is most appropriate; provided, however, that books and records with respect to the Company's Capital Accounts and allocations of income, gain, loss, deduction or credit (or item thereof) shall be kept under U.S. federal income tax accounting principles as applied to partnerships.

5.3 Tax Status and Returns.

- 5.3.1 Any provision hereof to the contrary notwithstanding, solely for United States federal income tax purposes, each of the Members hereby recognizes that the Company may be subject to the provisions of Subchapter K of Chapter 1 of Subtitle A of the Code; provided, however, the filing of U.S. Partnership Returns of Income shall not be construed to extend the purposes of the Company or expand the obligations or liabilities of the Members.
- 5.3.2 The Manager(s) shall prepare or cause to be prepared all tax returns and statements, if any, that must be filed on behalf of the Company with any taxing authority, and shall make timely filing thereof. Within one-hundred twenty (120) days after the end of each calendar year, the Manager(s) shall prepare or cause to be prepared and delivered to each Member a report setting forth in reasonable detail the information with respect to the Company during such calendar year reasonably required to enable each Member to prepare his or its federal, state and local income tax returns in accordance with applicable law then prevailing.
- 5.3.3 Unless otherwise provided by the Code or the Income Tax Regulations thereunder, the current Manager(s), or if no Manager(s) shall have been elected, the Member holding the largest Percentage Interest, or if the Percentage Interests be equal, any Member shall be deemed to be the "Tax

Matters Member." The Tax Matters Member shall be the "Tax Matters Partner" for U.S. federal income tax purposes.

EXHIBIT B

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CLA Properties, LLC 70% \$ _____

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OPERATING AGREEMENT

Of

Green Valley Commerce, LLC
a Nevada limited liability company

This Operating Agreement (the "Agreement") is by and among Green Valley Commerce, LLC, a Nevada Limited Liability Company (sometimes hereinafter referred to as the "Company" or the "Limited Liability Company") and the undersigned Member and Manager of the Company. This Agreement is made to be effective as of June 15, 2011 ("Effective Date") by the undersigned parties.

WHEREAS, on about May 26, 2011, Shawn Bidsal formed the Company as a Nevada limited liability company by filing its Articles of Organization (the "Articles of Organization") pursuant to the Nevada Limited Liability Company Act, as Filing entity #E0308602011-0; and

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the premises, the provisions and the respective agreements hereinafter set forth and for other good and valuable consideration, the parties hereto do hereby agree to the following terms and conditions of this Agreement for the administration and regulation of the affairs of this Limited Liability Company.

Article I.

DEFINITIONS

Section 01 Defined Terms

Advisory Committee or Committees shall be deemed to mean the Advisory Committee or Committees established by the Management pursuant to Section 13 of Article III of this Agreement.

Agreement shall be deemed to mean this Operating Agreement of this herein Limited Liability Company as may be amended.

Business of the Company shall mean acquisition of secured debt, conversion of such debt into fee simple title by foreclosure, purchase or otherwise, and operation and management of real estate.

Business Day shall be deemed to mean any day excluding a Saturday, a Sunday and any other day on which banks are required or authorized to close in the State of Formation.

Limited Liability Company shall be deemed to mean Green Valley Commerce, LLC a Nevada Limited Liability Company organized pursuant of the laws of the State of Formation.

Management and Manager(s) shall be deemed to have the meanings set forth in Article, IV of this Agreement.

Member shall mean a person who has a membership interest in the Limited Liability Company.

Membership Interest shall mean, with respect to a Member the percentage of ownership interest in the Company of such Member (may also be referred to as **Interest**). Each Member's percentage of Membership Interest in the Company shall be as set forth in Exhibit B.

Person means any natural person, sole proprietorship, corporation, general partnership, limited partnership, Limited Liability Company, limited liability limited partnership, joint venture, association, joint stock company, bank, trust, estate, unincorporated organization, any federal, state, county or municipal government (or any agency or political subdivision thereof), endowment fund or any other form of entity.

State of Formation shall mean the State of Nevada.

Article II.

OFFICES AND RECORDS

Section 01 Registered Office and Registered Agent.

The Limited Liability Company shall have and maintain a registered office in the State of Formation and a resident agent for service of process, who may be a natural person of said state whose business office is identical with the registered office, or a domestic corporation, or a corporation authorized to transact business within said State which has a business office identical with the registered office, or itself which has a business office identical with the registered office and is permitted by said state to act as a registered agent/office within said state.

The resident agent shall be appointed by the Member Manager.

The location of the registered office shall be determined by the Management.

The current name of the resident agent and location of the registered office shall be kept on file in the appropriate office within the State of Formation pursuant to applicable provisions of law.

Section 02 Limited Liability Company Offices.

The Limited Liability Company may have such offices, anywhere within and without the State of Formation, the Management from time to time may appoint, or the business of the Limited Liability Company may require. The "principal place of business" or "principal business" or "executive" office or offices of the Limited Liability Company may be fixed and so designated from time to time by the Management.

Section 03 Records.

The Limited Liability Company shall continuously maintain at its registered office, or at such other place as may be authorized pursuant to applicable provisions of law of the State of Formation the following records:

- (a) A current list of the full name and last known business address of each Member and Managers separately identifying the Members in alphabetical order;
- (b) A copy of the filed Articles of Organization and all amendments thereto, together with executed copies of any powers of attorney pursuant to which any document has been executed;
- (c) Copies of the Limited Liability Company's federal income tax returns and reports, if any, for the three (3) most recent years;
- (d) Copies of any then effective written operating agreement and of any financial statements of the Limited Liability Company for the three (3) most recent years;
- (e) Unless contained in the Articles of Organization, a writing setting out:
 - (i) The amount of cash and a description and statement of the agreed value of the other property or services contributed by each Member and which each Member has agreed to contribute;
 - (ii) The items as which or events on the happening of which any additional contributions agreed to be made by each Member are to be made;
 - (iii) Any right of a Member to receive, or of a Manager to make, distributions to a Member which include a return of all or any part of the Member's contribution; and
 - (iv) Any events upon the happening of which the Limited Liability Company is to be dissolved and its affairs wound up.
- (f) The Limited Liability Company shall also keep from time to time such other or additional records, statements, lists, and information as may be required by law.
- (g) If any of the above said records under Section 3 are not kept within the State of Formation, they shall be at all times in such condition as to permit them to be delivered to any authorized person within three (3) days.

Section 04 Inspection of Records.

Records kept pursuant to this Article are subject to inspection and copying at the request, and at the expense, of any Member, in person or by attorney or other agent. Each Member shall have the right during the usual hours of business to inspect for any proper purpose. A proper purpose shall mean a purpose reasonably related to such person's interest as a Member. In every

instance where an attorney or other agent shall be the person who seeks the right of inspection, the demand under oath shall be accompanied by a power of attorney or such other writing which authorizes the attorney or other agent to so act on behalf of the Member.

Article III.

MEMBERS' MEETINGS AND DEADLOCK

Section 01 Place of Meetings.

All meetings of the Members shall be held at the principal business office of the Limited Liability Company the State of Formation except such meetings as shall be held elsewhere by the express determination of the Management; in which case, such meetings may be held, upon notice thereof as hereinafter provided, at such other place or places, within or without the State of Formation, as said Management shall have determined, and shall be stated in such notice. Unless specifically prohibited by law, any meeting may be held at any place and time, and for any purpose; if consented to in writing by all of the Members entitled to vote thereat.

Section 02 Annual Meetings.

An Annual Meeting of Members shall be held on the first business day of July of each year, if not a legal holiday, and if a legal holiday, then the Annual Meeting of Members shall be held at the same time and place on the next day is a full Business Day.

Section 03 Special Meetings.

Special meetings of the Members may be held for any purpose or purposes. They may be called by the Managers or by Members holding not less than fifty-one percent of the voting power of the Limited Liability Company or such other maximum number as may be, required by the applicable law of the State of Formation. Written notice shall be given to all Members.

Section 04 Action in Lieu of Meeting.

Any action required to be taken at any Annual or Special Meeting of the Members or any other action which may be taken at any Annual or Special meeting of the Members may be taken without a meeting if consents in writing setting forth the action so taken shall be signed by the requisite votes of the Members entitled to vote with respect to the subject matter thereof.

Section 05 Notice.

Written notice of each meeting of the Members, whether Annual or Special, stating the place, day and hour of the meeting, and, in case of a Special meeting, the purpose or purposes thereof, shall be given or given to each Member entitled to vote thereat, not less than ten (10) nor more than sixty (60) days prior to the meeting unless, as to a particular matter, other or further notice is required by law, in which case such other or further notice shall be given.

Notice upon the Member may be delivered or given either personally or by express or first class mail, Or by telegram or other electronic transmission, with all charges prepaid, addressed to each Member at the address of such Member appearing on the books of the Limited Liability Company or more recently given by the Member to the Limited Liability Company for the purpose of notice.

If no address for a Member appears on the Limited Liability Company's books, notice shall be deemed to have been properly given to such Member if sent by any of the methods authorized here in to the Limited Liability Company 's principal executive office to the attention of such Member, or if published, at least once in a newspaper of general circulation in the county of the principal executive office and the county of the Registered office in the State of Formation of the Limited Liability Company.

If notice addressed to a Member at the address of such Member appearing on the books of the Limited Liability Company is returned to the Limited Liability Company by the United States Postal Service marked to indicate that the United States Postal Service is unable to deliver the notice to the Member at such address, all future notices or reports shall be deemed to have been duly given without further mailing if the same shall be available to the Member upon written demand of the Member at the principal executive office of the Limited Liability Company for a period of one (1) year from the date of the giving of such notice. It shall be the duty and of each member to provide the manager and/or the Limited Liability Company with an official mailing address.

Notice shall be deemed to have been given at the time when delivered personally or deposited in the mail or sent by telegram or other means of electronic transmission.

An affidavit of the mailing or other means of giving any notice of any Member meeting shall be executed by the Management and shall be filed and maintained in the Minute Book of the Limited Liability Company.

Section 06 Waiver of Notice.

Whenever any notice is required to be given under the provisions of this Agreement, or the Articles of Organization of the Limited Liability Company or any law, a waiver thereof in writing signed by the Member or Members entitled to such notice, whether before or after the time stated therein, shall be deemed the equivalent to the giving of such notice.

To the extent provided by law, attendance at any meeting shall constitute a waiver of notice of such meeting except when the Member attends the meeting for the express purpose of objecting to the transaction of any business because the meeting is not lawfully called or convened, and such Member so states such purpose at the opening of the meeting.

Section 07 Presiding Officials.

Every meeting of the Limited Liability Company for whatever reason, shall be convened by the Managers or Member who called the meeting by notice as above provided; provided, however,

it shall be presided over by the Management; and provided, further, the Members at any meeting, by a majority vote of Members represented thereat, and notwithstanding anything to the contrary elsewhere in this Agreement, may select any persons of their choosing to act as the Chairman and Secretary of such meeting or any session thereof.

Section 08 Business Which May Be Transacted at Annual Meetings.

At each Annual Meeting of the Members, the Members may elect, with a vote representing ninety percent (90%) in Interest of the Members, a Manager or Managers to administer and regulate the affairs of the Limited Liability Company. The Manager(s) shall hold such office until the next Annual Meeting of Members or until the Manager resigns or is removed by the Members pursuant to the terms of this Agreement, whichever event first occurs. The Members may transact such other business as may have been specified in the notice of the meeting as one of the purposes thereof.

Section 09 Business Which May Be Transacted at Special Meetings.

Business transacted at all special meetings shall be confined to the purposes stated in the notice of such meetings.

Section 10 Quorum.

At all meetings of the Members, a majority of the Members present, in person or by proxy, shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business, unless a greater number as to any particular matter is required by law, the Articles of Organization or this Agreement, and the act of a majority of the Members present at any meeting at which there is a quorum, except as may be otherwise specifically provided by law, by the Articles of Organization, or by this Agreement, shall be the act of the Members.

Less than a quorum may adjourn a meeting successively until a quorum is present, and no notice of adjournment shall be required.

Section 11 Proxies.

At any meeting of the Members, every Member having the right to vote shall be entitled to vote in person, or by proxy executed in writing by such Member or by his duly, authorized attorney-in-fact. No proxy shall be valid after three years from the date of its execution, unless otherwise provided in the proxy.

Section 12 Voting.

Every Member shall have one (1) vote(s) for each \$1,000.00 of capital contributed to the Limited Liability Company which is registered in his/her name on the books of the Limited Liability Company, as the amount of such capital is adjusted from time to time to properly reflect any additional contributions to or withdrawals from capital by the Member.

12.1 The affirmative vote of a Majority of the Member Interests shall be required to:

(A) adopt clerical or ministerial amendments to this Agreement and

- (B) approve indemnification of any Manager, Member or officer of the Company as authorized by Article XI of this Agreement;

12.2. The affirmative vote of at least ninety percent of the Member Interests shall be required to:

- (A) alter the Preferred Allocations provided for in *Exhibit "B"*;
- (B) agree to continue the business of the Company after a Dissolution Event;
- (C) approve any loan to any Manager or any guarantee of a Manager's obligations; and
- (D) authorize or approve a fundamental change in the business of the Company.
- (E) approve a sale of substantially all of the assets of the Company.
- (F) approve a change in the number of Managers or replace a Manager or engage a new Manager.

Section 13 Meeting by Telephonic Conference or Similar Communications Equipment.

Unless otherwise restricted by the Articles of Organization, this Agreement of by law, the Members of the Limited Liability Company, or any Committee thereof established by the Management, may participate in a meeting of such Members or committee by means of telephonic conference or similar communications equipment whereby all persons participating in the meeting can hear and speak to each other, and participation in a meeting in such manner shall constitute presence in person at such meeting.

Section 14. Deadlock.

In the event that Members reach a deadlock that cannot be resolved with a respect to an issue that requires a ninety percent vote for approval, then either Member may compel arbitration of the disputed matter as set forth in Subsection 14.1

14.1 **Dispute Resolution.** In the event of any dispute or disagreement between the Members as to the interpretation of any provision of this Agreement (or the performance of obligations hereunder), the matter, upon written request of either Party, shall be referred to representatives of the Parties for decision. The representatives shall promptly meet in a good faith effort to resolve the dispute. If the representatives do not agree upon a decision within thirty (30) calendar days after reference of the matter to them, any controversy, dispute or claim arising out of or relating in any way to this Agreement or the transactions arising hereunder shall be settled exclusively by arbitration in the City of Las Vegas, Nevada. Such arbitration shall be administered by JAMS in accordance with its then prevailing expedited rules, by one independent and impartial

arbitrator selected in accordance with such rules. The arbitration shall be governed by the United States Arbitration Act, 9 U.S.C. § 1 et seq. The fees and expenses of JAMS and the arbitrator shall be shared equally by the Members and advanced by them from time to time as required; provided that at the conclusion of the arbitration, the arbitrator shall award costs and expenses (including the costs of the arbitration previously advanced and the fees and expenses of attorneys, accountants and other experts) to the prevailing party. No pre-arbitration discovery shall be permitted, except that the arbitrator shall have the power in his sole discretion, on application by any party, to order pre-arbitration examination solely of those witnesses and documents that any other party intends to introduce in its case-in-chief at the arbitration hearing. The Members Seller shall instruct the arbitrator to render his award within thirty (30) days following the conclusion of the arbitration hearing. The arbitrator shall not be empowered to award to any party any damages of the type not permitted to be recovered under this Agreement in connection with any dispute between or among the parties arising out of or relating in any way to this Agreement or the transactions arising hereunder, and each party hereby irrevocably waives any right to recover such damages. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary provided in this Section 14.1 and without prejudice to the above procedures, either Party may apply to any court of competent jurisdiction for temporary injunctive or other provisional judicial relief if such action is necessary to avoid irreparable damage or to preserve the status quo until such time as the arbitrator is selected and available to hear such party's request for temporary relief. The award rendered by the arbitrator shall be final and not subject to judicial review and judgment thereon may be entered in any court of competent jurisdiction. The decision of the arbitrator shall be in writing and shall set forth findings of fact and conclusions of law to the extent applicable.

Article IV. **MANAGEMENT**

Section 01 Management.

Unless prohibited by law and subject to the terms and conditions of this Agreement (including without limitation the terms of Article IX hereof), the administration and regulation of the affairs, business and assets of the Limited Liability Company shall be managed by Two (2) managers (alternatively, the "Managers" or "Management"). Managers must be Members and shall serve until resignation or removal. The initial Managers shall be Mr. Shawn Bidsal and Mr. Benjamin Gholshami.

Section 02 Rights, Powers and Obligations of Management.

Subject to the terms and conditions of Article IX herein, Management shall have all the rights and powers as are conferred by law or are necessary, desirable or convenient to the discharge of the Management's duties under this Agreement.

Without limiting the generality of the rights and powers of the Management (but subject to Article IX hereof), the Management shall have the following rights and powers which the Management may exercise in its reasonable discretion at the cost, expense and risk of the Limited Liability Company:

- (a) To deal in leasing, development and contracting of services for improvement of the properties owned subject to both Managers executing written authorization of each expense or payment exceeding \$ 20,000;
- (b) To prosecute, defend and settle lawsuits and claims and to handle matters with governmental agencies;
- (c) To open, maintain and close bank accounts and banking services for the Limited Liability Company.
- (d) To incur and pay all legal, accounting, independent financial consulting, litigation and other fees and expenses as the Management may deem necessary or appropriate for carrying on and performing the powers and authorities herein conferred.
- (e) To execute and deliver any contracts, agreements, instruments or documents necessary, advisable or appropriate to evidence any of the transactions specified above or contemplated hereby and on behalf of the Limited Liability Company to exercise Limited Liability Company rights and perform Limited Liability Company obligations under any such agreements, contracts, instruments or documents;
- (f) To exercise for and on behalf of the Limited Liability Company all the General Powers granted by law to the Limited Liability Company;
- (g) To take such other action as the Management deems necessary and appropriate to carry out the purposes of the Limited Liability Company or this Agreement; and
- (h) Manager shall not pledge, mortgage, sell or transfer any assets of the Limited Liability Company without the affirmative vote of at least ninety percent in Interest of the Members.

Section 03 Removal.

Subject to Article IX hereof: The Managers may be removed or discharged by the Members whenever in their judgment the best interests of the Limited Liability Company would be served thereby upon the affirmative vote of ninety percent in Interest of the Members.

Article V. MEMBERSHIP INTEREST

Section 01 Contribution to Capital.

The Member contributions to the capital of the Limited Liability Company may be paid for, wholly or partly, by cash, by personal property, or by real property, or services rendered. By unanimous consent of the Members, other forms of contributions to capital of a Limited Liability company authorized by law may be authorized or approved. Upon receipt of the total amount of the contribution to capital, the contribution shall be declared and taken to be full paid and not liable to further call, nor shall the holder thereof be liable for any further payments on account of that contribution. Members may be subject to additional contributions to capital as determined by the unanimous approval of Members.

Section 02 Transfer or Assignment of Membership Interest.

A Member's interest in the Limited Liability Company is personal property. Except as otherwise provided in this Agreement, a Member's interest may be transferred or assigned. If the other (non-transferring) Members of the Limited Liability Company other than the Member proposing to dispose of his/her interest do not approve of the proposed transfer or assignment by unanimous written consent, the transferee of the Member's interest has no right to participate in the management of the business and affairs of the Limited Liability Company or to become a member. The transferee is only entitled to receive the share of profits or other compensation by way of income, and the return of contributions, to which that Member would otherwise be entitled.

A Substituted Member is a person admitted to all the rights of a Member who has died or has assigned his/her interest in the Limited Liability Company with the approval of all the Members of the Limited Liability Company by the affirmative vote of at least ninety percent in Interest of the members. The Substituted Member shall have all the rights and powers and is subject to all the restrictions and liabilities of his/her assignor, except that the substitution of the assignee does not release the assignor from liability to the Company under this Agreement.

Section 3. Right of First Refusal for Sales of Interests by Members. Payment of Purchase Price.

The payment of the purchase price shall be in cash or, if non-cash consideration is used, it shall be subject to this Article V, Section 3 and Section 4.

Section 4. Purchase or Sell Right among Members.

In the event that a Member is willing to purchase the Remaining Member's Interest in the Company then the procedures and terms of Section 7.1 shall apply.

Section 4.1 Definitions

Offering Member means the member who offers to purchase the Membership Interest(s) of the Remaining Member(s). "Remaining Members" means the Members who received an offer (from Offering Member) to sell their shares.

"COP" means "cost of purchase" as it specified in the escrow closing statement at the time of purchase of each property owned by the Company.

"Seller" means the Member that accepts the offer to sell his or its Membership Interest.

"FMV" means "fair market value" obtained as specified in section 7.2.

Section 4.2 Purchase or Sell Procedure.

Any Member ("Offering Member") may give notice to the Remaining Member(s) that he or it is ready, willing and able to purchase the Remaining Members' Interests for a price the Offering Member thinks is the fair market value. The terms to be all cash and close escrow within 30 days of the acceptance.

If the offered price is not acceptable to the Remaining Member(s), within 30 days of receiving the offer, the Remaining Members (or any of them) can request to establish FMV based on the following procedure. The Remaining Member(s) must provide the Offering Member the complete information of 2 MIA appraisers. The Offering Member must pick one of the appraisers to appraise the property and furnish a copy to all Members. The Offering Member also must provide the Remaining Members with the complete information of 2 MIA approved appraisers. The Remaining Members must pick one of the appraisers to appraise the property and furnish a copy to all Members. The medium of these 2 appraisals constitute the fair market value of the property which is called (FMV).

The Offering Member has the option to offer to purchase the Remaining Member's share at FMV as determined by Section 4.2., based on the following formula.

$(FMV - COP) \times 0.5$ plus capital contribution of the Remaining Member(s) at the time of purchasing the property minus prorated liabilities.

The Remaining Member(s) shall have 30 days within which to respond in writing to the Offering Member by either

- (i) accepting the Offering Member's purchase offer, or,
- (ii) rejecting the purchase offer and making a counteroffer to purchase the interest of the Offering Member based upon the same fair market value (FMV) according to the following formula.

$(FMV - COP) \times 0.5 +$ capital contribution of the Offering Member(s) at the time of purchasing the property minus prorated liabilities.

The specific intent of this provision is that once the Offering Member presented his or its offer to the Remaining Members, then the Remaining Members shall either sell or buy at the same offered price (or FMV if appraisal is invoked) and according to the procedure set forth in Section 4.. In the case that the Remaining Member(s) decide to purchase, then Offering Member shall be obligated to sell his or its Member Interests to the remaining Member(s).

Section 4.3 Failure To Respond Constitutes Acceptance.

Failure by all or any of the Remaining Members to respond to the Offering Member's notice within the thirty (30 day) period shall be deemed to constitute an acceptance of the Offering Member.

Section 5. Return of Contributions to Capital.

Return to a Member of his/her contribution to capital shall be as determined and permitted by law and this Agreement.

Section 6. Addition of New Members.

A new Member may be admitted into the Company only upon consent of at least ninety percent in Interest of the Members. The amount of Capital Contribution which must be made by a new Member shall be determined by the vote of all existing Members.

A new Member shall not be deemed admitted into the Company until the Capital Contribution required of such person has been made and such person has become a party to this agreement.

Section 7. Option of Members to Purchase Interest of Deceased or Dissolved Member.

Upon the death or dissolution of any Member, the other Members shall have an option, exercisable upon thirty (30) days written notice addressed to the executor or successor of the deceased or dissolved Member and to the Company, to purchase at FMV (determined in accordance with Section 4.2) - the Interest of such deceased or dissolved Member in the Company in proportion to the ratio which the Interests of Members exercising such option bears to the total Interests of all Members.

Article VI.
DISTRIBUTION OF PROFITS

Section 03. Qualifications and Conditions.

The profits of the Limited Liability Company shall be distributed; to the Members, from time to time, as permitted under law and as determined by the Manager, provided however, that all distributions shall in accordance with Exhibit B, attached hereto and incorporated by reference herein.

Section 04. Record Date.

The Record Date for determining Members entitled to receive payment of any distribution of profits shall be the day in which the Manager adopts the resolution for payment of a distribution of profits. Only Members of record on the date so fixed are entitled to receive the distribution notwithstanding any transfer or assignment of Member's interests or the return of contribution to capital to the Member after the Record Date fixed as aforesaid, except as otherwise provided by law.

Section 05. Participation in Distribution of Profit.

Each Member's participation in the distribution shall be in accordance with Exhibit B, subject to the Tax Provisions set forth in Exhibit A-.

Section 06. Limitation on the Amount of Any Distribution of Profit.

In no event shall any distribution of profit result in the assets of the Limited Liability Company being less than all the liabilities of the Limited Liability Company, on the Record Date, excluding liabilities to Members on account of their contributions to capital or be in excess of that permitted by law.

~~Section 05~~Section 07 **Date of Payment of Distribution of Profit.**

Unless another time is specified by the applicable law, the payment of distributions of profit shall be within thirty (30) days of after the Record Date.

~~Article VII~~Article VI.

ISSUANCE OF MEMBERSHIP INTEREST CERTIFICATES

Section 01 Issuance of Certificate of Interest.

The interest of each Member in the Company shall be represented by a Certificate of Interest (also referred to as the Certificate of Membership Interest or the Certificate). Upon the execution of this Agreement and the payment of a Capital Contribution by the Member, the Management shall cause the Company to issue one or more Certificates in the name of the Member certifying that he/she/it is the record holder of the Membership Interest set forth therein.

Section 02 Transfer of Certificate of Interest.

A Membership Interest which is transferred in accordance with the terms of Section 2 of Article V of this Agreement shall be transferable on the books of the Company by the record holder thereof in person or by such record holder's duly authorized attorney, but, except as provided in Section 3 of this Article with respect to lost, stolen or destroyed certificates, no transfer of a Membership Interest shall be entered until the previously issued Certificate representing such Interest shall have been surrendered to the Company and cancelled and a replacement Certificate issued to the assignee of such Interest in accordance with such procedures as the Management may establish. The management shall issue to the transferring Member a new Certificate representing the Membership Interest not being transferred by the Member, in the event such Member only transferred some, but not all, of the Interest represented by the original Certificate. Except as otherwise required by law, the Company shall be entitled to treat the record holder of a Membership Interest Certificate on its books as the owner thereof for all purposes regardless of any notice or knowledge to the contrary,

Section 03 Lost, Stolen or Destroyed Certificates.

The Company shall issue a new Membership Interest Certificate in place of any Membership Interest Certificate previously issued if the record holder of the Certificate:

- (a) makes proof by affidavit, in form and substance satisfactory to the Management, that a previously issued Certificate has been lost, destroyed or stolen;
- (b) requests the issuance of a new Certificate before the Company has notice that the Certificate has been acquired by a purchaser for value in good faith and without notice of an adverse claim;
- (c) satisfies any other reasonable requirements imposed by the Management.

If a Member fails to notify the Company within a reasonable time after it has notice of the loss, destruction or theft of a Membership Interest Certificate, and a transfer of the Interest represented by the Certificate is registered before receiving such notification, the Company shall have no liability with respect to any claim against the Company for such transfer or for a new Certificate.

Article VIII, Article VII.
AMENDMENTS

Section 01 Amendment of Articles of Organization.

Notwithstanding any provision to the contrary in the Articles of Organization or this Agreement, but subject to Article IX hereof, in no event shall the Articles of Organization be amended without the vote of Members representing at least ninety percent (90%) of the Members Interests.

Section 02 Amendment, Etc. of Operating Agreement.

This Agreement may be adopted, altered, amended or repealed and a new Operating Agreement may be adopted by at least ninety percent in Interest of the Members, subject to Article IX.

Article IX, Article VIII.
COVENANTS WITH RESPECT TO , INDEBTEDNESS,
OPERATIONS, AND FUNDAMENTAL CHANGES

The provisions of this Article IX and its Sections and Subsections shall control and supercede any contrary or conflicting provisions contained in other Articles in this Agreement or in the Company's Articles of Organization or any other organizational document of the Company.

Section 01 Title to Company Property.

All property owned by the Company shall be owned by the Company as an entity and, insofar as permitted by applicable law, no Member shall have any ownership interest in any Company property in its individual name or right, and each member's interest in the Company shall be personal property for all purposes.

Section 02 Effect of Bankruptcy, Death or Incompetency of a Member.

The bankruptcy, death, dissolution, liquidation, termination or adjudication of incompetency of a Member shall not cause the termination or dissolution of the Company and the business of the Company shall continue. Upon any such occurrence, the trustee, receiver, executor, administrator, committee, guardian or conservator of such Member shall have all the rights of such Member for the purpose of settling or managing its estate or property, subject to satisfying conditions precedent to the admission of such assignee as a substitute member. The transfer by

such trustee, receiver, executor, administrator, committee, guardian or conservator of any Company interest shall be subject to all of the restrictions hereunder to which such transfer would have been subject if such transfer had been made by such bankrupt, deceased, dissolved, liquidated, terminated or incompetent member.

Article X.
MISCELLANEOUS

a. Fiscal Year.

The Members shall have the paramount power to fix, and from time to time, to change, the Fiscal Year of the Limited Liability Company. In the absence of action by the Members, the fiscal year of the Limited Liability Company shall be on a calendar year basis and end each year on December 31 until such time, if any, as the Fiscal Year shall be changed by the Members, and approved by Internal Revenue service and the State of Formation.

b. Financial Statements; Statements of Account.

Within ninety (90) business days after the end of each Fiscal Year, the Manager shall send to each Member who was a Member in the Limited Liability Company at any time during the Fiscal Year then ended an unaudited statement of assets, liabilities and Contributions To Capital as of the end of such Fiscal Year and related unaudited statements of income or loss and changes in assets, liabilities and Contributions to Capital. Within forty, five (45) days after each fiscal quarter of the Limited Liability Company, the Manager shall mail or otherwise deliver to each Member an unaudited report providing narrative and summary financial information with respect to the Limited Liability Company. Annually, the Manager shall cause appropriate federal and applicable state tax returns to be prepared and filed. The Manager shall mail or otherwise deliver to each Member who was a Member in the Limited Liability Company at any time during the Fiscal Year a copy of the tax return, including all schedules thereto. The Manager may extend such time period in its sole discretion if additional time is necessary to furnish complete and accurate information pursuant to this Section. Any Member or Manager shall the right to inspect all of the books and records of the Company, including tax filings, property management reports, bank statements, cancelled checks, invoices, purchase orders, check ledgers, savings accounts, investment accounts, and checkbooks, whether electronic or paper, provided such Member complies with Article II, Section 4.

c. Events Requiring Dissolution.

The following events shall require dissolution winding up the affairs of the Limited Liability Company:

- i. When the period fixed for the duration of the Limited Liability Company expires as specified in the Articles of Organization.

d. Choice of Law.

IN ALL RESPECTS THIS AGREEMENT SHALL BE GOVERNED AND CONSTRUED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF NEVADA INCLUDING ALL MATTERS OF CONSTRUCTION, VALIDITY, PERFORMANCE AND THE RIGHTS AND INTERESTS OF THE PARTIES UNDER THIS AGREEMENT WITHOUT REGARD TO THE PRINCIPLES GOVERNING CONFLICTS OF LAWS, UNLESS OTHERWISE PROVIDED BY WRITTEN AGREEMENT.

e. Severability.

If any of the provisions of this Agreement shall contravene or be held invalid or unenforceable, the affected provision or provisions of this Agreement shall be construed or restricted in its or their application only to the extent necessary to permit the rights, interest, duties and obligations of the parties hereto to be enforced according to the purpose and intent of this Agreement and in conformance with the applicable law or laws.

f. Successors and Assigns.

Except as otherwise provided, this Agreement shall be binding upon and inure to the benefit of the parties and their legal representative, heirs, administrators, executors and assigns.

g. Non-waiver.

No provision of this Agreement shall be deemed to have been waived unless such waiver is contained in a written notice given to the party claiming such waiver has occurred, provided that no such waiver shall be deemed to be a waiver of any other or further obligation or liability of the party or parties in whose favor the waiver was given.

h. Captions.

Captions contained in this Agreement are inserted only as a matter of convenience and in no way define, limit or extend the scope or intent of this Agreement or any provision hereof.

i. Counterparts.

This Agreement may be executed in several counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original but all of which shall constitute one and the same instrument. It shall not be necessary for all Members to execute the same counterpart hereof.

j. Definition of Words.

Wherever in this agreement the term he/she is used, it shall be construed to mean also it's as pertains to a corporation member.

k. Membership.

A corporation, partnership, limited liability company, limited liability partnership or individual may be a Member of this Limited Liability Company.

I. Tax Provisions.

The provisions of Exhibit A, attached hereto are incorporated by reference as if fully rewritten herein.

ARTICLE XI INDEMNIFICATION AND INSURANCE

Section 1. Indemnification: Proceeding Other than by Company. The Company may indemnify any person who was or is a party or is threatened to be made a party to any threatened, pending or completed action, suit or proceeding, whether civil, criminal, administrative or investigative, except an action by or in the right of the Company, by reason of the fact that he or she is or was a Manager, Member, officer, employee or agent of the Company, or is or was serving at the request of the Company as a manager, member, shareholder, director, officer, partner, trustee, employee or agent of any other Person, joint venture, trust or other enterprise, against expenses, including attorneys' fees, judgments, fines and amounts paid in settlement actually and reasonably incurred by him or her in connection with the action, suit or proceeding if he or she acted in good faith and in a manner which he or she reasonably believed to be in or not opposed to the best interests of the Company, and, with respect to any criminal action or proceeding, had no reasonable cause to believe his or her conduct was unlawful. The termination of any action, suit or proceeding by judgment, order, settlement, conviction, or upon a plea of nolo contendere or its equivalent, does not, of itself, create a presumption that the person did not act in good faith and in a manner which he or she reasonably believed to be in or not opposed to the best interests of the Company, and that, with respect to any criminal action or proceeding, he or she had reasonable cause to believe that his or her conduct was unlawful.

Section 2. Indemnification: Proceeding by Company. The Company may indemnify any person who was or is a party or is threatened to be made a party to any threatened, pending or completed action or suit by or in the right of the Company to procure a judgment in its favor by reason of the fact that he or she is or was a Manager, Member, officer, employee or agent of the Company, or is or was serving at the request of the Company as a manager, member, shareholder, director, officer, partner, trustee, employee or agent of any other Person, joint venture, trust or other enterprise against expenses, including amounts paid in settlement and attorneys' fees actually and reasonably incurred by him or her in connection with the defense or settlement of the action or suit if he or she acted in good faith and in a manner which he or she reasonably believed to be in or not opposed to the best interests of the Company. Indemnification may not be made for any claim, issue or matter as to which such a person has been adjudged by a court of competent jurisdiction, after exhaustion of all appeals therefrom, to be liable to the Company or for amounts paid in settlement to the Company, unless and only to the extent that the court in which the action or suit was brought or other court of competent jurisdiction determines upon application that in view of all the circumstances of the case, the person is fairly and reasonably entitled to indemnity for such expenses as the court deems proper.

Section 3. Mandatory Indemnification. To the extent that a Manager, Member, officer, employee or agent of the Company has been successful on the merits or otherwise in defense of any action, suit or proceeding described in Article XI, Sections 1 and 2, or in defense of any claim, issue or matter therein, he or she must be indemnified by the Company against expenses, including attorneys' fees, actually and reasonably incurred by him or her in connection with the defense.

Section 4. Authorization of Indemnification. Any indemnification under Article XI, Sections 1 and 2, unless ordered by a court or advanced pursuant to Section 5, may be made by the Company only as authorized in the specific case upon a determination that indemnification of the Manager, Member, officer, employee or agent is proper in the circumstances. The determination must be made by a majority of the Members if the person seeking indemnity is not a majority owner of the Member Interests or by independent legal counsel selected by the Manager in a written opinion.

Section 5. Mandatory Advancement of Expenses. The expenses of Managers, Members and officers incurred in defending a civil or criminal action, suit or proceeding must be paid by the Company as they are incurred and in advance of the final disposition of the action, suit or proceeding, upon receipt of an undertaking by or on behalf of the Manager, Member or officer to repay the amount if it is ultimately determined by a court of competent jurisdiction that he or she is not entitled to be indemnified by the Company. The provisions of this Section 5 do not affect any rights to advancement of expenses to which personnel of the Company other than Managers, Members or officers may be entitled under any contract or otherwise.

Section 6. Effect and Continuation. The indemnification and advancement of expenses authorized in or ordered by a court pursuant to Article XI, Sections 1 – 5, inclusive:

(A) Does not exclude any other rights to which a person seeking indemnification or advancement of expenses may be entitled under the Articles of Organization or any limited liability company agreement, vote of Members or disinterested Managers, if any, or otherwise, for either an action in his or her official capacity or an action in another capacity while holding his or her office, except that indemnification, unless ordered by a court pursuant to Article XI, Section 2 or for the advancement of expenses made pursuant to Section Article XI, may not be made to or on behalf of any Member, Manager or officer if a final adjudication establishes that his or her acts or omissions involved intentional misconduct, fraud or a knowing violation of the law and was material to the cause of action.

(B) Continues for a person who has ceased to be a Member, Manager, officer, employee or agent and inures to the benefit of his or her heirs, executors and administrators.

(C) Notice of Indemnification and Advancement. Any indemnification of, or advancement of expenses to, a Manager, Member, officer, employee or agent of the Company in accordance with this Article XI, if arising out of a proceeding by or on behalf of the Company, shall be reported in writing to the Members with or before the notice of the next Members' meeting.

(D) Repeal or Modification. Any repeal or modification of this Article XI by the Members of the Company shall not adversely affect any right of a Manager, Member, officer, employee or agent of the Company existing hereunder at the time of such repeal or modification.

ARTICLE XII

INVESTMENT REPRESENTATIONS; PRIVATE OFFERING EXEMPTION

Each Member, by his or its execution of this Agreement, hereby represents and warrants to, and agrees with, the Managers, the other Members and the Company as follows:

Section 1. Pre-existing Relationship or Experience. (i) Such Member has a preexisting personal or business relationship with the Company or one or more of its officers or control persons or (ii) by reason of his or its business or financial experience, or by reason of the business or financial experience of his or its financial advisor who is unaffiliated with and who is not compensated, directly or indirectly, by the Company or any affiliate or selling agent of the Company, such Member is capable of evaluating the risks and merits of an investment in the Company and of protecting his or its own interests in connection with this investment.

Section 2. No Advertising. Such Member has not seen, received, been presented with or been solicited by any leaflet, public promotional meeting, newspaper or magazine article or advertisement, radio or television advertisement, or any other form of advertising or general solicitation with respect to the offer or sale of Interests in the Company.

Section 3. Investment Intent. Such Member is acquiring the Interest for investment purposes for his or its own account only and not with a view to or for sale in connection with any distribution of all or any part of the Interest.

Section 4. Economic Risk. Such Member is financially able to bear the economic risk of his or its investment in the Company, including the total loss thereof.

Section 5. No Registration of Units. Such Member acknowledges that the Interests have not been registered under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the "Securities Act"), or qualified under any state securities law or under the laws of any other jurisdiction, in reliance, in part, on such Member's representations, warranties and agreements herein.

Section 6. No Obligation to Register. Such Member represents, warrants and agrees that the Company and the Managers are under no obligation to register or qualify the Interests under the Securities Act or under any state securities law or under the laws of any other jurisdiction, or to assist such Member in complying with any exemption from registration and qualification.

Section 7. No Disposition in Violation of Law. Without limiting the representations set forth above, and without limiting Article 12 of this Agreement, such Member will not make any disposition of all or any part of the Interests which will result in the violation by such Member or by the Company of the Securities Act or any other applicable securities laws. Without limiting the foregoing, each Member agrees not to make any disposition of all or any part of the Interests unless and until: (A) there is then in effect a registration statement under the Securities Act covering such proposed disposition and such disposition is made in accordance with such registration statement and any applicable requirements of state securities laws; or (B) such Member has notified the Company of the proposed disposition and has furnished the Company with a detailed statement of the circumstances surrounding the proposed disposition, and if reasonably requested by the

Managers, such Member has furnished the Company with a written opinion of legal counsel, reasonably satisfactory to the Company, that such disposition will not require registration of any securities under the Securities Act or the consent of or a permit from appropriate authorities under any applicable state securities law or under the laws of any other jurisdiction.

Section 8. Financial Estimate and Projections. That it understands that all projections and financial or other materials which it may have been furnished are not based on historical operating results, because no reliable results exist, and are based only upon estimates and assumptions which are subject to future conditions and events which are unpredictable and which may not be relied upon in making an investment decision.

ARTICLE XIII

Preparation of Agreement.

Section 1. This Agreement has been prepared by David G. LeGrand, Esq. (the "Law Firm"), as legal counsel to the Company, and:

- (A) The Members have been advised by the Law Firm that a conflict of interest would exist among the Members and the Company as the Law Firm is representing the Company and not any individual members, and
- (B) The Members have been advised by the Law Firm to seek the advice of independent counsel; and
- (C) The Members have been represented by independent counsel or have had the opportunity to seek such representation; and
- (D) The Law Firm has not given any advice or made any representations to the Members with respect to any consequences of this Agreement; and
- (E) The Members have been advised that the terms and provisions of this Agreement may have tax consequences and the Members have been advised by the Law Firm to seek independent counsel with respect thereto; and
- (F) The Members have been represented by independent counsel or have had the opportunity to seek such representation with respect to the tax and other consequences of this Agreement.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned, being the Members of the above-named Limited Liability Company, have hereunto executed this Agreement as of the Effective Date first set forth above.

Member:

Shawn Bidsal, Member

CLA Properties, LLC

by _____
Benjamin Gholshami, Manager

Manager/Management:

Shawn Bidsal, Manager

Benjamin Golshami, Manager

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TAX PROVISIONS**EXHIBIT A****1.1 Capital Accounts.**

4.1.1 A single Capital Account shall be maintained for each Member (regardless of the class of Interests owned by such Member and regardless of the time or manner in which such Interests were acquired) in accordance with the capital accounting rules of Section 704(b) of the Code, and the regulations thereunder (including without limitation Section 1.704-1(b)(2)(iv) of the Income Tax Regulations). In general, under such rules, a Member's Capital Account shall be:

4.1.1.1 increased by (i) the amount of money contributed by the Member to the Company (including the amount of any Company liabilities that are assumed by such Member other than in connection with distribution of Company property), (ii) the fair market value of property contributed by the Member to the Company (net of liabilities secured by such contributed property that under Section 752 of the Code the Company is considered to assume or take subject to), and (iii) allocations to the Member of Company income and gain (or item thereof), including income and gain exempt from tax; and

4.1.1.2 decreased by (i) the amount of money distributed to the Member by the Company (including the amount of such Member's individual liabilities that are assumed by the Company other than in connection with contribution of property to the Company), (ii) the fair market value of property distributed to the Member by the Company (net of liabilities secured by such distributed property that under Section 752 of the Code such Member is considered to assume or take subject to), (iii) allocations to the Member of expenditures of the Company not deductible in computing its taxable income and not properly chargeable to capital account, and (iv) allocations to the Member of Company loss and deduction (or item thereof).

4.1.2 Where Section 704(c) of the Code applies to Company property or where Company property is revalued pursuant to paragraph (b)(2)(iv)(t) of Section 1.704-1 of the Income Tax Regulations, each Member's Capital Account shall be adjusted in accordance with paragraph (b)(2)(iv)(g) of Section 1.704-1 of the Income Tax Regulations as to allocations to the Members of depreciation, depletion, amortization and gain or loss, as computed for book purposes with respect to such property.

4.1.3 When Company property is distributed in kind (whether in connection with liquidation and dissolution or otherwise), the Capital Accounts of the Members shall first be adjusted to reflect the manner in which the unrealized income, gain, loss and deduction inherent in such property (that has not been

reflected in the Capital Account previously) would be allocated among the Members if there were a taxable disposition of such property for the fair market value of such property (taking into account Section 7701 (g) of the Code) on the date of distribution.

- 4.1.4 The Members shall direct the Company's accountants to make all necessary adjustments in each Member's Capital Account as required by the capital accounting rules of Section 704(b) of the Code and the regulations thereunder.

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ALLOCATION OF PROFITS AND LOSSES; TAX AND ACCOUNTING MATTERS

5.1 **Allocations.** Each Member's distributive share of income, gain, loss, deduction or credit (or items thereof) of the Company as shown on the annual federal income tax return prepared by the Company's accountants or as finally determined by the United States Internal Revenue Service or the courts, and as modified by the capital accounting rules of Section 704(b) of the Code and the Income Tax Regulations thereunder, as implemented by Section 8.5 hereof, as applicable, shall be determined as follows:

5.1.1 **Allocations.** Except as otherwise provided in this Section 1.1:

5.1.1.1 items of income, gain, loss, deduction or credit (or items thereof) shall be allocated among the members in proportion to their Percentage Interests as set forth in ***Exhibit "B"***, subject to the Preferred Allocation schedule contained in ***Exhibit "B"***, except that items of loss or deduction allocated to any Member pursuant to this Section 2.1 with respect to any taxable year shall not exceed the maximum amount of such items that can be so allocated without causing such Member to have a deficit balance in his or its Capital Account at the end of such year, computed in accordance with the rules of paragraph (b)(2)(ii)(d) of Section 1.704-1 of the Income Tax Regulations. Any such items of loss or deduction in excess of the limitation set forth in the preceding sentence shall be allocated as follows and in the following order of priority:

5.1.1.1.1 first, to those Members who would not be subject to such limitation, in proportion to their Percentage Interests, subject to the Preferred Allocation schedule contained in ***Exhibit "B"***; and

5.1.1.1.2 second, any remaining amount to the Members in the manner required by the Code and Income Tax Regulations.

Subject to the provisions of subsections 2.1.2 – 2.1.11, inclusive, of this Agreement, the items specified in this Section 1.1 shall be allocated to the

Members as necessary to eliminate any deficit Capital Account balances and thereafter to bring the relationship among the Members' positive Capital Account balances in accord with their pro rata interests.

- 5.1.2 Allocations With Respect to Property Solely for tax purposes, in determining each Member's allocable share of the taxable income or loss of the Company, depreciation, depletion, amortization and gain or loss with respect to any contributed property, or with respect to revalued property where the Company's property is revalued pursuant to paragraph (b)(2)(iv)(f) of Section 1.704-1 of the Income Tax Regulations, shall be allocated to the Members in the manner (as to revaluations, in the same manner as) provided in Section 704(c) of the Code. The allocation shall take into account, to the full extent required or permitted by the Code, the difference between the adjusted basis of the property to the Member contributing it (or, with respect to property which has been revalued, the adjusted basis of the property to the Company) and the fair market value of the property determined by the Members at the time of its contribution or revaluation, as the case may be.
- 5.1.3 Minimum Gain Chargeback. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this Section 2.1, if there is a net decrease in Company Minimum Gain or Company Nonrecourse Debt Minimum Gain (as such terms are defined in Sections 1.704-2(b) and 1.704-2(i)(2) of the Income Tax Regulations, but substituting the term "Company" for the term "Partnership" as the context requires) during a Company taxable year, then each Member shall be allocated items of Company income and gain for such year (and, if necessary, for subsequent years) in the manner provided in Section 1.704-2 of the Income Tax Regulations. This provision is intended to be a "minimum gain chargeback" within the meaning of Sections 1.704-2(f) and 1.704-2(i)(4) of the Income Tax Regulations and shall be interpreted and implemented as therein provided.
- 5.1.4 Qualified Income Offset. Subject to the provisions of subsection 2.1.3, but otherwise notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this Section 2.1, if any Member's Capital Account has a deficit balance in excess of such Member's obligation to restore his or its Capital Account balance, computed in accordance with the rules of paragraph (b)(2)(ii)(d) of Section 1.704-1 of the Income Tax Regulations, then sufficient amounts of income and gain (consisting of a pro rata portion of each item of Company income, including gross income, and gain for such year) shall be allocated to such Member in an amount and manner sufficient to eliminate such deficit as quickly as possible. This provision is intended to be a "qualified income offset" within the meaning of Section 1.704-1(b)(2)(ii)(d) of the Income Tax Regulations and shall be interpreted and implemented as therein provided.
- 5.1.5 Depreciation Recapture. Subject to the provisions of Section 704(c) of the Code and subsections 2.1.2 – 2.1.4, inclusive, of this Agreement, gain recognized (or deemed recognized under the provisions hereof) upon the sale

or other disposition of Company property, which is subject to depreciation recapture, shall be allocated to the Member who was entitled to deduct such depreciation.

- 5.1.6 Loans If and to the extent any Member is deemed to recognize income as a result of any loans pursuant to the rules of Sections 1272, 1273, 1274, 7872 or 482 of the Code, or any similar provision now or hereafter in effect, any corresponding resulting deduction of the Company shall be allocated to the Member who is charged with the income. Subject to the provisions of Section 704(c) of the Code and subsections 2.1.2 – 2.1.4, inclusive, of this Agreement, if and to the extent the Company is deemed to recognize income as a result of any loans pursuant to the rules of Sections 1272, 1273, 1274, 7872 or 482 of the Code, or any similar provision now or hereafter in effect, such income shall be allocated to the Member who is entitled to any corresponding resulting deduction.
- 5.1.7 Tax Credits Tax credits shall generally be allocated according to Section 1.704-1(b)(4)(ii) of the Income Tax Regulations or as otherwise provided by law. Investment tax credits with respect to any property shall be allocated to the Members pro rata in accordance with the manner in which Company profits are allocated to the Members under subsection 2.1.1 hereof, as of the time such property is placed in service. Recapture of any investment tax credit required by Section 47 of the Code shall be allocated to the Members in the same proportion in which such investment tax credit was allocated.
- 5.1.8 Change of Pro Rata Interests. Except as provided in subsections 2.1.6 and 2.1.7 hereof or as otherwise required by law, if the proportionate interests of the Members of the Company are changed during any taxable year, all items to be allocated to the Members for such entire taxable year shall be prorated on the basis of the portion of such taxable year which precedes each such change and the portion of such taxable year on and after each such change according to the number of days in each such portion, and the items so allocated for each such portion shall be allocated to the Members in the manner in which such items are allocated as provided in section 2.1.1 during each such portion of the taxable year in question.
- 5.1.9 Effect of Special Allocations on Subsequent Allocations. Any special allocation of income or gain pursuant to subsections 2.1.3 or 2.1.4 hereof shall be taken into account in computing subsequent allocations of income and gain pursuant to this Section 9.1 so that the net amount of all such allocations to each Member shall, to the extent possible, be equal to the net amount that would have been allocated to each such Member pursuant to the provisions of this Section 2.1 if such special allocations of income or gain under subsection 2.1.3 or 2.1.4 hereof had not occurred.
- 5.1.10 Nonrecourse and Recourse Debt. Items of deduction and loss attributable to Member nonrecourse debt within the meaning of Section 1.7042(b)(4) of the

Income Tax Regulations shall be allocated to the Members bearing the economic risk of loss with respect to such debt in accordance with Section 1704-2(i)(l) of the Income Tax Regulations. Items of deduction and loss attributable to recourse liabilities of the Company, within the meaning of Section 1.752-2 of the Income Tax Regulations, shall be allocated among the Members in accordance with the ratio in which the Members share the economic risk of loss for such liabilities.

- 5.1.11 State and Local Items. Items of income, gain, loss, deduction, credit and tax preference for state and local income tax purposes shall be allocated to and among the Members in a manner consistent with the allocation of such items for federal income tax purposes in accordance with the foregoing provisions of this Section 2.1.

- 5.2 Accounting Matters. The Managers or, if there be no Managers then in office, the Members shall cause to be maintained complete books and records accurately reflecting the accounts, business and transactions of the Company on a calendar-year basis and using such cash, accrual, or hybrid method of accounting as in the judgment of the Manager, Management Committee or the Members, as the case may be, is most appropriate; provided, however, that books and records with respect to the Company's Capital Accounts and allocations of income, gain, loss, deduction or credit (or item thereof) shall be kept under U.S. federal income tax accounting principles as applied to partnerships.

5.3 Tax Status and Returns.

- 5.3.1 Any provision hereof to the contrary notwithstanding, solely for United States federal income tax purposes, each of the Members hereby recognizes that the Company may be subject to the provisions of Subchapter K of Chapter 1 of Subtitle A of the Code; provided, however, the filing of U.S. Partnership Returns of Income shall not be construed to extend the purposes of the Company or expand the obligations or liabilities of the Members.
- 5.3.2 The Manager(s) shall prepare or cause to be prepared all tax returns and statements, if any, that must be filed on behalf of the Company with any taxing authority, and shall make timely filing thereof. Within one-hundred twenty (120) days after the end of each calendar year, the Manager(s) shall prepare or cause to be prepared and delivered to each Member a report setting forth in reasonable detail the information with respect to the Company during such calendar year reasonably required to enable each Member to prepare his or its federal, state and local income tax returns in accordance with applicable law then prevailing.
- 5.3.3 Unless otherwise provided by the Code or the Income Tax Regulations thereunder, the current Manager(s), or if no Manager(s) shall have been elected, the Member holding the largest Percentage Interest, or if the Percentage Interests be equal, any Member shall be deemed to be the "Tax

Matters Member." The Tax Matters Member shall be the "Tax Matters Partner" for U.S. federal income tax purposes.

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EXHIBIT B

Member's Percentage Interest		Member's Capital Contributions
Shawn Bidsal	30%	\$ _____
CLA Properties, LLC	70%	\$ _____

PREFERRED ALLOCATION AND DISTRIBUTION SCHEDULE

Cash Distributions from capital transactions shall be distributed per the following method between the members of the LLC. Upon any refinancing event, and upon the sale of Company asset, cash is distributed according to a "Step-down Allocation." Step-down means that, step-by-step, cash is allocated and distributed in the following descending order of priority, until no more cash remains to be allocated. The Step-down Allocation is:

First Step, payment of all current expenses and/or liabilities of the Company;

Second Step, to pay in full any outstanding loans (unless distribution is the result of a refinance) held with financial institutions or any company loans made from Manager(s) or Member(s).

Third Step, to pay each Member an amount sufficient to bring their capital accounts to zero, pro rata based upon capital contributions.

Final Step, After the Third Step above, any remaining net profits or excess cash from sale or refinance shall be distributed to the Members fifty percent (50%) to Shawn Bidsal and fifty percent (50%) to CLA Properties, LLC.

Losses shall be allocated according to Capital Accounts.

Cash Distributions of Profits from operations shall be allocated and distributed fifty percent (50%) to Shawn Bidsal and fifty percent (50%) to CLA Properties, LLC

It is the express intent of the parties that "Cash Disributions of Profits" refers to distributions generated from operations resulting in ordinary income in contrast to Cash Distributions arising from capital transactions or non-recurring events such as a sale of all or a substantial portion of the Company's assets or a cash out financing.

EXHIBIT 106

(Bidsal e-mail with Agreement (344))

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EXHIBIT 106

James E. Shapiro

From: shawn bidsal <wcico@yahoo.com>
Sent: Tuesday, November 14, 2017 7:46 AM
To: James E. Shapiro; Daniel Goodkin
Subject: Fw: Mission Square
Attachments: Mission Square OPAG reduxv1.doc; GVC-OPAG-Final1.doc

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On Wednesday, October 2, 2013 10:06 AM, shawn bidsal <wcico@yahoo.com> wrote:

ben

this is the last revised operating agreement that david send to both of us, please call to disucss shawn

----- Forwarded Message -----

From: David LeGrand <dgllawyer@hotmail.com>
To: Benjamin Gholshani <bengol7@yahoo.com>; Shawn Bidsal <wcico@yahoo.com>
Sent: Wednesday, June 19, 2013 11:44 AM
Subject: Mission Square

Ben and Shawn: attached please find a new OPAG for Mission Square. Apparently there was a little confusion about which GVC OPAG I was to use as a base document. This revised version is based on the GVC OPAG that has Ben's language on buy sell.

I am attaching that document as well, just for clarity. Of course, there is no additional fees due to me for this work and I take responsibility for using the form sent by Shawn instead of checking my file.

I regret any inconvenience.

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OPERATING AGREEMENT

Of

Mission Square, LLC
a Nevada limited liability company

This Operating Agreement (the "Agreement") is by and among Mission Square, LLC, a Nevada Limited Liability Company (sometimes hereinafter referred to as the "Company" or the "Limited Liability Company") and the undersigned Member and Manager of the Company. This Agreement is made to be effective as of May 26, 2013 ~~June 15, 2013~~ ("Effective Date") by the undersigned parties.

~~WHEREAS, on about May 26, 2011, Shawn Bidsal formed the Company as a Nevada limited liability company by filing its Articles of Organization (the "Articles of Organization") pursuant to the Nevada Limited Liability Company Act, as Filing entity #E0308602011-0~~
WHEREAS, on about May 26, 2013, Benjamin Golshani formed the Company as a Nevada limited liability company by filing its Articles of Organization (the "Articles of Organization") pursuant to the Nevada Limited Liability Company Act, as Filing Entity E0241992013-4;; and

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the premises, the provisions and the respective agreements hereinafter set forth and for other good and valuable consideration, the parties hereto do hereby agree to the following terms and conditions of this Agreement for the administration and regulation of the affairs of this Limited Liability Company.

Article I.

DEFINITIONS

Section 01 Defined Terms

Advisory Committee or Committees shall be deemed to mean the Advisory Committee or Committees established by the Management pursuant to Section 13 of Article III of this Agreement.

Agreement shall be deemed to mean this Operating Agreement of this herein Limited Liability Company as may be amended.

Business of the Company shall mean acquisition of secured debt, conversion of such debt into fee simple title by foreclosure, purchase or otherwise, and operation and management of real estate.

Business Day shall be deemed to mean any day excluding a Saturday, a Sunday and any other day on which banks are required or authorized to close in the State of Formation.

Limited Liability Company shall be deemed to mean Mission Square, LLC a Nevada Limited Liability Company organized pursuant of the laws of the State of Formation.

Management and Manager(s) shall be deemed to have the meanings set forth in Article, IV of this Agreement.

Member shall mean a person who has a membership interest in the Limited Liability Company.

Membership Interest shall mean, with respect to a Member the percentage of ownership interest in the Company of such Member (may also be referred to as **Interest**). Each Member's percentage of Membership Interest in the Company shall be as set forth in Exhibit B.

Person means any natural person, sole proprietorship, corporation, general partnership, limited partnership, Limited Liability Company, limited liability limited partnership, joint venture, association, joint stock company, bank, trust, estate, unincorporated organization, any federal, state, county or municipal government (or any agency or political subdivision thereof), endowment fund or any other form of entity.

State of Formation shall mean the State of Nevada.

Article II.

OFFICES AND RECORDS

Section 01 Registered Office and Registered Agent.

The Limited Liability Company shall have and maintain a registered office in the State of Formation and a resident agent for service of process, who may be a natural person of said state whose business office is identical with the registered office, or a domestic corporation, or a corporation authorized to transact business within said State which has a business office identical with the registered office, or itself which has a business office identical with the registered office and is permitted by said state to act as a registered agent/office within said state.

The resident agent shall be appointed by the Member Manager.

The location of the registered office shall be determined by the Management.

The current name of the resident agent and location of the registered office shall be kept on file in the appropriate office within the State of Formation pursuant to applicable provisions of law.

Section 02 Limited Liability Company Offices.

The Limited Liability Company may have such offices, anywhere within and without the State of Formation, the Management from time to time may appoint, or the business of the Limited Liability Company may require. The "principal place of business" or "principal business" or "executive" office or offices of the Limited Liability Company may be fixed and so designated from time to time by the Management.

Section 03 Records.

The Limited Liability Company shall continuously maintain at its registered office, or at such other place as may be authorized pursuant to applicable provisions of law of the State of Formation the following records:

- (a) A current list of the full name and last known business address of each Member and Managers separately identifying the Members in alphabetical order;
- (b) A copy of the filed Articles of Organization and all amendments thereto, together with executed copies of any powers of attorney pursuant to which any document has been executed;
- (c) Copies of the Limited Liability Company's federal income tax returns and reports, if any, for the three (3) most recent years;
- (d) Copies of any then effective written operating agreement and of any financial statements of the Limited Liability Company for the three (3) most recent years;
- (e) Unless contained in the Articles of Organization, a writing setting out:
 - (i) The amount of cash and a description and statement of the agreed value of the other property or services contributed by each Member and which each Member has agreed to contribute;
 - (ii) The items as which or events on the happening of which any additional contributions agreed to be made by each Member are to be made;
 - (iii) Any right of a Member to receive, or of a Manager to make, distributions to a Member which include a return of all or any part of the Member's contribution; and
 - (iv) Any events upon the happening of which the Limited Liability Company is to be dissolved and its affairs wound up.
- (f) The Limited Liability Company shall also keep from time to time such other or additional records, statements, lists, and information as may be required by law.
- (g) If any of the above said records under Section 3 are not kept within the State of Formation, they shall be at all times in such condition as to permit them to be delivered to any authorized person within three (3) days.

Section 04 Inspection of Records.

Records kept pursuant to this Article are subject to inspection and copying at the request, and at the expense, of any Member, in person or by attorney or other agent. Each Member shall

have the right during the usual hours of business to inspect for any proper purpose. A proper purpose shall mean a purpose reasonably related to such person's interest as a Member. In every instance where an attorney or other agent shall be the person who seeks the right of inspection, the demand under oath shall be accompanied by a power of attorney or such other writing which authorizes the attorney or other agent to so act on behalf of the Member.

Article III.

MEMBERS' MEETINGS AND DEADLOCK

Section 01 Place of Meetings.

All meetings of the Members shall be held at the principal business office of the Limited Liability Company the State of Formation except such meetings as shall be held elsewhere by the express determination of the Management; in which case, such meetings may be held, upon notice thereof as hereinafter provided, at such other place or places, within or without the State of Formation, as said Management shall have determined, and shall be stated in such notice. Unless specifically prohibited by law, any meeting may be held at any place and time, and for any purpose; if consented to in writing by all of the Members entitled to vote thereat.

Section 02 Annual Meetings.

An Annual Meeting of Members shall be held on the first business day of July of each year, if not a legal holiday, and if a legal holiday, then the Annual Meeting of Members shall be held at the same time and place on the next day is a full Business Day.

Section 03 Special Meetings.

Special meetings of the Members may be held for any purpose or purposes. They may be called by the Managers or by Members holding not less than fifty-one percent of the voting power of the Limited Liability Company or such other maximum number as may be, required by the applicable law of the State of Formation. Written notice shall be given to all Members.

Section 04 Action in Lieu of Meeting.

Any action required to be taken at any Annual or Special Meeting of the Members or any other action which may be taken at any Annual or Special meeting of the Members may be taken without a meeting if consents in writing setting forth the action so taken shall be signed by the requisite votes of the Members entitled to vote with respect to the subject matter thereof.

Section 05 Notice.

Written notice of each meeting of the Members, whether Annual or Special, stating the place, day and hour of the meeting, and, in case of a Special meeting, the purpose or purposes thereof, shall be given or given to each Member entitled to vote thereat, not less than ten (10) nor more than sixty (60) days prior to the meeting unless, as to a particular matter, other or further notice is required by law, in which case such other or further notice shall be given.

Notice upon the Member may be delivered or given either personally or by express or first class mail, Or by telegram or other electronic transmission, with all charges prepaid, addressed to each Member at the address of such Member appearing on the books of the Limited Liability Company or more recently given by the Member to the Limited Liability Company for the purpose of notice.

If no address for a Member appears on the Limited Liability Company's books, notice shall be deemed to have been properly given to such Member if sent by any of the methods authorized here in to the Limited Liability Company 's principal executive office to the attention of such Member, or if published, at least once in a newspaper of general circulation in the county of the principal executive office and the county of the Registered office in the State of Formation of the Limited Liability Company.

If notice addressed to a Member at the address of such Member appearing on the books of the Limited Liability Company is returned to the Limited Liability Company by the United States Postal Service marked to indicate that the United States Postal Service is unable to deliver the notice to the Member at such address, all future notices or reports shall be deemed to have been duly given without further mailing if the same shall be available to the Member upon written demand of the Member at the principal executive office of the Limited Liability Company for a period of one (1) year from the date of the giving of such notice. It shall be the duty and of each member to provide the manager and/or the Limited Liability Company with an official mailing address.

Notice shall be deemed to have been given at the time when delivered personally or deposited in the mail or sent by telegram or other means of electronic transmission.

An affidavit of the mailing or other means of giving any notice of any Member meeting shall be executed by the Management and shall be filed and maintained in the Minute Book of the Limited Liability Company.

Section 06 Waiver of Notice.

Whenever any notice is required to be given under the provisions of this Agreement, or the Articles of Organization of the Limited Liability Company or any law, a waiver thereof in writing signed by the Member or Members entitled to such notice, whether before or after the time stated therein, shall be deemed the equivalent to the giving of such notice.

To the extent provided by law, attendance at any meeting shall constitute a waiver of notice of such meeting except when the Member attends the meeting for the express purpose of objecting to the transaction of any business because the meeting is not lawfully called or convened, and such Member so states such purpose at the opening of the meeting.

Section 07 Presiding Officials.

Every meeting of the Limited Liability Company for whatever reason, shall be convened by the Managers or Member who called the meeting by notice as above provided; provided, however, it shall be presided over by the Management; and provided, further, the Members at any meeting, by a majority vote of Members represented thereat, and notwithstanding anything to the contrary elsewhere in this Agreement, may select any persons of their choosing to act as the Chairman and Secretary of such meeting or any session thereof.

Section 08 Business Which May Be Transacted at Annual Meetings.

At each Annual Meeting of the Members, the Members may elect, with a vote representing ninety percent (90%) in Interest of the Members, a Manager or Managers to administer and regulate the affairs of the Limited Liability Company. The Manager(s) shall hold such office until the next Annual Meeting of Members or until the Manager resigns or is removed by the Members pursuant to the terms of this Agreement, whichever event first occurs. The Members may transact such other business as may have been specified in the notice of the meeting as one of the purposes thereof.

Section 09 Business Which May Be Transacted at Special Meetings.

Business transacted at all special meetings shall be confined to the purposes stated in the notice of such meetings.

Section 10 Quorum.

At all meetings of the Members, a majority of the Members present, in person or by proxy, shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business, unless a greater number as to any particular matter is required by law, the Articles of Organization or this Agreement, and the act of a majority of the Members present at any meeting at which there is a quorum, except as may be otherwise specifically provided by law, by the Articles of Organization, or by this Agreement, shall be the act of the Members.

Less than a quorum may adjourn a meeting successively until a quorum is present, and no notice of adjournment shall be required.

Section 11 Proxies.

At any meeting of the Members, every Member having the right to vote shall be entitled to vote in person, or by proxy executed in writing by such Member or by his duly, authorized attorney-in-fact. No proxy shall be valid after three years from the date of its execution, unless otherwise provided in the proxy.

Section 12 Voting.

Every Member shall have one (1) vote(s) for each \$1,000.00 of capital contributed to the Limited Liability Company which is registered in his/her name on the books of the Limited Liability Company, as the amount of such capital is adjusted from time to time to properly reflect any additional contributions to or withdrawals from capital by the Member.

12.1 The affirmative vote of a Majority of the Member Interests shall be required to:

- (A) adopt clerical or ministerial amendments to this Agreement and
- (B) approve indemnification of any Manager, Member or officer of the Company as authorized by Article XI of this Agreement;

12.2. The affirmative vote of at least ninety percent of the Member Interests shall be required to:

- (A) alter the Preferred Allocations provided for in *Exhibit "B"*;
- (B) agree to continue the business of the Company after a Dissolution Event;
- (C) approve any loan to any Manager or any guarantee of a Manager's obligations; and
- (D) authorize or approve a fundamental change in the business of the Company.
- (E) approve a sale of substantially all of the assets of the Company.
- (F) approve a change in the number of Managers or replace a Manager or engage a new Manager.

Section 13 Meeting by Telephonic Conference or Similar Communications Equipment.

Unless otherwise restricted by the Articles of Organization, this Agreement of by law, the Members of the Limited Liability Company, or any Committee thereof established by the Management, may participate in a meeting of such Members or committee by means of telephonic conference or similar communications equipment whereby all persons participating in the meeting can hear and speak to each other, and participation in a meeting in such manner shall constitute presence in person at such meeting.

Section 14. Deadlock.

In the event that Members reach a deadlock that cannot be resolved with a respect to an issue that requires a ninety percent vote for approval, then either Member may compel arbitration of the disputed matter as set forth in Subsection 14.1

14.1 Dispute Resolution. In the event of any dispute or disagreement between the Members as to the interpretation of any provision of this Agreement (or the performance of obligations hereunder), the matter, upon written request of either Party, shall be referred to representatives of the Parties for decision. The representatives shall promptly meet in a good faith effort to resolve the dispute. If the representatives do not agree upon a decision within thirty (30)

calendar days after reference of the matter to them, any controversy, dispute or claim arising out of or relating in any way to this Agreement or the transactions arising hereunder shall be settled exclusively by arbitration in the City of Las Vegas, Nevada. Such arbitration shall be administered by JAMS in accordance with its then prevailing expedited rules, by one independent and impartial arbitrator selected in accordance with such rules. The arbitration shall be governed by the United States Arbitration Act, 9 U.S.C. § 1 et seq. The fees and expenses of JAMS and the arbitrator shall be shared equally by the Members and advanced by them from time to time as required; provided that at the conclusion of the arbitration, the arbitrator shall award costs and expenses (including the costs of the arbitration previously advanced and the fees and expenses of attorneys, accountants and other experts) to the prevailing party. No pre-arbitration discovery shall be permitted, except that the arbitrator shall have the power in his sole discretion, on application by any party, to order pre-arbitration examination solely of those witnesses and documents that any other party intends to introduce in its case-in-chief at the arbitration hearing. The Members Seller shall instruct the arbitrator to render his award within thirty (30) days following the conclusion of the arbitration hearing. The arbitrator shall not be empowered to award to any party any damages of the type not permitted to be recovered under this Agreement in connection with any dispute between or among the parties arising out of or relating in any way to this Agreement or the transactions arising hereunder, and each party hereby irrevocably waives any right to recover such damages. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary provided in this Section 14.1 and without prejudice to the above procedures, either Party may apply to any court of competent jurisdiction for temporary injunctive or other provisional judicial relief if such action is necessary to avoid irreparable damage or to preserve the status quo until such time as the arbitrator is selected and available to hear such party's request for temporary relief. The award rendered by the arbitrator shall be final and not subject to judicial review and judgment thereon may be entered in any court of competent jurisdiction. The decision of the arbitrator shall be in writing and shall set forth findings of fact and conclusions of law to the extent applicable.

Article IV. **MANAGEMENT**

Section 01 Management.

Unless prohibited by law and subject to the terms and conditions of this Agreement (including without limitation the terms of Article IX hereof), the administration and regulation of the affairs, business and assets of the Limited Liability Company shall be managed by Two (2) managers (alternatively, the "Managers" or "Management"). Managers must be Members and shall serve until resignation or removal. The initial Managers shall be Mr. Shawn Bidsal and Mr. Benjamin Gholshami.

Section 02 Rights, Powers and Obligations of Management.

Subject to the terms and conditions of Article IX herein, Management shall have all the rights and powers as are conferred by law or are necessary, desirable or convenient to the discharge of the Management's duties under this Agreement.

Without limiting the generality of the rights and powers of the Management (but subject to Article IX hereof), the Management shall have the following rights and powers which the Management may exercise in its reasonable discretion at the cost, expense and risk of the Limited Liability Company:

- (a) To deal in leasing, development and contracting of services for improvement of the properties owned subject to both Managers executing written authorization of each expense or payment exceeding \$ 20,000;
- (b) To prosecute, defend and settle lawsuits and claims and to handle matters with governmental agencies;
- (c) To open, maintain and close bank accounts and banking services for the Limited Liability Company.
- (d) To incur and pay all legal, accounting, independent financial consulting, litigation and other fees and expenses as the Management may deem necessary or appropriate for carrying on and performing the powers and authorities herein conferred.
- (e) To execute and deliver any contracts, agreements, instruments or documents necessary, advisable or appropriate to evidence any of the transactions specified above or contemplated hereby and on behalf of the Limited Liability Company to exercise Limited Liability Company rights and perform Limited Liability Company obligations under any such agreements, contracts, instruments or documents;
- (f) To exercise for and on behalf of the Limited Liability Company all the General Powers granted by law to the Limited Liability Company;
- (g) To take such other action as the Management deems necessary and appropriate to carry out the purposes of the Limited Liability Company or this Agreement; and
- (h) Manager shall not pledge, mortgage, sell or transfer any assets of the Limited Liability Company without the affirmative vote of at least ninety percent in Interest of the Members.

Section 03 Removal.

Subject to Article IX hereof: The Managers may be removed or discharged by the Members whenever in their judgment the best interests of the Limited Liability Company would be served thereby upon the affirmative vote of ninety percent in Interest of the Members.

Article V. MEMBERSHIP INTEREST

Section 01 Contribution to Capital.

The Member contributions to the capital of the Limited Liability Company may be paid for, wholly or partly, by cash, by personal property, or by real property, or services rendered. By unanimous consent of the Members, other forms of contributions to capital of a Limited Liability company authorized by law may be authorized or approved. Upon receipt of the total amount of the contribution to capital, the contribution shall be declared and taken to be full paid and not liable to further call, nor shall the holder thereof be liable for any further payments on account of that contribution. Members may be subject to additional contributions to capital as determined by the unanimous approval of Members.

Section 02 Transfer or Assignment of Membership Interest.

A Member's interest in the Limited Liability Company is personal property. Except as otherwise provided in this Agreement, a Member's interest may be transferred or assigned. If the other (non-transferring) Members of the Limited Liability Company other than the Member proposing to dispose of his/her interest do not approve of the proposed transfer or assignment by unanimous written consent, the transferee of the Member's interest has no right to participate in the management of the business and affairs of the Limited Liability Company or to become a member. The transferee is only entitled to receive the share of profits or other compensation by way of income, and the return of contributions, to which that Member would otherwise be entitled.

A Substituted Member is a person admitted to all the rights of a Member who has died or has assigned his/her interest in the Limited Liability Company with the approval of all the Members of the Limited Liability Company by the affirmative vote of at least ninety percent in Interest of the members. The Substituted Member shall have all the rights and powers and is subject to all the restrictions and liabilities of his/her assignor, except that the substitution of the assignee does not release the assignor from liability to the Company under this Agreement.

Section 3. Right of First Refusal for Sales of Interests by Members. Payment of Purchase Price.

The payment of the purchase price shall be in cash or, if non-cash consideration is used, it shall be subject to this Article V, Section 3 and Section 4.

Section 4. Purchase or Sell Right among Members.

In the event that a Member is willing to purchase the Remaining Member's Interest in the Company then the procedures and terms of Section 7.1 shall apply.

Section 4.1 Definitions

Offering Member means the member who offers to purchase the Membership Interest(s) of the Remaining Member(s). "Remaining Members" means the Members who received an offer (from Offering Member) to sell their shares.

"COP" means "cost of purchase" as it specified in the escrow closing statement at the time of purchase of each property owned by the Company.

"Seller" means the Member that accepts the offer to sell his or its Membership Interest.

"FMV" means "fair market value" obtained as specified in section 7.2.

Section 4.2 Purchase or Sell Procedure.

Any Member ("Offering Member") may give notice to the Remaining Member(s) that he or it is ready, willing and able to purchase the Remaining Members' Interests for a price the Offering Member thinks is the fair market value. The terms to be all cash and close escrow within 30 days of the acceptance.

If the offered price is not acceptable to the Remaining Member(s), within 30 days of receiving the offer, the Remaining Members (or any of them) can request to establish FMV based on the following procedure. The Remaining Member(s) must provide the Offering Member the complete information of 2 MIA appraisers. The Offering Member must pick one of the appraisers to appraise the property and furnish a copy to all Members. The Offering Member also must provide the Remaining Members with the complete information of 2 MIA approved appraisers. The Remaining Members must pick one of the appraisers to appraise the property and furnish a copy to all Members. The medium of these 2 appraisals constitute the fair market value of the property which is called (FMV).

The Offering Member has the option to offer to purchase the Remaining Member's share at FMV as determined by Section 4.2., based on the following formula.

$(FMV - COP) \times 0.5$ plus capital contribution of the Remaining Member(s) at the time of purchasing the property minus prorated liabilities.

The Remaining Member(s) shall have 30 days within which to respond in writing to the Offering Member by either

- (i) accepting the Offering Member's purchase offer, or,
- (ii) rejecting the purchase offer and making a counteroffer to purchase the interest of the Offering Member based upon the same fair market value (FMV) according to the following formula.

$(FMV - COP) \times 0.5 +$ capital contribution of the Offering Member(s) at the time of purchasing the property minus prorated liabilities.

The specific intent of this provision is that once the Offering Member presented his or its offer to the Remaining Members, then the Remaining Members shall either sell or buy at the same offered price (or FMV if appraisal is invoked) and according to the procedure set forth in Section 4.. In the case that the Remaining Member(s) decide to purchase, then Offering Member shall be obligated to sell his or its Member Interests to the remaining Member(s).

Section 4.3 Failure To Respond Constitutes Acceptance.

Failure by all or any of the Remaining Members to respond to the Offering Member's notice within the thirty (30 day) period shall be deemed to constitute an acceptance of the Offering Member.

Section 5. Return of Contributions to Capital.

Return to a Member of his/her contribution to capital shall be as determined and permitted by law and this Agreement.

Section 6. Addition of New Members.

A new Member may be admitted into the Company only upon consent of at least ninety percent in Interest of the Members. The amount of Capital Contribution which must be made by a new Member shall be determined by the vote of all existing Members.

A new Member shall not be deemed admitted into the Company until the Capital Contribution required of such person has been made and such person has become a party to this agreement.

Section 7. Option of Members to Purchase Interest of Deceased or Dissolved Member.

Upon the death or dissolution of any Member, the other Members shall have an option, exercisable upon thirty (30) days written notice addressed to the executor or successor of the deceased or dissolved Member and to the Company, to purchase at FMV (determined in accordance with Section 4.2) the Interest of such deceased or dissolved Member in the Company in proportion to the ratio which the Interests of Members exercising such option bears to the total Interests of all Members.

DISTRIBUTION OF PROFITS

Section 03 Qualifications and Conditions.

The profits of the Limited Liability Company shall be distributed; to the Members, from time to time, as permitted under law and as determined by the Manager, provided however, that all distributions shall in accordance with Exhibit B, attached hereto and incorporated by reference herein.

Section 04 Record Date.

The Record Date for determining Members entitled to receive payment of any distribution of profits shall be the day in which the Manager adopts the resolution for payment of a distribution of profits. Only Members of record on the date so fixed are entitled to receive the distribution notwithstanding any transfer or assignment of Member's interests or the return of contribution to capital to the Member after the Record Date fixed as aforesaid, except as otherwise provided by law.

Section 05 Participation in Distribution of Profit.

Each Member's participation in the distribution shall be in accordance with Exhibit B, subject to the Tax Provisions set forth in Exhibit A.

Section 06 Limitation on the Amount of Any Distribution of Profit.

In no event shall any distribution of profit result in the assets of the Limited Liability Company being less than all the liabilities of the Limited Liability Company, on the Record Date,

excluding liabilities to Members on account of their contributions to capital or be in excess of that permitted by law.

Section 07 Date of Payment of Distribution of Profit.

Unless another time is specified by the applicable law, the payment of distributions of profit shall be within thirty (30) days of after the Record Date.

Article VI.

ISSUANCE OF MEMBERSHIP INTEREST CERTIFICATES

Section 01 Issuance of Certificate of Interest.

The interest of each Member in the Company shall be represented by a Certificate of Interest (also referred to as the Certificate of Membership Interest or the Certificate). Upon the execution of this Agreement and the payment of a Capital Contribution by the Member, the Management shall cause the Company to issue one or more Certificates in the name of the Member certifying that he/she/it is the record holder of the Membership Interest set forth therein.

Section 02 Transfer of Certificate of Interest.

A Membership Interest which is transferred in accordance with the terms of Section 2 of Article V of this Agreement shall be transferable on the books of the Company by the record holder thereof in person or by such record holder's duly authorized attorney, but, except as provided in Section 3 of this Article with respect to lost, stolen or destroyed certificates, no transfer of a Membership Interest shall be entered until the previously issued Certificate representing such Interest shall have been surrendered to the Company and cancelled and a replacement Certificate issued to the assignee of such Interest in accordance with such procedures as the Management may establish. The management shall issue to the transferring Member a new Certificate representing the Membership Interest not being transferred by the Member, in the event such Member only transferred some, but not all, of the Interest represented by the original Certificate. Except as otherwise required by law, the Company shall be entitled to treat the record holder of a Membership Interest Certificate on its books as the owner thereof for all purposes regardless of any notice or knowledge to the contrary,

Section 03 Lost, Stolen or Destroyed Certificates.

The Company shall issue a new Membership Interest Certificate in place of any Membership Interest Certificate previously issued if the record holder of the Certificate:

- (a) makes proof by affidavit, in form and substance satisfactory to the Management, that a previously issued Certificate has been lost, destroyed or stolen;
- (b) requests the issuance of a new Certificate before the Company has notice that the Certificate has been acquired by a purchaser for value in good faith and without notice of an adverse claim;

(c) satisfies any other reasonable requirements imposed by the Management.

If a Member fails to notify the Company within a reasonable time after it has notice of the loss, destruction or theft of a Membership Interest Certificate, and a transfer of the Interest represented by the Certificate is registered before receiving such notification, the Company shall have no liability with respect to any claim against the Company for such transfer or for a new Certificate.

Article VII.
AMENDMENTS

Section 01 Amendment of Articles of Organization.

Notwithstanding any provision to the contrary in the Articles of Organization or this Agreement, but subject to Article IX hereof, in no event shall the Articles of Organization be amended without the vote of Members representing at least ninety percent (90%) of the Members Interests.

Section 02 Amendment, Etc. of Operating Agreement.

This Agreement may be adopted, altered, amended or repealed and a new Operating Agreement may be adopted by at least ninety percent in Interest of the Members, subject to Article IX.

Article VIII.
COVENANTS WITH RESPECT TO , INDEBTEDNESS,
OPERATIONS, AND FUNDAMENTAL CHANGES

The provisions of this Article IX and its Sections and Subsections shall control and supercede any contrary or conflicting provisions contained in other Articles in this Agreement or in the Company's Articles of Organization or any other organizational document of the Company.

Section 01 Title to Company Property.

All property owned by the Company shall be owned by the Company as an entity and, insofar as permitted by applicable law, no Member shall have any ownership interest in any Company property in its individual name or right, and each member's interest in the Company shall be personal property for all purposes.

Section 02 Effect of Bankruptcy, Death or Incompetency of a Member.

The bankruptcy, death, dissolution, liquidation, termination or adjudication of incompetency of a Member shall not cause the termination or dissolution of the Company and the business of the Company shall continue. Upon any such occurrence, the trustee, receiver, executor,

administrator, committee, guardian or conservator of such Member shall have all the rights of such Member for the purpose of settling or managing its estate or property, subject to satisfying conditions precedent to the admission of such assignee as a substitute member. The transfer by such trustee, receiver, executor, administrator, committee, guardian or conservator of any Company interest shall be subject to all of the restrictions hereunder to which such transfer would have been subject if such transfer had been made by such bankrupt, deceased, dissolved, liquidated, terminated or incompetent member.

Article X.
MISCELLANEOUS

a. Fiscal Year.

The Members shall have the paramount power to fix, and from time to time, to change, the Fiscal Year of the Limited Liability Company. In the absence of action by the Members, the fiscal year of the Limited Liability Company shall be on a calendar year basis and end each year on December 31 until such time, if any, as the Fiscal Year shall be changed by the Members, and approved by Internal Revenue service and the State of Formation.

b. Financial Statements; Statements of Account.

Within ninety (90) business days after the end of each Fiscal Year, the Manager shall send to each Member who was a Member in the Limited Liability Company at any time during the Fiscal Year then ended an unaudited statement of assets, liabilities and Contributions To Capital as of the end of such Fiscal Year and related unaudited statements of income or loss and changes in assets, liabilities and Contributions to Capital. Within forty, five (45) days after each fiscal quarter of the Limited Liability Company, the Manager shall mail or otherwise deliver to each Member an unaudited report providing narrative and summary financial information with respect to the Limited Liability Company. Annually, the Manager shall cause appropriate federal and applicable state tax returns to be prepared and filed. The Manager shall mail or otherwise deliver to each Member who was a Member in the Limited Liability Company at any time during the Fiscal Year a copy of the tax return, including all schedules thereto. The Manager may extend such time period in its sole discretion if additional time is necessary to furnish complete and accurate information pursuant to this Section. Any Member or Manager shall the right to inspect all of the books and records of the Company, including tax filings, property management reports, bank statements, cancelled checks, invoices, purchase orders, check ledgers, savings accounts, investment accounts, and checkbooks, whether electronic or paper, provided such Member complies with Article II, Section 4.

c. Events Requiring Dissolution.

The following events shall require dissolution winding up the affairs of the Limited Liability Company:

- i. When the period fixed for the duration of the Limited Liability Company expires as specified in the Articles of Organization.

d. Choice of Law.

IN ALL RESPECTS THIS AGREEMENT SHALL BE GOVERNED AND CONSTRUED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF NEVADA INCLUDING ALL MATTERS OF CONSTRUCTION, VALIDITY, PERFORMANCE AND THE RIGHTS AND INTERESTS OF THE PARTIES UNDER THIS AGREEMENT WITHOUT REGARD TO THE PRINCIPLES GOVERNING CONFLICTS OF LAWS, UNLESS OTHERWISE PROVIDED BY WRITTEN AGREEMENT.

e. Severability.

If any of the provisions of this Agreement shall contravene or be held invalid or unenforceable, the affected provision or provisions of this Agreement shall be construed or restricted in its or their application only to the extent necessary to permit the rights, interest, duties and obligations of the parties hereto to be enforced according to the purpose and intent of this Agreement and in conformance with the applicable law or laws.

f. Successors and Assigns.

Except as otherwise provided, this Agreement shall be binding upon and inure to the benefit of the parties and their legal representative, heirs, administrators, executors and assigns.

g. Non-waiver.

No provision of this Agreement shall be deemed to have been waived unless such waiver is contained in a written notice given to the party claiming such waiver has occurred, provided that no such waiver shall be deemed to be a waiver of any other or further obligation or liability of the party or parties in whose favor the waiver was given.

h. Captions.

Captions contained in this Agreement are inserted only as a matter of convenience and in no way define, limit or extend the scope or intent of this Agreement or any provision hereof.

i. Counterparts.

This Agreement may be executed in several counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original but all of which shall constitute one and the same instrument. It shall not be necessary for all Members to execute the same counterpart hereof.

j. Definition of Words.

Wherever in this agreement the term he/she is used, it shall be construed to mean also it's as pertains to a corporation member.

k. Membership.

A corporation, partnership, limited liability company, limited liability partnership or individual may be a Member of this Limited Liability Company.

l. Tax Provisions.

The provisions of Exhibit A, attached hereto are incorporated by reference as if fully rewritten herein.

ARTICLE XI
INDEMNIFICATION AND INSURANCE

Section 1. Indemnification: Proceeding Other than by Company. The Company may indemnify any person who was or is a party or is threatened to be made a party to any threatened, pending or completed action, suit or proceeding, whether civil, criminal, administrative or investigative, except an action by or in the right of the Company, by reason of the fact that he or she is or was a Manager, Member, officer, employee or agent of the Company, or is or was serving at the request of the Company as a manager, member, shareholder, director, officer, partner, trustee, employee or agent of any other Person, joint venture, trust or other enterprise, against expenses, including attorneys' fees, judgments, fines and amounts paid in settlement actually and reasonably incurred by him or her in connection with the action, suit or proceeding if he or she acted in good faith and in a manner which he or she reasonably believed to be in or not opposed to the best interests of the Company, and, with respect to any criminal action or proceeding, had no reasonable cause to believe his or her conduct was unlawful. The termination of any action, suit or proceeding by judgment, order, settlement, conviction, or upon a plea of nolo contendere or its equivalent, does not, of itself, create a presumption that the person did not act in good faith and in a manner which he or she reasonably believed to be in or not opposed to the best interests of the Company, and that, with respect to any criminal action or proceeding, he or she had reasonable cause to believe that his or her conduct was unlawful.

Section 2. Indemnification: Proceeding by Company. The Company may indemnify any person who was or is a party or is threatened to be made a party to any threatened, pending or completed action or suit by or in the right of the Company to procure a judgment in its favor by reason of the fact that he or she is or was a Manager, Member, officer, employee or agent of the Company, or is or was serving at the request of the Company as a manager, member, shareholder, director, officer, partner, trustee, employee or agent of any other Person, joint venture, trust or other enterprise against expenses, including amounts paid in settlement and attorneys' fees actually and reasonably incurred by him or her in connection with the defense or settlement of the action or suit if he or she acted in good faith and in a manner which he or she reasonably believed to be in or not opposed to the best interests of the Company. Indemnification may not be made for any claim, issue or matter as to which such a person has been adjudged by a court of competent jurisdiction, after exhaustion of all appeals therefrom, to be liable to the Company or for amounts paid in settlement to the Company, unless and only to the extent that the court in which the action or suit was brought or other court of competent jurisdiction determines upon application that in view of all the circumstances of the case, the person is fairly and reasonably entitled to indemnity for such expenses as the court deems proper.

Section 3. Mandatory Indemnification. To the extent that a Manager, Member, officer, employee or agent of the Company has been successful on the merits or otherwise in defense of any action, suit or proceeding described in Article XI, Sections 1 and 2, or in defense of any claim, issue or matter therein, he or she must be indemnified by the Company against expenses, including attorneys' fees, actually and reasonably incurred by him or her in connection with the defense.

Section 4. Authorization of Indemnification. Any indemnification under Article XI, Sections 1 and 2, unless ordered by a court or advanced pursuant to Section 5, may be made by the Company only as authorized in the specific case upon a determination that indemnification of the Manager, Member, officer, employee or agent is proper in the circumstances. The determination must be made by a majority of the Members if the person seeking indemnity is not a majority owner of the Member Interests or by independent legal counsel selected by the Manager in a written opinion.

Section 5. Mandatory Advancement of Expenses. The expenses of Managers, Members and officers incurred in defending a civil or criminal action, suit or proceeding must be paid by the Company as they are incurred and in advance of the final disposition of the action, suit or proceeding, upon receipt of an undertaking by or on behalf of the Manager, Member or officer to repay the amount if it is ultimately determined by a court of competent jurisdiction that he or she is not entitled to be indemnified by the Company. The provisions of this Section 5 do not affect any rights to advancement of expenses to which personnel of the Company other than Managers, Members or officers may be entitled under any contract or otherwise.

Section 6. Effect and Continuation. The indemnification and advancement of expenses authorized in or ordered by a court pursuant to Article XI, Sections 1 – 5, inclusive:

(A) Does not exclude any other rights to which a person seeking indemnification or advancement of expenses may be entitled under the Articles of Organization or any limited liability company agreement, vote of Members or disinterested Managers, if any, or otherwise, for either an action in his or her official capacity or an action in another capacity while holding his or her office, except that indemnification, unless ordered by a court pursuant to Article XI, Section 2 or for the advancement of expenses made pursuant to Section Article XI, may not be made to or on behalf of any Member, Manager or officer if a final adjudication establishes that his or her acts or omissions involved intentional misconduct, fraud or a knowing violation of the law and was material to the cause of action.

(B) Continues for a person who has ceased to be a Member, Manager, officer, employee or agent and inures to the benefit of his or her heirs, executors and administrators.

(C) Notice of Indemnification and Advancement. Any indemnification of, or advancement of expenses to, a Manager, Member, officer, employee or agent of the Company in accordance with this Article XI, if arising out of a proceeding by or on behalf of the Company, shall be reported in writing to the Members with or before the notice of the next Members' meeting.

(D) Repeal or Modification. Any repeal or modification of this Article XI by the Members of the Company shall not adversely affect any right of a Manager, Member, officer, employee or agent of the Company existing hereunder at the time of such repeal or modification.

ARTICLE XII

INVESTMENT REPRESENTATIONS; PRIVATE OFFERING EXEMPTION

Each Member, by his or its execution of this Agreement, hereby represents and warrants to, and agrees with, the Managers, the other Members and the Company as follows:

Section 1. Pre-existing Relationship or Experience. (i) Such Member has a preexisting personal or business relationship with the Company or one or more of its officers or control persons or (ii) by reason of his or its business or financial experience, or by reason of the business or financial experience of his or its financial advisor who is unaffiliated with and who is not compensated, directly or indirectly, by the Company or any affiliate or selling agent of the Company, such Member is capable of evaluating the risks and merits of an investment in the Company and of protecting his or its own interests in connection with this investment.

Section 2. No Advertising. Such Member has not seen, received, been presented with or been solicited by any leaflet, public promotional meeting, newspaper or magazine article or advertisement, radio or television advertisement, or any other form of advertising or general solicitation with respect to the offer or sale of Interests in the Company.

Section 3. Investment Intent. Such Member is acquiring the Interest for investment purposes for his or its own account only and not with a view to or for sale in connection with any distribution of all or any part of the Interest.

Section 4. Economic Risk. Such Member is financially able to bear the economic risk of his or its investment in the Company, including the total loss thereof.

Section 5. No Registration of Units Such Member acknowledges that the Interests have not been registered under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the "Securities Act"), or qualified under any state securities law or under the laws of any other jurisdiction, in reliance, in part, on such Member's representations, warranties and agreements herein.

Section 6. No Obligation to Register. Such Member represents, warrants and agrees that the Company and the Managers are under no obligation to register or qualify the Interests under the Securities Act or under any state securities law or under the laws of any other jurisdiction, or to assist such Member in complying with any exemption from registration and qualification.

Section 7. No Disposition in Violation of Law. Without limiting the representations set forth above, and without limiting Article 12 of this Agreement, such Member will not make any disposition of all or any part of the Interests which will result in the violation by such Member or by the Company of the Securities Act or any other applicable securities laws. Without limiting the foregoing, each Member agrees not to make any disposition of all or any part of the Interests unless and until: (A) there is then in effect a registration statement under the Securities Act covering such proposed disposition and such disposition is made in accordance with such registration statement and any applicable requirements of state securities laws; or (B) such Member has notified the Company of the proposed disposition and has furnished the Company with a detailed statement of the circumstances surrounding the proposed disposition, and if reasonably requested by the

Managers, such Member has furnished the Company with a written opinion of legal counsel, reasonably satisfactory to the Company, that such disposition will not require registration of any securities under the Securities Act or the consent of or a permit from appropriate authorities under any applicable state securities law or under the laws of any other jurisdiction.

Section 8. Financial Estimate and Projections. That it understands that all projections and financial or other materials which it may have been furnished are not based on historical operating results, because no reliable results exist, and are based only upon estimates and assumptions which are subject to future conditions and events which are unpredictable and which may not be relied upon in making an investment decision.

ARTICLE XIII

Preparation of Agreement.

Section 1. This Agreement has been prepared by David G. LeGrand, Esq. (the "Law Firm"), as legal counsel to the Company, and:

- (A) The Members have been advised by the Law Firm that a conflict of interest would exist among the Members and the Company as the Law Firm is representing the Company and not any individual members, and
- (B) The Members have been advised by the Law Firm to seek the advice of independent counsel; and
- (C) The Members have been represented by independent counsel or have had the opportunity to seek such representation; and
- (D) The Law Firm has not given any advice or made any representations to the Members with respect to any consequences of this Agreement; and
- (E) The Members have been advised that the terms and provisions of this Agreement may have tax consequences and the Members have been advised by the Law Firm to seek independent counsel with respect thereto; and
- (F) The Members have been represented by independent counsel or have had the opportunity to seek such representation with respect to the tax and other consequences of this Agreement.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned, being the Members of the above-named Limited Liability Company, have hereunto executed this Agreement as of the Effective Date first set forth above.

Member:

Shawn Bidsal, Member

CLA Properties, LLC

by _____
Benjamin Gholshami, Manager

Manager/Management:

Shawn Bidsal, Manager

Benjamin Golshami, Manager

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TAX PROVISIONS**EXHIBIT A****1.1 Capital Accounts.**

- 4.1.1 A single Capital Account shall be maintained for each Member (regardless of the class of Interests owned by such Member and regardless of the time or manner in which such Interests were acquired) in accordance with the capital accounting rules of Section 704(b) of the Code, and the regulations thereunder (including without limitation Section 1.704-1(b)(2)(iv) of the Income Tax Regulations). In general, under such rules, a Member's Capital Account shall be:
- 4.1.1.1 increased by (i) the amount of money contributed by the Member to the Company (including the amount of any Company liabilities that are assumed by such Member other than in connection with distribution of Company property), (ii) the fair market value of property contributed by the Member to the Company (net of liabilities secured by such contributed property that under Section 752 of the Code the Company is considered to assume or take subject to), and (iii) allocations to the Member of Company income and gain (or item thereof), including income and gain exempt from tax; and
- 4.1.1.2 decreased by (i) the amount of money distributed to the Member by the Company (including the amount of such Member's individual liabilities that are assumed by the Company other than in connection with contribution of property to the Company), (ii) the fair market value of property distributed to the Member by the Company (net of liabilities secured by such distributed property that under Section 752 of the Code such Member is considered to assume or take subject to), (iii) allocations to the Member of expenditures of the Company not deductible in computing its taxable income and not properly chargeable to capital account, and (iv) allocations to the Member of Company loss and deduction (or item thereof).
- 4.1.2 Where Section 704(c) of the Code applies to Company property or where Company property is revalued pursuant to paragraph (b)(2)(iv)(t) of Section 1.704-1 of the Income Tax Regulations, each Member's Capital Account shall be adjusted in accordance with paragraph (b)(2)(iv)(g) of Section 1.704-1 of the Income Tax Regulations as to allocations to the Members of depreciation, depletion, amortization and gain or loss, as computed for book purposes with respect to such property.
- 4.1.3 When Company property is distributed in kind (whether in connection with liquidation and dissolution or otherwise), the Capital Accounts of the Members shall first be adjusted to reflect the manner in which the unrealized income, gain, loss and deduction inherent in such property (that has not been

reflected in the Capital Account previously) would be allocated among the Members if there were a taxable disposition of such property for the fair market value of such property (taking into account Section 7701 (g) of the Code) on the date of distribution.

- 4.1.4 The Members shall direct the Company's accountants to make all necessary adjustments in each Member's Capital Account as required by the capital accounting rules of Section 704(b) of the Code and the regulations thereunder.

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ALLOCATION OF PROFITS AND LOSSES; TAX AND ACCOUNTING MATTERS

- 5.1 **Allocations.** Each Member's distributive share of income, gain, loss, deduction or credit (or items thereof) of the Company as shown on the annual federal income tax return prepared by the Company's accountants or as finally determined by the United States Internal Revenue Service or the courts, and as modified by the capital accounting rules of Section 704(b) of the Code and the Income Tax Regulations thereunder, as implemented by Section 8.5 hereof, as applicable, shall be determined as follows:

- 5.1.1 **Allocations.** Except as otherwise provided in this Section 1.1:

- 5.1.1.1 items of income, gain, loss, deduction or credit (or items thereof) shall be allocated among the members in proportion to their Percentage Interests as set forth in *Exhibit "B"*, subject to the Preferred Allocation schedule contained in *Exhibit "B"*, except that items of loss or deduction allocated to any Member pursuant to this Section 2.1 with respect to any taxable year shall not exceed the maximum amount of such items that can be so allocated without causing such Member to have a deficit balance in his or its Capital Account at the end of such year, computed in accordance with the rules of paragraph (b)(2)(ii)(d) of Section 1.704-1 of the Income Tax Regulations. Any such items of loss or deduction in excess of the limitation set forth in the preceding sentence shall be allocated as follows and in the following order of priority:

- 5.1.1.1.1 first, to those Members who would not be subject to such limitation, in proportion to their Percentage Interests, subject to the Preferred Allocation schedule contained in *Exhibit "B"*; and

- 5.1.1.1.2 second, any remaining amount to the Members in the manner required by the Code and Income Tax Regulations.

Subject to the provisions of subsections 2.1.2 – 2.1.11, inclusive, of this Agreement, the items specified in this Section 1.1 shall be allocated to the

Members as necessary to eliminate any deficit Capital Account balances and thereafter to bring the relationship among the Members' positive Capital Account balances in accord with their pro rata interests.

- 5.1.2 Allocations With Respect to Property Solely for tax purposes, in determining each Member's allocable share of the taxable income or loss of the Company, depreciation, depletion, amortization and gain or loss with respect to any contributed property, or with respect to revalued property where the Company's property is revalued pursuant to paragraph (b)(2)(iv)(f) of Section 1.704-1 of the Income Tax Regulations, shall be allocated to the Members in the manner (as to revaluations, in the same manner as) provided in Section 704(c) of the Code. The allocation shall take into account, to the full extent required or permitted by the Code, the difference between the adjusted basis of the property to the Member contributing it (or, with respect to property which has been revalued, the adjusted basis of the property to the Company) and the fair market value of the property determined by the Members at the time of its contribution or revaluation, as the case may be.
- 5.1.3 Minimum Gain Chargeback. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this Section 2.1, if there is a net decrease in Company Minimum Gain or Company Nonrecourse Debt Minimum Gain (as such terms are defined in Sections 1.704-2(b) and 1.704-2(i)(2) of the Income Tax Regulations, but substituting the term "Company" for the term "Partnership" as the context requires) during a Company taxable year, then each Member shall be allocated items of Company income and gain for such year (and, if necessary, for subsequent years) in the manner provided in Section 1.704-2 of the Income Tax Regulations. This provision is intended to be a "minimum gain chargeback" within the meaning of Sections 1.704-2(f) and 1.704-2(i)(4) of the Income Tax Regulations and shall be interpreted and implemented as therein provided.
- 5.1.4 Qualified Income Offset. Subject to the provisions of subsection 2.1.3, but otherwise notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this Section 2.1, if any Member's Capital Account has a deficit balance in excess of such Member's obligation to restore his or its Capital Account balance, computed in accordance with the rules of paragraph (b)(2)(ii)(d) of Section 1.704-1 of the Income Tax Regulations, then sufficient amounts of income and gain (consisting of a pro rata portion of each item of Company income, including gross income, and gain for such year) shall be allocated to such Member in an amount and manner sufficient to eliminate such deficit as quickly as possible. This provision is intended to be a "qualified income offset" within the meaning of Section 1.704-1(b)(2)(ii)(d) of the Income Tax Regulations and shall be interpreted and implemented as therein provided.
- 5.1.5 Depreciation Recapture. Subject to the provisions of Section 704(c) of the Code and subsections 2.1.2 – 2.1.4, inclusive, of this Agreement, gain recognized (or deemed recognized under the provisions hereof) upon the sale

or other disposition of Company property, which is subject to depreciation recapture, shall be allocated to the Member who was entitled to deduct such depreciation.

- 5.1.6 Loans If and to the extent any Member is deemed to recognize income as a result of any loans pursuant to the rules of Sections 1272, 1273, 1274, 7872 or 482 of the Code, or any similar provision now or hereafter in effect, any corresponding resulting deduction of the Company shall be allocated to the Member who is charged with the income. Subject to the provisions of Section 704(c) of the Code and subsections 2.1.2 – 2.1.4, inclusive, of this Agreement, if and to the extent the Company is deemed to recognize income as a result of any loans pursuant to the rules of Sections 1272, 1273, 1274, 7872 or 482 of the Code, or any similar provision now or hereafter in effect, such income shall be allocated to the Member who is entitled to any corresponding resulting deduction.
- 5.1.7 Tax Credits Tax credits shall generally be allocated according to Section 1.704-1(b)(4)(ii) of the Income Tax Regulations or as otherwise provided by law. Investment tax credits with respect to any property shall be allocated to the Members pro rata in accordance with the manner in which Company profits are allocated to the Members under subsection 2.1.1 hereof, as of the time such property is placed in service. Recapture of any investment tax credit required by Section 47 of the Code shall be allocated to the Members in the same proportion in which such investment tax credit was allocated.
- 5.1.8 Change of Pro Rata Interests. Except as provided in subsections 2.1.6 and 2.1.7 hereof or as otherwise required by law, if the proportionate interests of the Members of the Company are changed during any taxable year, all items to be allocated to the Members for such entire taxable year shall be prorated on the basis of the portion of such taxable year which precedes each such change and the portion of such taxable year on and after each such change according to the number of days in each such portion, and the items so allocated for each such portion shall be allocated to the Members in the manner in which such items are allocated as provided in section 2.1.1 during each such portion of the taxable year in question.
- 5.1.9 Effect of Special Allocations on Subsequent Allocations. Any special allocation of income or gain pursuant to subsections 2.1.3 or 2.1.4 hereof shall be taken into account in computing subsequent allocations of income and gain pursuant to this Section 9.1 so that the net amount of all such allocations to each Member shall, to the extent possible, be equal to the net amount that would have been allocated to each such Member pursuant to the provisions of this Section 2.1 if such special allocations of income or gain under subsection 2.1.3 or 2.1.4 hereof had not occurred.
- 5.1.10 Nonrecourse and Recourse Debt. Items of deduction and loss attributable to Member nonrecourse debt within the meaning of Section 1.7042(b)(4) of the

Income Tax Regulations shall be allocated to the Members bearing the economic risk of loss with respect to such debt in accordance with Section 1704-2(i)(I) of the Income Tax Regulations. Items of deduction and loss attributable to recourse liabilities of the Company, within the meaning of Section 1.752-2 of the Income Tax Regulations, shall be allocated among the Members in accordance with the ratio in which the Members share the economic risk of loss for such liabilities.

- 5.1.11 State and Local Items. Items of income, gain, loss, deduction, credit and tax preference for state and local income tax purposes shall be allocated to and among the Members in a manner consistent with the allocation of such items for federal income tax purposes in accordance with the foregoing provisions of this Section 2.1.

- 5.2 Accounting Matters. The Managers or, if there be no Managers then in office, the Members shall cause to be maintained complete books and records accurately reflecting the accounts, business and transactions of the Company on a calendar-year basis and using such cash, accrual, or hybrid method of accounting as in the judgment of the Manager, Management Committee or the Members, as the case may be, is most appropriate; provided, however, that books and records with respect to the Company's Capital Accounts and allocations of income, gain, loss, deduction or credit (or item thereof) shall be kept under U.S. federal income tax accounting principles as applied to partnerships.

5.3 Tax Status and Returns.

- 5.3.1 Any provision hereof to the contrary notwithstanding, solely for United States federal income tax purposes, each of the Members hereby recognizes that the Company may be subject to the provisions of Subchapter K of Chapter 1 of Subtitle A of the Code; provided, however, the filing of U.S. Partnership Returns of Income shall not be construed to extend the purposes of the Company or expand the obligations or liabilities of the Members.
- 5.3.2 The Manager(s) shall prepare or cause to be prepared all tax returns and statements, if any, that must be filed on behalf of the Company with any taxing authority, and shall make timely filing thereof. Within one-hundred twenty (120) days after the end of each calendar year, the Manager(s) shall prepare or cause to be prepared and delivered to each Member a report setting forth in reasonable detail the information with respect to the Company during such calendar year reasonably required to enable each Member to prepare his or its federal, state and local income tax returns in accordance with applicable law then prevailing.
- 5.3.3 Unless otherwise provided by the Code or the Income Tax Regulations thereunder, the current Manager(s), or if no Manager(s) shall have been elected, the Member holding the largest Percentage Interest, or if the Percentage Interests be equal, any Member shall be deemed to be the "Tax

Matters Member." The Tax Matters Member shall be the "Tax Matters Partner" for U.S. federal income tax purposes.

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EXHIBIT B

Member's Percentage Interest Member's Capital Contributions

Shawn Bidsal 30% \$ _____

CLA Properties, LLC 70% \$ _____

PREFERRED ALLOCATION AND DISTRIBUTION SCHEDULE

~~Cash Distributions from capital transactions shall be distributed per the following method between the members of the LLC. Upon any refinancing event, and upon the sale of Company asset, cash is distributed according to a "Step-down Allocation." Step-down means that, step-by-step, cash is allocated and distributed in the following descending order of priority, until no more cash remains to be allocated. The Step-down Allocation is:~~

~~First Step, payment of all current expenses and/or liabilities of the Company;~~

~~Second Step, to pay in full any outstanding loans (unless distribution is the result of a refinance) held with financial institutions or any company loans made from Manager(s) or Member(s).~~

~~Third Step, to pay each Member an amount sufficient to bring their capital accounts to zero, pro rata based upon capital contributions.~~

~~Final Step, After the Third Step above, any remaining net profits or excess cash from sale or refinance shall be distributed to the Members fifty percent (50%) to Shawn Bidsal and fifty percent (50%) to CLA Properties, LLC.~~

Losses shall be allocated according to Capital Accounts.

Cash Distributions of Profits from operations shall be allocated and distributed fifty percent (50%) to Shawn Bidsal and fifty percent (50%) to CLA Properties, LLC

It is the express intent of the parties that "Cash Distributions of Profits" refers to distributions generated from operations resulting in ordinary income in contrast to Cash Distributions arising from capital transactions or non-recurring events such as a sale of all or a substantial portion of the Company's assets or a cash-out financing.

Member's Percentage Interest Member's Capital Contributions

Shawn Bidsal 50% \$ _____

CLA Properties, LLC 50% \$ _____

PREFERRED ALLOCATION AND DISTRIBUTION SCHEDULE

Cash Distributions from capital transactions shall be distributed per the following method between the members of the LLC. Upon any refinancing event, and upon the sale of Company asset, cash is distributed according to a "Step-down Allocation." Step-down means that, step-by-step, cash is allocated and distributed in the following descending order of priority, until no more cash remains to be allocated. The Step-down Allocation is:

First Step, payment of all current expenses and/or liabilities of the Company;

Second Step, to pay in full any outstanding loans (unless distribution is the result of a refinance) held with financial institutions or any company loans made from Manager(s) or Member(s).

Third Step, to pay each Member an amount sufficient to bring their capital accounts to zero, pro rata based upon capital contributions.

Final Step, After the Third Step above, any remaining net profits or excess cash from sale or refinance shall be distributed to the Members fifty percent (50%) to Shawn Bidsal and fifty percent (50%) to CLA Properties, LLC.

Losses shall be allocated according to Capital Accounts.

Cash Distributions of Profits from operations shall be allocated and distributed fifty percent (50%) to Shawn Bidsal and fifty percent (50%) to CLA Properties, LLC

It is the express intent of the parties that "Cash Distributions of Profits" refers to distributions generated from operations resulting in ordinary income in contrast to Cash Distributions arising from capital transactions or non-recurring events such as a sale of all or a substantial portion of the Company's assets or a cash out financing.

OPERATING AGREEMENT

Of

Green Valley Commerce, LLC
a Nevada limited liability company

This Operating Agreement (the "Agreement") is by and among Green Valley Commerce, LLC, a Nevada Limited Liability Company (sometimes hereinafter referred to as the "Company" or the "Limited Liability Company") and the undersigned Member and Manager of the Company. This Agreement is made to be effective as of June 15, 2011 ("Effective Date") by the undersigned parties.

WHEREAS, on about May 26, 2011, Shawn Bidsal formed the Company as a Nevada limited liability company by filing its Articles of Organization (the "Articles of Organization") pursuant to the Nevada Limited Liability Company Act, as Filing entity #E0308602011-0; and

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the premises, the provisions and the respective agreements hereinafter set forth and for other good and valuable consideration, the parties hereto do hereby agree to the following terms and conditions of this Agreement for the administration and regulation of the affairs of this Limited Liability Company.

Article I.

DEFINITIONS

Section 01 Defined Terms

Advisory Committee or Committees shall be deemed to mean the Advisory Committee or Committees established by the Management pursuant to Section 13 of Article III of this Agreement.

Agreement shall be deemed to mean this Operating Agreement of this herein Limited Liability Company as may be amended.

Business of the Company shall mean acquisition of secured debt, conversion of such debt into fee simple title by foreclosure, purchase or otherwise, and operation and management of real estate.

Business Day shall be deemed to mean any day excluding a Saturday, a Sunday and any other day on which banks are required or authorized to close in the State of Formation.

Limited Liability Company shall be deemed to mean Green Valley Commerce, LLC a Nevada Limited Liability Company organized pursuant of the laws of the State of Formation.

Management and Manager(s) shall be deemed to have the meanings set forth in Article, IV of this Agreement.

Member shall mean a person who has a membership interest in the Limited Liability Company.

Membership Interest shall mean, with respect to a Member the percentage of ownership interest in the Company of such Member (may also be referred to as **Interest**). Each Member's percentage of Membership Interest in the Company shall be as set forth in Exhibit B.

Person means any natural person, sole proprietorship, corporation, general partnership, limited partnership, Limited Liability Company, limited liability limited partnership, joint venture, association, joint stock company, bank, trust, estate, unincorporated organization, any federal, state, county or municipal government (or any agency or political subdivision thereof), endowment fund or any other form of entity.

State of Formation shall mean the State of Nevada.

Article II.

OFFICES AND RECORDS

Section 01 Registered Office and Registered Agent.

The Limited Liability Company shall have and maintain a registered office in the State of Formation and a resident agent for service of process, who may be a natural person of said state whose business office is identical with the registered office, or a domestic corporation, or a corporation authorized to transact business within said State which has a business office identical with the registered office, or itself which has a business office identical with the registered office and is permitted by said state to act as a registered agent/office within said state.

The resident agent shall be appointed by the Member Manager.

The location of the registered office shall be determined by the Management.

The current name of the resident agent and location of the registered office shall be kept on file in the appropriate office within the State of Formation pursuant to applicable provisions of law.

Section 02 Limited Liability Company Offices.

The Limited Liability Company may have such offices, anywhere within and without the State of Formation, the Management from time to time may appoint, or the business of the Limited Liability Company may require. The "principal place of business" or "principal business" or "executive" office or offices of the Limited Liability Company may be fixed and so designated from time to time by the Management.

Section 03 Records.

The Limited Liability Company shall continuously maintain at its registered office, or at such other place as may be authorized pursuant to applicable provisions of law of the State of Formation the following records:

- (a) A current list of the full name and last known business address of each Member and Managers separately identifying the Members in alphabetical order;
- (b) A copy of the filed Articles of Organization and all amendments thereto, together with executed copies of any powers of attorney pursuant to which any document has been executed;
- (c) Copies of the Limited Liability Company's federal income tax returns and reports, if any, for the three (3) most recent years;
- (d) Copies of any then effective written operating agreement and of any financial statements of the Limited Liability Company for the three (3) most recent years;
- (e) Unless contained in the Articles of Organization, a writing setting out:
 - (i) The amount of cash and a description and statement of the agreed value of the other property or services contributed by each Member and which each Member has agreed to contribute;
 - (ii) The items as which or events on the happening of which any additional contributions agreed to be made by each Member are to be made;
 - (iii) Any right of a Member to receive, or of a Manager to make, distributions to a Member which include a return of all or any part of the Member's contribution; and
 - (iv) Any events upon the happening of which the Limited Liability Company is to be dissolved and its affairs wound up.
- (f) The Limited Liability Company shall also keep from time to time such other or additional records, statements, lists, and information as may be required by law.
- (g) If any of the above said records under Section 3 are not kept within the State of Formation, they shall be at all times in such condition as to permit them to be delivered to any authorized person within three (3) days.

Section 04 Inspection of Records.

Records kept pursuant to this Article are subject to inspection and copying at the request, and at the expense, of any Member, in person or by attorney or other agent. Each Member shall have the right during the usual hours of business to inspect for any proper purpose. A proper purpose shall mean a purpose reasonably related to such person's interest as a Member. In every

instance where an attorney or other agent shall be the person who seeks the right of inspection, the demand under oath shall be accompanied by a power of attorney or such other writing which authorizes the attorney or other agent to so act on behalf of the Member.

Article III.
MEMBERS' MEETINGS AND DEADLOCK

Section 01 Place of Meetings.

All meetings of the Members shall be held at the principal business office of the Limited Liability Company the State of Formation except such meetings as shall be held elsewhere by the express determination of the Management; in which case, such meetings may be held, upon notice thereof as hereinafter provided, at such other place or places, within or without the State of Formation, as said Management shall have determined, and shall be stated in such notice. Unless specifically prohibited by law, any meeting may be held at any place and time, and for any purpose; if consented to in writing by all of the Members entitled to vote thereat.

Section 02 Annual Meetings.

An Annual Meeting of Members shall be held on the first business day of July of each year, if not a legal holiday, and if a legal holiday, then the Annual Meeting of Members shall be held at the same time and place on the next day is a full Business Day.

Section 03 Special Meetings.

Special meetings of the Members may be held for any purpose or purposes. They may be called by the Managers or by Members holding not less than fifty-one percent of the voting power of the Limited Liability Company or such other maximum number as may be, required by the applicable law of the State of Formation. Written notice shall be given to all Members.

Section 04 Action in Lieu of Meeting.

Any action required to be taken at any Annual or Special Meeting of the Members or any other action which may be taken at any Annual or Special meeting of the Members may be taken without a meeting if consents in writing setting forth the action so taken shall be signed by the requisite votes of the Members entitled to vote with respect to the subject matter thereof.

Section 05 Notice.

Written notice of each meeting of the Members, whether Annual or Special, stating the place, day and hour of the meeting, and, in case of a Special meeting, the purpose or purposes thereof, shall be given or given to each Member entitled to vote thereat, not less than ten (10) nor more than sixty (60) days prior to the meeting unless, as to a particular matter, other or further notice is required by law, in which case such other or further notice shall be given.

Notice upon the Member may be delivered or given either personally or by express or first class mail, Or by telegram or other electronic transmission, with all charges prepaid, addressed to each Member at the address of such Member appearing on the books of the Limited Liability Company or more recently given by the Member to the Limited Liability Company for the purpose of notice.

If no address for a Member appears on the Limited Liability Company's books, notice shall be deemed to have been properly given to such Member if sent by any of the methods authorized here in to the Limited Liability Company 's principal executive office to the attention of such Member, or if published, at least once in a newspaper of general circulation in the county of the principal executive office and the county of the Registered office in the State of Formation of the Limited Liability Company.

If notice addressed to a Member at the address of such Member appearing on the books of the Limited Liability Company is returned to the Limited Liability Company by the United States Postal Service marked to indicate that the United States Postal Service is unable to deliver the notice to the Member at such address, all future notices or reports shall be deemed to have been duly given without further mailing if the same shall be available to the Member upon written demand of the Member at the principal executive office of the Limited Liability Company for a period of one (1) year from the date of the giving of such notice. It shall be the duty and of each member to provide the manager and/or the Limited Liability Company with an official mailing address.

Notice shall be deemed to have been given at the time when delivered personally or deposited in the mail or sent by telegram or other means of electronic transmission.

An affidavit of the mailing or other means of giving any notice of any Member meeting shall be executed by the Management and shall be filed and maintained in the Minute Book of the Limited Liability Company.

Section 06 Waiver of Notice.

Whenever any notice is required to be given under the provisions of this Agreement, or the Articles of Organization of the Limited Liability Company or any law, a waiver thereof in writing signed by the Member or Members entitled to such notice, whether before or after the time stated therein, shall be deemed the equivalent to the giving of such notice.

To the extent provided by law, attendance at any meeting shall constitute a waiver of notice of such meeting except when the Member attends the meeting for the express purpose of objecting to the transaction of any business because the meeting is not lawfully called or convened, and such Member so states such purpose at the opening of the meeting.

Section 07 Presiding Officials.

Every meeting of the Limited Liability Company for whatever reason, shall be convened by the Managers or Member who called the meeting by notice as above provided; provided, however,

it shall be presided over by the Management; and provided, further, the Members at any meeting, by a majority vote of Members represented thereat, and notwithstanding anything to the contrary elsewhere in this Agreement, may select any persons of their choosing to act as the Chairman and Secretary of such meeting or any session thereof.

Section 08 Business Which May Be Transacted at Annual Meetings.

At each Annual Meeting of the Members, the Members may elect, with a vote representing ninety percent (90%) in Interest of the Members, a Manager or Managers to administer and regulate the affairs of the Limited Liability Company. The Manager(s) shall hold such office until the next Annual Meeting of Members or until the Manager resigns or is removed by the Members pursuant to the terms of this Agreement, whichever event first occurs. The Members may transact such other business as may have been specified in the notice of the meeting as one of the purposes thereof.

Section 09 Business Which May Be Transacted at Special Meetings.

Business transacted at all special meetings shall be confined to the purposes stated in the notice of such meetings.

Section 10 Quorum.

At all meetings of the Members, a majority of the Members present, in person or by proxy, shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business, unless a greater number as to any particular matter is required by law, the Articles of Organization or this Agreement, and the act of a majority of the Members present at any meeting at which there is a quorum, except as may be otherwise specifically provided by law, by the Articles of Organization, or by this Agreement, shall be the act of the Members.

Less than a quorum may adjourn a meeting successively until a quorum is present, and no notice of adjournment shall be required.

Section 11 Proxies.

At any meeting of the Members, every Member having the right to vote shall be entitled to vote in person, or by proxy executed in writing by such Member or by his duly, authorized attorney-in-fact. No proxy shall be valid after three years from the date of its execution, unless otherwise provided in the proxy.

Section 12 Voting.

Every Member shall have one (1) vote(s) for each \$1,000.00 of capital contributed to the Limited Liability Company which is registered in his/her name on the books of the Limited Liability Company, as the amount of such capital is adjusted from time to time to properly reflect any additional contributions to or withdrawals from capital by the Member.

12.1 The affirmative vote of a Majority of the Member Interests shall be required to:

- (A) adopt clerical or ministerial amendments to this Agreement and

- (B) approve indemnification of any Manager, Member or officer of the Company as authorized by Article XI of this Agreement;

12.2. The affirmative vote of at least ninety percent of the Member Interests shall be required to:

- (A) alter the Preferred Allocations provided for in *Exhibit "B"*;
- (B) agree to continue the business of the Company after a Dissolution Event;
- (C) approve any loan to any Manager or any guarantee of a Manager's obligations; and
- (D) authorize or approve a fundamental change in the business of the Company.
- (E) approve a sale of substantially all of the assets of the Company.
- (F) approve a change in the number of Managers or replace a Manager or engage a new Manager.

Section 13 Meeting by Telephonic Conference or Similar Communications Equipment.

Unless otherwise restricted by the Articles of Organization, this Agreement of by law, the Members of the Limited Liability Company, or any Committee thereof established by the Management, may participate in a meeting of such Members or committee by means of telephonic conference or similar communications equipment whereby all persons participating in the meeting can hear and speak to each other, and participation in a meeting in such manner shall constitute presence in person at such meeting.

Section 14. Deadlock.

In the event that Members reach a deadlock that cannot be resolved with a respect to an issue that requires a ninety percent vote for approval, then either Member may compel arbitration of the disputed matter as set forth in Subsection 14.1

14.1 **Dispute Resolution.** In the event of any dispute or disagreement between the Members as to the interpretation of any provision of this Agreement (or the performance of obligations hereunder), the matter, upon written request of either Party, shall be referred to representatives of the Parties for decision. The representatives shall promptly meet in a good faith effort to resolve the dispute. If the representatives do not agree upon a decision within thirty (30) calendar days after reference of the matter to them, any controversy, dispute or claim arising out of or relating in any way to this Agreement or the transactions arising hereunder shall be settled exclusively by arbitration in the City of Las Vegas, Nevada. Such arbitration shall be administered by JAMS in accordance with its then prevailing expedited rules, by one independent and impartial

arbitrator selected in accordance with such rules. The arbitration shall be governed by the United States Arbitration Act, 9 U.S.C. § 1 et seq. The fees and expenses of JAMS and the arbitrator shall be shared equally by the Members and advanced by them from time to time as required; provided that at the conclusion of the arbitration, the arbitrator shall award costs and expenses (including the costs of the arbitration previously advanced and the fees and expenses of attorneys, accountants and other experts) to the prevailing party. No pre-arbitration discovery shall be permitted, except that the arbitrator shall have the power in his sole discretion, on application by any party, to order pre-arbitration examination solely of those witnesses and documents that any other party intends to introduce in its case-in-chief at the arbitration hearing. The Members Seller shall instruct the arbitrator to render his award within thirty (30) days following the conclusion of the arbitration hearing. The arbitrator shall not be empowered to award to any party any damages of the type not permitted to be recovered under this Agreement in connection with any dispute between or among the parties arising out of or relating in any way to this Agreement or the transactions arising hereunder, and each party hereby irrevocably waives any right to recover such damages. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary provided in this Section 14.1 and without prejudice to the above procedures, either Party may apply to any court of competent jurisdiction for temporary injunctive or other provisional judicial relief if such action is necessary to avoid irreparable damage or to preserve the status quo until such time as the arbitrator is selected and available to hear such party's request for temporary relief. The award rendered by the arbitrator shall be final and not subject to judicial review and judgment thereon may be entered in any court of competent jurisdiction. The decision of the arbitrator shall be in writing and shall set forth findings of fact and conclusions of law to the extent applicable.

Article IV. **MANAGEMENT**

Section 01 Management.

Unless prohibited by law and subject to the terms and conditions of this Agreement (including without limitation the terms of Article IX hereof), the administration and regulation of the affairs, business and assets of the Limited Liability Company shall be managed by Two (2) managers (alternatively, the "Managers" or "Management"). Managers must be Members and shall serve until resignation or removal. The initial Managers shall be Mr. Shawn Bidsal and Mr. Benjamin Gholshami.

Section 02 Rights, Powers and Obligations of Management.

Subject to the terms and conditions of Article IX herein, Management shall have all the rights and powers as are conferred by law or are necessary, desirable or convenient to the discharge of the Management's duties under this Agreement.

Without limiting the generality of the rights and powers of the Management (but subject to Article IX hereof), the Management shall have the following rights and powers which the Management may exercise in its reasonable discretion at the cost, expense and risk of the Limited Liability Company:

- (a) To deal in leasing, development and contracting of services for improvement of the properties owned subject to both Managers executing written authorization of each expense or payment exceeding \$ 20,000;
- (b) To prosecute, defend and settle lawsuits and claims and to handle matters with governmental agencies;
- (c) To open, maintain and close bank accounts and banking services for the Limited Liability Company.
- (d) To incur and pay all legal, accounting, independent financial consulting, litigation and other fees and expenses as the Management may deem necessary or appropriate for carrying on and performing the powers and authorities herein conferred.
- (e) To execute and deliver any contracts, agreements, instruments or documents necessary, advisable or appropriate to evidence any of the transactions specified above or contemplated hereby and on behalf of the Limited Liability Company to exercise Limited Liability Company rights and perform Limited Liability Company obligations under any such agreements, contracts, instruments or documents;
- (f) To exercise for and on behalf of the Limited Liability Company all the General Powers granted by law to the Limited Liability Company;
- (g) To take such other action as the Management deems necessary and appropriate to carry out the purposes of the Limited Liability Company or this Agreement; and
- (h) Manager shall not pledge, mortgage, sell or transfer any assets of the Limited Liability Company without the affirmative vote of at least ninety percent in Interest of the Members.

Section 03 Removal.

Subject to Article IX hereof: The Managers may be removed or discharged by the Members whenever in their judgment the best interests of the Limited Liability Company would be served thereby upon the affirmative vote of ninety percent in Interest of the Members.

Article V. **MEMBERSHIP INTEREST**

Section 01 Contribution to Capital.

The Member contributions to the capital of the Limited Liability Company may be paid for, wholly or partly, by cash, by personal property, or by real property, or services rendered. By unanimous consent of the Members, other forms of contributions to capital of a Limited Liability company authorized by law may be authorized or approved. Upon receipt of the total amount of the contribution to capital, the contribution shall be declared and taken to be full paid and not liable to further call, nor shall the holder thereof be liable for any further payments on account of that contribution. Members may be subject to additional contributions to capital as determined by the unanimous approval of Members.

Section 02 Transfer or Assignment of Membership Interest.

A Member's interest in the Limited Liability Company is personal property. Except as otherwise provided in this Agreement, a Member's interest may be transferred or assigned. If the other (non-transferring) Members of the Limited Liability Company other than the Member proposing to dispose of his/her interest do not approve of the proposed transfer or assignment by unanimous written consent, the transferee of the Member's interest has no right to participate in the management of the business and affairs of the Limited Liability Company or to become a member. The transferee is only entitled to receive the share of profits or other compensation by way of income, and the return of contributions, to which that Member would otherwise be entitled.

A Substituted Member is a person admitted to all the rights of a Member who has died or has assigned his/her interest in the Limited Liability Company with the approval of all the Members of the Limited Liability Company by the affirmative vote of at least ninety percent in Interest of the members. The Substituted Member shall have all the rights and powers and is subject to all the restrictions and liabilities of his/her assignor, except that the substitution of the assignee does not release the assignor from liability to the Company under this Agreement.

Section 3. Right of First Refusal for Sales of Interests by Members. Payment of Purchase Price.

The payment of the purchase price shall be in cash or, if non-cash consideration is used, it shall be subject to this Article V, Section 3 and Section 4.

Section 4. Purchase or Sell Right among Members.

In the event that a Member is willing to purchase the Remaining Member's Interest in the Company then the procedures and terms of Section 7.1 shall apply.

Section 4.1 Definitions

Offering Member means the member who offers to purchase the Membership Interest(s) of the Remaining Member(s). "Remaining Members" means the Members who received an offer (from Offering Member) to sell their shares.

"COP" means "cost of purchase" as it specified in the escrow closing statement at the time of purchase of each property owned by the Company.

"Seller" means the Member that accepts the offer to sell his or its Membership Interest.

"FMV" means "fair market value" obtained as specified in section 7.2.

Section 4.2 Purchase or Sell Procedure.

Any Member ("Offering Member") may give notice to the Remaining Member(s) that he or it is ready, willing and able to purchase the Remaining Members' Interests for a price the Offering Member thinks is the fair market value. The terms to be all cash and close escrow within 30 days of the acceptance.

If the offered price is not acceptable to the Remaining Member(s), within 30 days of receiving the offer, the Remaining Members (or any of them) can request to establish FMV based on the following procedure. The Remaining Member(s) must provide the Offering Member the complete information of 2 MIA appraisers. The Offering Member must pick one of the appraisers to appraise the property and furnish a copy to all Members. The Offering Member also must provide the Remaining Members with the complete information of 2 MIA approved appraisers. The Remaining Members must pick one of the appraisers to appraise the property and furnish a copy to all Members. The medium of these 2 appraisals constitute the fair market value of the property which is called (FMV).

The Offering Member has the option to offer to purchase the Remaining Member's share at FMV as determined by Section 4.2., based on the following formula.

$(FMV - COP) \times 0.5$ plus capital contribution of the Remaining Member(s) at the time of purchasing the property minus prorated liabilities.

The Remaining Member(s) shall have 30 days within which to respond in writing to the Offering Member by either

- (i) accepting the Offering Member's purchase offer, or,
- (ii) rejecting the purchase offer and making a counteroffer to purchase the interest of the Offering Member based upon the same fair market value (FMV) according to the following formula.

$(FMV - COP) \times 0.5$ + capital contribution of the Offering Member(s) at the time of purchasing the property minus prorated liabilities.

The specific intent of this provision is that once the Offering Member presented his or its offer to the Remaining Members, then the Remaining Members shall either sell or buy at the same offered price (or FMV if appraisal is invoked) and according to the procedure set forth in Section 4.. In the case that the Remaining Member(s) decide to purchase, then Offering Member shall be obligated to sell his or its Member Interests to the remaining Member(s).

Section 4.3 Failure To Respond Constitutes Acceptance.

Failure by all or any of the Remaining Members to respond to the Offering Member's notice within the thirty (30 day) period shall be deemed to constitute an acceptance of the Offering Member.

Section 5. Return of Contributions to Capital.

Return to a Member of his/her contribution to capital shall be as determined and permitted by law and this Agreement.

Section 6. Addition of New Members.

A new Member may be admitted into the Company only upon consent of at least ninety percent in Interest of the Members. The amount of Capital Contribution which must be made by a new Member shall be determined by the vote of all existing Members.

A new Member shall not be deemed admitted into the Company until the Capital Contribution required of such person has been made and such person has become a party to this agreement.

Section 7. Option of Members to Purchase Interest of Deceased or Dissolved Member.

Upon the death or dissolution of any Member, the other Members shall have an option, exercisable upon thirty (30) days written notice addressed to the executor or successor of the deceased or dissolved Member and to the Company, to purchase at FMV (determined in accordance with Section 4.2) -the Interest of such deceased or dissolved Member in the Company in proportion to the ratio which the Interests of Members exercising such option bears to the total Interests of all Members.

Article VI.
DISTRIBUTION OF PROFITS

Section 01 Section 03 Qualifications and Conditions.

The profits of the Limited Liability Company shall be distributed; to the Members, from time to time, as permitted under law and as determined by the Manager, provided however, that all distributions shall in accordance with Exhibit B, attached hereto and incorporated by reference herein.

Section 02 Section 04 Record Date.

The Record Date for determining Members entitled to receive payment of any distribution of profits shall be the day in which the Manager adopts the resolution for payment of a distribution of profits. Only Members of record on the date so fixed are entitled to receive the distribution notwithstanding any transfer or assignment of Member's interests or the return of contribution to capital to the Member after the Record Date fixed as aforesaid, except as otherwise provided by law.

Section 03 Section 05 Participation in Distribution of Profit.

Each Member's participation in the distribution shall be in accordance with Exhibit B, subject to the Tax Provisions set forth in Exhibit A.

Section 04 Section 06 Limitation on the Amount of Any Distribution of Profit.

In no event shall any distribution of profit result in the assets of the Limited Liability Company being less than all the liabilities of the Limited Liability Company, on the Record Date, excluding liabilities to Members on account of their contributions to capital or be in excess of that permitted by law.

~~Section 05~~Section 07 _____ **Date of Payment of Distribution of Profit.**

Unless another time is specified by the applicable law, the payment of distributions of profit shall be within thirty (30) days of after the Record Date.

~~Article VII.~~Article VI.
ISSUANCE OF MEMBERSHIP INTEREST CERTIFICATES

Section 01 Issuance of Certificate of Interest.

The interest of each Member in the Company shall be represented by a Certificate of Interest (also referred to as the Certificate of Membership Interest or the Certificate). Upon the execution of this Agreement and the payment of a Capital Contribution by the Member, the Management shall cause the Company to issue one or more Certificates in the name of the Member certifying that he/she/it is the record holder of the Membership Interest set forth therein.

Section 02 Transfer of Certificate of Interest.

A Membership Interest which is transferred in accordance with the terms of Section 2 of Article V of this Agreement shall be transferable on the books of the Company by the record holder thereof in person or by such record holder's duly authorized attorney, but, except as provided in Section 3 of this Article with respect to lost, stolen or destroyed certificates, no transfer of a Membership Interest shall be entered until the previously issued Certificate representing such Interest shall have been surrendered to the Company and cancelled and a replacement Certificate issued to the assignee of such Interest in accordance with such procedures as the Management may establish. The management shall issue to the transferring Member a new Certificate representing the Membership Interest not being transferred by the Member, in the event such Member only transferred some, but not all, of the Interest represented by the original Certificate. Except as otherwise required by law, the Company shall be entitled to treat the record holder of a Membership Interest Certificate on its books as the owner thereof for all purposes regardless of any notice or knowledge to the contrary,

Section 03 Lost, Stolen or Destroyed Certificates.

The Company shall issue a new Membership Interest Certificate in place of any Membership Interest Certificate previously issued if the record holder of the Certificate:

- (a) makes proof by affidavit, in form and substance satisfactory to the Management, that a previously issued Certificate has been lost, destroyed or stolen;
- (b) requests the issuance of a new Certificate before the Company has notice that the Certificate has been acquired by a purchaser for value in good faith and without notice of an adverse claim;
- (c) satisfies any other reasonable requirements imposed by the Management.

If a Member fails to notify the Company within a reasonable time after it has notice of the loss, destruction or theft of a Membership Interest Certificate, and a transfer of the Interest represented by the Certificate is registered before receiving such notification, the Company shall have no liability with respect to any claim against the Company for such transfer or for a new Certificate.

Article VIII. Article VII.
AMENDMENTS

Section 01 Amendment of Articles of Organization.

Notwithstanding any provision to the contrary in the Articles of Organization or this Agreement, but subject to Article IX hereof, in no event shall the Articles of Organization be amended without the vote of Members representing at least ninety percent (90%) of the Members Interests.

Section 02 Amendment, Etc. of Operating Agreement.

This Agreement may be adopted, altered, amended or repealed and a new Operating Agreement may be adopted by at least ninety percent in Interest of the Members, subject to Article IX.

Article IX. Article VIII.
COVENANTS WITH RESPECT TO , INDEBTEDNESS,
OPERATIONS, AND FUNDAMENTAL CHANGES

The provisions of this Article IX and its Sections and Subsections shall control and supercede any contrary or conflicting provisions contained in other Articles in this Agreement or in the Company's Articles of Organization or any other organizational document of the Company.

Section 01 Title to Company Property.

All property owned by the Company shall be owned by the Company as an entity and, insofar as permitted by applicable law, no Member shall have any ownership interest in any Company property in its individual name or right, and each member's interest in the Company shall be personal property for all purposes.

Section 02 Effect of Bankruptcy, Death or Incompetency of a Member.

The bankruptcy, death, dissolution, liquidation, termination or adjudication of incompetency of a Member shall not cause the termination or dissolution of the Company and the business of the Company shall continue. Upon any such occurrence, the trustee, receiver, executor, administrator, committee, guardian or conservator of such Member shall have all the rights of such Member for the purpose of settling or managing its estate or property, subject to satisfying conditions precedent to the admission of such assignee as a substitute member. The transfer by

such trustee, receiver, executor, administrator, committee, guardian or conservator of any Company interest shall be subject to all of the restrictions hereunder to which such transfer would have been subject if such transfer had been made by such bankrupt, deceased, dissolved, liquidated, terminated or incompetent member.

Article X.
MISCELLANEOUS

a. Fiscal Year.

The Members shall have the paramount power to fix, and from time to time, to change, the Fiscal Year of the Limited Liability Company. In the absence of action by the Members, the fiscal year of the Limited Liability Company shall be on a calendar year basis and end each year on December 31 until such time, if any, as the Fiscal Year shall be changed by the Members, and approved by Internal Revenue service and the State of Formation.

b. Financial Statements; Statements of Account.

Within ninety (90) business days after the end of each Fiscal Year, the Manager shall send to each Member who was a Member in the Limited Liability Company at any time during the Fiscal Year then ended an unaudited statement of assets, liabilities and Contributions To Capital as of the end of such Fiscal Year and related unaudited statements of income or loss and changes in assets, liabilities and Contributions to Capital. Within forty, five (45) days after each fiscal quarter of the Limited Liability Company, the Manager shall mail or otherwise deliver to each Member an unaudited report providing narrative and summary financial information with respect to the Limited Liability Company. Annually, the Manager shall cause appropriate federal and applicable state tax returns to be prepared and filed. The Manager shall mail or otherwise deliver to each Member who was a Member in the Limited Liability Company at any time during the Fiscal Year a copy of the tax return, including all schedules thereto. The Manager may extend such time period in its sole discretion if additional time is necessary to furnish complete and accurate information pursuant to this Section. Any Member or Manager shall the right to inspect all of the books and records of the Company, including tax filings, property management reports, bank statements, cancelled checks, invoices, purchase orders, check ledgers, savings accounts, investment accounts, and checkbooks, whether electronic or paper, provided such Member complies with Article II, Section 4.

c. Events Requiring Dissolution.

The following events shall require dissolution winding up the affairs of the Limited Liability Company:

- i. When the period fixed for the duration of the Limited Liability Company expires as specified in the Articles of Organization.

d. Choice of Law.

IN ALL RESPECTS THIS AGREEMENT SHALL BE GOVERNED AND CONSTRUED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF NEVADA INCLUDING ALL MATTERS OF CONSTRUCTION, VALIDITY, PERFORMANCE AND THE RIGHTS AND INTERESTS OF THE PARTIES UNDER THIS AGREEMENT WITHOUT REGARD TO THE PRINCIPLES GOVERNING CONFLICTS OF LAWS, UNLESS OTHERWISE PROVIDED BY WRITTEN AGREEMENT.

e. Severability.

If any of the provisions of this Agreement shall contravene or be held invalid or unenforceable, the affected provision or provisions of this Agreement shall be construed or restricted in its or their application only to the extent necessary to permit the rights, interest, duties and obligations of the parties hereto to be enforced according to the purpose and intent of this Agreement and in conformance with the applicable law or laws.

f. Successors and Assigns.

Except as otherwise provided, this Agreement shall be binding upon and inure to the benefit of the parties and their legal representative, heirs, administrators, executors and assigns.

g. Non-waiver.

No provision of this Agreement shall be deemed to have been waived unless such waiver is contained in a written notice given to the party claiming such waiver has occurred, provided that no such waiver shall be deemed to be a waiver of any other or further obligation or liability of the party or parties in whose favor the waiver was given.

h. Captions.

Captions contained in this Agreement are inserted only as a matter of convenience and in no way define, limit or extend the scope or intent of this Agreement or any provision hereof.

i. Counterparts.

This Agreement may be executed in several counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original but all of which shall constitute one and the same instrument. It shall not be necessary for all Members to execute the same counterpart hereof.

j. Definition of Words.

Wherever in this agreement the term he/she is used, it shall be construed to mean also it's as pertains to a corporation member.

k. Membership.

A corporation, partnership, limited liability company, limited liability partnership or individual may be a Member of this Limited Liability Company.

I. Tax Provisions.

The provisions of Exhibit A, attached hereto are incorporated by reference as if fully rewritten herein.

ARTICLE XI INDEMNIFICATION AND INSURANCE

Section 1. Indemnification: Proceeding Other than by Company. The Company may indemnify any person who was or is a party or is threatened to be made a party to any threatened, pending or completed action, suit or proceeding, whether civil, criminal, administrative or investigative, except an action by or in the right of the Company, by reason of the fact that he or she is or was a Manager, Member, officer, employee or agent of the Company, or is or was serving at the request of the Company as a manager, member, shareholder, director, officer, partner, trustee, employee or agent of any other Person, joint venture, trust or other enterprise, against expenses, including attorneys' fees, judgments, fines and amounts paid in settlement actually and reasonably incurred by him or her in connection with the action, suit or proceeding if he or she acted in good faith and in a manner which he or she reasonably believed to be in or not opposed to the best interests of the Company, and, with respect to any criminal action or proceeding, had no reasonable cause to believe his or her conduct was unlawful. The termination of any action, suit or proceeding by judgment, order, settlement, conviction, or upon a plea of nolo contendere or its equivalent, does not, of itself, create a presumption that the person did not act in good faith and in a manner which he or she reasonably believed to be in or not opposed to the best interests of the Company, and that, with respect to any criminal action or proceeding, he or she had reasonable cause to believe that his or her conduct was unlawful.

Section 2. Indemnification: Proceeding by Company. The Company may indemnify any person who was or is a party or is threatened to be made a party to any threatened, pending or completed action or suit by or in the right of the Company to procure a judgment in its favor by reason of the fact that he or she is or was a Manager, Member, officer, employee or agent of the Company, or is or was serving at the request of the Company as a manager, member, shareholder, director, officer, partner, trustee, employee or agent of any other Person, joint venture, trust or other enterprise against expenses, including amounts paid in settlement and attorneys' fees actually and reasonably incurred by him or her in connection with the defense or settlement of the action or suit if he or she acted in good faith and in a manner which he or she reasonably believed to be in or not opposed to the best interests of the Company. Indemnification may not be made for any claim, issue or matter as to which such a person has been adjudged by a court of competent jurisdiction, after exhaustion of all appeals therefrom, to be liable to the Company or for amounts paid in settlement to the Company, unless and only to the extent that the court in which the action or suit was brought or other court of competent jurisdiction determines upon application that in view of all the circumstances of the case, the person is fairly and reasonably entitled to indemnity for such expenses as the court deems proper.

Section 3. Mandatory Indemnification. To the extent that a Manager, Member, officer, employee or agent of the Company has been successful on the merits or otherwise in defense of any action, suit or proceeding described in Article XI, Sections 1 and 2, or in defense of any claim, issue or matter therein, he or she must be indemnified by the Company against expenses, including attorneys' fees, actually and reasonably incurred by him or her in connection with the defense.

Section 4. Authorization of Indemnification. Any indemnification under Article XI, Sections 1 and 2, unless ordered by a court or advanced pursuant to Section 5, may be made by the Company only as authorized in the specific case upon a determination that indemnification of the Manager, Member, officer, employee or agent is proper in the circumstances. The determination must be made by a majority of the Members if the person seeking indemnity is not a majority owner of the Member Interests or by independent legal counsel selected by the Manager in a written opinion.

Section 5. Mandatory Advancement of Expenses. The expenses of Managers, Members and officers incurred in defending a civil or criminal action, suit or proceeding must be paid by the Company as they are incurred and in advance of the final disposition of the action, suit or proceeding, upon receipt of an undertaking by or on behalf of the Manager, Member or officer to repay the amount if it is ultimately determined by a court of competent jurisdiction that he or she is not entitled to be indemnified by the Company. The provisions of this Section 5 do not affect any rights to advancement of expenses to which personnel of the Company other than Managers, Members or officers may be entitled under any contract or otherwise.

Section 6. Effect and Continuation. The indemnification and advancement of expenses authorized in or ordered by a court pursuant to Article XI, Sections 1 – 5, inclusive:

(A) Does not exclude any other rights to which a person seeking indemnification or advancement of expenses may be entitled under the Articles of Organization or any limited liability company agreement, vote of Members or disinterested Managers, if any, or otherwise, for either an action in his or her official capacity or an action in another capacity while holding his or her office, except that indemnification, unless ordered by a court pursuant to Article XI, Section 2 or for the advancement of expenses made pursuant to Section Article XI, may not be made to or on behalf of any Member, Manager or officer if a final adjudication establishes that his or her acts or omissions involved intentional misconduct, fraud or a knowing violation of the law and was material to the cause of action.

(B) Continues for a person who has ceased to be a Member, Manager, officer, employee or agent and inures to the benefit of his or her heirs, executors and administrators.

(C) **Notice of Indemnification and Advancement.** Any indemnification of, or advancement of expenses to, a Manager, Member, officer, employee or agent of the Company in accordance with this Article XI, if arising out of a proceeding by or on behalf of the Company, shall be reported in writing to the Members with or before the notice of the next Members' meeting.

(D) **Repeal or Modification.** Any repeal or modification of this Article XI by the Members of the Company shall not adversely affect any right of a Manager, Member, officer, employee or agent of the Company existing hereunder at the time of such repeal or modification.

ARTICLE XII

INVESTMENT REPRESENTATIONS; PRIVATE OFFERING EXEMPTION

Each Member, by his or its execution of this Agreement, hereby represents and warrants to, and agrees with, the Managers, the other Members and the Company as follows:

Section 1. Pre-existing Relationship or Experience. (i) Such Member has a preexisting personal or business relationship with the Company or one or more of its officers or control persons or (ii) by reason of his or its business or financial experience, or by reason of the business or financial experience of his or its financial advisor who is unaffiliated with and who is not compensated, directly or indirectly, by the Company or any affiliate or selling agent of the Company, such Member is capable of evaluating the risks and merits of an investment in the Company and of protecting his or its own interests in connection with this investment.

Section 2. No Advertising. Such Member has not seen, received, been presented with or been solicited by any leaflet, public promotional meeting, newspaper or magazine article or advertisement, radio or television advertisement, or any other form of advertising or general solicitation with respect to the offer or sale of Interests in the Company.

Section 3. Investment Intent. Such Member is acquiring the Interest for investment purposes for his or its own account only and not with a view to or for sale in connection with any distribution of all or any part of the Interest.

Section 4. Economic Risk. Such Member is financially able to bear the economic risk of his or its investment in the Company, including the total loss thereof.

Section 5. No Registration of Units Such Member acknowledges that the Interests have not been registered under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the "Securities Act"), or qualified under any state securities law or under the laws of any other jurisdiction, in reliance, in part, on such Member's representations, warranties and agreements herein.

Section 6. No Obligation to Register. Such Member represents, warrants and agrees that the Company and the Managers are under no obligation to register or qualify the Interests under the Securities Act or under any state securities law or under the laws of any other jurisdiction, or to assist such Member in complying with any exemption from registration and qualification.

Section 7. No Disposition in Violation of Law. Without limiting the representations set forth above, and without limiting Article 12 of this Agreement, such Member will not make any disposition of all or any part of the Interests which will result in the violation by such Member or by the Company of the Securities Act or any other applicable securities laws. Without limiting the foregoing, each Member agrees not to make any disposition of all or any part of the Interests unless and until: (A) there is then in effect a registration statement under the Securities Act covering such proposed disposition and such disposition is made in accordance with such registration statement and any applicable requirements of state securities laws; or (B) such Member has notified the Company of the proposed disposition and has furnished the Company with a detailed statement of the circumstances surrounding the proposed disposition, and if reasonably requested by the

Managers, such Member has furnished the Company with a written opinion of legal counsel, reasonably satisfactory to the Company, that such disposition will not require registration of any securities under the Securities Act or the consent of or a permit from appropriate authorities under any applicable state securities law or under the laws of any other jurisdiction.

Section 8. Financial Estimate and Projections. That it understands that all projections and financial or other materials which it may have been furnished are not based on historical operating results, because no reliable results exist, and are based only upon estimates and assumptions which are subject to future conditions and events which are unpredictable and which may not be relied upon in making an investment decision.

ARTICLE XIII

Preparation of Agreement.

Section 1. This Agreement has been prepared by David G. LeGrand, Esq. (the "Law Firm"), as legal counsel to the Company, and:

- (A) The Members have been advised by the Law Firm that a conflict of interest would exist among the Members and the Company as the Law Firm is representing the Company and not any individual members, and
- (B) The Members have been advised by the Law Firm to seek the advice of independent counsel; and
- (C) The Members have been represented by independent counsel or have had the opportunity to seek such representation; and
- (D) The Law Firm has not given any advice or made any representations to the Members with respect to any consequences of this Agreement; and
- (E) The Members have been advised that the terms and provisions of this Agreement may have tax consequences and the Members have been advised by the Law Firm to seek independent counsel with respect thereto; and
- (F) The Members have been represented by independent counsel or have had the opportunity to seek such representation with respect to the tax and other consequences of this Agreement.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned, being the Members of the above-named Limited Liability Company, have hereunto executed this Agreement as of the Effective Date first set forth above.

Member:

Shawn Bidsal, Member

CLA Properties, LLC

by _____
Benjamin Gholshami, Manager

Manager/Management:

Shawn Bidsal, Manager

Benjamin Golshami, Manager

TAX PROVISIONS**EXHIBIT A****1.1 Capital Accounts.**

- 4.1.1 A single Capital Account shall be maintained for each Member (regardless of the class of Interests owned by such Member and regardless of the time or manner in which such Interests were acquired) in accordance with the capital accounting rules of Section 704(b) of the Code, and the regulations thereunder (including without limitation Section 1.704-1(b)(2)(iv) of the Income Tax Regulations). In general, under such rules, a Member's Capital Account shall be:
- 4.1.1.1 increased by (i) the amount of money contributed by the Member to the Company (including the amount of any Company liabilities that are assumed by such Member other than in connection with distribution of Company property), (ii) the fair market value of property contributed by the Member to the Company (net of liabilities secured by such contributed property that under Section 752 of the Code the Company is considered to assume or take subject to), and (iii) allocations to the Member of Company income and gain (or item thereof), including income and gain exempt from tax; and
- 4.1.1.2 decreased by (i) the amount of money distributed to the Member by the Company (including the amount of such Member's individual liabilities that are assumed by the Company other than in connection with contribution of property to the Company), (ii) the fair market value of property distributed to the Member by the Company (net of liabilities secured by such distributed property that under Section 752 of the Code such Member is considered to assume or take subject to), (iii) allocations to the Member of expenditures of the Company not deductible in computing its taxable income and not properly chargeable to capital account, and (iv) allocations to the Member of Company loss and deduction (or item thereof).
- 4.1.2 Where Section 704(c) of the Code applies to Company property or where Company property is revalued pursuant to paragraph (b)(2)(iv)(t) of Section 1.704-1 of the Income Tax Regulations, each Member's Capital Account shall be adjusted in accordance with paragraph (b)(2)(iv)(g) of Section 1.704-1 of the Income Tax Regulations as to allocations to the Members of depreciation, depletion, amortization and gain or loss, as computed for book purposes with respect to such property.
- 4.1.3 When Company property is distributed in kind (whether in connection with liquidation and dissolution or otherwise), the Capital Accounts of the Members shall first be adjusted to reflect the manner in which the unrealized income, gain, loss and deduction inherent in such property (that has not been

reflected in the Capital Account previously) would be allocated among the Members if there were a taxable disposition of such property for the fair market value of such property (taking into account Section 7701 (g) of the Code) on the date of distribution.

- 4.1.4 The Members shall direct the Company's accountants to make all necessary adjustments in each Member's Capital Account as required by the capital accounting rules of Section 704(b) of the Code and the regulations thereunder.

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ALLOCATION OF PROFITS AND LOSSES; TAX AND ACCOUNTING MATTERS

- 5.1 **Allocations.** Each Member's distributive share of income, gain, loss, deduction or credit (or items thereof) of the Company as shown on the annual federal income tax return prepared by the Company's accountants or as finally determined by the United States Internal Revenue Service or the courts, and as modified by the capital accounting rules of Section 704(b) of the Code and the Income Tax Regulations thereunder, as implemented by Section 8.5 hereof, as applicable, shall be determined as follows:

- 5.1.1 **Allocations.** Except as otherwise provided in this Section 1.1:

- 5.1.1.1 items of income, gain, loss, deduction or credit (or items thereof) shall be allocated among the members in proportion to their Percentage Interests as set forth in *Exhibit "B"*, subject to the Preferred Allocation schedule contained in *Exhibit "B"*, except that items of loss or deduction allocated to any Member pursuant to this Section 2.1 with respect to any taxable year shall not exceed the maximum amount of such items that can be so allocated without causing such Member to have a deficit balance in his or its Capital Account at the end of such year, computed in accordance with the rules of paragraph (b)(2)(ii)(d) of Section 1.704-1 of the Income Tax Regulations. Any such items of loss or deduction in excess of the limitation set forth in the preceding sentence shall be allocated as follows and in the following order of priority:

- 5.1.1.1.1 first, to those Members who would not be subject to such limitation, in proportion to their Percentage Interests, subject to the Preferred Allocation schedule contained in *Exhibit "B"*; and

- 5.1.1.1.2 second, any remaining amount to the Members in the manner required by the Code and Income Tax Regulations.

Subject to the provisions of subsections 2.1.2 – 2.1.11, inclusive, of this Agreement, the items specified in this Section 1.1 shall be allocated to the

Members as necessary to eliminate any deficit Capital Account balances and thereafter to bring the relationship among the Members' positive Capital Account balances in accord with their pro rata interests.

- 5.1.2 Allocations With Respect to Property Solely for tax purposes, in determining each Member's allocable share of the taxable income or loss of the Company, depreciation, depletion, amortization and gain or loss with respect to any contributed property, or with respect to revalued property where the Company's property is revalued pursuant to paragraph (b)(2)(iv)(f) of Section 1.704-1 of the Income Tax Regulations, shall be allocated to the Members in the manner (as to revaluations, in the same manner as) provided in Section 704(c) of the Code. The allocation shall take into account, to the full extent required or permitted by the Code, the difference between the adjusted basis of the property to the Member contributing it (or, with respect to property which has been revalued, the adjusted basis of the property to the Company) and the fair market value of the property determined by the Members at the time of its contribution or revaluation, as the case may be.
- 5.1.3 Minimum Gain Chargeback. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this Section 2.1, if there is a net decrease in Company Minimum Gain or Company Nonrecourse Debt Minimum Gain (as such terms are defined in Sections 1.704-2(b) and 1.704-2(i)(2) of the Income Tax Regulations, but substituting the term "Company" for the term "Partnership" as the context requires) during a Company taxable year, then each Member shall be allocated items of Company income and gain for such year (and, if necessary, for subsequent years) in the manner provided in Section 1.704-2 of the Income Tax Regulations. This provision is intended to be a "minimum gain chargeback" within the meaning of Sections 1.704-2(f) and 1.704-2(i)(4) of the Income Tax Regulations and shall be interpreted and implemented as therein provided.
- 5.1.4 Qualified Income Offset. Subject to the provisions of subsection 2.1.3, but otherwise notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this Section 2.1, if any Member's Capital Account has a deficit balance in excess of such Member's obligation to restore his or its Capital Account balance, computed in accordance with the rules of paragraph (b)(2)(ii)(d) of Section 1.704-1 of the Income Tax Regulations, then sufficient amounts of income and gain (consisting of a pro rata portion of each item of Company income, including gross income, and gain for such year) shall be allocated to such Member in an amount and manner sufficient to eliminate such deficit as quickly as possible. This provision is intended to be a "qualified income offset" within the meaning of Section 1.704-1(b)(2)(ii)(d) of the Income Tax Regulations and shall be interpreted and implemented as therein provided.
- 5.1.5 Depreciation Recapture. Subject to the provisions of Section 704(c) of the Code and subsections 2.1.2 – 2.1.4, inclusive, of this Agreement, gain recognized (or deemed recognized under the provisions hereof) upon the sale

or other disposition of Company property, which is subject to depreciation recapture, shall be allocated to the Member who was entitled to deduct such depreciation.

- 5.1.6 Loans If and to the extent any Member is deemed to recognize income as a result of any loans pursuant to the rules of Sections 1272, 1273, 1274, 7872 or 482 of the Code, or any similar provision now or hereafter in effect, any corresponding resulting deduction of the Company shall be allocated to the Member who is charged with the income. Subject to the provisions of Section 704(c) of the Code and subsections 2.1.2 – 2.1.4, inclusive, of this Agreement, if and to the extent the Company is deemed to recognize income as a result of any loans pursuant to the rules of Sections 1272, 1273, 1274, 7872 or 482 of the Code, or any similar provision now or hereafter in effect, such income shall be allocated to the Member who is entitled to any corresponding resulting deduction.
- 5.1.7 Tax Credits Tax credits shall generally be allocated according to Section 1.704-1(b)(4)(ii) of the Income Tax Regulations or as otherwise provided by law. Investment tax credits with respect to any property shall be allocated to the Members pro rata in accordance with the manner in which Company profits are allocated to the Members under subsection 2.1.1 hereof, as of the time such property is placed in service. Recapture of any investment tax credit required by Section 47 of the Code shall be allocated to the Members in the same proportion in which such investment tax credit was allocated.
- 5.1.8 Change of Pro Rata Interests. Except as provided in subsections 2.1.6 and 2.1.7 hereof or as otherwise required by law, if the proportionate interests of the Members of the Company are changed during any taxable year, all items to be allocated to the Members for such entire taxable year shall be prorated on the basis of the portion of such taxable year which precedes each such change and the portion of such taxable year on and after each such change according to the number of days in each such portion, and the items so allocated for each such portion shall be allocated to the Members in the manner in which such items are allocated as provided in section 2.1.1 during each such portion of the taxable year in question.
- 5.1.9 Effect of Special Allocations on Subsequent Allocations. Any special allocation of income or gain pursuant to subsections 2.1.3 or 2.1.4 hereof shall be taken into account in computing subsequent allocations of income and gain pursuant to this Section 9.1 so that the net amount of all such allocations to each Member shall, to the extent possible, be equal to the net amount that would have been allocated to each such Member pursuant to the provisions of this Section 2.1 if such special allocations of income or gain under subsection 2.1.3 or 2.1.4 hereof had not occurred.
- 5.1.10 Nonrecourse and Recourse Debt. Items of deduction and loss attributable to Member nonrecourse debt within the meaning of Section 1.7042(b)(4) of the

Income Tax Regulations shall be allocated to the Members bearing the economic risk of loss with respect to such debt in accordance with Section 1704-2(i)(l) of the Income Tax Regulations. Items of deduction and loss attributable to recourse liabilities of the Company, within the meaning of Section 1.752-2 of the Income Tax Regulations, shall be allocated among the Members in accordance with the ratio in which the Members share the economic risk of loss for such liabilities.

- 5.1.11 State and Local Items. Items of income, gain, loss, deduction, credit and tax preference for state and local income tax purposes shall be allocated to and among the Members in a manner consistent with the allocation of such items for federal income tax purposes in accordance with the foregoing provisions of this Section 2.1.

- 5.2 Accounting Matters. The Managers or, if there be no Managers then in office, the Members shall cause to be maintained complete books and records accurately reflecting the accounts, business and transactions of the Company on a calendar-year basis and using such cash, accrual, or hybrid method of accounting as in the judgment of the Manager, Management Committee or the Members, as the case may be, is most appropriate; provided, however, that books and records with respect to the Company's Capital Accounts and allocations of income, gain, loss, deduction or credit (or item thereof) shall be kept under U.S. federal income tax accounting principles as applied to partnerships.

5.3 Tax Status and Returns.

- 5.3.1 Any provision hereof to the contrary notwithstanding, solely for United States federal income tax purposes, each of the Members hereby recognizes that the Company may be subject to the provisions of Subchapter K of Chapter 1 of Subtitle A of the Code; provided, however, the filing of U.S. Partnership Returns of Income shall not be construed to extend the purposes of the Company or expand the obligations or liabilities of the Members.
- 5.3.2 The Manager(s) shall prepare or cause to be prepared all tax returns and statements, if any, that must be filed on behalf of the Company with any taxing authority, and shall make timely filing thereof. Within one-hundred twenty (120) days after the end of each calendar year, the Manager(s) shall prepare or cause to be prepared and delivered to each Member a report setting forth in reasonable detail the information with respect to the Company during such calendar year reasonably required to enable each Member to prepare his or its federal, state and local income tax returns in accordance with applicable law then prevailing.
- 5.3.3 Unless otherwise provided by the Code or the Income Tax Regulations thereunder, the current Manager(s), or if no Manager(s) shall have been elected, the Member holding the largest Percentage Interest, or if the Percentage Interests be equal, any Member shall be deemed to be the "Tax

Matters Member." The Tax Matters Member shall be the "Tax Matters Partner" for U.S. federal income tax purposes.

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EXHIBIT B

Member's Percentage Interest		Member's Capital Contributions
Shawn Bidsal	30%	\$ _____
CLA Properties, LLC	70%	\$ _____

PREFERRED ALLOCATION AND DISTRIBUTION SCHEDULE

Cash Distributions from capital transactions shall be distributed per the following method between the members of the LLC. Upon any refinancing event, and upon the sale of Company asset, cash is distributed according to a "Step-down Allocation." Step-down means that, step-by-step, cash is allocated and distributed in the following descending order of priority, until no more cash remains to be allocated. The Step-down Allocation is:

First Step, payment of all current expenses and/or liabilities of the Company;

Second Step, to pay in full any outstanding loans (unless distribution is the result of a refinance) held with financial institutions or any company loans made from Manager(s) or Member(s).

Third Step, to pay each Member an amount sufficient to bring their capital accounts to zero, pro rata based upon capital contributions.

Final Step, After the Third Step above, any remaining net profits or excess cash from sale or refinance shall be distributed to the Members fifty percent (50%) to Shawn Bidsal and fifty percent (50%) to CLA Properties, LLC.

Losses shall be allocated according to Capital Accounts.

Cash Distributions of Profits from operations shall be allocated and distributed fifty percent (50%) to Shawn Bidsal and fifty percent (50%) to CLA Properties, LLC

It is the express intent of the parties that "Cash Distributions of Profits" refers to distributions generated from operations resulting in ordinary income in contrast to Cash Distributions arising from capital transactions or non-recurring events such as a sale of all or a substantial portion of the Company's assets or a cash out financing.

EXHIBIT 107

(Shapiro Letter (38))

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EXHIBIT 107



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August 31, 2017

VIA FIRST CLASS MAIL & EMAIL TO:

Rodney T. Lewin
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Beverly Hills, CA 90211-2391
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RE: Green Valley Commerce, LLC, a Nevada limited liability company

Dear Mr. Golshani,

I am in receipt of your August 28, 2017 letter regarding Green Valley Commerce, LLC (the "Company"), wherein you incorrectly state that "[a]ll that remains is that we agree upon escrow and your client performs as required under the Operating Agreement."

As set forth in my August 5, 2017 letter to Benjamin Golshani, Shawn Bidsal has exercised his right under Article V, Section 4 of the Company's Operating Agreement, to establish the FMV by appraisal. Further, Mr. Bidsal identified the following MIA Appraisers:

For the Nevada properties:

- (1) Lubawy & Associate, 3034 South Durango, Suite 100, Las Vegas NV 89117, 702-242-9369.
- (2) Valuation Consultant, Keith Harper, 4200 Cannoli Circle, Las Vegas NV 89103, 702-222-0018.

For the Arizona properties:

- (3) Commercial Appraisals, 2415 E Camelback Rd, Ste 700, Phoenix AZ 85016, 602-254-3318.
- (4) US Property Valuations, 3219 E Camelback Rd, Phoenix AZ 85018, 602-315-4560.

Under the terms of the Operating Agreement, the ball is in Mr. Golshani's court as he must now identify which of the forgoing MIA Appraisers he desires to use, as well as identify two more MIA appraisers for the properties whom Mr. Golshani desires to use. Once Mr. Golshani provides this information, we will be able to move forward.

If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

SMITH & SHAPIRO, PLLC

EXHIBIT 38

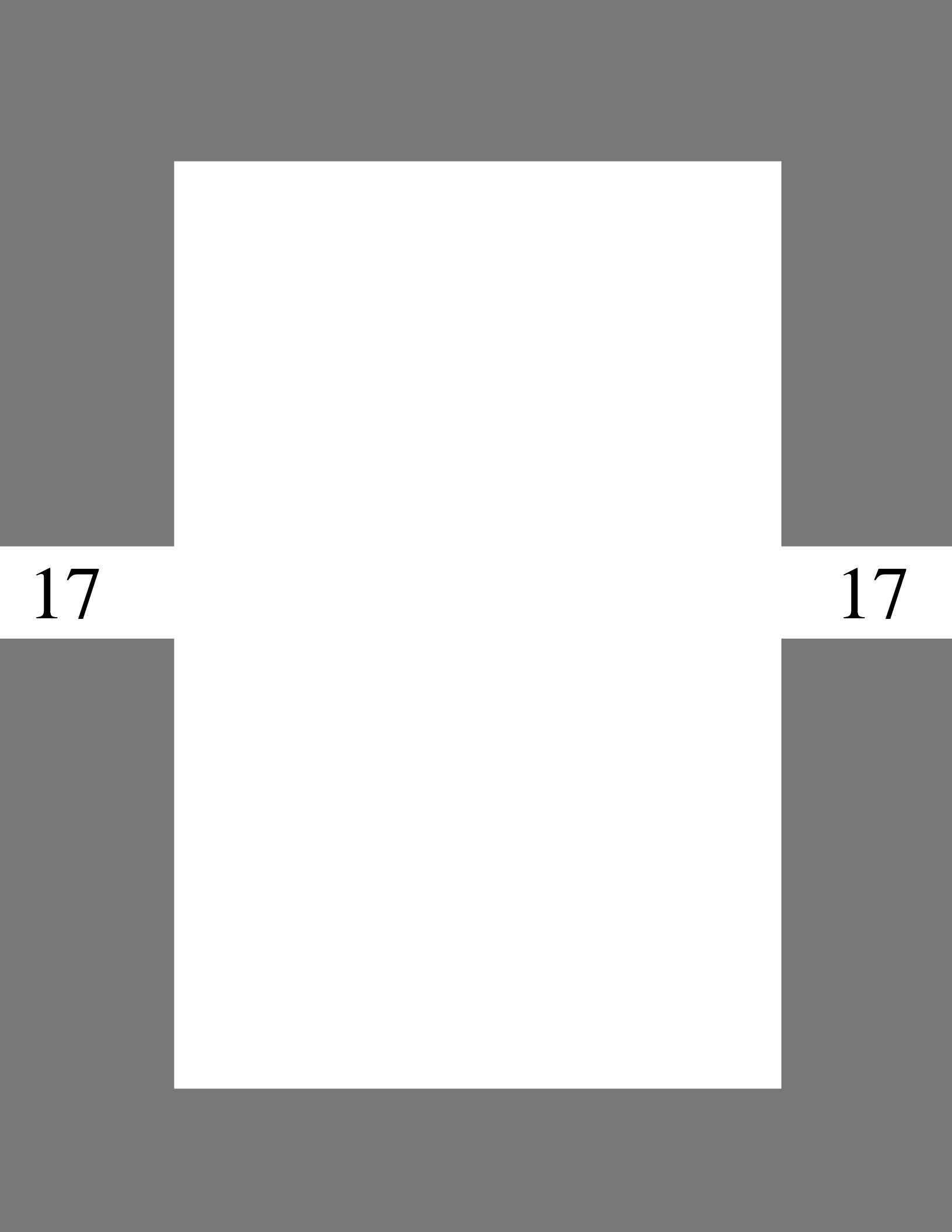
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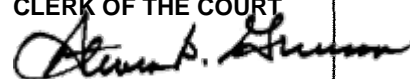
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DISTRICT COURT
CLARK COUNTY, NEVADA

CLA PROPERTIES LLC, a limited liability)
company,)
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Petitioner,)
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vs.)
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SHAWN BIDSAL, an individual,)
)
Respondent.)

Case No.: A-19-795188-P

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**APPENDIX TO MEMORANDUM OF
POINTS AND AUTHORITIES IN
SUPPORT OF PETITION FOR
CONFIRMATION OF ARBITRATION
AWARD AND IN OPPOSITION TO
COUNTER-PETITION TO VACATE
AWARD-Part 2**

Petitioner CLA Properties LLC ("CLA"), hereby submits its Part 1 of Appendix to its
Memorandum of Points and Authorities in Support of its Petition for Confirmation of Arbitration
Award and in Opposition to Counter Petition to Vacate Award entered on April 5, 2019, in JAMS
Arbitration Number: 1260004569 in favor of CLA and against Respondent, Shawn Bidsal ("Bidsal").
Dated this 5th day of August, 2019.

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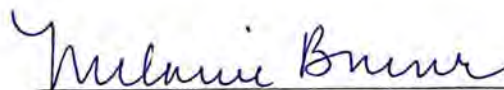
App.	PART	EXHIBIT	DATE	DESCRIPTION (<i>italics presented by Bidsal in arbitration</i>) (Parenthetical number is exhibit identification at arbitration hearing)
000003	1	101.	09/22/11	Golshani e-mail with rough draft (20, 316 and N)
000007	1	102.	11/10/11	LeGrand e-mail (24)
000012	1	103.	11/29/11	LeGrand e-mail with draft (26)
000043	1	104.	12/10/11	LeGrand e-mail (27)
000045	1	105.	06/19/13	<i>LeGrand e-mail and Agreement (343)</i>
000104	1	106.	10/02/13	<i>Bidsal e-mail with Agreement (344)</i>
000164	1	107.	08/31/17	Shapiro letter (38)
000166	2	108.	01/08/18	<i>Respondent's Opening Brief</i>
000374	3	109.	01/08/18	CLA Rule 18 Motion for Summary Disposition
000430	3	110.	01/19/18	<i>Respondent's Responding Brief</i>
000439	3	111.	01/19/18	CLA Response to Bidsal's Opening Brief
000455	3	112.	01/25/18	<i>Respondent's Reply Brief</i>
000468	3	113.	01/25/18	CLA Reply Brief In Support of Rule 18 Motion
000481	3	114.	03/21/18	<i>Bidsal's Exhibit 351</i>
000483	3	115.	05/03/18	<i>Respondent's Hearing Brief</i>
000515	3	116.	05/03/18	Claimant's Hearing Brief
000559	4	117.	05/08/18	Transcript of arbitration hearing-Day 1
000781	5	117.	05/09/18	Transcript of arbitration hearing-Day 2
000984	6	118.	06/28/18	Claimant's Closing Argument Brief
001030	6	119.	06/28/18	<i>Respondent's Post-Arbitration Opening Brief</i>
001066	6	120.	07/18/18	Claimant's Closing Argument Responsive Brief
001114	6	121.	07/18/18	<i>Respondent's Post Arbitration Response Brief</i>

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

Pursuant to Nevada Rules of Civil Procedure 5(b), I hereby certify that I am an employee of LEVINE & GARFINKEL, and that on the 5th day of August, 2019, I caused the foregoing **APPENDIX TO MEMORANDUM OF POINTS AND AUTHORITIES IN SUPPORT OF PETITION FOR CONFIRMATION OF ARBITRATION AWARD AND IN OPPOSITION TO COUNTER-PETITION TO VACATE AWARD-Part 2** to be served as follows:

- ☐ by placing a true and correct copy of the same to be deposited for mailing in the US Mail at Las Vegas, Nevada, enclosed in a sealed envelope upon which first class postage was fully prepaid; and or
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(Respondent's Opening Brief (RB I))

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 10 CLA PROPERTIES, LLC, a California limited
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Reference #: 1260004569

11 vs. Claimant,

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13 SHAWN BIDSAL,

14 Respondent.

RESPONDENT SHAWN BIDSAL'S OPENING BRIEF

16 COMES NOW Respondent SHAWN BIDSAL, an individual ("Bidsal"), by and through his
 17 attorneys of record, SMITH & SHAPIRO, PLLC and GOODKIN & LYNCH, LLP, and files his
 18 Opening Brief, as follows:

I.

PRELIMINARY STATEMENT

21 The dispute boils down to who (Bidsal or CLA Properties, LLC ("CLAP")) is entitled to
 22 purchase the membership interest of the other party and for what amount. Both of these questions
 23 boil down to an interpretation of Section 4 of the Operating Agreement of Green Valley Commerce,
 24 LLC, a Nevada limited liability company (the "Company" or "Green Valley"). CLAP's proposed
 25 interpretation requires the Arbitrator to completely ignore the majority of the language of Section 4.2,
 26 while Bidsal's interpretation gives meaning and effect to all of the language of Section 4.2.

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II.

STATEMENT OF FACTS

On or about May 26, 2011, Benjamin Golshani ("**Golshani**"), the Manager of CLAP, and Bidsal formed Green Valley. *See* Declaration of Shawn Bidsal attached hereto as ***Exhibit "C"*** and incorporated herein by this reference. Thereafter, Golshani (acting on behalf of CLAP) and Bidsal began working on the terms of a proposed operating agreement for the Company. *See* Exhibit "C".

A. THE FORMATION OF THE OPERATING AGREEMENT.

CLAP and Bidsal agreed to use David LeGrand ("**LeGrand**") to assist in preparing the operating agreement. *See* Exhibit "C". The initial draft of the proposed operating agreement did not contain any buy-out language. *See* Exhibit "C". On August 18, 2011, Golshani spoke with LeGrand to discuss the terms of the proposed operating agreement. *See* LeGrand's August 18, 2011 email, a true and correct copy of which is attached hereto as ***Exhibit "D"*** and incorporated herein by this reference. Later that day, LeGrand circulated a revised operating agreement (which did *not* include the language at issue). *See* Exhibits "C" & "D". At some point after August 18, 2011, CLAP and Bidsal signed the current version of the operating agreement (the "**Operating Agreement**"). A true and correct copy of Green Valley Operating Agreement signed by CLAP and Bidsal is attached hereto as ***Exhibit "E"*** and incorporated herein by this reference.

It is important to note that Golshani is the one who came up with the language in Section 4 of Article V of the Operating Agreement (for ease of reference, this will be referred to simply as "**Section 4**"). This fact is confirmed in an email from LeGrand sent on June 19, 2013, which stated:

Ben and Shawn: attached please find a new OPAG [*operating agreement*] for Mission Square. Apparently there was a little confusion about which GVC [*Green Valley Commerce*] OPAG I was to use as a base document. This revised version is based upon the GVC OPAG **that has Ben's language on buy sell.**

A true and correct copy of LeGrand's June 19, 2013 email is attached hereto as ***Exhibit "F"*** and incorporated herein by this reference. Attached to the email was a copy of one of the drafts of the Green Valley operating agreement, as well as a proposed operating agreement for Mission Square. *See* Exhibit "F". However, prior to signing the Mission Square operating agreement, the following sentence was inserted at the front of the 3rd paragraph of Section 4.2: "After the determination of the

(FMV),”. See page 10 of the Mission Square Operating Agreement, a true and correct copy of which is attached hereto as **Exhibit “G”** and incorporated herein by this reference. While the Mission Square Operating Agreement has many differences when compared to the Green Valley Operating Agreement, outside of the forgoing sentence, Section 4.2 of both Operating Agreements are identical. See Exhibits “E” and “G”. Because of this, the additional language in the Mission Square operating agreement is helpful in clarifying the intent of the parties relating to Section 4.2 of the Green Valley Operating Agreement.

As LeGrand’s June 19, 2013 email makes clear, the buy-sell language contained in Section 4 of Green Valley’s Operating Agreement (as well as the Mission Square operating agreement) was proposed and provided by Golshani. See Exhibit “F” and Exhibit “G”.

B. THE LANGUAGE OF THE OPERATING AGREEMENT.

The present dispute revolves around Section 4, which is the buy-sell language proposed and provided by Golshani, and which provides as follows (for ease of reference, each paragraph in Sections 4.1 and 4.2 have been numbered Nos. 1 through 4 and Nos. 1 through 7, respectively [*the entire notated language is attached as Exhibit “B”*]):

Section 4.1 Definitions

- ① Offering Member means the member who offers to purchase the Membership Interest(s) of the Remaining Member(s). “Remaining Members” means the Members who received an offer (from Offering Member) to sell their shares.
- ② “COP” means “cost of purchase” as it specified in the escrow closing statement at the time of purchase of each property owned by the Company.
- ③ “Seller” means the Member that accepts the offer to sell his or its Membership Interest.
- ④ “**FMV**” means “fair market value” obtained as specified in section 4.2

Section 4.2 Purchase or Sell Procedure.

- ① Any Member (“Offering Member”) may give notice to the Remaining Member(s) that he or it is ready, willing and able to purchase the Remaining Members’ Interests for a price the Offering Member thinks is the fair market value. The terms to be all cash and close escrow within 30 days of the acceptance.

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- ② If the offered price is not acceptable to the Remaining Member(s), within 30 days of receiving the offer, the Remaining Members (or any of them) can request to establish FMV based on the following procedure. The Remaining Member(s) must provide the Offering Member the complete information of 2 MIA appraisers. The Offering Member must pick one of the appraisers to appraise the property and furnish a copy to all Members. The Offering Member also must provide the Remaining Members with the complete information of 2 MIA approved appraisers. The Remaining Members must pick one of the appraisers to appraise the property and furnish a copy to all Members. The medium of these 2 appraisals constitute the fair market value of the property which is called (FMV).
- ③ [After the determination of the (FMV),]¹ The Offering Member has the option to offer to purchase the Remaining Member's share at FMV as determined by Section 4.2, based on the following formula.
- ④ $(FMV - COP) \times 0.5$ plus capital contribution of the Remaining Member(s) at the time of purchasing the property minus prorated liabilities.
- ⑤ The Remaining Member(s) shall have 30 days within which to respond in writing to the Offering Member by either
 - (i) **Accepting** the Offering Member's purchase offer, or.
 - (ii) **Rejecting** the purchase offer and making a **counteroffer** to purchase the interest of the Offering Member based upon the **same fair market value (FMV)** according to the following formula.
- ⑥ $(FMV - COP) \times 0.5 +$ capital contribution of the Offering Member(s) at the time of purchasing the property minus prorated liabilities.
- ⑦ The specific *intent of this provision* is that once the Offering Member presented his or its offer to the Remaining Members, then the Remaining Members shall either sell or buy at the same offered price (or FMV if appraisal is invoked) and according to the procedure set forth in Section 4. In the case that the Remaining Member(s) decide to purchase, then Offering Member shall be obligated to sell his or its Member Interests to the remaining Member(s).

Section 4.3 Failure to Respond Constitutes Acceptance

Failure by all or any of the Remaining Members to respond to the Offering Member's notice within the thirty (30 day) [sic] period shall be deemed to constitute an acceptance of the Offering Member.

See pages 10 and 11 of Exhibit "E" (emphasis added); See also Exhibit "B".

C. THE BUY-SELL OFFER.

On July 7, 2017, Bidsal propounded a written Offer to purchase CLAP's Membership Interest in the Company pursuant to Section 4, at a price which Bidsal thought was the fair market value which was derived without the benefit of a formal appraisal. A true and correct copy of Bidsal's July 7, 2017

¹ This language is not in the Green Valley Operating Agreement [Exhibit "E"], but was in the Mission Square operating agreement [Exhibit "E"], which was negotiated and signed at the same time. It's inclusion provides insight into the intent of Section 4.2, which is otherwise identical in both operating agreements.

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letter is attached hereto as *Exhibit "H"* and incorporated herein by this reference; *See also* Exhibit "C". On August 3, 2017, CLAP provided a response. A true and correct copy of CLAP's August 3, 2017 letter is attached hereto as *Exhibit "I"* and incorporated herein by this reference; *See also* Exhibit "C". On August 5, 2017, Bidsal sent a letter back to CLAP. A true and correct copy of Bidsal's August 5, 2017 letter is attached hereto as *Exhibit "J"* and incorporated herein by this reference; *See also* Exhibit "C".

A dispute has arisen regarding the proper interpretation and application of Section 4 as it relates to the July 7, 2017, August 3, 2017 and August 5, 2017 correspondence between Bidsal and CLAP. CLAP has taken the position that it is entitled to purchase Bidsal's membership interest for the offered price contained in Bidsal's July 7, 2017 letter. However, as is outlined below, that position is not supported by the language of Section 4. Under the terms of Section 4, CLAP's August 3, 2017 constitutes a non-response, allowing Bidsal to purchase CLAP's membership interest at the offered price. Alternatively, if CLAP's August 3, 2017 is determined to be a valid response, then CLAP must pay FMV (as that term is defined in Section 4.2) for Bidsal's membership interest.

II.

STATEMENT OF AUTHORITIES

The present dispute boils down to who (Bidsal or CLAP) gets to purchase the membership interest of the other party and for what amount.

A. ANY AMBIGUITY IN SECTION 4 OF ARTICLE V OF THE OPERATING AGREEMENT IS TO BE CONSTRUED AGAINST CLAP AND IN FAVOR OF BIDSAL.

The Nevada Supreme Court has made it clear that: "An ambiguous contract is susceptible to more than one reasonable interpretation, and '[a]ny ambiguity, moreover, should be construed against the drafter.'" Am. First Fed. Credit Union v. Soro, 131 Nev. Adv. Op. 73, 359 P.3d 105, 106 (Nev. 2015) citing to Anvui, LLC v. G.L. Dragon, LLC, 123 Nev. 212, 215-16, 163 P.3d 405, 407 (Nev. 2007).

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1 As is outlined above, the buy-sell language contained in Section 4 was proposed and provided
 2 by Golshani, the Manager of CLAP. See Exhibit "F". Thus, to the extent that there are any ambiguities
 3 in Section 4, that language is to be construed against CLAP and in favor of Bidsal.

4 **B. LEGAL STANDARD ON CONTRACT INTERPRETATION.**

5 Under Nevada law, in interpreting an agreement the court may not modify it, or create a new
 6 contract. A court is not at liberty to revise agreement while professing to construe it. See, *Mohr Park*
 7 *Manner, Inc. v. Mohr* (1967) 83 Nev. 107, Appeal after Remand, 87 Nev. 520, (1967); *Old Aztec*
 8 *Mine, Inc. v. Brown*, 97 Nev. 49, 623 P.2d 981 (1981).

9 In its interpretation of a contract, a trial court may examine both words and action of
 10 parties. See, *Fox v. First Western Savings & Loan Association*, (1970) 86 Nev. 469, 470. In construing
 11 an ambiguous contract, court should place itself as nearly as possible in the situation of the
 12 parties. See, *Barringer v. Gunderson*, 81 Nev. 288 (1965) 402 P.2d 470.

13 If logically and legally permissible, a contract should be construed give effect to valid
 14 contractual relations rather than rendering agreement invalid or rendering performance
 15 impossible. See, *Mohr Park Manner, Inc. v. Mohr, supra*, 83 Nev. 107. A court should not interpret
 16 a contract so as to make its provisions meaningless. See, *Phillips v. Mercer* (1978) 94 Nev. 279, 579
 17 P.2d 174. Contractual provisions should be harmonized whenever possible and construed to reach a
 18 reasonable solution. See, *Eversole v. Sunrise Villas VIII Homeowners Association* (1996) 112 Nev.
 19 1255.

20 When a document is clear and unambiguous on its face, the court must construe the document
 21 according to its language. See, *Renshaw v. Renshaw* (1980) 96 Nev. 541; *Southern Trust Mortgage*
 22 *Company v. K & B Door Company, Inc.* (1988) 104 Nev. 564, 763 P.2d 353, Rehearing Denied; *Love*
 23 *v. Love* (1988) 114 Nev. 572. Thus, courts are bound by language which is clear and free of ambiguity
 24 and cannot, using guise of interpretation, distort plain meaning of agreement. See, *Watson v. Watson*
 25 (1979) 95 Nev. 495, 496 P.2d 507.

26 Where, however, two interpretations of contract are possible, the court will prefer the
 27 interpretation which gives meaning to both or all provisions rather than an interpretation which
 28 renders one of the provisions meaningless. See, *Ouirrion v. Sherman* (1993) 109 Nev. 62, 846 P.2d