### IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

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### CLA PROPERTIES LLC, A CALIFORNIA LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY,

Appellant,

vs.

SHAWN BIDSAL, AN INDIVIDUAL,

Respondent.

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Appellant,

VS.

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Respondent.

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### Rodney T. Lewin

From: Sent: To: Cc: Subject: James E. Shapiro [JShapiro@smithshapiro.com] Wednesday, August 16, 2017 1:58 PM rod@rtlewin.com Andrew Blaylock RE: Benjamin Golshani / Shawn Bidsal

Rod,

Mission Square Arbitration – We appreciate the offer, but Mr. Bidsal is not interested in arbitrating the Mission Square dispute.

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**Distributions** – There are only two members and they routinely make distributions. We currently see no reason to freeze distributions so long as they are made in accordance with the terms of the Operating Agreement.

Sincerely,

James E. Shapiro, Esq.



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From: Rodney T. Lewin [mailto:rod@rtlewin.com]
Sent: Wednesday, August 16, 2017 11:05 AM
To: James E. Shapiro 
JShapiro@smithshapiro.com>
Cc: Andrew Blaylock 
ABlaylock@smithshapiro.com>; 'Ben Gol' 
bengol7@yahoo.com>; 'Shawn Gol' 
shawn.golshani@gmail.com>
Subject: RE: Benjamin Golshani / Shawn Bidsal

What about the freeze on distributions? You did not respond.

Do you want to submit both issues to arbitration? If so I will ask my client if he is willing.

Rodney T. Lewin Law Offices of Rodney T. Lewin, APC 8665 Wilshire Blvd Suite 210 Beverly Hills, California 90211-2931 Tele: 310-659-6771 Fax: 310-659-7354 F-Mail: <u>rod@rtlewin.com</u>

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From: James E. Shapiro [mailto:JShapiro@smithshapiro.com] Sent: Wednesday, August 16, 2017 10:56 AM To: rod@rtlewin.com Cc: Andrew Blaylock Subject: RE: Benjamin Golshani / Shawn Bidsal

Rod,

Mr. Bidsal will not move forward with any contracts to sell any of the properties, but reserves his right to seek damages against Mr. Golshani based upon Mr. Golshani terminating the pending transactions.

With respect to the disagreement, it appears that the matter will need to be resolved through litigation as Mr. Golshani and Mr. Bidsal were unable to resolve their differences. The Green Valley Commerce Operating Agreement requires all disputes to be resolved via Arbitration with JAMS in Las Vegas, Nevada. Mr. Bidsal is ready to proceed forward with arbitration in accordance with the terms of the Operating Agreement.

However, the Mission Square Operating Agreement does not contain an arbitration provision, but does state that Nevada law applies. As such, Mr. Bidsal has directed our firm to initiate a lawsuit here in Nevada to resolve the dispute relative to the Mission Square dispute. I will email you a copy of the Complaint once it has been filed.

Let me know you would like to proceed with the Green Valley Commerce dispute.

Sincerely,

James E. Shapiro, Esq.



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To: James E. Shapiro <<u>JShapiro@smithshapiro.com</u>>
Cc: 'Ben Gol' <<u>bengol7@yahoo.com</u>>; 'Shawn Gol' <<u>shawn.golshani@gmail.com</u>>
Subject: RE: Benjamin Golshani / Shawn Bidsal
Importance: High

James,

re you going to provide a response to my emails (below) -this is the third request.

Rodney T. Lewin Law Offices of Rodney T. Lewin, APC APPENDIX (PX)002085

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8665 Wilshire Blvd Suite 210 Beverly Hills, California 70211-2931 riele: 310-659-6771 Fax: 310-659-7354 E-Mail: <u>rod@rtlewin.com</u>

From: James E. Shapiro [mailto:JShapiro@smithshapiro.com] Sent: Monday, August 14, 2017 3:02 PM To: rod@rtlewin.com Subject: RE: Benjamin Golshani / Shawn Bidsal

Rodney,

Let me know talk to Shawn to see how the meeting went and I'll get a response over to you.

Sincerely,

James E. Shapiro, Esq.



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From: Rodney T. Lewin [mailto:rod@rtlewin.com] Sent: Monday, August 14, 2017 2:00 PM To: James E. Shapiro <<u>JShapiro@smithshapiro.com</u>> Cc: 'Ben Gol' <<u>bengol7@yahoo.com</u>> Subject: FW: Benjamin Golshani / Shawn Bidsal Importance: High

James can I get a response to my emails below? Otherwise we will be forced to take action to preserve my clients rights, which I believe should not be necessary. Thanks. Rod

From: Rodney T. Lewin [mailto:rod@rtlewin.com] Sent: Thursday, August 10, 2017 12:55 PM To: 'James E. Shapiro' Cc: 'Ben Gol' Subject: FW: Benjamin Golshani / Shawn Bidsal Importance: High

James please confirm the understanding of the issues raised in my August 8 email which for convenience I set forth below:

To clarify, keeping the status quo means that no contracts of any kind, including contracts for the purchase or sale of real estate, or for any other material asset, shall be entered into, and that no distributions of any of the funds of either of the LLCs shall be made pending the resolution of our dispute concerning the purchase of the \_3idsal interests in Mission Square, LLC and Green Valley Commerce, LLC. Please acknowledge Mr. Bidsal's agreement regarding this.

As a corollary, as we further discussed, the appraisal process relating to both entities shall be put on hold pending the resolution of the dispute, whether by arbitration or agreement. Again, please acknowledge Mr. Bidsal's agreement regarding this.

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From: Rodney T. Lewin [mailto:rod@rtlewin.com] Sent: Tuesday, August 08, 2017 2:44 PM To: 'James E. Shapiro' Cc: 'Ben Gol' Subject: RE: Benjamin Golshani / Shawn Bidsal

James good talking to you. Thank you for your email below.

To clarify, keeping the status quo means that no contracts of any kind, including contracts for the purchase or sale of real estate, or for any other material asset, shall be entered into, and that no distributions of any of the funds of either of the LLCs shall be made pending the resolution of our dispute concerning the purchase of the Bidsal interests in Mission Square, LLC and Green Valley Commerce, LLC. Please acknowledge Mr. Bidsal's agreement regarding this.

As a corollary, as we further discussed, the appraisal process relating to both entities shall be put on hold pending the resolution of the dispute, whether by arbitration or agreement. Again, please acknowledge Mr. Bidsal's agreement regarding this.

As you mentioned our clients will be meeting to see if they can accomplish an informal resolution. In that regard no oral agreement resolving the dispute concerning the terms of the purchase shall be deemed effective or binding until and unless there is a written agreement signed by both parties.

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In connection with the my clients election to purchase the interests of Mr. Bidsal in Mission Square, LLC and Green Valley Commerce, LLC, we have a fundamental disagreement. We don't the operating agreement gives Mr. Bidsal the right to invoke the appraisal process once my client has accepted his offer. The language at the end of Section 4.2 states 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." We believe it is clear that the only party who has the right to exercise the appraisal process is the Remaining Member; and that your client, having made the offer is bound y his asking price.

Unless the clients can reach an agreement, we demand arbitration respect to both entities. We can wait until the clients meet which I understand is happening this Friday, and then discuss the procedure, if necessary.

Thank you.

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From: James E. Shapiro [mailto:JShapiro@smithshapiro.com] Sent: Tuesday, August 08, 2017 1:03 PM To: Rodney Lewin Subject: Benjamin Golshani / Shawn Bidsal

Rod,

I spoke to my client about this. Apparently, our clients will be meeting this weekend to discuss this issue and see if they can resolve the issue. In the meantime, my client has agreed to maintain the status quo.

Sincerely,

James E. Shapiro, Esq. jshapiro@SmithShapiro.com

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August 28, 2017

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James E. Shapiro, Esq. Smith & Shapiro 2520 St. Rose Parkway, Suite 220 Henderson, NV 89074

### Re: Green Valley Commerce, LLC, a Nevada Limited Liability Company; **Proof of Funds to Purchase Membership Interest**

Dear Mr. Shapiro,

As you know, we represent CLA Properties, LLC. Please be advised that my client has all of the funds required to close the escrow for the purchase of Mr. Bidsal's membership interest in Green Valley commerce, LLC as shown by the attached statements. All that remains is that we agree upon escrow and your client performs as required under the Operating Agreement. We reiterate our demand that Mr. Bidsal do so without delay.

Please advise if you have any questions regarding the foregoing.

Cordially,

Very truly yours,

LAW OFFICE OF RODNEY T. LEWIN A Professional Corporation RODNEY T. LEWIN

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RTL/b Attachments Cc: Client via email Louis Garfinkel via email

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CLA Properties, LLC 2801 S Main st Los Angeles, CA 90007

Dear To whom it may concern:

This letter is verification that the Customer named above has the following deposit accounts with Wells Fargo.

Date Opened	Current Balance*
12/09/2015	2,010,051.54

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Thank you. We appreciate your business.

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Thank you. We appreciate your business.

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August 25, 2017

#### TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

This is to certify that Mr. Benjamin Golshani, CEO of CLA Properties is maintaining business checking accounts and other allied accounts with us satisfactorily since 1996. The available balance in the accounts as of August 24, 2017 has been \$1,103,168.00.

The accounts have remained in good standing throughout.

This certificate has been issued upon the specific request of the customer without any risk and responsibility on the part of our bank or any of its employees.

In case of any questions, please contact Arpine Nahapetyan at 213-362-0589.

Authorized Signature

Authorized Signature

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James E. Shapiro, Esq. jshapiro@smithshapiro.com

August 31, 2017

#### VIA FIRST CLASS MAIL & EMAIL TO:

**Rodney T. Lewin** 8665 Wilshire Boulevard, Suite 210 Beverly Hills, CA 90211-2391 *rod@rtlewin.com* 

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

Dear Mr. Golshani,

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For the Nevada properties:

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(2) Valuation Consultant, Keith Harper, 4200 Cannoli Circle, Las Vegas NV 89103, 702-222-0018.

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

Sincerely,

SMITH & SHAPIRO, PLLC James E. Shapiro, Esq.

cc: Shawn Bidsal

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Main 2520 St. Rose Parkway, Suite 220 Henderson, NV 89074 West 2915 Lake East Drive Las Vegas, NV 89117 Office 702.318.5033 Fax 702.318.5034

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RODNEY T. LEWIN A PROFESSIONAL CORPORATION 8665 WILSHIRE BOULEVARD, SUITE 210 BEVERLY HILLS, CALIFORNIA 90211-2931 TELEPHONE: (310) 659-6771 TELECOPIER:(310) 659-7354 RANDALL A. SPENCER<sup>®</sup> RICHARD D. AGAY MICHAEL Y. LAVAEE OF COUNSEL \*ALSO LICENSED IN ILLINOIS

WRITER'S EMAIL: ROD@RTLEWIN.COM

October 10, 2017

Via email and fax jshapiro@smithshapiro.com (702) 318-5034

James E. Shapiro, Esq. Smith & Shapiro 2520 St. Rose Parkway, Suite 220 Henderson, NV 89074

Re: Green Valley Commerce, LLC, a Nevada Limited Liability

Company;

Dear James,

Following up on our conversation regarding the demand for a "representative" meeting, we believe that has already occurred. After the dispute arose our clients met for hours and were unable to reach a resolution. You and I had email communications regarding that meeting. Is there some reason you believe that meeting has not satisfied the requirements under the operating agreement? Please advise.

Cordially,

Very truly yours,

LAW OFFICE OF RODNEY T. LEWIN A Professional Corporation RODNEY T. LEWIN

RTL/b

cc: Client via email Louis Garfinkel via email

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# EXHIBIT 37

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From: shawn bidsal [mailto:wcico@yahoo.com] Sent: Monday, December 12, 2011 9:28 AM To: David LeGrand <dgllawyer@hotmail.com>; bahman gholshani <bengol7@yahoo.com> Subject: Re: GVC OPAG

the operating agreements are finished and signed thanks shawn

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# **EXHIBIT 38**

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August 31, 2017

James E. Shapiro, Esq. jshapiro@smithshapiro.com

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cc: Shawn Bidsal

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#### OPERATING AGREEMENT For

### CHEYENNE TECHNOLOGY PARK, LLC A California Limited Liability Company

This Operating Agreement (this "Agreement") is made as of February 1, 2003, by and among the parties listed on the signature pages hereof (collectively referred to as the "Members" or individually as a "Member"), with reference to the following facts:

A. The Members caused to be filed Articles of Organization (the "Articles") for CHEYENNE TECHNOLOGY PARK LLC (the "Company"), a limited liability company under the laws of the State of Nevada, with the Nevada Secretary of State on November 21, 2002.

B. The Members have caused the Company to file a Limited Liability Company Application for Registration, Form LLC-5, with the California Secretary of State.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Members of this Agreement set forth the operating agreement for the Company upon the terms and subject to the conditions of this Agreement.

#### <u>ARTICLE I</u> ORGANIZATIONAL MATTERS

1.1 <u>Name</u>. The name of the Company shall be "Cheyenne Technology Park, LLC." The Company may conduct business under that name or any other name approved by the Members.

1.2 <u>Term</u>. The Company's existence commenced as of the date of the filing of the Articles and shall continue until dissolved pursuant to the provisions of this Agreement.

1.3 <u>Office and Agent</u>. The Company shall continuously maintain an office and registered agent in the State of California as required by the Act. The principal office of the Company shall be at 14039 Sherman Way, Suite 201, Van Nuys, California 91405, or such other location as the Members may determine. The registered agent shall be as stated in the Articles or as otherwise determined by the Members.

1.4 <u>Business of the Company</u>. Notwithstanding the Company's purpose described in the Articles, the Company shall not engage in any business other than the following without the consent of all of the Members:

- (a) the business of the management, operation, and ownership of that certain improved real property commonly known as 1455 W. Highland, San Bernardino, California (the "Property"); and
- (b) such other activities directly related to the foregoing business as may be necessary or advisable in the reasonable opinion of the Members to further such business.



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#### ARTICLE II CAPITAL CONTRIBUTIONS

2.1 <u>Capital Contributions</u>. Each Member shall make a cash contribution to the Company's capital in the amount shown opposite the Member's name on **Exhibit "A"** to this Agreement. No Member shall be required to make any additional capital contributions to the Company. Additional contributions to the company's capital shall be made only with the unanimous consent of the Members. Except as provided in this Agreement, no Member may withdraw his or her capital contribution.

#### ARTICLE III MEMBERS

3.1 <u>Admission of Additional Members</u>. Additional Members may be admitted with the unanimous approval of all Members. Additional Members will participate in the Company's management, Net Profits, Net Losses, and distributions on such<sup>5</sup> terms as the Members determine. The Members shall amend **Exhibit "A"** on the admission of an additional Member to set forth such Member's name and capital contribution. "<u>Net Profits</u>" and "<u>Net Losses</u>" shall mean the income, gain, loss, deductions, and credits of the Company in the aggregate or separately stated, as appropriate, determined in accordance with the method of accounting at the close of each fiscal year employed on the Company's information tax return filed for federal income tax

Buy/Sell of Member Interest. Any Member ("Offering Member") may, at any 3.2 time such Member is not in default pursuant to this Agreement, offer by written notice ("Notice") either to sell such Member's interest in the Company to the other Member(s) ("Non-Offering Members") or to buy a Non-Offering Member's interest in the Company. The Notice shall specify the Offering Member's appraisal of the value of the Property owned by the Company net of loans from Members and third parties ("Company's Value"), and also payment terms. The Non-Offering Member(s) shall elect, no later than thirty (30) days after receipt of the Notice, either to purchase the Company's interest of the Offering Member or to sell the Non-Offering Member's interest to the Offering Member on the same payment terms. Should the Non-Offering Member fail to elect either to buy or sell, the Offering Member may make such election on or before the date thirty (30) days after the expiration of the previous thirty (30) day period. The purchase and sale pursuant to this provision shall be for cash at the closing, which shall occur no later than one hundred twenty (120) days after the date of the Notice. The purchase price shall be in an amount equal to the Company's Value. If the parties are unable to agree to terms of the Notice, the Company's Value, or the purchase or sale of the Member's interests, the parties shall submit the matter to binding arbitration pursuant to section 6.16 below.

3.3 <u>Payments to Members</u>. Except as specified in this Agreement, no Member or person or entity controlled by, controlling or under common control with the Members (each such person or entity is defined as an "Affiliate"), is entitled to remuneration for services rendered or goods provided to the Company. However, the Company shall reimburse the Members and their Affiliates for organizational expenses (including, without limitation, legal. and accounting fees and costs) incurred to form the Company, prepare the Articles and this

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Agreement and, as approved by the Members, for the actual cost of goods and materials used by the Company.

3.4 <u>Sale of Property</u>. The Members must unanimously agree, in writing, to sell the Property, and to the terms of such sale, or the acquisition of new real property by the Company. If the Property is sold, any Member who made a cash contribution shall be paid back first in the amount of that Member's cash contribution. Member Hersel Tabankia ("Mr. Tabankia") made an initial cash contribution of \$1,100,000, to acquire the Property at a February 7, 2003 judicial foreclosure sale and an additional \$250,000 to later acquire the redemption rights, for a total of \$1,350,000. Upon a sale or transfer, Mr. Tabankia shall be first reimbursed \$1,350,000, ("Reimbursement Amount"). Any disputes in this regard shall be resolved in accordance with section 6.16.

3.4.1 <u>Apportionment of Gain Upon Sale</u>. After paying the Reimbursement Amount to Mr. Tabankia, Members shall split all net proceeds from the sale of the Property with 70% payable to Mr. Tabankia and 30% payable to Member West Coast Investments, Inc.

3.4.2 <u>Apportionment of Loss Upon Sale</u>. Should the net proceeds from the sale of the Property be less than the Reimbursement Amount, the Company shall pay to Mr. Tabankia all net proceeds. In this scenario, WCI shall receive none of the net proceeds and no contribution shall be required from WCI to make up the difference between the net proceeds and the Reimbursement Amount.

3.5 <u>Refinance or Transfer of the Property</u>. The Members must unanimously agree, in writing, to refinance or pledge the Property as collateral for any loan, and to the terms of any such refinance or hypothecation, and to the use of the money obtained from any such financing, and must unanimously agree, in writing, to transfer the Property, either under IRS Code Section 1031, or otherwise. It is the intent of the Members that the amount of any loans obtained by the Company remains in the Company to use as working capital to acquire other properties, unless otherwise agreed by the Members. Any disputes in this regard shall be resolved in accordance with section 6.16.

3.6 <u>Apportionment of Net Monthly Profits/Losses</u>. The Members shall split all monthly net income from the rents issues and profits of the Property with 70% payable to Mr. Tabankia and 30% payable to WCI, paid monthly to the Members. The 30% of net monthly income will be paid to WCI in lieu of any property management fees. If at any time, there is no net monthly income, then the Members shall fund the operation of the Property on such terms as they shall agree.

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### 3.7

Death or Disability of Member Hersel Tabankia. Upon the death or disability (i.e. disabled in such condition that substantially limits or prevents such person from performing, on a full-time basis, his or her duties, or lacking in mental capacities to be able to undertake such duties, or rendered disabled under the provisions of any disability policy) of Member Hersel Tabankia, then his wife Shahnaz Lalezarzedeh-Tabanki (aka Shahnaz Tabankia) shall automatically have all ownership, rights, options, privileges, powers, and authority previously held by Member Hersel Tabankia, including without limitation the right to sign any and all documents relating to the Company, on behalf of Hersel Tabankia, without the need for any power of attorney, probate or conservatorship proceeding, or other court order.

#### ARTICLE IV MANAGEMENT

Management and Powers. All Members must unanimously agree to those items 4.1 listed in sections 3.4 and 3.5, above. Except as to those items listed in sections 3.4 and 3.5 above, only Member WCI shall have full, complete and exclusive authority, power, and discretion to manage and control the Company's business, property and affairs, to make all decisions regarding those matters, and to perform any and all other acts or activities customary or incident to the management of the Company's business, property and affairs. The Managing Member shall be Shawn Bidsal ("Managing Member"), President of Member WCI. Herman Mendel shall be appointed Senior Vice President ("Senior Vice President") of the Company. Either the Managing Member or the Senior Vice President may exercise the following specific rights and powers without any further consent of the Members being required;

Operate, maintain, improve, construct, and lease any real estate and any **(i)** personal property necessary, convenient or incidental to the accomplishment of the purpose of the Company;

Care for and distribute funds to the Interest Holders by way of cash, (ii) income, return of capital or otherwise, all in accordance with the provisions of this Agreement, and perform all matters in furtherance of the purpose of the Company or this Agreement;

Engage in any kind of activity and perform and carry out contracts of any (iii) kind (including contracts of insurance) necessary or incidental to, or in connection with, the accomplishment of the purpose of the Company;

Take, or refrain from taking, all actions, not expressly proscribed or (iii) limited by this Agreement, as may be necessary or appropriate to accomplish the purpose of the

> (iii) Determine the amount and timing of distributions; and

Institute, prosecute, defend, settle, compromise and dismiss lawsuits or (viv) other judicial or administrative proceedings brought on or in behalf of, or against, the Company or Interest Holders in connection with activities arising out of, connected with or incidental to this Agreement, and to engage counsel or others in connection therewith.

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Either the Managing Member or the Senior Vice President may exercise the following specific rights and powers, provided, however, that consent of all the Members shall be required:

(i) Finance, own, grant options with respect to, sell, convey, assign, and mortgage any real estate necessary, convenient or incidental to the accomplishment of the purpose of the Company;

(ii) Borrow money and issue evidences of indebtedness necessary, convenient or incidental to the accomplishment of the purpose of the Company, and secure the same by mortgage, pledge or other lien on any Property; and

(v) Prepay in whole or in part, refinance, recast, increase, modify or extend any liabilities affecting the Property, and in connection therewith, execute any extensions or renewals of encumbrances on any or all of the Property.

4.2 <u>Member Approval</u>. No annual or regular Members meetings are required. However, if such meetings are held, such meetings shall be noticed, held and conducted pursuant to the Act. In any instance in which the Member's approval is required under this Agreement, such approval may be obtained in any manner permitted by the Act.

4.3 <u>Devotion of Time</u>. Each Member shall devote time or effort as he or she deems appropriate for the furtherance of the Company's business.

4.4 <u>Fiduciary Duties</u>. The only fiduciary duties a Member owes to the Company and the other Members are the duty of loyalty and the duty of care set forth in subsections (i) and (ii) below:

(i) A Member's duty of loyalty to the Company and the other Members is limited to the following:

(a) To account to the Company and hold as trustee for the Company and property, profit, or benefit derived by the Member in the conduct of the Company's business or the winding up of the Company's business or derived from any use by the Member of Company property, without the consent of the other Members; and

(b) To refrain from dealing with the Company in the conduct or winding up of the Company business as or on behalf of a party having an interest adverse to the Company without the consent of the other Members.

(ii) A Member's duty of care to the Company and the other Members in the conduct and winding up of the Company's business is limited to refraining from engaging in

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grossly negligent or reckless conduct, intentional misconduct, or a knowing violation of law by the Member.

### ARTICLE V

## ALLOCATIONS OF NET PROFITS AND NET LOSSES AND DISTRIBUTIONS

Tax Allocations. All items of Company income, gain, loss or deduction shall be 5.1 allocated for federal, state and local income tax purposes to the Members, pro rata, in accordance with their respective Percentage Interests.

Qualified Income Offset. If any Member unexpectedly receives an adjustment, 5.2 allocation, or distribution that results in a deficit balance in that Member's Capital Account, there shall be allocated to that Member items of Company income and gain in an amount and manner sufficient to eliminate such deficit balance as quickly as possible.

#### **Miscellaneous**

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Binding Effect. Except as otherwise provided in this Agreement, every covenant, term and provision of this Agreement shall be binding upon and inure to the benefit of the parties and their respective heirs, legatees, legal representatives, successors, transferees and assigns.

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Construction. Every covenant, term and provision of this Agreement shall be construed simply according to its fair meaning and not strictly for or against any party.

Time. Time is of the essence with respect to this Agreement. Headings. Section and other headings contained in this Agreement are for reference purposes only and are not intended to describe, interpret, define or limit the scope, extent or intent of this Agreement or any provision hereof or thereof.

Severability. Every provision of this Agreement is intended to be severable. If any term or provision hereof or thereof is illegal or invalid for any reason whatsoever, such illegality or invalidity shall not affect the validity or legality of the remainder of this Agreement.

Incorporation by Reference. Every exhibit, schedule and other appendix attached to this Agreement and referred to herein or therein is hereby incorporated in this Agreement by reference.

Further Action. Each Interest Holder and Manager agrees to perform all further acts and execute, acknowledge and deliver any documents which may be reasonably necessary, appropriate or desirable to carry out the provisions of this Agreement.

Variation of Pronouns. All pronouns and any variations thereof shall be deemed to refer to masculine, feminine or neuter, singular or plural, as the identity of the Person or Persons may require.

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<u>Governing Law</u> . The laws of the State of California without reference to conflicts of law provisions shall govern the validity of this Agreement, the construction of their terms, and the interpretation of the rights and duties of the parties
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to any of the Property. Counterpart Execution. This A greement much
same document. Signatures forwarded by telecopier facsimile shall be binding. All counterparts of this Agreement shall be construed together and shall constitute one agreement
Sole and Absolute Discretion. Except as otherwise provided in this Agreement, all actions which the Members or the Managers may take and all determinations which the Members or the Managers may make pursuant to this Agreement may be taken and made in their set.
Entire Agreement. This Agreement and the Exhibits hereto, all of which are incorporated herein by reference, countries the
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and discussions, whether oral or written. <u>Third Parties</u> . Nothing in this Agreement, expressed or implied, is intended to confer upon any Person other than the parties any rights or remedies under or by reason of this t
remedies under or by reason of this Agreement. <u>Waiver</u> . No failure by any party to insist upon the strict performance of any covenant, duty, agreement or condition of this Agreement or to exercise any right or remedy consequent upon a breach thereof shall constitute a waiver of any such breach or any other covenant, duty, agreement or condition.
Arbitration. The parties hereby agree that any controversy, dispute or shall be resolved at the request of either party by submission of said claim(s) to mandatory and binding arbitration with the American Arbitration Association (AAA) or JAMS/Endispute (JAMS) located in Los Angeles, California, pursuant to the rules adopted by the AAA or JAMS (the "Rules"). The aggrieved party can initiate arbitration by sending a written notice of demand for arbitration by registered or certified mail to all parties. The notice shall contain a statement setting forth the nature of the dispute, the amount involved, if any, and the determination sought. Within ten (10) business days after receipt of such arbitration demand, the non-submitting party shall select either AAA or JAMS, and the parties shall then jointly select the Arbitrator. All decisions of the Arbitrator shall be binding, final and non-appealable.

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<u>Attorneys' Fees</u>. If an arbitration or other proceedings are instituted by any party to enforce any of the terms or conditions of this Agreement against any other party hereto, the prevailing party in such arbitration or proceedings shall be entitled, as an additional item of damages, to such reasonable attorneys' and other professional fees and costs (including, but not limited to, witness fees), court costs, arbitrators' fees, arbitration administrative fees, travel expenses, and other out-of pocket expenses or costs of such other proceedings, as may be fixed by any court of competent jurisdiction, arbitrator or other judicial or quasi-judicial body having jurisdiction thereof, whether or not such litigation or proceedings proceed to a final judgment or award. For the purposes of this Section, any party receiving an arbitration award or a judgment for damages or other amounts shall be deemed to be the prevailing party, regardless of amount of the damage awarded or whether the award or judgment was based on all or some of such party's claims or causes of action.

Counsel to Company. The Managers may execute on behalf of the Company any consent to the representation of the Company that counsel may request pursuant to the California Rules of Professional Conduct or similar rules in any other jurisdiction ("Rules"). The Company has initially selected Hershorin & Henry, LLP ("Company Counsel") as legal counsel to the Company. Each Member ("Interested Party") acknowledges that Company Counsel does not represent any Interested Party in the absence of a clear and explicit written agreement to such effect between the Interested Party and Company Counsel, and that in the absence of any such agreement Company Counsel shall owe no duties directly to an Interested Party. Notwithstanding any adversity that may develop, in the event any dispute or controversy arises between any Interested Party and the Company, or between any Interested Parties or the Company, on the one hand, and an Interested Party that Company Counsel represents, on the other hand, then each Interested Party agrees that Company Counsel may represent the Company or the Interested Party in any such dispute or controversy to the extent permitted by the Rules, and each Interested Party and the Company hereby consents to such representation. Each Interested Party further acknowledges that while communications with Company Counsel concerning the formation of the Company and the Interested Parties may be confidential with respect to third parties, no Interested Party has any expectation that such communications are confidential with respect to the Company or the Interested Party.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned have entered into this Agreement as of the commencement of the term of the Company as stated above.

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#### MEMBERS:

WEST COAST INVESTMENTS, INC.

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By: Herman Mendel Its:

Executive Vice President

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FROM :

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MEMBERS:

WEST COAST INVESTMENTS, INC.

ADEL By: Shawn Bidsal

Its: President

HERSEL TABANKIA

By: Hersel Tabankia

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#### EXHIBIT "A"

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## CAPITAL CONTRIBUTION AND ADDRESSES OF MEMBERS AS OF

<u>Member's</u> <u>Name</u>	<u>Member's</u> Contribution	<u>Member's</u> <u>Membership Interest</u>
Hersel Tabankia	\$1,350,000.00	70%
West Coast Investments, Inc		30%
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## **EXHIBIT 40**

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### Ben Gol

From:	ben <bengol7@yahoo.com></bengol7@yahoo.com>
Sent:	Tuesday, February 21, 2012 11:03 PM
To:	Shawn Bidsal
Subject:	credit card
Categories:	Buyout

hi, it seems that all my credit cards are maxed out. I need a few thousand for travel expenses. Can you release some?

Ben





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#### Ben Gol

From: Sent:	shawn bidsal <wcico@yahoo.com></wcico@yahoo.com>			
То:	Monday, December 12, 2011 9:28 AM David LeGrand; bahman gholshani			
Subject:	Re: GVC OPAG			
Attachments:	_Certificationtxt			
Follow Up Flag:	Follow up			
Flag Status:	Flagged			

Categories:

Buyout

the operating agreements are finished and signed thanks shawn

--- On Sat, 12/10/11, David LeGrand <dgllawyer@hotmail.com> wrote:

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

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

David G. LeGrand, Esq. 2610 South Jones, Suite 1 Las Vegas, NV 89146 Office; 702-727-6272 Fax: 702-362-2169 Cell: 702-218-6736

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## **EXHIBIT 42**

APPENDIX (PX)002120

#### customer service

From: Sent: To: Subject: GOLLLC [ben@goillc.com] Friday: July 21, 2017 2:42 PM shawn bidsal Green Valley Commerce

Categories:

Buyout

Hi Shawn,

I hope all is well. I have been talking to Danielle and thought it is a good idea to appraise the Green Valley Commerce property next week and get some information for myself. I am ordering it at my own cost.

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Please inform The property manager.

Thank you in advance.

Ben





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### **NOTE REGARDING INCORRECT INDEX**

Appellant CLA's motion to vacate the arbitration award (1A.App. 1), was accompanied by an 18-volume appendix. Each volume contained an index. Unfortunately, the index to the motion appendix contained errors regarding some volume and page numbers.

Under NRAP 30(g)(1), an appeal appendix for the Nevada appellate court must contain correct copies of papers in the district court file. CLA is complying with that rule, providing this court with exact duplicate copies of all 18 appendix volumes that were filed in the district court with the motion to vacate the arbitration award. These district court volumes all contained the incorrect index that was filed with each volume of the motion appendix.

To assist this court on appeal, CLA has now prepared a corrected index showing correct volume and page numbers for the appendix that was filed in the district court with the motion to vacate. The corrected index is attached as an addendum to CLA's opening brief. And the present note is being placed in the appeal appendix immediately before the incorrect index that was contained in each volume of the motion appendix filed in the district court.

	OPERATIVE PLEADINGS									
23	App.	PART	EX. No.	DATE	DESCRIPTION					
4	000013	1	101	02/07/20	JAMS Arbitration Demand Form					
4	000048	1	102	03/02/20	Commencement of Arbitration					
5	000064	1	103	03/04/20	Respondent's Answer and Counter-Claim					
6	000093	1	104	04/30/20	Scheduling Order					
	000099	1	105	05/19/20	Bidsal's Answer to Counter-Claim					
7	000105	1	106	08/03/20	Notice of Hearing for Feb. 17 thru 19, 2021					
8	000110	1	107	10/20/20	Notice of Hearing for Feb. 17 thru 19, 2021					
	000114	1	108	11/02/20	Bidsal's 1st Amended Demand for Arbitration					
9	000118	1	109	01/19/21	Respondent's 4th Amended Answer and Counter-					
10		1	107		Claim to Bidsal's 1st Amended Demand					
11	000129	1	110	03/05/21	Bidsal's Answer to 4th Amended Counter-Claim					
11	000135	1	111	04/29/21	Notice of Hearing for June 25, 2021					
<sup>92</sup> 22 12	000141	1	112	08/09/21	Notice of Hearing for Sept. 29 thru 30, 2021					
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18	ORDERS District Court Clark County, Nevada Case No.: A-19-795188-P									
19 20										
20 21	Арр.	PART	EX. No.	DATE	DESCRIPTION					
20	<b>App.</b> 000169	PART 2		<b>DATE</b> 12/05/19	DESCRIPTION Order Granting Petition for Confirmation of Arbitration Award and Entry of Judgment and Denying Respondent's Opposition and Counter-petition to Vacate the Arbitrator's Award - Joanna S. Kishner, Nevada District Court Judge					

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1 2 3	FINAL AWARD JAMS Arbitration No.: 1260005736									
4	App.PARTEX. No.DATEDESCRIPTION									
5	000195	2	11	6 10/20/2	21	Interim Award – Hon. David T. Wall (Ret.), Arbitrate	)r			
6 7	000223	2	11	7 03/12/2	/22 Final Award – Hon. David T. Wall (Ret.), Arbitrator		or	r		
8						EXHIBITS				
9 10	App.	PART	EX. No.	DATE	[P	<b>ESCRIPTION</b> Parenthetical number (_) is exhibit entification at arbitration hearing]	DATE ADMIT'D	OFF'D/ NOT ADMIT'E		
11	000255	3	118	05/19/11	Lo	greement for Sale and Purchase of oan [BIDSAL004004-4070] (1)	03/17/21			
12 13	000323	3	119	05/31/11	Ag	ssignment and Assumption of greements IDSAL003993-3995] ( <b>2</b> )	03/17/21			
14	000327	3	120	06/03/11		nal Settlement Statement – Note urchase [CLAARB2 000013] (3)	03/17/21			
15	000329	3	121	05/26/11		VC Articles of Organization DL00 361] (4)	03/17/21			
16 17	000331	3	122	12/2011	[B	VC Operating Agreement IDSAL000001-28] (5)	03/17/21			
18	000360	3	123	11/29/11 - 12/12/11	OI	nails Regarding Execution of GVC PAG [DL00 323, 351, 353, and LAARB2 000044] (6)	03/17/21			
19	000365	3	124	03/16/11		eclaration of CC&Rs for GVC IDSAL001349-1428] (7)	03/17/21			
20	000446	3	125	09/22/11		eed in Lieu Agreement IDSAL001429-1446] (8)	03/17/21			
21 22	000465	3	126	09/22/11		timated Settlement Statement – Deed Lieu Agreement [BIDSAL001451] (9)	03/17/21			
23	000467	3	127	09/22/11	[B	rant, Bargain, Sale Deed IDSAL001447-1450] ( <b>10</b> )	03/17/21			
24	000472	3	128	12/31/11	[C	111 Federal Tax Return LA Bidsal 0002333-2349] (12)	03/17/21			
25 26	000490	3	129	09/10/12	Bu	crow Closing Statement on Sale of hilding C (LA Bidsal 0003169-3170] (13)	03/17/21			
20	000493	3	130	04/22/13	Di Bu	stribution Breakdown from Sale of hilding C IDSAL001452-1454] ( <b>14</b> )	03/17/21			

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1 2	000497	3	131	09/10/13	2012 Federal Tax Return [CLA Bidsal 0002542-2557] ( <b>15</b> )	03/17/21
3	000514	3	132	08/08/13	Letter to CLA Properties with 2012 K-1 [CLA Bidsal 002558-2564] ( <b>16</b> )	03/17/21
4	000522	3	133	03/08/13	Escrow Settlement Statement for Purchase of Greenway Property [CLA Bidsal 0003168, BIDSAL001463] (17)	03/17/21
6	000525	3	134	03/15/13	Cost Segregation Study [CLA Bidsal 0002414-2541] (18)	03/17/21
7	000654	3	135	09/09/14	2013 Federal Tax Return [CLA Bidsal 0001637-1657] ( <b>19</b> )	03/17/21
8	000676	3	136	09/08/14	Tax Asset Detail 2013 [CLA Bidsal 0001656-1657] (20)	03/17/21
9 10	000679	3	137	09/09/14	Letter to CLA Properties with 2014 K-1 [CLAARB2 001654-1659] ( <b>21</b> )	03/17/21
11	000686	3	138	11/13/14	Escrow Closing Statement on Sale of Building E [BIDSAL001475] ( <b>22</b> )	03/17/21
12	000688	3	139	11/13/14	Distribution Breakdown from Sale of Building E [BIDSAL001464-1466] (23)	03/17/21
(702) 44	000692	3	140	02/27/15	2014 Federal Tax Return [CLA Bidsal 0001812-1830] ( <b>24</b> )	03/17/21
14 95298 L XX	000712	3	141	08/25/15	Escrow Closing Statement on Sale of Building B [BIDSAL001485] (25)	03/17/21
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_	000720	3	143	04/06/16	2015 Federal Tax Return [CLA Bidsal 0002305-2325] (27)	03/17/21
18 19	000742	3	144	03/14/17	2016 Federal Tax Return [CLA Bidsal 0001544-1564] ( <b>28</b> )	03/17/21
20	000764	3	145	03/14/17	Letter to CLA Properties with 2016 K-1 [CLA Bidsal0000217-227] ( <b>29</b> )	03/17/21
21	000776	3	146	04/15/17	2017 Federal Tax Return [CLA Bidsal 0000500-538] ( <b>30</b> )	03/17/21
22	000816	3	147	04/15/17	Letter to CLA Properties with 2017 K-1 [CLAARB2 001797-1801] ( <b>31</b> )	03/17/21
23	000822	3	148	08/02/19	2018 Federal Tax Return [BIDSAL001500-1518] ( <b>32</b> )	03/17/21
24 25	000842	3	149	04/10/18	Letter to CLA Properties with 2018 K-1 [BIDSAL001519-1528] ( <b>33</b> )	03/17/21
26	000853	3	150	03/20/20	2019 Federal Tax Return (Draft) CLA Bidsal 0000852-887] ( <b>34</b> )	03/17/21
27	000890	3	151	03/20/20	Letter to CLA Properties with 2019 K-1 [CLA Bidsal 0000888-896] ( <b>35</b> )	03/17/21
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1 2	000900	3	152	01/26/16 – 04/22/16	Emails regarding CLA's Challenges to Distributions [CLAARB2 001277-1280, 001310-1313, 001329-1334, 001552- 1555] ( <b>36</b> )	03/17/21	
3	000919	3	153	07/07/17	Buy-Out Correspondence – Bidsal Offer [BIDSAL000029] ( <b>37</b> )	03/17/21	
4 5	000921	3	154	08/03/17	Buy-Out Correspondence – CLA Counter [BIDSAL000030] ( <b>38</b> )	03/17/21	
6	000923	3	155	08/05/17	Buy-Out Correspondence – Bidsal Invocation [BIDSAL000031] ( <b>39</b> )	04/26/21	
7	000925	3	156	08/28/17	Buy-Out Correspondence – CLA Escrow [BIDSAL000032] ( <b>40</b> )	04/26/21	
8	000930	3	157	06/22/20	CLA Responses to Interrogatories (43)	03/17/21	
9 10	000939	3	158	04/25/18	GVC Lease and Sales Advertising [BIDSAL620-633, 1292-1348] ( <b>50</b> )	03/19/21	
11	001011	3	159	08/10/20	Property Information [CLAARB2 1479, 1477] ( <b>52</b> )	03/19/21	
12 <sub>2-62</sub>	001014	3	160	03/20/18	Deposition Transcript of David LeGrand [DL 616-1288] ( <b>56</b> )	03/19/21	
(702) 44(	001688	3	161	09/10/12	Deed – Building C [BIDSAL 1455- 1460] ( <b>57</b> )	03/19/21	
14 I4 I5	001695	3	162	11/13/14	Deed Building E [BIDSAL 1464-1475] (58)	03/19/21	
12 12 13 140-NE: (702) 727-6258Fax: (702) 446-6756 140-6756 140-6756 140-6756 140-6756 140-6756 140-6756 140-6756 140-6756 140-6756 140-6756 140-6756 140-6756 1400-6756 140-6756 140-6756 140-6756 140-6756 140-6756 140-6756 140-6756 140-6756 140-6756 140-6756 140-67566 140-6756 140-6756 140-6756 140-6756 140-6756 1400	001704	3	163	09/22/11	Email from Golshani to Bidsal dated Sep 22, 2011 (67)	04/26/21	
-	001708	3	164	07/17/07	Deed of Trust Notice [Bidsal 001476 – 001485] (annotated) ( <b>84</b> )	03/19/21	
18 19	001719	3	165	07/17/07	Assignment of Leases and Rents [Bidsal 004461 – 004481 & 4548-4556] (85)	03/19/21	
20	001750	3	166	05/29/11	CLA Payment of \$404,250.00 [CLAARB2 000820] ( <b>87</b> )	03/19/21	
21	001752	3	167	06/15/11	Operating Agreement for County Club, LLC [CLAARRB2 000352 – 000379] (88)		03/17/21
22 23	001781	3	168	09/16/11	Email from LeGrand to Bidsal and Golshani [CLAARB2 001054 – 001083] (91)	03/17/21	
24	001812	3	169	12/31/11	GVC General Ledger 2011 [CLA Bidsal 003641 – 003642] ( <b>95</b> )	03/19/21	
25	001815	3	170	06/07/12	Green Valley Trial Balance Worksheet, Transaction Listing [CLA Bidsal 002372 - 002376] ( <b>97</b> )	04/26/21	
26 27	001820	3	171	01/21/16	Correspondence from Lita to Angelo re Country Blub 2012 accounting [CLAARB2 001554]		
28	001823	3	172	01/25/16	Email from Bidsal re Letter to WCICO dated 1/21/16		
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1					[CLAARB2 002086]	
2	001828	3	173	06/30/17	GVC Equity Balances Computation [CLAARB2 001543] ( <b>111</b> )	03/19/21
3	001830	3	174	07/21/17	Email from Golshani to Main [CLAARB2 002017] ( <b>112</b> )	04/26/21
4	001832	3	175	07/25/17	Email Comm. Between Golshani and Main [BIDSAL 002033 – 002035] ( <b>114</b> )	04/26/21
5 6	001836	3	176	08/16/17	Email Comm. From Shapiro [CLAARB2 001221 – 001225] ( <b>117</b> )	04/26/21
7	001842	3	177	08/16/17	Email Comm. Between Golshani and Bidsal [CLAARB2 001244 – 001245] ( <b>118</b> )	03/19/21
8	001844	3	178	11/14/17	Email Comm. Between RTL and Shapiro [CLAARB2 001249] ( <b>123</b> )	04/26/21
9	001846	3	179	12/26/17	Letter from Golshani to Bidsal [CLAARB2 000112] ( <b>125</b> )	04/26/21
10	001848	3	180	12/28/17	Letter from Bidsal to Golshani [CLAARB2 002028] ( <b>126</b> )	
11	001850	3	181	04/05/19	Arbitration Award [CLAARB2 002041 - 002061] ( <b>136</b> )	03/19/21
12	001872	3	182	06/30/19	Email from Golshani to Bidsal [CLAARB2 000247] ( <b>137</b> )	03/19/21
<sup>4</sup> 13	001874	3	183	08/20/19	Email from Golshani to Bidsal [CLAARB2 000249] ( <b>139</b> )	03/19/21
2 14 8529 15	001876	3	184	06/14/20	Email Communication between CLA and [CLAARB2 001426] ( <b>153</b> )	03/19/21
12 12 124660298 Law: (202) 727-6258 Law: (202) 727-727-727-727-727-727-727-727-727-727	001878	3	185	10/02/20	Claimant's First Supplemental Responses to Respondent's First Set of Interrogatories to Shawn Bidsal [N/A] (164)	03/19/21
18	001887	3	186	02/19/21	Claimant's Responses to Respondent's Fifth Set of RFPD's Upon Shawn Bidsal [N/A] (165)	03/19/21
19 20	001892	3	187	02/22/21	Claimant's Responses to Respondent's Sixth Set of RFPD's Upon Shawn Bidsal [N/A] ( <b>166</b> )	03/19/21
20	001895	3	188	07/11/05	2019 Notes re Distributable Cash Building C [CLAARB2 002109] ( <b>180</b> )	04/26/21
22 23 24	001897	3	189	12/06/19	Order Granting Petition for Confirmation of Arbitration Award and Entry of Judgment and Denying Respondent's Opposition and Counterpetition to Vacate the Arbitrator's Award [N/A] (184)	03/19/21
25	001908	3	190	04/09/19	Plaintiff Shawn Bidsal's Motion to Vacate Arbitration Award [N/A] (188)	03/19/21
	001950	3	191	01/09/20	Notice of Appeal [N/A] (189)	03/19/21
26	001953	3	192	01/09/20	Case Appeal Statement [N/A] (190)	03/19/21
27 28	001958	3	193	01/17/20	Respondent's Motion for Stay Pending Appeal [N/A] ( <b>191</b> )	03/19/21

1 2	002123	3	194	03/10/20	Notice of Entry of Order Granting Respondent's Motion for Stay Pending Appeal [N/A] ( <b>192</b> )	03/19/21
3	002129	3	195	03/20/20	Notice of Posting Cash In Lieu of Bond [N/A] ( <b>193</b> )	03/19/21
4 5 6	002134	3	196	Undated	(LIMITED) Arbitration #1 Exhibits 23 – 42 [DL 322, 323 – 350, 352 – 353] (Portions of 198 admitted: Exs. 26 and 40 within 198) ( <b>198</b> )	44/26/21
7	002197	3	197	07/11/05	Rebuttal Report Exhibit 1 Annotated (Gerety Schedule) (200)	03/19/21
	002201	3	198	08/13/20	Chris Wilcox Schedules (201)	03/18/21
8 9	002214	3	199	12/31/17	Rebuttal Report Exhibit 3 (Gerety Formula) ( <b>202</b> )	03/19/21
10	002216	3	200	11/13/14 & 08/28/15	Distribution Breakdown (206)	04/27/21
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### Motion to Replace Bidsal as Manager

			<u>Motio</u>	n to Replace Bidsal as Manager
App.	PART	EX. No.	DATE	DESCRIPTION
002219	4	201	05/20/20	Respondent's Motion to Resolve Member Dispute (Replace Manager)
002332	4	202	06/10/20	Claimant's Opposition Respondent's Motion to Resolve Member Dispute
002927	4	203	06/17/20	Claimant's Request For Oral Arguments re. Respondent's Motion to Resolve Member Dispute
002930	4	204	06/24/20	Respondent's Reply MPA's ISO Motion to Resolve Member Dispute
002951	4	205	07/07/20	Claimant's Supplement to Opposition to Respondent's Motion to Resolve Member Dispute
002965	4	206	07/13/20	Respondent's Supplement to Motion to Resolve Member Dispute
002985	4	207	07/20/20	Order On MTC and Amended Scheduling Order
				"First Motion to Compel"
App.	PART	EX. No.	DATE	DESCRIPTION
002993	5	208	07/16/20	Respondent's Motion To Compel Answers to First set of ROGS
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Exhibits to Respondent's Motion to Compel Answers to

$^{\prime}\parallel$	App.	PART	EX. No.	DATE	DESCRIPTION
6				1	"Motion to Continue"
4 5	003396	6	222	11/09/20	Order on Respondent's MTC Further Responses To Firs Set of ROGS to Claimant and for POD
2 3	003375	6	221	10/22/20	Respondent's Reply to Opposition to MTC Further Responses to First Set of ROGS to Claimant and for POD
0	003365	6	220	10/19/20	Claimant's Opposition to Respondent's MTC Further Responses to First Set of ROGS to Claimant and for POD
	003362	6	219	10/19/20	Lewin-Shapiro Email Chain
8	003306	6	218	10/07/20	Respondent's MTC Further Responses to First Set of ROGS to Claimant and for POD
7	App.	PART	EX. No.	DATE	DESCRIPTION
6				دد، <u>د</u>	Second Motion to Compel"
5	003298	5	21/	07/20/20	Order on Pending Motions
4	003298	5	217	07/20/20	Protective Order
3	003295	5	216	06/30/20	Claimant's Reply to Respondent's Opposition to Emergency Motion to Quash Subpoenas and for
1	003283	5	215	06/29/20	Respondent's Opposition to Emergency Motion to Quash Subpoenas and for Protective Order
0	003253	5	214	06/25/20	Claimant's Emergency Motion To Quash Subpoenas and for Protective Order
8 9	App.	PART	EX. No.	DATE	DESCRIPTION
7					Motion No. 3
6	003248	5	213	08/03/20	Scheduling Order
5					Countermotion to Stay Proceedings Order on Respondents Motion To Compel and Amended
4	003223	5	212	07/28/20	Respondent's Reply ISO MTC and Opp. to
3	003215	5	211	07/27/20	Respondent's Reply Re MTC
$2 \ $	003091	5	210	07/24/20	Countermotion to Stay Proceedings

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003403	7	223	11/05/20	Respondent's MTC Proceedings
003409	7	224	11/17/20	Order on Respondent's Motion to Continue Proceedings and 2nd Amended SO
			" <u>M</u>	lotion for Leave to Amend"
App.	PART	EX. No.	DATE	DESCRIPTION
003415	8	225	01/19/21	Letter to Wall requesting Leave to Amend
003422	8	226	01/19/21	Respondent's Motion for Leave to File Fourth Amended Answer and Counterclaim
003433	8	227	01/29/21	Claimant's Opposition to Respondent's Motion for Leave to file Fourth Amended Answer and Counterclaim
003478	8	228	02/02/21	Respondent's Reply ISO Motion for Leave to File Fourth Amended Answer and Counterclaim
003482	8	229	02/04/21	Order on Respondent's Pending Motions
			"	<u>"Main Motion to Compel</u> "
App.	PART	EX. No.	DATE	DESCRIPTION
003489	9	230	01/26/21	Respondent's Emergency Motion for Order Compelling the Completion of the Deposition of Jim Main, CPA
003539	9	231	01/29/21	Claimant's Opposition to Main deposition
003775	9	232	02/01/21	Jim Main's Opposition and Joinder to Claimant's Opposition to Respondent/Counterclaimant's Emergency Motion for Order Compelling the Completion of the Deposition of Jim Main, CPA
000770	9	233	02/03/21	Respondent's Reply In Support of Emergency Motion For Order Compelling The Completion of The Deposition of Jim Main, CPA
003778				
003778	9	234	02/04/21	Order on Respondent's Pending Motions
	9	234	02/04/21	
	9 PART	234 EX. No.	02/04/21 DATE	Order on Respondent's Pending Motions
003784	1	EX.		Order on Respondent's Pending Motions "Motion for Orders"

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					"LeGrand Motion"
╟	0011/0	15	270	01/03/21	
╟	004172	13	247	03/31/21	Order on CLA's Motion To Withdraw Exhibit 188
	004170 004172	13 13	246 247	03/31/21	Exhibit 188 CLA's Reply Re Motion To Withdraw Exhibit 188
╟					Claimant's Opposition to CLA's Motion To Withdraw
	<b>App.</b> 004167	<b>PART</b> 13	<b>EX.</b> <b>No.</b> 245	<b>DATE</b> 03/26/21	DESCRIPTION       Motion to Withdrawal Exhibit 188
			EV	" <u>M</u>	otion to Withdraw Exhibit"
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╟	004163	12	244	03/17/21	Ruling – Arbitration Day 1 - 03/17/2021, pp. 15 - 17
	004087	12	243	03/12/21	CLA's Reply to Opposition to MIL Re Failure to Tender
╟	004062	12	242	03/11/21	Claimant's Opposition to MIL and Failure to Tender
╟	003964	12	241	03/05/21	CLA's Motion in Limine Re Failure to Tender
	App.	PAR T	EX. No.	DATE	DESCRIPTION
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╟	003962	11	240	03/17/21	Ruling – Arbitration Day 1 03/17/2021, p. 11
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17	PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that an ORDEI	R GRANTING RESPONDENT'S MOTION FOR				
18	STAY PENDING APPEAL, was entered in the above-entitled matter on the 10 <sup>th</sup> day of March,					
19	2020, a copy of which is attached hereto.					
20	Dated this 10th day of March, 2020					
21		SMITH & SHAPIRO, PLLC				
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1	CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE				
2	I hereby certify that I am an employee of SMITH & SHAPIRO, PLLC, and that on the 10th				
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SMITH S 3333 E. S Henc 0:(702)318 91 5	THIS MATTER having come before the Court on Respondent SHAWN BIDSAL's ("Bidsal")						
17	Motion for Stay Pending Appeal (the "Motion"), Petitioner CLA PROPERTIES, LLC's ("CLA						
18	Properties") appearing by and through their attorneys of record, LEVINE & GARFINKEL;						
19	Respondent Bidsal appearing by and through his attorneys of record, SMITH & SHAPIRO, PLLC;						
20	the Court having reviewed the papers and pleadings on file herein, having heard the arguments of						
21	counsel, the Court being fully advised in the premises, and good cause appearing, the Court finds and						
22	concludes as follows:						
23	1. In deciding whether to issue a stay, the Court considered the following factors: (1)						
24	whether the object of the appeal or writ petition will be defeated if the stay is denied; (2) whether						
25	appellant/petitioner will suffer irreparable or serious injury if the stay is denied; (3) whether						
26	respondent/real party in interest will suffer irreparable or serious injury if the stay is granted; and (4)						
27	whether appellant/petitioner is likely to prevail on the merits in the appeal or writ petition. Hansen v.						
28	Eighth Judicial Dist. Court ex rel. Cnty. of Clark, 116 Nev. 650, 657, 6 P.3d 982, 986 (2000).						
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5 3. After considering the evidence and arguments presented by the parties, the Court finds 6 that a supersedeas bond is required as provided for in NRCP 62, and that, in light of the totality of the 7 circumstances, the amount of the supersedeas bond should equal the amount of attorneys fees awarded 8 by the arbitrator in the underlying arbitration award, which was \$298,256.00.

NOW THEREFORE:

4. IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Bidsal's Motion is GRANTED on the terms set forth herein.

5. IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that, upon the posting of the Bond, the Court's ORDER CONFIRMING PETITION FOR CONFIRMATION OF ARBITRATION AWARD AND ENTRY OF JUDGMENT AND DENYING RESPONDENT'S OPPOSITION AND COUNTERPETITION TO VACATE THE ARBITRATOR'S AWARD entered on December 6, 2019 (the "<u>Confirmation</u> <u>Order</u>"), and all enforcement thereof, is hereby STAYED, pending a final resolution of the pending appeal, identified as Supreme Court case number 804727.

6. IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the scope of the stay being imposed is limited solely to a stay of the Confirmation Order.

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1 7. IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Respondent Bidsal shall post a supersedeas bond, or cash in lieu of a bond, in the amount of \$298,256.00 (the "Bond") within fourteen (14) days of entry 2 of this order. The stay imposed by this order shall be effective only upon the posting of the Bond or 3 cash in lieu of the Bond. A. Status Check on the Stay has been set for 4 9,2020 9:00am June IT IS SO ORDERED this 2 day of February, 2020. 5 6 JOANNA S. KISHNER 7 CT COURT JUDGE 8 9 Respectfully Submitted by: Approved as to Form: 10 SMITH & SHAPIRO, PLLC LEVINE & GARFINKEL 3333 E. Serenc Ave., Suite 130 Henderson, NV 89074 0:(702)318-5033 F:(702)318-5034 97 G F E E 7 1 SMITH & SHAPIRO, PLLC lames E. Shapho, Esq. Louis E. Garfinkel, Esq. Nevada Bar No. 7907 Nevada Bar No. 3416 Agenew S. Blaylock, Esq. 1671 W. Horizon Ridge Pkwy., Suite 230 Nevada Bar No. 13666 Henderson, NV 89012 3333 E. Serene Ave., Suite 130 Attorneys for CLA Properties, LLC Henderson, NV 89074 Attorneys for Shawn Bidsal 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 3 Case No. A-19-795188-P Order Granting Motion for Stay

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SMITH 5 3333 E. S Henc 0:(702)318 9]	NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on March 13, 2020, Respondent, SHAWN BIDSAL,					
17	posted with the Court, cash in lieu of bond in the amount of Two Hundred Ninety-Eight Thousand					
18	Two Hundred Fifty-Six and No/100 Dollars (\$298,256.00). A true and correct copy of the Receipt					
19	thereof is attached hereto as <i>Exhibit "1"</i> and incorporated herein by this reference.					
20	Dated this <u>20<sup>th</sup></u> day of March, 2020					
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Shawn, I received fax from Ben and am rewriting it to be more detailed and complete. I will send it out to both of you shortly.

Did you send that WCI check as you stated last week? I am absolutely counting on that money at this point!!

David G. LeGrand, Esq. 2610 South Jones, Suite 1 Las Vegas, NV 89146 702-218-6736 Fax: 702-362-2169

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Ben, attached please find the revised OPAG with the Right of First Refusal language. I look forward to our call in an hour.

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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. <u>purchase</u> 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.

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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.

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The Limited Liability Company shall continuously maintain at its registered office, or at such other place as may by 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:
  - 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;
  - 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.

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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

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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.

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DL00 327 11A.App.2358 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,

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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

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 (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

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Each Committee shall keep regular minutes of its proceedings and the same shall be recorded in the minute book of the Limited Liability Company.

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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 prearbitration 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 <u>Two (2)</u> 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.

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#### 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:

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(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.

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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 he 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.

<u>The payment of the purchase price shall be in cash or, if non-cash consideration is used, it</u> shall be subject to this Section 4.6.

Section 4. Sales Between Members. In the event that a Member desires to sell his Membership Interests to the other Members or purchase the Membership Interests of the other Members, the Offering Member shall give notice (for purposes of this Section 5.1. the "Notice") in writing to each of the other Members, stating his or its bona fide intention to transfer such Interest, and the purchase price for which such Offering Member's Interest is proposed to be transferred. The purchase price expressed as a percentage of capital in the Company shall also be an offer to purchase the other Member's Interests on the same terms proportionate to the other Member's capital ownership.

4.1 Upon receipt of the Notice. each of the other Members shall have the first right and option to agree to purchase all (subject to Article 5 hereof) of the Offering Member's Interest proposed to be transferred, at the price set forthin the Notice, exercisable for a period of fifteen (15) days from the date of receipt of the Notice. In the alternative, each of the other Member's shall have the right to sell their interests to the Offering Member

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4.2 Failure by all or any of the other Members to respond to the Notice within the fifteen (15) day period shall be deemed to constitute a notification to the Offering Member of the decision of the non-responding Members not to exercise the first right and option to purchase the Offering Member's Interest under this Section 5 and not to exercise their right to tender their Interests to the Offering Member. Upon the decision and notice by the other Members to either purchase all the Offering Member's Interest or sell to the Offering Member all of their Interests. the parties to such purchase shall close such purchase within thirty (30) days thereafter.

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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.

#### Article VI. DISTRIBUTION OF PROFITS

#### Section 01 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 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.

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#### Section 03 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 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 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. 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.

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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 Vill. <u>AMENDMENTS</u>

#### 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. <u>COVENANTS WITH RESPECT TO , INDEBTEDNESS,</u> <u>OPERATIONS, AND FUNDAMENTAL CHANGES</u>

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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.

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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.

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#### 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.

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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.

<u>Section 2.</u> <u>Indemnification: Proceeding by Company.</u> 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,

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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.

<u>Section 3.</u> <u>Mandatory Indemnification</u>. 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, <u>Sections 1 and 2</u>, 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.

<u>Section 4.</u> <u>Authorization of Indemnification</u>. Any indemnification under Article XI, <u>Sections 1 and 2</u>, unless ordered by a court or advanced pursuant to <u>Section 5</u>, 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.

<u>Section 5.</u> <u>Mandatory Advancement of Expenses</u>. 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 <u>Section 5</u> 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.

<u>Section 6.</u> Effect and Continuation. The indemnification and advancement of expenses authorized in or ordered by a court pursuant to Article XI, <u>Sections 1-5</u>, 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 <u>Section Article XI</u>, 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.

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DL00 340 11A.App.2371 (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 <u>Article XI</u>, 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:

<u>Section 1.</u> <u>Pre-existing Relationship or Experience</u>. (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.

<u>Section 2.</u> 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.

<u>Section 3.</u> <u>Investment Intent</u>. 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.

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

<u>Section 5.</u> No <u>Registration of Units</u> 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.

<u>Section 6.</u> 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

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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.

<u>Section 7.</u> No Disposition in Violation of Law. Without limiting the representations set forth above, and without limiting <u>Article 12</u> 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.

<u>Section 8.</u> 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

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DL00 342 11A.App.2373 (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

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#### EXHIBIT A

#### 1.1 Capital Accounts.

4.2.1 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:

> 4.2.1.1 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

4.2.1.2 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).

4.2.2 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.

4.2.3 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

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4.2.4 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 <u>Allocations.</u> 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 <u>Section 8.5</u> hereof, as applicable, shall be determined as follows:

5.1.1 <u>Allocations</u>. Except as otherwise provided in this <u>Section 1.1</u>:

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

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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 <u>Allocations With Respect to Property</u> 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 Members at the time of its contribution or revaluation, as the case may be.

- 5.1.3 <u>Minimum Gain Chargeback</u>. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this <u>Section 2.1</u>, 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 <u>Qualified Income Offset</u>. Subject to the provisions of <u>subsection 2.1.3</u>, but otherwise notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this <u>Section 2.1</u>, 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 <u>Depreciation Recapture</u>. Subject to the provisions of Section 704(c) of the Code and <u>subsections 2.1.2 - 2.1.4</u>, inclusive, of this Agreement, gain recognized (or deemed recognized under the provisions hereof) upon the sale

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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 <u>subsections 2.1.2 - 2.1.4</u>, 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 <u>Tax Credits</u> 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 <u>subsection 2.1.1</u> 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 <u>Change of Pro Rata Interests</u>. Except as provided in <u>subsections 2.1.6 and</u> <u>2.1.7</u> 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 <u>section 2.1.1</u> 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 <u>subsections 2.1.3 or 2.1.4</u> hereof shall be taken into account in computing subsequent allocations of income and gain pursuant to this <u>Section 9.1</u> 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 <u>Section 2.1</u> if such special allocations of income or gain under <u>subsection 2.1.3 or 2.1.4</u> hereof had not occurred.
- 5.1.10 <u>Nonrecourse and Recourse Debt</u>. Items of deduction and loss attributable to Member nonrecourse debt within the meaning of Section 1.7042(b)(4) of the

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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 <u>State and Local Items.</u> 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 <u>Section 2.1</u>.
- 5.2 <u>Accounting Matters</u>. 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.

#### 3.3 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 <u>Manager(s)</u> 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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# EXHIBIT B

Member's Percentage Interest Member's Capital Contributions	
Shawn Bidsal 30% \$	
CLA Properties. LLC 70% \$	Deleted: Ben
PREFERRED ALLOCATION AND DISTRIBUTION SCHEDULE Cash Distributions <u>from capital transactions</u> 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;	
<u>Second Step</u> , 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.	Deleted:
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 <u>CLA Properties</u> . LLC.	Deleted: Ben
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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.	Deleted: Ben
It is the express intent of the parties that "Cash Disributions of Profits" refers to distributions generated from operations resulting int ordinary income in contrast to Cash Distributions arising from capital transactions or non-recurring events such as a sale of all	Formatted: Indent: First line: 0"

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or a substantial portion of the Company's assets or a cash out financing.

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# **EXHIBIT 26**

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

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.

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, 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.

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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 prearbitration 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 he 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, <u>Section 3 and Section 4</u>.

#### 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 Offering Member 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) x 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) x0.5 + 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 04 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 02Section 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 03Section 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 04Section 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.<u>Article VI.</u> 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.<u>Article VIII.</u> 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

Indemnification: Proceeding Other than by Company. The Company may Section 1. 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.

Indemnification: Proceeding by Company. The Company may indemnify any Section 2. 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.

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<u>Section 3.</u> <u>Mandatory Indemnification</u>. 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, <u>Sections 1 and 2</u>, 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.

<u>Section 4.</u> <u>Authorization of Indemnification</u>. Any indemnification under Article XI, <u>Sections 1 and 2</u>, unless ordered by a court or advanced pursuant to <u>Section 5</u>, 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.

<u>Section 5.</u> <u>Mandatory Advancement of Expenses</u>. 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 <u>Section 5</u> 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 <u>Section Article XI</u>, 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 <u>Article XI</u>, 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:

<u>Section 1.</u> <u>Pre-existing Relationship or Experience</u>. (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.

<u>Section 3.</u> <u>Investment Intent</u>. 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.

<u>Section 5.</u> <u>No Registration of Units</u> 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.

<u>Section 6.</u> 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

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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.

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## Member:

Shawn Bidsal, Member

CLA Properties, LLC

by\_\_\_\_\_ Benjamin Gholshami, Manager

Manager/Management:

Shawn Bidsal, Manager

Benjamin Golshami, Manager

### TAX PROVISIONS

#### **EXHIBIT A**

#### **<u>1.1 Capital Accounts.</u>**

- 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 <u>Allocations.</u> 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 <u>Section 8.5</u> hereof, as applicable, shall be determined as follows:
  - 5.1.1 <u>Allocations</u>. Except as otherwise provided in this <u>Section 1.1</u>:
    - 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 <u>Allocations With Respect to Property</u> 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 <u>Minimum Gain Chargeback</u>. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this <u>Section 2.1</u>, 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 <u>Qualified Income Offset</u>. Subject to the provisions of <u>subsection 2.1.3</u>, but otherwise notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this <u>Section 2.1</u>, 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 Tax Regulations and shall be interpreted and implemented as therein provided.
- 5.1.5 <u>Depreciation Recapture</u>. Subject to the provisions of Section 704(c) of the Code and <u>subsections 2.1.2 2.1.4</u>, 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 <u>subsections 2.1.2 - 2.1.4</u>, 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 <u>Tax Credits</u> 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 <u>subsection 2.1.1</u> 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 <u>Change of Pro Rata Interests</u>. Except as provided in <u>subsections 2.1.6 and</u> <u>2.1.7</u> 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 <u>section 2.1.1</u> 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 <u>subsections 2.1.3 or 2.1.4</u> hereof shall be taken into account in computing subsequent allocations of income and gain pursuant to this <u>Section 9.1</u> 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 <u>Section 2.1</u> if such special allocations of income or gain under <u>subsection 2.1.3 or 2.1.4</u> hereof had not occurred.

5.1.10 <u>Nonrecourse and Recourse Debt</u>. 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 <u>State and Local Items.</u> 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 <u>Section 2.1</u>.

5.2 <u>Accounting Matters</u>. 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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## Ben Gol

From: Sent: To: Subject:	ben <bengol7@yahoo.com> Tuesday, February 21, 2012 11:03 PM Shawn Bidsal credit card</bengol7@yahoo.com>	
Categories:	Buyout	

hi, it seems that all my credit cards are maxed out. I need a few thousand for travel expenses. Can you release some?

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#### Rebuttal Report Exhibit 1 Was Exhibit 2 on Original Report Green Valley Commerce, LLC Allocation of Profits and Distributions per Operating agreement

		Per Tax return	1		Should be per	operating agr	eement	Variance in Dist	tributions
		CLA Prop	Bidsal	Total	CLA Prop	Bidsal	Total	CLA Prop	Bidsal
	Capital Transaction percent	70%	30%	100%	70%	30%	100%		
	Percentage interest	50%	50%	100%	50%	50%	100%		
1	2011								
2	Capital Contributions	2,834,250	1,215,000	4,049,250	2,834,250	1,215,000	4,049,250		
3	Rental income	84,613	84,612	169,225	84,613	84,612	169,225		
4	Interest accrued after 6/3/11 (1)	86,376	86,376	172,752	86,375	86,377	172,752		
5	Interest accrued prior to 6/3/11 (1)	69,257	69,256	138,513	96,959	41,554	138,513		
6	Profit Distributions (line 5+6)	(170,989)	(170,988)	(341,977)	(170,988)	(170,989)	(341,977)	1	(1)
7	Return of capital (2)	(94,011)	(94,012)	(188,023)	(131,616)	(56,407)	(188,023)	(37,605)	37,605
8	Ending Capital 12/31/2011 (2)	2,809,496	1,190,244	3,999,740	2,799,593	1,200,147	3,999,740	(37,604)	37,604
9	2012							,	-
10	Capital Contributions								
11		169,427	169,427	338,854	169,427	169,427	338,854		
12		517	517	1,034	517	517	1,034		
13		(18,215)	(18,215)	(36,430)	(18,215)	(18,215)	(36,430)		
	Code Sec 481(a) Adjustment	(25,934)	(25,933)	(51,867)	(25,934)	(25,933)	(51,867)		
15	Profit distr. (sum of line 13 - 16)	(125,795)	(125,796)	(251,591)	(125,795)	(125,796)	(251,591)	0	0
	Return of capital (3)	(90,205)	(90,204)	(180,409)	(126,286)	(54,123)	(180,409)	(36,081)	36,081
17		2,719,291	1,100,040	3,819,331	2,673,307	1,146,024	3,819,331	(73,685)	73,685
18		2,713,231	1,100,040	5,015,551	2,073,307	1,140,024	5,015,551	(73,005)	75,005
	Rental income	57,576	57,576	115,152	57,576	57,576	115,152		
20	Interest income	713	713	1,426	713	713	1,426		
20		55,145	55,145	110,290	/15	/15	1,420		
21	1231 Gain from depr taken	55,145	55,145	110,290	10,893	10,893	21,786		
22	Remainder of 1231 gain				61,948	26,556	88,504		
		(50.200)	(59.290)	(116 570)				0	0
24	. ,	(58,289)	(58,289)	(116,578)	(58,289)	(58,289) (65,440)	(116,578)		
25	,	(109,066)	(109,066)	(218,132)	(152,692)	(65,440)	(218,132)	(43,626)	43,626
26	1 , , , ,	(74,200)	(36,090)	(110,290)	(77,203)	(33,087)	(110,290)	(3,003)	3,003
27	Ending Capital 12/31/2013 (4)	2,591,170	1,010,029	3,601,199	2,516,253	1,084,946	3,601,199	(120,314)	120,314
	2014	00.200	00.267	100 536	00.200	00.260	100 536		
29	Rental income	99,269	99,267	198,536	99,268	99,268	198,536		
30	Interest income	0	0	0	0	0	0		
	Section 1231 Gain	205,346	205,345	410,691	22 5 6 0	22 5 60	45 430		
32	1231 Gain from Depr				22,569	22,569	45,138		
33	Remainder of 1231 Gain	(00.200)	(00.267)	(400 526)	255,422	110,131	365,553		(4)
34	· · · ·	(99,269)	(99,267)	(198,536)	(99,268)	(99,268)	(198,536)	1	(1)
35	1 ()	(55,031)	(55,032)	(110,063)	(77,044)	(33,019)	(110,063)	(22,013)	22,013
36	Capital Transaction (5)	(492,567)	(300,628)	(793,195)	(555,237)	(237,958)	(793,195)	(62,670)	62,670
37		2,248,918	859,714	3,108,632	2,161,963	946,669	3,108,632	(204,996)	204,996
	2015	111.070	444.070	220.056	111070	111070	220.056		
39	Rental income	114,978	114,978	229,956	114,978	114,978	229,956		
	Interest income	0	0		0	0	0		
41	Section 1231 Gain	166,580	166,580	333,160					
42	1231 Gain from Depr				10,963	10,963	21,925		
43	Remainder of 1231 Gain				216,455	94,780	311,235		
44	( )	(114,978)	(114,978)	(229,956)	(114,978)	(114,978)	(229,956)	0	0
45	,	(46,892)	(46,892)	(93,784)	(65,649)	(28,135)	(93,784)	(18,757)	18,757
46	1 ()	(348,835)	(235,185)	(584,020)	(408,814)	(175,206)	(584,020)	(59,979)	59,979
47	Ending Capital 12/31/2015	2,019,771	744,217	2,763,988	1,914,918	849,071	2,763,988	(283,732)	283,732
48	2016								
49	Rental income	195,954	195,953	391,907	195,954	195,953	391,907		
50	Interest income	0	0		0	0	0		
51		0	0		0	0	0		
52		(195,954)	(195,953)	(391,907)	(195,954)	(195,953)	(391,907)	0	0
53	Capital returned	(14,046)	(14,047)	(28,093)	(19,665)	(8,428)	(28,093)	(5,619)	5,619
54	Capital Transaction			0	0	0	0	0	0
55	Ending Capital 12/31/2016	2,005,725	730,170	2,735,895	1,895,253	840,643	2,735,895	(289,351)	289,351

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		Per Tax return			Should be per o	operating agr	eement	Variance in Dis	tributions
		CLA Prop	Bidsal	Total	CLA Prop	Bidsal	Total	CLA Prop	Bidsal
	Capital Transaction percent	70%	30%	100%	70%	30%	100%		
	Percentage interest	50%	50%	100%	50%	50%	100%		
56	2017								
57	Rental income thru 9/2/17 (245 days)	120,491	120,490	240,981	120,491	120,490	240,981		
58	Rental Income after 9/2/17 (120 days)	59,016	59,016	118,032	118,032	0	118,032		
59	Total Rental income	179,507	179,506	359,013	238,523	120,490	359,013		
60	Interest income	0	0		0	0	0		
61	Section 1231 Gain	0	0		0	0	0		
62	Distributions before 9/2/17 of Profits (8)	(56,000)	(56,000)	(112,000)	(56,000)	(56,000)	(112,000)	0	0
63	Distr after 9/2 of profits prior to 9/2 (8a)	(64,491)	(64,490)	(128,981)	(128,981)	0	(128,981)	(64,490)	64,490
64	Distr after 9/2 of profits after 9/2 (8a)	(59,016)	(59,016)	(118,032)	(118,032)	0	(118,032)	(59,016)	59,016
65	Capital returned prior 9/2/17 (8a)	(21,493)	(21,494)	(42,987)	(42,987)	0	(42,987)	(21,494)	21,494
66	Capital Transaction (8)			0	0	0	0	0	0
67	Ending Capital 12/31/2017	1,984,232	708,676	2,692,908	1,787,776	905,133	2,692,908	(434,351)	434,351
68	2018								
69	Rental income	175,314	175,314	350,628	350,628		350,628		
70	Interest income	0	0		0	0	0		
71	Section 1231 Gain	0	0		0	0	0		
72	Profit distributions (9)	(175,000)	(175,000)	(350,000)	(350,000)		(350,000)	(175,000)	175,000
73	Capital returned (9)			0	0	0	0	0	0
74	Capital Transaction (9)			0	0	0	0	0	0
	Ending Capital 12/31/2018	1,984,546	708,990	2,693,536	1,788,404	905,133	2,693,536	(609,351)	609,351
76	2019								
77	Rental income	97,889	97,888	195,777	195,777		195,777		
78		0	0		0	0	0	0	0
	Section 1231 Gain	0	0		0	0	0	0	0
	Profit distributions (10)	(157,219)	(157,218)	(314,437)	(314,437)		(314,437)	(157,218)	157,218
	Capital returned (10)	(23,281)	(23,282)	(46,563)	(46,563)		(46,563)	(23,282)	23,282
82				0	0	0	0	0	0
83	Ending Capital 12/31/2019	1,901,935	626,378	2,528,313	1,623,181	905,133	2,528,313	(789,851)	789,851
84									
85	Percent of total capital	73.68%	26.32%	100.00%	66.40%	33.60%	100.00%	-7.28%	7.28%
(1)	Total Interest in 2011	155,633	155,632	311,265					
(2)	Total Distributions in 2011	(265,000)	(265,000)	(530,000)					
(3)	Total Distributions in 2012	(216,000)	(216,000)	(432,000)					
(4)	Total Distributions in 2013	(241,555)	(203,445)	(445,000)					
(5)	Total Distributions in 2014	(646,867)	(454,927)	(1,101,794)					
(6)	Total Distributions in 2015	(510,705)	(397,055)	(907,760)					
(7)	Total Distributions in 2016	(210,000)	(210,000)	(420,000)					
(8)	Total Distributions through 9/2/17	(56,000)	(56,000)	(112,000)					
(8a)	Total Distributions after 9/2/17	(145,000)	(145,000)	(290,000)					
(8b)	Total Distributions in 2017	(201,000)	(201,000)	(402,000)					
(9)	Total Distributions in 2018	(175,000)	(175,000)	(350,000)					
(10)	Total Distributions in 2019	(180,500)	(180,500)	(361,000)					

## Rebuttal Report Exhibit 2 Was Exhibit 2a on Original Report Summary of Incorrect Distributions Net Income Per Tax return

YearReceivedUnder OAFrom Bidsal2011265,000302,60437,6042012216,000252,08136,0812013241,555288,18446,6292014646,867731,54984,6822015510,705589,44178,7362016210,000215,6195,6192017201,000346,000145,0002018175,000350,000175,0002019180,500361,000180,500		CLA Distr.	CLA Distr.	Total Due
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2013241,555288,18446,6292014646,867731,54984,6822015510,705589,44178,7362016210,000215,6195,6192017201,000346,000145,0002018175,000350,000175,0002019180,500361,000180,500	2011	265,000	302,604	37,604
2014646,867731,54984,6822015510,705589,44178,7362016210,000215,6195,6192017201,000346,000145,0002018175,000350,000175,0002019180,500361,000180,500	2012	216,000	252,081	36,081
2015510,705589,44178,7362016210,000215,6195,6192017201,000346,000145,0002018175,000350,000175,0002019180,500361,000180,500	2013	241,555	288,184	46,629
2016         210,000         215,619         5,619           2017         201,000         346,000         145,000           2018         175,000         350,000         175,000           2019         180,500         361,000         180,500	2014	646,867	731,549	84,682
2017         201,000         346,000         145,000           2018         175,000         350,000         175,000           2019         180,500         361,000         180,500	2015	510,705	589,441	78,736
2018         175,000         350,000         175,000           2019         180,500         361,000         180,500	2016	210,000	215,619	5,619
2019 180,500 361,000 180,500	2017	201,000	346,000	145,000
	2018	175,000	350,000	175,000
Total 2.646.627 2.426.478 780.851	2019	180,500	361,000	180,500
Total 2 646 627 2 436 478 789 851				
10tai 2,040,027 3,430,476 763,631	Total	2,646,627	3,436,478	789,851

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Schedule 1 Tax Cost Based on Tax Asset Details (1), Depreciation and Amortizaton Reports (1) and 2013 Cost Segregation Study (2) Green Valley Commerce, LLC

Asset	Property				Tax										Tax Co	ost			
Group	Description	Date in Service	Date Sold	Building	Period	_	2011		Cost Seg		2012	_	2013		2014		2015		2016
Building								_	105.55	~	100		100	-	100		100 577	_	100 577
	Building - 048	9/22/2011		A	39.0	\$	418,536.28	\$	428,230.43	\$	428,230.43	\$	428,230.43	\$	428,230.43 \$	•	428,230.43	\$	428,230.43 \$
	Building - 048	9/22/2011		A	15.0		-		1,712.64		1,712.64		1,712.64		1,712.64		1,712.64		1,712.64
	Building - 048	9/22/2011	0.000	A	5.0		-		31,632.16		31,632.16		31,632.16		31,632.16		31,632.16		31,632.16
	Building - 049	9/22/2011	8/28/2015	В	39.0		210,759.55		216,258.40		216,258.40		216,258.40		216,258.40		-		-
	Building - 049	9/22/2011	8/28/2015	В	15.0		-		605.42		605.42		605.42		605.42		-		-
	Building - 049	9/22/2011	8/28/2015	В	5.0		-		15,873.38		15,873.38		15,873.38		15,873.38		-		-
	Building - 050	9/22/2011	9/10/2012	С	39.0		293,763.47		299,459.22		299,459.22		299,459.22		299,459.22		299,459.22		299,459.22
	Building - 050	9/22/2011	9/10/2012	С	15.0		-		2,692.17		2,692.17		2,692.17		2,692.17		2,692.17		2,692.17
	Building - 050	9/22/2011	9/10/2012	С	5.0		-		22,072.59		22,072.59		22,072.59		22,072.59		22,072.59		22,072.59
	Building - 051	9/22/2011	11/13/2014	E	39.0		315,018.97		321,146.33		321,146.33		321,146.33		-		-		-
	Building - 051	9/22/2011	11/13/2014	E	15.0		-		2,524.52		2,524.52		2,524.52		-		-		-
	Building - 051	9/22/2011	11/13/2014	E	5.0		-		23,886.92		23,886.92		23,886.92		-		-		-
	Building - 052	9/22/2011		F	39.0		391,504.29		400,437.73		400,437.73		400,437.73		400,437.73		400,437.73		400,437.73
	Building - 052	9/22/2011		F	15.0		-		2,283.81		2,283.81		2,283.81		2,283.81		2,283.81		2,283.81
	Building - 052	9/22/2011		F	5.0		-		29,270.31		29,270.31		29,270.31		29,270.31		29,270.31		29,270.31
	Building - 053	9/22/2011		G	39.0		333,064.24		340,949.31		340,949.31		340,949.31		340,949.31	-	340,949.31		340,949.31
	Building - 053	9/22/2011		G	15.0		-		1,690.41		1,690.41		1,690.41		1,690.41		1,690.41		1,690.41
	Building - 053	9/22/2011		G	5.0		-		25,114.58		25,114.58		25,114.58		25,114.58		25,114.58		25,114.58
	Building - 054	9/22/2011		Н	39.0		414,325.40		423,251.21		423,251.21		423,251.21		423,251.21		423,251.21		423,251.21
	Building - 054	9/22/2011		Н	15.0		-		2,881.97		2,881.97		2,881.97		2,881.97		2,881.97		2,881.97
	Building - 054	9/22/2011		Н	5.0		-		30,886.15		30,886.15		30,886.15		30,886.15		30,886.15		30,886.15
	Building - 055	9/22/2011		D	39.0		271,289.48		277,481.64		277,481.64		277,481.64		277,481.64		277,481.64		277,481.64
	Building - 055	9/22/2011		D	15.0		-		1,639.63		1,639.63		1,639.63		1,639.63		1,639.63		1,639.63
	Building - 055	9/22/2011		D	5.0		-		20,451.56		20,451.56		20,451.56		20,451.56		20,451.56		20,451.56
	Building - 056	9/22/2011		Pkg Lot	39.0		193,877.71	1		1	-		-		-		-		-
	Building - 056	9/22/2011		Pkg Lot	15.0		-	1	244,749.69	1	-		-		-		-		-
	Building - 056	9/22/2011		Pkg Lot	5.0		-	L		1	-		-		-		-		-
	Building - Greenway	3/13/2013		Greenway	39.0		-		-	·	-		241,360.55		241,360.55		241,360.55		241,360.55
						\$ 2	2,842,139.39	\$	3,167,182.18	\$	2,922,432.49	\$	3,163,793.04	\$	2,816,235.27 \$	2,	583,498.07	\$	2,583,498.07 \$
Building	Improvements																		
Bunding	Arcbilt Development Inc	6/15/2015		n/a	15.0												6,050.00		6,050.00
	Arcbilt Development Inc Arcbilt Development Inc	6/15/2015 12/20/2015		n/a n/a	15.0		-		-		-		-		-		6,050.00 1,500.00		6,050.00 1,500.00
	Hennessy's Renovations	4/10/2014		n/a n/a	15.0		-		-		-		-		- 6.439.63		6,439,63		6,439,63
	remessy's renovations	7/10/2014		wa	15.0	\$		\$		\$		\$		\$	6,439.63 \$			\$	13,989.63 \$
										-					,				,
Land	T 1 0/-	0.00						~	105	-				~	404				108.577
	Land - 048	9/22/2011	0.00	n/a	0.0	\$	106,758.66	\$	105,928.07	\$	105,928.07	\$	105,928.07	\$	105,928.07 \$	i .	105,928.07	\$	105,928.07 \$
	Land - 049	9/22/2011	8/28/2015	n/a	0.0		57,480.09		54,091.72		54,091.72		54,091.72		54,091.72		-		-
	Land - 050	9/22/2011	9/10/2012	n/a	0.0		78,010.24		74,969.83		74,969.83		74,969.83		74,969.83		74,969.83		74,969.83
	Land - 051	9/22/2011	11/13/2014	n/a	0.0		82,120.58		80,084.96		80,084.96		80,084.96		-		-		-
	Land - 052	9/22/2011		n/a	0.0		102,650.72		99,648.56		99,648.56		99,648.56		99,648.56		99,648.56		99,648.56
	Land - 053	9/22/2011		n/a	0.0		90,331.68		85,379.68		85,379.68		85,379.68		85,379.68		85,379.68		85,379.68
	Land - 054	9/22/2011		n/a	0.0		106,758.66		105,078.93		105,078.93		105,078.93		105,078.93		105,078.93		105,078.93
	Land - 055	9/22/2011		n/a	0.0		73,911.87		69,611.39		69,611.39		69,611.39		69,611.39		69,611.39		69,611.39
	Land - 056	9/22/2011		Pkg Lot	0.0		427,020.29		125,206.86		-		-		-		-		-
	Land - Greenway	3/13/2013		Greenway	0.0								81,817.14		81,817.14		81,817.14		81,817.14
						\$ 1	1,125,042.79	\$	800,000.00	\$	674,793.14	\$	756,610.28	\$	676,525.32 \$	; _,	622,433.60	\$	622,433.60 \$
Total						\$ 3	3,967,182.18	\$	3,967,182.18	\$	3,597,225.63	\$	3,920,403.32	\$	3,499,200.22 \$	3.	219,921.30	\$	3,219,921.30 \$
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See Bates No. CLA\_Bidsal 0002540, 0002557, 0001656-0001657, 0001912-0001913, 0001965-0001966, 0000085, 0000522-0000524, 0000877-0000879 and BIDSAL001508-001510.
 See Bates Nos. CLA\_Bidsal 0002414 through 0002541.

## APPENDIX (PX)002201

#### Schedule 2 Cost of Purchase (COP) Calculation Green Valley Commerce, LLC **Initial Properties Owned**

						Assess	or F	arcel No. 161-	32-8	10-	
			048	049	050	051		052		053	0:
		_	Bldg A	Bldg B	Bldg C	Bldg E		Bldg F		Bldg G	Bld
2011 Tax Asset Detail (1)											
Building	\$ 2,842,139.39	\$	418,536.28	\$ 210,759.55	\$ 293,763.47	\$ 315,018.97	\$	391,504.29	\$	333,064.24	\$ 41
Land	1,125,042.79		106,758.66	57,480.09	78,010.24	82,120.58		102,650.72		90,331.68	10
Real Estate	\$ 3,967,182.18	\$	525,294.94	\$ 268,239.64	\$ 371,773.71	\$ 397,139.55	\$	494,155.01	\$	423,395.92	\$ 52
2013 Cost Segregation Study (2)											
Building	\$ 3,167,182.18	\$	461,575.23	\$ 232,737.20	\$ 324,223.98	\$ 347,557.77	\$	431,991.85	\$	367,754.30	\$ 45
Land	800,000.00		105,928.07	54,091.72	74,969.83	80,084.96		99,648.56		85,379.68	10
Real Estate	\$ 3,967,182.18	\$	567,503.30	\$ 286,828.92	\$ 399,193.81	\$ 427,642.73	\$	531,640.41	\$	453,133.98	\$ 56
Cost of Purchase (COP) -											
Initial Properties Owned	\$ 3,967,182.18	\$	567,503.30	\$ 286,828.92	\$ 399,193.81	\$ 427,642.73	\$	531,640.41	\$	453,133.98	\$ 56
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(1) From Schedule 1. See also Bates No. CLA\_Bidsal 0002540.
 (2) From Schedule 1. See also Bates No. CLA\_Bidsal 0002541.

## Schedule 3 Cost of Purchase (COP) Green Valley Commerce, LLC Properties Owned as of September 2, 2017

						Assess	or I	Parcel No. 161-	32-8	10-	
		_	048	049	n/a	051		052		053	0:
			Bldg A	Bldg B	Greenway	Bldg E		Bldg F		Bldg G	Bld
Cost of Purchase (COP) (1)											
Building	\$ 3,167,182.18	\$	461,575.23	\$ 232,737.20	\$ 324,223.98	\$ 347,557.77	\$	431,991.85	\$	367,754.30	\$ 45
Land	800,000.00		105,928.07	54,091.72	74,969.83	80,084.96		99,648.56		85,379.68	10
Total COP	\$ 3,967,182.18	\$	567,503.30	\$ 286,828.92	\$ 399,193.81	\$ 427,642.73	\$	531,640.41	\$	453,133.98	\$ 56
2017 Tax Asset Detail (2)											
Building	\$ 2,509,960.66	\$	461,575.23	\$ -	\$ 324,223.98	\$ -	\$	431,991.85	\$	367,754.30	\$ 45
Land	626,469.92		105,928.07	-	74,969.83	-		99,648.56		85,379.68	10
Total COP	\$ 3,136,430.58	\$	567,503.30	\$ -	\$ 399,193.81	\$ -	\$	531,640.41	\$	453,133.98	\$ 56
Cost of Purchase (COP) -											
Properties Owned as of September 2, 2017	\$ 3,136,430.58	\$	567,503.30	\$ -	\$ 399,193.81	\$ -	\$	531,640.41	\$	453,133.98	\$ 56
		_						· · · · · ·		· · · · ·	 

(1) See Schedule 2.
 (2) See Schedule 1.

#### Schedule 4 **Capital Contribution Calculation** Green Valley Commerce, LLC

	 2011		2012	2013	2014	2015		2016	2017
<u>Shawn Bidsal</u> Capital Contributed Beginning of Period Capital Contributed During Year (1) Capital Returned During Year (2)	\$ - 1,215,000.00	\$	1,215,000.00	\$ 1,215,000.00	\$ 1,186,418.21	\$ 1,042,463.60		957,225.64	\$ 957,225.6
Capital Contributed End of Period	\$ 1,215,000.00	\$	1,215,000.00	\$ 1,186,418.21	\$ 1,042,463.60	\$ <u>957,225.64</u>		957,225.64	\$ 957,225.6
CLA Properties									
Capital Contributed Beginning of Period	\$ -	\$	2,834,250.00	\$ 2,834,250.00	\$ 2,767,559.14	\$ 2,431,665.05	\$	2,232,776.79	\$ 2,232,776.7
Capital Contributed During Year (1) Capital Returned During Year (2)	2,834,250.00		-	- (66,690.86)	- (335,894.09)	- (198,888.26)		-	-
Capital Contributed End of Period	\$ 2,834,250.00	\$	2,834,250.00	\$ 2,767,559.14	\$ 	\$ 2,232,776.79	\$	2,232,776.79	\$ 2,232,776.7
Total Capital Contributed End of Period	\$ 4,049,250.00	\$	4,049,250.00	\$ 3,953,977.35	\$ 3,474,128.65	\$ 3,190,002.43	\$	3,190,002.43	\$ 3,190,002.4
% of Capital Contributed									
Shawn Bidsal	30.0%		30.0%	30.0%	30.0%	30.0%		30.0%	30.0
CLA Properties	 70.0%	_	70.0%	70.0%	70.0%	70.0%	_	70.0%	70.0
	100.0%		100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%		100.0%	100.0

See Bates No. CLA\_Bidsal 0002340-0002341.
 See Green Valley Commerce Center QuickBooks (Bates No. BIDSAL003815). See also Bates Nos. BIDSAL001452-001454, 004797-001466, and 001476.

## Schedule 5 Shawn Bidsal Purchase Price Calculation Excluding Interest Green Valley Commerce, LLC

	Buyout
Fair Market Value (FMV) (1)	\$ 5,000,000.00
Less: Cost of Purchase (COP) (2)	(3,136,430.58)
Equals: (FMV - COP)	1,863,569.42
Times 0.5	50.0%
Equals: Share of Increased Value	931,784.71
Plus: Capital Contributions (3)	957,225.64
Minus: Prorated Liabilities	-
Equals: Purchase Price excluding Interest	\$ 1,889,010.35

(1) Per outcome of Arbitration 4569.

(2) See Schedule 3.

(3) See Schedule 4.

#### Schedule 6 Interest Calculation on Buyout Green Valley Commerce, LLC

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\$

	9/2/2017 through 12/31/2017	1/1/2018 through 6/30/2018	7/1/2018 through 12/31/2018	1/1/2019 through 6/30/2019	7/1/2019 through 12/31/2019	1/1/2020 through 6/30/2020	
Bidsal Buyout as of September 2, 2017 (1) Times: Annual Interest Rate (2) Times: Term (in Years)	\$ 1,889,010.35 6.25% 0.3315	\$ 1,889,010.35 6.50% 0.4959	\$ 1,889,010.35 7.00% 0.5041	\$ 1,889,010.35 7.50% 0.4959	\$ 1,889,010.35 7.50% 0.5041	\$ 1,889,010.35 6.75% 0.4973	
Equals: Interest	\$ 39,138.74	\$ 60,888.24	\$ 66,658.78	\$ 70,255.66	\$ 71,420.12	\$ 63,405.72	\$

Bidsal Buyout with Interest

Annual Interest Rate Divided by: Days in Year Equals: Daily Interest Rate

Bidsal Buyout as of September 2, 2017 Times: Daily Interest Rate Equals: Daily Interest at Current Interest Rate

(1) See Schedule 5.

(2) Legal interest rate in effect per NRS (Nevada Revised Statutes) 99.040. See https://www.washoecourts.com/TopRequests/InterestRates.

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#### Schedule 7 Net Income: 2017 Green Valley Commerce, LLC

		Green	Valley Commerce	Center			Greenway Villag	e	
	Ja	n 1 - Sep 2	Sep 3 - Dec 31	Jan 1 ·	- Dec 31	Jan 1 - Sep 2	Sep 3 - Dec 31	Jan 1 - Dec 31	Jan 1 -
	-	(1)	(1)			(2)	(2)		
Rent	\$	263,202	\$ 105,261	\$	368,463	\$ 87,735	\$ 35,755	\$ 123,490	\$
CAM Charges		52,095	22,828		74,922	31,590	13,418	45,007	
HOA CAM Charges		18,993	-		18,993	-	-	-	
Late Fees		126	-		126	-	-	-	
Gross revenue		334,415	128,089		462,504	119,325	49,173	168,497	
Advertising		308	-		308	-	-	-	
Insurance		10,096	-		10,096	3,936	-	3,936	
Legal and other professional fees		7,447	3,009		10,456	125	-	125	
Repairs		475	2,459		2,934	3,615	150	3,765	
Taxes		37,505			37,505	- -	10,081	10,081	
Utilities		14,833	9,502		24,335	5,439	· · · · · ·	· · · · ·	
Alarm and security		-	-		-	640			
Association dues		2,265	755		3,021	-	-	-	
Bank charges		-,	30		30	-	30	30	
Business licenses and permits		400	-		400	652			
Contract services/labor		9,705	9,485		19,190	350		350	
Credit report		-	33		33	-	-	-	
Equipment rental		931	-		931	-	-	-	
Landscaping and groundskeeping		6,975	2,765		9,740	3,145	1,665	4,810	
Recycling		1,428	656		2,084	-	-	-	
Supplies and maintenance		7,373	864		8,237	-	-	-	
Trash disposal		5,331	2,730		8,062	3,319	1,398		
Travel/Transportation expenses		290	2,730		310	-	-,		
Total expenses		105,363	32,308		137,670	21,221	16,032	37,253	·
Total expenses		105,505	52,500		157,670	21,221	10,052	51,255	
Net rental real estate income		229,052	95,782		324,834	98,103	33,140	131,244	3
Correction-Prior Year's Profits		-	3,990		3,990	-	2,115	2,115	
Miscellaneous income		-	1		1	2	(881		
Net income	\$	229,052	\$ 99,773	\$	328,825	\$ 98,106	\$ 34,375	\$ 132,480	\$ 3
Allocation % to Shawn Bidsal for Management Services		20%	20%		20%	20%	ž 20%	vi 20%	
Net income allocated to Shawn Bidsal	\$	45,810	\$ 19,955	\$	65,765	\$ 19,621	\$ 6,875	\$ 26,496	\$

See Green Valley Commerce Center QuickBooks (Bates No. BIDSAL003815).
 See Greenway Village QuickBooks (Bates No. BIDSAL003816).

## Schedule 8 Net Income: September 3, 2017 through August 13, 2020 Green Valley Commerce, LLC

	0	Green Valley Comm	erce Center			Greenway V	Village		
	Sep 3 - Dec 31, 2017	2018	2019	Jan 1 - Aug 13, 2020	Sep 3 - Dec 31, 2017	2018	2019	Jan 1 - Aug 13, 2020	Sep 3 - Dec 31, 2017
	(1)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(1)	(3)	(3)	(3)	
Rent	\$ 105,261 \$	348,356 \$	309,242	\$ 167,834	\$ 35,755 \$	120,001 \$	88,767	49,491	\$ 141,01
CAM Charges	22,828	82,449	83,736	36,827	13,418	39,852	27,615	15,285	36,24
HOA CAM Charges	-	-	16,519		-	-	-	-	-
Late Fees	-	132	-	169	-	-	-	197	-
Gross revenue	128,089	430,936	409,497	204,830	49,173	159,853	116,382	64,972	177,26
Commissions	-	-	609	-		-	-	-	-
Insurance	-	8,252	20,749	4,010	-	3,936	4,010	-	-
Legal and other professional fees	3,009	11,784	1,893	2,036	-	125	125	125	3,00
Repairs	2,459	150	15,357	1,210	150	1,420	147	-	2,60
Taxes	-	39,079	41,325	41,353	10,081	31,116	21,748	-	10,08
Utilities	9,502	16,797	18,787	10.603	2,381	7,165	6,361	3,429	11,88
Alarm and security	-	-	-	-	105	1,860	1,385	1,055	10
Association dues	755	3,021	4.008	1,767	105	1,000	-	1,000	75
Backflow services	755	-	3,089	552				-	-
Bad debt	-	-	63,316		-	-	-	-	-
	- 30	- 30	60	125	- 30	-	-	-	- 6
Bank charges						-	60	35	
Business licenses and permits	-	400	400	400	221	791	587	452	22
Contract services/labor	9,485	22,320	23,265	19,044	-	-	-	-	9,48
Credit report	33	-	65	130	-	-	-	-	3
Equipment rental				465		-			-
Landscaping and groundskeeping	2,765	7,916	15,483	4,960	1,665	4,026	5,650	3,700	4,43
Miscellaneous expense	-	0	107	-	-	-	-	389	-
Postage and delivery	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	26	-
Recycling	656	2,783	2,080	6,005	-	-	-	-	65
Supplies and maintenance	864	401	2,166	8,840	-	-	-	286	86
Trash disposal	2,730	7,551	7,763	980	1,398	5,538	5,910	3,860	4,12
Travel/Transportation expenses	20	160	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Total expenses	32,308	120,644	220,521	102,479	16,032	55,977	45,983	13,358	48,34
Net rental real estate income	95,782	310,292	188,976	102,351	33,140	103,876	70,399	51,615	128,92
Interest income	-	-	-	-		3	-	-	-
Correction-Prior Year's Profits	3,990	-	-	-	2,115	-	-	-	6,10
Miscellaneous income	1	-	-	-	(881)	-	-	-	(88
Net income	99,773	310,292	188,976	102,351	34,375	103,879	70,399	51,615	134,14
Allocation % to Shawn Bidsal for Management Services	20%	20%	20%	20%	20%	20%	20%	20%	20
Amounts Owed to Shawn Bidsal for Management Services	\$ 19,955 \$	62,058 \$	37,795	\$ 20,470	\$ 6,875 \$	20,776 \$	14,080	10,323	\$ 26,82

See Schedule 7.
 See Green Valley Commerce Center QuickBooks (Bates No. BIDSAL003815).
 See Greenway Village QuickBooks (Bates No. BIDSAL003816).

## Schedule 9 Total Net Income: September 3, 2017 through August 13, 2020 Green Valley Commerce, LLC

	9/3/17 through 8/13/20							
	Co	een Valley ommerce Center	Greenv Villa	-		Total		
		(1)	(1)					
Rent	\$	930,693	\$	294,014	\$	1,224,707		
CAM Charges		225,840		96,170		322,010		
HOA CAM Charges		16,519		-		16,519		
Late Fees		301		197		498		
Gross revenue		1,173,353		390,380		1,563,733		
Commissions		609		-		609		
Insurance		33,011		7,946		40,957		
Legal and other professional fees		18,722		375		19,097		
Repairs		19,175		1,717		20,893		
Taxes		121,758		62,946		184,704		
Utilities		55,689		19,335		75,024		
Alarm and security		-		4,405		4,405		
Association dues		9,551		-		9,551		
Backflow services		3,641		-		3,641		
Bad debt		63,316		-		63,316		
Bank charges		245		125		370		
Business licenses and permits		1,200		2,051		3,251		
Contract services/labor		74,114		-		74,114		
Credit report		228		-		228		
Equipment rental		465		-		465		
Landscaping and groundskeeping		31,124		15,041		46,165		
Miscellaneous expense		107		389		496		
Postage and delivery		-		26		26		
Recycling		11,524		-		11,524		
Supplies and maintenance		12,270		286		12,556		
Trash disposal		19,025		16,707		35,731		
Travel/Transportation expenses		180		-		180		
Total expenses		475,951		131,350		607,301		
Net rental real estate income		697,401		259,031		956,432		
Interest income		-		3		3		
Correction-Prior Year's Profits		3,990		2,115		6,105		
Miscellaneous income		1		(881)		(880)		
Net income	\$	701,393	\$	260,267	\$	961,660		
Allocation % to Shawn Bidsal for Management Services		20%		20%		20%		
Amounts Owed to Shawn Bidsal for Management Services	\$	140,279	\$	52,053	\$	192,332		

(1) See Schedule 8.

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## Schedule 10 Allocation of 2017 Distributions to Bidsal After September 2, 2017 Green Valley Commerce, LLC

Distribution	Relevant		<b>Distribution Amou</b>					
Date	Property		CLA	Bidsal				
2/9/2017	Crean Vallay Commonse Conton (1)	\$	42 000	\$	42 000			
	Green Valley Commerce Center (1)	Ф	42,000	Ф	42,000			
2/9/2017	Greenway Village (2)		14,000	<i>.</i>	14,000			
		\$	56,000	\$	56,000			
11/20/2017	Green Valley Commerce Center (1)	\$	100,000	\$	100,000			
11/20/2017	Greenway Village (2)		45,000		45,000			
		\$	145,000	\$	145,000			
Days from February 9	9, 2017 to September 2, 2017				205			
Divided by: Days from	m February 9, 2017 to November 20, 2017				284			
Equals: Percent of I			72.2%					
November 20, 2017 I	Distributions to Bidsal			\$	145,000			
Times: Percent of D	Days Prior to September 3, 2017				72.2%			
	ount of November 20, 2017 Distributions to Bidsal			\$	104,665			

(1) See Green Valley Commerce Center QuickBooks (Bates No. BIDSAL003815).

(2) See Greenway Village QuickBooks (Bates No. BIDSAL003816).

#### Schedule 11 Gross Receipts by Month: September 3, 2017 through August 13, 2020 Green Valley Commerce, LLC

						9/3/17 thro	uah	8/13/20				
	 Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	ugn	Jul	Aug	Sep	 Oct	N
Green Valley Commerce Center (1)												
2017 (2)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$	-	\$ -	\$ 34,316	\$ 33,814	\$
2018	47,067	34,315	32,898	38,911	38,319	34,824		38,697	38,330	25,612	39,515	- 1
2019	34,723	32,714	33,583	32,834	39,743	26,374		29,929	35,509	20,137	27,619	
2020 (3)	39,375	18,803	36,382	24,439	22,990	25,114		25,624	12,103	-	-	
<u>Greenway Village (4)</u> 2017 (2) 2018 2019 2020 (3)	\$ 18,224 10,947 9,492	\$ - 11,207 10,947 9,304	\$ - 18,172 11,041 9,299	\$ 11,290 9,887 4,356	\$ 13,885 7,853 2,110	\$ 12,331 9,250 11,760	\$	16,479 11,359 11,193	\$ - 15,431 9,271 7,458	\$ 7,239 9,996 9,250	\$ 18,145 11,019 9,299 -	\$
Green Valley Commerce, LLC 2017 (2) 2018 2019 2020 (3)	\$ - 65,291 45,669 48,867	\$ 45,522 43,661 28,107	\$ 51,070 44,624 45,681	\$ 50,201 42,721 28,795	\$ 52,203 47,596 25,100	\$ 47,155 35,623 36,875	\$	55,177 41,288 36,817	\$ - 53,760 44,780 19,561	\$ 41,556 35,607 29,387	\$ 51,959 50,534 36,918 -	\$

See Green Valley Commerce Center QuickBooks (Bates No. BIDSAL003815).
 Reflects the period September 3 through December 31, 2017.
 Reflects the period January 1 through August 13, 2020.
 See Greenway Village QuickBooks (Bates No. BIDSAL003816).

#### Schedule 12 Summary of Distributions Green Valley Commerce, LLC

		2011		2012		2013		2014		2015		2016		2017		2018		2019
<u>Shawn Bidsal</u> Distributions of Profits (1)	¢	265.000.00	s	234,214.76	¢	174,863.68	¢	310,972.66	¢	311.816.74	¢	210.000.00	¢	201.000.00	¢	175,000.00	¢	180,500
Returns of Capital (1)		-		-		28,581.79		143,954.61		85,237.96		-		-		-		· · · ·
Total Distributions (2)	3	265,000.00	\$	234,214.76	3	203,445.47	3	454,927.27	3	397,054.70	3	210,000.00	3	201,000.00	3	175,000.00	3	180,500
<u>CLA Properties</u> Distributions of Profits (1) Returns of Capital (1)	\$	265,000.00	\$	234,214.77	\$	174,863.68 66,690.86	•	310,972.67 335,894.09	\$	311,816.74 198,888,26	\$	210,000.00	\$	201,000.00	\$	175,000.00	\$	180,500
Total Distributions (2)	\$	265,000.00	\$	234,214.77	\$	241,554.54	_	646,866.76	\$	510,705.00	\$	210,000.00	\$	201,000.00	\$	175,000.00	\$	180,500
Total GVC Distributions	\$	530,000.00	\$	468,429.53	\$	445,000.01	\$	1,101,794.03	\$	907,759.70	\$	420,000.00	\$	402,000.00	\$	350,000.00	\$	361,000

See Green Valley Commerce Center QuickBooks (Bates No. BIDSAL003815) and Greenway Village QuickBooks (Bates No. BIDSAL003816).
 Total annual distributions from 2011 through 2019 tie to amounts presented on the respective annual Schedule K-1's within \$1.

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### Rebuttal Report Exhibit 3 Was Exhibit 5 on Original Report Computation of Sales Price

	Alternat	tive A	Alternat	ive C
	Capital at	9/2/17	Capital Contr	ibuted to
	Excess Distr.	Returned	Purchase Prope	rty on Hand
		Exhibit		Exhibit
FMV	5,000,000	Original 5e	5,000,000	Original 5e
COP	3,686,293	Original 5a	3,686,293	Original 5a
net	1,313,707	_	1,313,707	
	50%		50%	
Appreciation	656,854	_	656,854	
Offering members capital at time of purchase	840,643	Rebuttal 1	975,814	Original 5a
Prorated liabilities (Total 68,998)	(34,499)		(34,499)	
total purchase price	1,462,998		1,598,169	
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Total rent deposits at 12/31/17

68,998

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Building E - Green Valley Commerce, LLC		
3 Sunset Way, Building E, Henderson, NV 89074		
Sale of Building - 11/13/2014 (Close of Escrow)	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	
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Cost Basis		
Building - 051 ( #14 - Federal Depreciation )	\$321,146.33	
Building - 051 (#15 - Federal Depreciation )	2,524.52	
Building - 051 ( #16 - Federal Depreciation )	23,886.92	
Land - 051 ( #13 - Federal Depreciation )	80,084.96	
Cost Basis Sub Total	\$427,642.73	\$427,642.7
Add: Cost of Sale - 11/13/2014		
Commissions (Listing and selling)	\$51,000.00	
Title & escrow fee	\$5,804.50	
Proration adjustments	-4,598.53	an anna a maraon a taon a taon an an ann an ann an an an an an an an
Sub total - Cost of sale	\$52,205.97	52,205.9
Adjusted Basis (Cost)		\$479,848.7
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Sales Price - Escrow 11/13/2014	1977 - 1977	\$850,000.0
Estimated Gain on Sale of Building E (without recapture)		\$370,151.3
Cash available for distribution		
Sales price of Building E	\$850,000.00	
Less: Cost of sale	52,205.97	anan 194 ar fal a strand a da an da an
Cash available	\$797,794.03	
Cash Distributions to Partners	-	
Return of Capital		
CLA Properties, LLC (\$479,848.70 X 70%)	\$335,894.09	
Shahram Bidsal (\$479,848.70 X 30%)	143,954.61	
Sub total	\$479,848.70	
Distribution		
CLA Properties, LLC - 50%	\$158,972.67	
Shahram Bidsal - 50%	158,972.66	
Sub total	\$317,945.33	
Total cash distribution to Partners	\$797,794.03	
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Total cash distribution to Partners	\$797,794.03	
Cost of Sale	52,205.97	
Total	\$850,000.00	
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Building B - Green Valley Commerce, LLC				
3 Sunset Way, Building E, Henderson, NV 89074				
Sale of Building - 8/28/2015 (Close of Escrow)				
	Cost	Minus	Adjusted	
Cost Basis	Basis	Depreciation	Basis	
Building - 04& (Asset #6 - Federal Depreciation Schedule)	\$216,258.40	\$21,898.00	\$194,360.40	
Building - 049 (Asset #7 - Federal Depreciation Schedule)	605.42	213.00	392.42	
Building - 049 (Asset #8 - Federal Depreciation Schedule)	15,873.38	14,332.00	1,541.38	
Land - 049 (Asset #5 - Federal Depreciation Schedule )	54,091.72	0.00	54,091.72	
Cost Basis Sub Total	\$286,828.92	\$36,443.00	\$250,385.92	
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Add: Cost of Sale - 8/28/2015				
Commissions (Listing and selling)	* * * * **	\$30,888.00	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	******
Pro ration adjustments	1	-\$2,641.59	1	
Recording charges		\$3,151.80		
Title fee		\$1,728.90		
Escrow fee		613.50	************	
Sub total - Cost of sale		\$33,740.61	33,740.61	
Adjusted Basis (Cost)			\$284,126.53	****
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Sales Price - Escrow 8/28/2015	·····		\$617,760.00	D
Estimated Gain on Sale of Building B (without recapture)			\$333,633.47	
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	······			
Cash available for distribution net of cost & pro ration	···· · ··· · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		\$584,019.39	
Cash Distributions to Partners				
Return of Capital				
CLA Properties, LLC (\$284,126.53 X 70%)	\$198,888.57			
Shahram Bidsal (\$284,126.53 X 30%)	85,237.96		-	
Sub total	\$284,126.53	Α	1	
Distribution			,	
CLA Properties, LLC - 50%	\$166,816.74		tin be spilled bill gett saget, fillen at a stractor por a synomy por specific program.	
Shahram Bidsal - 50%	166,816.74			
Sub total	\$333,633.47	В		
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Total cash payment to Partners (5	\$617,760.00	<u> </u>	10-D1	
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14	SHAWN BIDSAL, an individual, ) JAMS Ref. No. 1260005736
15	Claimant,
16	RESPONDENT'S MOTION TO RESOLVE
17	) MANAGER SHOULD BE DAY TO DAY
18	CLA PROPERTIES, LLC, a California limited liability company, DECLA DA TIONS OF DEVIA NO
19	Respondent.       DECLARATIONS OF BENJAMIN         GOLSHANI AND RODNEY T. LEWIN IN
20	) SUPPORT THEREOF
21	Respondent CLA Properties, LLC ("CLA") moves for an order resolving dispute between
22	the two members of Green Valley Commerce, LLC ("Green Valley") so that:
23	1. The day to day operations of Green Valley) currently being managed by Shawn
24	Bidsal be done by manager Benjamin Golshani including (1) the contracting with vendors,
25	property managers and leasing agents, (2) the maintenance of the all checking and other
26	accounts, and all other Green Valley books and records and (3) otherwise conducting the
27	day to day affairs of Green Valley and that Claimant Shawn Bidsal ("Bidsal") forthwith
28	deliver to CLA's principal, Benjamin Golshani of, by, on behalf of or to Green Valley (a)

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online banking passcode, (b) current rent roll, record of telephone numbers of all tenants, (c) 1 a copy of leases for all tenants, (d) all estimates or proposals for repairs or maintenance from 2 landscaper or any other vendor including landscaper, (e) copies of contracts with all vendors and contractors, (f) existing listings of the repairs, their itemized costs, the name and contact 5 information of the contractors and a copy of the contracts, (g) all listing agreements with leasing agents or real estate brokers, (h) all e-mails, (I) records of tours given to prospective 6 tenants and the names of the people who has been present at the premises to show the 7 property, (j) letters of intent (k) general and other ledgers and (l) all other Green Valley 8 books and records, and 9

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2. CLA is authorized to terminate listing agreements (if any) by Green Valley with Bidsal's company (West Coast Investment, Inc.) and immediately engage an independent property manager(s) to assist CLA in the management of Green Valley's properties. 12

The motion is made on the grounds that CLA has withdrawn its consent for Bidsal to 13 be the sole day to day manager of Green Valley and the two members of Green Valley 14 cannot agree on who should be the day to day manager, and that either because (A) 15 Benjamin Golshani is the more logical choice, (B) Bidsal has refused CLA's request to be 16 provided with certain Green Valley records and is delaying or refusing to provide 17 information to CLA and (c) CLA has lost confidence that Bidsal will properly manage 18 Green Valley and is entitled to and has withdrawn its consent for Bidsal's management, and 19 will be based upon the below Memorandum of Points and Authorities and Declaration of 20 Benjamin Golshani and such further Memorandum and Declarations in reply to any 21 opposition and the oral argument at the hearing hereof. 22

Dated: May 20, 2020.

LAW OFFICES OF RODNEY T. LEWIN, A Professional Corporation. Attorneys for Respondent

Bv /s/Rodnev T. Lewin RODNEY T. LEWIN

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## **MEMORANDUM OF POINTS AND AUTHORITIES**

1. **INTRODUCTION.** Green Valley is one of three existing limited liability companies formed, and whose membership interests are held solely, by 4 Respondent CLA and Claimant Shawn Bidsal to own and operate commercial properties.<sup>1/</sup> 5 CLA's principal Ben Golshani and Bidsal are co-managers of each LLC with equal 6 authority. However by consent the day to day management of the LLC's was divided; Bidsal 7 oversaw Green Valley and Country Club and CLA oversaw Mission Square. At the time the 8 day to day responsibilities were allocated the interests of Bidsal and CLA coincided; that is 9 no longer the case. 10

In each LLC a mandatory "buy-sell" provision was agreed to. Creating an "exit" plan for marital settlements (or judgments) or for business relationships where one party sets a value and the other chooses to buy or sell is hardly new. The party wanting out is under no compulsion to initiate a process but if he does, then the other party gets to choose whether to buy or sell. That provides some protection to the latter against the initiating party's setting the price too low.

That is what Bidsal and CLA's owner, Benjamin Golshani, agreed upon and set forth
in the Operating Agreement for Green Valley ("Agreement"), labeling the initiating member
"Offering Member" and the other member as "Remaining Member." It is found in Article
V, Section 4 of the Agreement, attached as Exhibit 1 hereto.

Stating he was acting "pursuant to and on the terms and conditions set forth
in Section 4 of Article V of the Company's Operating Agreement"<sup>2/</sup> Bidsal, ("Offering
Member") offered to buy the Green Valley membership interest of CLA ("Remaining
Member") based upon Bidsal's "best estimate of the current fair market value of the

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 <sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1/</sup> The other two LLCs, Mission Square and Country Club LLC are not involved in this arbitration although there is ongoing litigation in the Nevada District court filed by Bidsal regarding Mission Square .

<sup>28</sup>  $\frac{2}{2}$  Quotations here are from July 17, 2017 offer by Bidsal.
1	Company is [at] \$5,000,000.00 (the 'FMV')." "[T]he foregoing FMV shall be used to
2	calculate the purchase price of the Membership Interest to be sold." $\frac{3}{2}$
3	CLA responded to Bidsal's offer by choosing to buy Bidsal's membership interest
4	(instead of selling its interest) based on the same \$5,000,000 fair market value (FMV).
5	Bidsal, who had counted on CLA not having the money to buy his membership
6	interest, then sought to avoid having to sell contending that unless an offer is accepted there
7	the Agreement required that there be an appraisal to set the FMV. <sup><math>\frac{4}{2}</math></sup> This claim was utterly
8	meritless.
9	That dispute went to arbitration in September, 2017 (two and one-half years ago)
10	and, after a two day hearing (May 8 and May 9, 2018) the Arbitrator, Judge Stephen E.
11	Haberfeld, on April 5, 2019 (now more than a year ago) ruled issued an Award in favor of
12	CLA (attached as Exhibit 2). The Award was later (December 6, 2019) confirmed and
13	reduced to a Judgment by Judge Joanna S Kishner, District Court Judge, Clark County
14	Nevada, who not only confirmed, but independently reached the same conclusion (attached
15	as Exhibit 3).
16	"The language of the Operating Agreement supports the decision of Arbitrator Haberfeld. (Citation omitted.) The Court finds that Arbitrator Haberfeld's
17	analysis that the offering member does not have a right to an appraisal in the instant scenario is supported by the language of the Operating Agreement and the
18	testimony of the witnesses including that of David LeGrand as well as other evidence presented." Order Confirming the Award at 6:24.
19	evidence presented. Order commining the reward at 0.24.
20	We point out that Judge Kishner did not merely say that there was not enough
21	evidence to overturn the Arbitrator. Rather, she agreed with Judge Haberfeld. Still Bidsal
22	carries on and has appealed the trial court's confirmation, and not only has refused to turn of
23	the day to day management of the Green Valley properties but also has delayed or refused to
24	provide member CLA with copies of, or access to, all the Green Valley books and records or
25	$\frac{3}{4}$ As below discussed FMV is merely one element of the formula that determines the actual price for the membership interest.
26	$\frac{4}{2}$ Bidsal thought that CLA lacked the will or ability to purchase Bidsal's membership interest. Based on that assumption, Bidsal thought he could "steal" the property by setting a low ball figure for the FMV. He
27	guessed wrong, but having been hoisted by his own petard, he flailed to find some excuse not to sell, demanding an appraisal, a demand for which he had no right to make, and an appraisal that the Agreement
28	never mentions except when requested by the Remaining Member for its protection.
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- keys to Green Valleys properties despite CLA's demand that he do so. CLA no longer 1 consents to Bidsal's continued control of Green Valley. 2
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This, this motion is brought to resolve the impasse and to right this wrong. While not 4 certain, the fact is undeniable that the odds of Bidsal obtaining a reversal not merely of any lower court decision, much less of such a decision that upholds the award of an arbitrator and more than that independently agrees with the arbitrator, are small. In every real sense 7 CLA is now the inchoate sole owner of Green Valley, and as such is entitled to control Green Valley's activities. 8

9 Golshani has repeatedly asked Bidsal step aside and let Golshani take over day to day 10 management, and/or expressed that CLA no longer consented to Bidsal's continuing to conduct the Green Valley day to day affairs, but Bidsal refused to withdraw. (Golshani 11 Declaration ("GD" ¶ 8) 12

One might question, certainly we have wondered, why under these circumstances has 13 14 Bidsal insisted on remaining in control of an entity in which he is all but certain to have no 15 continuing interest. Bidsal's claim in this arbitration has now revealed the answer. After his having served as day to day manager for *nine years* with his never once demanding or 16 17 receiving payment for his services either regarding Green Valley or Country Club, and after never having Mission Square pay Golshani for his having served as its day to day manager, 18 Bidsal for the very first time claims that he should be paid for managing "the company" 19 properties. 20

It is important to note that in the prior arbitration Bidsal admitted that **he did not** want to manage the property anymore!

- Now, why did you initiate the process to buy the property? 0
  - Basically. I wanted to. vou know. finish this deal and move on to the next A one. We are -- I didn't want to manage this property any longer.

May 9, 2018 Arbitration; p. 390:114-18. (Exhibit 13.)

26 Now to tie up and leverage Golshani Bidsal fights to retain management. Bidsal's wish 27 should now be granted–Golshani should take over as the day to day manager. 28

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# AS BETWEEN BENJAMIN GOLSHANI AND BIDSAL ONLY GOLSHANI IS SURE TO HAVE GREEN VALLEY'S INTEREST AT

3 HEART. Both Golshani and Bidsal are designated as "Manager" under Article IV, 4 Section 01 of Agreement. (Golshani Declaration "GD" ¶ 1 and Exhibit 1.) While both 5 Bidsal and Golshani are designated as managers of all three LLCs which together (in the case of Golshani through his wholly owned CLA) they own, by their mutual consent the 6 7 retention of the books and records and conduct of the actual day to day operations of the LLCs have been divided between them.  $(GD \ GD \ GD)$  So, for example, in the case of Mission 8 Square Golshani maintains the books and records and does the day to day management, in 9 10 the case of Green Valley Bidsal has assumed that role, in each case by virtue of their mutual 11 agreement and consent. (*Id.*) The income from each LLC is split evenly, so that so long as both Bidsal and Golshani (through CLA) are the owners, whoever is the day to day manager 12 13 has self-interest to guide his conduct. (Id.)

14 But that self-interest no longer remained true with regard to Green Valley once Judge 15 Haberfeld issue his award, now over a year ago. As a result of that award, regardless of the results of Bidsal's appeal of Judge Kishner's Judgment, Bidsal will be selling his 16 17 membership interest and will no longer have any interest in Green Valley. If on appeal Judge Kishner's Order is affirmed, CLA will be buying Bidsal's interest using \$5,000,000 18 19 as the FMV. But even if the appellate court should determine that not only Judge Haberfeld, 20 but Judge Kishner, as well went, off the rails and the latter's Judgment is reversed, Bidsal 21 may still be selling his interest; the only change will be that the FMV will be determined by appraisal. (§ 4 of Article V of Exhibit 1.) But even if that were not the result of such a 22 reversal, considering the odds of reversal, the conclusion is inescapable that the more likely 23 24 concerned party over the well-being of Green Valley is Golshani.

Nor can the ability to rape Green Valley during the pendency of this arbitration be
considered as a reason for Bidsal to be concerned over Green Valley's well being. The
parties have agreed that there will be no distributions while this arbitration is pending.

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There is an impasse in that the Green Valley members cannot agree on which of the

two managers should actually conduct Green Valley's day to day affairs and maintain its
 books and records. The Arbitrator must simply choose who is the more likely to have long
 term concern over Green Valley's success. We below list some additional reasons favoring
 Golshani as the choice, but the mere fact that it is CLA alone who will all but certainly
 ultimately alone own Green Valley should be sufficient reason.

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#### 3. **BIDSAL HAS REFUSED TO SHARE ACCESS AND INFORMATION**

WITH CLA.As reflected in Article II, Section 04 and Article X, Section b ofthe Agreement, as a member CLA was and is entitled to information relating to GreenValley's operations and as the manager in control Bidsal had obligations to deliver writingsand information relating thereto to CLA.But Bidsal failed to meet those obligations.

On May 8 and May 9, 2018 the hearing was held in the first arbitration. It appeared,
at least to CLA, that it would be successful. So starting about a week later, Golshani
commenced asking for the online banking passwords or codes. Bidsal did not provide them.

15 On February 24, 2020 Golshani, as a manager of Green Valley and owner of Green Valley member CLA e-mailed Bidsal in part in item 6 asking for the online banking 16 passcode for the Green Valley bank accounts. (GD ¶ 11.) Of course as a manager and 17 owner Golshani and his company CLA were as much entitled to have that information as 18 19 was Bidsal. Bidsal, just a little bit too shrewdly, on February 27, 2020 responded with a 20 non-sequitur totally not addressing the request. So when Golshani still had not received it, he again on March 18<sup>th</sup> requested the code, along with some other items. This time Bidsal 21 was able to pretend an inability to comply; he asserted all based on his office supposedly 22 (GD ¶ ¶ 9-12.) being closed due to the virus. 23

But there was no need to go to his office to reveal the code. So on March 22<sup>nd</sup>
Golshani e-mailed back, "I understand about the office closure. However, please send me
the online banking passcode contact information of the real estate agents and other
information that you would not need your office help." Yet, Bidsal never responded, and to
this date has never provided those codes. (GD ¶ 12.)

As a manager who refuses to abide by his duties as manager, he should not be the one
 the Arbitrator appoints.

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all of that, the interim award announcing that Bidsal would lose his Green 4 5 Valley membership interest was issued in February, 2019. In that year Green Valley's revenue dropped 16.7% while its expenses rose one hundred twenty-five percent (125%), 6 resulting in an astounding fifty-four and one half percent (54.5%) drop in net income. (GD 7 ¶ 15.) We know the time line: First, Bidsal learns he has to sell his membership interest, 8 and then the net income drops 54.5%. Can Golshani, at least by way of motion prove not 9 10 only sequence, but also causation? Maybe not. But no matter the excuse Bidsal can come 11 up with, it surely those results are not a glowing recommendation such that the Arbitrator should select him rather than Golshani to operate Green Valley. 12

But that is not all. In July 2017 Bidsal expressly asserted and described Green
Valley's substantial deferred maintenance (Exhibit 6). Yet in that year he caused Green
Valley to distribute \$402,000 instead of using the money for repairs. (GD ¶ 16.) These
distributions continued even after Judge Haberfeld had already told him that he no longer
would be a member.<sup>4/</sup>

18 With these kinds of Bidsal's acts as operating day to day manager, the scales surely19 bend in favor of letting Golshani now be the day to day manager.

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4	5. <u>CONCLUSION</u> . For any one of the three reasons the impasse reached on
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б	should be resolved in the Arbitrator's choosing Benjamin Golshani.
7	Dated: May 20, 2020.
8	Respectfully submitted. LAW OFFICES OF RODNEY T. LEWIN,
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I, Benjamin Golshani, state the following:

# WHO IS SURE TO HAVE GREEN VALLEY'S INTEREST AT HEART

1. I am the sole member of CLA Properties, LLC ("CLA") which is one of the two members of Green Valle Commerce, LLC ("Green Valley"), and I am one of the two managers of Green Valley. The other member and manager is Sharam ("Shawn") Bidsal ("Bidsal").

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2. The Green Valley Operating Agreement ("Agreement") provides that a member ("Offering Member") may offer to the other member ("Remaining 8 9 Member") to buy out the latter's membership interest at a price determined by a formula. 10 (All exhibits referred to are attached; Agreement is Exhibit 1.) The sole element of that formula that is not determined from the Green Valley books and records is the fair market 11 value of its property ("FMV"). The Agreement requires the offer to set forth the Offering 12 Member's assertion of FMV, and provides that the Remaining Member has the option to sell 13 14 its membership interest or buy the Offering Member's membership interest.

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3. In July, 2017 Bidsal (the Offering Member) made such an offer to CLA and in his offer set the FMV at \$5,000,000. (Marked Exhibit 4 and attached hereto.) 16 17 In August, 2017 CLA (the Remaining Member) responded that it chose to buy Bidsal's membership interest. (Marked Exhibit 5 and attached hereto.) CLA contended that the 18 19 Agreement (in particular Article V, Section 4) provided that in such purchase the FMV 20 would be that used in Bidsal's offer. Bidsal refused to sell his membership interest on that basis and instead argued that if the Remaining Member (here CLA) chose to buy rather than 21 22 sell, then the Green Valley property had to be appraised to determine FMV.

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4. On September 26, 2017 CLA filed an arbitration claim which was heard on May 8 and May 9, 2018. On April 5, 2019 the arbitrator, Judge Haberfeld, issued his award in JAMS Arbitration No. 1260004569 in favor of CLA in part providing on page 19:

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1. Within ten (10) days of the issuance of this Final Award, Respondent

Sharam Bidsal also known as Shawn Bidsal ("Mr. Bidsal") shall (A) transfer hi fifty percent (50%) Membership Interest in Green Vallev Commerce. LLC ("Green Vallev") free and clear of all liens and encumbrances, to Claimant CLA Property. LLC. at a price computed in accordance with the contractual formula set forth in Section 4.2 of the Green Vallev Operating Agreement. with the "FMV" portion of th formula fixed as Five Million Dollars and No Cents (\$5.000.000) and further, (B execute any and all documents to effectuate such sale and transfer. (Exhibit 2)

On December 6, 2019, more than two and one half years after CLA's exercise of its option to purchase Bidsal's membership interest, Judge Joanna S.
 Kishner, Judge of the District Court in and for Clark County, Nevada issued an order confirming the arbitration award. (Exhibit 4) Bidsal has appealed that Order. So here it is, more than three years after I should have been able to take over Green Valley, and still Bidsal has not transferred his interest to CLA.

6. In addition to Green Valley Bidsal and I (through CLA) have formed two other limited liability companies, one called Country Club, LLC and one called Mission Square, LLC. While both Bidsal and I are designated as managers of all three, by our mutual consent the retention of the books and records and conduct of the actual day to day operations of the LLCs have been divided between us. So, for example, in the case of Mission Square I maintain the books and records and do the day to day management, while in the case of Green Valley Bidsal has assumed that role, in each case by virtue of our mutual agreement and consent. The income from each LLC is split evenly, so that so long as both Bidsal and I (through CLA) are the owners, whoever is the day to day manager has self-interest to guide his conduct.

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award, regardless of the results of Bidsal's appeal, of Judge Kishner's Order, Bidsal will more than likely be selling his membership interest and will no longer have any interest in Green Valley. If on appeal Judge Kishner's Order is affirmed, CLA will be buying Bidsal's interest using \$5,000,000 as the FMV. But even if the appellate court should determine that

not only Judge Haberfeld, but Judge Kishner, as well went off the rails and the latter's Order
 is reversed, Bidsal will still more than likely still be selling his interest; the only change will
 be that the FMV will be determined by appraisal. Actually that might in fact lower the price
 given Covid-19.

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8. Based upon the fact that little likelihood that both Judge Haberfeld and Judge

Kishner were wrong, and therefore my ongoing interest in the success of Green 6 7 Valley being more likely I have repeatedly asked that he turn over the books, records and 8 day to day management of Green Valley to me. Lest there remain any doubt on February 9 24, 2020 I e-mailed Bidsal (marked Exhibit 9 and attached hereto), "I think we should turn 10 over the management of Green Valley to CLA immediately, making clear that my prior consent to Bidsal's acting as day to day manager of Green Valley had been withdrawn. On 11 February 27th he responded by e-mail, "that is not going to happen." (Marked Exhibit 10 12 and attached hereto.) Finally on May 6, 2020 CLA's attorney wrote, "Although the 13 14 day-to-day management of the Green Valley properties was previously delegated to Mr. 15 Bidsal (just as Mission Square was delegated to CLA) CLA now withdraws its consent to such delegation for the reasons set forth in the counterclaim." (Marked Exhibit 12 and 16 attached hereto.) 17

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# OTHER REASONS WHY I SHOULD BE MANAGER

## **Bidsal's Deprivation of Information**

9. A separate reason why I should be the day to day manager is Bidsal's failure to
 provide or make available information and things to me as a co-manager
 and owner of CLA holding 50% membership interest.

10. On May 8 and May 9, 2018 I attended the hearing in the first arbitration. It
appeared to me that CLA would be successful. So starting about a week later,
I began asking for the online banking passwords or codes, but Bidsal did not provide them.
As a manager and owner of CLA I was much entitled to have that information as was
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11. Finally, on February 24, 2020 I again wrote to Bidsal asking for the online

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 when I still had not received even a response on March 18<sup>th</sup> I requested the codes, along
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 comply; he asserted an inability to providing what I had asked for all based on his office
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8 I e-mailed back, "I understand about the office closure. However, please send
9 me the online banking passcode contact information of the real estate agents and other
10 information that you would not need your office help." (Marked Exhibit 11 and attached
11 hereto.) Yet, Bidsal never responded, and to this date has never provided those codes.

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13. Turning to a different matter, on January 1, 2020 I e-mailed Bidsal and in part said, "I am hiring an inspector to give us a professional report of the condition of the property." (Marked Exhibit 7 and attached hereto.) Then I followed up on January 5<sup>th</sup> and e-mailed Bidsal, "Please advise whom I should get the keys to give access to the inspector who is doing the Property condition Report." (Marked Exhibit 8 and attached hereto.) Bidsal never responded.

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# **Bidsal Not the Better Choice**

14. There is a totally separate reason why Golshani rather than Bidsal should be chosen to conduct the day to day affairs of Green Valley. Bidsal has not proved to be a good or fair caretaker.

15. In February, 2019 Judge Haberfeld issued his the interim award announcing
that Bidsal would lose his Green Valley membership interest. In that year
Green Valley's revenue dropped 16.7% while its expenses rose one hundred twenty-five
percent (125%), resulting in an astounding fifty-four and one half percent (54.5%) drop in
net income.

But that is not all. On July 28, 2017 Bidsal wrote to me and expressly asserted
and described Green Valley's substantial deferred maintenance. (Marked

1	Exhibit 6 and attached hereto.) Yet in that year he caused Green Valley to distribute
2	\$402,000 instead of using the money for repairs.
3	17. After Judge Haberfeld announced his decision in February, 2019 that Bidsal
4	had to sell his interest, Bidsal distributed \$180,500 to himself when Judge
5	Haberfeld's decision said that Bidsal no longer would be a member.
6	I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the
7	foregoing is true and correct. Executed May 20, 2020 at Los Angeles, California.
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#### **OPERATING AGREEMENT**

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#### 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.

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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.

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The Limited Liability Company shall continuously maintain at its registered office, or at such other place as may by 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

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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.

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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.

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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,

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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 %90 of the Member Interests shall be required to:

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

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(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

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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 prearbitration 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 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 Golshani.

#### 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:

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- (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**

#### **Contribution to Capital.** Section 01

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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 he 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.

# 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 4.2 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 4.2

#### 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

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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 appraisers. The Remaining 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) x 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) x0.5 + 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.

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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.

#### **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.

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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.

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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. <u>COVENANTS WITH RESPECT TO, INDEBTEDNESS,</u> <u>OPERATIONS, AND FUNDAMENTAL CHANGES</u>

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 for that member.

#### 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.

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#### 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.

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#### 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.

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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

Indemnification: Proceeding Other than by Company. The Company may Section 1. 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.

Indemnification: Proceeding by Company. The Company may indemnify any Section 2. 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 there from, 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.

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Section 3. <u>Mandatory Indemnification</u>. 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, <u>Sections 1 and 2</u>, 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.

<u>Section 4.</u> <u>Authorization of Indemnification</u>. Any indemnification under Article XI, <u>Sections 1 and 2</u>, unless ordered by a court or advanced pursuant to <u>Section 5</u>, 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.

<u>Section 6.</u> <u>Effect and Continuation</u>. The indemnification and advancement of expenses authorized in or ordered by a court pursuant to Article XI, <u>Sections 1-5</u>, 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 <u>Section Article XI</u>, 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 <u>Article XI</u>, 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.

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#### 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

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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:

ABIDSA !

Shawn Bidsal, Member

CLA Properties, LLC

by

Benjamin Golshani, Manager

## Manager/Management:

AVBIDSA!

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 there under (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

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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 there under.

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## ALLOCATION OF PROFITS AND LOSSES; TAX AND ACCOUNTING MATTERS

- 5.1 <u>Allocations.</u> 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 there under, as implemented by <u>Section 8.5</u> hereof, as applicable, shall be determined as follows:
  - 5.1.1 <u>Allocations</u>. Except as otherwise provided in this <u>Section 1.1</u>:
    - 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

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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 <u>Allocations With Respect to Property</u> 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 <u>Minimum Gain Chargeback</u>. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this <u>Section 2.1</u>, 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 <u>Qualified Income Offset</u>. Subject to the provisions of <u>subsection 2.1.3</u>, but otherwise notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this <u>Section 2.1</u>, 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 <u>Depreciation Recapture</u>. Subject to the provisions of Section 704(c) of the Code and <u>subsections 2.1.2 2.1.4</u>, inclusive, of this Agreement, gain recognized (or deemed recognized under the provisions hereof) upon the sale

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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 <u>subsections 2.1.2 2.1.4</u>, 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 <u>Tax Credits</u> 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 <u>subsection 2.1.1</u> 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 <u>Change of Pro Rata Interests</u>. Except as provided in <u>subsections 2.1.6 and</u> <u>2.1.7</u> 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 <u>section 2.1.1</u> 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 <u>Nonrecourse and Recourse Debt</u>. Items of deduction and loss attributable to Member nonrecourse debt within the meaning of Section 1.7042(b)(4) of the

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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 <u>State and Local Items.</u> 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 <u>Section 2.1</u>.
- 5.2 <u>Accounting Matters</u>. 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 there under, 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

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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	50%	\$ 1,215,000	(30% of capital)_
CLA Properties, LLC 50%		\$ 2 <b>,8</b> 34,250	(70% of capital)

## 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;

<u>Second Step</u>, 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).

<u>Third Step</u>, 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 cash out financing.

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### JAMS ARBITRATION NO. 1260004569

## CLA PROPERTIES, LLC, Claimant and Counter-Respondent,

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SHAWN BIDSAL, Respondent and Counterclaimant.

#### FINAL AWARD

THE UNDERSIGNED ARBITRATOR, having been duly designated to be the Arbitrator in accordance with the arbitration provision of Article III, Section 14.1 of the Operating Agreement, dated June 15, 2011, of Green Valley Commerce, LLC, a Nevada LLC ("Green Valley"), based on careful consideration of the evidence adduced during and following the May 8-9, 2018 evidentiary sessions of the Merits Hearing of the Arbitration Hearing of this arbitration, applicable law, the written submissions of the parties, and good cause appearing, makes the following findings of fact, conclusions of law and determinations ("determinations") and this Final Award ("Award"), as follows.

#### **DETERMINATIONS**

1. The determinations in this Award are the determinations by the Arbitrator, which the Arbitrator has determined to be true, correct, necessary and/or appropriate for purposes of this Award. To the extent that the Arbitrator's determinations differ from any party's positions, that is the result of determinations as to relevance, burden of proof considerations, the weighing of the evidence, etc.

To the extent, if any, that any determinations set forth in this Award are inconsistent or otherwise at variance with any prior determination in the Interim Award, Merits Order No. 1 or any prior order or ruling of the Arbitrator, the determination(s) in this Award shall govern and prevail in each and every such instance.

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2. Pursuant to Rule 11(b) of the JAMS Comprehensive Arbitration Rules and Procedures ---- which govern this arbitration and which Rules the Arbitrator has the authority and discretion to exercise, as here<sup>1</sup> --- the Arbitrator has the jurisdiction and has exercised his jurisdiction to determine his arbitral jurisdiction, which has been determined to be as follows:

The Arbitrator has and has had continuing jurisdiction over the subject matter and over the parties to the arbitration, who/which are Claimant and Counter- Respondent CLA Properties, LLC, a California limited liability company ("CLA") and Respondent and Counterclaimant Sharam Bidsal, also known as Shawn Bidsal, an individual. ("Mr. Bidsal').

CLA has been represented by the Law Offices of Rodney T. Lewin and Rodney T. Lewin, Esq. and Richard D. Agay, Esq. of that firm, whose address is 8665 Wilshire Blvd., Ste. 210, Beverly Hills, CA 90211-2931, and Levine, Garfinkel & Eckersely and Louis E. Garfinkel, Esq. of that firm, whose address is 1671 W. Horizon Ridge Pkwy, Ste. 220, Henderson, NV 89012.

Mr. Bidsal has been represented by Smith & Shapiro, PLLC and James E. Shapiro, Esq. of that firm, whose address is 2222 E. Seren Ave., Ste. 130, Henderson, NV 89074, and Goodkin & Lynch, LLP and Daniel L. Goodkin, Esq. of that firm, whose address is 1800 Century Park East, 10th Fl., Los Angeles, CA 90067.

On October 10, 2018, the Arbitrator rendered and JAMS issued Merits Order No. 1, and on February 22, 2019, the Arbitrator rendered and JAMS issued the Interim Award in this arbitration. The Interim Award and Merits Order No. 1 contained the Arbitrator's determinations and written decision as to relief to be granted and denied, based on the evidence adduced evidentiary sessions of the Merits Hearing of the Arbitration Hearing held on May 8-9, 2018,<sup>2</sup>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> JAMS Comprehensive Arbitration Rule 11(b) provides as follows:

<sup>&</sup>quot;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. Unless the relevant law requires otherwise, the Arbitrator has the authority to determine jurisdiction and arbitrability issues as a preliminary matter." <sup>2</sup> The evidentiary sessions of the Merits Hearing were held in Las Vegas, Nevada, at the insistence of Mr. Bidsal, notwithstanding that the individual principals (including

Mr. Bidsal), CLA's lead counsel and the Arbitrator are residents of Southern California.

applicable law, and extensive post-evidentiary submissions of the parties. One of the determinations was and remains that CLA is the prevailing party in this arbitration.

March 7, 2019 is hereby declared to be the date for last briefs in this arbitration and the date as of which the Arbitrator hereby declares the Arbitration Hearing (including the Merits Hearing thereof) closed. See JAMS Comprehensive Arbitration Rule 24(h).

The Arbitrator shall continue to maintain jurisdiction over the parties concerning the subject matter of this arbitration until the last day permitted by law and JAMS Comprehensive Arbitration Rules & Procedures.

## <u>II</u> FACTUAL CONTEXT

3. CLA and Mr. Bidsal are the sole members of Green Valley, LLC, a Nevada limited liability company ("Green Valley"), which owns and manages real property in Las Vegas, Nevada. At all relevant times, CLA and Mr. Bidsal have each owned a 50% Membership interest in Green Valley. CLA is wholly and solely owned by its principal, Benjamin Golshani ("Mr. Golshani").

4. Mr. Golshani on behalf of CLA and Mr. Bidsal executed an Operating Agreement for Green Valley, dated June 15, 2011. Exhibit 29. Section 4 of Article V of that Operating Agreement, captioned "Purchase or Sell Rights among Members" ("Section 4"), contains provisions permitting one member of Green Valley to initiate the purchase or sale of one member's interest by the other. Those Section 4 provisions were referred to by the parties and their joint attorney, David LeGrand, as "forced buy/sell" and "Dutch auction," whereby one of the members (designated as the "Offering Member") can offer to buy out the interest of the other based upon a valuation of the fair market value of the LLC set by the Offering Member in the offer. The other member (designated as the "Remaining Member") is then given the option to either buy or sell using the Offering Member's valuation, or the Remaining Member can demand an appraisal.

On July 7, 2017, Mr. Bidsal sent CLA a Section 4 written offer to buy CLA's 50% Green Valley membership interest, based on a "best estimate" valuation of \$5 million. On August 3, 2017 --- via timely Section 4 notice, in response to Mr. Bidsal's July 7 offer --- CLA elected to buy rather than sell a 50% Green Valley membership interest --- i.e., Mr. Bidsal's --- based upon Mr. Bidsal's \$5 million valuation, and thus without a requested appraisal. On August 7, 2017 --- response to CLA's election --- Mr. Bidsal refused to sell his Green Valley membership interest to CLA based on his \$5 million valuation, and "invoke[d] his right to establish the FMV by appraisal,"<sup>3</sup> "in accordance with Article V, Section 4 of the Company's Operating Agreement."

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#### **"CORE" ARBITRATION ISSUE**

5. While this arbitration --- as briefed, tried, argued and resolved as a business/legal dispute thusly involving "pure" issues of contractual interpretation --- is also, significantly, a contentious, intra-familial dispute. Messrs. Bidsal and Golshani are first cousins, as well as each effectively owning 50% Membership Interests in Green Valley.

6. Mr. Bidsal contended that if CLA elected to buy his 50% Membership Interest rather than sell, Mr. Bidsal had the right to demand that the "FMV" portion of the Section 4 formula for determining price must be determined by an appraisal. CLA contended upon its election to purchase rather than sell, it has the right to purchase Mr. Bidsal's fifty percent (50%) Membership based upon the valuation made by Mr. Bidsal, as the Offering Member, and that the FMV portion of the Section 4 formula to determine price must be the same amount as set forth in Mr. Bidsal's offer, i.e. \$5 million, and that Mr. Bidsal should be ordered to transfer his Membership Interest based thereupon.

6. Thus, the "core" of the parties' dispute is whether or not Mr. Bidsal contractually agreed to sell, and can be legally compelled to sell, his 50% Membership Interest in Green Valley to CLA at a price computed via a contractual formula not in dispute, based on Mr. Bidsal's undisputed \$5 million "best estimate" of Green Valley's fair market valuation, as stated in Mr. Bidsal's July 7, 2017 written offer to purchase CLA's 50% Membership Interest in Green Valley --- without regard to a formal appraisal of Green Valley, which Mr. Bidsal has contended that the parties agreed that he had a contractual right to demand as a "counteroffered seller" under Section 4.2 of the Green Valley Operating Agreement.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> The formula in Section 4 for determining price is stated twice, once if sale is by Remaining Member and once if sale is by Offering member. But whether the membership interest is sold by the Remaining Member or by the Offering Member, the formula for determining the price is the same, except that the identity of the selling Member, Remaining Member or Offering Member, is included: "(FMV - COP) × 0.5 plus capital contribution of the [selling] Member at the time of purchasing the property minus prorated liabilities."

7. Despite conflicting testimony and impeachment on crossexamination on both sides,<sup>4</sup> the evidence presented during the evidentiary sessions materially assisted the Arbitrator in reaching the interpretative determinations set forth in this Award concerning the pivotal "buy-sell" provisions set forth in Section 4.2 of the Green Valley Operating Agreement ---which, as a result of collective drafting over a six-month period, was not a model of clarity, which precluded the granting of both sides' Rule 18 cross-motions, based on Section 4.2.

8. The "forced buy-sell" agreement, or so-called "Dutch auction," is common among partners in business entities like partnerships, joint ventures, LLC's, close corporations --- a primary purpose of which is to impose fairness and discipline among partners considering maneuvering, via pre-agreed procedures and consequences. If not careful and fair, the Dutch auction imposes a risk of one "overplaying one's hand" --- such that an intended buyer might end up becoming an unintended seller, at a price below, possibly well below, the price at which the partner was motivated to buy the same Membership Interest, under the "buy-sell" procedures which he/she/it initiated. If the provisions work, as intended, the result might not be expertly authoritative or precise, but nevertheless a form of cost-effective "rough justice," when one partner "pulls the trigger" on separation, by initiating Section 4.2 procedures.

9. As amplified below, the parties' dispute and this arbitration have been a result and expression of "seller's remorse" by Mr. Bidsal ---- after having initiated Section 4.2 procedures, of which he was the principal draftsman,<sup>5</sup> in the belief that, after the completion of those procedures, he would be the buyer of the other 50% Membership Interest in Green Valley, based on his "best estimate of the [then] current fair market value of the Company," for calculation of the buyout price, using the formula set out in Section 4.2.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Neither of the parties' Rule 18 positions that Section 4.2 of the Green Valley Operating Agreement unambiguously supported the asserting side's position on contractual interpretation was sustained after briefing and argument during an in-person hearing on the parties' cross-motions. The Rule 18 denials and the inability of the parties to reach requisite stipulations, following the Rule 18 hearing, required the in-person evidentiary sessions of the Merits Hearing — which sessions were held on May 8-9, 2018 in Las Vegas, Nevada. The evidence adduced during those evidentiary sessions corroborated the Arbitrator's experience that trial of issues raised earlier in Rule 18 motions — including via cross-examination of witnesses, which the Arbitrator regards as an engine of truth — often results in the emergence of new and/or changed facts and circumstances which bear on resolution of what were Rule 18 issues.
<sup>5</sup> While not dispositive, <u>per se</u>, 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.

10. As also amplified below, CLA Properties is the prevailing party on the merits of the parties' contentions in this Merits Hearing, based on the Arbitrator's principal contractual interpretation determinations that:

A. The clear, specific and express "specific intent" language of the last paragraph of Section 4.2 prevails over any earlier ambiguities about the contracting parties' Section 4.2 rights and obligations.

B. Mr. Bidsal's testimony, arguments and position in support of his having contractual appraisal rights appear to be "outcome determinative" in his favor. That is, they do not, as they apparently cannot, be logically applied in all instances contemplated by the Section 4.2 "buy-sell" provision, beyond the situation in which he was placed by Mr. Golshani's August 3, 2017 Section 4.2 response --- specifically, for example, in instances in which CLA either would have (1) timely accepted Mr. Bidsal's July 7, 2017 Section 4.2 offer to buy CLA's 50% Membership Interest in Green Valley or (2) deliberately, inadvertently or otherwise failed to timely or otherwise properly respond to that offer within the 30-day time limit set under Section 4.2. CLA's testimony, arguments and position in support of its contractual interpretation of the operative provisions of Section 4.2 not only are based on and consistent with the Section 4.2's "specific intent" language, they can be logically applied in all instances contemplated by the Section 4.2 "buy-sell" provision --- including beyond the situation created by the July 7/August 3 Section 4.2 written offer/response of the parties, which gave rise to the parties' dispute and this arbitration.

C. Mr. Bidsal contractually agreed to sell and can be legally compelled to sell and transfer his fifty percent (50%) Membership Interest in Green Valley to CLA at a price computed via the contractual formula set forth in Section 4.2 of the Green Valley Operating Agreement, based on Mr. Bidsal's undisputed \$5 million "best estimate" of Green Valley's fair market valuation, as stated in Mr. Bidsal's July 7, 2017 offer.

11. In a dispute between litigating partners or other parties, the testimony of third-party witnesses becomes important. That is especially so, when the third-party witness is unbiased and the drafting lawyer was jointly representing the contracting parties in connection with the preparation of the underlying contract in suit. David LeGrand was that lawyer, and the substance of his testimony is essentially the same as, and thus corroborates, CLA's contentions, supported by the testimony of CLA's principal, Mr. Golshani. Mr. LeGrand was not shown to be biased for or against either side in this matter. On cross-examination and on redirect, Mr. LeGrand testified that he had performed legal work for Mr. Golshani for a number of years, including during August 2017, but not recently, and that he had been asked to do legal work by

Mr. Bidsal within about six months of his testimony, and shortly prior to his deposition in connection with this arbitration, but that Mr. LeGrand was too busy to take on Mr. Bidsal's legal work.

12. A portion of Mr. LeGrand's deposition testimony --- which was read into the evidentiary session record, during Mr. LeGrand's hearing testimony on May 9, 2018 --- was that, at Mr. Golshani's instance, Messrs. Bidsal and Golshani agreed to a "forced buy-sell" in lieu of a right of first refusal for inclusion in the Green Valley Operating Agreement. Although he attempted to take back or resist his prior use of the word "forced" at hearing, Mr. LeGrand understood "buy-sell" to mean that an offeree partner, presented with an offer under the "buy-sell" provision of the LLC Operating Agreement, has (A) the option to buy or sell at the price offered by the other/offeror member and (B) the contractual right to compel performance of that option, including at the price stated in offeror member's offer. That testimony is consistent with the "specific intent" language of Section 4.2 which Mr. LeGrand specially drafted, and which reads as follows:

"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 Interest to the [R]emaining Member(s)."

13. 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. Under governing Nevada law,<sup>6</sup> the purpose of contract interpretation "is to discern the intent of the contracting parties." <u>American First Federal Credit Union v. Soro</u>, 359 P.3d 105, 106 (Nev. 2015), quoting and citing <u>Davis v. Beling</u>, 279 P.3d 501, 515 (Nev. 2011). Because the evidence is that both Messrs. Bidsal and Golshani were each very interested in changing drafts over a six-month period of what became the Section 4.2 "buy-sell" provision, each of them must have closely read that section, including the "specific intent" last sentence of that section of the Green Valley Operating Agreement. Accordingly, any prior, contemporaneous or other ambiguity as to Remaining Member CLA's Section 4.2 "buy-sell" options and Offering Member Bidsal's obligation to sell his 50% Membership Interest to CLA "at the same offered price" as presented in his July 7, 2017 offer, as a result of CLA's August 3, 2017 response to Mr. Bidsal's

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup> Article X (d) of the Green Valley Operating Agreement provides that Nevada law shall apply to the interpretation and enforcement of the contract.

July 7 offer, must give way to that objectively manifested specific intent of the parties.

14. When directed to that "specific intent" provision of Section 4.2, during hearing, Mr. LeGrand was asked and answered, as follows:

"Q And does that -- does that language reflect your -- your then understanding of what the intent of this provision was? "A Yes.

"Q And that was your understanding of what Mr. Golshani and Mr. Bidsal had wanted you to put in?

"A Yes.

"Q And it was your understanding that they had both --- that was what they both had agreed to, right?

"A Yes.

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"Q But the reason you put -- the reason that you put down a -the reason you inserted the specific intent of the parties was to make sure there was no question about what the intent of the

parties

was, right?

"A That was what I intend when I put language like 'specific intent,' yes."

5/9/2018 Hrg.Tr., at pp. 295:19-296:5, 297:4-10.

15. It appears that in this case, Mr. Bidsal attempted to find a contractual "out" to regain lost leverage to either buy or sell a 50% membership interest in Green Valley at a price and/or on terms less favorable than he originally envisaged, when he made his July 7, 2017 offer, but more favorable than CLA's August 3, 2017 acceptance of Mr. Bidsal's company valuation price and CLA's "standing on the contract" to buy, rather than sell, based on Mr. Bidsal's market valuation figure --- which interpretation and position the Arbitrator has determined have been proved correct by a preponderance of the evidence, after hearing, and according to law.

16. What Mr. Bidsal seems to have settled on for negotiation and arbitration was ignoring, disregarding and, it appeared at hearing, resisting strict application of the "specific intent" language quoted and discussed above. Under resumed cross-examination by CLA's counsel on May 9, 2018 --- while acknowledging that CLA/Mr. Golshani was a Section 4.2 "Remaining Member" in respect to Mr. Bidsal's July 7, 2017 offer to buy CLA's 50% Membership Interest in Green Valley for \$5 million, which truly represented Mr. Bidsal's best estimate of the value of the Company, when he made his offer, and as he so

expressly stated in his offer --- Mr. Bidsal (A) repeatedly refused to acknowledge that CLA had and duly exercised a Section 4.2 option, alternatively to either sell or buy a 50% Membership Interest in Green Valley based on Mr. Bidsal's offering \$5 million as the value of the LLC, and (B) insisted, rather, that (1) CLA's August 3, 2017 response to Mr. Bidsal's July 7, 2017 offer constituted a "counteroffer," and that (2) as a contractual and apparently legal consequence of Mr. Bidsal having been made the recipient of a "counteroffer," he became entitled, as a seller, now, to Section 4.2 optional appraisal rights to determine Green Valley's fair market value or "FMV." Hrg. Tr. at pp. 339:14 -340:10.

17. What Mr. Bidsal apparently found and settled on was a drafting ambiguity in Section 4 of the Green Valley Operating Agreement --- i.e., "FMV," which ambiguity the Arbitrator has determined somehow found its way into Section 4.2 late in the process --- and using that ambiguity to argue that "FMV" could only mean third-party expert-appraised fair market value was required in the circumstances. Under Section 4.2 of the Green Valley Operating Agreement, the "Remaining Member" (CLA) has the option to sell or buy "the [50%] Membership Interest" put in issue by the Offering Member, "based upon the same fair market value (FMV)" set forth in the Offering Member's Section 4.2compliant offer ---- which valuation of the Company the Offering Member "thinks is the fair market value" of the Company. Mr. Bidsal used that ambiguity as his justification for refusing to perform as a compelled seller under the Section 4.2 "buy-sell." contending that Section 4 should be interpreted in his favor because Mr. Golshani was its draftsman. While Mr. Golshani had some role in what became Section 4, based on the evidence the Arbitrator finds that Mr. Bidsal controlled the final drafting of the Green Valley Commerce, LLC Operating Agreement, and had the last and final say on what the language was before signing the Operating Agreement, and is deemed to be the principal drafter of Section 4.2 of that agreement and therefore bears the burden of risk of ambiguity or inconsistency within the disputed provision. However, the determinations and award contained herein are based upon the testimony and exhibits introduced at the hearing in this matter, and the determination of draftsman is not dispositive. For the reasons set out herein the determinations and award would be made even if Mr. Bidsal's contention that Mr. Golshani was the draftsman of Section 4 were correct.

18. Beyond the parties' signed, closely read, express Section 4.2 specific intent, <u>per se</u>, there is an unanswered logical flaw in Bidsal's position ---which the Arbitrator has determined to be "outcome determinative." That is, Mr. Bidsal's position might be plausible in the situation in which he has found himself on August 3 ---- after and in light of 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

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language and all other language in that section, without Mr. Bidsal <u>sub silentio</u> conceding the correctness of CLA's internally consistent position which "works" in all contemplated Section 4.2 "buy-sell" contingencies.

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

B. Under the parties' agreed formula for arriving at the "buyout" price, as set forth immediately above the "specific intent" provision of Section 4.2 --- regardless of who is 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.

19. If that is so, and the Arbitrator finds it is, then, logically as well as fairly under Section 4.2 --- which is an agreed fairness provision of the parties --- then \$5 million is the "FMV" for the same buy-out formula, if CLA, as here, opted to buy rather than sell a 50% Membership Interest in Green Valley, LLC, without invoking its optional appraisal rights. Absent a demand by the Remaining Member, Section 4 of the Operating Agreement for Green Valley Commerce, LLC does not require an appraisal to determine the price to be paid by Remaining Member CLA for its purchase of Offering Member Bidsal's membership interest in Green Valley, and Mr. Bidsal had no right to demand an appraisal to determine the price to be paid by CLA for Mr. Bidsal's membership interest in Green Valley Commerce, LLC.

20. Significant among other factors adduced at hearing and in post-evidentiary sessions briefing, the Arbitrator further has determined that:

A. The "triggering" of the parties' Section 4.2 "buy-sell" provisions of the Green Valley Commerce, LLC ("Green Valley") Operating Agreement was under the control of Mr. Bidsal, as the Section 4.2 "Offering Party." What that means in this arbitration is that, among other things, Mr. Bidsal controlled whether and when he made his offer, and what the offering price would be, including whether or to what extent Mr. Bidsal engaged in due diligence to determine Green Valley's fair market valuation including via third-party professional appraisal, if he opted to obtain one preparatory to making his Section 4.2 offer.

B. Once Mr. Bidsal, as the contractually "Offering Party" conveyed his Section 4.2 offer --- and pursuant to the parties' "specific intent" set

forth in that section and discussed elsewhere herein, and as a matter of fundamental, cost-effective fairness between essentially partners, regardless of labels --- Mr. Bidsal contractually surrendered control of what next followed in the Section 4.2 "buy-sell" process to Mr. Golshani, on behalf of "Remaining Member" CLA.

C. There was no contractual residual protection available to Mr. Bidsal as to appraisal and/or price of his Membership Interest — which, under Section 4.2, upon Mr. Bidsal's "triggering" of the same, became "the Membership interest" which Mr. Bidsal put in play. Put another way --although CLA put up about 70% of Green Valley's capital --- CLA and Mr. Bidsal, by agreement, each had a 50% Membership Interest in the Green Valley LLC --- so that, at that point, CLA had the election under the "buy-sell" whether to buy or sell "the" 50% Membership Interest in Green Valley put in play by Mr. Bidsal. If CLA elected to buy, rather than sell, CLA had the contractual option to compel Mr. Bidsal to sell his 50% Membership Interest to CLA at a purchase price computed via the Section 4.2 formula, based either on Mr. Bidsal's \$5 million valuation of the LLC in his July 7, 2017 Section 4.2 offer. If CLA elected to sell, rather than buy, CLA had the election to have the purchase price, via formula, set in accordance with Mr. Bidsal's offering valuation of \$5 million or a (presumably greater) valuation set via contractual third-party appraisal, also under Section 4.2, if Mr. Golshani thought an appraised valuation for purposes of sale of its 50% Membership Interest to Mr. Bidsal would be more favorable to CLA. Thus, Mr. Bidsal had no right to demand an appraisal, and under Section 4.2 Mr. Bidsal was obligated to close escrow and sell his 50% Membership Interest to CLA within 30 days after CLA elected to buy, i.e. by September 3, 2017.

D. Under Section 4.2, CLA, as the Remaining Member, had 30 days from Mr. Bidsal's "triggering" of the "buy-sell" to make its election to buy or sell at the "same" price set forth in Mr. Bidsal's offer or to sell at a presumably higher appraised price --- or as indicated above to deliberately or inadvertently allow the 30-day period to expire without timely, adequate or any written response.

E There is no reference or indication in any earlier draft or other documentation generated prior to, or contemporaneous with, or following execution of the Green Valley Operating Agreement --- pre-dispute --- that an Offering Member retains a reserved right to unilaterally demand an appraisal, following, as here, the Remaining Member's unqualified, written acceptance of the Offering Member's Section 4.2-compliant written offer --- the offer and acceptance both expressly stating, and thus bindingly agreeing, that \$5 million is the agreed valuation of the Company for purposes of computing the purchase and sale price of "the Membership Interest" which was the subject of the parties' Section 4.2-compliant offer and acceptance.<sup>7</sup>

While an earlier version of what became Section 4.2 required that an offer be accompanied by an appraisal, the only reference to an appraisal or appraisal right in the final version of Section 4.2 is "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 .... " To repeat, appraisal rights are triggered only "[i]f the [Offering Member's] offered price is not acceptable to the Remaining Member" and, further, that the Remaining Member requests the "following procedure" of an appraisal "within 30 days of receiving the offer." That 30-day period is exactly the same time limitation on the Remaining Member by which to accept the Offering Member's offers or not. By implication, that logically would foreclose the possibility of Mr. Bidsal, as the Offering Member, having a contractual right to request an appraisal to determine "FMV" as a "second bite at the [Green Valley valuation] apple." Similarly, Section 4.2's use of the word "same" market value would exclude a third-party expert-appraised market valuation right in Mr. Bidsal --- that is, without reading in a provision which just is not there expressly or by fair implication.

F. Mr. Bidsal's contractual interpretation position is irreconcilably inconsistent with the parties' specially included "specific intent" language added to the "buy-sell" provision mechanics.

G. Miscalculating the intentions, thinking and/or financial resources available to the other party in an arm's length transaction, such as a Section 4.2 "buy-sell," are not cognizable bases for re-writing or re-interpreting the parties' contractual procedures.

H. Mr. Bidsal's "best estimate of the current fair market value of the Company" at \$5 million was authorized, prepared and conveyed on Mr. Bidsal's behalf by his lawyer on July 7, 2017. CLA accepted Mr. Bidsal's July 7 offer on August 3, 2017 --- 27 days later. While Mr. Bidsal appears to have had a unilateral right to retract his offer, at any time prior to its acceptance during that 27-day period --- including because of a realization that he had made a mistake in underestimating the then current fair market value of the Company

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>7</sup> Deleted from the execution copy of the Green Valley Operating Agreement, which was signed by the parties, was Mr. LeGrand's earlier language of Section 7 — which became Section 4 of the final — that an LLC member's offer under the "buy-sell" was to be accompanied by an appraiser's appraisal. <sup>8</sup> Similarly, the Arbitrator has not considered any other instance in which Mr. Bidsal contended that he allegedly had appraisal rights.

--- the preponderance of the evidence is that Mr. Bidsal's \$5 million conveyed "best estimate" of Green Valley's value in his Section 4.2-compliant offer was the product of careful analysis and forethought and not error -- that is until Mr. Bidsal was informed of CLA's acceptance of his offer and Section 4.2 election to buy, rather than sell, a 50% Membership Interest based on Mr. Bidsal's \$5 million valuation of the Company. It was only on August 5, 2017, in express "response to your August 3, 2017 letter relating to the Membership Interest in Green Valley Commerce, LLC" --- that Mr. Bidsal for the first time invoke[d] a purported right to establish the FMV by appraisal" "in accordance with Article V, Section 4 of the Company's Operating Agreement."

21. Mr. Bidsal has not sustained his burden of proof under his counterclaim, and is not entitled to any relief thereunder.

22. CLA's motion for reconsideration of the Arbitrator's sustaining Mr. Bidsal's objections to the admission of Exhibit 39 has been denied. Exhibit 39 is not in evidence, and CLA's reference to that exhibit in briefing other than whether or not that exhibit should be in evidence has not been considered.

A. The apparent primary purpose of CLA's attempt to introduce Exhibit 39 into evidence was to establish so-called "pattern evidence" of the parties' intent to include a "forced buy-sell" in the contract over which the parties are in dispute in this arbitration.<sup>8</sup> CLA's stated or ostensible --- but, the Arbitrator believes, secondary --- purpose in attempting to introduce Exhibit 39 is impeachment. Both efforts by CLA fail for the following reasons.

B. There is no contractual specification or limitation on the Arbitrator's broad authority and discretion conferred by operative JAMS Comprehensive Arbitration Rules, specifically Rule 22(d), to make evidentiary rulings and decisions --- including concerning the admission or exclusion of Exhibit 39.

C. Pattern evidence generally requires more than one instance of the alleged pattern --- which in this case is limited to one instance, which is an operating agreement of an unrelated entity, to which Mr. Bidsal was not a party, concerning an unrelated property, and a dispute in another arbitration, details of which bearing on Exhibit 39 the Arbitrator sought to avoid getting into during hearing in this arbitration. Those factors sufficiently weakened CLA's argument that the proffered "pattern evidence" that Mr. Bidsal's prior inclusion of a "buysell" provision agreed to by him in the other operating agreement (Exhibit 39)

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>8</sup> Similarly, the Arbitrator has not considered any other instance in which Mr. Bidsal contended that he allegedly had appraisal rights.

raises an inference that he similarly agreed to a "forced" buy-sell in the Green Valley Operating Agreement.

D. Exhibit 39 was not produced by CLA to Mr. Bidsal, prior to its attempted introduction during the June 28, 2018 Merits Hearing evidentiary session. CLA's only justification for its non-production was that Exhibit 39, as documentation used for impeachment, only, need not be produced or identified, prior to attempted use for that limited purpose during hearing. With respect, the Arbitrator has not been persuaded that Exhibit 39 was withheld from production solely for impeachment at hearing.

24. Paragraph 1 of the relief granted to CLA in this Final Award contains the following language:

"Within ten (10) days of the issuance of the final award in this arbitration, Respondent Sharam Bidsal also known as Shawn Bidsal ("Mr. Bidsal") shall (A) transfer his fifty percent (50%) Membership Interest in Green Valley Commerce, LLC ("Green Valley"), free and clear of all liens and encumbrances, to Claimant CLA Properties, LLC, at a price computed via the contractual formula set forth in Section 4.2 of the Green Valley Operating Agreement with the "FMV" portion of the formula fixed as Five Million Dollars and No Cents (\$5,000,000.00) and, further, (B) execute and deliver any and all documents necessary to effectuate such sale and transfer."

Mr. Bidsal's obligation to transfer his 50% interest to CLA pursuant to Section 4.1 of the Green Valley Operating Agreement's, as well as CLA's request for relief in its arbitration demand, necessarily imply and contemplate that the subject interest at the time of transfer must be "free and clear of all liens and encumbrances" --- as the price for that interest under Section 4.1 is to be calculated on the same --- plus via means and within a time after a final arbitration award is issued, by which Mr. Bidsal must effect and complete that transfer --- here, within ten (10) days of the issuance of the final award, pursuant to the execution and delivery of all documents necessary to effectuate the sale and transfer of Mr. Bidsal's 50% interest in Green Valley, LLC.

#### IV

## ATTORNEYS' FEES AND COSTS

25. Having been determined the prevailing party on the merits of the parties' contentions in this Merits Hearing, CLA is entitled to recover its attorneys' fees, costs and expenses as provided under Article III, Section 14.1 of the Green Valley Operating Agreement, which provides, in pertinent part that "at the conclusion of the arbitration, the arbitrator shall award the costs and

expenses (including the cost of the arbitration previously advanced and the fees and expenses of attorneys, accountants, and other experts) to the prevailing party."

26. The Arbitrator has carefully considered and weighed the evidence and other written submissions of the parties in connection with CLA's Section 14.1 attorneys' fees and costs application --- including weighing and consideration of the so-called <u>Brunzell</u> factors, under Nevada law<sup>9</sup> --- and has determined that CLA should be awarded \$298,256.900, as and for contractual prevailing party attorneys' fees and costs and expenses reasonably incurred in connection with this arbitration.

27. The \$298,256.00 amount to be awarded to CLA against Mr. Bidsal, as and for contractual prevailing party attorneys' fees and costs, has been computed as follows.

A. The full amount of CLA's requested attorneys' fees and costs through September 5, 2018, which is the last date of billed services rendered and costs and expenses incurred, per CLA's October 30, 2018 application for attorneys' fees and costs is \$266,239.82.<sup>10</sup>

B. The full amount of additional requested attorneys' fees and costs through February 28, 2019, per CLA's supplemental application for attorneys' fees and costs (denominated, "Additional Presentation") is \$52,238.67.

C. CLA's share of Arbitrator's compensation and JAMS management fees and expenses since the last JAMS invoice of 12/19/2018 submitted by CLA's counsel in its Additional Presentation --- including the Arbitrator's time since last JAMS billing to the date of the rendering of this Final Award --- is \$6,295.00.

D. The aggregate of the sum of those amounts --- i.e., \$324,773.49 -should and will be reduced by \$26,517.26, computed as follows: (1) \$13,158.63, representing CLA's attorneys' fees and costs billed in connection with CLA's unsuccessful Rule 18 cross-motion (but not CLA's successful defense of Mr. Bidsal's Rule 18 cross-motion, in the amount of \$11,800.00), (2) \$12,000.00, representing a discretionary downward adjustment of CLA's attorneys' fees reasonably incurred, primarily after September 5, 2018, based on the Arbitrator's

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>9</sup> Brunzell v. Golden Gate Nat'l Bank, 85 Nev. 345 (1969)("Brunzell").

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>10</sup> The full amount of CLA's requested attorneys' fees and costs through September 5, 2018 has been corrected to \$266,239.92 from \$249,078.75, the figure set forth in Paragraph 3 of Section V of the Interim Award.

careful consideration of CLA's initial application and Additional Presentations and Mr. Bidsal's objections to CLA's requested attorneys' fees, exclusive of his Rule 18 objection (which is covered under item (A), above), and (3) \$1,358.63, as and for Mr. Golshani's Las Vegas-related expenses in connection with this arbitration.

After weighing and considering all relevant considerations and in the exercise of the Arbitrator's discretion ---- the Arbitrator has determined that not all of that billed additional attorney and paralegal time can or should included in the Final Award and that the ultimate amount to be awarded in this Final Award is correct and appropriate in the circumstances.

The discretionary downward adjustment of \$12,000.00 from CLA's approximately \$41,000.00 additional attorneys' fees requested since issuance of the Interim Award should not be interpreted as any direct or indirect criticism of CLA's counsel's decision-making and tasking at any time during this arbitration --- especially given that substantial attorney time appears to have been prompted by Mr. Bidsal's submissions, throughout this arbitration, as also determined below and elsewhere in this Final Award.

28. A principal determination in connection with CLA's application is that the main reason for the attorneys' fees and related costs being of the magnitude sought by CLA is that Mr. Bidsal, not CLA, was the principal cause and driver of those costs. Notwithstanding that Mr. Bidsal selected the attorney who drew the Operating Agreement (Mr. LeGrand), and that Mr. Bidsal had a key role in determining what became the "signed-off" Section 4 contractual provision which has been at the "core" of the parties' dispute, and notwithstanding the parties' specific contractual Section 4.2 "specific intent" and all the other reasons set out above (as in Par. 20(A) through (H), above), Mr. Bidsal's resistance to complying with his obligations included his conducting a "no holds barred" litigation over the "core" dispute over Section 4 contractual interpretation were the main drivers of the high costs of this litigation. "Parties who litigate with no hold barred in cases such as this, in which the prevailing party is entitled to a fee award, assume the risk they will have to reimburse the excessive expenses they force upon their adversaries."11 --- requiring an arbitration involving attorney-intensive discovery and review of earlier drafts of the Operating Agreement, deposition and hearing testimony of Mr. LeGrand, attorney time to oppose Mr. Bidsal's motion to stay the arbitration and then to develop and demonstrate to the Arbitrator by testimony (including cross-

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>11</sup> <u>Stokus v. Marsh</u>, 295 Cal.App3d 647, 653-654 (1990). Mr. Bidsal earlier on conceded that "although Nevada Iaw controls, Nevada courts do consider California cases if they assist with the interpretation." January 8, 2018 Bidsal Opening Brief, at p. 7. Mr. Bidsal's objections to attorneys' fees cite California, as well as Nevada cases.

examination) and extensive briefing why Mr. Bidsal's position, exhibits (e.g., Exhibit 351) and contentions concerning his claimed right of appraisal, in lieu of a \$5 million "FMV", did not have merit — were the main drivers of the high costs of this litigation, also knowing of the Section 14.1 consequences, if and as he has lost his unavailing fight for an unavailable rights of appraisal. CLA was required to have two senior attorneys (i.e., Rodney Lewin, Esq. and Louis Garfinkel, Esq.) because — while Mr. Lewin, was CLA's lead counsel he is not admitted in Nevada, whose law governed the "core" Section 4.2 provision, as well as the Section 14.1 "prevailing party" attorneys' fees and costs provision — and Mr. Garfinkel is admitted in Nevada and, further attended the deposition of Mr. LeGrand, which was taken in Nevada. It is also material that there was a symmetry in representation between the teams representing the parties. Mr. Bidsal was represented in this arbitration by three attorneys (Messrs. Shapiro and Herbert (NV) and Mr. Goodkin (CA), two of whom appeared for each deposition.

The applicability of Nevada substantive law and the provision for a Nevada venue for the Merits Hearing evidentiary sessions does not require or, without more, persuade the Arbitrator that Las Vegas, Nevada rates should be a "cap" or "prevailing market" hourly rate for purposes of determining the reasonable attorney's fees of a Section 14.1 prevailing party in this arbitration. Mr. Bidsal has not cited any case so requiring or that Las Vegas is the sole relevant legal market, regardless, for determining reasonable hourly rates for legal services.<sup>12</sup> Both sides had Southern California counsel, as well as Nevada counsel, as part of their trial teams and Messrs. Bidsal and Golshami are residents of Southern California. While the Arbitration Demand stated that the arbitration should be held in Las Vegas, it was at Mr. Bidsal's behest, later, that the Merits Hearing evidentiary sessions were held in Las Vegas, rather than in Southern California.

In the circumstances of this hotly contested case, and with the Arbitrator being familiar with prevailing hourly rates for legal services in both Las Vegas and Southern California, the \$475/hr, with 42 years experience, and \$395/hr for 60 years experience for Messrs Lewis and Agay and Mr. Garfinkel's rate of \$375/hr for 30 years experience, were reasonable,<sup>13</sup> as were their billed hours of service, in the circumstances.<sup>14</sup> That is so notwithstanding the

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>12</sup> But see <u>Reazin v. Blue Cross & Shield</u>, 899 F.2d 951, 983 (10th Cir. 1990) (affirmance of district court award attorneys' fees award, including based on out-of-state (Jones Day) hourly rates which exceeded those of local (Wichita) attorneys).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>13</sup> The hourly rates of Messrs. Lewin and Agay are below comparable Southern California prevailing hourly rates for comparable legal services and relevant experience.
<sup>14</sup> That is so, particularly after a pre-application downward adjustment of approximately \$28,000 in the amount of CLA's billed attorneys' fees.

considerable cross-traffic of briefing which, in the circumstances, appears to have been largely unavoidable, as well as, on balance, helpful to the Arbitrator, and thus, should not be the subject of penalty (including denial of prevailing party recovery).

However, under the authority of Nevada law --- in contrast to California law and, generally, law elsewhere --- CLA is not entitled to its attorneys' fees and costs incurred in connection with its Rule 18 cross-motion which --- along with Mr. Bidsal's cross-motion --- was denied. <u>Barney v.</u> <u>Mt. Rose Heating & Air Conditioning</u>, 192 P.2d 730, 726-737 (2008). As CLA's attorneys' fees in connection with the cross-motions in the amount of approximately \$23,600 cannot meaningfully or cost-effectively be segregated by cross-motion, the Arbitrator has determined that one half of that amount --i.e., \$11,800 --- should not and will not include CLA's Rule 18 fees and costs incurred as part of CLA's awardable prevailing party fees and costs. In addition, Mr. Golshani's Las Vegas-related travel and accommodation expenses of \$1,358.63 will also not be included as recoverable legal fees or costs.

Both sides have waived any objection which they had or may have had to a more detailed (e.g., factor-by-factor) and/or full-bodied analysis or discussion of the <u>Bunzell</u> factors in this Final Award or in the Interim Award. That is because neither side submitted any request for any such analysis or discussion, timely or at all, for inclusion of the same in this Final Award, after having been expressly afforded the opportunity to make such a request by February 28, 2019, 4:00 p.m. in the 7th subparagraph of Paragraph 23 of the Interim Award --- expressly subject to waiver of objection under JAMS Comprehensive Arbitration Rule 27(b) (Waiver) for failure to timely make such a request.<sup>15</sup>

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In addition, the relative amounts of total hours billed among CLA's counsel and a paralegal appear for this engagement to be in balance.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>15</sup> The 7th subparagraph of Paragraph 23 of the Interim Award, at p. 19 thereof, states as follows:

<sup>&</sup>quot;Upon receipt of written request by either side, by February 28, 2019, 4:00 p.m. (PT), the Arbitrator will consider preparing and including in the final award a more detailed explanation, including via <u>Brunzell</u> factor-by-factor analysis. If neither side timely requests a more full-bodied analysis and/or discussion of the <u>Brunzell</u> factors than the salient factors and considerations hereinabove set forth, any subsequent objection based on <u>Brunzell</u> should and will be deemed waived. See JAMS Comprehensive Arbitration Rule 27(b) (Waiver)."

## <u>V</u> <u>RELIEF GRANTED AND DENIED</u>

Based on careful consideration of the evidence adduced during and following the evidentiary hearings held to date, and the determinations hereinabove set forth, and applicable law, and good cause appearing, and subject to further modification as permitted by law and JAMS Comprehensive Arbitration Rules and Procedures, the Arbitrator hereby grants and denies relief in this Final Award, and it is adjudged and decreed, as follows:

1. Within ten (10) days of the issuance of this Final Award, Respondent Sharam Bidsal also known as Shawn Bidsal ("Mr. Bidsal") shall (A) transfer his fifty percent (50%) Membership Interest in Green Valley Commerce, LLC ("Green Valley"), free and clear of all liens and encumbrances, to Claimant CLA Properties, LLC, at a price computed in accordance with the contractual formula set forth in Section 4.2 of the Green Valley Operating Agreement, with the "FMV" portion of the formula fixed as Five Million Dollars and No Cents (\$5,000,000.00) and, further, (B) execute any and all documents necessary to effectuate such sale and transfer.

2. Mr. Bidsal shall take nothing by his Counterclaim.

3. As the prevailing party on the merits, CLA shall recover from Mr. Bidsal the sum and amount of \$298,256.00, as and for contractual attorneys' fees and costs reasonably incurred in connection with this arbitration.

4. Except as permitted under JAMS Comprehensive Arbitration Rule 24, neither side may file or serve any further written submissions, without the prior written permission of the Arbitrator. See JAMS Comprehensive Rule 29.

5. To the extent, if any, that there is any inconsistency and/or material variance between anything in this Final Award and the Interim Award, Merits Order No. 1 and/or any other prior order or ruling of the Arbitrator, this Final Award shall govern and prevail in each and every such instance.

///// ///// ///// 6. This Final Award resolves all claims, affirmative defenses, requests for relief (including requests for reconsideration) and all principal issues and contentions between the parties to this arbitration.

Except as expressly granted in this Final Award, all claims and requests for relief, as between the parties to this arbitration, are hereby denied.

Dated: April 5, 2019

STEPHEN E. HABERFELD Arbitrator

#### PROOF OF SERVICE BY EMAIL & U.S. MAIL

Re: CLA Properties, LLC vs. Bidsal, Shawn Reference No. 1260004569

I, Anne Lieu, not a party to the within action, hereby declare that on April 05, 2019, I served the attached Final Award on the parties in the within action by Email and by depositing true copies thereof enclosed in sealed envelopes with postage thereon fully prepaid, in the United States Mail, at Los Angeles, CALIFORNIA, addressed as follows:

Rodney T. Lewin Esq. L/O Rodney T. Lewin 8665 Wilshire Blvd. Suite 210 Beverly Hills, CA 90211 Phone: 310-659-6771 rod@rtlewin.com Parties Represented: CLA Properties, LLC

James E. Shapiro Esq. Sheldon A. Herbert Esq. Smith & Shapiro 3333 E Serene Ave. Suite 130 Henderson, NV 89074 Phone: 702-318-5033 jshapiro@smithshapiro.com sherbert@smithshapiro.com Parties Represented: Shawn Bidsal Louis E. Garfinkel Esq. Levine Garfinkel Eckersley & Angioni 1671 W. Horizon Ridge Parkway Suite 230 Henderson, NV 89102 Phone: 702-735-0451 Igarfinkel@lgkattorneys.com Parties Represented: CLA Properties, LLC

Daniel Goodkin Esq. Goodkin & Lynch 1875 Century Park East Suite 1860 Los Angeles, CA 90067 Phone: 310-853-5730 dgoodkin@goodkinlynch.com Parties Represented: Shawn Bidsal

I declare under penalty of perjury the foregoing to be true and correct. Executed at Los Angeles, CALIFORNIA on April 05, 2019.

Anne Lieu alieu@jamsadr.com

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# **EXH. 3**

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<sup>5</sup> <sup>6</sup> <sup>7</sup> IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION OF <sup>7</sup> CLA PROPERTIES LLC	Case No.: A-19-795188-P Dept. No.: XXXI
8 9 10 11 12	ORDER GRANTING PETITION FOR CONFIRMATION OF ARBITRATION AWARD AND ENTRY OF JUDGMENT AND DENYING RESPONDENT'S OPPOSITION AND COUNTERPETITION TO VACATE THE ARBITRATOR'S AWARD
<sup>15</sup> and Entry of Judgement and Respondent's	
Confirmation of Arbitration Award and Entry	of Judgement and Counterpetition to
Vacate Arbitration Award, on November 12,	2019. Present at the hearing was, Louis E.
Garfinkel Esq. for Petitioner; and James E. 3	Shapiro, Esq. for Respondent. Respondent
20 Shawn Bidsal was also present.	
21 The issues before the Court were wh	ether the Award in favor of Petitioner should
22 be upheld or whether the Arbitrator erroneou	usly interpreted Section 4.2 of the Green
<sup>23</sup> Valley Operating Agreement and thus the A	ward should be vacated.
I. PROCEDERAL AND FACTUR	
25 CLA Properties, LLC (Petitioner or CI	LA) and Shawn Bidsal (Respondent or Mr.
<ul> <li>Bidsal) were the sole members of Green Va</li> </ul>	
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liability company, which owns and manages real property in Las Vegas, Nevada. CLA
 Properties, LLC is solely owned by its principal Benjamin Golshani (Mr. Golshani).
 Petitioner and Respondent each owned a 50% membership interest in Green Valley.

4 It is undisputed that Mr. Golshani on behalf of CLA, along with Respondent 5 executed an Operating Agreement for Green Valley (Operating Agreement) on June 15. 6 2011. Section 4 of Article 5 (Section 4) of the Operating Agreement contained 7 provisions regarding how the membership interest of one member could be purchased 8 9 and/or sold to the other member. The Operating Agreement allows members to initiate 10 the purchase or sale of one member's interest by the other. These provisions were 11 drafted by third party attorney, David LeGrand, and then were modifications made. 12 More specifically, Section 4 allowed the offering member to buy out the remaining 13 member at a price based upon a valuation of the fair market value of Green Valley. It is 14 then that the remaining member is given the option to buy or sell pursuant to the 15 valuation or demand an appraisal. 16

Section 4 of Article V commences on page 10 and the relevant

portions read as follows:

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

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"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 4.2

## Section 4.2 Purchase or Sell Procedure.

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4 5 Any Member ("Offering Member") may give notice to the Remaining Member(s) that he or it is ready, willing and able to 6 purchase the Remaining Members' Interests for a price the Offering Member thinks is the fair market value. The 7 terms to be all cash and close escrow within 30 days of the acceptance. 8 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 9 10 Member must pick one of the appraiser to appraise the property and furnish a copy to all Members. The Offering Member also must provide the Remaining Member with the complete information of 2 MIA approved appraiser. The Remaining Member must pick one of 11 12 the appraiser to appraise the property and furnish a copy to all 13 Members. The medium of these 2 appraisals constitute the fair market value of the property which is called (FMV). 14 The Offering Member has the option to offer to purchase the Remaining Member's share at FMV as detem1ined by Section 4.2, based on the following formula. 15 16 (FMV- COP) x 0.5 plus capital contribution of the Remaining Member(s) at the time of purchasing the property minus prorated 17 liabilities. 18 The Remaining Member(s) shall have 30 days within which to 19 respond in writing to the Offering Member by either (i)Accepting the Offering Member's purchase offer, or. 20 (ii) Rejecting the purchase offer and making a counteroffer to purchase the interest of the Offering Member based upon the 21 same fair market value (FMV) according to the following formula.... 22 23 On July 7, 2017, Respondent sent Petitioner a written offer to buy Petitioner's 24 50% membership interest based on an estimate valuation of \$5 million. On August 3, 25 2017, Petitioner instead elected to buy Respondent's 50% membership interest based 26 on the \$5 million valuation and without an appraisal. On August 7, 2019, Respondent 27 28 INA S. KISHNER STRICT JUDGE PARTMENT XXXI

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refused to sell his interest to Petitioner and instead stated that he had a right to have a fair market value appraisal of his membership interest. The parties disputed whether the Operating Agreement provided that Respondent had a right to seek a fair market valuation of his interest or whether the Agreement provided that Respondent had to sell his share at the \$5 million dollar price.

On May 8, 2018 through May 9, 2018, the parties arbitrated the dispute in Las

8 Vegas, Nevada, pursuant to Article III, Section 14.1 of the Operating Agreement.

Article III, Section 14.1 of the Operating Agreement of Green Valley is entitled

"Dispute Resolution" and contains an arbitration provision whereby the parties agreed

the dispute would be resolved exclusively by arbitration. Section 14.1 states in

pertinent part:

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The representative shall promptly meet in 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 transaction 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 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.

See, Exhibit "2", pp. 7-8

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Arbitrator Stephen E. Haberfeld (Arbitrator) was appointed in JAMS Arbitration Number 1260004569. On April 5, 2019, the Arbitrator entered the Award in favor of Petitioner and ordered Respondent to transfer his 50% membership interest in Green Valley to Petitioner, free and clear of all liens and encumbrances. Further, the Award ordered the transfer by sale at a price computed at \$5 million, in accordance with Section 4. Lastly, the Award granted Petitioner \$298,256.00 plus attorneys' fees and costs. Conversely, Respondent was awarded nothing on the counterclaim.

9 On May 21, 2019, Petitioner filed the Petition for Confirmation of Arbitration Award and Entry of Judgment, which asserted that Respondent failed to comply with the Arbitrator's Award. On July 15, 2019, Responded filed an Opposition to CLA's Petition 12 for Confirmation of Arbitration Award and Entry of Judgment and Counterpetition to 13 Vacate Arbitration Award.

Petitioner argued that Respondent is required to transfer his fifty (50%) percent 15 Membership Interest in Green Valley Commerce, LLC (Green Valley), free and clear of 16 17 all liens and encumbrances, to CLA Properties, LLC. Petitioner further argued the price 18 is specifically to be computed pursuant to Section 4.2 of the Operating Agreement, and 19 with the Fair Market Value portion of the formula fixed as five million dollars. Petitioner 20 contends that the ruling of the Arbitrator both as to the sale price and the attorney fees 21 awarded is correct and should be affirmed. 22

Respondent argued the Court should vacate the Award because the Arbitrator 23 interpreted Section 4.2 of the Operating Agreement as a "forced buy-sell" agreement. 24 25 Further, Respondent disagrees with the Arbitrator's findings that the subject contract 26 provision was drafted by Respondent, rather than third-party, David LeGrand. Lastly, 27

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Respondent contends the Arbitrator exceeded his authority by ignoring the plain language definition of "FMV" (fair market value), as stated in the Operating Agreement.

The parties also litigated this matter in Federal Court. On April 9, 2019, Respondent filed a Motion to Vacate an Arbitration Award in United States District Court, District of Nevada. On April 25, 2019, Petitioner filed a Motion to Dismiss for Lack of Subject Matter Jurisdiction. On June 24, 2019, the United States District Court, District of Nevada, granted Petitioner's Motion to Dismiss because the case did not present a federal question. Petitioner filed the present action with the Court.

# II. ANALYSIS

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At the November 12, 2019 hearing, the parties agreed that this Court has 13 jurisdiction to review the Arbitrator's Award pursuant to Nevada Revised Statute 38.244(2). Moreover, the parties agreed the Court's decision to vacate the Award is properly governed by United States Arbitration Act, 9 U.S.C. § 9. Respondent also 16 analyzed the Motions pursuant to Nevada Revised Statute 38. The parties further 18 agreed that regardless if the Court utilized the federal or state standard, the result would be the same. The dispute is whether the Court should affirm or vacate the Arbitrator's award.

Having reviewed the papers and pleadings on file herein, including, but not 22 limited to, exhibits and affidavits; having heard oral arguments of the parties in excess 23 of ninety minutes, the Court finds that the Arbitration award should be affirmed. The 24 25 language of the Operating Agreement supports the decision of Arbitrator Haberfeld. (Ex. 26 MM, App 1088). The Court finds that Arbitrator Haberfeld's analysis that the offering

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member does not have a right to an appraisal in the instant scenario is supported by the 2 language of the Operating Agreement and the testimony of the witnesses including that 3 of David LeGrand as well as the other evidence presented.

Although Respondent contends that the Arbitrator interpreted Section 4.2 of the 5 Operating Agreement as a "forced buy-sell" agreement, the decision sets forth that the 6 labeling of the Agreement was not the controlling factor, but instead it was the language 7 of the Agreement as supported by the evidence presented at the Arbitration. The fact 8 9 that the final provision in the Agreement was not the same language initially drafted by 10 Mr. LeGrand has not been shown by Respondent to merit setting aside the Arbitrator's 11 findings under either the federal or state standards. Further, the Arbitrator said that his 12 decision would be the same, even if Mr. Golshani had been the draftsman. See, e.g. 13 17 of Ex. MM pg 9, APP 1088 at 1097. Thus, whether both parties modified the 14 language in some respect or if Respondent's position is adopted that it was only Mr. 15 16 Golshani, the outcome is the same-there was not sufficient evidence that the 17 Arbitrator's decision should be vacated based on his interpretation of who drafted 18 the provision.

19 Further, while Respondent contends the Arbitrator exceeded his authority by 20 ignoring the plain language definition of "FMV" (fair market value), as stated in the 21 Operating Agreement, there is insufficient support or evidence to support that 22 contention. Instead, Arbitrator's Haberfeld's decision clearly articulates the evidence he 23 24 relied on in making his decision and he supported that decision to the extent necessary 25 to have it affirmed both under state and federal law. While Respondent disagrees with 26 the decision, he has not established pursuant to the plethora of case law cited in both

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party's briefs, that his disagreement merits vacating the award. Moreover, to the extent
 his decision was not as timely as the parties would have wished has not been shown to
 invalidate the decision. Accordingly, as Petitioner has met its burden to have the award
 affirmed and Respondent has not met his burden to vacate the award. Thus, the Court
 must affirm the Arbitrator's award in its entirety.

# ORDER

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, ADJUDGED, and DECREED that pursuant to the
 Operating Agreement, 9 U.S.C. § 9 and Nevada Revised Statute 38.244(2),
 Petitioner's Confirmation of Arbitration Award and Entry of Judgement is GRANTED.
 Accordingly, the Court ORDERS Judgment in favor of Petitioner CLA Properties, LLC
 and against Respondent Shawn Bidsal in accordance with the Award, confirming that
 Bidsal shall take nothing by his Counterclaim and ordering Bidsal to:

Within fourteen (14) days of the Judgment, (A) transfer his fifty percent Α. 16 (50%) Membership Interest in Green Valley Commerce, LLC ("Green Valley"), free 17 and clear of all liens and encumbrances, to CLA Properties, LLC, at a price 18 19 computed in accordance with the contractual formula set forth in Section 4.2 of 20 the Green Valley Operating Agreement, with the "FMV" portion of the formula 21 fixed as Five Million Dollars and No Cents (\$5,000,000.00) and, further, (B) 22 execute any and all documents necessary to effectuate such sale and transfer. 23

B. Pay CLA as the prevailing party on the merits of the Arbitration
 Claim, the sum awarded by the Arbitrator. Specifically, CLA shall recover from
 Bidsal the sum and amount of \$298,256.00 plus interest from April 5, 2019 at the

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1	legal rate, and as and for contractual attorneys' fees and costs reasonably
2	incurred in connection with the Arbitration.
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4	IT IS FURTHER ORDERED ADJUDGED, and DECREED that Respondent's
5	Opposition to CLA's Petition for Confirmation of Arbitration Award and Entry of
6	Judgment and Counterpetition to Vacate Arbitration Award is DENIED. <sup>1</sup>
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27	<sup>1</sup> Any request for fees and/or costs for the present action before the state District Court is not presently before the Court and thus, if any request were to be made it would need to be by separate Motion.
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#### CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on or about the date filed, a copy of this Order was provided 3 to all counsel, and/or parties listed below via one, or more, of the following manners: via email, via facsimile, via US mail, via Electronic Service if the Attorney/Party has signed up for Electronic Service, and/or a copy of this Order was placed in the attorney's file located at the Regional Justice Center: 5

Louis E. Garfinkel, Esq. 1671 W. HORIZON RIDGE PKWY, STE. 230 HENDERSON, NV. 89031

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### **EXH. 4**

James E. Shapire, Esq. jshapiro@smithshapiro.com

July 7, 2017

Vio first class U.S. Mail & certified U.S. Mail to:

CLA Properties, LLC Attn: Benjamin Golshani 2801 S. Main St. Los Angeles, CA 90007

SMITH & SHAPIRO

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

#### **OFFER TO PURCHASE MEMBERSHIP INTEREST**

Dear Mr. Golshani,

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

The Offering Member's best estimate of the current fair market value of the Company is \$5,000,000.00 (the "<u>FMV</u>"). Unless contested in accordance with the provisions of Section 4.2 of Article V of the Operating Agreement, the forgoing FMV shall be used to calculate the purchase price of the Membership Interest to be sold.

Upon receipt of this notice, the Remaining Member has certain rights and obligations, as set forth in Section 4.2 of Article V of the Operating Agreement. This notice shall trigger the time periods and procedures set forth therein.

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

Sincerely,

SMITH & SHAPIRO, PLLC

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cc: Shawn Bidsal

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# **EXH. 5**

#### CLA PROPERTIES, LLC 2801 S. Main Street, Los Angeles, CA 90007

August 3, 2017

Via Fed Ex and U.S. Mail and Email Shahram "Shawn" Bidsal 14039 Sherman Way Boulevard Suite 201 Van Nuys, California 91405

Re: Green Valley Commerce, LLC, a Nevada Limited Liability Company

CLA's Election to Purchase Membership Interest

Dear Shawn:

By this letter, CLA Properties, LLC, the owner of 50% of the outstanding membership interest in Green Valley Commerce, LLC, a Nevada limited liability company (the "Company"), in response to your July 7-2017 Other To Purchase Membership Interest, hereby in accordance with section 4. Article v of the agreement, elects and exercises its option to purchase your 50% membership interest in the Company on the terms set forth in the July 7, 2017 letter based on your \$5,000,000.00 valuation of the Company. The purchase will be all cash, with escrow to close within 30 days from the date hereof. We will contact you regarding setting up the escrow 1 must that there has not been any dist ibution of the cash on hand that I have not approved of teither before or after July 7, 2017), nor should there be any such distributions, nor should any agreements be entered into, including any sale agreements, without CLA's written consent.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

By

CLA Properties, LLC

Benjamin Golshani, Manager

cc: James E. Shapiro, Esq.
Smith & Shapiro
2520 St. Rose Parkway, Suite 220
Henderson, NV 89074

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# **EXH. 6**

From:	shawn bidsal
Sent:	7/28/2017 10:12:13 AM
То:	ben@claproperties.com;Henry Manabat
Subject:	Re: Buy outs of Green Valley Commerce and Mission Square

ben and Henry (Henry, please email ben all the leases and rent roll for green valley commerce and green way)

the roofs on green valley commerce property is very old, we have been patching them as needed, it ultimately would need a new roof.

the other systems such as HVAC are mostly original and old,we have not put any new ac on this property, only repaired the existing ones.at one point,

you need to change them. unit g72 needs a complete remodel to get a tenant in.

the wall separating the property on the back is broken and settled, it needs to be demolished and rebuilt.

on green way, we just finished doing a slurry and striping of the parking lot, and i approved a \$500 general cleaning, graffiti removal and other maintenance.

as i emiled you before, the dance studio who occupied several suites in building A at green valley commerce moved out without notice, so we have filed a law suit against her. the rest of tenants will let us know when we get closer to their lease expiration, we do not know who will stay or move out. you have copies of all the leases and rent roll which was send a while ago in DEC 2016 and July, 20, 2017 to lita, however henry will send it again today,

we have interest for unit h84, by email but they have not filled out lease application yet.

no law suits threatened or pending against llc, however we are suiting the dance studio for rent,

all bills are current on the normal course of business,

Shawn Bidsal West Coast Investments Inc 14039 Sherman Way, Suite 201 Van Nuys CA 91405 818-901-8800 p 818-901-8877 f

On Friday, July 28, 2017 9:12 AM, "ben@claproperties.com" <ben@claproperties.com> wrote:

Shawn, we are getting the information you requested and will send it to you today.

I have some questions regarding The green valley Commerce which owns Green valley and Greenway properties as follow:

In either Green Valley complex or Greenway, is there any deferred maintenance or significant repairs that are upcoming or needed, such as, for example, the roof or HVAC system?

Are any tenants in default under their leases? Would you forward me copies of the leases or if we have a lease summary?

I have seen that many leases are terminating next year. I was wondering if any of the tenants have informed you that they will leave or stay? Have you received any interest from any possible new tenants?

Are there currently any lawsuits pending or threatened against the LLC or properties?

Are there any outstanding contracts over \$1000?

Thank you in advance.

Ben

From: shawn bidsal [mailto:wcico@yahoo.com] Sent: Thursday, July 27, 2017 12:43 PM To: Lita <lita@golllc.com>; GOLLLC <ben@golllc.com> Subject:

### lita and ben

please provide all the initial wires for capital contribution for green valley commerce purchase,

Shawn Bidsal

West Coast Investments Inc 14039 Sherman Way, Suite 201 Van Nuys CA 91405 818-901-8800 p 818-901-8877 f

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From:ben@claproperties.comSent:1/1/2019 10:19:15 PMTo:'shawn bidsal'Subject:RE: Financials and deferring maintenance

Shawn, thank you for the last year's FS. Please also send me the 3<sup>rd</sup> quarter financial for 2018.

Please send me the current rent roll and the information of the firms who are providing service for this property. I like to contact them pecially for the trees and landscaping.

On July of 2017, you sent me a list of the differed maintenance in Green Valley. I was wondering if they have taken care of those differed maintenance as you mentioned bellow. If not, I like to start repairing them. I am hiring an inspector to give us a professional report of the condition of the property. Regarding contacting the tenants, although the case may or may not be finished, we need to still inform the tenants that there is a buyout going and that the deferred maintenances are going to be repaired soon. Taking care of the maintenance has nothing to do with the case being finished

I visited the Greenway property and learned that many of the tenants have left. Some of the interior of the suits were torn and left on the floor. I like to know what the situation is in the Green Way. Please send me the rent roll.

Ben

From: shawn bidsal <wcico@yahoo.com>
Sent: Saturday, December 15, 2018 9:20 AM
To: ben@claproperties.com
Subject: Re: Financials and deferring maintenance

ben

there is no deferred maintenance on landscape or the plants, every year, during winter months, plants go dormant and come back to life in spring.

regarding contacting the tenants: the green valley case is not finished, so until that time, there is no reason to contact the tenants.

i sent you the tax returns a while ago, here is the p&L for each property,

Shawn Bidsal West Coast Investments Inc 14039 Sherman Way, Suite 201 Van Nuys CA 91405 818-901-8800 p 818-901-8877 f

On Tuesday, December 11, 2018, 7:01:37 AM PST, ben@claproperties.com <br/>
ben@claproperties.com>
wrote

Shawn, It has been brought to my attention that the trees and plants in Green Valley commerce are dying (See below pictures). I did not believe that neglecting and differing the maintenance of the property is something that you wanted. It is not to anybody's interest. Please inform me of the reason of the current situation and what can be done to save them. Although the judge has awarded us the judgment but letting the trees die is not a good practice. Your attorney has stated that you do not wish me to take over the management. How would it benefit you? You have so many other properties to warry about, why would you want to spend your valuable time on this and be responsible if it is neglected.

We have requested from you to send us the financials of The Green Valley Commerce and Country Club LLC, however, we have not received anything yet. CLA is a member and has the right to examine the records. We are already in litigation on Green Valley. I do not wish to start another case, that is why I am writing this letter to you directly to keep this channel open to discuss and resolve simple matters that benefit both parties. As I understand the attorney's fee is going to be awarded. Your attorney has expressed that the attorney fee that you need to pay is high. One would think why would you want to run it higher? Again, I do not wish to escalate this and like to resolve these simple matters in good faith so I will wait for 5 days for your good faith response to resolve the above problems before turning it to the attorneys.

We need to contact the tenants and explain that there is a buyout. I like to also hire contractors to take over the maintenance of the properties. I like to work with you to arrange rather than have the attorneys do it. It is better for both of us.

I look forward to hearing from you and if you have any question or concerns, please contact me.

Ben

### **EXH. 8**

From:	ben@claproperties.com
Sent:	1/5/2019 8:37:58 PM
To:	'shawn bidsal'
Subject:	RE: Financials and deferring maintenance
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please just send me the financial statement for the 3<sup>rd</sup> quarter of 2018.

Please advise whom I should get the keys to give access to the inspector who is doing the Property condition Report.

Ben

From: shawn bidsal <wcico@yahoo.com> Sent: Friday, January 4, 2019 3:10 PM To: ben@claproperties.com Subject: Re: Financials and deferring maintenance

there is no deferred maintenance on the landscape work, the new landscape company is empire landscape, atn: rich ryan at 702- 526-8345, tenants should be contacted once the case is finished, i will provide you with 2018 financials once we close the books by the end of the first quarter 2019, the rent roll is same as 2017 except the church tenant, destiny lighthouse at 70g moved out,

Shawn Bidsal West Coast Investments Inc 14039 Sherman Way, Suite 201 Van Nuys CA 91405 818-901-8800 p 818-901-8877 f

On Tuesday, January 1, 2019, 10:19:54 PM PST, <u>ben@claproperties.com</u> <<u>ben@claproperties.com</u>> wrote:

Shawn, thank you for the last year's FS. Please also send me the 3<sup>rd</sup> quarter financial for 2018.

### **EXH. 9**

From:	ben@claproperties.com
Sent:	2/24/2020 12:51:56 PM
То:	'shawn bidsal'
Subject:	Green Valley Commerce information
Attachments:	letter to Bidsal re review.turnover Final 2.doc

Dear Shawn,

I am a manager of Green Valley Commerce, LLC ("Green Valley") and the owner of member CLA Properties, LLC. You have been assuming the role of day to day manager, and indeed you testified that that was the reason you were given a much greater share of profits than your contribution to capital would have justified. But you have failed to provide me with information to which I am entitled in the above stated capacities.

Therefore, by this letter I demand you provide me with the following:

1. By March second, 2020 in writing confirm that along with my accountant, attorney or other representative all books and records of Green Valley will be made available for inspection and copying by me, my accountant, attorney or other representative inspection at the location that you are keeping the record on March 9<sup>th</sup>, 2020.

2. If notwithstanding substantial vacancy you have an explanation for discharging the leasing broker and not replacing him (other that you were attempting to harm Green Valley),

Please provide same to me in writing by February 27, 2020. The pretend listing by Westcoast Investment has never been acceptable to me. It not only has not produced any results, but has caused Green Valley to loose leasing opportunities while being a conflict of interest.

3. As you have acknowledged there have been substantial repairs needed on Green Valley's properties. If there is a reason for not having completed all such repairs by now, (other than that you wanted to harm Green Valley), provide it to me in writing by February 27<sup>th</sup>, 2020.

4. I again demand that you turn over the day to day management of Green Valley to me immediately.

5. I need the keys to both properties in Henderson and Phoenix to inspect the property, start the repairs, and arrange showings to prospective tenants.

6. You need to share with me the passcode of the online banking for all the bank accounts.

7. Since we have a dispute about management, unless you want to turn management over to me, an independent third party Property managers must be hired for both properties.

8. Please provide me with the list of all the vendors and their contact information.

9. Please provide with the leasing activity for the last 2 years. I need to know what efforts you have made to lease including all advertisements, communications with prospective tenants, communications with brokers or prospective tenants, logs of the showings and any lease proposals you have made as well as any LOIs that you have received.

10. I need all the agreements and communications between you and/or Green Valley Commerce on the one hand and Westcoast Investments on the other, including any and all the listing agreements.

Benjamin Golshani