FILED BUREAU OF REAL ESTATE P. O. Box 137007 2 JUN 1 3 2016 Sacramento, CA 95813-7007 BUREAU OF REAL ESTATE 3 Telephone: (916) 263-8670 By B Nicholas 4 5 6 BUREAU OF REAL ESTATE 7 STATE OF CALIFORNIA 8 In the Matter of the Application of Agency Case No. H-6382 SAC 9 KATRINA LYNN GIACALONE, STIPULATION AND WAIVER 10 Respondent. (Business and Professions Code § 10100.4) 11 KATRINA LYNN GIACALONE ("Respondent") does hereby affirm that on 12 September 25, 2015, she applied to the Bureau of Real Estate ("Bureau") for a real estate 13 salesperson license and that to the best of her knowledge she satisfied all of the statutory 14 requirements for the issuance of the license, including the payment of the fee therefore. 15 FACTUAL BASIS 16 ١. 17 On or about July 6, 2005, in the Superior Court of California, County of Napa, Case No. CR121405, Respondent was convicted of violating two counts of Section 487(a) of 18 the California Penal Code (grand theft by embezzlement), each felonies and crimes which bear 19 a substantial relationship under Section 2910 of Title 10 of the California Code of Regulations 20 to the qualifications, functions, or duties of a real estate licensee. GROUNDS FOR DENIAL Respondent's criminal convictions constitute grounds under Sections 480(a) and 10177(b) of the Business and Professions Code ("Code") for the denial of Respondent's application for an unrestricted real estate license.

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TERMS AND CONDITIONS

Respondent understands that the Real Estate Commissioner ("Commissioner") may hold a hearing regarding the matters discussed above for the purpose of requiring further proof of Respondent's honesty and truthfulness and to prove other allegations therein, or that the Commissioner may waive the hearing and grant Respondent a restricted real estate salesperson license based upon this Stipulation and Waiver. Respondent also understands that by entering into this Stipulation and Waiver, Respondent will be stipulating that the Commissioner has found that Respondent has failed to make a showing that Respondent meets all requirements for the issuance of a real estate salesperson license thereby justifying the denial of the issuance to her of an unrestricted real estate salesperson license.

Respondent hereby admits the above Factual Basis is true and correct and requests that the Commissioner issue a restricted real estate salesperson license to Respondent under the authority of Sections 10100.4 and 10156.5 of the Code. Respondent understands that any such restricted license will be issued subject to the provisions of and limitations to Sections 10156.6 and 10156.7 of the Code.

Respondent is aware that by signing this Stipulation and Waiver, and if this Stipulation and Waiver is accepted by the Commissioner, Respondent is waiving her right to a hearing and the opportunity to present evidence at a hearing to establish her rehabilitation in order to obtain an unrestricted real estate salesperson license. Respondent is not waiving her right to a hearing and to further proceedings to obtain a restricted or unrestricted license if this Stipulation and Waiver is not accepted by the Commissioner.

Respondent understands that by signing this Stipulation and Waiver, the conditions, limitations, and restrictions imposed on Respondent's restricted license, identified below, may be removed only by filing a Petition for Removal of Restrictions ("Petition") with the Commissioner, and that Respondent's Petition must follow the procedures set forth in Government Code Section 11522.

Respondent further understands that the restricted license issued to Respondent shall be subject to all of the provisions of Section 10156.7 of the Code and to the following

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limitations, conditions, and restrictions imposed under authority of Section 10156.6 of the Code:

- The license shall not confer any property right in the privileges to be exercised 1. and the Commissioner may by appropriate order suspend the right to exercise any privileges granted under this restricted license in the event of:
- Respondent's conviction (including a plea of nolo contendere) of a crime which bears a substantial relationship to Respondent's fitness or capacity as a real estate licensee; or,
- b. Receipt of evidence that Respondent has violated provisions of the California Real Estate Law, the Subdivided Lands Law, the Regulations of the Real Estate Commissioner, and/or any conditions attaching to this restricted license.
- 2. Respondent shall not be eligible to petition for the issuance of an unrestricted real estate license nor the removal of any conditions, limitations, or restrictions attached to the restricted real estate license until two (2) years have elapsed from the date of issuance of the restricted real estate license to Respondent.
- 3. With the application for license or with the application for transfer to a new employing broker, Respondent shall submit a statement signed by the prospective employing broker on a form approved by the Bureau of Real Estate wherein the employing broker shall certify as follows:
- That broker has read the Statement of Issues which is the basis for the a. issuance of the restricted license; and
- b. That broker will carefully review all transaction documents prepared by the restricted licensee and otherwise exercise close supervision over the licensee's performance of acts for which a license is required.
- 4. Respondent shall notify the Commissioner in writing within 72 hours of any arrest by sending a certified letter to the Commissioner of the Bureau of Real Estate, Post Office Box 137007, Sacramento, CA 95813-7007. The letter shall set forth the date of Respondent's arrest, the crime for which Respondent was arrested, and the name and address of the arresting law enforcement agency. Respondent's failure to timely file written notice shall

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Respondent has read the Stipulation and Waiver and its terms are agreeable to, understood by, and acceptable to Respondent. Respondent understands that Respondent is waiving rights given to Respondent by the California Administrative Procedure Act (including, but not limited to, California Government Code Sections 11504, 11506, 11508, 11509, and 11513), and willingly, intelligently, and voluntarily waives those rights, including, but not limited to, the right to a hearing on a Statement of Issues at which Respondent would have the right to cross-examine witnesses against Respondent and to present evidence in defense and mitigation of the charges.

Respondent can signify acceptance and approval of the terms and conditions of this Stipulation and Waiver by faxing a copy of the signature page, as actually signed by Respondent, to the Bureau at fax number (916) 263-3767. Respondent agrees, acknowledges and understands that by electronically sending to the Bureau a fax copy of Respondent's actual signature as it appears on the Stipulation and Waiver, that receipt of the faxed copy by the Bureau shall be as binding on Respondent as if the Bureau had received the original signed Stipulation and Waiver.

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Dated

KATRINA LYNN GIACALONE, Respondent

I have read the foregoing Stipulation and Waiver signed by Respondent. I am satisfied that the hearing for the purpose of requiring further proof as to the honesty and truthfulness of Respondent need not be called and that it will not be inimical to the public interest to issue a restricted real estate salesperson license to Respondent.

Therefore, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that a restricted real estate salesperson license be issued to Respondent KATRINA LYNN GIACALONE, if Respondent has otherwise

fulfilled all of the statutory requirements for licensure. The restricted license shall be limited, conditioned, and restricted as specified in the foregoing Stipulation and Waiver.

This Order is effective immediately.

IT IS SO ORDERED

WAYNE S. BELL

REAL ESTATE COMMISSIONER

By: JEFFREY MASON Chief Deputy Commissioner