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SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA FOR THE COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE

(UNLIMITED JURISDICTION)

JENNIFER WISE, on behalf of herself and all others similarly situated, and as an "aggrieved employee" on behalf of other "aggrieved employees" under the Labor Code Private Attorneys General Act of 2004,

Plaintiff(s),

VS.

SPRINGS CHARTER SCHOOLS, INC., a California corporation; **RIVER SPRINGS** CHARTER SCHOOL, INC., a California corporation; EMPIRE SPRINGS CHARTER SCHOOL, INC., a California corporation; HARBOR SPRINGS CHARTER SCHOOL, INC., a California corporation; CITRUS SPRINGS CHARTER SCHOOL, INC., a California corporation; VISTA **SPRINGS** CHARTER SCHOOL, INC., a California corporation; PACIFIC SPRINGS CHARTER SCHOOL, INC., a California corporation and DOES 1-50, inclusive,

Defendants.

Case No. RIC2002359

AMENDED DECLARATION OF WALTER L. HAINES IN SUPPORT OF PLAINTIFF JENNIFER WISE'S MOTION FOR PRELIMINARY APPROVAL OF CLASS ACTION SETTLEMENT

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AMENDED DECLARATION OF WALTER L. HAINES IN SUPPORT OF PLAINTIFF JENNIFER WISE'S MOTION FOR PRELIMINARY APPROVAL OF CLASS ACTION SETTLEMENT

I, WALTER L. HAINES, declare as follows:

- 1. I am an attorney duly licensed to practice law in the State of California and am an attorney of record for Plaintiff Jennifer Wise ("Plaintiff") in her lawsuit against Defendants Springs Charter Schools, Inc. and River Springs Charter School, Inc. (collectively "Defendants"). I am a member in good standing of the State Bar of California. I make this Declaration in support of Plaintiff's Motion for Preliminary Approval of Class Action Settlement. I make this Declaration based on my personal knowledge and if called to testify I could and would competently testify to the matters contained in this Declaration.
- 2. In accordance with Code of Civil Procedure section 384, subdivision (b), the Parties selected Legal Aid at Work over other potential recipients considered because it is a nonprofit organization which has provided high-quality civil legal services to the indigent for more than four decades and has devoted its resources to protecting the rights of California low-wage workers.
- 3. There exists no relationship between the proposed recipient and (1) any class representative or other party, (2) any officer, director, or manager of any party, or (3) any attorney or law firm for any party. I conducted my due diligence in determining whether there is any such relationship through having my office verify with Legal Aid at Work and with Defense Counsel, in determining whether any such relationship exists. *See* also Joan Graff Declaration ("Graff Decl.")

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

Executed on June 19, 2023 at Los Angeles, California.

WALTER L. HAINES,

Declarant