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13 14 15 16	others similarly situated, Plaintiffs, vs.	CONSENT JUDGMENT AND STIPULATION FOR CLASS ACTION SETTLEMENT, AFFIRMATIVE RELIEF, AND RELEASE OF CLAIMS
17 18 19 20	WEST COAST BERRY FARMS, LLC, RANCHO NUEVO HARVESTING, INC., AND RANCHO HARVEST, INC. Defendants.	
21 22 23	Raul Magana-Munoz and Jose Santiago Herrera-Vera ("Plaintiffs") and West Coast Berry Farms, LLC, Rancho Nuevo Harvesting, Inc., and Rancho Harvest, Inc., ("Defendants") hereby enter into the following Consent Judgment and Stipulation for Class Action Settlement, Affirmative Relief, and Release of Claims. <u>STIPULATION</u> A. <u>DEFINITIONS</u> 1. "Action" means the civil action pending in the United States District Court for the Northern District of California, San Jose Division, titled <i>Raul Magana-Munoz</i> -1- Consent Judgment and Stipulation for Class Action Settlement, Affirmative Relief, and Release of Claims	
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et al. v. West Coast Berry Farms, LLC, et al. Case No. 5:20-cv-2087-EJD.

2. "Class Counsel" means Santos Gomez and Dawson Morton of the Law Offices of Santos Gomez.

"Class Members" means the 307 persons that worked for Defendants 4 3. under the terms of the job orders identified below as agricultural workers during the 6 express time period of the particular job order and within the overall time period of 7 April 25, 2018 to November 30, 2018.

8 4. "Class Period" is the period of April 25, 2018 to November 30, 2018 and is limited to the time period for which each worker employed under the terms of the 9 10 three job orders attached to the original complaint in this action as Exhibits B, C and D with employment dates of April 25, 2018 to November 30, 2018, June 25, 2018 to 11 12 October 31, 2018, and July 1, 2018 to October 31, 2018, respectively.

13 5. "Class Representatives" and "Plaintiffs" means Raul Magana-Munoz and Jose Santiago Herrera-Vera. 14

15 6. "Court" means the United States District Court for the Northern District of California, San Jose Division. 16

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7. "Defendants" refers collectively to West Coast Berry Farms, LLC, 18 Rancho Nuevo Harvesting, Inc., and Rancho Harvest, Inc.

19 8. The "Effective Date" means the latest of the following: (a) if no Class Member makes an objection to the Settlement, the date the Court grants final approval 2021 to the Settlement; (b) if a Class Member objects to the Settlement but dismisses or withdraws the objection prior to a ruling on the objection, the date the Court grants 22 23 final approval to the Settlement; (c) if an objection by a Class Member is ruled on by 24 the Court, the date for seeking appellate review of the Court's final approval of the Settlement has passed without a timely request for review; (d) the date a Class 25 26 Member's appeal from the Court's final approval of the Settlement has been 27 voluntarily dismissed; or (e) the date the appellate court has rendered a final judgment

on a appeal and time for further review by way of petition for rehearing or certiorari
has passed.

3 9. "Gross Settlement Amount" means the amount of Eight Hundred and Twenty-Five Thousand Dollars (\$825,000) to be paid by Defendants pursuant to this 4 5 Consent Judgment and Stipulation for Class Action Settlement. The following payments will be made from the Gross Settlement Amount: (1) the amount of 6 7 attorney's fees and litigation costs awarded to Class Counsel; (2) the cost of settlement 8 administration, (3) the amount of Service Payments awarded to the Plaintiffs; and (4) 9 the settlement benefits to Class Members who do not exclude themselves from the 10 Settlement. The Gross Settlement Amount does not include payments for Defendants' 11 share of payroll taxes on the portion of settlement benefits allocated to wages which are to be paid in full by Defendants separately. 12

10. "Net Settlement Amount" means the portion of the Gross Settlement
Amount remaining after deductions are made for the amount of attorney's fees and
litigation costs awarded to Class Counsel, costs of settlement administration, and the
amount of Service Payments awarded to the Plaintiffs.

17 11. "Notice" means the Notice of Class Action Settlement, substantially in the
18 form attached as Exhibit A, to be mailed out by the Settlement Administrator to Class
19 Members.

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12. "Parties" means the Class Representatives and Defendants.

21 13. "Settlement" or "Agreement" means this Consent Judgment and
22 Stipulation For Class Action Settlement, Affirmative Relief and Release of Claims.

14. "Settlement Administrator" means Atticus Administration, who will
perform the duties of: (i) conducting address traces to locate Class Members as
necessary; (ii) preparing and mailing the Notice of Class Action Settlement, (iii)
tracking requests for exclusion; (iv) responding to Class Member inquiries; (v)
distributing all payments required by the Settlement; (vi) tax reporting in connection

with the Settlement; and (vii) any other duties necessary for administration of the
 Settlement.

B. <u>RECITALS</u>

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4 1. Plaintiffs are migrant and seasonal farmworkers employed by Defendants 5 in the harvest of strawberries who performed work for Defendants under the terms of 6 the three employment contracts (H-2A "job orders") attached to the original complaint 7 in this action as exhibits B, C and D with employment dates of April 25, 2018 to 8 November 30, 2018, June 25, 2018 to October 31, 2018, and July 1, 2018 to October 9 31, 2018 ("Class Members"). Plaintiffs filed this Class Action to assert their rights to 10 the Federal Minimum Wage, California Minimum and Overtime Wages, their contractual employment rights, and their rights to be paid for all hours of work, 11 reimbursed for necessary expenses, payment of meal and rest break premium wages, 12 13 and to receive lawful, accurate and complete paystubs. Plaintiffs alleged they were 14 compensated on a piece rate and hourly basis, but Defendants typically only recorded 15 hours worked between the scheduled start and scheduled end of the work day failing 16 to record all compensable time including travel time and waiting time. Plaintiffs also 17 alleged violations of the H-2A job order contract and of their right to reimbursement 18 for expenses incurred under federal and California law. As a result of these claims, 19 Plaintiffs alleged violations of the following: (1) the Fair Labor Standards Act ("FLSA"), 29 U.S.C. §§ 201 et seq.; (2) California minimum wages laws, Cal. Lab. 2021 Code §§ 1182.11-1182.13, 1194 and 1197; (3) California overtime laws, Cal. Lab. 22 Code § 1194 and Wage Order 14; (4) California meal period laws, Cal. Lab. Code §§ 23 226.7, 512 and Wage Order 14; (5) California rest break laws, Cal. Lab. Code §§ 24 226.2, 226.7, 1198 and Wage Order 14; (6) California reimbursement and indemnification for business expenses law, Cal. Lab. Code § 2802; (7) failure to pay 25 26 wages upon separation, Cal. Lab. Code §§ 201-203; (8) unfair business practices 27 arising from the above alleged Labor Code violations pursuant to Cal. Bus. & Prof.

Code §§ 17200 et seq.; (9) failure to compensate nonproductive time, Cal. Lab. Code §§ 226.2 *et seq.*; and (10) breach of employment contract.

2. Defendants are a berry grower and marketer, and two registered farm labor 4 contractors. Defendants have agreed to settle this dispute on a class-wide basis for the purposes of this settlement, but admit no liability. Defendants specifically disclaim any wrongdoing and disclaim any liability to Plaintiffs for any violation of their rights, 7 including any violation of common law, statute, or contracts.

8 3. After two prior mediations that did not result in a settlement, on April 26, 9 2023, the parties participated in a day-long mediation with Mediator Bonnie Sabraw 10 of the firm ADR Services, Inc. in Oakland, California and arrived at the settlement contained within this long form settlement agreement which provides a full and 11 complete resolution of all the class claims alleged in the complaint for the three 12 13 employment contracts attached to the original complaint.

14 Class Counsel are of the opinion that the Settlement is fair, reasonable, 4. and adequate, and is in the best interest of the Class Members in light of all known 15 facts and circumstances. Defendants also agree that the Settlement is fair, reasonable 16 and adequate. 17

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### TERMS OF SETTLEMENT

19 Gross Settlement Amount: Defendants shall pay the Gross Settlement 1. Amount of Eight Hundred and Twenty-five Thousand Dollars (\$825,000). The Gross 20 21 Settlement Amount includes payments for: (1) the amount of attorney's fees and litigation costs awarded to Class Counsel; (2) the amount of Service Payment awarded 22 to Plaintiffs; (3) the cost of settlement administration; and (4) settlement benefits to 23 24 Class Members who do not exclude themselves from the Settlement. The Gross Settlement Amount does not include the employer's share of payroll taxes owed on the 25 portion of settlement benefits paid to Class Members that are allocated to wages which 26 Defendants shall pay in full, separately from the Gross Settlement Amount, to the 27 extent payroll taxes are owed for the payments made by the Settlement Administrator. 28

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Defendants shall pay the Gross Settlement Amount and the employer's share of payroll
taxes no later than twenty days after the Effective Date.

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2. <u>Non-Monetary Relief</u>: In addition to the Gross Settlement Amount, Defendants Rancho Nuevo Harvesting and/or Rancho Harvest agree to and shall be ordered to implement and enforce the following employment practices for a period of one year and six months following Final Approval:

7 (a) Rancho Nuevo Harvesting and/or Rancho Harvest shall offer employment 8 to all named and opt-in plaintiffs, including using best efforts to obtain H-9 2A visa certifications sufficient to extend offers pursuant to that visa 10 program, or its successor, to each named plaintiff and opt-in plaintiff. Defendants do not guarantee visa issuance and will have no responsibility 11 or obligation as to Plaintiffs or opt-in plaintiffs if employment is offered 12 13 and a visa is denied by USCIS. Employment will be offered within 12months of Final Approval and shall be of at least three months duration; 14 Rancho Nuevo Harvesting and/or Rancho Harvest shall use their 15 (b)timekeeping system to record, maintain and compensate H-2A workers 16 17 and others similarly employed from the time of field arrival for employees 18 utilizing employer-provided transportation for each such worker even where the arrival is before the scheduled start time for work. This is to be 19 implemented before September of 2023 or within 30 days of preliminary 2021 approval, whichever is sooner;

(c) Rancho Nuevo Harvesting and/or Rancho Harvest shall pay directly or reimburse in the first work week all H-2A worker expenses incurred to come to work for Rancho Nuevo Harvesting and/or its clients, including application fees, transportation expenses (including travel within Mexico prior to visa appointments), paperwork and processing fees, and visa fees paid by or on behalf of any prospective H-2A worker; and

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(d) Rancho Nuevo Harvesting and/or Rancho Harvest shall pay or advance transportation and subsistence expenses for each H-2A worker to return home. Specifically, Defendants Rancho Nuevo Harvesting and/or Rancho Harvest shall provide or pay transportation and subsistence expenses back to the H-2A workers home on or before their last day of work for the season and shall provide each worker a written document verifying the transportation provided or the specific amounts provided and the calculation used showing the amount provided for bus travel for each portion of the trip and the amount provided for daily subsistence expenses.

10 3. <u>Certification by Defendants</u>: At the time of the Final Approval Hearing, Defendants Rancho Nuevo Harvesting and Rancho Harvest shall file a certification that 11 the practices identified above in paragraph 2 and its subparts have been implemented 12 13 and provide the date or dates by which they were implemented.

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14 Attorney's Fees and Costs: Class Counsel will apply to the Court for an 4 award of up to Two Hundred and Six Thousand Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars 15 (\$206,250) for attorneys' fees (25% of the Gross Settlement Amount), and an 16 application to the Court for an award of up to Twenty-Five Thousand Five Hundred 17 18 Dollars (\$25,500) for litigation costs, to compensate Class Counsel for the work already performed in this case and all work remaining to be performed in obtaining the 19 Consent Judgment, securing Court approval, and ensuring that the Settlement is fairly 2021 administered and implemented. The Settlement Administrator will issue to Class Counsel a Form 1099-MISC with respect to their award of attorneys' fees and costs. If 22 the Court does not award the requested amount, any reduction in the amount awarded 23 24 shall be allocated to the class.

25 5. Service Payment to Class Representative: Plaintiffs will request the Court award Seven Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$7,500) to each named Plaintiff, for a 26 total award of \$15,000 in service payments, for their service as the Class 27 Representatives ("Service Payment") in addition to any payment they may otherwise 28

receive as a Class Members. The Settlement Administrator will issue to Plaintiffs an
 IRS Form 1099-MISC for their Service Payments. If the Court does not award the
 requested amount, the difference, if any, shall be allocated to the class.

4 6. Distribution to Class Members: Each member of the Class who does not submit a timely request for exclusion from the Settlement shall receive his/her pro-rata 5 share of the Net Settlement Amount based on the following distribution: (1) each class 6 member who filed a FLSA consent to sue shall receive \$500 in liquidated damages in 7 addition to their other class distribution for the untimely or nonpayment of first work 8 week and final work week reimbursements; (2) each class member shall receive \$210 9 for costs to return to Mexico for each period of contractual employment in the Class 10 Period; (3) each class member shall receive \$150 as a reimbursement payment; and (4) 11 the remaining class funds shall be distributed as follows number of work weeks they 12 13 performed work for Defendants under the terms of the H-2A job orders identified in paragraph A(1) during the Class Period as a portion of all such work weeks in the Class 14 15 Period.

Non-Reversionary; Cy Pres: The settlement is completely non-16 7. reversionary and the entire Net Settlement Amount shall be distributed to Class 17 18 Members who do not exclude themselves from the Settlement. In the event payments cannot be made to Class Members, Class Members are not located for payments, or 19 settlement payments available to Class Members are not requested, are not received, or 2021 are returned within 240 days after payment availability, the funds shall be redistributed 22 among Class Members who have received payment, provided there are sufficient funds 23 to provide payment to Class Members and cover the cost of any redistribution. If the funds are insufficient for redistribution, remaining funds shall be paid by the Settlement 24 Administrator evenly between the not for profit food banks, Food Share, Inc. located 25 in Oxnard, California and Food Bank for Monterey County, located in Salinas, 26 California. 27

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8. 1 Tax Allocation of Class Member Distributions: The Parties agree that the 2 Settlement payments to Class Members will be treated as follows: 50% of the payments 3 shall be allocated to wages, 20% shall be allocated to interest, 20% shall be allocated to penalties, and 10% shall be allocated to reimbursement for business expenses. The 4 5 Settlement Administrator shall be responsible for issuing class members a Form W-2 with respect to the portion of settlement benefits allocated to wages and, to the extent 6 required by law, a Form 1099 with respect to the portion of settlement benefits allocated 7 8 to interest and penalties.

9 Funding and Distribution Dates: Within five business days after the 9. 10 Effective Date, the Settlement Administrator shall advise Defendants of the total amount of funds needed for making all payments required under the Settlement, 11 including the payments to be made from the Gross Settlement Amount and the 12 13 employer's share of payroll taxes to be paid separately from and in addition to the Gross 14 Settlement Amount. Defendants shall remit to the Settlement Administrator the total 15 amount of funds needed to fully fund the settlement and pay the employer's share of payroll taxes within twenty (20) days after the Effective Date. The Settlement 16 Administrator shall make all payments required under the Settlement as soon as 17 18 practicable after receipt of settlement funds from Defendants.

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## NOTICE, EXCLUSION AND OBJECTION PROCEDURES

Within fifteen (15) days following the Court's entry of an Order Granting 201. 21 Preliminary Approval of the Settlement, Defendants shall provide to the Settlement Administrator, with a copy to Class Counsel, a database or spreadsheet listing the 22 23 complete name, last known home address, and social security number, dates of 24 employment, and number of workweeks worked during the class period for each of the three hundred and seven Class Members (the "Class List"). The Settlement 25 26 Administrator will use the data Defendants provide to calculate the estimated amount each class member will receive. The estimated amount will be included in Notice of 27 28 Class Settlement each class member will receive.

2. 1 Within ten (10) days after receiving the Class List from Defendants, the Settlement Administrator shall send a Notice to each Class Member, in English and 2 3 Spanish, by WhatsApp notice, emails (if available), and by first class mail in the form attached as Exhibit A. The Settlement Administrator shall provide Class Counsel a 4 copy of the Class List for Class Counsel to use to answer any class member's questions 5 and to assist the Settlement Administrator in the administration of the Settlement. The 6 Settlement Administrator shall also prepare and maintain a website through the 7 administration of the settlement where the Notice, Class Counsel's contact information, 8 and any other case information shall be available to Class Members in English and 9 Spanish. 10

3. The Settlement Administrator shall use reasonable standard skip tracing 11 procedures as necessary to verify the accuracy of all addresses before the initial mailing 12 13 date to ensure that the Notice is sent to all Class Members at the addresses most likely to result in immediate receipt of those documents. It shall be conclusively presumed 14 that any Notice so mailed and not returned as undeliverable within thirty (30) days of 15 the mailing shall have been received by the Class Member. With respect to any returned 16 Notices, the Settlement Administrator shall use reasonable diligence to obtain a current 17 18 address and re-mail to such address.

4. Class Members shall have sixty (60) days from the initial mailing of the
Notice by the Settlement Administrator to request exclusion from the Settlement by
submitting a request in writing to be excluded from the Settlement to the Settlement
Administrator. If disputes about the validity or timeliness of any request for exclusion
arise, the Parties shall meet and confer. If the Parties cannot resolve the dispute, the
Court shall make a final and binding determination as to whether the request for
exclusion shall be deemed valid.

26 5. Class Members who submit a timely and valid request for exclusion will
27 not be bound by the release provisions of the Settlement and will not be entitled to
28 receive any settlement benefits under the Settlement.

Class Members shall have sixty (60) days from the initial mailing of the
 Notice Packet by the Settlement Administrator to submit any objections to the
 Settlement and advise of their desire to appear at the Final Fairness Hearing. The Class
 Notice shall include specific instructions to Class Members for submitting objections,
 which must be sent in writing to the Settlement Administrator.

#### 6 E. <u>RELEASE OF CLAIMS</u>

Class Members' Released Claims: Each Class Member who does not 7 1. 8 submit a timely and valid request for exclusion shall, upon the Effective Date, be deemed to have released Defendants and any parent or subsidiary corporation, and their 9 officers, directors, employees, partners, shareholders and agents, and any other 10 successors, assigns, or legal representatives ("Released Parties"), from any and all 11 claims, rights, demands, liabilities and causes of action under California law that Class 12 13 Members asserted in the Action for the time period of their employment contract which is no greater than from April 25, 2018 through and including November 30, 2018, 14 including all claims for: (a) federal minimum wages, 29 U.S.C. § 206(a); (b) California 15 unpaid minimum wages, Cal. Lab. Code §§ 1182.11-1182.13, 1194 and 1197, (c) 16 unpaid overtime wages, Cal. Lab. Code § 1194 and Wage Order 14, (d) failure to 17 18 provide meal periods, Cal. Lab. Code §§ 226.7, 512 & Wage Orders, (e) failure to provide rest breaks, Cal. Lab. Code §§ 226.2, 226.7, 1198 & Wage Orders, (g) failure 19 to reimburse for business expenses, Cal. Lab. Code § 2802, (h) failure to pay wages 20 21 upon separation, Cal. Lab. Code §§ 201-203, (i) unlawful business practices related to the above alleged Labor Code violations pursuant to Cal. Bus. & Prof. Code §§ 17200 22 23 et seq., (j) failure to compensate nonproductive time, Cal. Lab. Code 226.2, and (k) breach of employment contract. 24

25 2. <u>Plaintiffs' Release of Claims and Waiver of Section 1542:</u> Plaintiffs
26 hereby release all claims asserted in the Complaint and the release also includes such
27 other claims, demand, cause of action, obligation, damage, liability, charge, attorneys'
28 fees and costs which they now hold or which could have been asserted in the

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Complaint. The Parties hereby expressly waive and relinquish all rights and benefits,
if any, arising under the provisions of Section 1542 of the Civil Code of the State of
California, which provides:

Section 1542. [Certain Claims Not Affected By General Release.] A general release does not extend to claims which the creditor or releasing party does not know or suspect to exist in his or her favor at the time of executing the release and that, if known by him or her, would have materially affected his or her settlement with the debtor or released party.

## F. <u>COURT APPROVAL</u>

 Plaintiffs shall promptly move the Court for the entry of an Order Granting Preliminary Approval of the Settlement and Approval and Entry of the Nonmonetary Terms as a Consent Judgment.

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2. In accordance with the Court's Order Granting Preliminary Approval of the Settlement, Plaintiffs, after the Settlement Administrator has mailed the Notice to Class Members and the time for Class Members to request exclusion from or make an objection to the Settlement has expired, shall move the Court for the entry of an Order Granting Final Approval of the Settlement and entering Consent Judgment, including the performance of the non-monetary terms.

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3. This Settlement shall not take effect until the Court has entered an order granting final approval of the Settlement and that order has become final after any objections to the Settlement or any appeals from the order granting final approval of the Settlement have been resolved.

4. The Parties agree to waive appeals from the Court's order granting final approval of the Settlement with the following exceptions: (1) the Plaintiffs and/or Defendants may appeal if the Court materially modifies the Settlement; and (2) Plaintiffs may appeal if the Court awards attorney's fees and costs or Service Payments in an amount less than requested. Any appeal with respect to the amount of attorney's fees and costs or Service Payments shall not affect the finality of the Settlement in any

other regard or delay the payment of settlement benefits to Class Members or the
 payment of administration costs to the Settlement Administrator.

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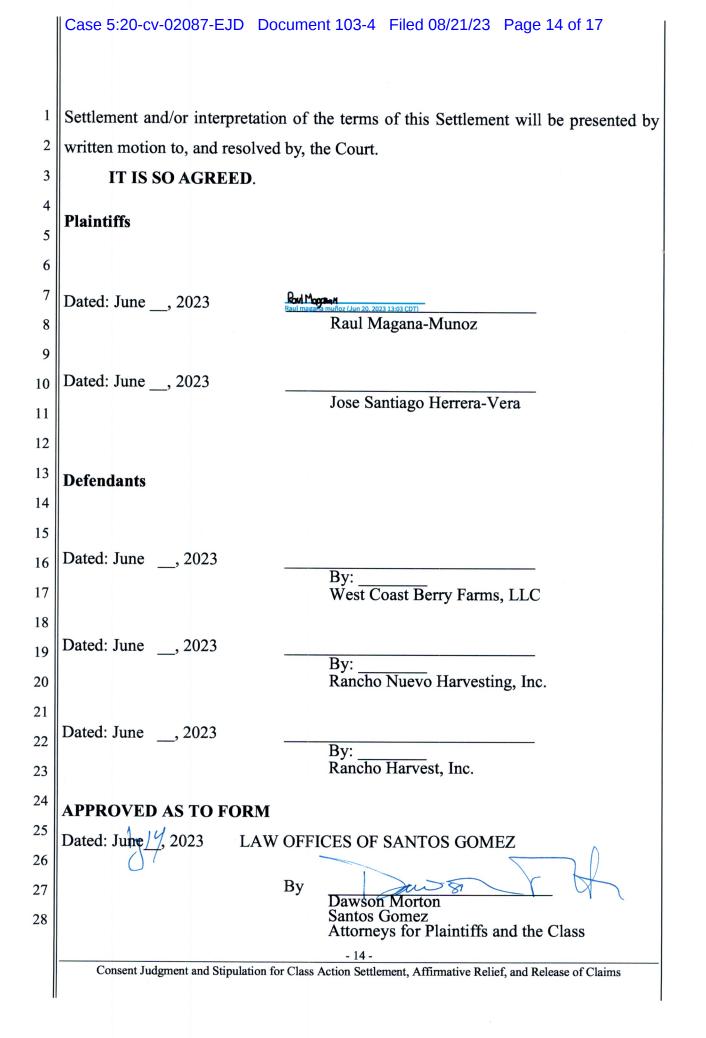
The respective signatories to the Settlement represent that they are fully
 authorized to enter into this Settlement and bind the respective Parties to its terms and
 conditions.

7 2. The Parties agree to cooperate fully with each other to accomplish the
8 terms of this Settlement, including but not limited to, execution of such documents and
9 to take such other action as may reasonably be necessary to implement the terms of the
10 Settlement. The Parties shall use their best efforts, including all efforts contemplated
11 by this Settlement and any other efforts that may become necessary by order of the
12 Court, or otherwise, to effectuate the terms of this Settlement.

3. Nothing contained in this Settlement shall be construed or deemed an
admission of liability, culpability, negligence, or wrongdoing on the part of Defendants,
and Defendants deny any such liability. Each of the Parties has entered into this
Settlement with the intention to avoid further disputes and litigation with the attendant
inconvenience and expenses. This Consent Judgment is a Court document and once
finally approved and entered as an Order shall be admissible as evidence of its terms.

4. This Settlement may be executed in counterparts, and when each party has
 signed at least one such counterpart, each counterpart shall be deemed an original, and,
 when taken together with other signed counterparts, shall constitute execution of the
 Settlement, which shall be biding upon and effective as to all Parties.

5. The Court will have continuing jurisdiction over the Action for the
purpose of implementing the terms of the Consent Judgment and Settlement including
the performance of the non-monetary terms, the preliminary and final approval of the
Settlement, entry of judgment, and post-judgment issues, until all related matters are
fully resolved. Any dispute regarding the Parties' obligations pursuant to this



ha celebrado este Acuerdo con la intención de evitar más disputas y litigios con los
 consiguientes gastos e inconvenientes. Esta Sentencia por mutuo acuerdo es un
 documento judicial y una vez que sea aprobada finalmente y registrada como una
 Orden, será admisible como prueba de sus términos.

4. Este Acuerdo puede ejecutarse en duplicado, y cuando cada parte haya
firmado al menos uno de dichos duplicados, cada duplicado se considerará un original
y, cuando se junte con otros duplicados firmados, constituirá la ejecución del Acuerdo,
que será vinculante y efectivo en cuanto a todas las Partes.

9 5. El Tribunal tendrá jurisdicción continua sobre la acción con el fin de 10 implementar los términos de la Sentencia por mutuo acuerdo y el Acuerdo, incluyendo 11 la ejecución de los términos no monetarios, la aprobación preliminar y definitiva del 12 Acuerdo, la emisión del fallo y cuestiones posteriores al fallo, hasta que todos los 13 asuntos relacionados se hayan resuelto por completo. Cualquier disputa relacionada 14 con las obligaciones de las Partes conforme a este Acuerdo y/o la interpretación de los 15 términos de este Acuerdo se presentará por escrito ante el Tribunal y será resuelta por 16 el mismo.

17 18 SE ACUERDA. 19 Demandantes 20 21 22 Fecha: de mayo del 2023 Raúl Magaña-Muñoz 23 24 Jose sonfiago Herrira Vera Fecha: de mayo del 2023 25 José Santiago Herrera-Vera 26 27 28 - 16 -Sentencia por mutuo acuerdo y estipulación al acuerdo de acción colectiva, medida de compensación afirmativa y liberación de reclamos

Settlement and/or interpretation of the terms of this Settlement will be presented by 1 written motion to, and resolved by, the Court. 2 IT IS SO AGREED. 3 4 Plaintiffs 5 6 7 Dated: June \_\_, 2023 8 Raul Magana-Munoz 9 Dated: June \_\_\_, 2023 10 Jose Santiago Herrera-Vera 11 12 13 Defendants 14 15 Dated: June 20, 2023 16 By: OVES 17  $\mathcal{Z}$ Coast Berry Farms, LLC 18 Dated: June , 2023 19 B 20 R⁄a ncho Nuevo Har esting. Inc. 21 Dated: June 22, 2023 22 SUG 23 Rancho Harvest, Inc. 24 **APPROVED AS TO FORM** 25 Dated: June \_\_, 2023 LAW OFFICES OF SANTOS GOMEZ 26 27 By Dawson Morton 28 Santos Gomez Attorneys for Plaintiffs and the Class - 14 -Consent Judgment and Stipulation for Class Action Settlement, Affirmative Relief, and Release of Claims

