1	<b>BEFORE THE REAL ESTATE COMMISSION</b>		
2	STATE OF NEVADA		
3	SHARATH CHANDRA, Administrator, REAL ESTATE DIVISION, DEPARTMENT	Case No. 2024-293	
4	OF BUSINESS AND INDUSTRY, STATE OF NEVADA,	STIPULATION AND ORDER FOR SETTLEMENT OF	
5	Petitioner,	DISCIPLINARY ACTION	
6	vs.	FILED	
7	PATRICK ALLISON		
8	(BS.0145344.MGR),	AUG 2 0 2024 REAL ESTATE COMMISSION	
9	Respondent.	BY Kelly Valader	
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11	This Stipulation for Settlement of Disciplinary Action ("Stipulation") is entered into by and		
12	between the State of Nevada, Department of Business and Industry, Real Estate Division ("Division"),		
13	through its Administrator Sharath Chandra ("Petitioner"), by and through their attorney of record,		
14	Christal Park Keegan, and Patrick Allison ("RESPONDENT").		
15	RESPONDENT, at all relevant times mentioned in this Complaint, was actively licensed as a		
16	broker salesperson under license number BS.0145344.MGR. RESPONDENT is, therefore, subject to		
17	the jurisdiction of the Division and the Commission, and the provisions of NRS chapter 645 and		
18	NAC chapter 645.		
19	SUMMARY OF FACTUAL ALLEGATIONS SET FORTH IN THE COMPLAINT		
20	1. At all times relevant to the Complaint, RESPONDENT was the Branch Manager for eXp		
21	Realty. NRED 000004.		
22	2. At all times relevant, Anna Maria Rozalska, respondent in another case no. 2024-83,		
23	joined RESPONDENT'S team. NRED 000057.		
24	3. On or about June 30, 2023, RESPONDENT'S real estate licensee Ms. Rozalska's license		
25	expired. NRED 000003.		
26	4. Yet, on or about July 8, 2023, the RESPONDENT'S expired licensee Ms. Rozalska was		
27	indicated on a signed Duties Owed By A Nevada Real Estate Licensee ("Duties Owed"). NRED 000086.		
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The Duties Owed left the license number field for RESPONDENT'S expired licensee Ms. 1 5. 2 Rozalska's blank. NRED 000086. The Supplemental List of Licensees Party to the Duties Owed listed the RESPONDENT. 3 6. 4 NRED 000085. On or about July 8, 2023, a Residential Offer and Acceptance Agreement ("Purchase 5 7. Agreement") for 2041 Wind Ranch Rd., in Reno, NV ("Property") indicated the buyers' were represented 6 7 by the RESPONDENT'S expired licensee Ms. Rozalska. NRED 000101-NRED 000110, NRED 000110. In early August, RESPONDENT became aware of issues with his expired licensee Ms. 8 8. 9 Rozalska's license renewal. NRED 000057. While RESPONDENT allegedly believed the matter was being resolved, he was 10 9. 11 subsequently aware of ongoing issues. NRED 000057. Yet, upon close of escrow, a check dated August 11, 2023, indicated commissions paid to 12 10. eXp Realty LLC in the amount of \$12,015.00. NRED 000079 - NRED 000081. 13 Of which, the RESPONDENT admitted his expired licensee Ms. Rozalska's commission 14 11. 15 split was 40%. NRED 000059. On August 16, 2023, RESPONDENT'S license was reinstated. NRED 000003. 16 12. 17 SUMMARY OF ALLEGED VIOLATIONS The Division finds the RESPONDENT violated NRS 645.235(1)(b) for knowingly 18 1. assisting his expired licensee in committing unlicensed activity during the real estate transaction for the 19 20 Property. The Division finds the RESPONDENT violated NRS 645.280(1) for offering, promising, 21 2. 22 allowing, giving and/or paying, directly or indirectly, any part of share of his commission, to his agent 23 for acting as a real estate licensee in the transaction while her license was expired. **PROPOSED SETTLEMENT** 24 25 The Division finds the RESPONDENT violated the provisions of NRS 645 and NAC 645 as alleged. In an effort to avoid the time and expense of litigating these issues before the Commission, the 26 27 RESPONDENT does not contest nor admit the violations alleged, and the parties desire to compromise 28 and settle the instant controversy upon the following terms and conditions:

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1 1. RESPONDENT agrees to pay the Division a total amount of \$9,124.40 ("Amount Due"), 2 consisting of \$4,806 of commissions benefited, a \$3,000.00 fine imposed by the Division, the Division's pre-hearing costs and fees in the amount of \$533.20, and the Attorney's pre-hearing costs and fees in the 3 4 amount of \$785.20, payable to the Division in full within thirty (30) days after approval of this Stipulation 5 by the Commission.

2. RESPONDENT further agrees to complete a total of six (6) hours of live, continuing education in the relevant areas of Broker Management, which shall not be counted towards his license renewal requirements. RESPONDENT shall complete the education set forth herein within 120 days from the date of the Order approving this Stipulation.

10 3. RESPONDENT and the Division agree that by entering into this Stipulation, the Division does not concede any defense or mitigation RESPONDENT may assert and that, once this Stipulation is 12 approved and fully performed, the Division will close its files in these matters, provided that, if any 13 further violations are discovered in these matters beyond the scope of facts and violations already pled 14 in the Complaints, the Division is not barred from further reviewing any of the same to determine if any 15 such further violations not already covered in the Complaints have taken place and should subject 16 **RESPONDENT** to further disciplinary action.

17 4. RESPONDENT agrees and understands that by entering into this Stipulation, 18 RESPONDENT is waiving his right to a hearing at which RESPONDENT may present evidence in his 19 defense, his right to a written decision on the merits of the complaint, his rights to reconsideration and/or 20 rehearing, appeal and/or judicial review, and all other rights which may be accorded by the Nevada 21 Administrative Procedure Act, the Nevada Real Estate Brokers and Salespersons statutes and 22 accompanying regulations, and the federal and state Constitutions. RESPONDENT understands that this 23 Agreement and other documentation may be subject to public records laws. The Commission members 24 who review this matter for approval of this Stipulation may be the same members who ultimately hear, 25 consider, and decide the Complaint if this Stipulation is either not approved by the Commission or is not 26 timely performed by RESPONDENT. RESPONDENT fully understands that he has the right to be 27 represented by legal counsel in this matter at his own expense.

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5. Each party shall bear their own attorney's fees and costs, *except* as the Division's Attorney's pre-hearing costs provided above.

6. <u>Approval of Stipulation</u>. Once executed, this Stipulation will be filed with the Commission and will be placed on the agenda for approval at its next public meeting. The Division will recommend to the Commission approval of the Stipulation. RESPONDENT agrees that the Commission may approve, reject, or suggest amendments to this Stipulation that must be accepted or rejected by RESPONDENT before any amendment is effective.

8 7. <u>Withdrawal of Stipulation</u>. If the Commission rejects this Stipulation or suggests 9 amendments unacceptable to RESPONDENT, RESPONDENT may withdraw from this Stipulation, and 10 the Division may pursue its Complaint before the Commission. This Stipulation then shall become null 11 and void and unenforceable in any manner against either party.

12 8. Release. In consideration of the execution of this Stipulation, RESPONDENT for himself, 13 his heirs, executors, administrators, successors, and assigns, hereby releases, remises, and forever 14 discharges the State of Nevada, the Department of Business and Industry, and the Division, and each of 15 their respective members, agents, employees, and counsel in their individual and representative 16 capacities, from any and all manner of actions, causes of action, suits, debts, judgments, executions, 17 claims, and demands whatsoever, known and unknown, in law or equity, that RESPONDENT ever had, 18 now has, may have, or claim to have against any or all of the persons or entities named in this section, 19 arising out of or by reason of the Division's investigation of this action, this disciplinary action, and all 20 matters related thereto.

9. <u>Indemnification</u>. RESPONDENT hereby agrees to indemnify and hold harmless the State of Nevada, the Department of Business and Industry, Petitioner, the Division, and each of their respective members, agents, employees, and counsel, in their individual and representative capacities, against any and all claims, suits, and actions brought against said persons and/or entities by reason of the Division's investigation, this disciplinary action, and all other matters relating thereto, and against any and all expenses, damages, and costs, including court costs and attorney fees, which may be sustained by the persons and/or entities named in this section as a result of said claims, suits, and actions.

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1 10. Default. In the event of default, RESPONDENT agrees that all his licenses shall be 2 immediately suspended, and the unpaid balance of the administrative fine and costs, together with any 3 attorney's fees and costs that may have been assessed, shall be due in full to the Division within ten 4 calendar days of the date of default. Debt collection actions for unpaid monetary assessments in this case 5 may be instituted by the Division or its assignee. RESPONDENT agrees that the foregoing suspension 6 of his license shall continue until the unpaid monetary assessments are paid in full.

7 11. RESPONDENT has signed and dated this Stipulation only after reading and 8 understanding all terms herein. 9 DATED this 51 day of July, 2024. DATED this 5 day of August, 2024. 10 11 NEVADA DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND INDUSTRY REAL ESTATE DIVISION 12 13 By: 14 By: PATRICK ALLISON SHARATH CHANDRA Respondent 15 Administrator 16 Approved as to form: Approved as to form: 17 AARON D. FORD 18 LEWIS BRISBOIS BISGAARD & SMITH Attorney General 19 By: By: 20 CHRISTAL P. KEEGAN (Bar No. 12725) JESSICA L./BEELER Deputy Attorney General 21 (Bar. No. 19387) 5420 Kietzke Lane #202 6385 S Rainbow Blvd, Suite 600 Reno, Nevada 89511 Las Vegas, Nevada 89118 22 23 Attorney for Real Estate Division Attorney for eXp Realty 24 25 26 27 28 143324831.1 Page 5 of 6

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11	The Stipulation for Settlement of Disciplinary Action having come before the Real Estate		
12	Commission, Department of Business and Industry, State of Nevada, during its regular agenda on August		
13	13-15, 2024, and the Commission being fully apprised of terms and good cause appearing.		
14	IT IS ORDERED that the foregoing Stipulation and Order for Settlement of Disciplinary Action,		
15	submitted by Petitioner and Respondent, is approved in full and shall become effective immediately.		
16	Dated: August <u>20</u> , 2024.		
17	NEVADA REAL ESTATE COMMISSION		
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19	By: <u>President, Nevada Real Estate Commission</u>		
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