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BEFORE THE REAL ESTATE COMMISSION

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SHARATH CHANDRA, Administrator,)	
REAL ESTATE DIVISION,)	
DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS &)	CASE NO.: 2023-460
INDUSTRY, STATE OF NEVADA)	
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Petitioner,)	RESPONDENT DINORA SHARPE'S
vs.)	ANSWER TO COMPLAINT
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DINORA SHARPE,)	
)	
Respondent.)	

COMES NOW, Respondent DINORA SHARPE, by and through her attorneys of record, JOHN V. SPILOTRO, ESQ., of THE LAW OFFICE OF JOHN V. SPILOTRO, ESQ., P.C. and LISA M. SZYC, ESQ. of BACKUS | BURDEN and answers Petitioner's Complaint on file herein by admitting, denying, and answering the allegations contained in said Complaint as set forth hereinafter.

ANSWER TO COMPLAINT

JURISDICTION

In this answering paragraph of Petitioner's Complaint, Answering Respondent denies the allegations contained therein.

GENERAL ALLEGATIONS

- 1. In answering paragraph 1 of Petitioner's Complaint, Answering Respondent is without knowledge or information sufficient to enable her to admit or deny the allegations and on that basis deny the allegations contained therein.
- 2. In answering paragraphs 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 13, 19, 22, and 26 of Petitioner's Complaint, Answering Respondent admits the allegations contained therein.

- 3. In answering paragraphs 5, 16, and 27 of Petitioner's Complaint, Answering Respondent avers that this allegation is compound; to which, Respondent answers the allegations as a whole and thereby, deny the same.
- 4. In answering paragraph 12 of Petitioner's Complaint, Answering Respondent denies the allegations contained therein as it is an incomplete statement of facts.
- 5. In answering paragraphs 14, 15, 17, 18, 20, 21, 23, 24, and 25 of Petitioner's Complaint, Answering Respondent denies the allegations contained therein.

VIOLATIONS OF LAW

6. In answering paragraphs 1, 2, 2a, 2b, 2c, 2d, 3, 4, and 5 of Petitioner's Complaint, Answering Respondent denies the allegations contained therein.

DISCIPLINE AUTHORIZED

7. In answering paragraphs 6, 7, and 8 of Petitioner's Complaint, Answering Respondent denies the allegations contained therein.

AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSES

FIRST AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE

The Petitioner fails to state a claim upon which relief can be granted.

SECOND AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE

Petitioner has suffered no damages.

THIRD AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE

The relief sought by Petitioner is barred by the doctrine of unclean hands.

FOURTH AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE

Petitioner's claims are not well grounded in fact and are not warranted by existing law of good faith argument for the extension or modification of existing law but pursued only for the purpose of

harassment, unnecessary delay and the incurrence of needless cost of litigation to the Answering Respondent.

FIFTH AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE

The Answering Respondent has been required to retain the services of an attorney in order to defend this action and is therefore, entitled to reasonable attorney's fees plus costs of suit incurred herein.

SIXTH AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE

Petitioner's claims are barred, in whole or in part, because at all times mentioned in the Complaint, Answering Respondent acted in a manner authorized and/or required by law or contract.

SEVENTH AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE

The damages allegedly sustained by Petitioner was the result of Petitioner's own acts and/or omissions and/or those of others over whom Answering Respondent has no control and said alleged damages are not the result of any acts and/or omissions of Answering Respondent.

EIGHTH AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE

Answering Respondent is informed and believe, and thereon alleges, that the Petitioner has failed to join all necessary and indispensable parties to this lawsuit.

NINTH AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE

The Complaint, and each and every cause of action contained therein, is barred by the applicable Statue of Repose.

TENTH AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE

This Court is without Jurisdiction.

ELEVENTH AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE

The action must be dismissed under the doctrine of forum non conveniens.

TWELVTH AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE

The Complaint, and each and every cause of action contained therein, is barred by the applicable Statue of Limitations and/or laches.

THIRTEENTH AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE

Plaintiff lacks standing.

FOURTEENTH AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE

Answering Respondent is informed and believe, and upon such information and belief, allege that the Petitioner has engaged in conduct and activities sufficient to constitute a waiver by reason of which they are estopped to assert any claim or cause of action against Answering Respondent.

FIFTEENTH AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE

This instant action must be dismissed under the doctrine of estoppel.

SIXTEENTH AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE

The Injuries complained of in the Petitioner's Complaint, if any, were not the result of willful, malicious, oppressive, or deliberate conduct on the part of the Answering Respondent.

SEVENTEENTH AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE

Pursuant to NRCP 8, 9 and 11, all possible affirmative defenses may have been alleged herein insofar as sufficient facts were not available after reasonable inquiry upon filing the Answer, therefore, Answering Respondent reserves the right to amend this answer to allege additional Affirmative Defenses as subsequent investigation warrants.

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WHEREFORE, Answering Respondent prays that Petitioner takes nothing by reason of their Complaint on file herein and that the same be dismissed. DATED this 19th day of January, 2024. THE LAW OFFICE OF BACKUS | BURDEN JOHN V. SPILOTRO, ESQ. P.C. /s/: John V. Spilotro /s/: Lisa M. Szyc JOHN V. SPILOTRO, ESQ. LISA M. SZYC, ESQ. Nevada Bar No. 4134 Nevada Bar No. 11726 3050 S. Durango Drive 319 S. Third Street, Suite 100 Las Vegas, Nevada 89101 Las Vegas, Nevada 89117 Attorney for Defendant Attorney for Defendant

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