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TO: Akbar Aly Bhamani, President and CEO, Manager Zainulabidin Bhamani, aka Zain Bhamani, Vice President Acquisitions, Manager Aly Khan A. Bhamani, aka Aly Bhamani, Vice President Ken Sarna, Director of Operations Gabriela Gibson, Client Manager Heaven Investments Holding Corp. aka Heaven Investments

and as Heaven Investment Corporation

Alder Properties TIC, LLC

Alder Heights, LLC

Mission Properties TIC, LLC

Mission Manor, LLC Walnut Gardens, LLC

1828 Tribute Road, Suite K Sacramento, CA 95815

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DESIST AND REFRAIN ORDER

(For violations of section 25110, 25210 and 25401 of the Corporations Code)

- 22 The California Corporations Commissioner finds that:
 - 1. At all relevant times, Akbar Aly Bhamani ("Akbar Bhamani"), was President and CEO of
- 24 Heaven Investments Holding Corp. doing business as Heaven Investments and as Heaven Investment
- 25 Corporation ("Heaven Investments"), a California corporation with a registered address of 1828
- 26 Tribute Road, Suite K, Sacramento, California 95815, a business address of 1401 El Camino Ave.,
- 27 Suite 410, Sacramento, California 95815, 50 California Street, Suite 1500, San Francisco, California
- 28 94111, and a website located on the Internet at www.hihcorp.com.

1 2. At all relevant times, Zainulabidin Bhamani, also known as Zain Bhamani ("Zain Bhamani") 2 was Vice President of Acquisitions for Heaven Investments. 3 4 3. At all relevant times, Aly Khan A. Bhamani, aka Aly Bhamani ("Aly Bhamani") was a 5 principal of Heaven Investments. 6 7 4. At all relevant times, Ken Sarna ("Sarna") was Vice President and/or Director of Operations 8 for Heaven Investments. 9 10 5. At all relevant times, Gabriela Gibson ("Gibson"), was a Client Manager of Heaven 11 Investments. 12 13 At all relevant times, Alder Properties TIC, LLC ("Alder Properties"), Alder Heights, LLC 14 ("Alder Heights"), Mission Properties TIC, LLC ("Mission Properties") and Mission Manor, LLC 15 ("Mission Manor") were each a California limited liability company with a registered address of 16 1828 Tribute Road, Suite K, Sacramento, California, 95815. 17 18 At all relevant times, Walnut Gardens, LLC ("Walnut Gardens") was a California limited 7. 19 liability company with a registered address of 1401 El Camino Avenue, Sacramento, California, 20 95815. 21 22 8. At all relevant times, Mayling Chang Trinh ("Trinh") was a Realtor® and real estate agent of 23 Mason-McDuffie Real Estate, Inc. ("Mason-McDuffie") with a branch located at 3320 Grand 24 Avenue, Oakland, California 94610. Trinh holds a salesperson license issued by the California 25 Department of Real Estate, license number 01407438. 26 27 9. Beginning in or about October of 2004, Akbar Bhamani, Zain Bhamani, Aly Bhamani, Sarna,

Gibson, Heaven Investments, Alder Properties, Mission Properties, Walnut Gardens, Trinh and

Mason-McDuffie offered or sold securities in the form of promissory notes, investment contracts, or interests in a limited liability company of Heaven Investments, Alder Properties, Alder Heights, Mission Properties, Mission Manor, Walnut Gardens or in other various investment programs, including a Tenant In Common Program, Planned Income Program, Signature Equity plan, Active Investor Strategy, or Signature Deed Trust Program, and a 1031 Exchange Program ("investments programs").

10. Investors are told that Heaven Investments is a real estate developer and provides real estate investors with turn-key, managed real estate investments that range from 11.50-18% APY through investment programs. Investors are told that Heaven Investments has two divisions, a Property Acquisitions and Development Team which acquires, builds or remodels properties, and a Client Management Group which works with individuals to meet their real estate goals through the various investment programs.

11. The Tenant In Common Program is described to investors as allowing investors to acquire a fractional interest in properties, for which they will receive a deed and title insurance. Under the Tenant In Common Program, Heaven Investments purports to purchase a property and sell its interest to a "TIC" limited liability company, including Mission Properties and Alder Properties.

12. Investors were told that Mission Properties was offering or selling undivided Tenant In Common Interests in a property known as Mission Manor located in Carmichael, California, including, 3532 Mission Avenue, Carmichael, California 95608, and that Alder Properties was offering or selling undivided Tenant In Common Interests in land located in Fremont, California, including 4325 Alder Avenue, Fremont, California, 94539. Investors were told that they can purchase a fractionalized portion of either Mission Properties or Alder Properties starting at 3.33% of the interest in the TIC company's respective property, and that each 3.33% share for Mission Properties costs \$50,000 and each share for Alder Properties costs \$150,000, with a total of 30 Tenant in Common shares to be sold in each Mission Properties and Alder Properties.

- 13. Investors are told that Mission Properties entered into a Master Lease agreement with an option to purchase with Mission Manor, who pays a lease rent for the property of \$150,000 per annum, paid monthly in the amount of \$12,500, and that each investor in the Mission Properties receives his share of rent in proportion to his percentage of ownership. Mission Manor is said to be developing the property and was solely responsible for the management and operations of the property on a day-to-day basis during the term of the Master Lease. Investors are also told that Alder Properties entered into a Master Lease agreement with Alder Heights, who pays a lease rent for the property of \$450,000 per annum, and that each investor in Alder properties receives his share of rent in proportion to his percentage of ownership. Alder Heights is said to be developing custom homes and is solely responsible for the operations on the property.
- 14. Likewise, investors were told that Walnut Gardens, a "Tenant in Common property" was offering for sale at a minimum investment of \$125,000, one of 35 (thirty-five) undivided fractionalized interests, for a 2.857% fractionalized interest, in a property located in Carmichael, California. Investors were told that they would share in a portion of the equity appreciation, tax shelters and building growth and that they would receive a separate deed for their percentage of property ownership. Walnut Gardens was said to have signed a Master Lease with Option with Heaven Investments, which will pay a monthly lease payment to Walnut Gardens for the rights to lease the land and for future development equal to Triple Net (NNN) payment at the monthly rate of \$32,812.50. Heaven Investments is responsible for creating a long-term property development plan and managing or assigning property improvements during the term of the Master Lease.
- 15. In addition, as of at least March, 2007, investors were told that they could buy a fractionalized interest in a Mission Manor Town Home or an Alder Heights Garden Home from Heaven Investments through its Co-Purchase Sales and Buy Back Agreement. With respect to the Mission Manor property, a 1/3 fractional interest is available for \$100,000 and the investor agrees to sell its interest back to Heaven Investments for a guaranteed return of \$120,000 upon project completion. With respect to the Alder Heights property, a 1/6 fractional interest is available for \$100,000 and the

investor agrees to sell its interest back to Heaven Investments with a guaranteed return of \$135,000 upon project completion.

16. Investors are told that the Planned Income Program offers three levels for investing: the Gold Level, Silver Level and Bronze Level and provides various payments depending on whether the investor chooses a monthly, quarterly or annual "APY" payment. For instance, the Gold Level requires a minimum investment of \$250,000, and provides a payment of 12.50%, 12.63% or 13.24%. The Silver Level requires a minimum investment of \$100,000, and provides a payment of 12.50%, 12.12% or 12.68%. The Bronze Level requires a minimum investment of \$10,000, and provides a payment of 11.50%, 11.61% or 12.13%. Investors are told that their capital is secured with a

Promissory Note from Heaven Investments and a Deed of Trust on a property.

17. Investors are told that the Signature Equity plan, Active Investor Strategy or Signature Deed Trust Program, combines the expertise of Heaven Investments in acquiring and redeveloping undervalued properties to earn a higher return on the investor's capital purchase. Investors are told that the initial capital used to purchase the home earns 12%, that Heaven Investments pays the purchaser interest on all capital used to purchase the project, that a Grant Deed is in place on the property, and the purchaser is responsible for the mortgage payment and retains any added cash flow.

18. Through posting on the Internet, cold-calling or other means of general solicitation, Akbar Bhamani, Zain Bhamani, Aly Bhamani, Sarna, Heaven Investments, Alder Properties, Alder Heights, Mission Properties, Mission Manor, Walnut Gardens, Trinh and Mason-McDuffie offered or sold shares in Mission Properties and/or Alder Properties and/or Walnut Gardens at \$50,000 per share, \$150,000 per share, and \$125,000 per share respectively under the Tenant In Common Program. In addition, Akbar Bhamani, Zain Bhamani, Aly Bhamani, Sarna, and Heaven Investments also offered or sold fractional interests in Mission Manor Town Homes or Alder Heights Garden Homes for \$100,000 per interest in each home through posting on the Internet, cold-calling or other means of

general solicitation, to raise an anticipated total amount of \$300,000 per Mission Manor Town Home or \$600,000 per Alder Heights Garden Home.

- 19. Through posting on the Internet, cold-calling or other means of general solicitation, Akbar Bhamani, Zain Bhamani, Aly Bhamani, Sarna, Gibson, Heaven Investments, also offered or sold promissory notes at \$250,000, \$100,000 or \$10,000 a note in the Planned Income Program, as well as investment contracts with respect to the Signature Equity plan, Active Investor Strategy or Signature Deed Trust Program.
- 20. The purported purpose of the offerings was to raise funds to acquire, develop, improve, or remodel properties and lease and or sell the properties.
- 21. Akbar Bhamani, Zain Bhamani, Aly Bhamani, Sarna, Heaven Investments, Alder Heights, Mission Mannor, Trinh and Mason-McDuffie were engaged in the business of effecting transactions in securities for the account of others in the State of California.
- 22. These securities were offered or sold in this state in issuer transactions. The Department of Corporations has not issued a permit or other form of qualification authorizing any person to offer and sell these securities in this state.
- 23. In connection with these offers and sales, Akbar Bhamani, Zain Bhamani, Aly Bhamani, Sarna, Gibson, Heaven Investments, Alder Properties, Alder Heights, Mission Properties, Mission Manor, Walnut Gardens, Trinh, and Mason-McDuffie represented to investors or omitted to disclose to investors that:
- a. Akbar Bhamani has a history of tax liens, including but not limited to, a state tax lien on April 20, 2005 in the amount of \$22,307, a county tax lien on July 16, 2004 for \$9,108 and on July 18, 2003 for \$9,098;
 - b. Akbar Bhamani, Aly Bhamani, Zain Bhamani, Heaven Investments, and/or Mission

Manor, have been the subject of prior lawsuits including one that resulted in a judgment lien on April 8, 2008 in the amount of \$82,144 and a civil judgment on November 24, 2008 in the amount of \$200,00;

- c. Heaven Investments and Trinh had obtained all proper licenses to offer or sell the investments when no license has been issued to offer or sell the securities of Alder Properties, Mission Properties or the securities of the other investment programs;
- d. Investors would be given a certain higher priority as a lien holder against a property in which they invested when they were actually given a lower priority;
- e. Investors could ask for a return of their investment monies which would be repaid to them within 60 days when actually investors were not returned their monies as requested;
- f. Interests secured by deeds on the property located at 3532 Mission Avenue were actually being sold by Zain Bhamani as owner of the property;
- g. Investment monies were being invested in properties other than the properties agreed to by the investor without the investor's knowledge or consent;
- h. Heaven Investments and the various offerings through its investment programs were financially sound when they were not and ultimately Heaven Investments filed for bankruptcy on August 29, 2008.

Based upon the foregoing findings, the California Corporations Commissioner is of the opinion that the promissory notes, investment contracts, and/or interests in a limited liability company of Heaven Investments, Alder Properties, Mission Properties, Walnut Gardens, the Tenant In Common Program, Planned Income Program, Signature Equity plan, Active Investor Strategy and Signature Deed Trust Program, are securities subject to qualification under the California Corporate Securities Law of 1968 and are being or has been offered or sold without being qualified in violation of Corporations Code section 25110. Pursuant to section 25532 of the Corporate Securities Law of 1968, Akbar Aly Bhamani, Zainulabidin Bhamani, aka Zain Bhamani, Aly Khan A. Bhamani, aka Aly Bhamani, Ken Sarna, Gabriela Gibson, Heaven Investments Holding Corp. aka Heaven Investments and as Heaven Investment Corporation, Alder Properties TIC, LLC, Alder Heights, LLC,

Mission Properties TIC, LLC, Mission Manor, LLC, Walnut Gardens, LLC, Mayling Trinh, and Mason-McDuffie Real Estate, Inc. are hereby ordered to desist and refrain from the further offer or sale in the State of California of securities, including but not limited to promissory notes and investment contracts, unless and until qualification has been made under the law, or unless exempt.

In addition, based upon the foregoing, the California Corporations Commissioner is of the opinion that Akbar Bhamani, Zain Bhamani, Aly Bhamani, Sarna, Heaven Investments, Alder Heights, Mission Manor, Trinh and Mason-McDuffie have effected transactions in securities as broker-dealers without having first applied for and secured from the Commissioner a certificate, authorizing these persons to act in that capacity, in violation of section 25210 of the Corporate Securities Law of 1968. Pursuant to section 25532 of the Corporate Securities Law of 1968, Akbar Aly Bhamani, Zainulabidin Bhamani, aka Zain Bhamani, Aly Khan A. Bhamani, aka Aly Bhamani, Ken Sarna, Heaven Investments Holding Corp. aka Heaven Investments and as Heaven Investment Corporation, Alder Heights, LLC, Mission Manor, LLC, Mayling Trinh and Mason-McDuffie Real Estate, Inc. are hereby ordered to desist and refrain from effecting any transaction in, or inducing or attempting to induce the purchase or sale of, any security in this state, unless and until they have applied for and secured from the Commissioner a certificate, then in effect, authorizing these persons to act in that capacity, or unless exempt.

Further, the California Corporations Commissioner is of the opinion that the securities of Heaven Investments, Alder Properties, Mission Properties, Walnut Gardens, LLC, the Tenant In Common Program, Planned Income Program, Signature Equity plan, Active Investor Strategy and Signature Deed Trust Program, were offered or sold in this state by means of written or oral communications which included an untrue statement of a material fact or omitted to state a material fact necessary in order to make the statements made, in the light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading, in violation of section 25401 of the Corporate Securities Law of 1968. Pursuant to section 25532 of the Corporate Securities Law of 1968, Akbar Aly Bhamani, Zainulabidin Bhamani, aka Zain Bhamani, Aly Khan A. Bhamani, aka Aly Bhamani, Ken Sarna,

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	Gabriela Gibson, Heaven Investments Holding Corp. aka Heaven Investments and as Heaven
	Investment Corporation, Alder Properties TIC, LLC, Alder Heights, LLC, Mission Properties TIC,
	LLC, Mission Manor, LLC, Walnut Gardens, LLC, Mayling Trinh, and Mason-McDuffie Real
	Estate, Inc. are hereby ordered to desist and refrain from offering or selling or buying or offering to
	buy any security in the State of California, including but not limited to the promissory notes and/or
	investment contracts of Alder Properties, Mission Properties, Heaven Investments, and the
	promissory notes or investment contracts in the Tenant In Common Program, Planned Income
	Program, Signature Equity plan, Active Investor Strategy and Signature Deed trust, and the 1031
	Exchange Program, by means of any written or oral communication which includes an untrue
	statement of a material fact or omits to state a material fact necessary in order to make the statement
	made, in the light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading.
	This Order is necessary, in the public interest, for the protection of investors and consistent
	with the purposes, policies, and provisions of the Corporate Securities Law of 1968.
	Dated: February 3, 2010
	Sacramento, California
	PRESTON DuFAUCHARD California Corporations Commissioner
	Cantorna Corporations Commissioner
	By ALAN S. WEINGER
	Deputy Commissioner Enforcement Division