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Date:

March 2, 2015

From:

Michael D. Halvorsen

To:

Beneficiaries of the Estate of Nguey Woo

Regarding:

Distribution

Dear Beneficiaries:

I enclose the following:

- 1. Check representing your distributive share of the estate;
- 2. Form of Receipt acknowledging you received your distribution share;
- 3. IRS form W-9;
- 4. Order for Final Distribution; and
- 5. Self-addressed stamped envelope.

Please complete the W-9 and the Receipt and return it to me in the enclosed self-addressed stamped envelope.

Pursuant to the Order for Final Distribution the Executor is withholding from distribution a reserve of \$5,000. Once the final taxes are prepared and the return filed the Executor will be in a position to distribute the remaining reserve. We anticipate distributing the remaining reserve within the next six to nine months.

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Avid Eli Alavi (State Bar No. 216728) 1 WITHERSPOON & SIRACUSA 2 1550 Bryant Street, Suite 725 San Francisco, CA 94103 Superior Court of California County of San Francisco 3 Telephone (415) 552-1814 Fax: (415) 552-2158 FEB 1 0 2015 Email: aalavi@witsir.com 5 Attorneys for Bertha Joung, Executor / Petitioner Deputy Clerk 6 7 8 SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA 9 CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO 10 11 12 Estate of: Number: PES-13-297215 13 **NGUEY WOO** ORDER FOR FINAL DISTRIBUTION: SETTLING FIRST AND FINAL ACCOUNT AND 14 Deceased. REPORT OF EXECUTOR AND PETITION FOR ITS SETTLEMENT: AUTHORIZING PAYMENT 15 OF STATUTORY FEES FOR ORDINARY SERVICES TO EXECUTOR AND HER 16 ATTORNEYS; AUTHORIZING RETENTION OF RESERVE FOR TAXES AND CLOSING 17 COSTS 18 Date: February 10, 2015 Time: 9:00 A.M. 19 Dept: 204 20 Bertha Joung, as Executor of the Will of Nguey Woo, deceased, having presented her 21 First and Final Account and Report of Executor and Petition for its Settlement; Petition for 22 Payment of Statutory Fees for Ordinary Services to Executor and Her Attorneys; Petition to 23 Retain Reserve for Taxes and Closing Costs; and Petition for Final Distribution, and the same 24 coming on regularly for hearing, the Court finds: 25 Notice: Notice of hearing of the petition has been regularly given as prescribed 26

Allegations: All of the allegation's of the petition are true.

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Order for Final Distribution

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- 3. Period of Account and Report: The period of the account and report begins on October 11, 2013, the date of death of the decedent, and ends on August 31, 2014.
- 4. <u>Date of Death and Residence</u>: Nguey Woo died testate on October 11, 2013, in San Francisco, California, and was, at the time of his death, a resident of that county.
- 5. Appointment of Executor: On December 9, 2013, Petitioner was appointed Executor of the decedent's Will, with full authority under the Independent Administration of Estates Act (IAEA), and qualified as such on that date. Letter's Testamentary were issued to her on December 10, 2013. At all times since, Petitioner has been and is now the Executor of the decedent's Will, and her authority under IAEA has not been revoked.
- 6. Estate in Condition to be Closed: Notice of the petition to administer the estate has been published for the period and in the manner prescribed by law, and an affidavit was filed with the Clerk of the Court verifying that publication. More than four months have elapsed since the issuance of Letters of Administration. All known and reasonably ascertainable creditors of the estate described in Probate Code §9050 received the notice described in Probate Code §9052 or are within the class of creditors described in Probate Code §9054. The time for filing claims has expired and the estate is now in a condition to be closed.
- 7. <u>Disposition of Claims</u>: No claims have been filed with the Court or served on the Executor.
- 8. <u>Payment of Debts and Expenses</u>: All debts of the decedent and of the estate and all expenses of administration have been paid; except closing expenses and the costs of preparing final fiduciary tax returns and paying any tax liability that may be due there, and compensation of petitioner, as Executor, and fees and costs of her attorneys.
- 9. <u>Estate Tax</u>: No federal or California estate tax return has been filed for the estate because the estate was not sufficient to require such a return, and no estate taxes are due.
- 10. Payment of State and Federal Income Taxes: All California and federal income taxes due and payable by the estate have been paid or adequately secured.
 - 11. Payment of Personal Property Taxes: There are no personal property taxes

12. Reserve: Petitioner requested authorization to withhold \$5,000 from distribution as a reserve for payment of closing expenses of the estate, including attorney costs, preparing the final fiduciary tax returns and paying any tax liability that may be due thereon. She further asked that she be authorized to distribute any remaining reserve to the beneficiaries as specified below without further court order.

- 13. Proposed Distribution: Distribution should be ordered as specified below.
- 14. <u>Compensation Allowed</u>: The Executor and the attorneys for the Executor, Witherspoon & Siracusa, have rendered valuable services to the estate and ordinary compensation should be allowed as ordered below.

IT IS ORDERED that:

- 1. The administration of the estate be brought to a close;
- 2. As of August 31, 2014, the Executor has in her possession belonging to the estate, after deducting credits to which she is entitled, a balance of \$602,118.06, all of which is in cash. The first and final account covering the period beginning October 11, 2013, and continuing through August 31, 2014, and report of Executor is settled, allowed, and approved as filed;
- All acts and transactions of the Executor relating to matters set forth in the account, report and petition are confirmed and approved;
- 4. Bertha Joung, as Executor of the Will, is authorized to set aside a reserve of \$5,000 for the cost of preparing the final fiduciary tax returns and pay any tax liability that may be due thereon; paying any closing costs, including remaining attorneys' costs, any unused portion of such reserve shall be distributed as indicated below;
- 5. Bertha Joung, as Executor of the Will, is authorized and directed to herself the amount of \$15,239.67 as compensation for ordinary services rendered in administrating this estate;
 - 6. Bertha Joung, as Executor of the Will, is authorized and directed to pay her

1	attorneys, Witherspoon & Siracusa, the amount of \$15,239.67, as compensation for ordinary				
2	services and \$628.08 for costs advanced the estate;				
3	6. In accordance with the terms of the will, the estate in the possession of the				
4	Executor remaining for distribution shall be distributed to the following beneficiaries of the				
5	Estate:				
6	Wai Sin Dell Niece				
7	34 Turner St Adult Brighton, MA 02135				
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9	Wal Lan Szeto Niece 630 Smithstone Road Adult				
10	Marietta, GA 30067				
11	Ching Seto Nephew Flat 2308 Hing Chung House, Adult				
12	Flat 2308 Hing Chung House, Adult Mei Chung Court, Shatin, NT Hong Kong				
13	Tiong Kong				
14	Kin Szeto Room 1108, Block B Hoi Lam House, Adult				
15	Hoi Fu Court, 2 Hoi Ting Rd., Mongkok West Kln, Hong Kong				
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17	American Red Cross Charity National Headquarters				
18	Attn: Trusts and Estates 2025 E Street, NW - NW9-069B				
19	Washington, DC 20006				
20	Salvation Army Charity 180 E. Ocean Blvd GSD				
21	Long Beach, CA 90802-4709				
22	Woo Family Association Beneficiary				
23	840 Washington Street San Francisco, CA 94108				
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25	San Francisco Fire Department Beneficiary 698 - 2nd Street				
26	San Francisco, CA 94107				
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850	Bryant St.,	Room	513
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Beneficiary

The property to be distributed to the beneficiaries of the estate consists of \$566,010.64, in cash, and it is to be distributed, as follows:

- a) To Wai Sin Dell, the decedent's niece; \$65,152.35, being the pecuniary gift of \$10,000 plus \$180.27 being accrued interest for the period October 11, 2014 through January 12, 2015, (Interest accrues at the rate of 7% per annum (or \$1.981 per day) commencing on October 11, 2014, until paid) plus \$54,972.08 being a one-ninth (1/9) share of the residue, together with a one-ninth (1/9) share of the any remaining tax reserve and any after discovered property belonging to the decedent or to his estate that is not now known but hereafter discovered;
- b) To Wai Lan Szeto, the decedent's niece; \$65,152.35, being the pecuniary gift of \$10,000 plus \$180.27 being accrued interest for the period October 11, 2014 through January 12, 2015, (Interest accrues at the rate of 7% per annum (or \$1.981 per day) commencing on October 11, 2014, until paid) plus \$54,972.08 being a one-ninth (1/9) share of the residue, together with a one-ninth (1/9) share of the any remaining tax reserve and any after discovered property belonging to the decedent or to his estate that is not now known but hereafter discovered;
- c) To Ching Seto, the decedent's nephew; \$65,152.35, being the pecuniary gift of \$10,000 plus \$180.27 being accrued interest for the period October 11, 2014 through January 12, 2015, (Interest accrues at the rate of 7% per annum (or \$1.981 per day) commencing on October 11, 2014, until paid) plus \$54,972.08 being a one-ninth (1/9) share of the residue, together with a one-ninth (1/9) share of the any remaining tax reserve and any after discovered property belonging to the decedent or to his estate that is not now known but hereafter discovered;
- d) To Kin Szeto, the decedent's nephew; \$65,152.35, being the pecuniary gift of \$10,000 plus \$180.27 being accrued interest for the period October 11, 2014 through January 12, 2015, (Interest accrues at the rate of 7% per annum (or \$1.981 per day) commencing on October 11, 2014, until paid) plus \$54,972.08 being a one-ninth (1/9) share of the residue, together with a one-ninth (1/9) share of the any remaining tax reserve and any after discovered property belonging to the decedent or to his estate that is not now known but hereafter discovered;
- e) To the American Red Cross: \$65,152.35, being the pecuniary gift of \$10,000 plus \$180.27 being accrued interest for the period October 11, 2014 through January 12, 2015, (Interest accrues at the rate of 7% per annum (or \$1.981 per day) commencing on October 11, 2014, until paid) plus \$54,972.08 being a one-ninth (1/9) share of the residue, together with a one-ninth (1/9) share of the any remaining tax reserve and any after discovered property belonging to the decedent or to his estate that is not now known but hereafter discovered;
- f) To the Salvation Army: \$65,152.36, being the pecuniary gift of \$10,000 plus

1 2 3 4	\$180.27 being accrued interest for the period October 11, 2014 through January 12, 2015, (Interest accrues at the rate of 7% per annum (or \$1.981 per day) commencing on October 11, 2014, until paid) plus \$54,972.09 being a one-ninth (1/9) share of the residue, together with a one-ninth (1/9) share of the any remaining tax reserve and any after discovered property belonging to the decedent or to his estate that is not now known but hereafter discovered;
5 6 7	g) To the Woo Family Association: \$65,152.35, being the pecuniary gift of \$10,000 plus \$180.27 being accrued interest for the period October 11, 2014 through January 12, 2015, (Interest accrues at the rate of 7% per annum (or \$1.981 per day) commencing on October 11, 2014, until paid) plus \$54,972.08 being a one-ninth (1/9) share of the residue, together with a one-ninth (1/9) share of the any remaining tax reserve and any after discovered property belonging to the
8 9 10	decedent or to his estate that is not now known but hereafter discovered; h) To the San Francisco Police Department; \$54,972.09, being a one-ninth (1/9) share of the residue, together with a one-ninth (1/9) share of any remaining tax reserve and any after-discovered property belonging to the decedent or to his estate that is not now known but hereafter discovered;
11 12 13	i) To the San Francisco Fire Department; \$54,982.09, being a one-ninth (1/9) share of the residue, together with a one-ninth (1/9) share of any remaining tax reserve and any after-discovered property belonging to the decedent or to his estate that is not now known but hereafter discovered; and
14 15	Upon filing proper receipts the Executor may apply for discharge.
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.13	NGUEY WOO RECEIPT ON DISTRIBUTION				
14	Deceased.				
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17	I, the undersigned, hereby acknowledge that I am the proper individual to sign this				
18	receipt on behalf of the San Francisco Fire Department and I hereby acknowledge receipt of				
19	\$54,972.09¹ being a one-ninth (1/9) share of the residue of the estate from Bertha Joung, as				
20	Executor of the Will of Nguey Woo, deceased. The distribution made is pursuant to this Court's				
21	order filed on February 10, 2015.				
22	San Francisco Fire Department				
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27	1 Although the Order states the San Francisco Fire Department is to receive \$54,982.09, the correct	•			
28	amount of a 1/9 share of the residue of the estate is \$54,972.09. See the amount listed as the 1/9 share of the residue distributed to the other eight beneficiaries listed in the Order for Final Distribution.				

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Receipts

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ESTATE OF NGUEY WOO BERTHA JOUNG AS EXECUTOR SACRAMENTO STREET NUMBER 242 SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94118

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San Francisco Fire Department

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