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SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA FOR THE COUNTY OF STANISLAUS

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Plaintiff,

vs.

PARADISE GAS

Defendant.

CASE NO. 37 0 9 5 9 - 3

STIPULATED JUDGMENT FOR INJUNCTION, CIVIL PENALTIES, AND OTHER RELIEF

Plaintiff, THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA, having filed their complaint herein, JAMES C. BRAZELTON, District Attorney of Stanislaus County, by and through GLORIA M. MAS, Deputy District Attorney of Stanislaus County, and defendant PARADISE GAS (DBA) hereby stipulate and consent to the entry of the Permanent Injunction and Final Judgment Pursuant to Stipulation. By signing this stipulation, these named defendants hereby admit the allegations of the complaint. This stipulation is entered into based in part on representations made and reaffirmed by these named defendants herein, that certain penalty payments will be made according to the terms of the Stipulated Final Judgment. This Stipulated Final Judgment shall constitute evidence of admission or concession by these named defendants regarding all allegations of law and fact alleged in the complaint on file herein.

Upon the consent of the parties hereto, and it appearing to the court that there is good cause for the entry of this Stipulated Final Judgment,

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1. This court has jurisdiction of the subject matter of this action and each of the parties hereto.

- 2. The injunctive provisions of this Final Judgment are applicable to defendants, its subsidiaries and divisions, and any agent, employee, representative and all persons, partners, corporations, or other entities acting by, through, under, or on behalf of defendants and all persons in concert with or participating with said defendants with actual or constructive knowledge of this injunction, only insofar as they are doing business in the State of California and confined to defendants' business operations in the County of STANISLAUS and throughout the state of California.
- 3. Pursuant to Business and Practice Code §17203, Defendants are hereby permanently enjoined. Defendants shall comply with the following conditions:
 - a) Shall not violate any environmental offenses, including but not limited to §25299 of the Health and Safety Code; and
 - Shall provide proof of February 2005 and March 2005 Designated Operator

 Inspection reports to Stanislaus County Department of Environmental Resources

 within fourteen days (14) of filing of this judgment.
- 4. Defendants shall pay the sum of FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$5,000.00) in civil penalties to be paid as follows:
 - a) Defendants shall pay FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$5,000.00), as civil

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penalties, including partial cost recovery, pursuant to Health and Safety Code § 25299.

This civil penalty amount shall be made payable to the <u>Stanislaus County Treasurer</u>

Department of Environmental Resources.

These penalties shall be **STAYED** for a period of three (3) years, beginning the filing of this Stipulated Judgment, on the condition that no violations occur pursuant to this agreement. It is understood that this stayed \$5,000.00 portion of the civil penalty shall immediately be due and owed on this case if any future violations occur. If no violations occur during the three-year period, the stay will become permanent. If defendant fails to provide proof of February 2005 testing, TWO THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$2,500.00) will be due within one hundred fifty days (150) from date of filing. If defendant fails to provide proof of March 2005 testing, TWO THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$2,500.00) will be due within one hundred fifty days (150) from date of filing.

- 5. In addition, defendants shall pay the sum of FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$5,000.00) to a Supplemental Environmental Program, and/or Recovery Costs, as follows:
 - a) Defendant shall pay the sum of TWO THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$2,000.00), payable to the <u>Secretary of the California Environmental Protection Agency</u>. This money shall be deposited into the Environmental Enforcement and Training Account established by Assembly Bill 2486 (2002, Keeley) under the authority of Penal Code § 14301.
 - b) Defendant shall pay the sum of TWO THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$2,000.00), payable to the <u>Stanislaus County Department of Environmental Resources</u>. Such money is to be used for environmental offenses to conduct investigation, prosecution and remediation.

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- Defendant shall pay the sum of ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$1,000.00) c) payable to the California State Water Resources Control Board State Water and Pollution Cleanup and Abatement Account.
- 6. Defendant shall pay the sum of FIVE HUNDRED EIGHTY DOLLARS AND THIRTY CENTS (\$580.30) payable to the Stanislaus County Superior Court for filing fees.
- Defendants waive all objections to, employees from the CSWRCB and the 7. Department of Environmental Resources, entering upon their business operations in Stanislaus. CA, for the purpose of inspection and enforcement of the terms of this agreement.
- 8. All checks shall be sent to the Stanislaus County District Attorney's Office. attention: Donna Robinson, Stanislaus County Courthouse, P.O. Box 442, Modesto, CA 95353. All amounts, except the filing fee, are due within ninety (90) of the filing of this Final Judgment. The filing fee is due with the signed Stipulated Judgment.
- 9. This Judgment shall go into effect immediately upon entry hereof. Entry is authorized immediately upon filing.

Dated: 4 - 13.05

By: Grand On Behalf of PARADISE GAS (DBA)

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Dated:

By:______ATTORNEY FOR DEFENDANT

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JAMES C. BRAZELTON	
STANISLAUS COUNTY DISTRICT	ATTORNEY

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By: CLORIA M. MAS
DEPUTY DISTRICT ATTORNEY

IT IS ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED.

Dated: APR 2 7 2005

WILLIAM A. MAYHEW

JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT

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