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**SUPERIOR COURT FOR THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA
FOR THE COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES – CENTRAL DISTRICT**

IN THE MATTER OF ARBITRATION
BETWEEN

MICHAEL BARROWS AND ERIC J.
LUDOVICO,

Petitioners,

vs.

RONALD J. INLOW,

Respondent.

CASE NO.: 23STCP04344

NOTICE OF ENTRY OF JUDGMENT

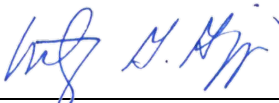
Assigned to: Christopher K. Lui
Department: 76

RESPONDENT RONALD J. INLOW HEREBY PROVIDES NOTICE OF ENTRY OF JUDGMENT, entered on October 1, 2024 with regard to the above-captioned matter by the Honorable Christopher K. Lui, Judge of the Superior Court of California for the County of Los Angeles. Judgment was entered in favor of Ronald J. Inlow and against Michael Barrows and Eric J. Ludovico. Specific findings were included in the Judgement. Attached hereto as **Exhibit**

A is the Judgment dated October 1, 2024. Attached hereto as **Exhibit B** is the Court's Minute Order dated October 1, 2024 referencing the Entry of Judgment. Both exhibits reference the specific findings and judgment amounts issued by the Court.

DATED: October 2, 2024

LAW OFFICES OF MONTGOMERY G. GRIFFIN

By: 
Montgomery G. Griffin, Esq.
Attorneys for Respondent Ronald J. Inlow

1 **Case Name: Michael Barrows, et al v. Ronald J. Inlow**

2 **Case Number 23STCP04344**

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9 **[PROPOSED] JUDGMENT**

10 on the interested parties in this action through the following service method:

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18 my business address shown above, following ordinary business practices.

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I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct. Executed on October 2, 2024, at Newport Beach, California.



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Exhibit A

FILED
Superior Court of California
County of Los Angeles

10/01/2024

David W. Slayton, Executive Officer / Clerk of Court

By: T. Le Deputy

**SUPERIOR COURT FOR THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA
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MICHAEL BARROWS AND
ERIC J. LUDOVICO

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vs.

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~~PROPOSED~~ JUDGMENT

Pursuant to the Court's September 6, 2024 Ruling confirming the Arbitration Award dated October 30, 2023 in the FINRA Dispute Resolution Services binding arbitration matter of *Ronald J. Inlow v. Michael Barrows, Eric J. Ludovico, and Mark Stewart*, issued unanimously by FINRA arbitration panel Chairperson Stephen Howard Marcus, Public Arbitrator Jason Moriarty, and Public Arbitrator Lawrence Wayne Sarokin, Judgment is hereby entered against Petitioners Michael Barrows and Eric J. Ludovico and in favor of Respondent Ronald J. Inlow as follows:

- (1) A Judgment for violation of Section 10 (b) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and Rule 10b-5, Common Law Fraud, and Breach of

1 Fiduciary Duty is hereby entered for the benefit of Ronald J. Inlow and
2 against Michael Barrows, and a Judgment for violation of Section 20 (a)
3 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and Rule 10b-5, as a controlling
4 person, and Common Law Fraud is hereby entered for the benefit of
5 Ronald J. Inlow against Eric J. Ludovico.

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7 (2) Michael Barrows and Eric J. Ludovico are jointly and severally liable to
8 Ronald J. Inlow in the amount of \$1,035,360.36 in compensatory
9 damages, plus simple interest at the rate of 7% per annum for the time
10 period from August 1, 2023, through October 30, 2023, totaling
11 \$18,118.80; plus \$11,055.68 in costs and forum fees, for a total amount
12 of \$1,064,534.84, jointly and severally.

13 (3) Michael Barrows and Eric J. Ludovico are jointly and severally liable to
14 Ronald J. Inlow for simple interest at the rate of 7% per annum on the
15 amount of \$1,064,534.84, or \$204.16 per day, for the time period from
16 October 31, 2023, to the date of this Judgment.

17 (4) Michael Barrows and Eric J. Ludovico are jointly and severally liable to
18 Ronald J. Inlow for simple interest at the rate of 10% per annum on
19 \$1,064,534.84, together with 10% per annum on the amount calculated
20 in paragraph 3 of this Judgment, for the time period from the date of this
21 Judgment until the date of payment.

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23 DATED: 10/01/2024



A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Christopher K. Lui".

Christopher K. Lui / Judge

JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT

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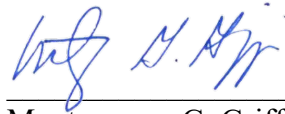
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Exhibit B

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

Civil Division

Central District, Stanley Mosk Courthouse, Department 76

23STCP04344

MICHAEL BARROWS, et al. vs RONALD J INLOW

October 1, 2024

4:00 PM

Judge: Honorable Christopher K. Lui

Judicial Assistant: T. Le

Courtroom Assistant: None

CSR: None

ERM: None

Deputy Sheriff: None

APPEARANCES:

For Plaintiff(s): No Appearances

For Defendant(s): No Appearances

NATURE OF PROCEEDINGS: Court Order Re: Notice of Entry and Entry of Judgment Pursuant to the Court's September 6, 2024 Ruling Confirming the Arbitration Award dated October 30, 2023;

The Court has reviewed the [Proposed] Judgment Pursuant to the Court's September 6, 2024 Ruling Confirming the Arbitration Award dated October 30, 2023 submitted on 09/16/2024.

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The judgment signed and filed this date. A copy of the signed judgment is available on the Court's website.

Clerk hereby gives notice to counsel for Respondent Ronald J. Inlow, who is ordered to give notice of entry of judgment.

Certificate of Mailing is attached.