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NEWS OF THE WEIRD

BY CHUCK SHEPARD

In a September rape trial in New York City, witness Roberto Suarez testified that he saw two men in the room with a waitress just before she told him that she had been raped, and then when asked by the prosecutor to identify the two men, Suarez looked past the defendants and pointed to, respectively, Juror No. 8 and Alternate Juror No. 3. The New York Daily News reported that some jurors laughed so hard that they cried.

TODAY IN HISTORY

Today is 311th day of 2005. There are 54 days left in the year.

On Nov. 7, 1917, Russia's Bolshevik Revolution took place as forces led by Vladimir Ilyich Lenin overthrew the provisional government of Alexander Kerensky.

In 1893, the state of Colorado granted its women the right to vote.

In 1916, Republican Jeannette Rankin of Montana became the first woman elected to Congress.

In 1929, the Museum of Modern Art in New York City opened to the public.

QUOTE OF THE DAY

"History is simply a piece of paper covered with print; the main thing is still to make history, not to write it."

OTTO VON BISMARCK
GERMAN STATESMAN (1815-1898)

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Breaking down the special election

Opponents and proponents of ballot measures read the fine print very differently

BY RYAN HYATT

Daily Press Staff Writer

CITYWIDE — Voters on Tuesday will have an opportunity to cast their ballots on a number of special election propositions that could have significant impact on

quality-of-life issues for residents throughout the Golden State.

Tuesday's special election and the seven propositions it includes would have an effect on the state budget process, the regulation of electric service providers, political redistricting, the organization of

state union political groups, public school teachers' probationary periods, discounted prescription drug access, and whether parents must be notified if their minor-aged daughters seek abortions.

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Human canvas



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On Saturday at the Santa Monica Pier, Lauren Halperin, a living statue who dresses all in white, stands completely still as she allows passersby to paint her.

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Frank Schwengel: Life's a beach

BY JASMIN PERSCH

Special to the Daily Press

Frank Schwengel has performed an outstanding community service with his years of volunteerism, say those who have benefited from his dedication and commitment at the Santa Monica Boys & Girls Club.

The club, which aims to foster the development of local youth, will honor Schwengel with the

Community Service Award this Thursday for his decades-long dedication to children.

Schwengel, 72, started his volunteerism career by filling a coaching position on a basketball team at the club because his pre-teen twin sons wanted to play — almost 30 years ago.

Since then, he has involved himself in all areas of the Boys & Girls

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Tuesday is Election Day

How to find your polling location:

Polling locations are printed on the back cover of the sample ballot booklets. The Los Angeles County Registrar's office suggests that voters check the polling place address for each election because locations often change. Also, poll locations are available at www.lavote.net, or by calling (800) 815-2666. Voters also can consider asking a neighbor since it is likely they are assigned to the same polling place.

PRI accused of engaging in retaliatory practices

BY RYAN HYATT

Daily Press Staff Writer

THIRD STREET — A new management company set to take over the vending cart program this month is under scrutiny from City Hall due to allegations that it has engaged in retaliatory practices.

The City Council expects on Tuesday a report from staff on whether or not claims by current vending cart operators that the new management company, Provenzano Resources Inc. (PRI), is shutting them out after they publicly questioned their future on the Promenade are true.

Daniel Ganon, who runs three carts on the Promenade, said at a City Council meeting last month that he was allowed to continue in the new program but was later denied a place after he and others took their concerns to City Hall in September.

"I sent a FedEx (with my check) and (PRI) told me, 'I'm tired of you going behind my back to the City Council,'" Ganon told

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ARIES (March 21-April 19)

★★★★★ Your fire could break through at any moment. Just pick and choose your words with care. Confusion surrounds meetings and talks. Work with a partner. Listen to this person carefully; he or she has logic behind his or her words. Tonight: Remember your goals.



TAURUS (April 20-May 20)

★★★ Frustration mounts at work. You're hot under the collar. You might not be able to identify what is really getting to you. Take some time to think through your feelings and how you have been hurt. Tonight: Check in with an older friend or relative.



GEMINI (May 21-June 20)

★★★★★ Take the high road and try not to get caught up in strong feelings. You will need to deal with them, but take your time. A knee-jerk response won't be on target. The facts might be distorted right now. Tonight: On a fact-finding mission. Talk about feelings with someone who understands you.



CANCER (June 21-July 22)

★★★★★ You mean well, but whatever you do seems to backfire. Use care with investments, insurance policies and other important dealings. Someone might randomly let loose and get angry at you. Distance yourself. Tonight: Get into a hobby in which you can forget your problems.



LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)

★★ Although you have the best intentions, you might be in the middle of a gigantic backfire. Tempers seem to flare up. You could be frustrated, as logic doesn't work. Emotions run high. Step back. Tonight: Think positively.



VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)

★★★★★ You might want to think about what goes on today rather than participate. Confusion and high emotions mix together. Ask questions and attempt to clear the haze. Maintain your sense of humor. Tonight: Yap up a storm.



LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22)

★★★★★ Be smart — pull out of hot issues before you become too involved. Avoid risks — financial and emotional. Someone might be on the warpath. Realize that someone is not telling you the whole story. Tonight: Ever playful.



SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21)

★★★ You cannot win for losing. No matter which way you turn, you encounter an issue. Be smart — rise above the problems and go in your own direction. Understand that others, including you, could be under pressure. Tonight: Head home. Screen calls.



SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21)

★★★ You might surprise yourself with just how irritated you can get seemingly out of the blue. What is going on might be the result of sitting on your feelings. The time has come to talk. Tonight: Start sharing.



CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)

★★★ You might have expenses that you hadn't anticipated. How you deal with them could be very different than usual. Be open to a new approach. Others might trigger strong reactions. Claim your power. Tonight: Do necessary financial research.



AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18)

★★★★★ You might be oblivious to what is happening around you, but others are grumbling. A domestic matter emerges, which you might have to handle. Stay calm even if others cannot. Tonight: What makes you happy.



PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20)

★★ Sometimes you need to duck. Right now, many different conflicts and needs could come into play. Do as much behind closed doors as possible. Stay cool and do what you need to do. Don't trigger. Tonight: Early to bed, or at least let others think that you are unavailable.



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COMMUNITY BRIEFS

Yoga Works offers free classes for beginners

By Daily Press staff

Ever wanted to try yoga, but were too intimidated or thought you couldn't afford it? This week, various Yoga Works studios, including the Santa Monica location, are offering a series of free yoga classes for beginners interested in trying yoga for the first time. Yoga Works' research found that people trying yoga for the first time are most comfortable in a class of first-time students. Yoga Works' goal is to create an environment that is welcoming for all those interested in exploring yoga.

The free classes will be held:

Nov. 7

Center for Yoga Studio: 230 Larchmont Blvd., Los Angeles

7:30-9 p.m. Beginner's Yoga

7:30-9 p.m. Level 2 Yoga

9 p.m. Meet and greet with yoga advisor

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Former Samohi student studying in Kenya

By Daily Press staff

Alexandra Cox, a 2002 graduate of Santa Monica High School, is spending the 2005 fall semester participating in a study-abroad program in Kenya. A senior at Lawrence University, she is the daughter of Lawrence Cox and Barbara Bauer of Santa Monica.

The 15-week program is based in the capital city of Nairobi and focuses on local and global problems, including social justice issues, facing developing countries. While on the program, Cox is living with a host family.

Founded in 1847, Lawrence University is a national liberal arts college with an associated conservatory of music. It has produced seven Rhodes Scholars and was one of 41 colleges profiled in Loren Pope's book "Colleges that Change Lives." Lawrence draws its 1,400-member student body from 48 states and 50 foreign countries.

Lauren Krasny is this week's mystery photo winner. She accurately described that this photo was taken at the Viceroy Hotel. Krasny has won a Santa Monica Daily Press baseball cap. Check out today's edition for this week's mystery photo contest.



SURF REPORT

Monday the NW is expected to drop to knee to waist. SW should be nil. Tuesday we have a system headed our way from the gulf region. This will likely bring some rain and increased winds as it builds throughout the day. AM sessions may still see flat to small conditions, but by evening, size should increase around west-facing breaks to chest high or better.

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After years of preparation, Bubba Gump Shrimp Co. opened this past weekend on the Santa Monica Pier. City officials say the restaurant will enhance the family atmosphere of the pier and bring in more revenue for City Hall. Opponents say that allowing a chain restaurant to become established on the pier goes against guidelines that give preference to locally owned businesses.

So this week, Q-Line wants to know, "What impact, if any, do you think the opening of Bubba Gump Shrimp Co. on the pier will have?"

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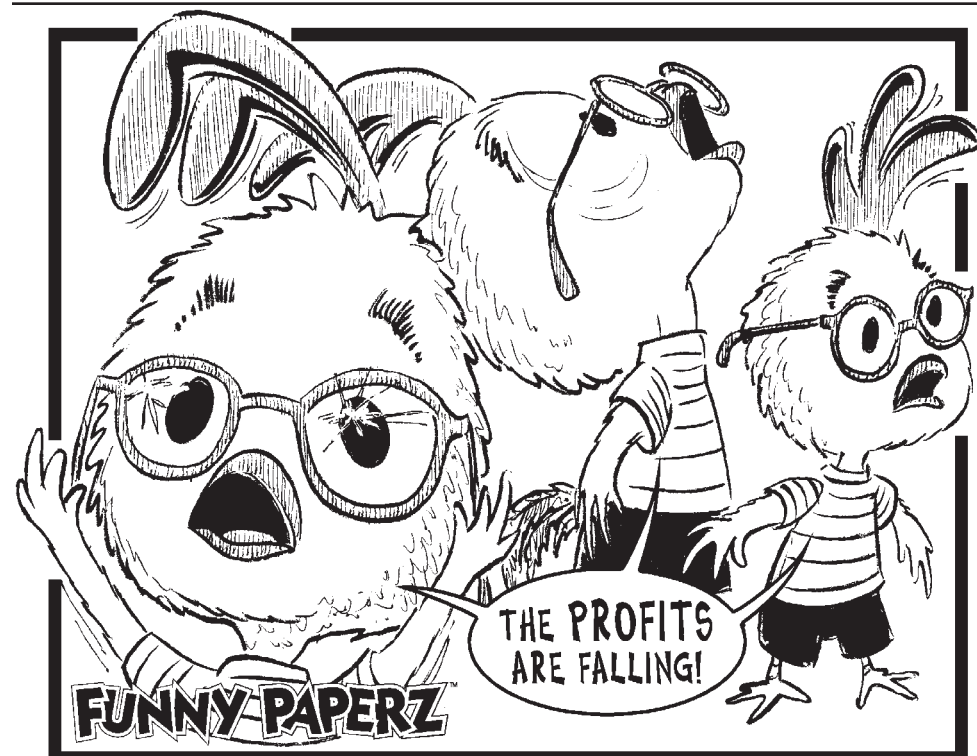
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OPINION



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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

The secret is out

Editor:

Regarding Thursday's demonstration on the Third Street Promenade (SMDP, Nov. 4, page 9) protesting Victoria's Secret use of paper from endangered forests for its catalogs, the company touts its "environmental achievements" because it uses recycled paper for its 24 million "clearance catalogs." Problem is, clearance catalogs represent about 10 percent of the total catalogs it sends out. In fact, they send out \$1 million catalogs a day — actually, 395 million catalogs a year. You do the math. Better yet — let Victoria.

Dawn O'Leary
Santa Monica

The truth about Republicans

Editor:

John Marciano had a letter to the editor printed (SMDP, Oct. 31, page 4) in which he claims that the Republicans (Bush's party) stood for the exact opposite of what Rosa Parks stood for. As this is typical rhetoric from the left, I must set the record straight with real facts, not just feelings. Prominent Democratic senator Robert Byrd (D-W. Va.), was a card-carrying member of the Ku Klux Klan. In fact, in 1948 he opposed fellow Democrat Harry Truman's bid to integrate the armed forces. During the Civil War and Reconstruction, the southern wing of the Democratic Party had advocated the expansion of slavery into new areas. Ironically, the newly founded Republican Party looked to stop such expansion. During the Civil Rights Movement of 1948, a good number of the southern Democratic delegates split from the Democratic Party because they did not support civil rights or anti-segregation (sic), they formed a new party called the "Dixecrats." I could go on here for quite a while. My point is to blow huge holes in the words of John Marciano's post, to show that he is a typical left-wing liberal who bases all of his theories and ideals on feelings, and not facts.

Billy Woody
Santa Monica

Rent control abuses shouldn't be left unchecked

Editor:

I enjoyed reading Ryan Hyatt's recent article, "Renter's rate is out of control" (SMDP, Nov. 3, page 1), about the residency dispute over a rent-controlled apartment unit ending unfavorably for a tenant whose primary residence is her home in Simi Valley. I also appreciated Ryan's past article in July, regarding the millionaire developer who was also abusing the rules of a rent control apartment.

I am encouraged to see the Santa Monica Rent Control Board making good judgments regarding the beneficiaries of this apartment assisted-living law. It is appalling to see the extent that a renter will go to keep one of these rental privileges when he or she is obviously breaking the intent of the rules. In the one particular situation, a wealthy developer had no shame in contending that he would no longer be allowed to pay just a quarter of the market rent rate for his penthouse apartment looking over the coast when it is not his primary residence, which is his home in Beverly Hills.

I add that it is incredibly difficult with our government's privacy act for a landlord to obtain proof for the rent control board that the apartment is not the tenant's usual place of return. This task must be done with a lawyer familiar with this ordinance.

I am presently filing this same regulation 3304 with a tenant in my building that uses his \$450 per month apartment as a motel because of his commute from his house to his job here with the city of Santa Monica. Some people really know how to work the system. Thank you for keeping us informed.

Patrick Davies
Santa Monica

SMC's new Bundy campus riles neighbors



MY WRITE

BY BILL BAUER

Nothing dramatizes the problems caused by new development such as the parking and traffic issues resulting from Santa Monica College's new Bundy campus.

In December of 2001, SMC bought property at 3171 S. Bundy (Centinela) Drive for a new satellite campus. About \$45 million was spent to purchase and renovate the old BAE Aerospace complex, including parking for 600 vehicles. The new campus would be "a means to help reduce traffic on the main campus and meet student parking needs," said former SMC president Dr. Piedad Robertson at the time.

Four years later, the Bundy campus is at the center of a territorial dispute between residents of the city of Santa Monica, city of Los Angeles and SMC officials just as the campus is opening.

Sunset Park neighbors in Santa Monica concerned about additional traffic demanded that vehicles be restricted from access to Airport Avenue on the back side of the campus. Mar Vista residents demanded locked gates on the Los Angeles side of campus leaving the S. Bundy driveway as the only way in and out.

In a sad demonstration of misplaced loyalty, the SMC Board of Trustees played up to Mar Vista neighbors by suggesting that student vehicles be prohibited from campus parking altogether. Instead, students would park in a nearby Santa Monica city parking lot north of Airport Avenue, which was being used for SMC's student shuttle service.

The situation became unwieldy when Santa Monica officials notified SMC to move its shuttle to Beach Parking Lot No. 5 off Barnard Way because the present lot would soon close for construction of the new Airport Park.

Want to bet that students driving through the city to and from the beach lots, and then busing back and forth to Bundy is not going to reduce traffic?

Things became even wackier when some Mar Vista residents with way too much time on their hands formed a "parking posse" and started inspecting cars parked on the Bundy campus for student permits. When they found student cars, they whined to college administrators.

A "no left turn" sign was posted at the

Bundy driveway so vehicles could only turn right during rush hour. That required cars to circle through Mar Vista residential neighborhoods in order to head north toward the freeway.

Finally, earlier this month, representatives from SMC, Santa Monica and Los Angeles met and negotiated a tentative agreement that opened the back Airport Avenue access to traffic on a "test" basis. Los Angeles City Councilman Bill Rosendahl, citing traffic safety issues, agreed to push for a "half-signal" on Bundy Drive to control the left turns onto the campus. Even though Santa Monica Mayor Pam O'Connor, who wasn't concerned about anyone's well-being, mumbled that safe driving was the students' own responsibility and "we" shouldn't have to deal with it.

The agreement is subject to approval from Santa Monica City Council, which will vote on it on Tuesday night.

This misadventure proves how mistakes compound. Santa Monica/Malibu voters approved college bonds in both 2001 and 2004, generating \$335 million for SMC expansion — even though it was obvious the projects financed by the bonds would increase traffic and parking problems.

Mar Vista activists who complained about everything from noise mitigation to landscaping and lighting fell far short of suggesting practical traffic mitigation as if, when the property was an aerospace facility, it didn't generate traffic. Lastly, Santa Monica's ploy of barricading Airport Avenue to campus traffic was petty, especially after many politicians and city staff supported the Bundy project to begin with.

Didn't some of the very same Renters Rights' activists who opposed student parking on campus actively promote the bonds that financed the project? And, wasn't Renters' Rights co-chair and paid college bond promoter, Denny Zane, hired again by SMC to "sell" the Bundy campus to neighbors in both Santa Monica and LA?

I've always opposed projects that increase traffic and parking problems, especially in our residential neighborhoods. And, the specter of three traffic lights within a few hundred yards of each other on S. Bundy Drive is more bad news.

Using innocent students as pawns in the game of political muscle flexing is nasty and mean spirited. Next time, better to shut the door before the herd gets out of the barn and stampedes down the street.

(Bill Bauer is a longtime Santa Monica resident and a freelance writer.)



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COMMENTARY



PC or not, the illegals are not true immigrants



COMMON SENTS

BY CAROLE ORLIN

I recently caught a segment of Bill O'Reilly (you know, the guy you love to hate) when he was interviewing that old photo-op hound, Geraldo Rivera.

O'Reilly was interviewing Geraldo about illegal immigration. Good old Geraldo played the race card and stated something to the effect that if these were white people crossing the borders, Americans would be OK with it. He seemed to ignore the fact that people are bothered by this unprecedented number of illegal immigrants and the impact it is having on our economy, schools, health care system, legal system, not to mention the serious risk of allowing terrorists and drugs into our country. Is this concern driven by the color of their skin? Geraldo asked why there are not Minutemen guarding the northern borders. Actually, the Northern Guard is guarding the northern borders. The truth is that there are millions of illegals crossing the southern border. Although any illegal crossing is cause for concern, the fact is, there are significantly fewer people crossing the northern border. It's a matter of numbers, not racism. People are so afraid of being called racist that they become hobbled with fear and don't speak out about issues that are so important to our country.

We are a country of immigrants, and we are proud of that fact. Has Geraldo forgotten the concept of legal immigration? If illegal immigration is condoned, what illegal act will be acceptable in the future? Are we supposed to ignore the fact that illegal immigrants now outnumber legal immigrants, according to a new report from the Pew Hispanic Center in Washington? Or, that in the past 12 months, the number of illegals apprehended near Tuscon alone numbered more than 435,589? That is the size of a decent-sized city. And that number only represents the ones who were apprehended in that one sector alone. According to a recent article in Business Week magazine (Oct. 10, 2005), the border patrol agents in the Tuscon sector, where temperatures can get to 130 degrees Fahrenheit, have aluminum canopies for shelter, with no air conditioning, only water cooled outdoor fans, no land line telephones, cell phones that do not always work, computers rigged to car batteries and not connected to headquarters data banks. This is just overwhelming information. What does it say

about the support these agents are getting? How can they possibly do their jobs, which are almost impossible under the best of circumstances?

Our ancestors were all immigrants, but they came to this country legally and proudly embraced their new home. Assimilation was a goal. People were proud to become Americans. My mother often told us kids how proud she was when she became an American citizen. She never stopped loving Canada, the country of her birth, but she was as red, white and blue as they come. Assimilation is now a bad word for many immigrants, as it means embracing the "evil empire," despite the fact that this country provides them with more than their country of origin. The wonderful thing about living in a democracy is the freedom to criticize, which heaven knows I do, but I also to try to be part of the solution. I am proud of my roots, but I am not rooted in the past. I see myself as an American, and not a guilt-ridden, self-hating American. I will continue to constructively criticize what to me seems wrong, temper it with an appreciation of what I have, and work for a solution. Give up the dream of a perfect utopian country. Human beings run the country, and human beings, by definition, are imperfect. So instead of just criticizing, do something constructive to make things better.

It's not politically correct to criticize illegal immigration, but the government's policy, or lack thereof, has led to frustration and anger amongst its citizens. State and local governments are left to deal with these situations as best they can, which frequently creates more confusion and frustration. When something is enforced by one entity or agency and the federal government refuses to do its part, chaos, confusion and anger are sure to follow. When you see the impact that the unprecedented amount of illegal immigration is having on our country, coupled with the fact that our own government refuses to do anything meaningful, it seems logical for people to try to deal with it themselves. I don't think that this is the right way to handle it, but it is an understandable result of a built-up of frustration stemming from the realization that government is not doing anything to enforce its alleged policy toward illegal immigration. It seems more risky to ignore its impact until it's too late to do anything about it. Why is the federal government so silent about this issue, and why is it leaving each state, county and individual to twist in the wind? It's a recipe for trouble.

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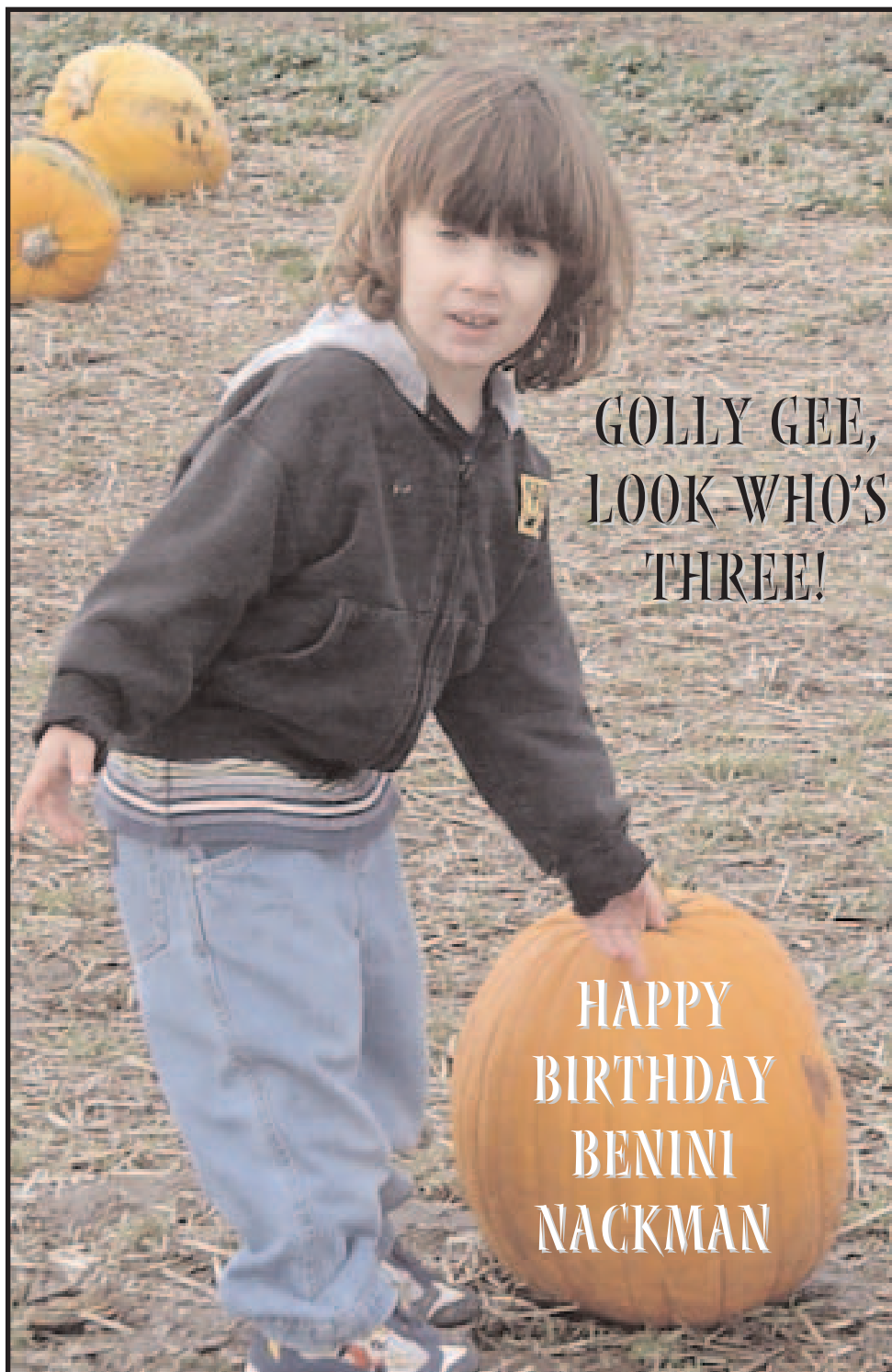
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A Forrest Gump look-alike sits in front of Bubba Gump Shrimp Co. on Saturday and shares his chocolates with passing people.

New vendor program to bring in more money

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councilmembers.

Ganon's allegation is one that City Councilman Kevin McKeown has indicated he would like explained in the staff report on Tuesday.

"The council was concerned enough to ask for an investigation about allegations of retaliation by the new master lessee against cart vendors who had met with the city individually," McKeown said. "Before the new operator takes over, and the existing operators are shut down, I want to make sure we have done our part to assure that everyone is being treated fairly."

"If the reported retaliation is proven, we may consider other options."

At the council's request, current vending cart operators on the Promenade have been allowed to extend their business until PRI takes over management duties on Nov. 13, according to Miriam Mack, City Hall's economic development manager.

In June, PRI was awarded a 10-year contract to replace Promenade Services Inc., the group that had managed the Promenade's mobile cart operations since 1989. City officials and the Bayside District Corp. — a nonprofit group of that helps manage downtown along with City Hall — felt it was time to explore new vendors who could present better concepts or approaches that would make it more profitable for the Promenade.

CITY HALL'S CUT

With the new contract, City Hall is expected to double its profits from Promenade cart sales.

City Hall stands to receive a minimum of \$187,200 in annual revenue with the vending cart program. However, Mack said \$224,640 is more likely expected.

Both figures are substantially more than the \$115,200 City Hall received annually from the former operator, Mack said.

In the past, cart operators were charged a total rent of between \$2,000 and \$2,300 per month, of which City Hall got \$600 monthly.

PRI negotiates the cart operators' rent based on their understanding of the prod-

uct and the profit margin that's to be expected, plus 15 percent of revenue generated above the "break point," city staff said.

That break point, Mack explained, is the minimum monthly rent a cart operator pays PRI that both parties agree on. A staff report said negotiated base rents averaged \$2,461 per month, slightly more than previously. In addition, PRI also collects 15 percent of any revenue operators generate above that base rent.

Likewise, City Hall's new contract calls for a minimum \$600 rent from each cart operator, or 30 percent of what PRI collects — whichever of the two is higher.

Mack said she expects City Hall to collect an average of \$720 per month from each cart, based on the financial expectations of revenue each cart should generate.

One of the requirements for the new program is that PRI retain a visual merchandiser to be responsible for the overall image of the cart displays. The one-time costs of the merchandiser is passed on to the cart operator, the staff report said.

Four levels of improvements are offered to new cart operators, ranging in cost from \$1,800 to \$6,000. Of the 13 contracts signed by Sept. 20, nearly half are paying the middle upgrade of \$3,750. Two are paying the full \$6,000, and only one is paying the base \$1,800.

The total start-up fees for a new cart operator varies between \$6,300 and \$12,900, depending on product and cart placement.

The agreement calls for PRI to provide 17 retail carts, five food carts, a cart for concierge services, and three carts for artists. PRI, which owns the carts, has the discretion to choose which operators it will use, according to Mack.

PRI has offered eight of 16 current cart operators a chance to sign on, two of whom have rejected the offer, city staff said. All of the slots have been filled, and the contracts last six months.

Ross Provenzano, who co-owns PRI along with his wife, Deborah S. Kravitz,

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'Know before you go' is a weekly update on construction projects throughout Santa Monica. Here are government agency projects for the week of Nov. 7:

Alley resurfacing

Alleys on the 1000 and 1100 block of Harvard Street will be resurfaced and closed from Nov. 14 to Nov. 23.

Santa Monica Airport Park

Crews will excavate, haul-off and dispose of impacted soils to construct a new park. The project is scheduled to begin on Nov. 2 and end on Dec. 2.

Fourth Street fiber optic communication

Fiber optic cable and conduit installation and splicing termination on Fourth Street, between California Avenue and Olympic Drive. Follow posted street closure signs.

Pier structural rehabilitation

From Nov. 7 to Dec. 16, vehicular access to the pier on Ocean Avenue will not be allowed and the deck parking lot will be closed.

Marine Street utility undergrounding

Relocation and undergrounding of electric, phone and cable facilities on Marine Street, between Lincoln Boulevard and Prospect Court. Parking limitations will be posted daily.

Civic Center parking structure

Construction will require the closure of Avenida Mazatlan and the Fourth Street sidewalk. One lane on southbound Fourth Street is subject to closure while work is occurring.

Electrical vault installation

Southern California Edison will be installing an underground vault in Santa Monica Boulevard at Seventh Court. There will be detours around work areas. Follow posted signs.

Gas company main replacement

Southern California Gas Company is replacing a 4-inch main on San Vicente Boulevard, between 17th and 16th streets; 17th Street, between San Vicente Boulevard and Georgina Avenue; Georgina Avenue, between 17th and 16th streets; and 16th Street, between San Vicente Boulevard and Georgina Avenue. There will be detours around work areas. Follow posted signs.

Main library

Vehicular traffic patterns and parking availability have been restored on Sixth and Seventh streets, between Santa Monica Boulevard and Arizona Avenue. However, temporary no parking will be permitted on the northwest side of Santa Monica Boulevard, between Sixth and Seventh Streets.

Memorial and Los Amigos parks

Park buildings will be inaccessible during construction. Memorial Park is located at Olympic Boulevard and 14th Street, and Los Amigos Park is located at Fifth Street and Hollister Avenue.

Street and park lighting project

Parking restrictions also will be in place immediately adjacent to the work areas. The work is currently scheduled to occur on 23rd Street from Santa Monica Boulevard to Arizona Avenue; California Avenue from Second to Seventh streets; Ocean Avenue from Montana Avenue to California Avenue; as well as Marine, Clover and Douglas parks.

(For more information, log on to http://santa.monica.org/engineering/projects/kbug_project_list.asp or call 310-458-8721.)

Operators won't be allowed to have more than one cart

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said he is a former cart operator with 39 years of experience in the business. Provenzano told the council he embraces a philosophy that supports small business owners and feels his program is set to achieve those expectations City Hall had when it signed up his company to bolster the consumer experience on Third Street. In the past, merchants complained because an operator could have multiple carts on the Promenade. Under the new system, operators will only be allowed to have one cart, so "everyone can have a piece of the pie," said Kravitz, who didn't attend the Oct. 11 meeting. Another accusation that concerned

councilmembers is that PRI might be preparing, based on its program's conditions, to "churn" vending cart operators to maximize profits at their expense. Mack said she disagrees with this suggestion, on the basis it didn't further PRI's long-term business interest. PRI insists the cart operators under its management will generate an average revenue of \$16,000 per month and will make up for the thousands of dollars buy-in to secure a contract. Mack said she agrees with PRI's assessment. "The expectation here is that the conditions that are being established are economically feasible," Mack said. "All parties want the cart operators to be successful."



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COMMUNITYPROFILES

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Club — from fundraising to planning programs and helping with retreats. He’s been on the board of directors since 1986 and served as chairman from 2000 to 2002.

Schwengel also has been active in Santa Monica schools and city government. He joined the Parents Teachers Association at Madison School in 1975 and served as president there for five years and for two at John Adams Middle School.

He joined the Recreation and Parks Commission 14 years ago and chaired for 12 of them. He ran for City Council twice in 1996 and 1998. He lost both times but came in close the first time.

He retired in 1992 but now works at the Interbusiness Bank as the executive vice president and chief administration officer. Schwengel also helps small businesses by consulting with them on finances. Schwengel has helped small businesses in Santa Monica, such as local pizzeria The Slice, by assisting them with their financing, he said.

Born in Missouri, Schwengel was raised in Davenport, Iowa, and graduated from the University of Iowa with a business degree in 1955. He went into the United States Marine Corps upon graduation and served in Okinawa, Japan, until 1957.

A job transfer with the drug company Rexal landed him in Santa Monica in 1962. His first wife, who moved with him to the West Coast, later died of cancer. He met his now 75-year-old wife, Gwen, at Rexal, where she worked in the cosmetic and toiletries department.

They married in 1969 and bought their house on Ocean Front Walk a year before that.

“We were the big house down here at one time, right. Now we live in Schwengel Canyon,” he chuckled, referring to the newer houses that tower over their home.

Jake, their 18-year-old parrot, a military macaw, is known to wave at passers-by on the bike path. And Itsy, their 3-year-

old Chihuahua, is Jake’s furry friend, who bounces around the house and front yard, with free reign on the furniture.

Schwengel and his wife have children from their previous marriages. Gwen’s 53-year-old daughter, Lyndee, lives in Hollywood, and Schwengel’s 43-year-old son, Robert, lives in Rhode Island.

The 35-year-old twin boys have long since moved out. Kurt Schwengel lives locally and teaches kindergarten at Franklin Elementary School, and Kris Schwengel teaches fourth grade at Punahou School in Honolulu.

Schwengel may have started at the Boys & Girls Club by coaching his boys’ basketball team, but his dozens of years of volunteering weren’t for them or even for himself.

“We (Gwen and myself) did it to make the whole picture better,” Schwengel said. “Making things better for youths.”

The Daily Press recently sat down with Schwengel to talk about his award, giving back and life by the beach.

How does it feel to be honored with the award?

“I’m really thrilled about it, I’ll tell you. It’s really unexpected. To be in the kind of company of Bob Sullivan, Wayne Harding, who were previous recipients of it and long-time influential residents in the city of Santa Monica. To be included in that class of people is really a thrill, yeah.”

What is your most memorable experience with the Boys & Girls Club?

“Well, I remember participating in a retreat here in the last few years. The staff always goes out of town for a weekend retreat, and I’ve gone for the last five or six years. And, at one of the retreats, we went around the table and each of the staff members — there were part-timers and full-timers — talked about what kid that they helped or what kid showed the most growth when they were talking about it. And they started talking about these kids and about the second one in, they started getting teary eyed and we went around listened to the staff talk about what the kids had done, the things they had changed, a kid who came in and had no friends, didn’t

talk to anybody and now he talks and now he’s a leader and now he’s healthy. We went around the table and there were about 30 of them there and it was just really, really impressive because they just knew they had helped somebody and they stopped to think about it.

“Another experience is going to Washington, D.C., at the congressional breakfast when they announce the youth of the year ... What some of the kids have been through to become what they are and several of them are just unbelievable — boys and girls. This one young man from New York was from a single parent. His dad was an alcoholic and a druggie, and his mom was trying to support him but couldn’t. She sent them to an uncle’s place in Puerto Rico. I think it was when he was about 5 years old. He and his sister — the uncle didn’t like him, the family didn’t like him. And they had to live outside the house in Puerto Rico for two or three years until the mother was able to get them back to New York. And coming back to New York, of course, they had no friends. And he went to the Boys & Girls Club, found a friend, found somebody who cared, got back in school, graduated from high school with honors and was going to college and going to be a teacher. Story after story like that — boys and girls, you know, from all over the country — how they’ve been helped.”

What makes the Boys & Girls Club different from other service organizations?

“It’s the atmosphere that’s created and that everybody’s enjoying what they’re doing. The staff enjoy what they do, the children enjoy what they’re doing. I can go there tonight, get three or four hugs and give three or four hugs. Also, a big part of the Boys & Girls Club is helping the kids become more confident in themselves. There are several of them who just through encouragement get through school. One kid just recently now has gone off to college. He came here when he didn’t have his high school degree. We encouraged him to get his high school degree and encouraged him to go on and enroll in classes at SMC. Three or four years later, he’s worked himself so that he

has gotten into a university. We’re helping him get ideas about scholarships and etcetera. To see the kind of growth he did. He wasn’t the only one. There are quite a few who are just like that. Some that are still there.”

Why have you focused your volunteer work on children?

“That was the greatest need I could see. At Madison School, which in those days, when the boys went there, was considered a very poor school. There were latch-key kids that were very prevalent, and they needed help in programs. And there’s nothing more rewarding than seeing them grow and develop. Providing a place for them to get all the opportunities.”

What do you like about Santa Monica?

“I like the weather, the ocean situation, where it is. The Boys & Girls Club has given me the opportunity to see how generous people are and how concerned about the community they are. I like a lot of things that we’ve done for recreation and parks. I think we made a big advancement for the city. And I’ve been lucky, my association with the city through recreation and parks; I’ve been able to know and work with two brilliant women — one is the retiring City Manager Susan McCarthy, a really brilliant lady — and then Barbara Stinchfield, the current head of the cultural human services division in Santa Monica.”

Is there anything you don’t like about Santa Monica?

“I don’t like the roughness of the politics. Too much hate. That’s really all. That’s about it. It’s a nice place. I couldn’t have found a better place to raise a family ... It’s a great place to raise a family and participate in things.”

What’s your favorite place in Santa Monica?

“Right here by the beach, I sure do. Every night when I close the gate by the back door, it’s like going on vacation. I walk every day on the beach. You know, on the sand. It’s tremendous exercise. I use the bike path as often as I can.”

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Millions have been spent to sway voters

SPECIAL ELECTION, from page 1

At the heart of the special election have been multimillion-dollar campaigns by groups trying to promote or discourage the measures.

Locally, westside Democrats have opened a Santa Monica headquarters at 1508 18th St., from which they have been fighting the special election and the ballot measures the governor supports, two of which they believe will undermine public education in California.

Democrats say they are outspent by Republicans, and therefore activism has had to make up for their smaller war chest. As a result, Marc Saltzberg, president of the West LA Democratic Club, said local Democratic voter turnout will be crucial to the special election. In the last three days leading up to the special election, westside Democrats have been stepping up efforts with a "get out and vote" drive, they said. Saltzberg and other organizers have been increasing the number of ballot-initiative information events they have hosted, as well as conducting more phone-banking, voter registration efforts and canvassing of area precincts.

Westside Democrats are encouraging the public to vote "no" on Propositions 73 through 78, and "yes" on Propositions 79 and 80, Saltzberg said.

PROP. 73

This ballot measure, if approved, would amend the California Constitution in a way that would require parents and legal guardians to be notified by physicians within 48 hours of surgery that their minor-aged daughter is to have an abortion.

It defines abortion as the "death of the unborn child, a child conceived but not yet born" and mandates various reporting requirements. There would be potential state costs of several million dollars annually for health and social service programs to put the measure into practice, according to legislative analysis.

Those who support the measure argue that when parents are involved in their daughters' unwanted pregnancies, it reduces their daughters' secret access to free abortions and deters the reckless behavior that leads to unwanted pregnancies. Also, older men and Internet predators would be deterred from impregnating minors when secret abortions would not be available to conceal their crimes, supporters say.

Opponents of the measure argue the government can't require parents to talk to the children. They say most teens do talk to their parents, but some just can't do so safely. They say giving teens the opportunity to approach their parents, or choose not to do so, does more to protect their interests than mandated parental notification would.

PROP. 74

Three of the eight ballot measures — Propositions 74, 76 and 77 — were initiated by Gov. Arnold Schwarzenegger and his supporters. Two of them, including Proposition 74, have to do with public education.

Proposition 74, which Schwarzenegger has dubbed the "Put Kids First Act," is a measure that its supporters say is intended to improve teacher accountability in the classroom by putting them on probation for five years before they can obtain a permanent position.

According to the state's legislative

analysis, California is one of nine states that have a two-year probationary period. Thirty-three states have a three-year probationary period, while only two states — Indiana and Missouri — have a five-year probationary period.

California's teachers are paid an average of \$58,287 per year, while the national average is \$46,726, Ng said. At the same time, California's cost of living is only 6 percent higher than the national average, yet the state's teachers earn 23 percent more than the national average.

Proposition 74 would improve California's education system by allowing schools to better manage some teachers, Ng said.

Saltzberg said the ballot measure, if approved, would detract the best educators from working in California, since it's not realistic to expect top talent to endure a five-year probationary period when they could go somewhere else.

Second, he said people who are working during a probationary period tend to not speak up. Having a five-year probationary period may serve as means for administrators to have more control over their teachers.

PROP. 75

Firefighters, teachers and other public workers are among those who oppose Proposition 75, claiming that if it is approved during the Nov. 8 special election, their ability to take political action will be significantly diminished. Meanwhile, Gov. Schwarzenegger's campaign office, which supports the measure, said Prop. 75 will empower public workers by forcing unions representing them to request permission to use their funds for political action.

According to the state's legislative analysis, a "yes" vote on Proposition 75 means public employee unions would be required to receive annual, written consent from government employee union members and nonmembers to charge and use any dues or fees for political purposes. On the flip side, a "no" vote means public employee unions could charge and use dues or fees for political purposes without consent.

Ng said that Gov. Schwarzenegger supports Proposition 75 because he believes public employees should have the right to choose when money is taken out of their paychecks for political campaigns.

Ng said the governor also supports, in concept, similar restrictions on corporations that would require them to also receive pre-approval before using shareholder money for political campaigns. However, Ng acknowledged such a component hasn't been incorporated into the current initiative.

Harry Keiley, president of the Santa Monica-Malibu Classroom Teacher's Association (SMMCTA), said supporters like to call Prop. 75 "paycheck protection," but in actuality it's a deceptive measure to silence the voice of firefighters, nurses, teachers and police officers.

He also said it's not necessary because current laws protect the rights of public workers. In California, a public employee cannot be forced to join a union and can opt out of having their dues contribute to political activities, Keiley said.

Keiley said another aspect of Proposition 75 voters need to take into account is that American corporations outspend unions by a margin of 24 to 1 on political action. Therefore, if Proposition 75 passes, it would obligate state unions to take further steps to use the financial support they

receive to promote labor interests.

PROP. 76

Proposition 76, which Schwarzenegger has dubbed the "Live Within Our Means Act," is intended to improve the manner in which the state manages its financial affairs by preparing a "rainy day fund" for future economic downturns. It also would allow Schwarzenegger to make mid-year cuts to some groups that receive funding.

"For too long, California has spent more than it has brought in," Ng said. "Proposition 76 would require that California live within its means."

Since 2000, according to Ng, state revenues have increased by \$12.5 billion while expenditures have increased by \$23.5 billion. Proposition 76 is intended to stabilize revenue over a period of years. It would also eliminate one of the major ways to reduce education funding, Ng said.

Westside Democrats don't see Proposition 76 in such a favorable light. Saltzberg said the ballot measure is "draconian," taking money away from schools that was guaranteed in previous legislation. It will also give the governor unprecedented control over the state budget process, Saltzberg said.

PROP. 77

If approved, this measure would amend the process for redistricting California's Senate, Assembly, congressional and Board of Equalization districts.

It would require that a panel of three retired judges, selected by legislative leaders, adopt a new redistricting plan if the measure passes, as well as after each national census.

The redistricting plan would then be effective once adopted by the panel and filed by the Secretary of State.

There would be a one-time cost of \$1.5 million for the state and \$1 million total for the counties to put the measure into action.

Proponents say the measure would guarantee fair election districts for California, give voters the final say in the process and help rid the influence of special money in politics.

Opponents say the measure was put onto the ballot by the "special interest money" it attempts to control and is actually a loop-hole-ridden scheme. Proponents say that the measure would in fact take away current voter rights to reject a redistricting plan before it goes into effect.

PROP. 78 AND 79

Both of these ballot measures have to do with prescription drugs.

Proposition 78 would authorize the California Department of Health Services to contract with participating pharmacies to sell prescription drugs at reduced prices agreed upon in advance and negotiate rebate agreements with participating drug

manufacturers.

The cost to put the measure into practice is estimated to be in the lower tens of millions of dollars, according to the legislative analysis.

Proponents of Proposition 78 say it will offer Californians the ability to participate in the best prescription drug discount program in the country. They say it's an improved version of a program already in place in Ohio, delivering discounts on an average of 31 percent, or saving customers an average of \$15.31 on every prescription.

Opponents say Proposition 78 is being supported by pharmaceutical companies because it would provide smaller discounts to fewer people and doesn't allow the state to enforce the discounts. They say this approach already failed in California.

Opponents to Proposition 78 say Proposition 79 is the better option. This measure would provide prescription drug discounts to Californians who qualify based on income-related standards to be funded through rebates from participating drug manufacturers negotiated by the California Department of Health Services.

Like Proposition 78, Proposition 79 would also cost in the lower tens of millions of dollars to put into effect.

Proposition 79 is supported by consumer, health and senior organizations because it's enforced by the government, unlike Proposition 78.

Opponents of Proposition 79 say the measure is so poorly written it will result in years of legal challenges. They say pharmaceutical companies, health professionals and patient advocates are against it because it would let trial lawyers file thousands of lawsuits claiming that prices are too high or profits too unreasonable, because the measure fails to define what a fair price or profit is.

PROP. 80

This measure would subject electric service providers to control and regulation by the California Public Utilities Commission.

It would impose restrictions on electricity customers' ability to switch from private utilities to other electric providers.

It would also require that 20 percent of electric retail sales be procured from renewable energy by 2010 instead of 2017.

The regulation would cost \$4 million per year.

Proponents of the measure say it's a direct response to the deregulation that caused the California energy crisis five years ago. It would aim to make sure no further deregulation can occur and see to it there is long-term investment in cleaner electricity supplies.

Opponents say the measure would steer California on the wrong course in terms of its energy policy. They say it's poorly written and will be bad for consumers, while not ensuring the highest environmental standards.



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STATE

Drug money campaign spending sparks friction among black leaders

BY STEVE LAWRENCE

Associated Press Writer

SACRAMENTO — A \$1.4 million effort by the pharmaceutical industry to line up support for its prescription drug initiative has led to a rift among black leaders and prompted a congresswoman to accuse the state NAACP president of dishonoring the venerable civil rights group.

The effort is part of the \$76.5 million spent by drug manufacturers to pass Proposition 78 and defeat rival Proposition 79 on Tuesday. Most of the \$1.4 million expenditure went to political consulting firms run by two prominent black leaders, former Assembly speaker and San Francisco mayor Willie Brown and Alice Huffman, the head of the NAACP in California.

The companies' campaign committee also has paid \$130,000 to a political committee that Assemblyman Mervyn Dymally, D-Compton, helped organize and \$50,000 to a company headed by former Assemblywoman Gwen Moore, D-Los Angeles.

Smaller amounts have been paid to the NAACP and several other black organizations for campaign work on behalf of Proposition 78 and against 79.

Proposition 78 is an industry-sponsored initiative that would set up a program to provide discounted medications to uninsured Californians making up to three times the federal poverty level, about 5 million people. Participation by drug companies would be voluntary.

Proposition 79 is backed by labor and consumer groups and would cover twice as many people. It would provide discounted drugs to uninsured Californians making up to four times the poverty level. Drug companies that refused to offer the discounts could have their medications knocked off a list of prescriptions used in the state's Medi-Cal health care program for the state's poorest residents.

The state NAACP and about 15 local chapters of the organization have endorsed Proposition 78 and opposed Proposition 79. Huffman and a spokeswoman for the Yes on 78 campaign said the payments from the pharmaceutical companies did not buy endorsements.

"This is about educating voters and doing voter outreach on important initiatives that would impact these important communities," said the spokeswoman, Denise Davis.

But some black leaders have denounced the NAACP endorsements and Huffman's role in the Proposition 78 campaign.

Rep. Maxine Waters, D-Los Angeles, said Moore and Huffman had "dishonored the NAACP."

Moore put out a mailer encouraging

black women to support Proposition 78 and oppose Proposition 79. It included pictures of black members of Congress and the Legislature, implying incorrectly that they all supported Proposition 78, critics said.

Waters said she talked to Moore and said the former assemblywoman "tried to get me to believe that she was simply educating the people about women legislators and about women's organizations."

"I told her she didn't even believe that herself," Waters added.

Assemblyman Mark Ridley-Thomas, D-Los Angeles, said Friday that the NAACP endorsements of Proposition 78 were "starkly inconsistent" with the group's long record as an advocate for minorities and the poor.

"The money trail is rather disturbing here," he said. "As a member of the NAACP, I just don't think (the pharmaceutical industry) should be permitted to exploit the organization's history and its influence."

Anthony Wright, co-chairman of the Yes on 79 campaign, said the drug companies' spending through black organizations was part of an effort "to find groups with friendlier faces to carry their message."

"We know that once voters find out that the drug companies are behind Prop. 78 they reject it and are more likely to join consumer groups in supporting Prop. 79," he said.

Huffman said Brown called her and asked her to consider supporting Proposition 78 and opposing 79.

She said her decision was based on the merits of the two measures and not on her business dealings with the Yes on 78 campaign committee, formally called the Pharmaceutical Research and Manufacturers of America California Initiative Fund.

Huffman said she cleared her role in the campaign with her NAACP committee.

"I cannot take a job anymore in California that would hurt our people," she said. "So I definitely had to take a critical look at whether or not I was doing the right thing for our community."

Huffman said she feared Proposition 79 could deny Medi-Cal patients access to certain brands of medications and that voluntary discount programs had worked well in other states.

She said she sent a mailer to NAACP members urging support for Proposition 78 and opposition to Proposition 79 but had one of her aides contact local chapters about the two measures so it wouldn't look as if she was "twisting anyone's arm."

"It was more of a soft sell than a hard sell," she said.

She said black leaders critical of her position on the two propositions "want the NAACP to be the enemy of corporate America."



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Role of local law enforcement debated at immigration meeting

BY BETH DEFALCO
Associated Press Writer

SCOTTSDALE, Ariz. — For the third time in the past four months, a high-level elected official in Arizona has held a conference about illegal immigration and border security, underscoring the growing attention the issue is getting locally and nationally.

The Southwest Conference on Illegal Immigration, Border Security and Crime kicked off in this Phoenix suburb Thursday and runs through Saturday. It is being hosted by Maricopa County Attorney Andrew Thomas.

In a speech to hundreds of police, lawmakers, human rights activists and Minutemen civilian border watchers at the conference, Thomas said using local law enforcement to weed out illegal immigrants makes sense because the two are already intertwined.

“The connection between illegal immigration and crime is undeniable,” Thomas said.

With 3.5 million residents, Maricopa County — which encompasses the Phoenix metro area — is the fourth most populous county in the nation but has the highest crime rate, Thomas said.

Arizona has also become one of the nation’s busiest crossing points for illegal immigrants in recent years. The number of people crossing — and the problems often associated with illegal immigration — has resulted in a growing backlash among Arizona voters and some politicians.

Even though Thomas only represents one county, he campaigned last year promising to “stop illegal immigration.” He has asked Arizona’s governor and attorney general to make the state police enforce a new law that

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created the state crime of migrant smuggling.

In September, Thomas potentially expanded the law in Maricopa County by issuing a legal opinion saying illegal immigrants suspected of using smugglers to bring them into the country can be arrested and charged under the migrant smuggling law.

But prosecutors in Arizona border counties say they’ve had trouble bringing cases under the law because it’s hard to hold on to the illegal immigrants who are the witnesses to the crime.

Eleanor Eisenberg, the former director of the Arizona American Civil Liberties Union, argued against using local police to enforce immigration laws. She said for police, it could ruin their critical relationship with immigrant communities. She said law enforcement “have their priorities straight dealing with people accused of criminal activity.”

In Cochise County — one of four in Arizona that border Mexico — Sheriff Larry Dever said it’s not a matter of whether local authorities should be involved in enforcing immigration laws. They already are, he said.

“We’re engaged in it whether we want to be or not,” Dever said. “We need to decide what level to be involved and seek adequate funding.”



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Ski grooming for boomers expanding rapidly

BY ROBERT WELLER

Associated Press Writer

DENVER — The ski slopes that baby boomers used to shred when they were young and reckless are being toned down in a bid to keep them coming back for more.

“Every destination resort that attracts baby boomers is either expanding grooming or contemplating doing it,” said Bill Jensen, chief operating officer at Vail, which plans to flatten and tame a record 1,600 acres this season.

Demographics suggest the bottom line is behind the move: The percentage of skiers who are 45 or older climbed from 21 percent in 1997-98 to 31 percent last season, according to a survey done for the National Ski Areas Association.

America’s seniors are so much fitter than their predecessors — retirement is more like a permanent vacation — that some resorts no longer offer free skiing to those over 70. But older skiers generally have slower reflexes, less strength and aching joints, and resorts are trying to respond.

Craig Tuber, 60, a Chicago resident who owns a second home near the Beaver Creek resort west of Vail, still occasionally skis bumps and even heliskis. But, he added, “when the grooming is great you get drawn to it so you can make those nice turns and enjoy yourself in a different way.”

“For people who are a little older it is easier on your body,” he said. “Once you turn 60, you say to yourself, ‘How long can I do this?’ Now you have a much more unlimited time horizon.”

Every major resort prides itself on a variety of ski runs — beginner, intermediate and expert, with some also offering “extreme” terrain that is both steep and potentially full of unmarked hazards like tree stumps and rocks.

In the past, grooming usually applied largely to beginning and intermediate runs, with snow machines pulling wide metal “drags” that knocked down bumps and smoothed out irregularities in the slope. What’s left is often called corduroy because of the distinctive grooves left in the snow.

But some resorts now routinely groom half an expert slope, offering the serious stuff on one side and an easy way down on the other. And the easy way down isn’t for the kids.

“We are very aware of the importance of keeping this age group skiing,” said Christine Horvath, spokeswoman for Squaw Valley in California. “We have been extremely focused on the quality and quantity of our grooming, especially during the past two seasons.”

Mammoth Mountain, also in California, has found that after years of bumpy moguls and powder skiing, baby boomers love the corduroy because they can enjoy steeper slopes without putting as much stress on their bodies, said Pam Murphy, senior vice president of the resort.

At Vail, nine of its 29 snow machines are being replaced as part of the effort to boost grooming, Jensen said. It’s not a small step, since each machine can cost as much as \$235,000.

Beyond the slopes themselves, the evolution of the shaped ski is a big factor in keeping boomers skiing, Jensen said.

“Initiating a turn has never been easier — but the reality is that any ski, straight or shaped, performs best on straight and groomed surfaces,” he said.

Fitness experts say boomers need to be careful, even on groomed slopes.

“Many of the severe knee injuries occur on very forgiving, flat terrain that is well-groomed,” said Dr. Robert H. Johnson, a professor of musculoskeletal research at the University of Vermont and a specialist in skiing injuries. He also said older women are more likely than younger skiers to suffer leg injuries.

Ski areas haven’t totally forsaken the boomer who wants to shred. Aspen Mountain, for example, offers a “Bumps for Boomers” program designed to take skiers comfortable on groomed slopes to more difficult terrain using “techniques that both reduce fatigue and stress to aging joints.”

How will skiers see the difference in grooming this season?

Krista Parry of Park City, Utah, says the resort grooms 15 expert runs on a rotating basis to open up more of the mountain to less experienced skiers. Sun Valley, Idaho, has replaced its grooming fleet with 10 new machines to primp its “ego snow.”

Grooming isn’t strictly an overnight affair during the season. Whistler-Blackcomb in British Columbia hired 10 extra summer trail crew members to harvest the alders, willows and high brush that grow on ski runs — a safety hazard and a hassle for groomers, spokeswoman Michelle Leroux said.

At Wyoming’s Jackson Hole resort, a new lift, the Sweetwater, will take skiers from beginner slopes to intermediate runs for those who like groomed terrain. The resort will also close its 39-year-old aerial tram after this season, which means a new tram or chairlifts will have to be used to get to some of Jackson’s expert terrain.

Deer Valley, Utah, is perennially ranked as No. 1 in grooming.

New features for upcoming season at ski resorts throughout the West

By The Associated Press

■ **California:** Alpine Meadows has added a high-speed quad lift in its Sherwood Bowl area. Kirkwood has added a high-speed quad, the TC Express, that will serve a beginner area and provide a quick return route from the popular advanced terrain of the Palisades.

■ **Colorado:** Snowmass has replaced the Fanny Hill lift with a six-passenger high-speed lift that will deposit skiers at Sam’s Knob, eliminating one lift ride. Aspen Highlands’ new Deep Temerity lift will offer access to some of the steepest terrain in the state. At Breckenridge, a new high-speed quad lift will reach the top of Peak 8, at 12,840 feet the highest lift-served terrain in North America. Mary Jane (Winter Park) is replacing the four-seat Summit Express with a six-seater.

■ **Idaho:** Tamarack, in its second year of operation, is adding a third high-speed quad, 10 new alpine trails and 1,700 additional vertical feet. Sun Valley has replaced its grooming fleet with 10 new machines.

■ **Montana:** Big Sky and its two-year-old neighbor, Moonlight Basin, will offer a joint pass and lift ticket. Combined, the two trail networks cover 5,300 acres served by 23 lifts and a vertical drop of 4,350 feet.

■ **New Mexico:** A new triple chair at Ski Santa Fe will take snowriders to the top of Deception Peak, 12,075 feet, and will serve six new trails.

■ **Utah:** Deer Valley’s Sultan chairlift has been replaced with a high-speed detachable quad that adds 1,000 feet of vertical.

■ **Wyoming:** At Jackson Hole, a new lift, the Sweetwater, will take skiers from beginner slopes to intermediate runs for those who like groomed terrain. The resort will also close its 39-year-old aerial tram after this season, which means a new tram or chairlifts will have to be used to get to some of Jackson’s most storied expert terrain.

“We get people who say we groom too much — typically they are a younger person. Some of our guests only get seven days to go skiing and they don’t want to get their ass kicked,” said Chuck English, mountain operations manager.



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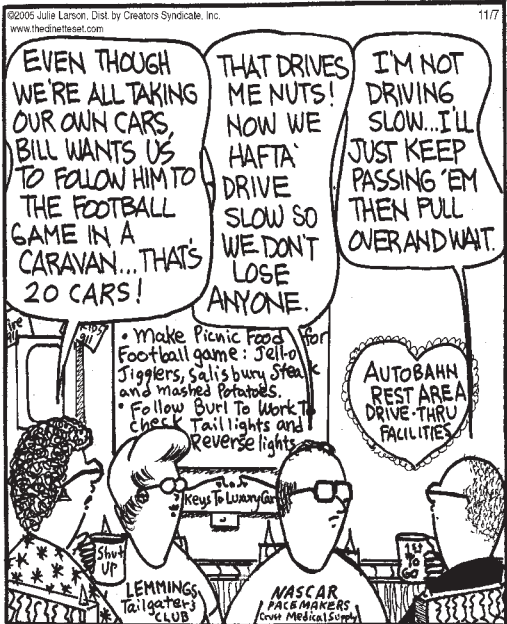
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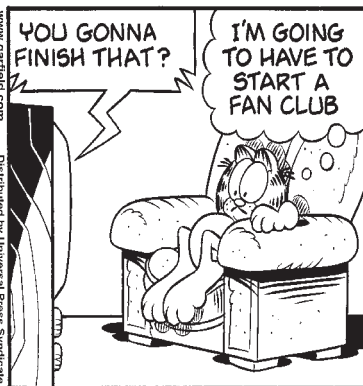
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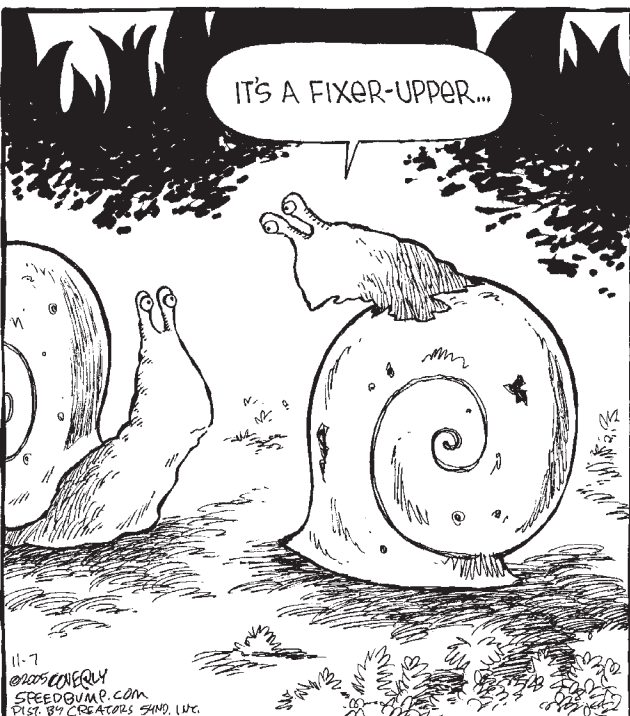
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Case No. BP094900
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A PETITION FOR PROBATE has been filed by Joseph Spektor in the Superior Court of California, County of LOS ANGELES.
THE PETITION FOR PROBATE requests that Joseph Spektor be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent.
THE PETITION requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the personal representative to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority.
HEARING on the petition will be held on November 30, 2005 at 9:15 AM in Dept. No. 5 located at 111 N. Hill St., Los Angeles, CA 90012.
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A PETITION FOR PROBATE has been filed by Joseph Spektor in the Superior Court of California, County of LOS ANGELES.
THE PETITION FOR PROBATE requests that Joseph Spektor be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent.
THE PETITION requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the personal representative to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority.
A HEARING on the petition will be held on November 30, 2005 at 9:15 AM in Dept. No. 5 located at 111 N. Hill St., Los Angeles, CA 90012.
IF YOU OBJECT to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney.
IF YOU ARE A CREDITOR or a contingent creditor of the deceased, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within four months from the date of first issuance of letters as provided in Probate Code section 9100. The time for filing claims will not expire before four months from the hearing date noticed above.
YOU MAY EXAMINE the file kept by the court. If you are a person interested in the estate, you may file with the court a Request for Special Notice (form DE-154) of the filing of an inventory and ap-praisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk.
Attorney for petitioner:
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 05 2394320 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as A1 Plumbing, 2525 7th St., #A, Santa Monica, CA 90405. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Steven R. Lewis, 2525 7th St., #A, Santa Monica, CA 90405 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)7/11/2005. /s/: Steven R. Lewis
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 10/14/2005. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 05 2482064 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Merrinew's Sunset Garden, 1526 Ocean Park Blvd., Santa Monica, CA 90405. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Richard Craig Lahey, 1138 16th St., #6, Santa Monica, CA 90403 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)10/14/2005. /s/: Richard Lahey
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 05 2404882 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Hose Express, LA Tubes and Hoses, Al #/ON 2115727, 4507 W. Rosecrans Ave., Hawthorne, CA 90250. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Bay Cities Radiator Inc., 4507 W. Rosecrans Ave., Hawthorne, CA 90250 This Business is being conducted by, a corporation. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: Bay Cities Radiator Inc, President, Donald Shimasaki
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 05 2393366 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as 1st Time Bailing, 5534 Bradna Dr., LA / PO Box 78176, LA, CA 90016. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : William E. Harris, 5534 Bradna Dr., LA / PO Box 78176, LA, CA 90016 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)4/1/2001. /s/: William Harris
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 05 2393334 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as America Travel, 6118 Atlantic Blvd., Maywood, CA 90270. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Juan M. Diaz, 6430 Aliston St., Los Angeles, CA 90022 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)10/3/2005. /s/: Juan M. Diaz
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 10/4/2005. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 10/17/2005, 10/24/2005, 10/31/2005, 11/7/2005
FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 05 2371152 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Anna's Custom Curtains, USA Custom Curtains & EXT, 7138 Greeley St., Apt. #16, Tujunga, CA 91042. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Anna Moulguinova, 7138 Greeley St., Apt. #16, Tujunga, CA 91042 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: Anna Moulguinova
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 05 2394320 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Black Jupiter Productions, Black Jupiter, 4939 Palo Verde Ave., Lakewood, CA 90713. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Derald D. Davis, 4939 Palo Verde Ave., Lakewood, CA 90713 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: Derald D. Davis
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 05 2416356 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Blockwize Entertainment, 1814 Mansfield Ave., Los Angeles, CA 90019. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Ronald Moore, 1814 Mansfield Ave., Los Angeles, CA 90019 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: Ronald Moore This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 10/06/05. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 10/17/2005, 10/24/2005, 10/31/2005, 11/7/2005

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 05 2370801 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as CDR Construction Management, 93 Surfside Ave., Surfside, CA 90743. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Benjamin Davis Grote, 93 Surfside Ave., Surfside, CA 90743 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)9/30/2005. /s/: Benjamin D. Grote This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 9/30/2005. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 10/17/2005, 10/24/2005, 10/31/2005, 11/7/2005

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 05 2393397 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Cobel Auto Body, Al #/ON 1162684, 18225 Parthenia Blvd., #A, Northridge, CA 91324. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Tanhous'n Co Inc, 18658 Klum Pl., Rowland Heights, CA 91748 This Business is being conducted by, a corporation. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)10/4/2005. /s/: Tanhous'n Co Inc, CEO, Jimmy Tan This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 10/4/2005. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 10/17/2005, 10/24/2005, 10/31/2005, 11/7/2005

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 05 2394398 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Devin Body and Fender, 11510 S. Alameda St., Unit 6 1/2, Linwood, CA 90262. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Ernesto Santana, 5202 1/2 Latham St., Los Angeles, CA 90011 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: Ernesto Santana

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 05 2416371 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Glenoak Apt, 17110 Glenoak Blvd., Pacoima, CA 91340. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Jose Trinidad Onate, 5617 Lemon Grove Ave., Los Angeles, CA 90038, Raul Onate, 5617 Lemon Grove Ave., Los Angeles, CA 90038 This Business is being conducted by, co-partners. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)11/18/2004. /s/: Jose Trinidad Onate, Raul Onate

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 05 2413924 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as GM Lupita's Mini Market, 740 E. Martin Luther King Jr., LA, CA 90037. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Maritza Guevara Diego, 9807 S. Wilmington Ave., Los Angeles, CA 90002, Eflido Gustavo Lopez Vasquez, 9807 S. Wilmington Ave., Los Angeles, CA 90002 This Business is being conducted by, husband and wife. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: Eflido Gustavo Lopez Vasquez, Maritza Guevara Diego This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 10/06/05. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 05 2416330 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Hoop School, 5025 East Pacific Coast Highway, #230, Long Beach, CA 90804. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Willette Nicole Anderson, 5025 East Pacific Coast Highway, #230, Long Beach, CA 90804 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)10/6/2005. /s/: Willette Nicole Anderson

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 05 2403630 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as JC Body Shop, 2135 W. 16 St., Long Beach, CA 90813. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Juan Francisco Cabrera, 2135 W. 16 St., Long Beach, CA 90813 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)2/1/2003. /s/: Juan Francisco Cabrera

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 05 2416336 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Just Us Network, California State Bar Association, Three Star Assistance, 528 S. Wall St., Suite #302, Los Angeles, CA 90013. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Elijah Malachi X Mothershead, 528 S. Wall St., Suite #302, Los Angeles, CA 90013 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)10/6/2005. /s/: Elijah Malachi X Mothershead This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 10/6/2005. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 10/17/2005, 10/24/2005, 10/31/2005, 11/7/2005

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 05 2420471 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Kobe Perfume, 521 S. Los Angeles Street, Los Angeles, CA 90015. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : U.S. Perfume, 303 N. Swall Drive, #105, Beverly Hills, CA 90211 This Business is being conducted by, a corporation. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: U.S. Perfume, CEO, Samuel Kohan

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 05 2393358 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as L&L Investments Co., 12203 Corley Dr., Whittier, CA 90604. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Walter Cabrera, 12203 Corley Dr., Whittier, CA 90604, Luigi Perrotta, 54 62nd Place, Long Beach, CA 90803 This Business is being conducted by, co-partners. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: Walter Cabrera, Luigi Perrotta

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 05 2357614 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as M.I.A. Records Inc., Al #/ON 2894698, 1626 N. Wilcox Ave., Apt. 417, LA, CA 90028. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : M.I.A. Records Inc., 3305 W. Spring Mountain Dr., Suite 60-24, Las Vegas, NV 89102 This Business is being conducted by, a corporation. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)12/17/1998. /s/:

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M.I.A. Records Inc., President, Jesse Turner This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 09/29/05. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 10/17/2005, 10/24/2005, 10/31/2005, 11/7/2005

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 05 2390747 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Martin Auto Electric, 8310 S. Broadway, LA, CA 90003. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Martin Carbajal Perez, 6573 4th Ave., LA, CA 90043 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: Martin Carbajal Perez

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 05 2393348 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Ministerio Impacto de Gloria, 3651 Castalia Ave., Los Angeles, CA 90032. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Alfredo A. Eufracio, 4036 1/2 S. Trinity St., Los Angeles, CA 90011 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: Alfredo A. Eufracio

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 05 2393396 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Ochoa's, 14322 Falco Ave., Norwalk, CA 90650. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Miguel Ochoa, 14322 Falco Ave., Norwalk, CA 90650 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: Miguel Ochoa

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 05 2369435 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Professional Drafting & Design, 6220 Oxsee Ave., Whittier, CA 90606. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Jesus M. Lizaraga, 6220 Oxsee Ave., Whittier, CA 90606 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: Jesus M. Lizaraga

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 05 2404832 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Rapid Legal Services, Al #/ON 2196444, 213 W. Alameda Ave., Suite 101, Burbank, CA 91502. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Express Med. Billing and Consulting, 213 W. Alameda Ave., Suite 101, Burbank, CA 91502 This Business is being conducted by, a corporation. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)10/1/2005. /s/: Express Med. Billing & Consulting

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 05 2394360 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Restaurante Y Pupuseria Kasandra's, 5736 S. Broadway Ave., Los Angeles, CA 90037. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Blanca Angelica Zuniga Denochez, 512 E. 64th St., Los Angeles, CA 90003, Blanca Isabel Fuentes, 512 E. 64th St., Los Angeles, CA 90003 This Business is being conducted by, co-partners. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact

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business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)7/1/2004. /s/: Blanca Denochez, Blanca Fuentes This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 10/04/05. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 10/17/2005, 10/24/2005, 10/31/2005, 11/7/2005

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 05 2370854 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Selco 2 Battery Co., 2220 E. Foothill Blvd., Pasadena, CA 91107. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Gregory W. Tria, 222 Monterey Road #1201, Glendale, CA 91206 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: Gregory Tria

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 9/30/05. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 10/17/2005, 10/24/2005, 10/31/2005, 11/7/2005

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 05 2390746 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Video Rent & Variedades Martinez, 8310 S. Broadway, Los Angeles, CA 90043. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Nanziancena Hernandez Martinez, 6573 4th Ave., LA, CA 90043 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: Nanziancena Hernandez Martinez

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 05 2427195 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as SCIENCE AND SENSORS TECHNOLOGY, SCIENCE AND SENSORS TECHNOLOGIES, 4117 Tivoli Av., Los Angeles, CA 90066. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Claudio Oliveira Egalon, 4117 Tivoli Av., Los Angeles, CA 90066 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: Claudio Oliveira Egalon

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 10/07/05. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 10/17/2005, 10/24/2005, 10/31/2005, 11/7/2005

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 05 2461907 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Executive Health Services, Pacific Mediation Services, Local Energy Network, Al #/ON 200522110044, 1330 California St., #303, Santa Monica, CA 90403. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : NRG Enterprises, LLC, CALIFORNIA, 1330 California St., #303, Santa Monica, CA 90403 This Business is being conducted by, a limited liability. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)10/3/2005. /s/: NRG Enterprises, LLC, Managing Member, Donald R. Furnival

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 10/12/2005. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 10/17/2005, 10/24/2005, 10/31/2005, 11/7/2005

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 05 2482065 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Deb Murray Events, Deb Murray Consulting, 2450 4th St., Santa Monica, CA 90405. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Debra Murray, 2450 4th St., Santa Monica, CA 90405 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)10/1/2005. /s/: Debra A. Murray

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 05 2446174 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as A and H Online Solutions, A and H Online Marketing, Online

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Marketing Solutions, 13645 Putnam St., Whittier, CA 90605. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Daniel Arredondo, 314 N. 16th St., Montebello, CA 90640, Patricia Hernandez, 314 N. 16th St., Montebello, CA 90640 This Business is being conducted by, co-partners. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: Daniel Arredondo, Patricia Hernandez

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 05 2448911 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Abstract Expressions, 8033 Sunset Blvd., Hollywood, CA 90046. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Meagan A. Bryant, 4215 E. Livingston Dr., Long Beach, CA 90803 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: Meagan A. Bryant

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 05 2459014 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Advent Care LLC, 3422 Chapman St., #7, Los Angeles, CA 90065. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Advent Care LLC, 3422 Chapman St., #7, Los Angeles, CA 90065 This Business is being conducted by, a limited liability. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: Advent Care LLC, Mary Lou Advincula

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 05 2470796 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Bella Shop, 112 Barrington Walk, Brentwood, CA 90049. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Julia Demarco, 810 S. Flower St., #612, LA, CA 90017, Arnold Martir, 810 S. Flower St., #612, LA, CA 90017 This Business is being conducted by, co-partners. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: Julia Demarco, Arnold Martir This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 10/13/05. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 10/24/2005, 10/31/2005, 11/7/2005, 11/14/2005

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 05 2461952 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Coral Sands Motel, Al #/ON 2312059, 1730 N. Western Ave., Los Angeles, CA 90027. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Coral Sands Motel Inc., 1730 N. Western Ave., Los Angeles, CA 90027 This Business is being conducted by, a corporation. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)5/10/2001. /s/: Coral Sands Motel Inc., President, Yie Bin Ko

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 05 2461240 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Dancing Fish, 15526 Paramount Blvd., Paramount, CA 90723. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Kelly Millar, 214 Main St., #244, El Segundo, CA 90245, Jack Haber, 214 Main St., #244, El Segundo, CA 90245 This Business is being conducted by, co-partners. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: Kelly Millar, Jack Haber

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person(s) is (are) doing business as Sandrine Gomez Photography, S.G. Photography, Sandrine Gomez Studio, 1440 1/2 Orange Grove Av., Los Angeles, CA 90019. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Sandrine Gomez, 2304 Aviation Blvd., Apt. A, Redondo Beach, CA 90278 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: Sandrine Gomez

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 05 2593918 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Blue Moon Connection, 19777 Grand View Drive, Topanga, California 90290. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Daria Jeanne Simolke, 19777 Grand View Drive, Topanga, California 90290 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: Daria Jeanne Simolke

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 05 2485604 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Monica Martinez Conservation, 5836 Honduras Way, Buena Park, CA 90620. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Monica Martinez, 5836 Honduras Way, Buena Park, CA 90620 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: Monica Martinez

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 05 2565897 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Best Wheel Shop, 1850 Veteran Ave., #302, Los Angeles, CA 90025. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Chun Rong Yang, 1850 Veteran Ave., #302, Los Angeles, CA 90025 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)10/26/2005. /s/: Chun Rong Yang

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 10/25/2005. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 10/31/2005, 11/7/2005, 11/14/2005, 11/21/2005

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 05 2450890 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Big Invader, Al #/ON 05 2450890, 1535 6th St., #308, Santa Monica, CA 90401. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Michael Isner, 1535 6th St., #308, Santa Monica, CA 90401, Raffael Dickreuter, Seebahnstrasse 115 Zurich, ZH, Switzerland, 8003 This Business is being conducted by, a general partnership. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: Michael Isner, Raffael Dickreuter

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 05 2608471 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Mother Jones Band, Rising Sun Entertainment, Rising Sun Records, 1748 Ocean Park Blvd., Santa Monica, CA 90405. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Son H. Vo, 2446 20th St., #4, Santa Monica, CA 90405, Halina L. Janusz, 21734 Septo St., Apt. 207, Chatsworth, CA 90405 This Business is being

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conducted by, co-partners. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)11/1/2001. /s/: Halina L. Janusz, Son H. Vo This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 10/28/05. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 10/31/2005, 11/7/2005, 11/14/2005, 11/21/2005

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 05 2608469 RENEWAL FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Adamm's Stained Glass, 1426 4th St., Santa Monica, CA 90401. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Adamm Ethan Griffeeled, 1200 Linda Flora Dr., Ojai, CA 93023 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)2/12/1972. /s/: Adamm E. Griffeeled

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 05 2608472 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Diaz Builders, 11232 Babbit Ave., Granada Hills, CA 91344. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Johnny Diaz, 11232 Babbit Ave., Granada Hills, CA 91344 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)2/1/1987. /s/: Johnny Diaz This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 10/28/05. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 10/31/2005, 11/7/2005, 11/14/2005, 11/21/2005

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 05 2470514 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Ballona Beach Summer Day Camp LLC, Al #/ON 200516610204, 12226 South Culver Boulevard, #2, Los Angeles, CA 90066. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Ballona Beach Summer Day Camp LLC, 12226 South Culver Boulevard, #2, Los Angeles, CA 90066 This Business is being conducted by, a limited liability. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)6/2/2005. /s/: Ballona Beach Summer Day Camp LLC, Manager, Elizabeth Trumbach This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 10/13/05. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 11/7/2005, 11/14/2005, 11/21/2005, 11/28/2005

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 05 2593774 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as First Look Sonogram, Al #/ON 200524210069, 10657 W. Pico Blvd., Los Angeles, CA 90064. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Virces, LLC, 10657 W. Pico Blvd., Los Angeles, CA 90064 This Business is being conducted by, a limited partnership. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: Virces, LLC, President, Eumea Yun

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 05 2504620 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Pacific Sea Burials, 4333 Admiralty Way, Marina Del Rey, CA 90292. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Mark Burke, 2026 Eastwind Court, Rosamond, CA 93560, Lynette Burke, 2026 Eastwind Court, Rosamond, CA 93560 This Business is being conducted by, a general partnership. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: Mark Burke, Lynette Burke

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 05 2552796 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Loving Kindness, 1621 12thth Street, Santa Monica, CA 90402. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Julie May Engle, 516 21st Place, Santa Monica, CA 90402 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: Julie Engle This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 10/24/05. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 11/7/2005, 11/14/2005, 11/21/2005, 11/28/2005

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 05 2621757 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Law and Economics Advisory Group, 13031 Rose Ave, Los Angeles, CA 90066. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Ellen Gordon, 13031 Rose Ave, Los Angeles, CA 90066, A. Daniel Kelley, 13031 Rose Ave, Los Angeles, CA 90066 This Business is being conducted by, co-partners. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)10/25/2005. /s/: Ellen Gordon, A. Daniel Kelley

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 05 2470539 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Negative Monkey Entertainment, 6550 Yucca St., #416, Los Angeles, CA 90028. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Keith Schwebel, 6550 Yucca St., #416, Los Angeles, CA 90028, Alejandro Becker, 7266 Franklin Ave., #411, Los Angeles, CA 90046 This Business is being conducted by, co-partners. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)2/1/2003. /s/: Keith Schwebel, Alejandro Becker

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 05 2665561 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as ELEM, 827 12th Street, #1, Santa Monica, CA 90403. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Leah Beth Herndon, 827 12th Street, #1, Santa Monica, CA 90403 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: Leah Herndon

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 05 2569962 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Xulon Nights, 2011 N. Mar Vista, Altadena, CA 91001. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Lyman Martin, 2011 N. Mar Vista, Altadena, CA 91001, Francesca Martin, 2011 N. Mar Vista, Altadena, CA 91001 This Business is being conducted by, husband and wife. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: Lyman Martin, Francesca Martin This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 10/25/05. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business

and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 11/7/2005, 11/14/2005, 11/21/2005, 11/28/2005

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 05 2569931 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as A&S Design Center, 229 W. Arrow Hwy, Glendora, CA 91740. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Zabrana Garcia, 4352 Elrovia, El Monte, CA 91732 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: Zabrana Garcia

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 05 2593381 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Baby's City, 5412 E. Gate Av, Bid F, Bell, CA 90201. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Valerio Rodriguez, 10209 Karmont Av., South Gate, CA 90280 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: Valerio Rodriguez

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 05 2569975 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Brad Supplies, 1339 E. Katella Ave., #51, Orange, CA 92867. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Brad J. Donabauer, 600 S. Burnside Ave., Los Angeles, CA 90036 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: Brad J. Donabauer This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 10/25/05. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 11/7/2005, 11/14/2005, 11/21/2005, 11/28/2005

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 05 2546770 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Carpe Diem Sales, The Hyde Road, Beaumarchais, C'est La Vie, Alibaba, 4125 Perlita Ave., Los Angeles, CA 90039. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Gloria Kevorkyan, 4125 Perlita Ave., Los Angeles, CA 90039 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: Gloria Kevorkyan This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 10/21/05. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 11/7/2005, 11/14/2005, 11/21/2005, 11/28/2005

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 05 2593393 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as C.J's Doll House, 8753 Prince Ave., Los Angeles, CA. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Cyretta L. Jordan, 8753 Prince Ave., Los Angeles, CA 90002 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date). /s/: Cyretta L. Jordan

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 05 2545474 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Company V Skin Care, Star Girl Cosmetics, 1406 Goodman Ave., Redondo Beach, CA 90278. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Valentina Lomborg-Lumkin, 1406 Goodman Ave., Redondo Beach, CA 90278 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or

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names listed on (Date)3/21/2005. /s/: Valentina Lomborg-Lumkin This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 3/21/2005. NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 11/7/2005, 11/14/2005, 11/21/2005, 11/28/2005

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 05 2593362 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Goldenrain International, Inc, Al #/ON 2806029, 1213 Stoneman Ave., Alhambra, CA 91801. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Goldenrain International, Inc, CALIFORNIA, 1213 S. Stoneman Ave., Alhambra, CA 91801 This Business is being conducted by, a corporation. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)9/23/2005. /s/: Goldenrain International, Inc, President, Vee Huynh

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 05 2593399 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Marcuson Tree Management, 1939 Lake Shore Ave., LA, CA 90039. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Joshua T. Marcuson, 1939 Lake Shore Ave., LA, CA 90039 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: Joshua Marcuson This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on . NOTICE: THIS FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT EXPIRES FIVE YEARS FROM THE DATE IT WAS FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK. A NEW FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO THAT DATE. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a fictitious business name statement in violation of the rights of another under federal, state, or common law (see Section 14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 11/7/2005, 11/14/2005, 11/21/2005, 11/28/2005

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 05 2593356 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Perky Graph Pix, Goldenrain Estores Enterprise, Al #/ON 2806029, 1213 S. Stoneman Ave., Alhambra, CA 91801. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Goldenrain International, Inc, CALIFORNIA, 1213 S. Stoneman Ave., Alhambra, CA 91801 This Business is being conducted by, a corporation. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: Goldenrain International, Inc., President, Vee Huynh

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 05 2567823 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Pure Filtration, 13011 Los Nietos Road, Santa Fe Springs, CA 90670. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Mark Kevin MacKenzie, 4302 Pickwick Circle, #D101, Huntington Beach, CA 92649 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: Mark MacKenzie

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 05 2593386 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Quick Car Transport, 13125 Vultee Ave., Bellflower, CA 90706. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Tomas-Rizal C. Evaristo, 13125 Vultee Ave., Bellflower, CA 90706 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: Tomas-Rizal C. Evaristo

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 05 2546714 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Transformations with Avon, 730 E. 138th Street, Los Angeles, CA 90059. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Aletha McMillan, 730 E. 138th Street, Los Angeles, CA 90059 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)10/21/2005. /s/: Aletha McMillan

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 05 2566097 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Vulcan Realtor Services, Al #/ON 2681778, 1900 West Garvey South, Suite 205, West Covina, CA 91790. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Vulcan Financial Corp., 525 E. Colorado Blvd., PH Floor, Pasadena, CA 91101 This Business is being conducted by, a corporation. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: Vulcan Financial Corp., CEO, Amir Nass

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 05 2545660 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Pro Pink White Nails, 11137 First Ave., Whittier, CA 90603. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Ly Pham, 10395 Latorola Circle, Fountain Valley, CA 92708, Thu Thao T. Nguyen, 8832 Anthony Dr., Huntington Beach, CA 92687 This Business is being conducted by, co-partners. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: Ly Pham, Thu Thao T. Nguyen

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Aniston can cry if she wants to — but doesn't

By The Associated Press

NEW YORK — Jennifer Aniston says she's been wrongly pegged as a crier since splitting with Brad Pitt.

Aniston reportedly broke down during an interview for the September issue of *Vanity Fair*.

"I was upset about the *Vanity Fair* article. I had one moment when I got emotional because I hadn't sat down with an interviewer since this whole debacle took place," Aniston told *Newsweek* magazine. "It happened for a second and then it was over."

The 36-year-old actress has said the media coverage and tabloid rumors were hard to deal with — especially reports that she didn't want to start a family.

Her divorce from Brad Pitt became final Oct. 2, concluding 4 1/2 years of marriage. They separated in January.

LONDON — A sense of magic and excitement was in the air in London's Leicester Square as Harry Potter fans waited in the rain to greet cast members attending the premier of the latest Potter film, "Harry Potter and the Goblet of Fire."

Producers describe the film — the fourth in the series about the bespectacled young wizard — as the darkest production yet; it is the first of the films so far to achieve a PG12 rating, meaning children under 12 should not see it without adult supervision.

Daniel Radcliffe, who plays Potter, attended the premier Sunday evening along with Robbie Coltrane, who plays Harry's friend Hagrid, Michael Gambon, who stars as the kindly Albus Dumbledore, and Maggie Smith, portrayer of Professor McGonagall.

"Harry Potter And The Goblet Of Fire" was the fastest-selling book in history on the first weekend of its publication in July 2000. The films of the first two books grossed more than \$1.7 billion worldwide.

Author J.K. Rowling has now completed six of the seven Potter books she promised her young readers.

BRANSON, Mo. — Two years and one month after a

tiger attack that nearly killed him, magician Roy Horn and his partner Siegfried Fischbacher were back on stage but as patrons rather than performers.

The Las Vegas team of Siegfried & Roy visited the Ozark resort of Branson to promote the show of protege Darren Romeo and make promises about their own return to performing.

"We will be back," the black-clad Roy told reporters, speaking on the stage of the Welk Resort Theater before Romeo's show. He didn't say when that might be.

"I will make sure of that, because I am making a remarkable recovery," he said. "The doctors have assured me I will be better than new."

Roy, 61, has been undergoing rehabilitation since being partially paralyzed when a 380-pound white tiger attacked him on stage and dragged him by the neck during a performance at The Mirage resort in Las Vegas in 2003.

In Branson, Roy limped as he walked with the help of a black cane in his right hand and held his left arm crooked by his side. His words were slurred at times, and he left in a wheelchair after walking onto the stage with Siegfried.

LOS ANGELES — Chronic back problems haven't turned Elizabeth Taylor into a shrinking violet.

The winner of two Academy Awards was swathed in her trademark jewels when she made a regal public entrance to dedicate the new UCLA Clinical AIDS Research and Education Center.

The 73-year-old actress, using a wheelchair, wore a jeweled butterfly barrette in her hair, dozens of bracelets adorned her arms and an enormous diamond lit up her left hand.

It was all for a good cause. In front of an intimate crowd that included rocker Tom Petty and actress Carrie Fisher, Taylor cut a red ribbon to signify the center's official opening Friday and announced the creation of the Elizabeth Taylor Endowment Fund, which will support the center through grants and private donations.

"Acting is, to me now, artificial," Taylor, who won

Oscars for 1960's "Butterfield 8" and 1966's "Who's Afraid of Virginia Woolf?," told The Associated Press. "Seeing people suffer is real. It couldn't be more real. Some people don't like to look at it in the face because it's painful. But if nobody does, then nothing gets done."

"I can't sit back and be complacent, and none of us should be. I get around now in a wheelchair, but I get around," she said.

She helped establish the American Foundation for AIDS Research in 1985 and created the Elizabeth Taylor AIDS Foundation in 1991. The two organizations have raised a combined \$243 million to fund research and improve the lives of people with HIV and AIDS.

CINCINNATI — One small step on the moon was easy compared to celebrity for Neil Armstrong.

The first man to walk on the moon is still puzzled by the fame that event brought him.

"Friends and colleagues, all of a sudden, looked at us, treated us slightly differently than they had months or years before when we were working together," the Apollo 11 astronaut told "60 Minutes" in an interview to be broadcast Sunday. "I never quite understood that."

Armstrong, 75, rarely grants interviews. He agreed to one last month just before his authorized biography, "First Man: The Life of Neil A. Armstrong," hit bookstores.

On July 20, 1969, Armstrong, then 38, stepped onto the moon with the famous words "That's one small step for man, one giant leap for mankind." Since then, he has taught at the University of Cincinnati and served on corporate boards, while rejecting interview requests.

In an e-mail response to The Cincinnati Enquirer, Armstrong said he reluctantly agreed to the book with author James R. Hansen, an Auburn University professor and former NASA historian.

"Many individuals whose opinions I value have urged me to find a way to put my story in print," Armstrong said. "I concluded a biography would be superior to an autobiography."

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