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NEWS OF THE WEIRD
BY CHUCK SHEPARD

In October, Robert Russel Moore, 33, was sentenced to 10 years in prison for the burglary of an Arby's in Prince Frederick, Md. Actually, Moore was assistant manager of the restaurant and was identified by clues from the surveillance tape. Four employees said they recognized the burglar's body shape, clothing and (when he bent over) the distinctive top portion of his buttocks, as being those of Moore. (The owner of the restaurant said he had had to counsel Moore "more than once" about the inadvertent exposure of his butt crack.)

TODAY IN HISTORY

Today is the 324th day of 2006.
There are 41 days left in the year.

- 1947
- Britain's future queen, Princess Elizabeth, married Philip Mountbatten, Duke of Edinburgh, in a ceremony broadcast worldwide from Westminster Abbey.
- 1789
- New Jersey became the first state to ratify the Bill of Rights.
- 1910
- revolution broke out in Mexico, led by Francisco I. Madero.
- 1925
- Robert F. Kennedy was born in Brookline, Mass.
- 1929
- the radio program "The Rise of the Goldbergs" debuted on the NBC Blue Network.

QUOTE OF THE DAY

"The next great step of mankind is to step into the nature of his own mind."

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They lean to the right

Instructors from Santa Monica Yoga put students and newcomers through some yoga poses at Santa Monica's Muscle Beach on Saturday as part of lululemon athletica's day at the beach event.

Fabian Lewkowicz fabianl@smdp.com

Weller will learn his fate today

BY KEVIN HERRERA
Daily Press Staff Writer

DOWNTOWN LA — The 89-year-old man convicted of killing 10 people and injuring more than 60 others in Santa Monica when he drove his car through a crowded Farmers' Market three years ago is due to be sentenced this morning.

George Russell Weller faces a

maximum sentence of 18 years in prison for his role in the Arizona Avenue crash on July 16, 2003. His attorneys, family members and friends have requested he receive probation, given his advanced age and failing health.

Prosecutors are asking that Los Angeles Superior Court Judge Michael Johnson send Weller to prison.

Weller, who was 86 at the time of the deadly crash, will not have to appear in court after being granted permission to remain at his Santa Monica home on 25th Street. The former food broker appeared in court just once during his four-week trial. He was convicted on Oct. 20 on 10 counts of vehicular manslaughter

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COMMUNITY PROFILES

A WEEKLY SERIES THAT APPEARS EACH MONDAY AND DELVES INTO THE LIVES OF PEOPLE WHO LIVE, WORK AND PLAY IN SANTA MONICA.

Alva is still carving out a niche in skating circles

BY AMY KAUFMAN
Special to the Daily Press

LITTLE ETHIOPIA — When Tony Alva needs to ground himself, he jumps on his skateboard and rolls home to Santa Monica.

"I keep my memories of Santa Monica inside my heart and inside my soul always," said the 49-year-old

Dogtown legend, revealing the uneven, chipped teeth he's earned through skating falls over the years.

Dressed in a thinning cotton button-up and cargo pants, Alva sat on a fold-up chair, fingering the dewy, blonde-infused dreadlocks that graze his shoulders. In his namesake

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Photo courtesy

Skateboarder Tony Alva helped open the city's Cove Skatepark in June 2005.



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Santa Monica Playhouse, 11:30 a.m. — 1 p.m.

Hodgepodge

The Art Institute of California — Los Angeles, 11 a.m. — 4 p.m.

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Santa Monica, 2 p.m. — 3:30 p.m.

Santa Monica Fitness Group for Women

Santa Monica Fitness Group For Women, 6:30 p.m. — 7:30 p.m.

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Jews draw line in sand

BY MAYA MEINERT
Special to the Daily Press

VENICE BEACH — Representatives of the Pacific Jewish Center on Ocean Front Walk and the California Coastal Commission have worked out a deal to install an eruv — a symbolic area that extends the homes of Orthodox Jews — along the beach, stretching from Santa Monica to Marina del Rey.

The request was formally approved on Thursday, but with two additional conditions issued by the Coastal Commission.

Within an eruv, Orthodox Jews may carry their keys and push strollers or wheelchairs while walking to synagogue on the Sabbath. Without such a symbolic area, their ability to function outside their homes is limited.

The eruv will consist of fishing line attached to existing street lights and to 20-foot-high metal pole extenders atop Los Angeles County information signs located along the beach. The eruv will roughly encompass the area created by the boundaries of the beach from Santa Monica to Marina del Rey, and the I-90, I-405 and I-10 freeways.

The line will be attached to existing fences and freeway walls to complete the enclosure.

The new conditions placed on the Pacific Jewish Center by the commission involve the development of a plan to monitor the health of the least tern — an endangered bird — and of other birds that customarily feed in the lagoon, according to Pam Emerson, a representative from the South Coast District office of the Coastal Commission. The plan would have to be approved by the Coastal Commission's executive director before the installation of the eruv could move forward.

The original conditions contained in the

See JEWISH ERUV, page 15



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SPOKEN: The Pacific Jewish Center in Venice is expanding its reach for practitioners.



Lassie or Cujo?

Julie Lee holds her startled 2-year-old son Christopher while on the red carpet with the star of the latest 'Lassie' film on Saturday at the Aero Theatre. The dog is a 9-year-old collie and ninth-generation 'Lassie.'

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Ocean fishers aren't off the hook

BY TERENCE CHEA
Associated Press Writer

MONTEREY, Calif. — Flying over California's rugged Central Coast, Mike Sutton pointed to kelp forests and rocky reefs just below the water's surface that will soon be off-limits to fishing under one of the nation's most ambitious plans to protect marine life.

"We're trying to make sure our oceans are protected as our land," said Sutton, a marine expert at the Monterey Bay Aquarium who piloted a single-engine plane along a coast-line punctuated by craggy headlands, rocky islets and soaring mountains.

Despite intense opposition from many fishermen, California wildlife regulators are

creating the nation's most extensive network of "marine protected areas" — stretches of ocean where fishing will be banned or severely restricted.

The first chain of fish refuges, covering some 200 square miles stretching from Santa Barbara to Half Moon Bay, just south of San Francisco, is due to take effect early next year. The state then plans to establish similar protected zones in northern and southern California.

Conservationists say such networks represent a new approach to saving the world's beleaguered oceans from overfishing. They believe California's plan could serve as a model for other states and countries.

"It's the beginning of a historic shift in how we restore, protect and manage our

oceans," said Warner Chabot, vice president of the Ocean Conservancy. "We're doing something that's as historic for the oceans as what Teddy Roosevelt did 100 years ago when he created national parks and forests."

But the proposed restricted areas happen to overlap with some of California's most productive fishing grounds. Commercial and recreational fishermen question whether they're even necessary, given the existing array of state and federal regulations.

"We're duplicating conservation efforts unnecessarily," said Vern Goehring, manager of the California Fisheries Coalition. "There are significant actions already under way to

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Opening door for landmark abuse

Editor:

Have we gone mad? What justifies declaring the Horizons surf shop a historical landmark? The building is not a landmark and the surf shop owner is not the original owner. I have nothing to do with the man that wants to replace the existing tired old nondescript building.

The proposal for the new building was to be a mixed-use Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design a LEED green building. They also offered Horizons a place in the new building. So what's the problem? A few fanatics complaining and you make it sound like some large movement! I've lived in the area for over 30 years and think the new building would be a big improvement.

Don't misuse the landmark process for something like this. It opens the door for further abuse.

R. Chace
Santa Monica

Everyone pays the baby-sitter

Editor:

The wheels keep turning inside those socialist minds on our busy-body City Council. Check it out: The council proposes to link all development — residential, industrial, commercial — to a tax for day care. Nobody will build anything in this city without paying into a community baby-sitting fund.

How is City Hall able to get away with this? It began with affordable housing.

Currently, the city confiscates without reimbursement, in my opinion illegally, 20 percent of all new multi-family units to give to low-income outsiders. The council commissioned a study, several years ago, that purported to prove a “nexus” — a linkage — between high-income residents who move into new developments and the city's need for “affordable” housing. The rich new arrivals — but only those south of Montana Avenue — spend more money than current residents, which creates the need for low-income retail jobs, which creates the need for low-income housing. That's the pretzel-logic theory. In coming months, it will be tested in a lawsuit against the city.

The thing is, where are all these new high-income residents? The way the renter-controlled City Council has made affordable housing it's sole guiding mantra, one would think this city surely has been overrun with a skyrocketing population of new rich citizens. Wrong. The city's population has remained essentially unchanged in 30 years. This is the way the renters want it. No new private construction. No new small businesses, no new neighborhood stores, bakeries or restaurants, no new townhomes replacing some of the dilapidated structures you see around town.

The SMRR party members on the council love this “linkage” concept so much they decided this year to try it out on outdoor art. Builders, if there are any, have to contribute to an art fund a percentage of their total cost of construction. Now comes day care. So, soon, I suppose, the renters will create the Santa Monica Department of Baby-Sitting, with an Assistant City Manager for Diapers, Pacifiers and Strollers.

But why stop there? What about global warming? What about the squirrels in Palisades Park? Personally, I propose a “linkage” for barbecue, because there is a proven nexus between outdoor grilled meat and one's quality of life.

Mark Shepherd
Santa Monica

No new blood is no good

Editor:

Just to clarify the details about last week's City Council race: A lot of people in Santa Monica did want new blood in the City Council. There were so many candidates running, that the votes were spread out and no one won.

The current City Council had made the homeless problem worse, with countless hours of lip service, and no action. They say they are for low density. I guess that means in the area where they live, not where we live.

Have any of these councilmembers driven around Santa Monica at rush hour or tried to park where there's no parking?

We all know safety should be the government's first priority. There are cameras in the markets, so why not the pier if SMPD recommends them?

The bottom live is that Shutters on the Beach and Casa del Mar are lovely hotels. They are assets to our community, and I am glad they are here.

L. Kane
Santa Monica

South SM is stacked with social services



MY WRITE
BY BILL BAUER

The City of Santa Monica decided not to loan Step Up on Second the sum of \$465,000 to purchase property at 1826 Pearl Street for a halfway house.

Step Up planned to adapt the single-family bungalow with two separate one-bedroom apartments across from Santa Monica College for a transitional living facility for young adults suffering from the early stages of mental illness, such as schizophrenia, bipolar disorder and depression.

The loan was denied because the property is a triplex with three living units, not a single “group home,” as required by the loan. Neighbors' concerns about safety and the neighborhood's high number of existing services for the homeless and mentally ill also weighed heavily on the decision to deny the loan, according to published reports.

The city's zoning codes allow a wide range of low-income housing, service and board and care facilities in R2, R3, R4 and commercial areas without any public input, whatsoever. Downtown Santa Monica and the Pico Boulevard corridor are already home to a large number of services.

Step Up on Second (1328 Second Street, 36 units of housing) provides psychosocial rehabilitation for people who suffer from schizophrenia, bipolar disorder or severe depression. A second facility, with 46 units of housing, is scheduled to open in early 2008 on Fifth Street, between Broadway and Colorado Avenue. There's Assertive Community Treatment (ACT), which services people with severe and persistent mental illness, and Daniel's Place, also at 2701 Ocean Park Blvd., which services young people with mental illness.

Chrysalis Employment Assistance (1837 Lincoln Blvd.) provides comprehensive employment assistance to Santa Monica homeless and low-income residents. Chrysalis Supportive Housing Program provides job development and case management for homeless persons.

CLARE Foundation (909 Pico Blvd.) and CLARE Foundation Serial Inebriate Outreach Program and Coordinated Case Management (911 Pico Blvd.) provide services for homeless clients, substance abusers and serial inebriates, including assessment, referrals and detoxification.

Men's Recovery Home (1871 Ninth Street) and Women's Recovery Home (1023 Pico Blvd.) provides sober living, outpatient services and drug court programs.

The Manor (formerly Hirschorn Manor, at 1905 Pico Blvd.) and The Manor (2019 Pico Blvd.) are licensed residential care facilities for chronically mentally ill, developmentally disabled or dually diagnosed adults from 18 to 60.

Ocean Housing Foundation Apartments, on the 1500 block of Euclid Avenue, has 13 units for the developmentally disabled.

Common Ground, The Westside HIV Community Center, at 2012 Lincoln Blvd., provides support services those with AIDS/HIV. OPCC's Night Light also uses it as a youth drop in center.

Salvation Army Adult Rehab Center (1665 10th Street) is a residential program for adult recovery.

OPCC has a number of programs in a variety of locations, including the OPCC Access Center, Night Light and the OPCC Shelter Plus Care Program (1616 Seventh St.) that provides case management, crisis intervention, outreach, referrals, mail boxes and meals to homeless individuals. The OPCC Supportive Housing Program provides independent living services, case management, and aftercare for the homeless and their family members. SOJOURN (1453 16th St.) services battered women and their children.

OPCC Daybreak Day Center and Shelter for Women (1614 Ocean Avenue), with 15 beds, provides emergency services to mentally ill homeless women. OPCC SAMOSHEL shelter (505 Olympic Blvd.) provides 110 emergency beds to homeless adults. Adjoining SHWASHLOCK provides showers, laundry and lockers.

OPCC Turning Point Shelter (1447 16th St.) provides 55 beds of transitional housing and case management. OPCC Westside Safe Haven (1751 Cloverfield Blvd.), opening in a few weeks with 55 beds, will serve hard-to-reach homeless men and women who suffer from severe mental illness, addiction, or physical illness.

The Pico Youth & Family Center (828 Pico Blvd.) provides supervised activities for youth 16-24 years of age, including counseling, support groups, learning, leadership training and service, tutoring and college prep services, job development and placement, computer training and a music production studio.

St. Joseph Center, at 400 Pico Blvd. (across from Samohi), provides help for poor families and homeless men, women, and children.

Westside Food Bank (1710 22nd St.) provides emergency food to homeless and low-income residents of Santa Monica through 20 member agencies.

Westside Family Health Center (1711 Ocean Park Blvd.) provides comprehensive health services for adults and children.

Venice Family Clinic — Simms/Mann Health and Wellness Center (2509 Pico Blvd.) provides free, quality health care to people in need.

The YWCA (2019 14th St.) provides transitional housing for young women emancipated from foster care.

Add nearly 60 low-income apartment buildings south of Wilshire Boulevard and it's no wonder people are asking, “How much is enough?”

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Buzz (b'z) v. buzzed, buzz-ing, buzz-es
1. confusion of activity and gossip, **2.** to be noisy with activity, **3.** to talk, often excitedly, in low tones.
Slang
1. Excited interest or attention. **2.** To move quickly and busily; bustle.

It takes some big rubles to impress Java Joe

... Standing in line at a local Starbucks (that nails it down), Buzz was decidedly unbeatnik, awaiting a barista dude to take an order for his mocha latte. Hey, it's hard representin' 24/7, man. The woman at the counter was taking an extended period of time in which to place her order, **digging through her designer purse and whatnots, making all chit-chatty** with the mermaid logo-wearing Java Joe. Upon closer inspection (that is, eavesdroppin'), it appeared the woman was looking to impress.

"I just got back from Europe. All I have in here are Francs."

Enter Buzz, mired in his caffeine-strapped situation.

"Um, didn't France convert to the euro like 10 years ago?"

The woman's blank stare should have been accompanied by a soundtrack of crickets. She turned back to Barista Ben (their age differences looked like a 'Graduate' scene in the making).

"Then how about taking some rubles?"
Buzz fixed her little oui oui wagon ...

... Whether the man at Sushi King on Wilshire was frontin' the other night or not, Buzz couldn't tell, but had to admit

the Anglo-lookin' gent with the outrageous Japanese accent seemed to be overdoing it a bit. **Between gulps of eel, urchin and smelt eggs, the man was roaring with approval in an accent swiped from poorly dubbed versions of "Iron Chef."** Buzz admits he was looking for subtitles, or at least lips that were moving out of synch with what the man was saying. When the couple sitting next to the man began to snicker, he knew he'd been served, relocating to a sushi bar stool further down the restaurant. There, he ate his remaining smelt eggs with some humble pie (not on the menu, but delicious) ...

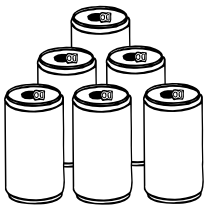
... In a Willy Wonka moment, all the signs of Christmas are beginning to emerge in and around Santa Monica, not the least of which was **the man tasting the new blue-tinged tree lights along the promenade** Friday night. Turn on your heart light, filament feaster, because they likely laughed behind Edison's back, too ...

... In the spirit of Thanksgiving, Buzz presents the first annual **top turkey names of 2006:**

- 10) Tom Cruise Turkey
- 9) Jimlet
- 8) Hormel
- 7) Jonathan Mann
- 6) Phasianidae Phil
- 5) Edward Thomas Mgmt. Turkey
- 4) Asexual Aaron
- 3) W (as in George or Proposition)
- 2) Snooty
- 1) Lindsay Nohand

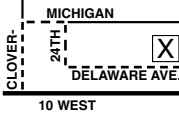
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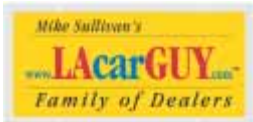
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In addition to preparing for Black Friday and beyond, there is a little holiday this week called Thanksgiving that will bring together families and friends across the nation for food, football and reflection. In Santa Monica, following months of campaigning and calls for change, voters overwhelmingly opted to re-elect incumbents, leading observers to draw the conclusion that things in Santa Monica aren't so bad. At the end of the day, the city contains more than its share of wealth, culture and natural beauty.
So this week's q-line question asks:
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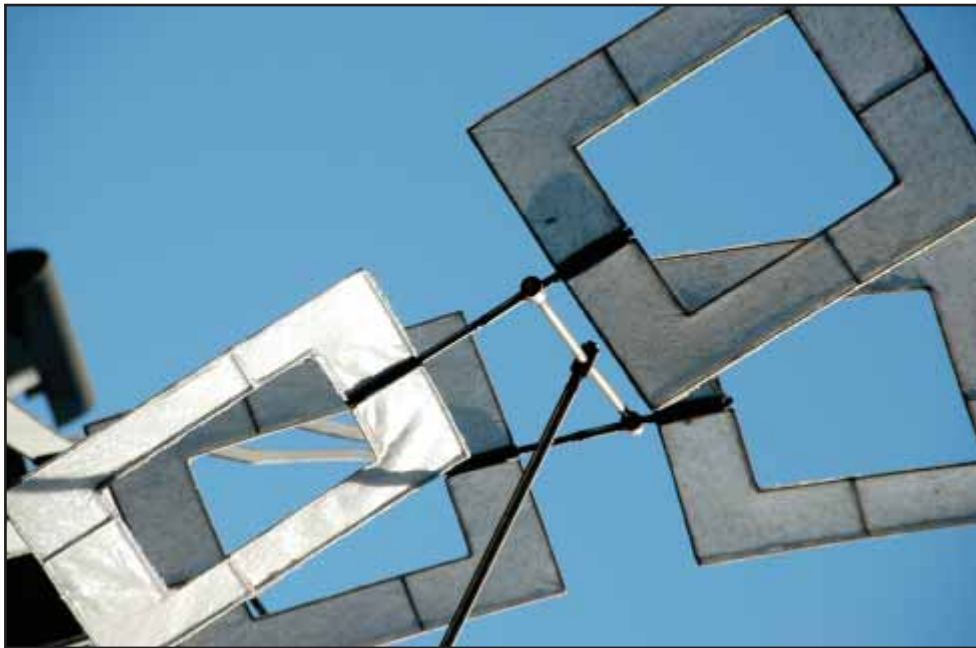
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Teen students sure aren't fit as fiddles

BY JULIET WILLIAMS

Associated Press Writer

SACRAMENTO — Nearly half of California ninth graders don't have the stamina to briskly run one mile, putting them at risk for health and academic problems, a statewide physical fitness review released Friday said.

The test, administered annually in the fifth, seventh and ninth grades, measures student fitness in six areas. Overall, fewer than a third of the nearly 1.4 million students who took the test met all the minimum benchmarks in areas such as percentage of body fat, abdominal strength and flexibility.

In the fifth and seventh grades, around six in 10 met the one-mile run test, considered the most important of the six areas because studies link good aerobic capacity to fewer health problems. But by the ninth grade, only around half could run the mile within acceptable times.

"These numbers tell us that too many of our students are leading sedentary lives exacerbated by poor eating habits," state Superintendent of Public Instruction Jack O'Connell said. "This is a destructive trend that has resulted in an epidemic of childhood obesity and must be reversed."

State law requires that elementary students get 200 minutes of physical education every 10 school days. That number doubles for grades 7-12. But the state only performs

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compliance checks about once every three years, O'Connell said.

He said schools that include more physical activity also appear to do well on student achievement tests. And he stressed that physical education classes should be more than just lining up to shoot hoops or play dodgeball.

"We want to see the students actively engaged," in things like runs and drills, he said. "They'll have a greater appreciation of recreation."

This year's state budget includes a one-time \$500 million allocation for new supplies, equipment or professional development for physical education and visual and performing arts, and a new annual pool of \$40 million to hire credentialed physical education teachers in kindergarten through eighth grade schools.

Gov. Arnold Schwarzenegger, who was chairman of the President's Council on Physical Fitness and Sports from 1990 to 1992, also has urged California schools to incorporate more physical activity.

Last year, he signed legislation making the food served in California schools the healthiest in the nation by banning sodas and adding more fruits and vegetables.

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"Know before you Go" is a weekly update on construction projects throughout Santa Monica. Here is a run-down of this week's construction projects initiated by City Hall

Access Center Construction

Construction begins at 503 Olympic Blvd. for the new Access Center building. The sidewalk on Olympic Boulevard between Fifth and Seventh streets will be closed to the public, except Samoshel residents.

Airport Park and Airport Avenue improvements

Site grading, constructing new artificial turf soccer fields, constructing new playground, restrooms and dog park area, and reconstructing a portion of Airport Avenue. On-site detour possible during street reconstruction.

Civic Center parking structure

Construction continues on a new 900-space Civic Center Public Parking Structure, located on Fourth Street next to the Public Safety Facility. 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.

Euclid Park Project

Construction of a new public park. The project scope will consist of site grading and construction of a new play area (with swings and climbing apparatus), a new garden area, two small green lawn areas, three circular-shaped seating areas and a trellis entry. Construction is projected until May 2007.

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 and detours may be announced as necessary.

Montana/Wilshire Storm Water Diversion Structures

Installation of a Storm Water Diversion debris removal and diversion facility will begin Aug. 7 at Ocean Avenue at Montana Avenue and Wilshire Boulevard. Traffic will narrow to one lane in each direction on Ocean Avenue at Montana Avenue.

Street/park lighting retrofit program

Installation of a new light standard and circuit conversion from series to multiple and all other apparatus to provide a complete and operational street and park lighting system. Occasional traffic slowdown at the following locations Wilshire Boulevard and Yale Street Virginia Avenue and 21st Street; and Delaware and 22nd Street.

Street and parking lot resurfacing

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Water main replacement

Installation of new water main complete with service connections throughout the city. Detours and lane closures may occur, and will be posted at various sites during construction.

Yale Street Improvement Project

Yale Street, from Wilshire Boulevard to Montana Avenue, will be closed to through traffic from Oct. 19 to Nov. 23. Repairs are scheduled through February 2007.

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Unemployment rate reaches a record low

BY ALEX VEIGA

AP Business Writer

LOS ANGELES — California's unemployment rate hit a record low of 4.5 percent in October as the economy added 9,300 payroll jobs, the state Employment Development Department said last week.

The surge was led by gains in the professional and business services sector, which includes jobs in computer services, management, law and finance. Growth was flat in other sectors.

The unemployment rate was down from 4.8 percent in September and from 5.2 percent in the year-ago period, the EDD said.

Steven Levy, an economist with the Center for Continuing Study of the California Economy, said the October payroll job gains were mediocre.

"We have one good month and one mediocre month," Levy said. "The good news is the business and professional jobs, which are the nice high-wage jobs, continue to grow."

Levy said the record figure was mostly a result of a decline in people trying to find work rather than a booming economy.

"There's a difference between having a record low unemployment rate when labor force growth is high and job growth is high, and having it now, when it seems to be coming about because people have stopped entering the labor force and you have job growth declining," he said.

Job growth is declining as the construction sector now sheds jobs after pumping up payrolls during the housing boom, Levy said.

The number of Californians looking for work in October fell to 794,000, a decrease of 64,000 from September. About 239,300 of the

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job seekers had been laid off, the state said.

In October of last year, nearly 930,000 people were looking for work.

The state also revised September payroll job gains to 17,900, an increase of 600 jobs from the previously reported total.

Nationally, payrolls grew by 92,000 jobs in October, less than some economists had expected.

In all, about 15 million people held payroll jobs in California in October.

A separate household survey suggested an additional 2 million people were employed in some fashion last month. Payroll employment totals are drawn from a survey of employers and don't include farm workers and the self-employed.

The government sector shed 2,000 jobs during October, the biggest slice of the 6,900 jobs lost in the month. The manufacturing, construction and information sectors also lost jobs.

Over the 12-month period ending in October, the state economy added a total of 163,800 jobs, a 1.1 percent increase, the EDD said.

The professional and business services sector also showed the strongest job gains on an annual basis, adding 48,000 jobs, or a 2.2 percent hike.

Also in the past year, construction employment fell by 4,000 jobs while information employment decreased by 1,800 positions, the EDD said.

Wife who killed for a yacht is found guilty of murder

By The Associated Press

SANTA ANA, Calif. — A woman accused of helping her husband and several accomplices kill a wealthy Newport Beach couple for their 55-foot yacht was found guilty of two counts of first-degree murder Friday.

Jennifer Deleon, 25, was convicted in the Nov. 15, 2004, deaths of Tom Hawks, a retired probation officer, and his 47-year-old wife Jackie, who according to testimony were tied to an anchor and thrown overboard.

The jury of seven women and five men also found true the special circumstance of murder for financial gain.

The prosecution said Jennifer Deleon, a mother of two, helped her husband Skylar Deleon gain the trust of the Hawks before the killings by bringing her baby on a visit and helped cover up the murders and lied to investigators.

Her defense attorney, Michael Molfetta, had argued that Deleon was a manipulated wife who was terrified of her husband and didn't know of his plans to kill the Hawks until after they were dead.

"I guarantee you this was Skylar's idea, and I think the jury reasoned, probably, he just talked her into it," Molfetta said Friday.

Since prosecutors decided not to seek the death penalty, Jennifer Deleon will face the possibility of life in prison without parole

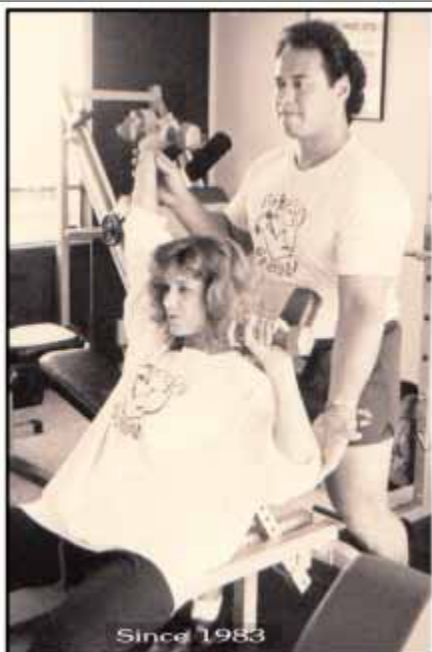
when she is sentenced Feb. 23.

However, Deleon's husband and another man, named John Fitzgerald Kennedy, could face possible death sentences if convicted of the murders. Both men, who are scheduled for trial early next year, have prior convictions. Two other men have also been charged in the case and face separate trials.

The Hawkses had been living aboard the yacht Well Deserved after moving from Prescott, Ariz. Prosecutors allege that the Deleons approached the Hawkses about buying the yacht and convinced them to go to sea. Once at sea, prosecutors say, Skylar Deleon, Kennedy and 22-year-old Alonso Machain overpowered the couple, forced them to sign over ownership of the yacht, tied them to an anchor and threw them overboard. The bodies have never been found.

The Deleons then cleaned the boat with bleach and arranged to have the ownership papers notarized with backdates, according to prosecutors. The couple also tried to withdraw money from the victims' Arizona bank account and conspired with Machain to make it look like the Hawkses had moved to Mexico, the prosecution said.

Ryan Hawks, son of the murdered couple, noted after the verdict was announced that although Jennifer Deleon's family had suffered since her arrest, they will still get a chance to see her in jail.



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Wild turkeys gobble away the day in Calif.

By The Associated Press

MONTEREY, Calif. — They peck in parks, gobble in grasslands and strut through suburbs. They even halt traffic at the local military base.

Wild turkeys are flourishing throughout central California, from the bustling streets of Carmel to remote hiking trails in the Santa Lucia Mountains. Although California's Department of Fish and Game doesn't track the number of wild turkeys, one local birder estimated that the population in Monterey County has roughly tripled since 1990 to about 3,000.

The birds are ancestors of the Rio Grande turkeys that state wildlife experts released in the Ventana Wilderness in 1965 for sport hunters. Over the next several decades, the department released more than 300 of the birds, native to Kansas, Oklahoma and Texas.

The fowl are muscled, fast and relatively clever, hanging out in flocks and bursting

into a flapping frenzy when an off-leash dog or fleet-footed child gets too close. They're a breed apart from the easily confused, farm-raised gobblers that land on most Thanksgiving tables.

"This is not your standard Tweety Bird," Terry Palmisano, wildlife biologist for the state Department of Fish and Game, told the Monterey Herald.

Some say the birds are proliferating too quickly, eating flowers and leaving droppings on driveways and sidewalks.

Others say the birds are welcome — particularly around Thanksgiving. Turkey hunting season opened last weekend in designated areas.

A growing number of locals crave the Rio Grande's gamey chewiness instead of the fatty blandness of mass-produced birds, said Jim Cox, owner of Jim Cox Adventures Archery in Salinas.

"Turkey hunting has really taken off," Cox said. "I've sold more turkey calls and decoys this year than ever before."

Ocean protections leave fishermen on the outside

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prevent overfishing in California."

Fishermen say the no-fishing zones will put more pressure on areas outside the reserves and could lead to increased seafood imports from countries with fewer marine protections.

At Monterey's Fisherman's Wharf, long-time trollers and crabbers say the new restrictions will cripple their industry, hurt fishing communities and leave Californians with less fresh, local seafood.

"We're being regulated out of business," said Mike Rivets, a 70-year-old fisherman for salmon, crab and tuna. "We're being eliminated from the areas where we traditionally fish."

But scientists say more must be done to protect fisheries.

A report in this month's issue of the journal Science warns that nearly a third of the world's seafood species have collapsed — meaning their catch has declined by 90 percent or more — and all populations of fished species could collapse by 2048 if current fishing and pollution trends continue.

"We've mismanaged the oceans from abundance into scarcity," said Karen Garrison, an ocean expert at the Natural Resources Defense Council. "We can't protect our oceans without setting aside safe havens where fish can grow big and the whole food web can thrive."

Like other coastal states, California manages its fisheries by regulating the harvest of individual species by seasons, bag quotas, catch size and depth restrictions.

The state, which oversees its coastal waters up to three miles from shore, will add a new level of protection by limiting fishing in its richest marine ecosystems — coastal bays, estuaries, lagoons, kelp forests, under-sea canyons, rocky reefs and seagrass beds.

The protected areas will include marine reserves where all fishing will be banned, and marine parks and conservation areas that will allow some forms of sport fishing.

All the restricted zones are designed to harbor rockfish, abalone, shellfish and other

species that stay in one area, rather than migratory fish such as salmon and tuna. Sea otters and other marine mammals are expected to benefit from the increased food supply.

Governments worldwide have been creating marine sanctuaries with various levels of restrictions for the past 40 years.

In June, President Bush created the world's biggest protected marine area in the north-western Hawaiian Islands, covering 140,000 square miles of largely uninhabited islands, atolls and coral reefs where commercial fishing will be phased out over the next five years.

Similar efforts are under way overseas. Australia created a network of marine reserves on the Great Barrier Reef last year. And South Africa and New Zealand are working on plans to protect their coastal fisheries.

Advocates of marine reserves point to studies showing they lead to more productive fisheries, bigger fish and greater biodiversity.

"The long-term benefits are enhanced fisheries and more stability" because fish have safe havens in which to reproduce, said Steve Gaines, who directs the Marine Science Institute at the University of California, Santa Barbara.

The Marine Life Protection Act of 1999 authorized the creation of marine reserve networks along California's 1,100-mile coastline, but the plan was shelved due to lack of funding. In 2004, Gov. Arnold Schwarzenegger resurrected the program after four conservation foundations offered \$7 million.

After two years of negotiations between fishermen, conservationists and coastal residents, the Fish and Game Commission voted in August for a plan to create 29 marine protected areas off the Central Coast. The commissioners are expected to give final approval early next year after environmental studies are completed.

Conservation groups had sought even greater restrictions, but were generally pleased with the outcome. The process left many fishermen embittered.

"They felt betrayed by the process. They felt that all their input was ignored," said Bob Fletcher.

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Hawaii educates tourists about smoking ban

BY BRIAN CHARLTON

Associated Press Writer

HONOLULU — Hawaii, known for its fresh ocean air and pristine beauty, has implemented one of the nation's strictest no-smoking laws.

State officials say the new law will protect people from secondhand smoke, but some fear it may deter cigarette-puffing tourists from coming to the islands, especially high-spending visitors from Japan.

The Smoke-Free Hawaii Law went into effect Thursday, banning smoking in all public places such as restaurants, bowling alleys, malls as well as from curb to cabin at airports. Many of the islands already had county laws limiting smoking, but lighting up now in partially enclosed areas, bars and less than 20 feet from doorways and windows is illegal.

State officials say comprehensive no-smoking laws in 13 other states and hundreds of cities have helped Americans get used to similar policies.

But some worry international visitors, especially from Japan, the largest group of foreign tourists to Hawaii, won't immediately adjust or understand the new policies that could result in fines.

Chris Kiaha, a bartender at the Sheraton Moana Surfrider in Waikiki, where half a dozen people were smoking Tuesday in the famed oceanside Banyan Courtyard, said she feels law-makers didn't think through the new law's impact on tourism.

"What happened to our civil rights?" said Kiaha, who occasionally smokes. "We don't have sugar cane anymore. We don't really have pineapples. What are we going to do if we lose tourism?"

Hotels, restaurants and bars have put up required "no smoking" signs, removed ash trays and trying to educate guests about where they can light up. The state is working with Japanese travel wholesalers and agents to inform visitors, and airports are playing recorded greetings to inform travelers.

Hawaii is selling the law as a clean environment policy,

not as a smoking ban, said Marsha Wienert, the state's tourism liaison. The new rules aren't meant to ban smoking, but are needed to protect employees and customers from secondhand smoke, she said.

Yujiro Kuwabara of the Japan Travel Bureau said even in the cigarette-friendly Japan, smoke-free pedestrian areas have been set up in the nation's capital. He predicts the toughest challenge will be explaining the new rules, especially the smaller percentage of hotel rooms where smoking is allowed.

"There might be a little impact in the beginning, but in the long run everyone will adjust," he said. "They've basically been exposed to this concept already."

Tourist Rie Koyama, of Saitama, Japan, said she can follow the new law, but believes other smokers may avoid making the trip to Hawaii.

"Japan is a smoker's paradise," she said while smoking with friends on Waikiki Beach.

While Japan's smoking rate has declined for about 10 years, about 45 percent of Japanese men smoke, according to a 2005 survey by Japan Tobacco Inc.

In the past decade, restaurants there have begun offering no-smoking sections, and train platforms have set up designated smoking areas. Public facilities and hospitals are now smoke-free and local officials in Tokyo fine anyone who smokes in certain parts of the city.

Tom Hansen, 65, from Alberta, Canada, said he's gotten used to finding offbeat places to smoke. Since Canadian cities have also cut down on the amount of public places allowing smoking, he's adapted to finding designated places outside.

"It's been gradually coming over the years," said Hansen, who has smoked for roughly five decades. "I mean 15 years ago, you could smoke in your hospital bed and now you can't smoke on the hospital premises."

Businesses in Hawaii failing to comply with the law face fines up to \$100 for the first offense, \$200 for the second offense, and up to \$500 for each additional violation. Individual violators of the smoking law may be fined up to

\$50 plus court costs.

Officials hope businesses and public pressure become a front-line for enforcement, said Julian Lipsher, a public health educator with state Health Department.

The outdoor International Marketplace in Waikiki, featuring more than 100 souvenir stands, already posted no smoking signs, along with many beachside bars and outdoor hotel sitting areas. Honolulu International Airport has eliminated a designated area in the airport and will now direct all smokers to a few uncovered areas away from the building.

With the ban, Hawaii hotels can only designate 20 percent of their rooms to smokers, but a few chains, including Marriott and Westin, have already eliminated smoking rooms nationwide.

"The country as a whole is heading in a more healthy direction and we're following that trend," said David Uchiyama, spokesman for Starwood Hotels & Resorts Hawaii, which operates seven Sheraton and Westin hotels in the state.

Starwood hotels have set up designated exterior areas for smokers, but will also charge cleaning fees to people who smoke in nonsmoking rooms, since workers will have to scrub out the smell and stains to follow the law's new guidelines, Uchiyama said.

More than 126 million Americans are regularly exposed to smokers' fumes and tens of thousands die each year as a result, according to a federal study released earlier this year. It cited "overwhelming scientific evidence" that secondhand smoke causes heart disease, lung cancer and other illnesses.

In Hawaii, only about 17 percent of adults smoke, the fourth-lowest rate in the nation, according to the state Health Department.

Most residents and tourists said they favor the new law, which was opposed by only three state senators and four representatives.

"I love it. I'm so happy to be able to breathe again," said tourist Debbie Liston, 40, of Seattle.

Regulators delay vote on pollution standards for energy firms

BY JUDITH KOHLER

Associated Press Writer

DENVER — State regulators continued a hearing Saturday on stricter pollution standards for oil and gas companies along the Front Range so they could consider an industry-backed plan, but also listened closely to people calling for tough rules statewide.

The Colorado Air Quality Control Commission is consid-

ering more stringent pollution rules for oil and gas producers in a nine-county area stretching from Denver northeast to Weld County. The Environmental Protection Agency has given Colorado more time to meet federal ozone standards, but state health officials worry that rising pollution from oil and gas operations will doom a plan to avoid federal sanctions.

Although the rest of Colorado isn't violating the ozone standard, health officials have proposed new rules for the oil and gas industry statewide to prevent problems in the face of record natural gas drilling rates. Ozone has neared or exceeded the maximum level allowed in western Colorado, but not often enough to violate federal laws.

"But from a public health perspective, any time we approach the standard or exceed the standard, that's a concern," said Mike Silverstein, manager of planning and policy for the state air pollution control division.

Division staffers have recommended requiring controls on tanks that emit 20 tons of pollution or more a year across most of the state. In addition, the existing standard on the Front Range would be strengthened.

Ozone is created when industrial pollution and car exhaust interact with sunlight on bright, sunny days. It poses significant health risks, especially for young children and

people with respiratory problems such as asthma.

Several western Coloradans testified Friday and Saturday that the same rules should apply everywhere. They complained of haze and health problems as thousands of new gas wells have been drilled in their area.

Tim Trulove said he and his wife, Karen, who live south of Silt in Garfield County, have called in 43 complaints about odors and other problems with the dozens of gas wells and tanks around their property. He said they're selling their land because they believe their worsening health — asthma, sinus infections, fatigue, pain — is due to the exploding energy development.

"My health has been reduced to a state where I cannot live where I love to live," Trulove said.

Jim Rada, Garfield County's environmental health manager, said he has been working with the Truloves and other residents to get samples when odors are bad. The county has set up about a dozen air-quality monitoring stations.

Commission members asked staffers to calculate the costs and pollution reductions if the statewide rule were stronger than proposed. Commissioner Robert Lowdermilk said he would rather develop energy domestically than rely on foreign fuel, but doesn't want to see people's health suffer.

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BY ELIZABETH M. GILLESPIE

AP Business Writer

SEATTLE — When Miami Dolphins owner Wayne Huizenga used to fly in style, his Gulfstream had room for only a dozen or so guests. Now his private jet of choice fits more than twice that many passengers in a cabin that would seat almost 150 as a commercial airliner.

Whether flying to one of his team's road games or hopping over the Atlantic to treat his buddies to a golfing tour in Ireland, the billionaire businessman is among a growing number of corporate executives and uber-rich A-listers who have gotten hooked on flying in the comfort of their very own, very large planes.

Huizenga doesn't consider his \$41 million Boeing Business Jet a luxurious toy. He sees it as a sound investment that's paid off with a generous boost in business productivity.

"I had six public companies at one time," Huizenga said in a recent interview from his office in Fort Lauderdale, Fla. "The employees, the management team — they get so much more done in a shorter amount of time. ... I realize it's expensive, but I think you make it up because you get more deals done, you do more things in a given week than you would otherwise."

In the first nine months of this year, worldwide shipments of business jets jumped more than 20 percent over the same period last year to nearly 630 aircraft, according to the General Aviation Manufacturers Association, a trade group based in Washington, D.C.

Boeing Co. and Airbus SAS make the largest business jets on the market, modeling them off narrow-body aircraft — in Boeing's case, the 737, for Airbus the A318, A319 and A320. However the vast majority of business jets sold each year are smaller models like Bombardier Inc.'s Learjet and Cessna Aircraft Co.'s Citation.

Small to mid-sized business jets have enjoyed an even bigger bump in sales and shipments over the past two years than their bigger cousins, based on data from the General Aviation Manufacturers Association.

Industry insiders say VIP jet sales have heated up in the last few years as an improving global economy has pulled

commercial airlines out of the industrywide slump that followed the Sept. 11, 2001, terrorist attacks. The improving economy has also forced business leaders to fly more often and over longer distances than in the past.

"If you're an executive and you need to visit several sites ... especially today with all the security hassles, it could easily take you a couple days to visit a couple of places," said David Velupillai, a marketing manager for Airbus' executive and private aviation unit. "But in a biz jet you could do both in the same day."

Another offshoot of the improving economy: a longer list of people who can afford to think big when they're shopping for a private plane.

Boeing sold 14 business jets last year — more than the previous two years combined. It's sold 10 so far this year and expects to announce more sales by the end of the year, said Steven Hill, president of Boeing Business Jets, a Seattle-based joint venture Boeing formed with General Electric Co. 10 years ago.

Airbus has sold 22 of its of its VIP jets this year, setting a record for a division of the Toulouse, France-based company that was established a year after Boeing's business jet unit.

In addition to their lines of business jets, Boeing and Airbus also sell their wide-body planes in VIP configuration. Boeing has sold about 200 of them over the years, including several of the new 747-8 stretch jumbo and long-range 787 recently. About 40 Airbus wide-body planes have been configured for VIPs.

While Airbus gets most of its private jet orders from corporations, wealthy individuals make up Boeing's biggest client base, followed by heads of state, businesses and charter carriers.

VIP jets come with larger cabins than their commercial counterparts and are fitted with auxiliary fuel tanks that can almost double their flying range. Customers buy them in "green" condition — no walls, ceiling or carpeting, no seats or galleys — then send them off to completion centers, which often spend a year outfitting the interiors to the buyer's liking.

Common layouts include bedrooms and gold-plated bathroom fixtures. Many are decked out with top-of-the-line entertainment systems and high-speed Internet connections, or dining room and coffee tables so finely polished

they shine like mirrors.

Over the years, many customers have gotten choosier about their designs, said Jeff Bosque, president of Associated Air Center in Dallas, a completion center that finishes planes for both Boeing and Airbus.

"The majority of clientele are men, ultra-high-net-worth individuals, so most of them typically have an external designer that we work with that might have done yachts, or homes or apartments for these people, so we try to incorporate some of their design elements," Bosque said.

Spinner rims not included

By The Associated Press

BIG VIP JETS — Boeing Co. and Airbus SAS sell the largest private planes on the market today. They're based on the companies' single-aisle, narrow-body planes: for Boeing, the 737-700, 737-800 and the 737-900ER; for Airbus, the A318, A319 and A320.

BOEING — Boeing Business Jets come in three models. The smallest, the BBJ, typically seats up to 19 people and goes for about \$48 million in "green condition" without finished interiors. Customers generally spend about \$15 million to have the planes completed.

The BBJ2 costs \$58 million, and the largest, the BBJ3, which launched earlier this year, costs about \$68 million. Those two models seat anywhere from 20 to 60 people.

AIRBUS — Airbus' most popular model, the Airbus Corporate Jet, is based on the A319, seats about 20-50 people and costs about \$55 million finished. The A320 Prestige, the largest model available, seats about 20-60 passengers and costs roughly \$65 million. The company's newest offering, the A318 Elite, comes with a standardized cabin that seats 14 or 18 passengers and starts out around \$45 million finished.

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Party on, Howard: Chairman Dean is a hit

BY MATT GOURAS
Associated Press Writer

TETON VILLAGE, Wyo. — Democratic Party luminaries back East who think it was a waste of money to beef up local organizations in places like Montana and Wyoming don't understand the gains the party can make in the West, state party directors said.

The state party chairmen are firm believers in the 50-state strategy employed by Democratic National Committee Chairman Howard Dean, who took his victory tour to a weekend meeting in this Wyoming resort town of the state chairmen who elected him.

"We have been able to build our party around the state by creating Democratic organizations in every county in the state, for the first time in anyone's living memory," said Jim Farrell, executive director of the

Montana Democratic Party.

"In Washington some people might tend to ignore Montana because it is so frequently considered a red state, but Chairman Dean and his 50 state strategy doesn't look over a state like Montana that has been red in the past," Farrell said.

The DNC under Dean funneled more money to state organizations, which used it to hire full-time organizers and other staff to help organize Democrats and take their message to neighborhoods Democrats had long forgotten about.

But some high-profile Democrats, led by Clinton strategist James Carville, attacked Dean — even in the wake of big election wins for Democrats. They argue more could have been done.

Farrell and his colleagues don't buy it. "Those people criticizing Dean's 50-state

strategy are, by and large, big shot political consultants who have completely lost touch with the grass roots and fail to see its importance," he said. "We know how hard we have to fight to elect Democrats in a state that might be red. We know we can only win by strengthening our grass roots."

Mike Gierau, the Wyoming Democratic Party chairman, said his party used money from the DNC to hire positions it never had before to employ a strategy that he says kept Republicans on the defensive.

"These were Wyoming people who knew Wyoming issues," he said of the new hires.

The organization was in place to take advantage when Democratic newcomer Gary Trauner gained ground on incumbent Republican Rep. Barbara Cubin. In the end the upset bid failed but they came closer than anyone predicted, Gierau said.

Putting money into traditionally red states paid dividends, and will continue to do so, despite criticism from the Washington D.C. Democratic Party establishment, he said.

"It enabled us to stand up and it produced victories around the country," Gierau said.

Todd Taylor, executive director of the Utah Democratic Party, said the DNC used to give his state a few thousand dollars and a little advice over the phone. Now he gets enough money to hire three extra full-time staff positions.

The criticism of Dean's plan to build the local parties has the potential to create a schism in the party. It's almost as if the party insiders believe the state network is not worth the money, Taylor said.

"It almost creates a backlash," Taylor said. "It feels more personal than I am sure it is meant."

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Baa! humbug: Population of bighorn sheep in decline

By The Associated Press

YUMA, Ariz. — The population of desert bighorn sheep on the Kofa National Wildlife Refuge near Yuma in southwestern Arizona has plummeted, a recently completed survey shows.

The survey estimated the sheep population at 390, down by 230 animals from the last survey estimate of 620 in 2003 and fewer than half the 812 sheep estimated in 2000.

The numbers mean that the decline in bighorn sheep on the refuge seen in 2003 continues and that those numbers may have reached or are close to the lowest levels recorded.

U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service officials pointed to drought and possibly predatory mountain lions as the likeliest contributors to the decline.

But environmental groups say there's a much broader reason for the decline, and it's not just predators or lack of water.

"What they do is they look for what I consider is the easy answer, versus taking on the bigger issues," said Sandy Bahr, conservation outreach director for the Sierra Club's Grand Canyon chapter. "For bighorn sheep, certainly, habitat fragmentation is the biggest issue. But instead what they do is say 'well, lions are killing the sheep, so maybe we should kill some lions.'

"I would say that always pointing to mountain lions as a contributing factor is getting old. Clearly, lions and bighorns have evolved together.

The government report noted that the falloff in 2003 came after a severe drought year in 2002.

Fish and Wildlife, which is in charge of the 665,000 acre refuge, has conducted the surveys jointly with the Arizona Game and Fish Department every three years since 1992.

Between 1994 and 1997, a nearly identical decline was seen — from 811 to 600 sheep — with the falloff being noted one year after a severe drought in 1996.

The data reflects an overall downward trend in numbers of the bighorn sheep in southwestern Arizona that began with the drought year of 1996, Fish and Wildlife said.

"While drought is almost certainly the most significant limiting factor for bighorn sheep and other desert species, the continued decline in sheep populations in the face of somewhat improved rainfall conditions

since the 2003 survey is disconcerting and is the subject of ongoing study," Fish and Wildlife said in a release.

Bahr said habitat fragmentation makes drought more difficult for the sheep to survive. That's because roads and highways like Interstate 10 prevent them from moving to other mountain ranges or into areas where Arizona's spotty rainfall may have provided enough forage for them to thrive.

Among possible factors for the decline being studied by Fish and Wildlife is predation by mountain lions, disease, availability of permanent water and public recreational disturbance in areas where female sheep give birth, the agency said.

Resident lions are rare historically on the refuge, according to data, but "recent reports indicate that at least five lions may be using the refuge for significant periods," the service's statement said.

Bahr said one thing Fish and Wildlife officials should consider immediately is seasonal closures of areas where lambs are born to prevent disturbances.

The Kofa population of bighorn sheep has been a significant source for repopulating other herds in Arizona and from Colorado and New Mexico to Texas, including 30 sheep captured and transported in 2005 to the San Andres National Wildlife Refuge in New Mexico.

Fish and Wildlife personnel are researching mountain lion predation, using cameras at waterholes, searching for lion tracks, scat or kills, as well as trying to use radio collars to track lions and recording all sightings reported. Their impact on populations stressed by disease or drought can be substantial, the agency added.

Hunting will be adjusted and relocation minimized to reduce any more impact on the population, the agency said.

Separately, the Arizona Department of Game and Fish announced Friday two bighorn sheep transplant efforts to restore the animals to more of their historic range in central Arizona.

State biologists captured 28 desert bighorn sheep along the Arizona Strip in the northwest part of the state and moved them to a wilderness area about 100 miles to the south. They also captured 31 Rocky Mountain bighorn sheep from an area near the New Mexico border and moved them to central Arizona's Verde Valley.

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Still skating by

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store — AlvaLA, a small hole-in-the-wall located in the Little Ethiopia section of Los Angeles — the skateboarding legend sat amid walls covered in designed skateboards and photographs of himself as a teenager sporting a fluffy, chaotic looking afro.

“I have a pair of those. Those are dope, man,” Alva yelled toward a young customer. “I’m just doing a little interview for a paper in Santa Monica. That’s where I grew up, dude.”

Indeed, Alva is a proud Santa Monican. Born at Santa Monica Hospital in 1957, he grew up on the dirtier side of the city. With an alcoholic for a father, Alva was drawn to the allure of adventure sports like skateboarding and surfing to escape the realities of his home life. The adolescent quickly got in with the older crowd who hung out by the now non-existent Pacific Park Pier. It was there that Alva and his buddies caught waves in between the curvy tracks of former roller coasters which hung messily in the ocean.

In time, Alva’s prowess on the streets and waves garnered attention, and the 16-year-old was asked to join the Zephyr competition team.

“He wasn’t a candidate for the Boy Scouts by any means,” said Jim McDowell, Alva’s old friend and a co-partner at Rip City Skates on Santa Monica Boulevard. “But that was the attraction, and that’s why so many people emulated him. He was treated like a rock star in every sense of the word.”

In 2005, the life stories of Alva and his buddies were made into the feature film “Lords of Dogtown,” starring Heath Ledger. The film was inspired by pal Stacy Peralta’s 2001 documentary “Dogtown and Z-Boys.”

“I had to see the movie four times in the theater before I could accept the way it was told,” said Daniel Clements, manager at Brooklyn Projects Skateboard on Melrose Avenue. Clements said he admired the 19-year-old Alva even as a 10-year-old. “But after the film came out, there were more 12-22-year-olds coming in who were buying more old-school boards, fedoras and Vans than ever.”

Today, McDowell said, Alva remains “an icon in the business,” with a brand name, his own Vans shoe designs and dozens of professional skateboarding titles under his belt.

Alva admits he occasionally goes up in his friend’s helicopter to scout for abandoned neighborhoods with empty pools in which to skate. But as he nears his 50th year, Alva is finally coming to accept his adulthood.

“I always wanted to be Peter Pan,” Alva admitted. “But I’ve let go of that dream. Now I’m a role model and mentor to so many kids, and that responsibility has greater priority to me.”

Alva recently stayed still long enough to speak with the Daily Press.

How has Santa Monica come to define your identity?

“It always has been part of who I am. I was born there in the late ’50s and I was a latch-key kid riding a bicycle and skateboarding all over the neighborhood. I was just a little runt magnetized to the beach. I grew up in the North of Wilshire neighborhood and went to Lincoln Junior High

School. But it was kind of funny because what I did was sociologically, I kind of regressed to the other side of the tracks. I liked to hang out in Ocean Park and the south side and in the grittier parts of town instead of going north to Montana and San Vicente. I was attracted there because of the Pacific Park Pier, which was the epicenter of the hard-core, underground surf scene.”



What happened to the old pier?

“Eventually, it turned into a pyromaniac’s paradise with people burning parts of the pier. The fire department got tired of putting out the fires, so they finally just let the pier burn down and it fell into the ocean. When the winter storms came, the waves distributed the wood into almost an artificial reef. And the waves would become really good there on a swell. Inside the pier, there was a secret spot called ‘The Cove.’ Not everybody was privy to that spot. And from the age of 10 on, I looked up to all the locals and all the old-school surfers and a lot of the guys on the Zephyr competition team who would surf there.”

Why did you want to be a part of their crowd?

“Their skill, their style and the way they carried themselves attracted me. The bravado and the style and the attitude that pervaded their whole crew was intense. Being a surfer back in the day, in Venice and Santa Monica, you tried to have a little bit of low-rider, biker, kind of pirate hybrid personality. They were very rebellious and outcast in society, so they created their own slice of society.”

When did you realize your skateboarding talent?

“I started entering amateur contests in the Westside area. And I was doing really well — I won about every contest I entered right off the bat. Soon, I was asked by the owners of the Zephyr shop — Jeff Ho and Skip Engblom — to join their team and that’s where the legend started to build. We were invaders. We’d go in there like a hockey team at a figure skating competition. We started developing this reputation for not only being competitively fierce but being brash in everybody’s face. That’s when I really started to find my true family.”

How did you begin to market yourself as a brand?

“At 19, I was the men’s overall world professional skateboarding champion at the Hang Ten Carlsbad skatepark. That’s when I got an offer from a guy who was developing skateboard products.”

You’re involved in endorsing many products. Do you harbor any anti-corporate sentiments?

“I think being a professional skateboarder, even if you’re Tony Hawk, is like walking on the edge of a razor blade. Because you’re walking between corporate and hard-core. If you fall to either side, it could be devastating to making a living and to your livelihood. I never sold out and I’ve always come from the hard-core gritty side.”

You were largely influenced by punk rock music. Did you ever skate with music playing?

“There’s photos of me skating and wearing headphones. I used to listen to the rock and roll stations and I’d tie these cheesy Radio Shack headphones on with a bandana. We’d call those photos B.W. — ‘Before Walkman.’”

What’s more difficult, surfing or skating?

“Surfing’s a lot harder. It involves years and years of just learning to get from point A to point B — from the beach to where the waves actually break. That’s called wave knowledge. The reward is actually riding the wave. It took me about five years to be adept. I went through the frustration of just getting beat down by the ocean and more experienced surfers. With skateboarding, I have a technique, but with surfing, I’m just a student. Every day, you’re at the risk hurting yourself.”

Have you ever had any major injuries?

“With surfing, I’ve had more injuries because of the fin of the board and the rocks. I’ve gotten stitches a few times. I’ve broken my teeth and got hit in my eye by the point of the board. Skateboarding, I’ve been pretty fortunate, knock on wood, because I developed a technique for falling off a skateboard. And here I am now, a 49-year-old professional skateboarder.”

How do people react to seeing an adult out there on a board?

“Sometimes they just trip out. Dads will recognize me and have their kids with them. They have to school ’em a little bit like, ‘you know who that guy is?’ And the thing that’s really cool is that young kids are not only riding my boards, but if I go to a skatepark and there’s a lot of kids around, I get a lot of recognition and respect from them. It’s kind of a trip to be not even 50-years-old and there is a movie about me a little kid has seen, or I’m a character in a video game. It’s very surreal.”

What did you think about your portrayal in the feature film “Lords of Dogtown?”

I like Victor Rasuk as an actor. And I think as far as a PG-13 representation of my life goes, it was cool. But as far as the real story goes, it’s more of an R- or an X-rated story. There was sex, drugs, and rock and roll as part of the culture of the ’70s, and you can’t show that stuff in a movie and expect to have a family audience. It was, like, super hard-core. We really were pre-AIDS, pre a lot of things that hold people back.”

Why did you call Santa Monica ‘Dogtown?’

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“Dogtown had a dog-eat-dog kind of atmosphere. It fit our attitude towards life. It was a competitive, crusty, but somehow soulful and beautiful place on the edge of LA.”

Where are the best places to skate in Santa Monica today?

“Ocean Park and Santa Monica Canyon. I still look for underground stuff to skate and I still skate the banks and schools around the areas even though the principles don’t want us there. The janitors don’t really care, they’re cool because we’re not wrecking anything or being vandals. We’re basically just using it as a canvas. It’s an abstract art, skateboarding.”

How has Santa Monica changed since you were a kid growing up here in the ’70s?

“It’s gentrified quite a bit. But the streets haven’t changed. Maybe the buildings and businesses and people have changed, but there’s still that element of unpolished, street-oriented Westside beach town. Santa Monica is really a seedy little filthy paradise. It’s not all clean and sanctified like it looks. I think it’s awesome they just completely outlawed smoking. The city is geared towards a family and a healthy lifestyle. But when I go down there and actually skate and look for the pockets that I love, I look for the seedier parts of town. The two can co-exist.”

What do you think about the owner wanting to redevelop the Horizons West surf and skate shop?

“It’s a bummer. I think there’s so much pressure from people wanting to build condos and lucrative businesses, and it’s hard for them to hang in there. It’s to the neighborhood’s advantage to have something historic and keep the old school vibe around.”

Is there a particular location you hold close to you in the city?

“That statue of Santa Monica at the end of Wilshire at Palisades Park. As soon as I skate by that, that is the iconic symbol for just, like, serenity and peace and the whole cultural definition of what Santa Monica’s all about.”

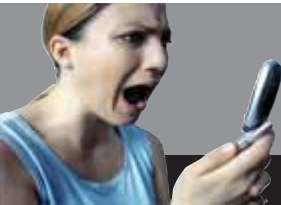
What will your next project be?

“I think I wanna do a photo biography book, 2007 will be my 50th birthday. I have a lot of friends who are photographers and they’ll all contribute photos, and I’ll do the captions.”

Do you think you’ll always have roots in Santa Monica?

“Even if I get off at LAX from being across the world and I need to go straight back to the neighborhood, I just take the number 3 bus for 75 cents or whatever. I’m home in about 5 minutes. I get off the bus and start skating around the neighborhood. I’m seriously grounded home. Wherever I am, if people ask me where I’m from, I say ‘Santa Monica,’ you know? It’ll always be home.”

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received information that the district's AB1200 — a financial plan submitted to the county on Oct. 13 — showed a 5-percent pay raise would have substantial impact on the school's budget, beginning in the second year and into the third year, forcing the district to dip into its reserves.

"These are pretty serious implications," said the district's Financial Oversight Committee Chairman Paul Silvern, alluding to his report to the board last week.

The findings from the AB1200 prompted Los Angeles County to send a letter to outgoing School Board President Julia Brownley seeking a recovery plan that outlined how the district intended to balance the budget.

Silvern suggested the board postpone its vote on the contract, which was to have occurred at the next meeting, on Dec. 14, to allow the district to strike out any information about the pay raise in the first interim financial report to the state.

A deferment on the vote would provide the state with a picture of the school board's finances minus the terms of the contract, giving the school board the potential to receive positive certification in the first interim.

A point of concern for the FOC was that both negotiating parties reached the agreement without considering the financial implication of a 5-percent pay raise, Silvern said.

"The strategy is only now being formulated after the agreement was reached by bargaining parties," Silvern said. "It should've been done the opposite way."

Not only would this undermine the public's confidence in the district's ability to handle its finances, it could have detrimental effects on a future measure to increase parcel taxes to help fund the schools programs, Silvern said.

But the decision was not reached in a vacuum, countered Board President Kathy Wisnicki.

"It was not an emotional decision," Wisnicki said of the tentative agreement.

RAISES RUFFLE FEATHERS

Several residents spoke out in concern over the process by which the agreement was reached, complaining about the lack of transparency and the lack of availability in public records.

"The process itself is very flawed," said resident and parent Chris Harding. "There should not have to be a tussle to get public information."

If ratification next month could jeopardize the school district, the teachers association would support deferring the



De in and de out

Students from Folklorico de SMC perform a Mexican dance piece from "Jalisco" during International Education Week festivities last week at Santa Monica College.

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vote, said Association President Harry Keiley.

The agreement was reached in good faith between both parties and the raise is long overdue in a city where teachers can hardly afford to live, Keiley said.

The cost of living in Santa Monica is so expensive, the district has an average staff turnover rate of 100 teachers per year, Keiley said.

The last time the teachers association received a pay hike was for the 2005-06 school year, when salaries increased by 3 percent. The raise was below the county average for that same time period, when Santa Monica-Malibu Unified ranked 27th out of 47 school districts in the county for salary increases, Keiley said.

If the agreement is eventually ratified, it would take effect July 1 of next year, in time for the 2007-08 school year.

Board members agreed that the teachers in the school district should receive pay raises, but parted ways ideologically as to whether they should stick to the 5-percent figure.

Outgoing school board member Shane McLoud, who is a public school teacher, believes the process could

erode public confidence in the district and supports restructuring the agreement.

He also called the process political, in that school board members up for reelection do try to receive endorsements from the very same teachers association with which they negotiate a contract agreement.

The meeting was McLoud's final as a board member.

"It's ironic that this is the last item I speak on as a board member and I come across as someone who is not in support of this contract, and I'm a teacher," McLoud said.

The school board might not have fully thought out the implications of a 5-percent pay raise, but it should stand by the tentative agreement with the teachers association, said board member Maria Leon-Vazquez.

"At the same time, I do believe we should take a step backwards to look slowly at how we are going to look in terms of the future of the budget to make sure we can comply and move forward," added Leon-Vazquez.

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Weller awaits fate

WELLER, from page 1

with gross negligence.

Following a minor traffic accident on Fourth Street, Weller drove his 1992 Buick LaSabre into the bustling Farmers' Market on Arizona Avenue the day of the crash. Witnesses said Weller tried to flee the scene of the previous accident when he turned his car westward, and into the outdoor market.

Defense attorneys argued that Weller suffered from "pedal error" — a rare phenomenon whereby a panicked driver hits the

accelerator instead of the brake pedal — and was confused and disoriented during the crash. They claimed it was an accident brought on by Weller's inability to think clearly because of his advanced age.

Jurors ultimately sided with the prosecution, which argued that Weller had plenty of time to react and stop his vehicle.

Deputy District Attorney Ann Ambrose said Weller could have easily steered towards a parked truck, instead he chose to drive through "soft targets," killing 10 people, including a 7-month-old boy.

Strings attached amid approval for an eruv

JEWISH ERUV, from page 3

report included attaching streamers to the fishing line between Hurricane Street and Via Marina in Venice — the nesting area of the least tern. The streamers are supposed to make the line more visible for the birds so that they do not hurt themselves flying into it. The Pacific Jewish Center would also have to paint the metal poles to minimize their visibility; monitor and replace any fallen lines or poles within 24 hours; provide a 24-hour contact number to city, county and coastal staffs; and post the number on Los Angeles County information signs.

The recommendation for approval of the project is limited to three years, but the Pacific Jewish Center may ask for an extension at the end of that time.

Other eruvim (plural for eruv) are located throughout Southern California, including one that encompasses much of the Westside, and ones in Irvine and the San Fernando Valley.

The Coastal Commission staff had ini-

tially rejected the request to install an eruv because of the potential impact on public access and public views of the beach, in addition to the bird concerns. But the Jewish Center's proposals to resolve those problems led to the recommendation of approval last month by the staff.

With the new conditions, the installation will be postponed until the Jewish Center can put together a plan with the help of environmental experts, according to Howard Shapiro, project manager for the eruv. Also, the original cost of the installation was estimated at around \$20,000, but that number may now change.

Some people had expressed concern to the Coastal Commission about a religious group using public property. However, the commission had decided that the issue was the concern of the owners of the public property, not of the Coastal Commission, and that the commission should confine its decision to the environmental impact, according to Emerson.



Finding their happy place

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COMMUNITY BRIEFS

‘Beautiful Legacy of Dying Stars’ at SMC

By Daily Press staff

“Going Out in a Blaze of Glory: The Beautiful Legacy of Dying Stars” will be the topic of the next talk in Santa Monica College’s Fall 2006 “Distinguished Scientists Lecture Series,” a series of talks designed for lay audiences.

The lecture will be at 11:15 a.m., Tuesday, Nov. 21, in Science Lecture Hall 145, 1900 Pico Blvd. The lecture is free and open to the public.

The speaker will be Dr. Mark Morris, professor of physics and astronomy at UCLA. Much of Morris’ research is aimed at understanding the innermost regions of the Milky Way Galaxy. He also conducts research on the critical stages of stellar evolution when red giant stars undergo the transition to planetary nebulae.

Morris says that images of dying stars made by the Hubble Telescope and the Keck Telescope in Hawaii reveal a rich variety of morphologies of the stars’ outflowing gas and dust. He will discuss the physical processes that are recognized as responsible for crafting the stars’ striking structures.

The lecture series is sponsored by the SMC Physical Science and Life Science departments and the SMC Associates, a private organization that funds speakers and special

events on campus.

For information, call (310) 434-4003.

Fun way to the runway

By Daily Press staff

Auditions are being held to find Santa Monica’s top young models at Santa Monica Place, Macy’s Court.

Audition Call Winterlit invites all aspiring young models — ages 7-18 — to audition to be one of 20 finalists for the Winterlit Holiday Fashion Show on Saturday, Nov. 25 from 1 to 3 p.m. The event is free, and open to anyone.

Auditioning models should bring a photo and bio, and “dress to impress.” Models under 17 must bring a parent or legal guardian to sign consent form.

James Campbell Productions is facilitating the audition and fashion show. Candidates will be viewed, photographed and selected by a panel of judges, who will announce the finalists at the end of the audition. Finalists will be prepared the following week for the Winterlit Fashion Show on Saturday, Dec. 2.

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BASEBALL

A’s skipper Geren makes it personal

BY JANIE MCCAULEY
AP Sports Writer

OAKLAND, Calif. — Bob Geren began the communication process from the moment he became Oakland’s new manager, dialing every player on his roster to let him know there are no major changes in store for the defending AL West champions.

Yet one key difference apparently will be the strong communication lines, something several Athletics players said after the season was a problem at times under fired manager Ken Macha.

Oakland gave Geren a two-year contract Friday, promoting the former major league catcher to his first managerial job in the majors after extensive experience managing in the minor leagues and winter ball.

“I’m just thrilled to death to do it,” Geren said when introduced at the Coliseum. “The last 24 hours have been one of the most exciting days of my baseball life for sure.”

The A’s monthlong search for a manager spanned from Japan to New York — then ended where it started with Geren, the man who sat alongside Macha all season and someone general manager Billy Beane has long considered ready for the top job.

Geren filled the final managerial vacancy in the major leagues this offseason when he was hired Thursday exactly one month after the A’s dismissed Macha.

Geren spoke to nearly all of his players and left messages for the two he didn’t reach.

“I think I set a cell phone record yesterday,” Geren said. “The players seemed genuinely excited about it. I let them know we’re

not going to do a whole lot of things on the day-to-day basis differently. When you win 93 games, you prepared and went out and did your business the right way. I just let them know I’m going to be on their side, they’re going to have an open line of communication with me and I would fight for them anyway I could.”

Geren had the only managerial experience at any level of the three finalists, a list that also included Colorado bench coach Jamie Quirk and ESPN baseball analyst and former Texas Rangers pitching coach Orel Hershisier. Geren was the first to interview for the job on Oct. 30.

“Different office, same uniform,” said A’s assistant GM David Forst, noting there will be a smooth transition because Geren has been in the organization. “Bob is the best guy for this position and the most prepared to be a manager. It’s a big plus. Like Bob said, we won 93 games and we’re not going to reinvent the wheel.”

Beane could not attend the news conference Friday for his longtime friend because of a death in the family that took him to Alaska. Both men believe that their relationship, which dates to their high school days as opponents in San Diego, and trust will do nothing but help them in running the A’s. Geren was best man in Beane’s second wedding.

“On the professional side, I respect him as the greatest general manager in the game — not because he’s my friend,” Geren said. “He told me, ‘The job will not be given to you or taken from you because of our friendship. Billy is definitely not the only one who made the decision.’”

BASEBALL

Dodgers’ Mueller retires, accepts front office job

BY JOHN NADEL
AP Sports Writer

LOS ANGELES — Former AL batting champion Bill Mueller, limited to 32 games with the Dodgers last season before undergoing what turned out to be career-ending knee surgery, retired Friday and will serve as a special assistant to Los Angeles general manager Ned Colletti.

“In one way, it’s really disappointing, because I love what he brings to the table as a player,” Colletti said. “When he got hurt last year, it was probably as big an injury as we had for what it meant to the club.”

Mueller, who signed a two-year, \$9.5 million contract with the Dodgers last winter, hit .252 with three homers and 15 RBIs while striking out just nine times in 127 plate appearances.

“He’s a very smart guy,” Colletti said. “He’ll be involved with us in scouting, evaluating players, player development areas, amateur draft areas. He’ll be a great sounding board for me.”

Colletti also said on a conference call that the Dodgers were close to completing a deal to retain Nomar Garciaparra, the NL comeback player of the year last season.

“We’re not there yet, but we’re close,” Colletti said.

The 33-year-old Garciaparra, a two-time

AL batting champion and six-time All-Star, hit .303 with 20 homers and 93 RBIs for the Dodgers last season — his first with the team. Injuries limited him to a total of 82 games in the previous two years.

Mueller finishes his career with a .291 average, 85 home runs and 493 RBIs in 11 seasons with the San Francisco Giants, Chicago Cubs, Boston Red Sox and Dodgers.

The 35-year-old third baseman hit .326 and had career-high totals of 171 hits, 19 homers and 85 RBIs with the Red Sox in 2003, when he won his batting championship. He was a member of Boston’s 2004 World Series championship team.

Mueller said he realized as last season went on that he’d never be able to play again because of the damage to his right knee.

“It’s something I’m definitely going to need work on in the future, whether it’s done with one surgery or two separate surgeries,” he said. “It’s something I’m basically going to have to live with the rest of my life, without being able to run or jog, without high-impact activity.

“It’s unfortunate, it’s crazy. I’m just trying to deal with it now, living day-to-day life.”

Mueller and Colletti have known each other for several years. Mueller began his career with the Giants, where Colletti served as assistant GM for nine years before being hired by the Dodgers last November.



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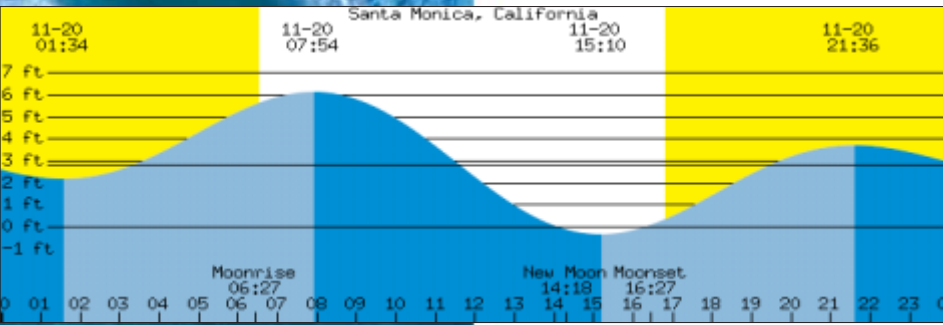
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LOCATION	DRY	WET
Los Carillo Beach, at Arroyo Sepul Creek mouth	A+	ns
Nicholas Beach at San Nicholas Canyon Creek mouth	A	ns
El Pescador State Beach, between Lachness and Los Aliso creeks	A+	ns
Encinitas Canyon at El Morado State Beach	A+	ns
Broad Beach at Torrance Creek mouth	A+	ns
Zuma Beach at Zuma Creek mouth	A+	ns
Walnut Creek, projection of Wildlife Rd. (private)	A	ns
Paradise Cove Pier at Ramirez Canyon Creek mouth	F	ns
Escondido Creek, just east of Escondido State Beach	A	ns
Lariga Canyon Creek mouth	A	ns
Selkirk Canyon at Don Blocker County Beach	A	ns
Puero State Beach at creek mouth	A+	ns
Marie Canyon storm drain at Puero Beach, at 24572 Malibu Rd.	F	ns
Serfider Beach at Malibu Canyon fence	A	ns
Serfider Beach (beach location) - daily	B	ns
Malibu Pier - 50 yards east	A	ns
Carbon Beach at Sweetwater Canyon	A+	ns
Las Flores State Beach at Las Flores Creek (joint zone)	A+	ns
Big Rock Beach at 19848 PCH stairs	D	ns
Pine Creek at Los Tunes County Beach	A+	ns
Tuna Canyon	ns	ns
Topanga State Beach at creek mouth	B	ns
Castroville Storm Drain at Castle Rock Beach	F	ns
Santa Ynez Storm Drain at Castle Rock Beach	F	ns
Will Rogers State Beach at 17200 PCH (1/4 mile east of Sunset drain)	A+	ns

LEGEND

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ns — no sample taken



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LOCATION	DRY	WET
Will Rogers State Beach at Bel Air Bay Club drain near fence	A+	ns
Will Rogers State Beach at Palga Canyon storm drain	A+	ns
Will Rogers State Beach at Tenesca Canyon drain	A+	ns
Will Rogers State Beach at Santa Monica Canyon drain (Chautauqui)	F	ns
Santa Monica Beach at Marlene Ave. drain	D	ns
Santa Monica Beach at Wilshire Blvd. drain	F	ns
Santa Monica Municipal Pier	F	ns
Santa Monica Beach at Pico/Kenter storm drain	A	ns
Santa Monica Beach at Strand St. (in front of the restaurants)	A+	ns
Ocean Park Beach at Ashland Ave. drain	A	ns
Venice City Beach, at the Raso Ave. storm drain	A+	ns
Venice Beach at Brooks Ave. drain	A+	ns
Venice Beach at Windward Ave. drain	A	ns
Venice Fishing Pier - 50 yards south	A+	ns
Venice Beach- projection of Topanga St.	D	ns
Marina del Rey, Mothers' Beach - Megard tower	D	ns
Dedweiler State Beach at Ballona Creek mouth	A	ns
Dedweiler State Beach at Culver Blvd. drain	A	ns
North Westchester Storm Drain at Dedweiler State Beach	A	ns
Dedweiler State Beach at World Way (south of D&W jetty)	D	ns
Dedweiler State Beach at Imperial Hwy drain	A	ns
Dedweiler Beach- opposite Hyperion Treatment Plant	A	ns
Dedweiler State Beach at Grand Ave. drain	A	ns

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ARIES (March 21-April 19)

★★★★ The unexpected does keep one on his toes, as you will find out. Working with a partner could be instrumental to making the right choices. A new beginning within a partnership or relationship becomes possible, if not probable. Tonight: Team up with that favorite person.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20)

★★★★ What you thought was a given most certainly isn't. You might want to rethink a situation more carefully. You cannot fight city hall, which you'll find out today. Stay together; remain poised. This too will pass. Tonight: Let someone else have the control he or she seeks.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20)

★★★★ Plug into your routine, especially if you feel unsettled. What comes up for you could be very different from what you'd anticipated. Know that more information could be forthcoming. Listen but don't judge. Take in what is being said. Tonight: Easy does it.

CANCER (June 21-July 22)

★★★★★ Use creativity, and you might beat the odds right now. A risk might be too appealing to turn your back on. Remember, a good risk is often worth it, as long as you can deal with the losses. Can you? Tonight: Add more spice to your evenings.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)

★★★ Others could knock the wind out of you. People are unpredictable and demanding at the same time. Have you thought about going on a mini-retreat? Don't play into events, and make clear choices for yourself. Tonight: Head home and slam the door shut.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)

★★★★ Think before you say anything. On some level, you could be stunned by what heads down your path right now. How you react might determine the end results, far more than you realize. Think in terms of positive changes. Tonight: Hang out.

Born Today

Actress Bo Derek (1956)

Comedian Dick Smothers (1939)

Musician, singer Joe Walsh (1947)

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LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22)

★★★ Curb spending and openly say "no" to any risks. You might want to rethink a decision or head in a new direction. Don't make any major decisions in this particular emotional climate. Think positively and wait. Tonight: Infuse laughter into whatever you do.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21)

★★★★★ New beginnings become possible much sooner than you realize. What might feel and look like a major shake-up will turn to your advantage. Just hang in there and maintain your perspective. You could be thrilled by events. Tonight: Start working on making a long-term wish a reality.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21)

★★★ Don't worry about what is going on. Rather, connect with what you need to do. Your time for action will come much faster than you realize. Suddenly, you will feel enthusiastic. Tonight: Energize and do what you want.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)

★★★★ Use the daylight hours to the max. On some level you might feel as if you are quelling a volcano, but it's simply a planet letting you know it exists. Allow others to express their independence. Tonight: Indulge in some extra R and R.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18)

★★★★ Take a stand. You might need to take a whole different approach. Your perspective involving money proves to be very funny and easy. Listen to someone more carefully. This person will do whatever he or she needs to do to command your attention. Tonight: A must appearance.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20)

★★★★ Read between the lines and get down to basics. You might find that before you know it, your world is totally shaken up. Think through a move carefully, and you'll get better results. You will lean toward the radical. Tonight: A force to be dealt with.

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This year the unexpected occurs, whether you like it or not. Embrace this high-voltage energy with an eye to how you might need to change a situation. You will want to try something very different or walk to another beat. Give yourself this freedom. Somehow, you see life from a different perspective. Create greater authenticity and vitality. If you are single, you will find that much happens out of the blue.

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A trophy life

Running back Smith takes ‘Dancing’ triumph in stride

Emmitt Smith has no illusions about being the winner of ABC's "Dancing with the Stars." "I'm not going to Disneyland. I don't think I'm going to be on the cover a Wheaties box," the three-time Super Bowl champion told

Newsweek magazine in editions arriving on newsstands Monday. The former Dallas Cowboys running back and the NFL's all-time leading rusher beat out actor Mario Lopez, and won a glittering disco ball trophy. He said he and his wife

would display it on fireplace mantel. When asked whether he or former Dancing with the Stars contestant and former NFL wide receiver Jerry Rice had the better dance moves, Smith said, "I'd like to think that I do. I won the cham-

pionship, right?" He added, "I got some calluses on my toes, achy feet and a trophy." Smith said his professional dance partner, Cheryl Burke, wanted to wear green sequins, and that he wanted to try and

coordinate his outfit. He said, "I may put it up for a charitable auction." "Dancing with the Stars" was a surprise hit when it debuted in the summer of 2005.

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Mills grows weary of ‘digs’

Heather Mills McCartney says rumors that she has a romantic relationship with her personal trainer are false, and that she'll never remarry after her four-year union with Paul McCartney fell apart. Mills McCartney, 38, and ex-Beatle McCartney, 64, announced their separation in May and began divorce proceedings in July. They have a 3-year-old daughter, Beatrice.

"I haven't got a lover," Mills McCartney told "Extra" in an interview to be aired Monday and Tuesday. "At the moment, I'm focusing on my daughter." Tabloid newspapers and celebrity-gossip Web sites have speculated that Mills McCartney had become romantic with trainer Ben Amigoni. Mills McCartney says she has received much public support

since the separation, with some people hugging her in the street. She said, "I didn't know that many people cared. You get to know who your friends are and I haven't lost any friends." Mills McCartney didn't comment on her divorce. But she said public perceptions that she was a "gold digger" were misguided. She said 85 percent of her income went to her charity. She

said, "I feel in love for the right reason. I fell in love unconditionally." Mills McCartney touted her vegan diet, which she said was behind her recent weight loss. When asked what projects she had been working on recently, she said: "What I've been developing is a vegan fast food chain and vegan food markets."

AP

No such thing as free autopsy

A private medical examiner who performed an autopsy on **Anna Nicole Smith's** son in the Bahamas said that she hasn't paid him, but he didn't anticipate having to file any legal action to get the compensation. Cyril Wecht said he had been in contact with various Bahamian attorneys representing both Anna Nicole Smith and her companion,

Howard K. Stern. "I do expect it to be resolved in short order. This is not going to be something we're dealing with years down the road," he told The Associated Press by telephone on Saturday. Daniel Smith, 20, died while visiting his mother in a Nassau hospital after the 38-year-old former Playboy Playmate gave

birth to a girl. Wecht said he died from a combination of methadone and antidepressants. Results of an official autopsy and a police investigation have not been released. Wecht said he submitted invoices for payment shortly after he performed the autopsy on Sept. 17. Since then, he said he has been discussing the

issue with Anna Nicole's former attorneys and her current lawyers. Wecht, a forensic pathologist from Pittsburgh who gained fame as a consultant on celebrity cases including Elvis Presley's death, declined to say how much he had charged or to elaborate on his talks with the lawyers.

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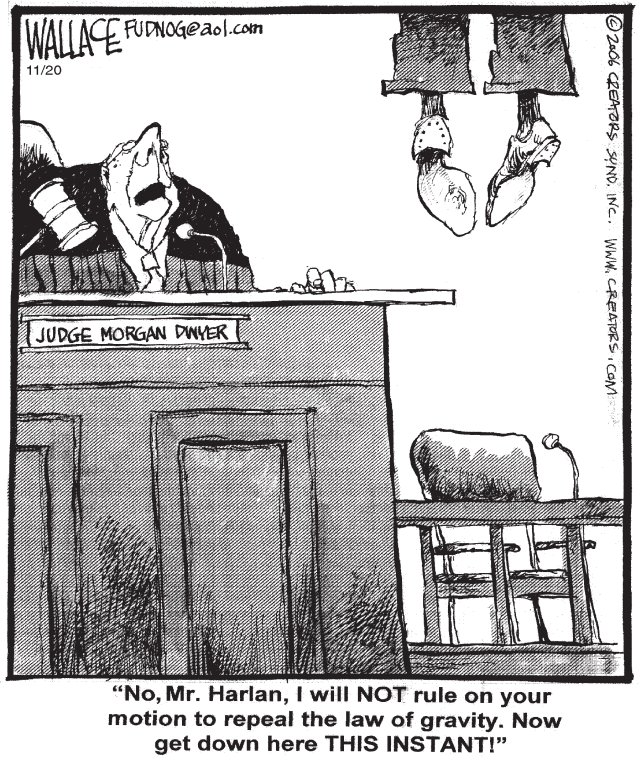
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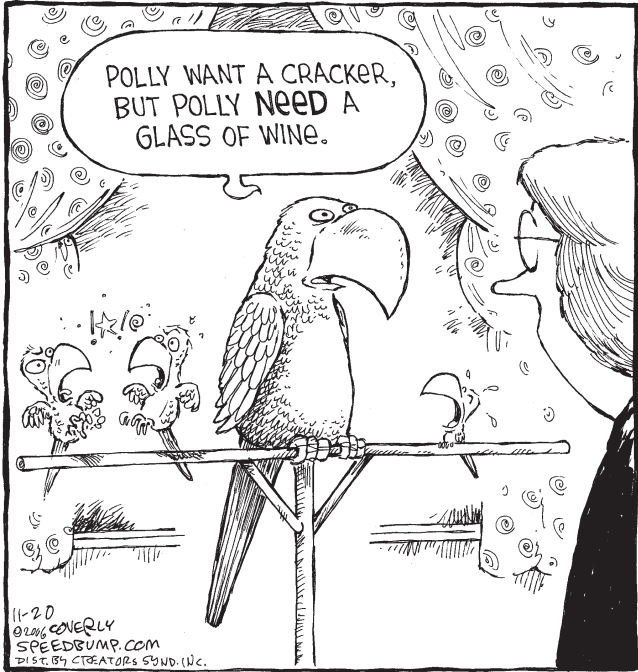
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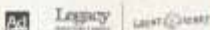


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Date of Filing Application: November 1, 2006
To Whom it may concern:
The Name(s) of the Applicant(s) is/are: NUOVA ROMA INC
The applicants listed above are applying to the Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control to sell alcoholic beverages at: 3110 MAIN STREET, SANTA MONICA, CA 90405-5352
Type of License(s) Applied for: 47 – ON-SALE GENERAL EATING PLACE.
Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control INGLEWOOD.
SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS 11/20/2006

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME
Case No. SS014800
Superior Court of California, County of Los Angeles
Petition of KYMBERLY ANN WOHRLE for Change of Name

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:
Petitioner or Attorney: KYMBERLY ANN WOHRLE filed a petition with this court for a decree of changing names as follows: KYMBERLY ANN WOHRLE to KYMBERLY ANN STOCKDALE and KYMBERLY A. WOHRLE to KYMBERLY A. STOCKDALE and KYMBERLY WOHRLE to KYMBERLY STOCKDALE. The court orders that all persons interested in this matter shall appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted.

Notice of Hearing:
Date: DECEMBER 14, 2006 Time: 9:00, Dept. A., Room 104
The address of the court is 1725 Main St., Santa Monica, CA 90401.

A copy of this Order to Show Cause shall be published at least once each week for four successive weeks prior to the date set for hearing on the petition in the following newspaper of general circulation, printed in this county: Santa Monica Daily Press.

Date: October 20, 2006
JUDGE TILLMON
Judge Pro Tem

10/30/2006, 11/6/2006, 11/13/2006, 11/20/2006

T.S.#CR6-1385 Title#: 741960-05 Loan: CR6-1385 A.P. Number 4287-018-038 Notice of Trustee's Sale under Deed Of Trust YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED May 25, 2005, UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. Notice is hereby given that County Records Research, Trustee Division as Trustee, or Successor Trustee, Or Substituted Trustee pursuant to the Deed Of Trust executed by Lawrence Jirucha Recorded on 06/27/2006 as Instrument No. 05-1504520 in Book Page of Official Records in the office of the County Recorder of Los Angeles County, California, and pursuant to the Notice Of Default and Election to Sell thereunder recorded 8/8/2006 in Book , Page , as Instrument No. 06-1754299 of said Official Records, will sell on 12/4/2006 at At

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the front entrance to the Pomona Superior Courts Building, 350 West Mission Blvd., Pomona, CA at 11:20 AM at public auction to the highest bidder for cash (payable at the time of sale in lawful money of the United States), all right, title and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed Of Trust in the property situated in said County and State hereinafter described: As more fully described in said Deed of Trust. The property address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 643 Raymond Avenue Santa Monica, CA 90405 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the property address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is: \$347,117.15. In addition to cash, the Trustee will accept a cashier's check drawn on a State or National Bank, a check drawn by a State or Federal Credit Union or a check drawn by a State or Federal Savings and Loan Association, Savings Association or Savings Bank specified in section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this State. In the event tender other than cash is accepted the Trustee may withhold the issuance of the Trustee's Deed until funds become available to the payee or endorsee as a matter of right. Said sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, express or implied regarding title, possession or encumbrances, to satisfy the indebtedness secured by said Deed, advances thereunder, with interest as provided therein, and the unpaid principal balance of the note secured by said Deed with interest thereon as provided in said note, fees, charges and expenses of the trustee and the trusts created by said Deed Of Trust. Dated: 11/8/2006 County Records Research, as said Trustee Trustee Division 4952 Warner Avenue #105 Huntington Beach, CA, 92649 Trustee's Sale Line (714) 573-1965 Fax Number (714) 846-8720 Sales Website: www.prioritposting.com Phone number (714) 846-6634 By: Kurt S. De Meire County Records Research, Trustee Div. P263499 11/13, 11/20, 11/27/2006

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2360173 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as PRECISION LOCK & KEY, 2206 LINCOLN BLVD., SANTA MONICA, CA 90405. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : EFRAIN NAVARRO, 4431 10TH AVE, LOS ANGELES, CA 90043, CESAR NAVARRO, 144 W. KELSO ST., INGLEWOOD, CA 90301 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/: EFRAIN NAVARRO, CESAR NAVARRO
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 10/24/2006. 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 10/30/2006, 11/6/2006, 11/13/2006, 11/20/2006

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2350062 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as LESLIE PODOLSKY DESIGN, 2332 FOX HILLS DR, #301, LOS ANGELES, CA 90064. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : LESLIE PODOLSKY, 2332 FOX HILLS DR, #301, LOS ANGELES, CA 90064 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)10/23/2006. /s/: LESLIE PODOLSKY
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 10/23/2006. 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 10/30/2006, 11/6/2006, 11/13/2006, 11/20/2006

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2306689 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as ALU & BROTHERS, 11029 BACKFORD ST., S. EL MONTE, CA, 91733. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : MOISES ACOSTA, 11029 BACKFORD ST., S. EL MONTE, CA, 91733 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/: MOISES ACOSTA

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14411et seq.,Business and Professions Code). SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS to publish 10/30/2006, 11/20/2006, 11/6/2006, 11/13/2006

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2370280 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as DANCE THE BASICS, 1262 GRANVILLE AVE, #2, LA, CA 90025. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : ETHAN THOMAS SHOLES, 1262 GRANVILLE AVE, #2, LOS ANGELES, CA 90025 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/: ETHAN T. SHOLES

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 10/25/2006. 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 10/30/2006, 11/6/2006, 11/13/2006, 11/20/2006

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2380402 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as INTERNATIONAL COMPUTER EQUIPMENT, 3348 W. EL SEGUNDO BLVD, HAWTHORNE, CA 90250. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : MICHAEL MARINO, 3348 W. EL SEGUNDO BLVD, HAWTHORNE, CA 90250, GLORIA MARINO, 3348 W. EL SEGUNDO BLVD, HAWTHORNE, CA 90250 This Business is being conducted by, husband and wife. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)12/11/1993. /s/: MICHAEL MARINO, GLORIA MARINO

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2380401 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as LOOX CAR, 4540 HAZELTINE AVE, #1, SHERMAN OAKS, CA 91423. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : EMIL MERGREGH, 4540 HAZELTINE AVE, #1, SHERMAN OAKS, CA 91423 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/: EMIL MERGREGH
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2380404 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as DAVID LIVINGSTONE CONSULTING, LIFE TRAINING INTERNATIONAL, 1457 12TH STREET, SANTA MONICA, CA 90405. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : DAVID F. LIVINGSTONE, 1457 12TH STREET, SANTA MONICA, CA 90405 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/: DAVID LIVINGSTONE

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2380400 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as AMD LTD. , 1911 COLBY AVE., LOS ANGELES, CA 90025-5407. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : ANDREA JOAN D'ORAZIO, 1911 COLBY AVE., LOS ANGELES, CA 90025-5407 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)5/11/1985. /s/: ANDREA JOAN D'ORAZIO
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2287015 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as BOUNTIFUL CAREGIVER AGENCY, 18309 FAIRVIEW LANE, TORRANCE, CA, 90504. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : XYRIS ENTERPRISES, INC., CA, 18309 FAIRVIEW LANE, TORRANCE, CA, 90504 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/: XYRIS ENTERPRISES, INC., MUQEET DADABHOY, PRESIDENT

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2285037 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as CAHVA INVESTMENTS & MANAGEMENT, P.O. BOX 18647, LONG BEACH, CA, 90807. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : GUILLERMO HERNANDEZ, 2629 E. JACKSON ST., CARSON, CA, 90810; LETICIA HERNANDEZ, 2629 E. JACKSON ST., CARSON, CA, 90810; GERALDO CARRILLO, 2629 E. JACKSON ST., CARSON, CA, 90810 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/: GUILLERMO HERNANDEZ, LETICIA HERNANDEZ, GERALDO CARRILLO; ALEJANDRA VALDEZ
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2285013 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as CHUCKY'S ELECTRICAL SUPPLY, 11737 DOWNEY AVE., DOWNEY, CA, 90240. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : JESSE NORZAGARAY, 11737 DOWNEY AVE., DOWNEY, CA, 90240 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/: JESSE NORZAGARAY
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2360153 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as PREMIUM PROPERTIES, 16429 SHADOW MOUNTAIN DRIVE, PACIFIC PALISADES, CA 90272. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : KAPIL VIR MUNJAL, 723 PALISADES BEACH ROAD, #104, 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/: KAPIL VIR MUNJAL
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2316483 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as FIESTA FIESTA PARTY SUPPLY & GIFT SHOP, 8656 BEVERLY BLVD. PICO RIVERA, CA, 90660. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : RAUL MARTINEZ, 6038 AZRA ST., BELLGARDENS, CA, 90201; ALICE MARTINEZ, 6038 AZRA ST., BELLGARDENS, CA, 90201 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/: RAUL MARTINEZ; ALICE MARTINEZ

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2287046 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as TECHNOLOGY SOLUTIONS; TECHNOLOGY TECHS, 7043 N. MUSCATEL AVE., SAN GABRIEL, CA, 91775. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : GLADDYS GARCIA, 7043 N. MUSCATEL AVE., SAN GABRIEL, CA, 91775 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/: GLADDYS GARCIA

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2306857 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as TABBMEDIA, 955 MALTMAN AVE., LA, CA, 90026. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : BENJAMIN TABB, 955 MALTMAN AVE., LA, CA, 90026; JAMIESON TABB, 955 MALTMAN AVE., LA, CA, 90026 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/: BENJAMIN TABB; JAMIESON TABB

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2380405 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as HEAVENLY FLATBREAD, INC.; HEAVENLY FLATBREAD; AI #/ON 2905075, 1315 CEDAR ST., SANTA MONICA, CA 90405. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : HEAVENLY FLATBREAD, INC. (CORP CALIFORNIA), 1315 CEDAR ST., SANTA MONICA, CA 90405 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)8/15/2006. /s/: HEAVENLY FLATBREAD, INC., PRESIDENT, JAMES SHEPHERD

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2336769 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as FANTAZIA; TAIDA; TOP NOVELTY ENTERPRISE; AI #/ON 2842962, 1206 S. MAPLE STREET #700, LOS ANGELES, CA, 90015. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : TOP NOVELTY ENTERPRISE, INC., 1206 S. MAPLE STREET #700, LOS ANGELES, CA, 90015 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)10/16/2006. /s/: TOP NOVELTY ENTERPRISE, INC., DANY SEPARZADEH, PRESIDENT

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2380403 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as 99 BLUE BANANAS; AI #/ON 2813785, 3651 S. BENTLEY AVE, LA, CA 90034. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : STARNET HOME SYSTEMS, INC., (CA), 3651 S. BENTLEY AVE, LA, CA 90034 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/: STARNET HOME SOLUTIONS, INC., CEO, A. YANNOUKOS

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2316401 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as ONE STOP MINI MART, 1835 SOUTH MAIN STREET, LOS ANGELES, CA, 90015. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : MAURICIO SANCHEZ, 530 SOUTH NORMANDIE AVE. #4, LOS ANGELES, CA, 90020; YESENIA MORELOS, 530 SOUTH NORMANDIE AVE #4, LOS ANGELES, CA, 90020 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/: MAURICIO SANCHEZ; YESENIA MORELOS

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2316371 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as M.C. VERONICA'S MINI MARKT, 4900 S. VERMONT AVE., LA, CA, 90037. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : JORGE OLVERA, 302 E. 52 ST., LA, CA, 90011 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)10/13/2006. /s/: JORGE OLVERA

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2316375 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as LILI'S REGISTRATION SERVICES, 18981 RADBY ST., R HTS, CA, 91748. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : LILIA MUNOZ, 18981 RADBY ST., R HTS, CA, 91748 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/: LILIA MUNOZ

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2316733 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as KUNG PAO KITTY, 6445 HOLLYWOOD BLVD., LOS ANGELES, CA, 90028. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : WISEMAN PARK LLC, 6445 HOLLYWOOD BLVD., LOS ANGELES, CA, 90028 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)11/1/2003. /s/: WISEMAN PARK LLC, PAUL OBERMAN, PRESIDENT

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2316461 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as H.V.A.C.R.X., 641 EL CAMINO DRIVE, LA HABRA, CA, 90631. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : LARRY MADRID, 641 EL CAMINO DRIVE, LA HABRA, CA, 90631 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)10/18/2006. /s/: LARRY MADRID

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2316466 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as GORDOS 99 CTVS AND UP & MINI MART, 5159 SOUTH WESTERN, LOS ANGELES, CA, 90062. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : MARIA CRISTINA OLIVIER, 1434 W. 30TH ST., LA, CA, 90007 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/: MARIA OLIVIER

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2306576 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as FOREVER TAN, 1106-B NORTH CITRUS STREET, COVINA, CA, 91722. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : KERRY GRIEGO, 15930 THREE PALMS, HACIENDA HEIGHTS, CA, 91745 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/: KERRY GRIEGO

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2326471 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as THE SWEET SPOT, 2100 E. FIRST STREET, LA, CA,90033. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : RITA NAJJAR, 3923 FLOWER DR., LOS ANGELES, CA, 90037 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)10/15/2006. /s/: RITA NAJJAR

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2336770 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as ART ENTERPRISES, 205 S. BEVERLY DR. #207, BEVERLY HILLS, CA, 90212. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : AHMAD R. TALEBAN, 928 S. SHERBOURNE DR. #7, LA, CA, 90035 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)10/16/2006. /s/: AHMAD TALEBAN

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2336772 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as 99 RENT A CAR; AI #/ON 2843649, 8919 ELLIS AVE, LOS ANGELES, CA, 90034. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : CODE 126, INC., 8919 ELLIS AVE., LOS ANGELES, CA, 90034 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)10/16/2006. /s/: CODE 126, INC., BAHRAM SAMOUKHIAN, PRESIDENT

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2596955 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as ULTIMATE FASHION W.SALE, 11041 SANTA MONICA BLVD., #325, LA, CA 90025. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : AHMAD SALEH QARYOUTI, 11041 SANTA MONICA BLVD., #325, LA, 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)11/1/2003. /s/: AHMAD SALEH QARYOUTI

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2353440 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as SOUTHWEST REALTY AND INVESTMENT; AI # / ON 2777350, 1441 E. 60TH ST., LA, CA, 90001. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : OLD AND NEW STYLE, INC., 1441 E. 60TH ST., LA, CA, 90001 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)10/23/2006. /s/: OLD AND NEW STYLE, MARIE LEVEN, SECRETARY

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2336773 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as ROMEO TEXTILE, 305 E. 9TH STREET #121, LOS ANGELES, CA, 90015. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : HASHANA 5767, INC., 305 E. 9TH STREET #121, LOS ANGELES, CA, 90015 This Business is being con-

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ducted by, a corporation. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)10/16/2006. /s/: HASHANA 5767, INC., SIAMAK SEDAGHATI, PRESIDENT

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2336318 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as RED LINE TRUCK COM, 2065 W. ORANGE GROVE AV., POMONA, CA, 91768. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : RIGOBERTO LOPEZ ALCANTARA, 2065 W. ORANGE GROVE AV., POMONA, CA, 91768 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/: RIGOBERTO LOPEZ ALCANTARA

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2384111 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as NEW VISION INTERNATIONAL TV (KNUV), 10335 GARVEY AVE., EL MONTE, CA, 91733. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : SHARON WU, 15818 HARVEST MOON ST., LA PUENTE, CA, 91744 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)9/11/2000. /s/: SHARON WU

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2359943 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as MONTERY FASHION WHOLESALE, 3150 A. MAXSON RD., EL MONTE, CA, 91732. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : YUSRA ALBADAWI, 2646 SEAMAN AVE., EL MONTE, CA, 91733 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/: YUSRA ALBADAWI

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2336771 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as DREAM BLANKET, 1212 SANTEE STREET, LOS ANGELES, CA, 90015. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : MAKIL LIMOUDIM, 1431 S. SHENANDOAH APT #3, LOS ANGELES, CA, 90035 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)10/19/2006. /s/: MAKIL LIMOUDIM

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2379914 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as DIAMOND

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PLUMBING AND REMODELING, 1501 GERARD DR., DIAMOND BAR, CA, 91765. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : WEN SHENG WU, 1501 GERARD DR., DIAMOND BAR, CA, 91765 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/: WEN SHENG WU

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2336782 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as CHENICE BEVERLY HILLS PASADENA, 990 S. ARROYO PWY #21, PASADENA, CA, 91105. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : MONICA ALARCON, 6311 MONTEREY RD. #314, LA, CA, 90042 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 ALARCON

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2336982 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as A-LIST DRAIN & SEWER COMPANY; A-LIST DRAIN & SEWER CLEANING, 4805 COOLIDGE AVE., CULVER CITY, CA . The full name of registrant(s) is/are : JEFFREY TERUJO ONDO, 4805 COOLIDGE AVE, CULVER CITY, CA 90230 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/: JEFFREY ONDO

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2384307 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as TULKU, 903 CENTINELA AVE, SANTA MONICA, CA 90403. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : CARLA SUSANA FERNANDEZ REFOJO, 903 CENTINELA AVE, 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)7/13/2006. /s/: CARLA SUSANA FERNANDEZ REFOJO

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Statement of Abandonment of Use of Fictitious Business Name
Document Record # 06 2438367
Current File No. 03-1137177
State of California, County of Los Angeles
The following person(s) has/have abandoned the use of the fictitious Business name:
FERNY'S WORLD
located at 6607 ATLANTIC AVE. #29, BELL, CA, 90201
The fictitious business name referred to above was filed on 04/22/2003
In the county of LOS ANGELES.
MARLENE PEREZ, 8866 LINDEL AVE #4, DOWNEY, CA, 90240
This business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL /s/ MARLENE PEREZ
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 11/02/2006. Published: SANTA MONICA DAILY PRESS 11/13/2006, 11/20/2006, 11/27/2006, 12/04/2006

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2402159 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as MCT WIRELESS, 301 S. WESTERN AVE., #111, LA, CA, 90020. The

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full name of registrant(s) is/are : FRANKY JONG PARK, 301 S. WESTERN AVE., #111, LA, CA, 90020 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/: FRANKY J. PARK

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2438369 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as KUNVAR INTERNATIONAL; DREAMS COLLECTIONS, 22910 ASPEN KNOLL DR., DIAMOND BAR, CA, 91765. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : ANUP DOSAJ, 22910 ASPEN KNOLL DR., DIAMOND BAR, CA, 91765; SAKSHI DOSAJ, 22910 ASPEN KNOLL DR., DIAMOND BAR, CA, 91765 This Business is being conducted by, husband and wife. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)2/17/2004. /s/: ANUP DOSAJ; SAKSHI DOSAJ

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2428765 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as K AND R FAMOUS EVENTS AND ENTERTAINMENT, 3335 ARTESIA BLVD, UNIT 32, TORRANCE, CA, 90504. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : KIMBERLY LA TRICE JONES, 3335 ARTESIA BLVD, UNIT 32, TORRANCE, CA, 90504; RICO DONNELL MARTIN, 3335 ARTESIA BLVD, UNIT 32, TORRANCE, CA, 90504 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/: KIMBERLY L. JONES; RICO D. MARTIN

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 11/1/2006. 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 11/13/2006, 11/20/2006, 11/27/2006, 12/4/2006

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2402160 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as JONG JONG LIMO, 4210 VIA ARBOLADA #216, LA, CA, 90042. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : PETER S. PARK, 4210 VIA ARBOLADA #216, LA, CA, 90042 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/: PETER S. PARK

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This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 10/31/2006. 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 11/13/2006, 11/20/2006, 11/27/2006, 12/4/2006

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2391609 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as BRO'S. CORTÉZ MEXICAN FOOD, 16100 E. OLD VALLEY BLVD., LA PUENTE, CA, 91744. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : ROGELIO CORTÉZ, 16109 ABBEY ST., LA PUENTE, CA, 91744 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)10/16/1974. /s/: ROGELIO CORTÉZ This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 10/27/2006. 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 11/13/2006, 11/20/2006, 11/27/2006, 12/4/2006

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2402171 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as ASI INTERNATIONAL WHOLESALE, 10411 LONG BEACH BLVD., LYNNWOOD, CA, 90262. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : MANUELA C. FLORES ZAVALA, 2459 E. 111TH ST., 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)6/28/2006. /s/: MANUELA CRISTINA ZAVALA

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2428836 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as AR FIRE PROTECTION; AN CLEANING, 1772 WRIGHT ST., POMONA, CA, 91766. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : AUSENCIO REYES, 1772 WRIGHT ST., POMONA, CA, 91766 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)4/10/2001. /s/: AUSENCIO M. REYES This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 11/01/2006. 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 11/13/2006, 11/20/2006, 11/27/2006, 12/4/2006

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2310242 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as ACE MOTEL, 6428 S. BROADWAY ST., LOS ANGELES, CA, 90003. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : DINESHKUMAR M. PATEL, 6928 S. BROADWAY ST., LOS ANGELES, CA, 90003; SONIYA DINESHKUMAR PATEL, 6928 S. BROADWAY ST., LOS ANGELES, CA, 90003 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/: DINESH KUMAR M. PATEL; SONIYA DINESHKUMAR PATEL This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 10/17/2006. 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

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2438366 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as 4THEK WITNESSWEAR, 3154 E. GAGE AVE., HUNTINGTON PARK, CA, 90255. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : RAFAEL BARRIENTOS, 3154 E. GAGE AVE., HUNTINGTON PARK, CA, 90255 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/: RAFAEL BARRIENTOS

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2449601 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as PANOPTICON PRODUCTIONS, 3715 MIDVALE AVE. APT #4, LOS ANGELES, CA, 90034. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : KENNETH K. DODGE, 3715 MIDVALE AVE. APT #4, LOS ANGELES, CA, 90034; ANDRE N. QUERY, 2017 ARGYLE AVE. APT #211, LOS ANGELES, CA, 90068 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/: KEN DODGE; ANDRE QUERY This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 11/3/2006. 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 11/13/2006, 11/20/2006, 11/27/2006, 12/4/2006

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2449604 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as SOUTH BAY MAGAZINE; AI #/ON: C2600403, 2118 WILSHIRE BLVD. SUITE 590, SANTA MONICA, CA, 90403. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : DISCOVER MAGAZINE PUBLISHING, INC., CALIFORNIA, 20646 PCH, MALIBU, CA, 90265 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/: DISCOVER MAGAZINE PUBLISHING, INC., CHRISTOPHER JOSEPH LENTO, PRESIDENT/CEO This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 11/3/2006. 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 11/13/2006, 11/20/2006, 11/27/2006, 12/4/2006

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2449602 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as SPUNKY BUNKY, 9726 KLINGERMANN STREET, SOUTH EL MONTE, CA, 91733. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : BETTY LIN, 2852 SAWTELLE BLVD #29, LOS ANGELES, CA, 90064; SESORIA HYE KIM, 414 S. CLOVERDALE AVE. #108, LOS ANGELES, CA, 90036 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/: SESORIA H. KIM; BETTY LIN

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2449605 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as JAVID & ASSO-CIATES; KHORSHEED; JAVID & JAVID, 1619 BROCKTON AVE. APT #2, LOS ANGELES, CA, 90025. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : FARROKH JAVID, 1619 BROCKTON AVE. APT #2, LOS ANGELES, CA, 90025 This Business is being conducted by, an individual. Signed: Registrant has not yet begun to transact business under the

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fictitious name or names listed herein.. /s/: FAR-ROKH JAVID This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 11/3/2006. 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 11/13/2006, 11/20/2006, 11/27/2006, 12/4/2006

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2449603 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as CD VINYL, 11 S. VENICE BLVD #102, VENICE, CA, 90291. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : CRAIG CATHCART, 11 S. VENICE BLVD. #102, VENICE, CA, 90291 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/: CRAIG CATHCART This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 11/3/2006. 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 11/13/2006, 11/20/2006, 11/27/2006, 12/4/2006

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2438355 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as KEYGROUP WORLDWIDE, 17537 CANDELA DR., ROWLAND HEIGHTS, CA, 91748. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : KEYGROUP WORLDWIDE, 17537 CANDELA DR., ROWLAND HEIGHTS, CA, 91748 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/: KEYGROUP WORLDWIDE, JEANNY LIU, C.E.O. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 11/2/2006. 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 11/13/2006, 11/20/2006, 11/27/2006, 12/4/2006

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2502516 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as GWL LIVE EVENTS; AI # ON: C150706, 1601 CLOVERFIELD BLVD., SUITE 420S, SANTA MONICA, CA, 90404. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : PEPE BUS, LLC, 1601 CLOVERFIELD BLVD., SUITE 420S, SANTA MONICA, CA, 90404 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/: PEPE BUS, LLC, WILLIAM DREKER, V.P. FINANCE This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 11/13/2006. 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 11/20/2006, 11/27/2006, 12/4/2006, 12/11/2006

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2482667 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Taxi Maxi, 15904 Strathern Str. #25, Van Nuys, CA 91406. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Vardan Kosyan, 15904 Strathern Str. #25, Van Nuys, CA 91406 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/: Vardan Kosyan 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 11/13/2006, 11/20/2006, 11/27/2006, 12/4/2006

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2482668 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Never Take A Taxi, 15904 Strathern Str. #25, Van Nuys, CA 91406. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Vardan Kosyan, 15904 Strathern Str. #25, Van Nuys, CA 91406 This Business is being conducted by,

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2482665 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as I Need A Cab, 15904 Strathern Str. #25, Van Nuys, CA 91406. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Vardan Kosyan, 15904 Strathern Str. #25, Van Nuys, CA 91406 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/: Vardan Kosyan 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 11/13/2006, 11/20/2006, 11/27/2006, 12/4/2006

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2482666 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Got Cab?, 15904 Strathern Str. #25, Van Nuys, CA 91406. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Vardan Kosyan, 15904 Strathern Str. #25, Van Nuys, CA 91406 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/: Vardan Kosyan 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 11/13/2006, 11/20/2006, 11/27/2006, 12/4/2006

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2415128 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Formosa Barendtng Academy, 7156 Santa Monica Blvd, West Hollywood, CA 90046. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Dominick Villani, 8960 Cynthia Street #205, West Hollywood, CA 90069; William L Wagner, 4664 Los Feliz Blvd #306, Los Angeles, CA 90027 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/: Dominick Villani, William L Wagner 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 11/13/2006, 11/20/2006, 11/27/2006, 12/4/2006

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2502519 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as PRINCIPLE FINANCIAL GROUP; PRINCIPLE FINANCIAL, 229 BICKNELL AVE. #108, SANTA MONICA, CA, 90405. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : SHAKKEEB KHAIRZAD, 229 BICKNELL AVE #108, SM, 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)9/1/2006. /s/: SHAKKEEB KHAIRZAD This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 11/13/2006. 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 11/20/2006, 11/27/2006, 12/4/2006, 12/11/2006

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2502520 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as SCHEID RE-ALTY INT'L; SIGMA FINANCIAL; TERRY SCHEID RE-

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ALTY, 9454 WILSHIRE BLVD., BEVERLY HILLS, CA, 90212. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : PHILLIP SCHEID, 9454 WILSHIRE BLVD., BEVERLY HILLS, CA, 90212; TERRI SCHEID, 9454 WILSHIRE BLVD., BEVERLY HILLS, CA, 90212 This Business is being conducted by, a general partnership. Signed: The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)11/13/2006. /s/: PHILLIP SCHEID; TERRI SCHEID This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 11/13/2006. 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 11/20/2006, 11/27/2006, 12/4/2006, 12/11/2006

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2502518 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as RED ROCK DESIGN & CONSTRUCTION, 1124 26 ST., SANTA MONICA, CA, 90403. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : EDWARD D. KORVIN, 1124 26TH, 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/: EDWARD D. KORVIN This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 11/13/2006. 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 11/20/2006, 11/27/2006, 12/4/2006, 12/11/2006

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2502517 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as FIRSTFED INVESTMENT SERVICES; AI# ON: 981251437-2116 509, 401 WILSHIRE BLVD., 4TH FLOOR, SANTA MONICA, CA, 90401. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : FIRSTFED FINANCIAL CORP, 401 WILSHIRE BLVD., 4TH FLOOR, SANTA MONICA, CA, 90401 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/: FIRSTFED FINANCIAL CORP., ANN E. LEDERER, SENIOR VICE PRESIDENT/GENERAL COUNSEL This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 11/13/2006. 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 11/20/2006, 11/27/2006, 12/4/2006, 12/11/2006

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2430442 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Starmaker Media, 2505 4th St. #107, Santa Monica, CA 90405. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Lesley Ann C. Bayron, 2505 4th St. #107, 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)9/1/2006. /s/: Lesley Ann C. Bayron This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 11/01/2006. 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 11/20/2006, 11/27/2006, 12/4/2006, 12/11/2006

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2502596 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as E2 Auctions, 11310 Santa Monica Blvd, Los Angeles, CA 90025. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Janell Enterprises, Inc. 11310 Santa Monica Blvd, Los Angeles, CA 90025 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/: Marianne Pillarella, President This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 11/13/06. 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

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2370657 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as Redhead Shopping, 900 Wilshire Blvd #118, Santa Monica, CA 90401. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : Courtney Brandt, 900 Wilshire Blvd #118, Santa Monica, CA 90401 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/: Courtney Brandt This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 10/25/06. 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 11/20/2006, 11/27/2006, 12/4/2006, 12/11/2006

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2392071 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as SACRED EARTH GARDENING, SACRED EARTH GREETINGS, 2908 EXPOSITION BLVD., #2, SANTA MONICA, CA 90404. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : CHRISTINE WALKER, 2908 EXPOSITION BLVD., #2, SANTA MONICA, CA 90404 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/: CHRISTINE WALKER

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2541332 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as JUDY'S SPOTLIGHT, AI #/ON 2901824, 1425 STANFORD ST #6, SANTA MONICA, CA 90404. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : SPOTLIGHT CORP, INC., (CALIFORNIA), 1425 STANFORD ST #6, SANTA MONICA, CA 90404 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)9/1/2006. /s/: SPOTLIGHT CORP, OWNER, JUDY KANG This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 11/16/06. 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 11/20/2006, 11/27/2006, 12/4/2006, 12/11/2006

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES STATEMENT FILE NO. 06 2541333 FIRST FILING. The following person(s) is (are) doing business as INJUN TERRITORY CO., THE INJUN TERRITORY CO, CAMO WEST CALI, 850 2ND ST, #106, SANTA MONICA, CA 90403. The full name of registrant(s) is/are : LAWRENCE KOLB, 850 2ND ST, #106, 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/: LAWRENCE KOLB

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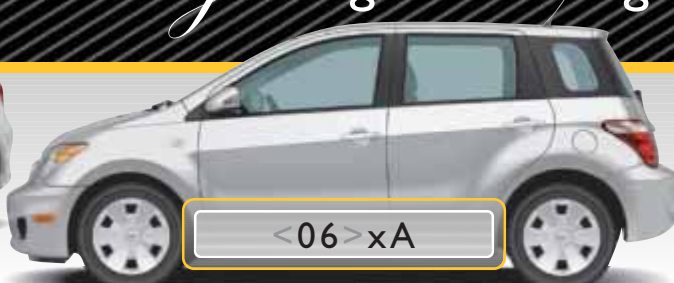


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