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THE BACK TO THE GRIND ISSUE

## California's Republicans dying out?

**MICHAEL R. BLOOD**
AP Political Writer

LOS ANGELES Republicans are relishing the coming of a new day on Capitol Hill. But across the country in California, the party of Nixon and Reagan is drifting toward obscurity.

The latest sign of imperiled health: In a year Republicans notched big victories in Congress, governor's offices and statehouses around the nation, California Democrats made a clean sweep of eight statewide contests on Nov. 2. Democrats padded their majority in the Legislature, where the party controls both chambers and no congressional seats changed parties.

California counted more registered Republicans in 1988 than it does today, even though the state population has since grown by about 10 million. Setting aside the politically ambidextrous Gov. Arnold Schwarzenegger, whose celebrity eclipsed his Republican registration, the California GOP counts only a single victory in 21 statewide contests since 2002 — that of insurance commissioner in 2006.

You'd have to go back more than two decades to find a Republican, George H.W. Bush, who carried the state in a presidential election.

"They know who we are and they don't like us," former state Republican Party Chairman Duf Sundheim says bluntly. "The brand of the Republican Party in California is tarnished."

With the U.S. House majority in hand and an eye toward 2012, Republicans in Washington have staked out plans for tax cuts and undercutting President Barack Obama's health care reforms. The situation in California presents a reverse image, where Republican influence has been marginalized. Voters this month cleared the Legislature to pass budgets with a majority vote — down from a two-thirds threshold — that will allow Democrats to pass a spending plan without Republican support.

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**TREE TIME**

Brandon Wise *brandonw@smdp.com*

**Barney Hernandez (right) and his wife Sandy search for a Christmas tree at Shawn's Christmas Tree lot on the corner of 23rd Street and Wilshire Boulevard on Saturday.**

## City Hall goes light on some code violations

**BY NICK TABOREK**
Daily Press Staff Writer

CITY HALL Bicyclists who break Santa Monica law by riding on the sidewalk caught a break of their own last week, as the City Council agreed to reduce the penalty for that offense, and several others, from a misdemeanor to an infraction.

The change came in response to a complaint City Hall received from a cyclist who had been given a misdemeanor citation for sidewalk riding and felt the "inconvenience of going to court was disproportionate to the violation," according to an official report.

The council last Tuesday concurred, and also agreed to lessen the punishment for loitering in parking structures, leaving property or items unattended for longer than 10 minutes on certain public properties and disturbing the peace in public parks.

Under the ordinance change, police officers would still have the option to write misdemeanor citations for the violations but would also be empowered to issue infraction tickets.

City Hall said the move will save money by reducing the amount of time spent prosecuting misdemeanor offenses and will increase the city's income from fine collection, though no estimate of how much the city stands to gain was provided.

The change, which received preliminary approval last Tuesday and must again come before the council before it can take effect, is also aimed at making life easier for transgressors.

"Treating these violations as infractions will allow the person charged with the offense to resolve the matter in the same way as a traffic violation, by simply paying a fine," a City Hall report stated.

While the change means more lenient penalties, it could also mean the likelihood of getting one has increased.

The ordinance change also expanded the list of city personnel who are authorized to issue citations to include employees of the Office of Sustainability and the Environment, license inspectors and animal service officers.

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**Rhyme time**
**Barnes & Noble**
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# Holiday spending off to decent start

**ANNE DINNOCENZIO**
AP Retail Writer

NEW YORK Holiday spending appears to be off to a respectable start, with shoppers crowding stores and malls in bigger numbers than last year on Friday and maintaining steady traffic the rest of the weekend.

Add in strong spending earlier in the month and robust sales online, and retailers are feeling encouraged. That's particularly true because shoppers also scooped up fashion and other items for themselves, though mostly where they saw bargains. The question remains how many dollars shoppers are prepared to spend before Dec. 24 in an economy that's still bumpy.

Discounts, particularly early-morning specials, were deep enough that many shoppers say they bought more than they had planned. But some say that means they're done, and they spent less than last year.

"I started Thursday, and I'm finished," said Tyler Jones, 34, of Manhattan, clutching packages at the Manhattan Mall on Saturday. She said she started shopping online on Thanksgiving, grabbing deals on LCD TVs at Walmart.com, as well as clothing at Gap and Old Navy throughout the night and into Friday. Then she went to the mall. She figures she spent $1,000 on holiday gifts, $500 less than last year.

Sharon Collins, 57, of Wilmington, N.C., said she had aimed to stagger her holiday shopping, but she found a lot of good buys on Black Friday at Target and Kohl's. By Saturday she had spent about $1,000, reaping savings of about 50 percent. She said she'd budgeted $2,000 but won't need it.

"I am completely done." Collins said. "Unless it is something I really need, I am not going back."

The heavy discounting and lower prices on certain types of items, particularly LCD TVs, held down overall spending. On Friday, retailers at shopping malls eked out a 0.3 percent increase to $10.69 billion, according to preliminary figures from ShopperTrak, a research firm that tracks sales at 70,000 stores.

TV prices are falling almost twice as fast as they did earlier this year amid a glut. They're selling for anywhere from 15 to 20 percent lower than Christmas 2009.

Earlier buying in November also stole some sales away from the day, said ShopperTrak co-founder Bill Martin. But 2.2 percent more customers came into stores on Black Friday compared with the same day last year. The research firm tracks sales at stores in shopping malls, not big discounters like Wal-Mart and Target, which draw much Black Friday spending.

The National Retail Federation trade group estimated on Sunday that 212 million shoppers visited stores and websites over Black Friday weekend, up from 195 million last year, according to a survey it conducts.

A fuller picture on spending will come Thursday when retailers report November revenue figures.

Online, spending rose more than 14 percent from Thanksgiving Day through Saturday, according to IBM's Coremetrics. The average order rose 14 percent and the number of items per order grew 15 percent, fueled by shoppers taking advantage of deals on Black Friday.

Online research firm comScore Inc. reported late Sunday that online spending for the first 26 days of November rose 13 percent to $11.64 billion, compared with the same period a year ago. On Thanksgiving Day, traditionally a lighter day for online spending, e-commerce sales rose to $407 million, up 28 percent from the year-ago period. That was helped by more stores pushing exclusive deals. Online spending is still a relatively small piece of the holiday pie, between 8 and 10 percent by various estimates.

Clearly, shoppers' approach to the holidays has shifted, shaped by the stores themselves. While Black Friday is expected to be the busiest day of the year, more spending was pulled forward as stores from Best Buy to Sears promoted discounts on holiday items earlier in the month, often pitching them as "Black Friday doorbusters" weeks before the real thing. More stores opened on Thanksgiving, too.

"You are going to have to look at the overall month, instead of just Black Friday," said Laura Gurski, retail practice leader at A.T. Kearney.

Lauren Beckley, a 28-year-old retail co-manager in Cincinnati, said she got a promotion at work this year but still plans to cut her holiday spending by 50 percent. This year, rather than scrambling at the last minute, she started shopping in July, taking advantage of "Christmas in July" promotions that were embraced by more retailers this year.

"I think I am bargain hunting a little more," said Beckley while browsing for DVDs at a Best Buy in suburban Cincinnati on Saturday.

Stores hope to keep shoppers coming back with continuous deals and early-morning events on weekends. But some analysts question whether the lull between Thanksgiving weekend and the days before Christmas will be even more pronounced than usual.

"I believe customers will be waiting for the next round of deals," Gurski added.

Stifel Nicolaus analyst Richard Jaffe described the weekend as a "success."

"I think retailers have won the battle of driving customers into the stores, but have they won the war? We won't know until January," he said.

Retail executives offered an upbeat assessment on Sunday.

Amy Adoniz, general store manager at Best Buy's Union Square store in Manhattan, reported steady traffic through the weekend after the frenzy Friday. The best sellers have been TVs and laptops, but shoppers are also throwing in a few extra items like Blu-ray players and cables that they hadn't planned, she said. They're also springing for more expensive items, she said.

Mall operators including Taubman Centers Inc. and Macerich Co. both reported sales and traffic gains compared with last year, and traffic has remained steady through the weekend. Both reported that shoppers' buying for themselves remained strong. Footwear and clothing were key big sellers.

Analysts are also closely watching stores' inventory levels. Earlier this fall, many retailers worried they'd ordered too much holiday merchandise in the spring when the economic recovery had looked like it was gaining steam.

There was scattered evidence those worries continue. Gap, for example, offered 50 percent discounts throughout the entire store until 10 a.m. Friday, rather than just discounting specific items to draw shoppers.

Dana Telsey, CEO of Telsey Advisory Group, said Sunday that she believed inventories were appropriate and retailer profits aren't in danger yet. Dec. 15-25, which accounts for 40 percent of holiday business, will tell the tale.

"It's the crux of the season," she said.

# Brawl breaks out during Black Friday sale

**THE ASSOCIATED PRESS**

CERRITOS The Black Friday shopping orgy got a little nasty in Southern California.

Reports of a melee sent Los Angeles County sheriff's deputies to the Los Cerritos Center mall in Cerritos around 2:30 a.m.

Sgt. Ciro Racowschi tells City News Service that a half-dozen men got into a fight in the food court, running and knocking chairs to the ground. Deputies were unable to find the brawlers.

The Riverside Press-Enterprise reports that police in the city of Hemet were called to a Target store about 4 a.m. and broke up an argument between customers in two lines.

Sgt. James Waters says one line had formed at 10 p.m. Thursday and stretched a quarter-mile. A shouting match started when shoppers who arrived later formed their own separate line.

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# Why shop here?

WITH THE HOLIDAY SHOPPING SEASON upon us, City Hall is pulling out all the stops to make sure we shop locally.

It took nearly 10 years but it looks like the City Hall bureaucrats have finally realized that traffic Downtown is a mess and getting worse. After literally decades of trying to discourage people from driving anywhere in Santa Monica, let alone into the Bayside District, it has finally dawned on someone that all that traffic calming and lame-brained mitigation efforts such as the disastrous Downtown "transit mall" were driving customers away.

All those pie-in-the-sky, utopian schemes of forcing people to walk, ride bicycles or get aboard a bus weren't working. Residents just went elsewhere. With traffic increasing one to two percent annually and the congestion worsening, many of us head to the Westside Pavilion, the Grove, the new Westfield Culver City, Westfield Century City or outlying stores such as Costco and Target, leaving Downtown's Bayside to the kids and tourists.

At privately-owned shopping malls, traffic and parking is designed to move people in and out quickly, conveniently and cheaply. Patronizing these locations is less stressful than dealing with Downtown Santa Monica because the private mall operators there are more interested in you having a positive experience than trying to change your lifestyle.

Even with Santa Monica Place now reopened as an up-market shopping mall, the out-of-town shopping centers including big discount stores provide a great alternative for those of us looking for competitively priced merchandise, food and entertainment without Santa Monica's hassles.

About 10 years ago, City Hall planners concocted the "transit mall" that eliminated the one way streets on Broadway and Fifth Street and reduced the number of traffic lanes on Santa Monica Boulevard between Fourth Street and Ocean Avenue to accommodate bus lanes and widened sidewalks — not necessarily to serve hordes of pedestrians but to facilitate sidewalk dining for the Bayside's restaurants.

A traffic lane on busy northbound Fourth Street between Broadway and Wilshire Boulevard was turned into a parking lane, thus creating a classic bottleneck as dual lanes of traffic merged into a single lane at Broadway.

The reason for the changes was to "improve the pedestrian experience" but folks don't come here to walk around. They come here to shop, eat and see a movie or visit the beach.. When I was in London a few weeks ago, I was stunned by how busy the shopping areas were — whether it was Oxford Street, Knightsbridge, Mayfair, Brunswick Centre in Bloomsbury, Brick Lane, Canary Wharf or Portobello Road.

The liveliness even carried to downtown Lincoln, England in the East Midlands, 90 miles north of London. There, even during midweek, stores were busy and most folks were carrying bags crammed full of purchases.

Shoppers ranged from children with family members to the elderly, not just the teens I mostly see on our Third Street Promenade. The better shopping areas in the U.K. have an exciting mix of stores, eateries and services. Movie complexes are few and far between.

A major reason for the young Bayside crowd is the movie theaters which generally attract a youthful demographic. But with the limited funds most young people have, especially after admission and movie snacks, there's not much left to spend outside the theater.

But, here in Santa Monica, City Hall wants to build 12 more cinemas that primarily appeal to teens and young adults. It makes me wonder if the "quantity over quality," and "bodies over income" dynamic is really the smartest way for Bayside to go.

Granted, in London, most people take the Tube (Underground) or bus, so driving and parking aren't an issue. Here, the Subway to the Sea is three decades away. Expo Light Rail expected about 2015 will travel the industrial Downtown Los Angeles/Crenshaw/Culver City corridor. This leaves private vehicles as the choice means of conveyance for Santa Monicans and area residents now and far into the future.

I'll give credit to Sam Morrissey, City Hall's relatively new traffic engineer for suggesting temporarily removing the entire westbound parking lane on Santa Monica Boulevard from Fourth Street to Ocean Avenue so traffic can flow smoothly. The pedestrian-only signal phase at the intersection of Second Street and Santa Monica Boulevard that allows pedestrians to cross diagonally while vehicular traffic is stopped is also a smart move. Let's hope City Hall makes these changes permanent.

I'd recommend removing the parking from Fourth Street to facilitate traffic flow and putting in another pedestrian phase signal at Second Street and Broadway. In any case, the baby steps taken to undo the decades of traffic mismanagement in the Bayside District are a welcome improvement, small as they may be.

Here's hoping that the trend toward a more user-friendly and hassle-free Bayside continues. It may offset the impact of our 10.25 percent sales tax coming next April.

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# New reservoir to save water from escape to Mexico

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PHOENIX Nearly a month after water filled the Warren H. Brock Reservoir near the Arizona-California border for the first time, the project's builders got the news they wanted: It didn't leak.

So, they pulled the plug and let all the water out.

Emptying the reservoir, dug out of the sand dunes about 25 miles west of Yuma, was as much a part of the final construction test as filling it and watching for leaks. This reservoir was built to be in motion: Get the water in, wait a few days, get the water out.

The $172 million project is an attempt to seal decades-old leaks in the Colorado River's water-delivery system by capturing the dribbles lost downstream to Mexico when farmers in Arizona and California don't take water they ordered, usually because rain filled the need.

Now, that water can be shunted into the reservoir and held until the farmers ask for it.

The U.S. Bureau of Reclamation estimates the project could save as much as 70,000 acre-feet of water a year — water that can remain in Lake Mead as a hedge against drought.

With testing complete, the reservoir could begin operating any time, although officials plan to inspect the structure's basins and the site to be certain no hidden problems emerge. The water used in the test was returned to the system and used by farmers.

Conservation groups say the water that escaped the Colorado's system of canals was never wasted because it helped sustain the river's few remaining riparian areas on the river's delta in Mexico. Those areas still need a source of water to survive, the groups say.

But state and federal officials, although sympathetic to the environmental issues, say the new reservoir helps water users better manage their own supplies and could delay drought-related rationing on the river, restrictions that would cut into Arizona's allocation.

"We want to capture every drop we can," Jennifer McCloskey, manager of the bureau's Yuma-area office, told The Arizona Republic. "The water we could save is enough for a city the size of Yuma. We think that's worth it."

The new reservoir, known during construction as Drop 2, grew out of a 2007 drought-management plan adopted by the seven states along the Colorado River. The plan identified opportunities to add water to the river by eliminating inefficient practices that led to system losses.

One of those opportunities was in the system near Yuma, where billions of gallons of water allocated to U.S. farmers but never used by them flowed into Mexico, where it could be used without counting against that country's annual allocation.

Nevada, at the time the state most at risk of running out of water, offered to pay much of the construction tab in exchange for a share of what was conserved.

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> Manager of the bureau's Yuma-area office

As the idea developed, Arizona and California agreed to contribute money for their own shares of water.

In the end, Nevada paid $115 million for 400,000 acre-feet and Arizona and California added $28.6 million each for shares of 100,000 acre-feet. The states can use the water in increments over about 20 years or leave it stored in Lake Mead to delay drought restrictions.

An acre-foot of water is 328,851 gallons, enough to serve two average households for one year.

The reservoir itself is not that big. Full, its two basins can hold up to 8,000 acre-feet. By comparison, Canyon Lake, the smallest reservoir on the Salt River, can hold more than 57,000 acre-feet.

But Brock Reservoir, named for a farmer and agricultural researcher in California's Imperial Valley, was not built to store water long-term. On any given day, it could be the largest body of water for miles in any direction, or it could be two empty holes in the ground.

It will operate most often after a rainstorm, when farmers on the lower river decide they don't need water they had ordered several days earlier. That water, which had previously flowed south into Mexico, will now be diverted into Brock and stay there until it can be returned to the system.

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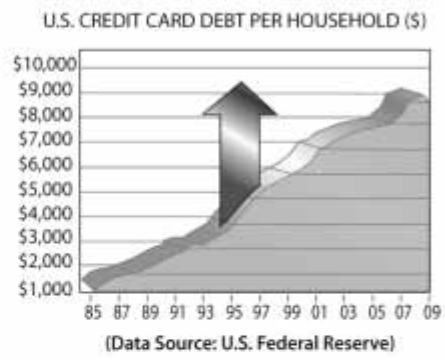
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## Earth Talk

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TOO MUCH TRASH: **Some 850,000 disposable Styrofoam trays used in New York City public schools are trashed every day. Groups like SOSnyc.org are trying to get schools to switch to recyclable or compostable cardboard trays or — better yet — traditional trays like the one pictured here that can be washed and re-used countless times.**

# Trading trays

**Dear EarthTalk**

**I've heard that New York City schools are trying out "Trayless Tuesdays" in their cafeterias in order to reduce waste. Why are trays such a big issue? And how can cutting them out on one day a week really make a difference?**

**Mark, Brooklyn**
NY

UNLIKE THE OLD DAYS WHEN MANY school cafeterias offered reusable trays that could go into big industrial dishwashers after lunchtime, the trend since the early 1990s in New York City and elsewhere across the country has been to provide students with disposable polystyrene (tradename: Styrofoam) trays that are used once — typically for less than 30 minutes — and then thrown out. From there, most of the trays end up clogging already overburdened landfills or posing a litter problem. Polystyrene, impossible to compost and difficult to recycle, is one of the predominant features of litter-filled beaches, not to mention trash-based ocean gyres hundreds of miles from shore.

According to the grassroots group SOSnyc.org, some 850,000 Styrofoam trays are trashed in New York City public schools every day. "At 80 trays per foot, the daily stack is two miles high, 8.5 times the height of the Empire State Building," the group reports.

Polystyrene can be recycled by specialty recyclers, but most municipal recycling programs do not accept it. The fact that homeowners and businesses can't put it out on the curb with the rest of their recyclables for pickup — they have to pay a private recycler to take it off their hands — means that more likely than not it ends up in the garbage can or dumpster and subsequently a landfill. Also, polystyrene that is soiled with food is even more difficult and expensive to recycle due to issues of bacterial contamination — most polystyrene recyclers won't accept Styrofoam that has had contact with food.

According to leading environmental groups, the polystyrene in food trays and other products is dangerous to both people and ecosystems "The basic building block chemicals of polystyrene...have been linked to cancer and other very serious health problems [and are] very hazardous to manufacture," says Michael Schade of the nonprofit Center for Health, Environment and Justice. He adds that he considers polystyrene "one of the most toxic plastics for our health and environment." Despite these problems, the American Chemistry Council spends millions of dollars per year lobbying to keep products made with Styrofoam on the market, according to SOSnyc.org.

SOSnyc.org is campaigning for the removal of disposable trays from the New York City school system altogether, not just one day a week, but its campaign is a start. The group's advocacy has not fallen on deaf ears. Since March 2010, all 1,500 New York City public schools have been serving lunch in recyclable paper containers every Tuesday, cutting the waste from polystyrene trays by 20 percent across the five boroughs. SOSnyc.org is spearheading an effort to find permanent alternatives for polystyrene trays five days a week. Those schools with dishwashers could switch to reusable trays. Recyclable or compostable cardboard trays could work for schools without dishwashers, but manufacturers have not yet come up with anything as lightweight and sturdy as polystyrene for such applications. But with such a big potential market for non-polystyrene trays opening up, greener alternatives are sure to emerge soon.

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# Activists: Progress made on saving sharks

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Associated Press

PARIS An international conservation conference in Paris made progress Saturday on protecting sharks but didn't do anything to save the Atlantic bluefin tuna, which has been severely overfished to feed the market for sushi in Japan, environmental groups said.

Delegates from 48 nations spent 11 days in Paris haggling over fishing quotas for the Atlantic and Mediterranean, poring over scientific data and pitting the demands of environmentalists against those of the fishing industry.

Conservation groups said delegates took steps in the right direction with moves to protect oceanic whitetip sharks and many hammerheads in the Atlantic, though they had hoped for more. Sharks were once an accidental catch for fishermen but have been increasingly targeted because of the growing market in Asia for their fins, an expensive delicacy used in soup.

WWF, Greenpeace, Oceana and the Pew Environment Group all strongly criticized the 2011 bluefin quotas set by the International Commission for the Conservation of Atlantic Tunas, or ICCAT, which manages tuna in the Atlantic and Mediterranean as well as species that have traditionally been accidental catches for tuna fishermen.

Environmental groups had hoped to see bluefin fishing slashed or suspended, saying illegal fishing is rampant in the Mediterranean and that scientists don't have good enough data to evaluate the problem.

The commission agreed to cut the bluefin fishing quota in the eastern Atlantic and Mediterranean from 13,500 to 12,900 metric tons annually — about a 4 percent reduction. It also agreed on measures to try to improve enforcement of quotas on bluefin, prized for its tender red meat.

Sergi Tudela, head of WWF Mediterranean's fisheries program, attacked the "measly quota reduction." Oliver Knowles, Greenpeace oceans campaigner, complained that "the word 'conservation' should be removed from ICCAT's name."

Russell F. Smith, representing the U.S. delegation, told The AP, "I think we made some progress. I wish we'd made more."

Meanwhile, the CNPMEM French fishing industry union praised the decision, saying "reason prevailed."

The international commission's committee of scientists had said keeping the status quo was acceptable, but environmentalists say there is so much unreported fishing that doing so is irresponsible.

Japan buys nearly 80 percent of the annual Atlantic bluefin catch. Top-grade sushi with fatty bluefin can go for as much as 2,000 yen ($24) a piece in high-end Tokyo restaurants.

While the focus of the Paris meeting was tuna, sharks have become a growing concern. Environmentalists say there are disastrously inadequate rules on shark capture.

Although there are elaborate international fishing regulations and quotas for other types of fish, sharks have long been an afterthought, even though some species have declined by 99 percent, Oceana said.

The international commission banned fishermen from catching and retaining oceanic whitetip sharks. It voted to limit the catch of several types of hammerhead sharks and to require countries to keep data on shortfin mako sharks.

Delegates also decided that Atlantic fishermen will now be required to carry special gear to remove hooks from sea turtles.

While the International Commission for the Conservation of Atlantic Tunas and other regional commissions regulate fishing, trade bans are handled by the Convention on International Trade in Endangered Species, or CITES. Environmentalists were sorely disappointed by a meeting of that body in March, where Atlantic bluefin and six species of sharks failed to get protection.

# Frisco law increases composting

**THE ASSOCIATED PRESS**

SAN FRANCISCO San Francisco officials are crediting the city's year-old composting law for a big increase in the number of apartment buildings with composting bins.

The San Francisco Chronicle says 70 percent of the apartment buildings in San Francisco now provide composting bins, compared to 20 percent at this time last year.

Mark Westlund, a spokesman for the city's Department of the Environment, told the newspaper that apartment managers have been "very cooperative" since the law was passed.

Landlords and apartment managers, as well as commercial buildings and restaurants, without the green composting bins can be reported on the department's Web site.

Officials say citywide 600 tons of composted material is collected every day, compared to 300 tons a year ago.

# New app allows tracking of rare desert tortoise

**THE ASSOCIATED PRESS**

VICTORVILLE An endangered species of desert tortoise is now a little easier to track, thanks to a new phone application.

The Victorville Daily Press reported Saturday that two Mojave Desert agencies have developed an iPhone app to log sightings of the rare creature.

Called "Mojave Desert Tortoise," the app provides general information about the tortoises, including a warning that it is against the law to touch them.

Photographs taken through the app will include GPS data, so researchers can learn each tortoise's approximate whereabouts.

Researchers plan to start a website where people can look at the mapped data.

The app was developed by the Mojave Desert Ecosystem Program and the Desert Managers Group.

An Android version is expected soon.




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# Fire raises Muslims' fears of attack backlash

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Associated Press

CORVALLIS, Ore. Someone set fire to an Islamic center on Sunday, two days after a man who worshipped there was accused of trying to blow up a van full of explosives during Portland's Christmas tree lighting ceremony. Other Muslims fear it could be the first volley of misplaced retribution.

The charges against Mohamed Osman Mohamud, a Somali-born 19-year-old who was caught in a federal sting operation, are testing tolerance in a state that has been largely accepting of Muslims. Muslims who know the suspect say they are shocked by the allegations against him and that he had given them no hint of falling into radicalism.

The fire at the Salman Al-Farisi Islamic Center in Corvallis was reported at 2:15 a.m., and evidence at the scene led authorities to believe it was set intentionally, said Carla Pusateri, a fire prevention officer for the Corvallis Fire Department.

Authorities don't know who started the blaze or why, but they believe the center was targeted because Mohamud occasionally worshipped there.

Arthur Balizan, special agent in charge of the FBI in Oregon, said there's no conclusive link to the bombing in Portland or specific evidence that it's a hate crime, other than the timing.

U.S. Attorney Dwight Holton vowed to prosecute the case aggressively.

"The fact is that violent extremists come from all religions and no religion at all. For one person to blame a group, if that's what happened here, is uniquely anti-American and will be pursued with the full force of the Justice Department," he said.

Mohamud was being held on charges of plotting to carry out a terror attack Friday on a crowd of thousands at Portland's Pioneer Courthouse Square. He is scheduled to appear in court on Monday, and it wasn't clear if he had a lawyer yet.

On Friday, he parked what he thought was a bomb-laden van near the ceremony and then went to a nearby train station, where he dialed a cell phone that he believed would detonate the vehicle, federal authorities said. Instead, federal authorities moved in and arrested him. No one was hurt.

There were also no injuries in Sunday's fire, which burned 80 percent of the center's office but did not spread to worship areas or any other rooms, said Yosof Wanly, the center's imam.

After daybreak, members gathered at the center, where a broken window had been boarded up.

"I've prayed for my family and friends, because obviously if someone was deliberate enough to do this, what's to stop them from coming to our homes and our schools?" said Mohamed Alyagouri, a 31-year-old father of two who worships at the center. "I'm afraid for my children getting harassed from their teachers, maybe from their friends."

Wanly said he was thinking about temporarily relocating his family because of the possibility of hate crimes.

"We know how it is, we know some people due to ignorance are going to perceive of these things and hold most Muslims accountable," Wanly said. But he said said Corvallis, a college town about 75 miles southwest of Portland, has long been accepting of Muslims.

"The common scene here is to be very friendly, accepting various cultures and religions," Wanly said. "The Islamic center has been here for 40 years, it's more American than most Americans with regards to age."

In Portland, residents are alarmed by the terror plot, but Mayor Sam Adams said they are "not going to let this change our values of being an open and embracing city." He said that he beefed up patrols around mosques "and other facilities that might be vulnerable to knuckle-headed retribution" after hearing of the bomb plot.

The FBI was working closely with leadership at the Corvallis center as agents investigated the fire, Balizan said. A $10,000 reward was offered for information leading to an arrest.

Wanly said Mohamud moved to the U.S. from Somalia as a young boy. Mohamud graduated from high school in the Portland suburb of Beaverton. He attended Oregon State University but dropped out on Oct. 6.

The Associated Press reached Mohamud's parents by phone, but they declined to talk to a reporter.

Isgow Mohamed, director of the Northwest Somali Community Organization, said he has known Mohamud's father, Osman Barre, since 1996.

"Both parents, mother and father, they are civilized people," Mohamed said. "They don't believe in killing even a small animal. So what do you think two civilized people, what their product will be?"

Barre has not spoken with his son since his arrest on Friday, Mohamed said.

Wanly described Mohamud as a normal student who went to athletic events, drank an occasional beer and was into rap music and culture. He described Mohamud as religious, saying he attended prayers in Corvallis once or twice a month over a year and a half.

Wanly, 24, said that in about 15 conversations he had with Mohamud, the teen rarely discussed religion. He said that may have been because Mohamud knew his extremist views wouldn't be tolerated, and suggested that Mohamud was influenced by radical teachings he read on the Internet.

"If a person has a type of agenda, he can find anything he wants on the Internet and block out everything else," Wanly said.

In the days leading up to his arrest, Mohamud's friends thought he appeared on edge, Wanly said.

"He seemed to be in a state of confusion," Wanly said. "He would say things that weren't true. He'd say 'I'm going to go get married,' for example. He wasn't going to go get married."

Mohamud is among tens of thousands of Somalis who have resettled in the United States since their country plunged into lawlessness in 1991. The U.N.-backed government controls only a few blocks of Mogadishu, the capital, while large parts of Somalia are controlled by the insurgent group Al-Shabab, which vows allegiance to al-Qaida.

Omar Jamal, first secretary for the Somali mission to the United Nations in New York City, told The Associated Press his office has received "thousands of calls" from Somalis in the United States who are concerned about tactics used by federal agents in the sting operation against Mohamud.

Jamal said there is concern in the Somali community that Mohamud was "lured into an illegal act."

# Tax break for employer health plans a target again

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Associated Press

WASHINGTON Job-based health care benefits could wind up on the chopping block if President Barack Obama and congressional Republicans get serious about cutting the deficit.

Budget proposals from leaders in both parties have urged shrinking or eliminating tax breaks that help make employer health insurance the leading source of coverage in the nation and a middle-class mainstay.

The idea isn't to just raise revenue, economists say, but finally to turn Americans into frugal health care consumers by having them face the full costs of their medical decisions.

Such a re-engineering was rejected by Democrats only a few months ago, at the height of the health care overhaul debate. But Washington has changed, with Republicans back in power and widespread fears that the burden of government debt may drag down the economy.

"There is no short-term prospect of enactment," former Senate Majority Leader Tom Daschle, a leading Democratic adviser on health care. "However, in a tax reform (and) deficit reducing context in the long term, the prospects are much better," said Daschle. He opposes repealing the tax break by itself, but says he would be "willing to look" at it with other changes that improve access to quality health care while reducing costs.

Labor unions believed they had squelched any such talk. Now, they're preparing for another fight.

Tampering with health care tax breaks is "a terrible step in the wrong direction," said Mary Kay Henry, the new president of the Service Employees International Union, which represents many hospital workers. "We want the middle class stabilized, not destabilized."

Employer-provided health insurance is part of a worker's compensation. Unlike wages, it isn't subject to income and payroll taxes.

Repealing the tax break would raise several hundred billion dollars a year, depending on how it's done. Many economists believe employers would boost pay if they didn't provide health care. Proponents of repeal usually call for a tax credit to offset part of the cost of individually purchasing coverage.

The leaders of Obama's deficit commission — Democrat Erskine Bowles, a former Clinton White House chief of staff, and Alan Simpson, a former GOP senator from Wyoming — have proposed to limit the tax break or eliminate it along with other cherished deductions, such as the one for mortgage interest. That would allow for a big cut in tax rates.

The commission is supposed to report its plan on Wednesday. It's unclear if leaders have the votes to back their sweeping changes.

A separate group, the Bipartisan Policy Center, is proposing to cap the health care tax break in 2018 and eliminate it over the next 10 years. That's part of a deficit reduction strategy from Democrat Alice Rivlin, a former Federal Reserve vice chairman, and former Sen. Pete Domenici, R-N-M., who once led the Senate Budget Committee.

"The problem of rising debt is so serious that Republicans and Democrats are going to have go back and look at almost everything to see how we solve this," said Rivlin.

Simpson calls the health care tax break a "tax earmark." He said that "you cannot get anything done in this game unless you deal with every single aspect of the federal budget, and the biggest thing to wrap our arms around is health care."

Democrats struggled with proposals to curb the tax break during the health care debate, but strong opposition from organized labor won out. The compromise was a tax on high-cost health insurance plans, which won't go into effect until 2018.

In a twist, the health care law eventually may make it easier to pry people away from employer insurance, a system that dates to World War II and has sustained three generations.

Starting in 2014, new insurance markets will make it easier for people to buy coverage on their own. These state-based "exchanges" would work like the federal employee health plan. Taxpayer subsidies will help individuals and families with low to moderate incomes pay premiums.

"Before health reform, a declining role for employers would have raised concerns," Rivlin and Domenici said in their proposal. But well-run exchanges "will provide a viable — perhaps even superior — alternative."

One Democratic member of Obama's deficit commission is wrestling with the idea.

California Rep. Xavier Becerra says it's a very different situation from the health care debate. Back then, policymakers were looking for money to pay for covering the uninsured. Now, they're looking at rebalancing the role of government in the economy. He's not considering health care tax breaks in isolation.

"What we are saying is that we are going to examine every tax earmark," Becerra said. "They are all on the table. If you want to keep one, then show us how you are going to come up with the money. That's where you really have to put your money where your mouth is."

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# Leaked documents reveal hidden diplomacy

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Associated Press

WASHINGTON Hundreds of thousands of State Department documents leaked Sunday revealed a hidden world of backstage international diplomacy, divulging candid comments from world leaders and detailing occasional U.S. pressure tactics aimed at hot spots in Afghanistan, Iran and North Korea.

The classified diplomatic cables released by online whistle-blower WikiLeaks and reported on by news organizations in the United States and Europe provided often unflattering assessments of foreign leaders, ranging from U.S. allies such as Germany and Italy to other nations like Libya, Iran and Afghanistan.

The cables also contained new revelations about long-simmering nuclear trouble spots, detailing U.S., Israeli and Arab world fears of Iran's growing nuclear program, American concerns about Pakistan's atomic arsenal and U.S. discussions about a united Korean peninsula as a long-term solution to North Korean aggression.

There are also American memos encouraging U.S. diplomats at the United Nations to collect detailed data about the U.N. secretary general, his team and foreign diplomats — going beyond what is considered the normal run of information-gathering expected in diplomatic circles.

None of the revelations is particularly explosive, but their publication could prove problematic for the officials concerned. And the massive release of material intended for diplomatic eyes only is sure to ruffle feathers in foreign capitals, a certainty that prompted U.S. diplomats to scramble in recent days to shore up relations with key allies in advance of the disclosures.

The documents published by The New York Times, France's Le Monde, Britain's Guardian newspaper, German magazine Der Spiegel and others laid out the behind-the-scenes conduct of Washington's international relations, shrouded in public by platitudes, smiles and handshakes at photo sessions among senior officials.

The White House immediately condemned the release of the WikiLeaks documents, saying "such disclosures put at risk our diplomats, intelligence professionals, and people around the world who come to the United States for assistance in promoting democracy and open government."

It also noted that "by its very nature, field reporting to Washington is candid and often incomplete information. It is not an expression of policy, nor does it always shape final policy decisions."

"Nevertheless, these cables could compromise private discussions with foreign governments and opposition leaders, and when the substance of private conversations is printed on the front pages of newspapers across the world, it can deeply impact not only U.S. foreign policy interests, but those of our allies and friends around the world," the White House said.

State Department spokesman P.J. Crowley played down the spying allegations. "Our diplomats are just that, diplomats," he said. "They collect information that shapes our policies and actions. This is what diplomats, from our country and other countries, have done for hundreds of years."

On its website, The New York Times said "the documents serve an important public interest, illuminating the goals, successes, compromises and frustrations of American diplomacy in a way that other accounts cannot match."

In a statement released Sunday, WikiLeaks founder Julian Assange said, "The cables show the U.S. spying on its allies and the U.N.; turning a blind eye to corruption and human rights abuse in 'client states'; backroom deals with supposedly neutral countries and lobbying for U.S. corporations."

Their release — the first in a series of planned releases over the next few months — "reveals the contradictions between the U.S.'s public persona and what it says behind closed doors," Assange said.

The documents were again available on the WikiLeaks website Sunday afternoon. The site was inaccessible much of the day, and the group claimed it was under a cyber-attack.

But extracts of the more than 250,000 cables posted online by news outlets that had been given advance copies of the documents showed deep U.S. concerns about Iranian and North Korean nuclear programs along with fears about regime collapse in Pyongyang.

The Guardian said some cables showed King Abdullah of Saudi Arabia repeatedly urging the United States to attack Iran to destroy its nuclear program. The newspaper also said officials in Jordan and Bahrain have openly called for Iran's nuclear program to be stopped by any means and that leaders of Saudi Arabia, the United Arab Emirates and Egypt referred to Iran "as 'evil,' an 'existential threat' and a power that 'is going to take us to war,'" The Guardian said.

Those documents may prove the most problematic because even though the concerns of the Gulf Arab states are known, their leaders rarely offer such stark appraisals in public.

The Times highlighted documents that indicated the U.S. and South Korea were "gaming out an eventual collapse of North Korea" and discussing the prospects for a unified country if the isolated, communist North's economic troubles and political transition lead it to implode.

The Times also cited diplomatic cables describing unsuccessful U.S. efforts to prod Pakistani officials to remove highly enriched uranium from a reactor out of fears that the material could be used to make an illicit atomic device. And the newspaper cited cables that showed Yemen's president, Ali Abdullah Saleh, telling U.S. Gen. David Petraeus that his country would pretend that American missile strikes against a local al-Qaida group were from Yemen's forces.

The paper also reported on documents showing the U.S. used hardline tactics to win approval from countries to accept freed detainees from Guantanamo Bay. It said Slovenia was told to take a prisoner if its president wanted to meet with President Barack Obama and said the Pacific island of Kiribati was offered millions of dollars to take in a group of detainees.

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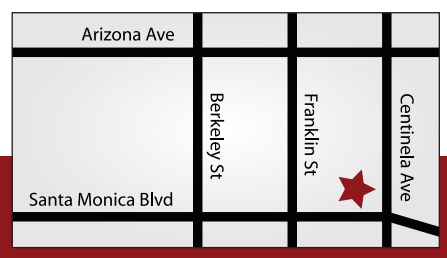
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## GOP

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The GOP losses this month left party leaders stunned. Recession-weary voters seemingly wanted new faces and ideas. The Democratic political careerists, Sen. Barbara Boxer and state Attorney General Jerry Brown, a former two-term governor, both were considered vulnerable, facing well-funded candidates.

In the end, Brown easily claimed the governor's chair from Republican billionaire Meg Whitman, a former eBay chief executive who spent more money — at least $174 million — than any candidate for a statewide office in U.S. history. All but roughly $30 million of that was from her personal fortune.

Boxer beat former Hewlett-Packard Co. chief executive Carly Fiorina, another Republican, by nearly 10 points. What was supposed to be a vaunted GOP get-out-the-vote effort fizzled.

For now, the conservative tilt in Washington and tea party activism will do Republicans little good in statewide races in California, where voters show a preference for candidates who support abortion rights and embrace environmental regulation.

But the GOP's biggest problem rests with the surging number of Latinos, who typically vote Democratic, a tendency hardened by the debate over illegal immigration.

It's been said the future happens first in California, and the state hit a little-noticed milestone this month that will have implications in voting booths for years to come. For the first time, Hispanics account for more than half the students in the state's public schools. They will be tomorrow's voters.

"I'm not sure Republicans have hit bottom yet in California," said former state lawmaker Jim Brulte, an influential GOP party fixture.

The plight of California Republicans has loosely tracked demographic and economic changes that have reshaped the nation's most populous state and its electorate.

In 1978, 83 percent of the state's registered voters were white. As of last year, that percentage dropped to 65 percent, according to the Field Poll. During that time, Latino registration jumped from 8 percent to 21 percent, while Asian registration increased from 3 percent to 8 percent.

The California dream, myth or not, has lured residents since the days of the Gold Rush. But in today's diversifying California "there is a strong sense with a significant percentage of the population that we don't understand that dream for them," Sundheim says.

Most of the state's governors in the 20th century were Republicans, and state voters helped elevate a string of GOP presidential candidates to the White House — Richard Nixon, Ronald Reagan and the first Bush. But recent history isn't encouraging. The GOP's last serious effort to carry the state in a presidential campaign was in 2000, when George W. Bush spent more than $15 million in California and lost to Democrat Al Gore by 12 points.

Part of the problem is simple math. Both major parties have been losing registration as more voters choose to align with no party at all, but Republican registration has withered to about 31 percent, giving Democrats, at 44 percent, a 2.2 million-voter advantage. Independents — about one in five voters — also lean Democratic in the state.

For a Republican "the crossover vote that you need is almost unreachable," says Allan Hoffenblum, publisher of the California Target Book, an analysis of legislative and congressional races. Hoffenblum says the GOP maintains strongholds in inland regions, but Democrats dominate the populous coast.

It leaves candidates such as Whitman with little, if any, room for error. The disclosure in the run-up to Election Day that Whitman employed an illegal immigrant for years as a housekeeper, then fired her after learning of her citizenship status, made her a target of ridicule in Spanish-language media. Brown carried the Hispanic vote 2-1, according to an Associated Press survey of voters leaving polling places.

Former Republican Gov. Pete Wilson says the clout of Sacramento unions has changed the political calculus. Unions spent roughly $30 million supporting Brown's candidacy, helping him survive Whitman's record spending. After this year's losses, Wilson, said Republicans must develop a clear message and deliver it persuasively.

Some analysts say state Republicans have been scalded by focusing too much on social issues, including strong opposition to abortion and gay rights, leaving swing voters cringing.

Two upcoming changes will remake California elections, but it's not clear if either major party will benefit.

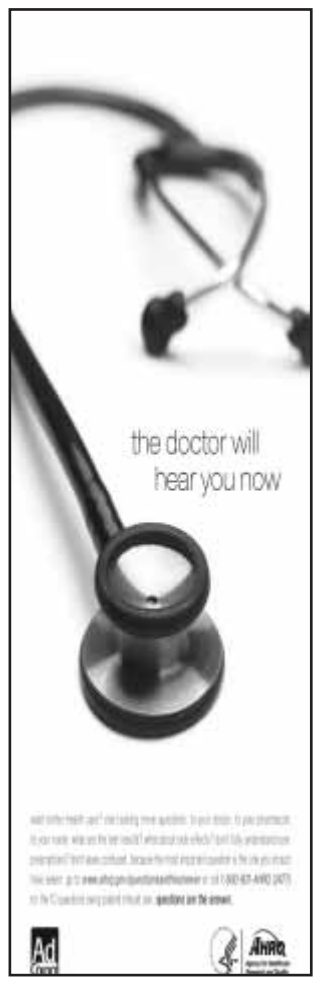
The state is using an independent citizen's commission to redraw the boundaries of legislative and congressional districts, after voters stripped that power from the Legislature. California also is moving to open primary contests for congressional, legislative and statewide offices. Voters will be able to choose candidates from any party, with the top two vote-getters heading to the general election.

Schwarzenegger told California Republicans two years ago that they were in for a future of disappointment unless they shifted to the political center, seizing issues usually associated with the Democrats, including climate change and health care reform.

"We are dying at the box office," he warned.

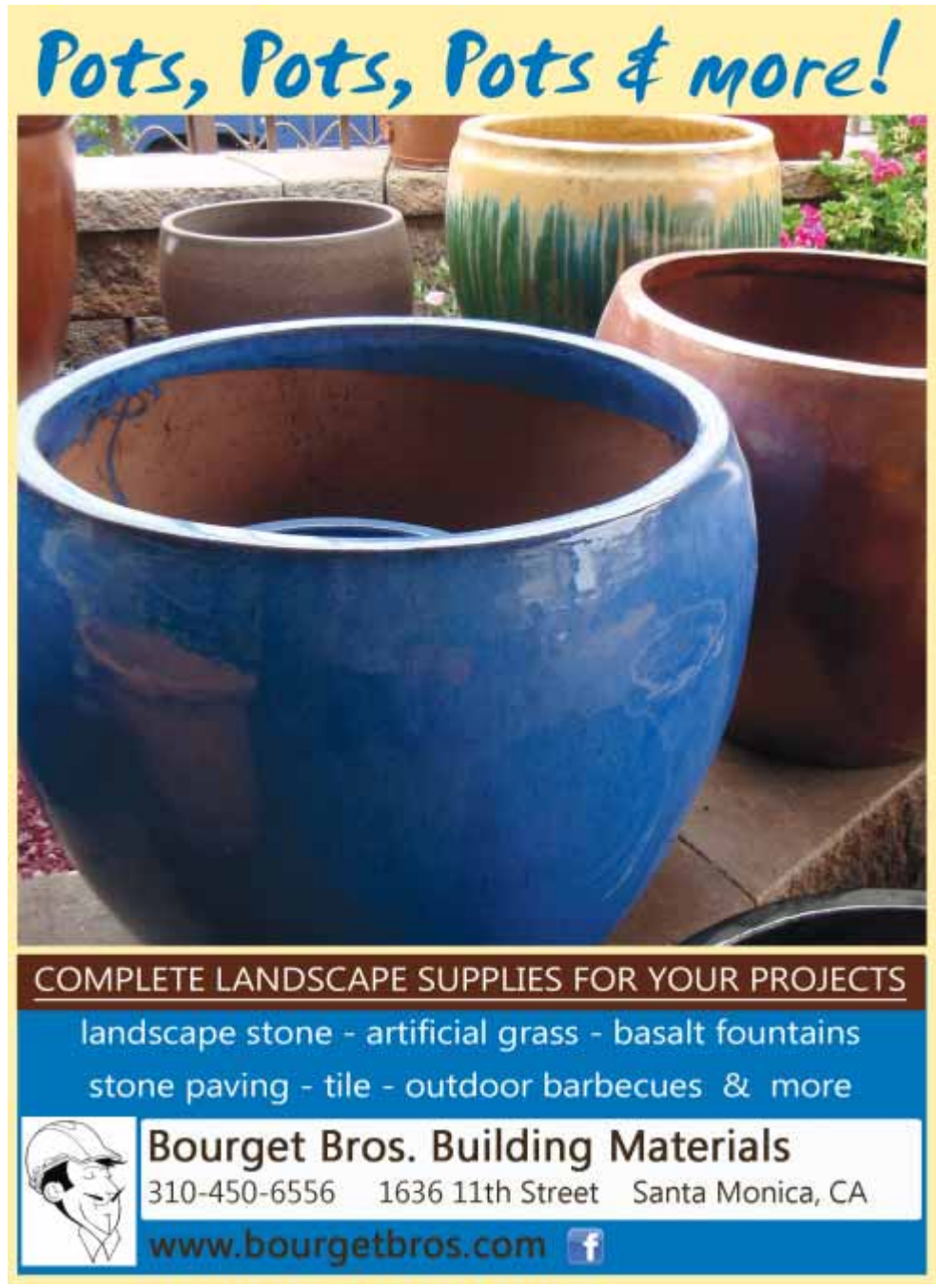
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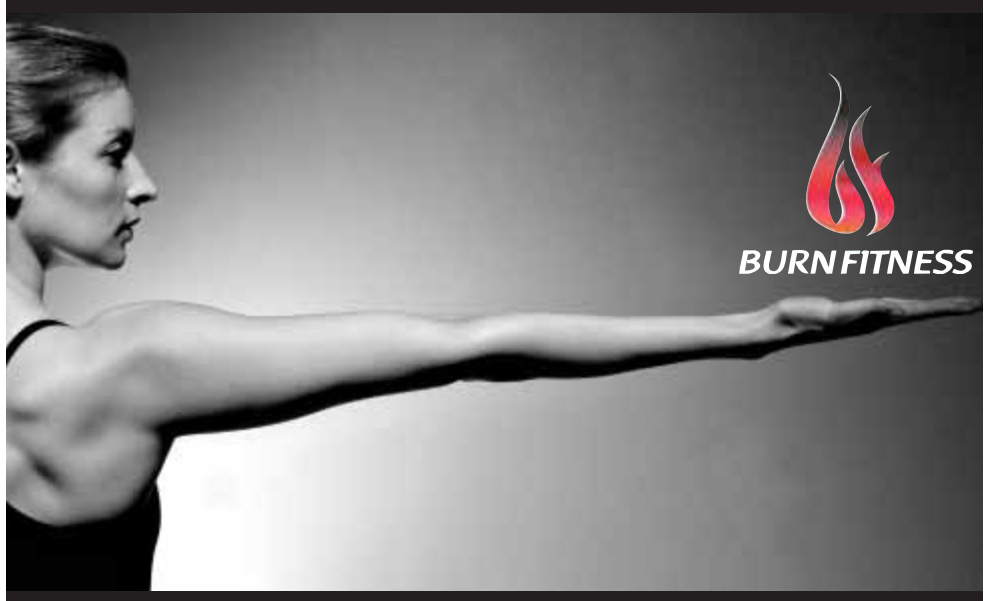









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# European Union agrees to $89B bailout loan for Ireland


**GABRIELE STEINHAUSER**
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Associated Press


BRUSSELS European Union nations agreed to give 67.5 billion ($89.4 billion) in bailout loans to Ireland on Sunday to help it weather the cost of its massive banking crisis, and sketched out new rules for future emergencies in an effort to restore faith in the euro currency.

The rescue deal, approved by finance ministers at an emergency meeting in Brussels, means two of the eurozone's 16 nations have now come to depend on foreign help and underscores Europe's struggle to contain its spreading debt crisis. The fear is that with Greece and now Ireland shored up, speculative traders will target the bloc's other weak fiscal links, particularly Portugal.

In Dublin, Irish Prime Minister Brian Cowen said his country will take 10 billion ($13.24 billion) immediately to boost the capital reserves of its state-backed banks, whose bad loans were picked up by the Irish government but have become too much to handle. Another 25 billion ($33.1 billion) will remain in reserve, earmarked for the banks.

The rest of the loans will be used to cover Ireland's deficits for the coming four years. EU chiefs also gave Ireland an extra year, until 2015, to reduce its annual deficits to 3 percent of GDP, the eurozone limit. The deficit now stands at a modern European record of 32 percent because of the runaway costs of its bank-bailout program.

Cowen said the accord — reached after two weeks of tense negotiations in Brussels and Dublin to fathom the true depth of the country's cash crisis — "provides Ireland with vital time and space to successfully and conclusively address the unprecedented problems that we've been dealing with since this global economic crisis began."

However, in a surprise accounting move, European and IMF experts decided that Ireland first must run down its own cash stockpile and deploy its previously off-limits pension reserves in the bailout. Until now Irish and EU law had made it illegal for Ireland to use its pension fund to cover current expenditures. This move means Ireland will contribute 17.5 billion ($23.17 billion) to its own salvation.

The three groups offering funds to Ireland — the 16-nation eurozone, the full 27-nation EU, and the global donors of the International Monetary Fund — each have committed 22.5 billion ($29.8 billion). Extra bilateral loans from Sweden, Denmark and Britain are included within the EU contribution totals.

Ireland's finance ministry said the interest rates on the loans would be 6.05 percent from the eurozone fund, 5.7 percent from the EU fund and 5.7 percent from the IMF. That's higher than the 5.2 percent being paid by Greece for its own May bailout.

Ajai Chopra, deputy director of the IMF's European division who oversaw the Dublin negotiations, confirmed Ireland's government would have freedom to set its own spending and tax plans.

He said Ireland will have 10 years to pay off its IMF loans, and that the first repayment won't be required until 4 1/2 years after a drawdown. Greece, in contrast, has three years to repay its loans.

Chopra said Ireland's decision to use its pension reserve fund had helped win the confidence of those who offered help. He declined to say if negotiators had demanded Dublin use its reserves under terms of the deal.

"It makes total sense to use them at this time. I think this is quite unique in this type of arrangements and it will be taken as a sign of underlying strength," he said.

Embattled Prime Minister Cowen told a press conference that Ireland had no choice but to take help, because international investors had decided that lending to Ireland was too risky and were demanding unreasonable returns. The yield on 10-year Irish bonds rose Friday to a euro-era high of 9.2 percent.

"If we didn't have this program, we would have to go back to the markets, which as you know are at prohibitive rates," Cowen said. "We would pay far more."

Still, analysts and opposition leaders in Ireland warned that the country of 4.5 million was taking on a bill it couldn't afford to repay at rates exceeding 5 percent.

Michael Noonan, finance spokesman of the main opposition Fine Gael party, said he believed that fellow EU members — particularly Germany, the eurozone's bankroller — didn't want to give money too cheaply to Ireland, for fear that Dublin would grow addicted to it.

Noonan said the loans were "pitched high to drive us back into the market," and would encourage Ireland to pursue maximum austerity measures in hopes of reassuring the bond markets.

Cowen told reporters there had been no support in talks to ask senior bondholders to lose part of their stake on loans made to Ireland's debt-crippled banks.

"There was no agreement from the European Union for such a proposal, because of the impact it could have in the relation to the stability of the entire banking system," he said.

Ireland in recent days committed to slashing 10 billion ($13.24 billion) from spending and raising 5 billion ($6.62 billion) in new taxes over the coming four years, with the harshest steps coming in the 2011 budget to be unveiled Dec. 7.

Cowen has only a two-vote majority in parliament. Last week he pledged to dissolve parliament for early elections next year — but only after the budget is fully enacted. Opposition leaders won't say if they will support the budget, leaving Cowen vulnerable to losing a key budget-related vote within the next two months.

To shore up longer-term confidence in the euro, EU finance ministers also agreed on a permanent mechanism that from 2013 would allow a country to restructure its debts once it has been deemed insolvent.

Jean-Claude Juncker, the head of the Eurogroup, which represents the 16 euro nations, said private creditors would be forced to take losses only if ministers agreed unanimously that the country had run out of money.


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NCAA FOOTBALL

# Stanford, Wisconsin, Oklahoma are latest big BCS winners

**RALPH D. RUSSO**
AP College Football Writer

NEW YORK Stanford was the big winner in the latest BCS standings.

The Cardinal, along with Wisconsin, all but locked up bids to the Bowl Championship Series, and Oklahoma earned a spot in the Big 12 title game by outpointing Oklahoma State and Texas A&M on Sunday.

Auburn and Oregon also switched places at the top of the standings, with the Tigers slipping by the Ducks into first place — but that hardly matters.

Both are still on track to play for the national championship on Jan. 10 in Glendale, Ariz. Auburn needs to beat South Carolina in the Southeastern Conference championship game on Saturday to lock up its spot and Oregon needs a victory at Oregon State in the Civil War rivalry.

The only difference between one and two in the BCS is No. 1 gets to wear its home jerseys.

TCU is third and in position to grab an automatic bid — possibly to the Rose Bowl — now that Boise State is no threat to swipe it from the Horned Frogs. The Broncos lost to Nevada 34-31 in overtime on Friday night.

TCU is also on-deck for a spot in the national championship game if one of the top two teams trip up.

But Stanford made the most important jump of all this week, taking the fourth spot after completing its season 11-1 with a 38-0 victory against Oregon State. BCS rules ensure the top four teams in the final standings a bid to the five big-money games.

Stanford was in danger of getting left out altogether because its fans generally don't flock to long distance bowl sites. As long as the Cardinal don't fall when the final standings are released next week — and there's no good reason why they would — one of the bowls will be forced to take them.

The BCS standings also broke the Big Ten's three-way tie at the top in favor of Wisconsin, which is fifth in the standings, a spot ahead of Ohio State.

Unless some strange voting takes place in the Harris and coaches' polls after Championship Saturday, the Badgers are headed to the Rose Bowl.

The Buckeyes are a good bet to land an at-large bid, but the Big Ten's other tri-champion, Michigan State, will have to settle for a second-tier game. The Spartans were eighth in the BCS standings.

Oklahoma, Oklahoma State and Texas A&M finished tied at 6-2 in the Big 12 South, but the BCS tiebreaker went the Sooners' way. Oklahoma was ninth in the standings, Oklahoma State was 14th and Texas A&M was 18th. The Sooners beat Oklahoma State 47-41 on Saturday night to make the jump up the standings.

The Sooners will play Nebraska in the conference championship game and the winner lands a Fiesta Bowl bid.

Virginia Tech and Florida State will play in the Atlantic Coast Conference championship, with the winner getting an Orange Bowl bid.

Connecticut is in command of the Big East race. The Huskies will clinch the league and a BCS bid by winning at South Florida on Saturday. If UConn losses, West Virginia could win the league and the BCS bid by beating Rutgers.

Arkansas was seventh in the standings and the Razorbacks seem to be in good shape to receive their first BCS bid after beating LSU 31-23 on Saturday.

If Auburn goes to the national title game, Arkansas is a good candidate to be selected by the Sugar Bowl.

NCAA WOMEN'S BASKETBALL

# No. 13 UCLA holds off Temple, 71-61

**THE ASSOCIATED PRESS**

LOS ANGELES Darxia Morris and Markel Walker scored 15 points apiece and No. 13 UCLA beat Temple 71-61 Sunday.

Rebekah Gardner had 14 points for the Bruins (5-0), while Walker added nine points and six assists.

Kristen McCarthy finished with 22 points on five 3-pointers for Temple (2-4) and BJ Williams had 12 points.

After Temple went ahead by five points midway through the second half, the Bruins answered with a 13-0 run, forcing four steals that led to points.

Jasmine Dixon made a layup and Morris then made a steal at midcourt and finished the uncontested layup to get UCLA within 52-51.

Walker split a pair of free throws, and an ensuing steal resulted in a putback by Dixon and a 54-52 lead with 8:35 remaining.

Two more steals led to baskets by Walker and Morris before Doreena Campbell made a layup to give the Bruins a 64-53 lead.

Former Santa Monica High School standout Thea Lemberger is a freshman guard for the Bruins.







## SURF REPORT

**Surf Conditions** **Water Temp:** 64°

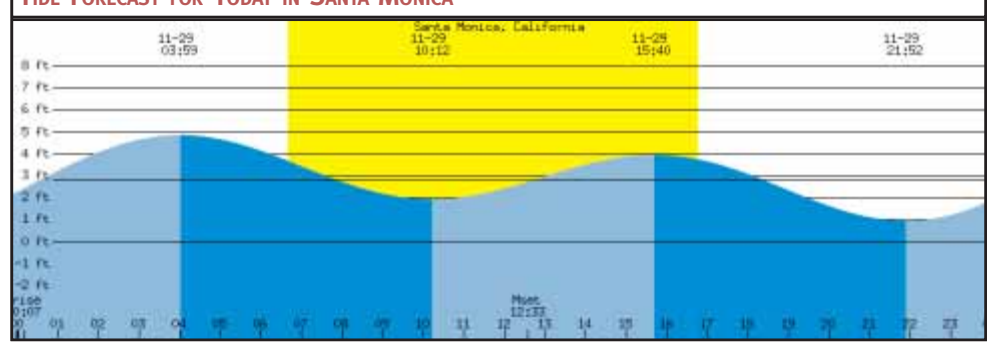
**Swell Forecast**

**We should see the wind swell decline, perhaps waist to chest at most west facing breaks, but with still some head high set waves at standout west facing breaks in the early AM.**

**Long Range Synopsis**

Wednesday looks even smaller, about knee high most everywhere..

**Tide Forecast for Today in Santa Monica**




BEACH REPORT CARD

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**QUICK STATS** (for the last 30 days)

- Number of sewage spills -- 1
- Number of beach closures due to a sewage spill -- 8
- Number of wet days -- 17
- Number of A grades for dry/wet weather -- 30 / 16
- Number of (C,D,F) grades for dry/wet weather -- 16 / 25

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| LOCATION | DRY | WET |
|---|---|---|
| Leo Carrillo Beach, at Arroyo Sequit Creek mouth. | A+ | A+ |
| Nicholas Beach at San Nicholas Canyon Creek mouth. | A+ | A+ |
| El Pescador State Beach, between Lechusa and Las Alisos creeks. | A+ | A+ |
| Encinal Canyon at El Matador State Beach. | C | A+ |
| Broad Beach at Trancas Creek mouth. | A | A+ |
| Zuma Beach at Zuma Creek mouth. | A | A+ |
| Walnut Creek, projection of Wildlife Rd. (private). | A+ | A+ |
| Paradise Cove Pier at Ramirez Canyon Creek mouth. | B | F |
| Escondido Creek, just east of Escondido State Beach. | A+ | F |
| Latigo Canyon Creek mouth. | A+ | A+ |
| Solstice Canyon at Don Blocker County Beach. | F | F |
| Puerco State Beach at creek mouth. | C | A |
| Marie Canyon storm drain at Puerco Beach, at 24572 Malibu Rd.. | A+ | F |
| Surfrider Beach at Malibu Colony fence. | A+ | D |
| Surfrider Beach (breach location)- daily. | F | F |
| Malibu Pier - 50 yards east. | F | B |
| Carbon Beach at Sweetwater Canyon. | A+ | C |
| Los Flores State Beach at Los Flores Creek (point zero). | A+ | A+ |
| Big Rock Beach at 19948 PCH stairs. | A+ | D |
| Pena Creek at Los Tunos County Beach. | A+ | A |
| Tuna Canyon. | ns | ns |
| Topanga State Beach at creek mouth. | F | A |
| Castlerock Storm Drain at Castle Rock Beach. | A+ | A+ |
| Santa Ynez Storm Drain at Castle Rock Beach. | F | F |
| Will Rogers State Beach at 17200 PCH (1/4 mile east of Sunset drain). | F | A+ |
| Will Rogers State Beach at Bel Air Bay Club drain near fence. | C | B |
| Will Rogers State Beach at Pulga Canyon storm drain. | A+ | A |
| Will Rogers State Beach at Temescal Canyon drain. | A | F |
| Will Rogers State Beach at Santa Monica Canyon drain (Chautauqua). | D | B |
| Santa Monica Beach at Montana Ave. drain. | A | C |
| Santa Monica Beach at Wilshire Blvd. drain. | C | F |
| Santa Monica Municipal Pier. | A | C |
| Santa Monica Beach at Pico/Kenter storm drain. | F | B |
| Santa Monica Beach at Strand St. (in front of the restrooms). | A | F |
| Ocean Park Beach at Ashland Ave. drain. | A | B |
| Venice City Beach, at the Rose Ave. storm drain. | A+ | F |
| Venice Beach at Brooks Ave. drain. | A+ | F |
| Venice Beach at Windward Ave. drain. | A+ | F |
| Venice Fishing Pier - 50 yards south. | A+ | C |
| Venice Beach- projection of Topsail St.. | A+ | D |
| Marina del Rey, Mothers' Beach- lifeguard tower. | D | B |
| Dockweiler State Beach at Ballona Creek mouth. | D | F |
| Dockweiler State Beach at Culver Blvd. drain. | A+ | A |
| North Westchester Storm Drain at Dockweiler State Beach. | A+ | C |
| Dockweiler State Beach at World Way (south of D&W jetty). | C | C |
| Dockweiler State Beach at Imperial Hwy drain. | F | C |
| Dockweiler Beach- opposite Hyperion Treatment Plant. | A+ | F |
| Dockweiler State Beach at Grand Ave. drain. | A+ | F |

**LEGEND**

**DRY** -- each location is graded on an A – F scale based on bacterial pollution levels present in the surf zone
**WET** -- grades for days of recorded rainfall and the following 3 days
**ns** -- no sample taken

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**Morning Glory (PG-13) 1hr 42min**
1:20pm, 7:00pm

**Unstoppable (PG-13) 1hr 38min**
1:00pm, 4:45pm, 7:15pm, 10:00pm

**Due Date (R) 1hr 35min**
4:05pm, 9:40pm

**Burlesque (PG-13) 1hr 40min**
12:30pm, 3:15pm, 6:10pm, 9:00pm

**Social Network (PG-13) 2hrs 00min**
1:30pm, 4:30pm, 7:30pm, 10:15pm

AMC Santa Monica 7
**1310 Third St.**
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**Harry Potter and the Deathly Hallows - Part 1 (PG-13) 2hrs 30min**
11:00am, 12:00pm, 2:15pm, 3:25pm, 5:40pm, 6:40pm, 9:00pm, 9:55pm

**Tangled in Disney Digital 3D (PG) 1hr 40min**
10:30am, 1:20pm, 4:10pm, 7:00pm, 9:50pm

**Morning Glory (PG-13) 1hr 42min**
11:40am, 2:30pm, 5:15pm, 8:00pm, 10:35pm

**Unstoppable (PG-13) 1hr 38min**
10:45am, 1:25pm, 4:05pm, 6:35pm, 9:15pm

**Burlesque (PG-13) 1hr 40min**
10:30am, 1:15pm, 4:00pm, 7:00pm, 10:00pm

**Megamind 3D (PG) 1hr 36min**
10:40am, 1:10pm, 3:45pm, 6:20pm, 9:00pm

Laemmle's Monica Fourplex
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**Fair Game (PG-13) 1hr 48min**
1:50pm, 4:30pm, 7:10pm, 9:50pm

**Inside Job (PG-13) 1hr 48min**
1:20pm, 4:10pm, 7:00pm, 9:40pm

**127 Hours (R) 1hr 33min**
12:50pm, 3:10pm, 5:30pm, 7:55pm, 10:15pm

**Queen of the Lot (R) 1hr 54min**
1:30pm, 4:20pm, 7:10pm, 9:55pm

AMC Criterion 6
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**Harry Potter and the Deathly Hallows - Part 1 (PG-13) 2hrs 30min**
10:30am, 1:45pm, 4:55pm, 8:30pm

**Due Date (R) 1hr 35min**
10:45am, 1:15pm, 3:45pm, 6:20pm, 9:00pm

**Faster (R) 1hr 38min**
11:00am, 1:40pm, 4:20pm, 7:00pm, 9:35pm

**Love and Other Drugs (R) 1hr 53min**
10:50am, 1:35pm, 4:30pm, 7:30pm, 10:20pm

**Next Three Days (PG-13) 2hrs 02min**
10:40am, 1:50pm, 4:40pm, 7:40pm, 10:30pm

**Tangled (PG) 1hr 40min**
12:25pm, 3:00pm, 5:35pm, 8:05pm, 10:30pm

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# Be where your friends are, Scorpio

### ARIES (March 21-April 19)
★★★ You could be too raring to go, and, as a result, someone misreads your enthusiasm as a need or as compliance. Let others know that there are always alternatives. Understand that a friend means well but has distorted information. Tonight: Take a break. Relax. Put your feet up.

### TAURUS (April 20-May 20)
★★★★★ So much could be happening -- and so quickly at that -- you might not want to follow through on your initial plans. Make that OK. Someone who cares a lot starts showing his or her feelings. Juggling friends, plans and different needs challenges you. Tonight: Let go of worries. Be more childlike.

### GEMINI (May 21-June 20)
★★★ Anchor in and worry less about pressure. More than likely, community commitments will work themselves out. Allow spontaneity and intellect to merge. You feel tugged in many different directions. Tonight: Happy at home.

### CANCER (June 21-July 22)
★★★ Keep expressing your various ideas. Others might not seem to be listening, but somehow your words sink in. A child or loved one could be extremely difficult. Try to avoid a battle, if possible. Tonight: Catch up on a pal's news.

### LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)
★★★ Sensitivity and a willingness to move through a situation can and will make all the difference. Others won't be as supportive as you might like. They all seem to have a lot of stuff going on. Tonight: Treat yourself to a favorite meal.

### VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)
★★★★★ Listen to your instincts with another person. This associate, friend or loved one could be offering you something you don't want to say "no" to. Bide your time and see what develops. Above all, be gracious. Tonight: Visit with a pal over the phone.

### LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22)
★★★ Watch a tendency to go to extremes, whether it is spending, over-eating or taking unnecessary risks. The results could be hard to deal with in the long run. Curb a tendency to be careless or distracted. Tonight: Take some personal time.

### SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21)
★★★★★ Emphasize what is important to you. A meeting could prove to be instrumental. Approach this matter with gentleness and sensitivity. Your awareness of what to do and your priorities might be tough to communicate. Honor your bottom lines. Tonight: Where your friends are.

### SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21)
★★★ Take charge of a situation rather than let it get too far out of control. Your feelings could be hurt easily, and perhaps the trigger was not directed at you. A boss could be difficult as well. Tonight: Count on it being late.

### CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)
★★★★ Explore your options rather than negate them, which could happen if you don't think about your responses. Conversations are lively; someone has unexpected news. The question is whether it is gossip or fact. Tonight: Detach from the day. Later, you will gain another perspective.

### AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18)
★★★★ Relate with others on a one-on-one level. It might mean more time, but it will be more worthwhile ultimately. A boss, parent or higher-up could push you. Anger could easily bubble up from out of nowhere. Tonight: Make time for a special friend or loved one.

### PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20)
★★★ The unexpected occurs way too easily, adding an unneeded stress to your already complicated day. Reach out for someone at a distance who you care about. Another perspective will help you relax. Tonight: At a certain point, you might need to separate what you do from who you are.

## Happy birthday

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★★★★ Positive ★ Difficult
★★★ Average



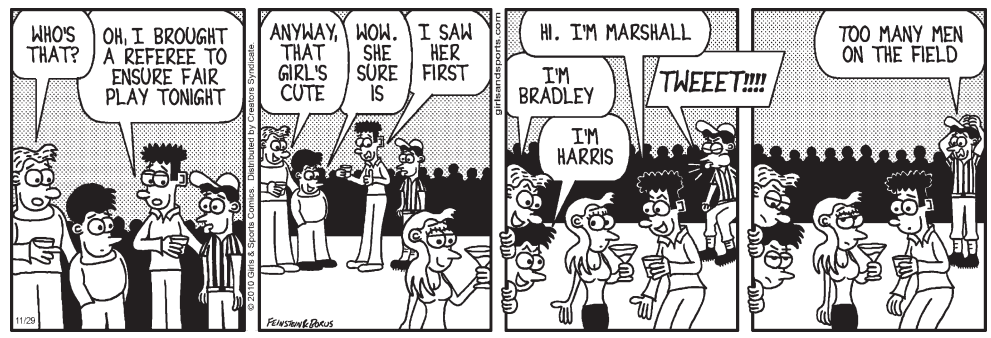
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Rachel Dardashti *news@smdp.com*

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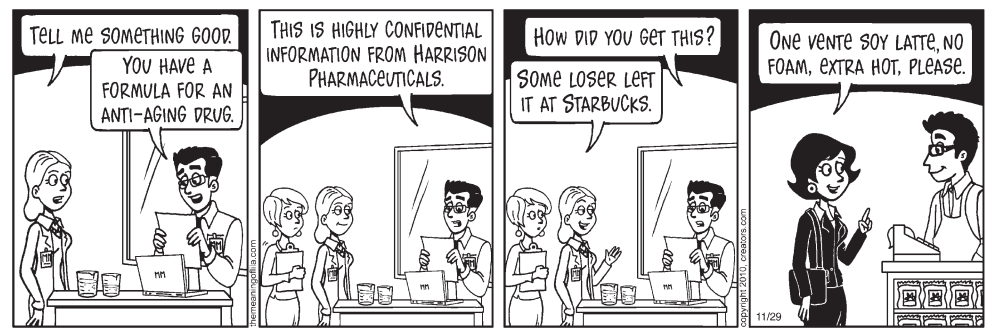
## Girls and Sports

By Justin Borus and Andrew Feinstein




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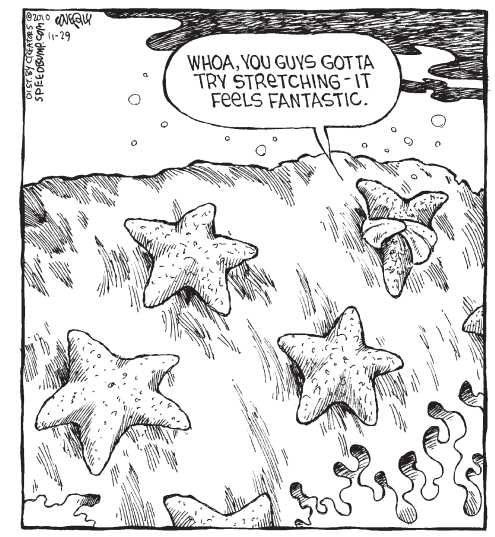

## Strange Brew

By John Deering




## Speed Bump

By Dave Coverly



## Sudoku

Fill in the blank cells using numbers 1 to 9. Each number can appear only once in each row, column, and 3x3 block. Use logic and process of elimination to solve the puzzle. The difficulty level ranges from ★ (easiest) to ★★★★★ (hardest).

Difficulty Level ★

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| 6 | | | | 1 | 8 | 4 | 9 | |
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### GETTING STARTED

There are many strategies to solving Sudoku. One way to begin is to examine each 3x3 grid and figure out which numbers are missing. Then, based on the other numbers in the row and column of each blank cell, find which of the missing numbers will work. Eliminating numbers will eventually lead you to the answer.

SOLUTIONS TO YESTERDAY'S PUZZLE

| | | | | | | | | |
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| 4 | 8 | 7 | 2 | 9 | 1 | 5 | 3 | 6 |
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## CROSSWORD

By THOMAS JOSEPH

**ACROSS**

**1** Sonnets and sestinas
**6** Like Batman
**11** Like some beer
**12** Martini garnish
**13** Make a rug
**14** Tendon
**15** Sunrise site
**17** Attempt
**18** Working for a judge
**22** Arizona tribe
**23** India's Mother —
**27** "Love Story" writer Segal
**29** Foe
**30** Guess
**32** Fan publication
**33** Stirs a drink
**35** TV alien
**38** Skating jump
**39** 1040 user
**41** Obama's veep
**45** Make better
**46** "Superman" star
**47** Clarinet parts
**48** Useful skill

**DOWN**

**1** Comics punch
**2** Early hour
**3** Greek vowel
**4** Dallas cagers
**5** Command to Spot
**6** "The Bodyguard" star
**7** Boxing legend
**8** Cream buy
**9** At any time
**10** Like lawns in the morning
**16** Command to Spot
**18** "Moonstruck" star
**19** Folk tales
**20** Sweeping story
**21** Memphis cagers
**24** Wicked
**25** Rational
**26** Pub orders
**28** See 40-Down
**31** Veto
**34** Striped grazer
**35** Miles off
**36** Green fruit
**37** Run off
**40** With 28-Down, Anthony Hopkins film
**42** — Moines
**43** Genesis woman
**44** Tennis-court sight

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| 13 | | | | | ■ | 14 | | | | |
| ■ | ■ | ■ | 15 | | 16 | | ■ | 17 | | |
| 18 | 19 | 20 | | | | | 21 | ■ | ■ | ■ |
| 22 | | | | ■ | 23 | | | 24 | 25 | 26 |
| 27 | | | | 28 | ■ | 29 | | | | |
| 30 | | | | | 31 | ■ | 32 | | | |
| ■ | ■ | ■ | 33 | | | 34 | | | | |
| 35 | 36 | 37 | ■ | 38 | | | | ■ | ■ | ■ |
| 39 | | | 40 | | ■ | 41 | | 42 | 43 | 44 |
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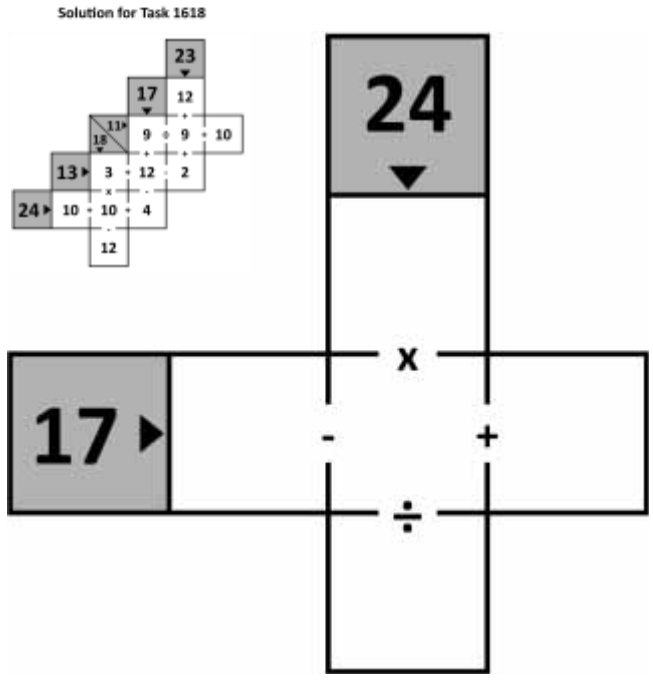
- Fill the grid with the set of given numbers (1 to 12) to satisfy the Equa demands (7 to 24) in the shaded boxes. The Equa demands represent the sum of the digits that you will insert into the empty squares.
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**Fill in the empty fields with the given numbers so when calculated together they satisfy all Equas in the gray boxes:**

**2, 4, 9, 12, 12**

Solution for Task 1618




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### NEWS OF THE WEIRD
BY CHUCK SHEPARD

■ Librarian Graham Barker, 45, of Perth, Australia, casually revealed to a reporter in October that his hobby of 26 years -- harvesting his own navel lint daily, just before he showers -- has now won acclaim in the Guinness Book of World Records. His three-jar collection (a fourth is in progress) has been sold to a local museum. His pastime, he told London's Daily Mail in October, "costs nothing and takes almost no time or effort so there is no compelling reason to stop." Barker, who also collects McDonald's tray liners, said he once did a "navel lint survey," and "a handful of respondents" "confessed" to the hobby. "One guy might have persisted, but he got married, and his wife ordered him to stop."

■ Bolivia's president Evo Morales, the former union leader and coca farmer known for hard-nosed political combat, is also a fanatical soccer player and drew worldwide video attention in October for an incident during a supposedly friendly match between his pals and a team headed by the mayor of La Paz. After absorbing a vicious foul five minutes into the contest (resulting in a leg gash), President Morales confronted the offender and kneed him in his (as local media described it) "testicular zone," leaving the player curled on the ground. Afterward, Morales' bodyguards briefly threatened the gasher with arrest.

### TODAY IN HISTORY

**1972** Nolan Bushnell (co-founder of Atari) releases Pong (the first commercially successful video game) in Andy Capp's Tavern in Sunnyvale, California.

**1983** Soviet war in Afghanistan: The United Nations General Assembly passes United Nations Resolution 37/37, stating that Soviet Union forces should withdraw from Afghanistan.

**1987** Korean Air Flight 858 explodes over the Thai-Burmese border, killing 155.

**2007** The Armed Forces of the Philippines lay siege to The Peninsula Manila after soldiers led by Senator Antonio Trillanes stage a mutiny.

### WORD UP!

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Case No. SS020164
Superior Court of California, County of Los Angeles
Petition of BAHARE MALEKAMI SAMSAMY for Change of Name
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:
Petitioner or Attorney: BAHARE MALEKAMI SAMSAMY filed a petition with this court for a decree of changing names as follows: BAHARE MALEKAMI SAMSAMY to SOFI SUN. 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: JAN 13, 2010 Time: 8:30AM, 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: NOV 18, 2010
GERALD ROSENBERG
Judge Of The Superior Court
11/22/10, 11/29/10, 12/6/10, 12/13/10

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME
Case No. SS020122
Superior Court of California, County of Los Angeles
Petition of KEITH ALLEN BORNSTEIN, MARA LEAF KAUFER for Change of Name
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:
Petitioner or Attorney: KEITH ALLEN BORNSTEIN filed a petition with this court for a decree of changing names as follows: KEITH ALLEN BORNSTEIN to KEITH BORNSTEIN ALLEN and MARA LEAF KAUFER to MARA LEAF ALLEN. 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 16, 2010 Time: 8:30AM, Dept. A., Room 104
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Date: 11/5/2010
GERALD ROSENBERG
Judge Of The Superior Court
11/8/2010, 11/15/2010, 11/22/2010, 11/29/2010

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME
Case No. LS020780
Superior Court of California, County of Los Angeles
Petition of ALTON ROSS BATES for Change of Name
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:
Petitioner or Attorney: ALTON ROSS BATES filed a petition with this court for a decree of changing names as follows: ALTON ROSS BATES to GICHI ALTON ROSS GAMBA. 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 13, 2010 Time: 8:30, Dept. NW-C, Room, 310
The address of the court is 14400 Erwin Street Mall, Van Nuys, CA 91401, Van Nuys Courthouse West.
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Date: 11/5/2010
JAMES A. STEELE
Judge Of The Superior Court
11/8/2010, 11/15/2010, 11/22/2010, 11/29/2010

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME
Case No. ES014394
Superior Court of California, County of Los Angeles
Petition of ANTHONY ALLEN HOWARD for Change of Name
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:
Petitioner or Attorney: ANTHONY ALLEN HOWARD filed a petition with this court for a decree of changing names as follows: ANTHONY ALLEN HOWARD to ANTHONY ALLEN ARENAS. 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 17, 2010 Time: 8:30AM, Dept. B
The address of the court is Superior Court North District, 300 East Olive Avenue, Burbank, CA 91502.
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: NOVEMBER 5, 2010
MARY THORNTON HOUSE
SUPERVISING JUDGE
11/8/2010, 11/15/2010, 11/22/2010, 11/29/2010

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME
Case No. ES014469
Superior Court of California, County of Los Angeles
Petition of LISA BATTISTA GIGLIO for Change of Name
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:
Petitioner or Attorney: LISA BATTISTA GIGLIO filed a petition with this court for a decree of changing names as follows: LISA BATTISTA GIGLIO to LISA BATTISTA. 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: JANUARY 7, 2011 Time: 8:30AM, Dept. B, ROOM 204
The address of the court is Superior Court North District, 300 East Olive Avenue, Burbank, CA 91502.
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: NOV. 19, 2010
MARY THORNTON HOUSE
SUPERVISING JUDGE
11/22/2010, 11/29/2010, 12/6/2010, 12/13/2010

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME
Case No. ES014468
Superior Court of California, County of Los Angeles
Petition of CHRISTOPHER A. GUERRERO , CLAUDIA G. GARCIA for Change of Name
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:
Petitioner or Attorney: CHRISTOPHER A, GUERRERO, CLAUDIA G. GARCIA filed a petition with this court for a decree of changing names as follows: CHRISTOPHER ALAN GUERRERO to CHRISTOPHER ALAN GARCIA. 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: JANUARY 14, 2011 Time: 8:30AM, Dept. B, ROOM 204
The address of the court is Superior Court North District, 300 East Olive Avenue, Burbank, CA 91502.
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: NOV 18, 2010
MARY THORNTON HOUSE
SUPERVISING JUDGE
11/22/10, 11/29/10, 12/6/10, 12/13/10

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No. 10-1573398
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File No. 10-1586462
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: MRS PIZZA OLA, 9820 TOPANGA CANYON BLVD. #O, CHATSWORTH, CA 91311. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) NIKOLAOS SIFOUNAKIS; MARIANTHI SIFOUNAKIS, 13007 GNEISS AV. #B, DOWNEY, CA 90242. This Business is conducted by: HUSBAND and WIFE. Signed: NIKOLAOS SIFOUNAKIS. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 11/04/10. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A. NOTICE- This Fictitious 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 in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code) Pub. Nov. 8, 15, 22, 29, 2010
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No. 10-1582183
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: TALAY THAI RESTAURANT, 11314 SANTA MONICA BLVD., L.A, CA 90025. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) UCKARADET SEETAPAWANG, 1307 FEDERAL AVE. #9, L.A., CA 90025. This Business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL. Signed: UCKARADET SEETAPAWANG. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 11/03/10. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 11/01/2010. NOTICE- This Fictitious 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 in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code) Pub. Nov. 8, 15, 22, 29, 2010
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No. 10-1581025
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: WINE MASTER DISTRIBUTION, 5850 WASHINGTON BLVD., CULVER CITY, CA 90232. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) INTERNATIONAL TRADING & IMPORT, INC., 5850 WASHINGTON BLVD., CULVER CITY, CA 90232. This Business is conducted by: A CORPORATION. Signed: HARRY HAGHANI. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 11/03/10. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 01/11/10. NOTICE- This Fictitious 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 in violation of the

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No. 10-1580797
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: ANGEL'S SHORE WINE DISTRIBUTORS, 5850 WASHINGTON BLVD., CULVER CITY, CA 90232. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) INTERNATIONAL TRADING & IMPORT, INC., 5850 WASHINGTON BLVD., CULVER CITY, CA 90232. This Business is conducted by: A CORPORATION. Signed: HARRY HAGHANI. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 11/03/10. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A. NOTICE- This Fictitious 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 in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code) Pub. Nov. 8, 15, 22, 29, 2010
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No. 10-1579314
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: L.A.R. DISTRIBUTING, 13110 S. AVALON BLVD., L.A, CA 90061. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) LUIS RODOLFO ALVARADO, 8292 WHITAKER ST. #3, BUENA PARK, CA 90621. This Business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL. Signed: LUIS R. ALVARADO. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 11/03/10. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on N/A. NOTICE- This Fictitious 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 in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code) Pub. Nov. 8, 15, 22, 29, 2010
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NUMBER: 20101572679 ORIGINAL FILING This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES on 11/02/2010 The following person(s) is (are) doing business as MERCH GIRLS CLOSET. The full name of registrant(s) is/are: CYNTHIA LEMPITSKY 1249 4/5 N. OGDEN DR. WEST HOLLYWOOD, CA 90046. This Business is being conducted by: an Individual. The registrant has not yet commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above. /s/:CYNTHIA LEMPITSKY OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 11/02/2010. 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 11/08/2010, 11/15/2010, 11/22/2010, 11/29/2010.

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NUMBER: 20101589760 ORIGINAL FILING This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES on 11/04/2010 The following person(s) is (are) doing business as AI#ON 200607010189 THEOPCAFE.COM; THE OP CAFE. The full name of registrant(s) is/are: THE OP CAFE LLC 3117 OCEAN PARK BLVD SANTA MONICA, CA 90405 . This Business is being conducted by: a Limited Liability Company. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)03/1/2006. /s/: LEILANI PASCUAL; VP. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 11/04/2010. 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

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NUMBER: 20101562272 ORIGINAL FILING This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES on 11/01/2010 The following person(s) is (are) doing business as M.A.D. DIVA MAKEUP; M.A.D. DIVA MAKEUP & ESTHETICS. The full name of registrant(s) is/are: LYNIQUE BROWNING 6031 S. SHERBOURNE DR. LOS ANGELES, CA, 90056. This Business is being conducted by: an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)04/22/10. /s/: LYNIQUE BROWNING ; CEO/OWNER . This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 11/01/2010. 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 11/08/2010, 11/15/2010, 11/22/2010, 11/29/2010.

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NUMBER: 20101559298 ORIGINAL FILING This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES on 10/29/2010 The following person(s) is (are) doing business as WORDINI MEDIA. The full name of registrant(s) is/are: MRINALINI HARCHANDRAI 928 16TH STREET, APT F SANTA MONICA, CA 90403. This Business is being conducted by: an Individual. The registrant has not yet commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above. /s/:MRINALINI HARCHANDRAI; PRESIDENT. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 10/29/2010. 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 11/08/2010, 11/15/2010, 11/22/2010, 11/29/2010.

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No. 10-1583299
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: HIDROALIDOS TRUCKING, 9708 ROMA ST., PICO RIVERA, CA 90660. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) JOSE RAMOS RODRIGUEZ, 9708 ROMA ST., PICO RIVERA, CA 90660. This Business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL. Signed: JOSE RAMOS RODRIGUEZ. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 11/03/10. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A. NOTICE- This Fictitious 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 in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code) Pub. Nov. 8, 15, 22, 29, 2010
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No. 10-1563134
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: DOWNEY MARKET, 8659 E. FLORENCE AVE., DOWNEY, CA 90242. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) BERTHA TORRES, RUDY GHALY, 14633 ALLINGTON AVE., NORWALK, CA 90650. This Business is conducted by: HUSBAND and WIFE. Signed: BERTHA TORRES. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 11/01/10. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A. NOTICE- This Fictitious 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 in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code) Pub. Nov. 8, 15, 22, 29, 2010
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No. 10-1574939
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: I JUS WANNA BE ME, 14102 LEMOLI AVE. #12, HAWTHORNE, CA 90250. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) MARK EDWARDS, 14102 LEMOLI AVE. #12, HAWTHORNE, CA 90250. This Business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL. Signed: MARK EDWARDS. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 11/02/10. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A. NOTICE- This Fictitious 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 in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code) Pub. Nov. 8, 15, 22, 29, 2010
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NUMBER: 20101589758 ORIGINAL FILING This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES on 11/04/2010 The following person(s) is (are) doing business as CETTI VENTURES; DIRECT MINT. The full name of registrant(s) is/are: DEREK MERRILL 157 W CHANNEL TD, APT 2 SANTA MONICA, CA 90402. This Business is being conducted by: an Individual. The registrant has not yet commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above. /s/:DEREK MERRILL; OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 11/04/2010. 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 11/08/2010, 11/15/2010, 11/22/2010, 11/29/2010.

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NUMBER: 20101589757 ORIGINAL FILING This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES on 11/04/2010 The following person(s) is (are) doing business as PAPERCLIP ROBOT. The full name of registrant(s) is/are: GRAPHICS 101 578 WASHINGTON BLVD. #250 MARINA DEL REY, CA 90292. This Business is being conducted by: a Corporation. The registrant has not yet commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above. /s/:GRAPHICS 101; PRESIDENT . This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 11/04/2010. 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 11/08/2010, 11/15/2010, 11/22/2010, 11/29/2010.

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NUMBER: 20101454650 ORIGINAL FILING This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES on 10/12/2010 The following person(s) is (are) doing business as NEEKU GROUP. The full name of registrant(s) is/are: SARA J. HENRY 2121 OCEAN PARK BLVD #6 SANTA MONICA, CA 90405. This Business is being conducted by: an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)10/05/2010. /s/: SARA HENRY; OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 10/12/2010. 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 11/08/2010, 11/15/2010, 11/22/2010, 11/29/2010.

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NUMBER: 20101531940 ORIGINAL FILING This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES on 10/26/2010 The following person(s) is (are) doing business as YOGI BAGS. The full name of registrant(s) is/are: JACQUELINE SZOBOSZLAY 39 SUNSET AVE #304 VENICE, CA 90291. This Business is being conducted by: an Individual. The registrant has not yet commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above. /s/:JACQUELINE SZOBOSZLAY; PROPRIETOR. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 10/26/2010. 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 11/08/2010, 11/15/2010, 11/22/2010, 11/29/2010.

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NUMBER: 20101539757 ORIGINAL FILING This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES on 10/27/2010 The following person(s) is (are) doing business as SEA SHORE MOTEL. The full name of registrant(s) is/are: 2637-45 MAIN, LLC 2637 MAIN STREET SANTA MONICA, CA 90405. This Business is being conducted by: a

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Limited Liability Company. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)05/15/2006. /s/: 2637-45 MAIN, LLC; MANAGER. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 10/27/2010. 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 11/08/2010, 11/15/2010, 11/22/2010, 11/29/2010.

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NUMBER: 20101573087 ORIGINAL FILING This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES on 11/02/2010 The following person(s) is (are) doing business as NOTARY BY COURT. The full name of registrant(s) is/are: COURTNEY E. COLE 11908 MONTANA AVE #202 LOS ANGELES, CA, 90049. This Business is being conducted by: an Individual. The registrant has not yet commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above. /s/:COURTNEY COLE. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 11/02/2010. 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 11/08/2010, 11/15/2010, 11/22/2010, 11/29/2010.

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NUMBER: 20101550118 ORIGINAL FILING This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES on 10/28/2010 The following person(s) is (are) doing business as HOUSE CALL DOCTOR LOS ANGELES; HOUSE CALL DOCTOR. The full name of registrant(s) is/are: MICHAEL FARZAM MD 258 N. BOWLING GREEN WAY LOS ANGELES, CA, 90049. This Business is being conducted by: an Individual. The registrant has not yet commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above. /s/:MICHAEL FARZAM MD; OWNER/PRESIDENT . This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 10/28/2010. 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 11/08/2010, 11/15/2010, 11/22/2010, 11/29/2010.

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NUMBER: 20101475679 ORIGINAL FILING This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES on 10/15/2010 The following person(s) is (are) doing business as FLAVOUR GALLERY. The full name of registrant(s) is/are: MERCHLAB, INC. 8700 PERSHING DRIVE, UNIT 4121 PLAYA DEL REY, CA 90292. This Business is being conducted by: a Corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)10/01/2010. /s/: MERCHLAB, INC. ; PRESIDENT . This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 10/15/2010. 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 11/08/2010, 11/15/2010, 11/22/2010, 11/29/2010.

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NUMBER: 20101578275 ORIGINAL FILING This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES on 11/03/2010 The following person(s) is (are) doing business as BIEBER LIGHTING CONSULTANTS ; GREENWORKS ENERGY. The full name of registrant(s) is/are: RICC BIEBER 17140 NORDHOFF STREET NORTHRIDGE, CA 91325. This Business is being conducted by: an Individual. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 11/03/2010. 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 11/15/2010, 11/22/2010, 11/29/2010, 12/06/2010.

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NUMBER: 20101596407 ORIGINAL FILING This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES on 11/05/2010 The following person(s) is (are) doing business as MIGHTY TIDY ID; FUNAUTICALS; ARTFUL ANIMALZ; U CAN SAY THAT AGAIN. The full name of registrant(s) is/are: MARK J. GORDON; MARK HEDBERG 1581 MICHAEL LN ; 3779 BOULDER CANYON DR. PACIFIC PALISADES, CA 90272; CASTRO VALLEY, CA 94552. This Business is being conducted by: an Unincorporated Association other than a Partnership. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)11/28/2010. /s/: MARK J. GORDON ; PRINCIPAL/PARTNER . This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 11/05/2010. 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 11/15/2010, 11/22/2010, 11/29/2010, 12/06/2010.

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NUMBER: 20101570545 ORIGINAL FILING This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES on 11/02/2010 The following person(s) is (are) doing business as PSKAUFMAN. The full name of registrant(s) is/are: PAUL SCOTT KAUFMAN 815 CEDAR ST SANTA MONICA, CA 90405; SANTA MONICA, CA 90405. This Business is being conducted by: an Individual. The registrant has not yet commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above. /s/:PAUL SCOTT KAUFMAN; OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 11/02/2010. 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 11/15/2010, 11/22/2010, 11/29/2010, 12/06/2010.

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NUMBER: 20101598171 ORIGINAL FILING This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES on 11/05/2010 The following person(s) is (are) doing business as STREAMLINE REMODELS & RESTORATIONS. The full name of registrant(s) is/are: STREAMLINE REMODELS & RESTORATIONS . This Business is being conducted by: a Corporation. The registrant has not yet commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above. /s/:STREMLINE MANAGEMENT & RESTORATIONS; PRESIDENT . This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 11/05/2010. 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 11/15/2010, 11/22/2010, 11/29/2010, 12/06/2010.

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NUMBER: 20101611101 ORIGINAL FILING This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES on 11/09/2010 The following person(s) is (are) doing business as AI#ON 2009931410108 THE SPARE ROOM; 900 MANAGEMENT . The full name of registrant(s) is/are: 900 MANAGEMENT, LLC 421 1/2 N. STANLEY AVE LOS ANGELES, CA 90036. This Business is being conducted by: a Limited Liability Company. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)09/01/2010. /s/: 900 MANAGEMENT, LLC; MANAGER. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 11/09/2010. 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 11/15/2010, 11/22/2010, 11/29/2010, 12/06/2010.

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NUMBER: 20101603649 ORIGINAL FILING This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES on 11/08/2010 The following person(s) is (are) doing business as BIBBZI BIDS. The full name of registrant(s) is/are: HOPE MOSKOWITZ; ANNE HERLIHY 623 MARINE ST #4; 615 MARINE ST SANTA MONICA, CA 90405; SANTA MONICA, CA 90405. This Business is being conducted by: Copartners. The registrant has not yet commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above. /s/:HOPE MOSKOWITZ; CO- FOUNDER. This statement was filed with

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the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 11/08/2010. 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 11/15/2010, 11/22/2010, 11/29/2010, 12/06/2010.

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No. 10-1612743
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: SUCCE$$CENTERS; SUCCESSCENTERS, 1825 PELHAM AVE. STE 3, L.A., CA 90025. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) THE CONTREPRENEURS CORPORATION, 1825 PELHAM AVE. STE 3, L.A., CA 90025. This Business is conducted by: A CORPORATION. Signed: JOHN McLLROY. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 11/09/10. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 06/05/2010. NOTICE- This Fictitious 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 in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code) Pub. Nov. 15, 22, 29 Dec. 06, 2010
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No. 10-1622270
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: SHOWCASE TRANSPORTATION, INC., 1966 N. SYCAMORE AVE., HOLLYWOOD, CA 90068. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) SHOWCASE TRANSPORTATION, INC., 1966 N. SYCAMORE AVE., HOLLYWOOD, CA 90068. This Business is conducted by: A CORPORATION. Signed: JOHN R. SWANGSTUE. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 11/10/10. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 02/22/2006. NOTICE- This Fictitious 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 in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code) Pub. Nov. 15, 22, 29 Dec. 06, 2010
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No. 10-1593709
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: ROOFING WITH A BIBLICAL INTEGRITY, 15923 LAKEWOOD BLVD., BELLFLOWER, CA 90706. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) FELIX BLANCO, 15923 LAKEWOOD BLVD., BELLFLOWER, CA 90706. This Business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL. Signed: FELIX BLANCO. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 11/05/10. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 12/31/2002. NOTICE- This Fictitious 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 in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code) Pub. Nov. 15, 22, 29 Dec. 06, 2010
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No. 10-1611010
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: RGW MULTI SPECIALTY MEDICAL GROUP, INC., 1915 W. GLENOAKS, STE 101, GLENDALE, CA 91201. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) RGW MULIT SPECIALTY MEDICAL GROUP, INC., 1915 W. GLENOAKS, STE 101, GLENDALE, CA 91201. This Business is conducted by: A CORPORATION. Signed: MICHAEL SHERMAN. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 11/09/10. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 10/01/10. NOTICE- This Fictitious 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 in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code) Pub. Nov. 15, 22, 29 Dec. 06, 2010
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No. 10-1617440
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: RENT A SPRAY, 11703 E. WASHINGTON BLVD., WHITTIER, CA 90606. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) STRETCHCOAT INC., 11703 E. WASHINGTON BLVD., WHITTIER, CA 90606. This Business is conducted by: A CORPORATION. Signed: DENNIS RAY AIKEY. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 11/10/10. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on MAY 1, 2005. NOTICE- This Fictitious 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 in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code) Pub. Nov. 15, 22, 29 Dec. 06, 2010
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No. 10-1613344
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: PRO PLUMBING & ROOTING SERVICES, 321 W. 8th ST., UPLAND, CA 91786. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) GEORGE PEREZ, 321 W. 8th ST., UPLAND, CA 91786. This Business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL. Signed: GEORGE PEREZ. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 11/09/10. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A. NOTICE- This Fictitious 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 in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code) Pub. Nov. 15, 22, 29 Dec. 06, 2010
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No. 10-1613476
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: DAVID ESCOBAR INTERNATIONAL TRAVEL SERVICES, 12415 RAMSEY, WHITTIER, CA 90605. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) DAVID D. ESCOBAR, 12415 RAMSEY DR., WHITTIER, CA 90605. This Business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL. Signed: DAVID D. ESCOBAR. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 11/09/10. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 11/09/2010. NOTICE- This Fictitious 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 in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code) Pub. Nov. 15, 22, 29 Dec. 06, 2010
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NUMBER: 20101622223 ORIGINAL FILING This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES on 11/10/2010 The following person(s) is (are) doing business as AI#ON A0695952 IL PAZZO FIAMMA. The full name of registrant(s) is/are: MGPRINT.COM, INC 4950 ENFIELD AVE. ENCINO, CA 91316. This Business is being conducted by: a Corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)10/28/2010. /s/: MARK SFERAS; PRESIDENT. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 11/10/2010. 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 11/15/2010, 11/22/2010, 11/29/2010, 12/06/2010.

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NUMBER: 20101533563 ORIGINAL FILING This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES on 10/26/2010 The following person(s) is (are) doing business as RED CARPET CELEBRITY GIFT SUITES ; GRAMMY AWARD GIFT BAGS. The full name of registrant(s) is/are: ROGER ZAMUDIO 14040 TAHITI WAY, STE 536 MARINA DEL REY, CA 90292. This Business is being conducted by: an Individual. This statement was filed with

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NUMBER: 20101485778 ORIGINAL FILING This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES on 10/18/2010 The following person(s) is (are) doing business as TENDER TOUCH MOBILE PHLEBOTOMY SERVICE. The full name of registrant(s) is/are: SHERREL BROWN 1136 W. 36TH PLACE LOS ANGELES, CA, 90007. This Business is being conducted by: an Individual. The registrant has not yet commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above. /s/:SHERREL BROWN; OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 10/18/2010. 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 11/15/2010, 11/22/2010, 11/29/2010, 12/06/2010.

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NUMBER: 20101556711 ORIGINAL FILING This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES on 10/29/2010 The following person(s) is (are) doing business as AI#ON 3227867 DAVIDLY INTERACTIVE. The full name of registrant(s) is/are: ENDEMIC ACCESS GROUP INC 800 WILSHIRE BLVD. 12TH FLOOR LOS ANGELES, CA, 90017. This Business is being conducted by: a Corporation. The registrant has not yet commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above. /s/:ENDEMIC ACCESS GROUP INC; CEO. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 10/29/2010. 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 11/15/2010, 11/22/2010, 11/29/2010, 12/06/2010.

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NUMBER: 20101622224 ORIGINAL FILING This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES on 11/10/2010 The following person(s) is (are) doing business as BRAMBILA SALON. The full name of registrant(s) is/are: MARY BRAMBILA 12147 SUNSET BLVD LOS ANGELES, CA, 90401. This Business is being conducted by: an Individual. The registrant has not yet commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above. /s/:MARY BRAMBILA; OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 11/10/2010. 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 11/15/2010, 11/22/2010, 11/29/2010, 12/06/2010.

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NUMBER: 20101531334 ORIGINAL FILING This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES on 10/26/2010 The following person(s) is (are) doing business as NOLITA. The full name of registrant(s) is/are: NOLITA LLC 1653 MICHELTORENA #5 LOS ANGELES, CA, 90026. This Business is being conducted by: a Limited Liability Company. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed on (Date)09/22/2010. /s/: NOLITA LLC; PRESIDENT . This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 10/26/2010. 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 11/22/2010, 11/29/2010, 12/06/2010, 12/13/2010.

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NUMBER: 20101582454 ORIGINAL FILING This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES on 11/03/2010 The following person(s) is (are) doing business as ORKILA PRODUCTIONS. The full name of registrant(s) is/are: BRENT GOSHEN 724 APPELBY ST. VENICE, CA 90291. This Business is being conducted by: an Individual. The registrant has not yet commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above. /s/:BRENT GOSHEN; OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 11/03/2010. 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 11/22/2010, 11/29/2010, 12/06/2010, 12/13/2010.

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No. 10-1668348
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: A-1 MOTEL, 8226 SANTA FE AVE., HUNTINGTON PARK, CA 90255. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) YOGESH KAPOOR, 8226 SANTA FE AVE., HUNTINGTON PARK, CA 90255. This Business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL. Signed: YOGESH KAPOOR. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 11/18/10. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A. NOTICE- This Fictitious 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 in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code) Pub. Nov. 29 Dec. 06, 13, 20, 2010
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No. 10-1645610
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: CHRIST ILLUSTRATED; CHRIST ILLUSTRATED.COM, 2155 VERDUGO BLVD. #308, MONTROSE, CA 91020. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) SUSTAINABLE HOPE, 2155 VERDUGO BLVD. #308, MONTROSE, CA 91020. This Business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL. Signed: ELIZABETH VICKERS. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 11/16/10. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 9/26/2010. NOTICE- This Fictitious 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 in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code) Pub. Nov. 29 Dec. 06, 13, 20, 2010
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No. 10-1626982
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: ERICWORLD CONSUMER LINK, 1131 W. DUARTE RD. #6, ARCADIA, CA 91007. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) ERIK LI, 1131 W. DUARTE RD. #6, ARCADIA, CA 91007. This Business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL. Signed: ERIK LI. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 11/12/10. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A. NOTICE- This Fictitious 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 in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code) Pub. Nov. 29 Dec. 06, 13, 20, 2010
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No. 10-1647021
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: INAVACION NATURAL, 4124 VIRGINIA ST., LYNWOOD, CA 90262. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) PASTOR-VILLAREAL INC., 4124 VIRGINIA ST., LYNWOOD, CA 90262. This Business is conducted by: A CORPORATION. Signed: JOSE R. PASTOR. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 11/16/10. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A. NOTICE- This Fictitious 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 in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code) Pub. Nov. 29 Dec. 06, 13, 20, 2010
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No. 10-1656517
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: JOSE SALGADO, 8713 LA TIJERA BLVD., WESTCHESTER, CA 90045. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) JOSE SALGADO, 4650 W. 134th ST., HAWTHORNE, CA 90250. This Business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL. Signed: JOSE SALGADO. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 11/17/10. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 11/17/10. NOTICE- This Fictitious 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 in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (see section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code) Pub. Nov. 29 Dec. 06, 13, 20, 2010
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No. 10-1626973
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: LEEGATE TRADE GROUP, 1131 W. DUARTE RD. #6, ARCADIA, CA 91007. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) ERIC LI, 1131 W. DUARTE RD. #6, ARCADIA, CA 91007. This Business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL. Signed: ERIC LI. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 11/12/10. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A. NOTICE- This Fictitious 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 in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code) Pub. Nov. 29 Dec. 06, 13, 20, 2010
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No. 10-1656488
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: REMITREEP; INTERNATIONAL MANAGEMENT FUND, 8822-8826 W. OLYMPIC BLVD., BEVERLY HILLS, CA 90211. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) IMF, INC., 8822-8826 W. OLYMPIC BLVD., BEVERLY HILLS, CA 90211. This Business is conducted by: A CORPORATION. Signed: ANDREA GANDIONCO. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 11/17/10. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A. NOTICE- This Fictitious 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 in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code) Pub. Nov. 29 Dec. 06, 13, 20, 2010
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FILE NO. 2010-1668923
STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT OF USE OF FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME
The following person(s) has/have abandoned the use of the fictitious business name: GIRLYGIRLS BEAUTY BAR, 7033 GREENLEAF AVE., WHITTIER, CA 90601. The fictitious business name referred to above was filed on 4/1/09, in the county of Los Angeles. The original file number of 20090466521. The business was conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles on 11/18/10. The business information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false, is guilty of a crime.) SIGNED: KARINA ANDRADE/OWNER.
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No. 10-1647021
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: INAVACION NATURAL, 4124 VIRGINIA ST., LYNWOOD, CA 90262. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) PASTOR-VILLAREAL INC., 4124 VIRGINIA ST., LYNWOOD, CA 90262. This Business is conducted by: A CORPORATION. Signed: JOSE R. PASTOR. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 11/16/10. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A. NOTICE- This Fictitious 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 in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code) Pub. Nov. 29 Dec. 06, 13, 20, 2010
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT FILE NUMBER: 20101560059 ORIGINAL FILING This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES on 10/29/2010 The following person(s) is (are) doing business as ALL DIALECTS TRANSLATIONS; ALL INTERNATIONAL CONSULTING; CAR TECH. The full name of registrant(s) is/are: ROBERTO ARIAS 2242 KELTON LOS ANGELES, CA, 90064. This Business is being conducted by: a Limited Liability Company. The registrant has not yet commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above. /s/:ROBERTO ARIAS; OWNER. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of LOS ANGELES County on 10/29/2010. 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 11/25/2010, 12/02/2010, 12/09/2010, 12/16/2010.

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No. 10-1656873
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: A E OUT COME, 2251 N. CATALINA, BURBANK, CA 91504. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) A E OUTCOME, LLC., 2251 N. CATALINA, BURBANK, CA 91504. This Business is conducted by: A LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. Signed: PRESIDENT. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 11/17/10. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A. NOTICE- This Fictitious 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 in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code) Pub. Nov. 29 Dec. 06, 13, 20, 2010
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No. 10-1668922
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: GIRLY GIRLS BEAUTY BAR, 7033 GREENLEAF AVE., WHITTIER, CA 90602. Full name of registrant(s) is (are) MARIA DE JESUS ANDRADE, 5809 JUAREZ AVE., WHITTIER, CA 90606. This Business is conducted by: AN INDIVIDUAL. Signed: MARIA DE JESUS ANDRADE. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Los Angeles County on 11/18/10. The registrant(s) has (have) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A. NOTICE- This Fictitious 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 in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See section 14411 et seq. Business and Professions Code) Pub. Nov. 29 Dec. 06, 13, 20, 2010
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