## FAIR POLITICAL PRACTICES COMMISSION STIPULATION, DECISION AND ORDER

## Statement of Economic Interests Non-Filer (Streamlined Program)

Complainant, the Enforcement Division of the Fair Political Practices Commission, and Respondent hereby agree that this stipulation will be presented to the Fair Political Practices Commission at its next regularly scheduled meeting, or as soon thereafter as the matter can be heard, as a final disposition of the reporting violation(s) described herein.

<b>FPPC CASE NO.:</b> 17/997			
RESPONDENT: Carl Schuster			
POSITION: Commissioner, California	Travel & Tourism Commission	d.b.a Visit California	
REPRESENTATION: ⊠ N/A □	-		
JURISDICTION:   City of	County of	☐ Multi-County	<b>X</b> State
GOV'T CODE SECTION VIOLATED:  Total Penalty:\$200	<b>⊠</b> 87300	□87203	
monetary penalty specified above. I ac voluntarily waive any and all procedur <b>outstanding reports in connection v</b> cashier's check or money order made part of the penalty described above.	al rights to contest this matter with these violations have no	in an administrative hear www been filed. I have at	ring. All ttached a
Dated:			_
Print Name:			_
<b>STATEMENT BY ENFORCEMENT</b> I have reviewed the above stipulation ar			
Dated:	GALENA WEST, ENFORCE	MENT CHIEF	_
<b>ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:</b> The foregoing stipulation has been adopt as its final decision and order and is effective.			nmission
IT IS SO ORDERED.			
Dated:	JOANN REMKE, CHAIR		_

## FAIR POLITICAL PRACTICES COMMISSION STATEMENT OF RESPONDENT'S RIGHTS

The Complainant, the Enforcement Division of the Fair Political Practices Commission, and Respondent, both identified by name on the front of this document, hereby agree that this Stipulation, Decision and Order will be submitted for consideration by the Commission at its next regularly scheduled meeting.

The parties agree to enter into this Stipulation to resolve all factual and legal issues raised in this matter and to reach a final disposition without the necessity of holding an administrative hearing to determine the liability of Respondent.

Respondent understands and hereby knowingly and voluntarily waives any and all procedural rights under California Government Code sections 83115.5, 11500, et seq., and 2 California Code of Regulations sections 18361.4 through 18361.11, including but not limited to the issuance and receipt of an accusation, and the right to appear personally and be represented by counsel at his or her own expense in any administrative hearing held in this matter, to confront and cross examine all witnesses testifying at the hearing, to subpoena witnesses to testify at the hearing, and to have an impartial administrative law judge present at the hearing to act as a hearing officer.

It is further stipulated and agreed that Respondent has violated the Political Reform Act as described herein.

Respondent agrees to the issuance of the Decision and Order and imposition by the Commission of a penalty in the amount specified on the Stipulation, and a cashier's check or money order in said amount, payable to the "General Fund of the State of California," has been submitted by Respondent to be held by the State of California until the Commission issues its Decision and Order.

The parties agree that in the event the Commission refuses to accept this Stipulation, it shall become null and void, and within fifteen (15) business days after the Commission meeting at which this Stipulation is rejected, payments tendered shall be reimbursed to Respondent. Respondent further stipulates and agrees that in the event the Commission rejects the Stipulation and a full evidentiary hearing before the Commission becomes necessary, neither a member of the Commission, nor the Executive Director, shall be disqualified because of prior consideration of this Stipulation.

## **DESCRIPTION OF VIOLATION:**

Ct.	Statement	<b>Due Date</b>	Reporting Period	Penalty
1	2016 Annual	4.3.2017	1.1.2016 - 12.31.2016	\$200
			TOTAL PROPOSED PENALTY	\$200

- **☒** Filer has filed all statements.
- **☒** Filer has not received a penalty from Enforcement for failing to timely file an SEI or failing to timely report a qualifying economic interest.
- **☒** Found no evidence of intent to conceal.