1 2 3 4 5 6	Farzad Rastegar (SBN 155555) farzad@rastegarlawgroup.com Sharon W. Lin (SBN 260443) sharon@rastegarlawgroup.com RASTEGAR LAW GROUP, A.P.C. 22760 Hawthorne Boulevard, Suite 200 Torrance, California 90505 Tel. (310) 961-9600 Fax (310) 961-9094 Attorneys for Plaintiff Manuel Sauceda, indiv	CONFORMED COPY ORIGINAL FILED Superior Court of California County of Los Angeles  JAN 29 2019  Sherri R. Carter Executive Officer/Clerk of Court By:
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9	SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES – SPRING STREET COURTHOUSE	
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12	MANUEL SAUCEDA, individually, and on behalf of all others similarly situated,	CASE NO. BC611159
13 14	Plaintiffs,	[Assigned for all purposes to the Hon. Carolyn B. Kuhl, Dept. 12]
15	VS.	[PROFUSED] FINAL JUDGMENT
16	HUSSMANN CORPORATION, a business entity; and DOES 1 through 10 inclusive,	Date: January 29, 2019
17	Defendants.	Time: 10:30 a.m. Dept: 12
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21	Named Plaintiff Manuel Sauceda's Unopposed Motion for Final Approval of Class Action	
22	Settlement came for hearing before this Court, the Hon. Carolyn B. Kuhl presiding, on January 29,	
23 24	2019 at 10:30 a.m. The Court having granted final approval the Joint Stipulation and Agreement to	
25	Settle Class Action Claims, it is hereby ORDERED THAT FINAL JUDGMENT BE ENTERED as	
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20	[PROPOSED] FINAL JUDGMENT	

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- 1. Pursuant to California law, this Court hereby grants final approval of the Joint Stipulation for Class Action Settlement ("Settlement Agreement"). The Court finds that the Settlement Agreement is fair, reasonable and adequate.
- 2. The Court hereby certifies for <u>settlement purposes only</u> the following Class: All persons who worked for Defendant Hussmann Corporation in a non-exempt, hourly paid job position in California at any time from February 22, 2012 up through and including the date of May 1, 2018.
- 3. This Court has jurisdiction over the claims of the Class Members asserted in this proceeding and over all parties to the action.
- 4. The Settlement Agreement is hereby deemed incorporated herein as if expressly set forth, and has the full force and effect of an Order of this Court. The Settlement Agreement shall be enforced according to its terms.
- 5. For the reasons set forth in the Preliminary Approval Order entered on September 14, 2018, and in the proceedings of the Final Approval hearing, which are adopted and incorporated herein by reference, this Court finds that the applicable requirements of the California Code of Civil Procedure § 382 have been satisfied with respect to the Settlement Class and the Settlement Agreement. The Court hereby makes final its earlier provisional certification of the Settlement Class, as set forth in the Preliminary Approval Order. The Court finds that the settlement is fair, adequate, and reasonable, and falls within the range of reasonableness.
- 6. The Court concludes that the Settlement Administrator, Phoenix Settlement Administrators, took all reasonable and necessary steps to locate and notify each Settlement Class Member of the Settlement Agreement. The notice given to the Settlement Class fully and accurately informed the Settlement Class of all material elements of the Settlement Agreement and their opportunity to object or comment thereon; was the best notice practicable under the circumstances; was valid, due and sufficient notice to all Settlement Class Members; and complied fully with the laws of the State of California, Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, the United States Constitution, due process, and other applicable law. The notice fairly and adequately described the

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Settlement and provided Settlement Class Members adequate instructions and a variety of means to obtain additional information. A full opportunity has been afforded to Settlement Class Members to participate in this hearing, and all persons wishing to be heard have been heard. Accordingly, the Court determines that all Settlement Class Members who did not timely and properly request exclusion are bound by this Judgment.

- 7. The Court hereby finds that there are no objections to the Settlement. The deadline for Class Members to object to the Settlement was December 10, 2018.
- 8. The Court hereby finds that no Class Members have requested to exclude themselves from the Settlement. The deadline for Class Members to request exclusion from the Settlement was December 10, 2018.
- The Court hereby finds that each Class Member who did not request exclusion from 9. the Settlement is bound by all the terms of the Settlement, including a release of all claims, rights, demands, liabilities and causes of action that are alleged, or reasonably could have been alleged based on the facts and claims asserted in the operative Complaint of whatever kind and nature, character and description, whether in law or equity, whether sounding in tort, contract, statute, or other applicable federal, state or local law, including claims for failure to provide meal periods, failure to pay minimum and/or overtime wages based on Defendant's time-rounding policy or practice, failure to provide accurate itemized wage statements and maintain required records, failure to timely pay all wages upon termination of employment, unfair business practices, and for civil penalties under the Private Attorney General Act of 2004 Cal. Lab. Code §§ 2698, as well as any and all damages, restitution, disgorgement, civil penalties, statutory penalties, taxes, interest or attorneys' fees resulting therefrom. This release is limited to claims that arose during the Class Period. Expressly excluded from the Released Claims are all unrelated claims including, but not limited to, claims for retaliation, discrimination, unemployment insurance, disability, workers compensation and claims outside the Class Period, which are not released.
- 10. Defendant Hussmann Corporation ("Defendant") shall pay \$1,700,000.00 in payment for settlement of Class Members' claims, enhancement award for Named Plaintiff Manuel

Sauceda, Class Counsel's attorneys' fees and costs, the Settlement Administrator's fees and expenses, and penalties to the California Labor & Workforce Agency under Labor Code Section 2698 et seq.

- 11. Of the Gross Settlement Amount, \$10,000.00 will be paid to Named Plaintiff
  Manuel Sauceda as an incentive award. The Court finds that this enhancement award is fair and
  reasonable in light of the work Named Plaintiff Manuel Sauceda provided to the class and counsel.
- 12. With this final judgment of the proposed Settlement, it is hereby ordered that all claims that are released as set forth in the bettlement Agreement are hereby barred.
- 13. Of the Total Settlement Amount, \$595,000.00 shall be paid to Class Counsel, Rastegar Law Group, A.P.C., for their fees, and \$27,181.58 shall be paid to Class Counsel for their litigation costs. The Court finds that the attorneys' fees and litigation expenses requested by Class Counsel falls within the range of reasonableness, and that the result achieved in this litigation justifies the award. In Light of the bluefff obfained for the Class.
- 14. Of the Total Settlement Amount, \$14,750.00 shall be paid to Phoenix Settlement Administrators for settlement administration fees and costs.
- 15. Of the Total Settlement Amount, \$7,500.00 shall be paid to the California Labor & Workforce Development Agency for penalties under the Private Attorneys' General Act ("PAGA"), California Labor Code section 2698, et seq.
- 16. In addition to and separate from the Gross Settlement Amount, Defendant shall make available the amount necessary for payment of employer share of all applicable payroll taxes, as calculated by the Settlement Administrator.
- 17. As set forth in the Settlement Agreement, any Individual Settlement Payment checks remaining un-cashed after one hundred and eighty (180) calendar days after being issued shall be void. The funds from any un-cashed checks shall be distributed by the Settlement Administrator to the Department of Industrial Relations Unpaid Wage Fund (Cal. Lab. Code §§

Settlement Payment check was addressed. Without affecting the finality of this Judgment, the Court shall retain continuing 18. jurisdiction over this action and the parties, including all Class Members, and over all matters pertaining to the implementation and enforcement of the terms of the Settlement Agreements pursuant to California Rule of Court 3.769(h). Except as provided to the contrary herein, any disputes or controversies arising with or with respect to the interpretation, enforcement, or implementation of the Settlement Agreement shall be presented to the Court for resolution. final report of the Administrator shall 

96.6. and 96.7) in the name of the Participating Class Member to whom the uncashed Individual