1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8	LEXINGTON LAW GROUP, LLP Mark N. Todzo (State Bar No. 168389) Patrick R. Carey (State Bar No. 308623) Joseph Mann (State Bar No. 207968) 503 Divisadero Street San Francisco, CA 94117 Telephone: (415) 913-7800 Facsimile: (415) 759-4112 mtodzo@lexlawgroup.com pcarey@lexlawgroup.com jmann@lexlawgroup.com Attorneys for Plaintiffs CENTER FOR ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH	FILED Superior Court of California, County of San Francisco 07/21/2025 Clerk of the Court BY: AUSTIN LAM Deputy Clerk
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11	SUPERIOR COURT OF THE S	STATE OF CALIFORNIA
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14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26	CENTER FOR ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH, a non-profit corporation, Plaintiff, v. AESOP USA, INC.; AMAZON RETAIL LLC; AMAZON.COM SERVICES LLC; AMAZON.COM, INC.; AMERICAN MULTI-CINEMA, INC.; AUTOZONE PARTS, INC.; AUTOZONE STORES INC.; AUTOZONE, INC.; BG RETAIL, LLC; BRINKER INTERNATIONAL, INC.; BRINKER RESTAURANT CORPORATION; BURGER KING COMPANY LLC; BURLINGTON COAT FACTORY WAREHOUSE CORPORATION; BURLINGTON STORES, INC.; CAPITAL ONE, N.A.; CARDENAS MARKETS LLC; CARL'S JR. RESTAURANTS LLC; CBI DISTRIBUTING CORP.; CHANEL, INC.; CINNABON FRANCHISOR SPV LLC; CINNABON FRANCHISOR SPV LLC; CINNABON FRANCHISOR SPV LLC;	FIRST AMENDED COMPLAINT FOR INJUNCTIVE RELIEF AND CIVIL PENALTIES Health & Safety Code §25249.6 et seq. Action Filed: April 3, 2025 Trial Date: None Set Dept: 304
2728	CINNABON LLC; CKE RESTAURANTS HOLDINGS, INC.; CLAIRE'S STORES, INC.; COMPASS GROUP USA, INC.; CONVERSE	

1	INC.; CRUMBL LLC; DAISO USA LLC;
	DARDEN CORPORATION; DARDEN
2	RESTAURANTS, INC.; DEL TACO LLC;
3	DENNY'S (CA) CORPORATION; DENNY'S,
5	INC.; DFO, LLC; DICK'S SPORTING GOODS,
4	INC.; DOLGEN CALIFORNIA, LLC; DOLLAR
_	GENERAL CORPORATION; DOLLAR TREE
5	STORES, INC.; DOMINO'S PIZZA
6	FRANCHISING LLC; DOMINO'S PIZZA LLC;
O	DOMINO'S PIZZA, INC.; DUTCH BROS, INC.;
7	DUTCH MAFIA, INC.; FAT BRANDS INC.;
	FEDEX OFFICE AND PRINT SERVICES, INC.;
8	FIVE GUYS ENTERPRISES, LLC; FIVE GUYS
9	OPERATIONS, LLC; FOOT LOCKER, INC.;
	FOOT LOCKER RETAIL, INC.; GAMESTOP
10	CORP.; GAMESTOP, INC.; GROCERY OUTLET
	INC.; HARBOR FREIGHT TOOLS USA, INC.;
11	HAT WORLD, INC.; ILITCH HOLDINGS, INC.; JACK IN THE BOX, INC.; JPMORGAN CHASE
12	BANK, N.A.; KFC CORPORATION; LITTLE
12	CAESAR ENTERPRISES, INC.; LOWE'S HOME
13	CENTERS, LLC; MCDONALD'S
	CORPORATION; MCDONALD'S
14	RESTAURANTS OF CALIFORNIA, INC.;
15	MCDONALD'S USA, LLC; MOD SUPER FAST
13	PIZZA (CALIFORNIA), LLC; MOD SUPER
16	FAST PIZZA, LLC; OFFICE DEPOT, LLC;
	OLIVE GARDEN HOLDINGS, LLC; P.F.
17	CHANG'S CHINA BISTRO, INC.; PAPA JOHN'S
18	INTERNATIONAL, INC.; PEET'S COFFEE,
10	INC.; PENNEY OPCO LLC; PETCO ANIMAL
19	SUPPLIES, INC.; PETCO ANIMAL SUPPLIES
• •	STORES, INC.; PETSMART LLC; PHILLIPS 66
20	COMPANY; PIZZA HUT OF AMERICA, LLC;
21	PIZZA HUT, LLC; PRESSED JUICERY, INC.;
_1	RAISING CANE'S RESTAURANTS, LLC;
22	RAISING CANE'S USA, LLC; RED LOBSTER
22	HOSPITALITY LLC; RED LOBSTER MANAGEMENT LLC; RED LOBSTER
23	RESTAURANTS LLC; RED ROBIN
24	INTERNATIONAL, INC.; ROSS STORES, INC.;
	SAKS & COMPANY LLC; SAKS OFF 5TH LLC;
25	SHAKE SHACK CALIFORNIA, LLC; SHAKE
26	SHACK ENTERPRISES, LLC; SMART & FINAL
26	LLC; SMART & FINAL STORES LLC;
27	SPENCER GIFTS LLC; STAPLES, INC.; TACO
	BELL CORP; TACO BELL OF AMERICA, LLC;
28	_THE CHEESECAKE FACTORY

INCORPORATED; THE CHEESECAKE
FACTORY RESTAURANTS, INC.; THE GAP,
INC.; THE HABIT RESTAURANTS, INC.; THE
HABIT RESTAURANTS, LLC; THE KROGER
CO.; TRACTOR SUPPLY COMPANY;
TST/IMPRESO, INC.; ULTA BEAUTY, INC.;
ULTA SALON, COSMETICS & FRAGRANCE,
INC.; VICTORIA'S SECRET STORES, LLC;
WALMART INC.; WELLS FARGO &
COMPANY; WILLIAMS-SONOMA, INC.;
YARD HOUSE USA, INC.; NEW RECEIPTCO
OPCO, LLC, DBA DOMTAR.; and DOES 45-400

Defendants.

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Plaintiff Center for Environmental Health, in the public interest, based on information and belief and investigation of counsel, except for information based on knowledge, hereby makes the following allegations:

INTRODUCTION

- 1. This Complaint seeks to remedy Defendants' ongoing violations of California's Proposition 65, Health & Safety Code §25249.5, et seq. Defendants violate Proposition 65 by knowingly and intentionally exposing individuals in California to Bisphenol S ("BPS"), a chemical known to the State of California to cause birth defects and other reproductive harm. Such exposures have occurred, and continue to occur, when individuals handle thermal receipt paper coated with BPS ("Thermal Receipt Paper") that is manufactured, distributed, purchased for use, sold, offered for sale, provided, or offered to be provided by Defendants. Individuals, including women who are pregnant or seeking to become pregnant, are exposed to BPS when they touch or handle the Thermal Receipt Paper. Defendants' violations arise due to the manufacture, distribution, and sale of Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS by several suppliers of such paper. These suppliers provide the Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to their customers, who in turn provide receipts to individuals throughout California, thereby exposing such individuals to BPS. This Complaint seeks to comprehensively address this industry-wide problem.
- 2. Under Proposition 65, it is unlawful for businesses to knowingly and intentionally expose individuals in California to chemicals known to the State to cause birth defects or other reproductive harm without first providing clear and reasonable warnings to exposed individuals. Defendants manufacture, distribute, purchase for use, sell, offer to sell, provide, or offer to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing significant quantities of BPS to individuals in California, thereby exposing these individuals to BPS.
- 3. Despite the fact that Defendants expose those who are pregnant, those who are seeking to become pregnant, and others to BPS, Defendants provide no warnings whatsoever about the reproductive hazards associated with BPS exposure. Defendants' conduct thus violates the warning provision of Proposition 65. Health & Safety Code §25249.6.

PARTIES

- 4. Plaintiff CENTER FOR ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH ("CEH") is a non-profit corporation dedicated to protecting the public from environmental health hazards and toxic exposures. CEH is based in Oakland, California and incorporated under the laws of the State of California. CEH is a "person" within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11(a) and brings this enforcement action in the public interest pursuant to Health & Safety Code §25249.7(d). CEH is a nationally recognized not-for-profit environmental advocacy group that has prosecuted numerous Proposition 65 cases in the public interest. Through its work, CEH has created substantial public benefit, including the reformulation or removal from the market of millions of products harming consumers and the environment. CEH also provides information to Californians about the health risks associated with exposure to hazardous substances when manufacturers and other responsible parties fail to do so.
- 5. Defendant AESOP USA, INC. is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. AESOP USA, INC. manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. AESOP USA, INC. purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from a SUPPLIER DOE and used and/or provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.
- 6. Defendant AMAZON RETAIL LLC is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. AMAZON RETAIL LLC manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. AMAZON RETAIL LLC purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from a SUPPLIER DOE and used and/or provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.
- 7. Defendant AMAZON.COM SERVICES LLC is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. AMAZON.COM SERVICES LLC manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. AMAZON.COM SERVICES LLC

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- 9. Defendant AMERICAN MULTI-CINEMA, INC. is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. AMERICAN MULTI-CINEMA, INC. manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. AMERICAN MULTI-CINEMA, INC. purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and/or provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.
- 10. Defendant AUTOZONE PARTS, INC. is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. AUTOZONE PARTS, INC. manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. AUTOZONE PARTS, INC. purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and/or provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.
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- 13. Defendant BG RETAIL, LLC is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. BG RETAIL, LLC manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. BG RETAIL, LLC purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.
- 14. Defendant BRINKER INTERNATIONAL, INC. is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. BRINKER INTERNATIONAL, INC. manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. BRINKER INTERNATIONAL, INC. purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.
- 15. Defendant BRINKER RESTAURANT CORPORATION is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. BRINKER RESTAURANT CORPORATION manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. BRINKER RESTAURANT CORPORATION purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.
- 16. Defendant BURGER KING COMPANY LLC is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. BURGER KING COMPANY LLC

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- 17. Defendant BURLINGTON COAT FACTORY WAREHOUSE CORPORATION is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11.

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- 19. Defendant CALERES, INC. is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. CALERES, INC. manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. CALERES, INC. purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.
- 20. Defendant CAPITAL ONE, N.A. is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. CAPITAL ONE, N.A. manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing

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- 21. Defendant CARDENAS MARKETS LLC is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. CARDENAS MARKETS LLC manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. CARDENAS MARKETS LLC purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.
- 22. Defendant CARL'S JR. RESTAURANTS LLC is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. CARL'S JR. RESTAURANTS LLC manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. CARL'S JR. RESTAURANTS LLC purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.
- 23. Defendant CBI DISTRIBUTING CORP. is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. CBI DISTRIBUTING CORP. manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. CBI DISTRIBUTING CORP. purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.
- 24. Defendant CHANEL, INC. is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. CHANEL, INC. manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. CHANEL, INC. purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.

- 25. Defendant CINNABON FRANCHISOR SPV LLC is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. CINNABON FRANCHISOR SPV LLC manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. CINNABON FRANCHISOR SPV LLC purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.
- 26. Defendant CINNABON LLC is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. CINNABON LLC manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. CINNABON LLC purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.
- 27. Defendant CKE RESTAURANTS HOLDINGS, INC. is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. CKE RESTAURANTS HOLDINGS, INC. manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. CKE RESTAURANTS HOLDINGS, INC. purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.
- 28. Defendant CLAIRE'S STORES, INC. is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. CLAIRE'S STORES, INC. manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. CLAIRE'S STORES, INC. purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.
- 29. Defendant COMPASS GROUP USA, INC. is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. COMPASS GROUP USA, INC.

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- 30. Defendant CONVERSE INC. is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. CONVERSE INC. manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. CONVERSE INC. purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.
- 31. Defendant CRUMBL LLC is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. CRUMBL LLC manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. CRUMBL LLC purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.
- 32. Defendant DAISO USA LLC is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. DAISO USA LLC manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. DAISO USA LLC purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.
- 33. Defendant DARDEN CORPORATION is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. DARDEN CORPORATION manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. DARDEN CORPORATION purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.

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- 35. Defendant DEL TACO LLC is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. DEL TACO LLC manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. DEL TACO LLC purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.
- 36. Defendant DENNY'S (CA) CORPORATION is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. DENNY'S (CA) CORPORATION manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. DENNY'S (CA) CORPORATION purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.
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- 38. Defendant DFO, LLC is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. DFO, LLC manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers

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- 39. Defendant DICK'S SPORTING GOODS, INC. is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. DICK'S SPORTING GOODS, INC. manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. DICK'S SPORTING GOODS, INC. purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.
- 40. Defendant DOLGEN CALIFORNIA, LLC is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. DOLGEN CALIFORNIA, LLC manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. DOLGEN CALIFORNIA, LLC purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.
- 41. Defendant DOLLAR GENERAL CORPORATION is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. DOLLAR GENERAL CORPORATION manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. DOLLAR GENERAL CORPORATION purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.
- 42. Defendant DOLLAR TREE STORES, INC. is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. DOLLAR TREE STORES, INC. manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. DOLLAR TREE STORES, INC. purchased

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- 43. Defendant DOMINO'S PIZZA FRANCHISING LLC is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. DOMINO'S PIZZA FRANCHISING LLC manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. DOMINO'S PIZZA FRANCHISING LLC purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.
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- 46. Defendant DUTCH BROS, INC. is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. DUTCH BROS, INC. manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. DUTCH BROS, INC. purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.

- 47. Defendant DUTCH MAFIA, INC. is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. DUTCH MAFIA, INC. manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. DUTCH MAFIA, INC. purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.
- 48. Defendant FAT BRANDS INC. is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. FAT BRANDS INC. manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. FAT BRANDS INC. purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.
- 49. Defendant FEDEX OFFICE AND PRINT SERVICES, INC. is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. FEDEX OFFICE AND PRINT SERVICES, INC. manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. FEDEX OFFICE AND PRINT SERVICES, INC. purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.
- 50. Defendant FIVE GUYS ENTERPRISES, LLC is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. FIVE GUYS ENTERPRISES, LLC manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. FIVE GUYS ENTERPRISES, LLC purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.
- 51. Defendant FIVE GUYS OPERATIONS, LLC is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. FIVE GUYS OPERATIONS, LLC

manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. FIVE GUYS OPERATIONS, LLC purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.

- 52. Defendant FOOT LOCKER, INC. is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. FOOT LOCKER, INC. manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. FOOT LOCKER, INC. purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.
- 53. Defendant FOOT LOCKER RETAIL, INC. is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. FOOT LOCKER RETAIL, INC. manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. FOOT LOCKER RETAIL, INC. purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.
- 54. Defendant GAMESTOP CORP. is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. GAMESTOP CORP. manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. GAMESTOP CORP. purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.
- 55. Defendant GAMESTOP, INC. is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. GAMESTOP, INC. manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. GAMESTOP, INC. purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from

NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.

- 56. Defendant GROCERY OUTLET INC. is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. GROCERY OUTLET INC. manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. GROCERY OUTLET INC. purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.
- 57. Defendant HARBOR FREIGHT TOOLS USA, INC. is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. HARBOR FREIGHT TOOLS USA, INC. manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. HARBOR FREIGHT TOOLS USA, INC. purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.
- 58. Defendant HAT WORLD, INC. is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. HAT WORLD, INC. manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. HAT WORLD, INC. purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.
- 59. Defendant ILITCH HOLDINGS, INC. is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. ILITCH HOLDINGS, INC. manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. ILITCH HOLDINGS, INC. purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.

- 60. Defendant JACK IN THE BOX, INC. is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. JACK IN THE BOX, INC. manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. JACK IN THE BOX, INC. purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.
- 61. Defendant JPMORGAN CHASE BANK, N.A. is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. JPMORGAN CHASE BANK, N.A. manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. JPMORGAN CHASE BANK, N.A. purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.
- 62. Defendant KFC CORPORATION is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. KFC CORPORATION manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. KFC CORPORATION purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.
- 63. Defendant LITTLE CAESAR ENTERPRISES, INC. is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. LITTLE CAESAR ENTERPRISES, INC. manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. LITTLE CAESAR ENTERPRISES, INC. purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.
- 64. Defendant LOWE'S HOME CENTERS, LLC is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. LOWE'S HOME CENTERS, LLC

manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. LOWE'S HOME CENTERS, LLC purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.

- 65. Defendant MCDONALD'S CORPORATION is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. MCDONALD'S CORPORATION manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. MCDONALD'S CORPORATION purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.
- 66. Defendant MCDONALD'S RESTAURANTS OF CALIFORNIA, INC is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. MCDONALD'S RESTAURANTS OF CALIFORNIA, INC manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. MCDONALD'S RESTAURANTS OF CALIFORNIA, INC purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.
- 67. Defendant MCDONALD'S USA, LLC is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. MCDONALD'S USA, LLC manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. MCDONALD'S USA, LLC purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.
- 68. Defendant MOD SUPER FAST PIZZA (CALIFORNIA), LLC is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. MOD SUPER FAST PIZZA (CALIFORNIA), LLC manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. MOD SUPER

FAST PIZZA (CALIFORNIA), LLC purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.

- 69. Defendant MOD SUPER FAST PIZZA, LLC is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. MOD SUPER FAST PIZZA, LLC manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. MOD SUPER FAST PIZZA, LLC purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.
- 70. Defendant OFFICE DEPOT, LLC is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. OFFICE DEPOT, LLC manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. OFFICE DEPOT, LLC purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.
- 71. Defendant OLIVE GARDEN HOLDINGS, LLC is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. OLIVE GARDEN HOLDINGS, LLC manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. OLIVE GARDEN HOLDINGS, LLC purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.
- 72. Defendant P.F. CHANG'S CHINA BISTRO, INC. is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. P.F. CHANG'S CHINA BISTRO, INC. manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. P.F. CHANG'S CHINA BISTRO, INC. purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a

SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.

- 73. Defendant PAPA JOHN'S INTERNATIONAL, INC. is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. PAPA JOHN'S INTERNATIONAL, INC. manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. PAPA JOHN'S INTERNATIONAL, INC. purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.
- 74. Defendant PEET'S COFFEE, INC. is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. PEET'S COFFEE, INC. manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. PEET'S COFFEE, INC. purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.
- 75. Defendant PENNEY OPCO LLC is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. PENNEY OPCO LLC manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. PENNEY OPCO LLC purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.
- 76. Defendant PETCO ANIMAL SUPPLIES, INC. is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. PETCO ANIMAL SUPPLIES, INC. manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. PETCO ANIMAL SUPPLIES, INC. purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.

- 77. Defendant PETCO ANIMAL SUPPLIES STORES, INC. is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. PETCO ANIMAL SUPPLIES STORES, INC. manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. PETCO ANIMAL SUPPLIES STORES, INC. purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.
- 78. Defendant PETSMART LLC is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. PETSMART LLC manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. PETSMART LLC purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.
- 79. Defendant PHILLIPS 66 COMPANY is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. PHILLIPS 66 COMPANY manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. PHILLIPS 66 COMPANY purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.
- 80. Defendant PIZZA HUT OF AMERICA, LLC is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. PIZZA HUT OF AMERICA, LLC manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. PIZZA HUT OF AMERICA, LLC purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.
- 81. Defendant PIZZA HUT, LLC is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. PIZZA HUT, LLC manufactures, distributes, purchases

for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. PIZZA HUT, LLC purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.

- 82. Defendant PRESSED JUICERY, INC. is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. PRESSED JUICERY, INC. manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. PRESSED JUICERY, INC. purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.
- 83. Defendant RAISING CANE'S RESTAURANTS, LLC is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. RAISING CANE'S RESTAURANTS, LLC manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. RAISING CANE'S RESTAURANTS, LLC purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.
- 84. Defendant RAISING CANE'S USA, LLC is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. RAISING CANE'S USA, LLC manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. RAISING CANE'S USA, LLC purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.
- 85. Defendant RED LOBSTER HOSPITALITY LLC is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. RED LOBSTER HOSPITALITY LLC manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. RED LOBSTER HOSPITALITY LLC purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a

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86. Defendant RED LOBSTER MANAGEMENT LLC is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. RED LOBSTER MANAGEMENT

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87. Defendant RED LOBSTER RESTAURANTS LLC is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. RED LOBSTER RESTAURANTS LLC manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. RED LOBSTER RESTAURANTS LLC purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.

- 88. Defendant RED ROBIN INTERNATIONAL, INC. is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. RED ROBIN INTERNATIONAL, INC. manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. RED ROBIN INTERNATIONAL, INC. purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.
- 89. Defendant ROSS STORES, INC. is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. ROSS STORES, INC. manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. ROSS STORES, INC. purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing

BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.

- 90. Defendant SAKS & COMPANY LLC is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. SAKS & COMPANY LLC manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. SAKS & COMPANY LLC purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.
- 91. Defendant SAKS OFF 5TH LLC is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. SAKS OFF 5TH LLC manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. SAKS OFF 5TH LLC purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.
- 92. Defendant SHAKE SHACK CALIFORNIA, LLC is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. SHAKE SHACK CALIFORNIA, LLC manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. SHAKE SHACK CALIFORNIA, LLC purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.
- 93. Defendant SHAKE SHACK ENTERPRISES, LLC is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. SHAKE SHACK ENTERPRISES, LLC manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. SHAKE SHACK ENTERPRISES, LLC purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.

- 94. Defendant SMART & FINAL LLC is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. SMART & FINAL LLC manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. SMART & FINAL LLC purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.
- 95. Defendant SMART & FINAL STORES LLC is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. SMART & FINAL STORES LLC manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. SMART & FINAL STORES LLC purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.
- 96. Defendant SPENCER GIFTS LLC is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. SPENCER GIFTS LLC manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. SPENCER GIFTS LLC purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.
- 97. Defendant STAPLES, INC. is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. STAPLES, INC. manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. STAPLES, INC. purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.
- 98. Defendant TACO BELL CORP is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. TACO BELL CORP manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. TACO BELL CORP purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from

NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.

- 99. Defendant TACO BELL OF AMERICA, LLC is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. TACO BELL OF AMERICA, LLC manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. TACO BELL OF AMERICA, LLC purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.
- 100. Defendant THE CHEESECAKE FACTORY INCORPORATED is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. THE CHEESECAKE FACTORY INCORPORATED manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. THE CHEESECAKE FACTORY INCORPORATED purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.
- 101. Defendant THE CHEESECAKE FACTORY RESTAURANTS, INC. is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. THE CHEESECAKE FACTORY RESTAURANTS, INC. manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. THE CHEESECAKE FACTORY RESTAURANTS, INC. purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.
- 102. Defendant THE GAP, INC. is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. THE GAP, INC. manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. THE GAP, INC. purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW

RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.

- 103. Defendant THE HABIT RESTAURANTS, INC. is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. THE HABIT RESTAURANTS, INC. manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. THE HABIT RESTAURANTS, INC. purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.
- 104. Defendant THE HABIT RESTAURANTS, LLC is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. THE HABIT RESTAURANTS, LLC manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. THE HABIT RESTAURANTS, LLC purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.
- 105. Defendant THE KROGER CO. is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. THE KROGER CO. manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. THE KROGER CO. purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.
- 106. Defendant TRACTOR SUPPLY COMPANY is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. TRACTOR SUPPLY COMPANY manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. TRACTOR SUPPLY COMPANY purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a

SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.

- 107. Defendant TST/IMPRESO, INC. is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. TST/IMPRESO, INC. manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. TST/IMPRESO, INC. purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.
- 108. Defendant ULTA BEAUTY, INC. is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. ULTA BEAUTY, INC. manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. ULTA BEAUTY, INC. purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.
- 109. Defendant ULTA SALON, COSMETICS & FRAGRANCE, INC. is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. ULTA SALON, COSMETICS & FRAGRANCE, INC. manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. ULTA SALON, COSMETICS & FRAGRANCE, INC. purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.
- 110. Defendant VICTORIA'S SECRET STORES, LLC is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. VICTORIA'S SECRET STORES, LLC manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. VICTORIA'S SECRET STORES, LLC purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.

- 111. Defendant WALMART INC. is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. WALMART INC. manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. WALMART INC. purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.
- 112. Defendant WELLS FARGO & COMPANY is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. WELLS FARGO & COMPANY manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. WELLS FARGO & COMPANY purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.
- 113. Defendant WILLIAMS-SONOMA, INC. is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. WILLIAMS-SONOMA, INC. manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. WILLIAMS-SONOMA, INC. purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.
- 114. Defendant YARD HOUSE USA, INC. is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. YARD HOUSE USA, INC. manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. YARD HOUSE USA, INC. purchased Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and/or a SUPPLIER DOE and used and provided such Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.
- 115. Defendant NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC, DBA DOMTAR is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC manufactures, distributes, purchases for use, sells, offers to sell, provides, or offers to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California. NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC is

one of the largest suppliers of Thermal Receipt Paper to California and provides and/or has provided Thermal Receipt Paper to a number of the other Defendants named herein as well as to numerous other entities not yet named herein ("NEW RECEIPTCO DOES"). On information and belief, NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC provided some notice to its customers prior to the effective date of the BPS warning requirement informing them that BPS would soon be a listed chemical pursuant to Proposition 65 and informing them of ways in which they could comply with the warning requirement for Thermal Receipt Paper purchased from it. Whether and to what extent this notice was reasonable and adequate are questions of fact to be addressed in this case.

- 116. DOES 45 through 70 ("SUPPLIER DOES") are each a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. SUPPLIER DOES each manufacture, distribute, purchase for use, sell, offer to sell, provide, or offer to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to businesses and retail customers in California that in turn provide Thermal Receipt Paper to individuals in California. SUPPLIER DOES provide and/or have provided Thermal Receipt Paper to a number of the other Defendants named herein as well as to numerous other entities not yet named herein.
- 117. DOES 71-200 ("NEW RECEIPTCO DOES") are each a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. NEW RECEIPTCO DOES each purchased Thermal Receipt Paper from NEW RECEIPTCO OPCO, LLC and use, sell, offer to sell, provide, or offer to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.
- 118. DOES 201-400 are each a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11. DOES 201 through 400 each purchased Thermal Receipt Paper from one or more SUPPLIER DOES and use, sell, offer to sell, provide, or offer to provide Thermal Receipt Paper containing BPS to individuals in California.
- 119. The true names of DOES 45 through 400 are either unknown to CEH at this time or the applicable time period before which CEH may file a Proposition 65 action has not run. When CEH ascertains the identifies of the DOE Defendants and/or the applicable time period before which CEH may file a Proposition 65 action has run, CEH will amend the Complaint to reflect the true names and identities of the DOE Defendants.

120. The defendants identified in paragraphs 5 through 115 and DOES 45 through 400 are collectively referred to herein as "Defendants."

JURISDICTION AND VENUE

- 121. The Court has jurisdiction over this action pursuant to Health & Safety Code §25249.7, which allows enforcement in any court of competent jurisdiction, and pursuant to California Constitution Article VI, Section 10, because this case is a cause not given by statute to other trial courts.
- 122. This Court has jurisdiction over Defendants because each is a business entity that either (i) has its principal place of business in California or is headquartered in California; or (ii) does sufficient business, has sufficient minimum contacts in California, or otherwise avails itself of the California market through its manufacture, distribution, purchasing for use, selling, offering to sell, providing, or offering to provide Thermal Receipt Paper in California and such business and contacts gave rise to the claims at issue. Such contacts with California also render the exercise of jurisdiction over Defendants by California courts consistent with traditional notions of fair play and substantial justice.
- 123. Venue is proper in San Francisco County Superior Court because one or more of the violations arise in the County of San Francisco.

BACKGROUND FACTS

- 124. The People of the State of California have declared by initiative under Proposition 65 their right "[t]o be informed about exposures to chemicals that cause cancer, birth defects, or other reproductive harm." Proposition 65, §1(b).
- 125. To effectuate this goal, Proposition 65 prohibits exposing people to chemicals listed by the State of California as known to cause cancer, birth defects, or other reproductive harm above certain levels without a "clear and reasonable warning" unless the business responsible for the exposure can prove that it fits within a statutory exemption. Health & Safety Code §25249.6 states, in pertinent part:

No person in the course of doing business shall knowingly and intentionally expose any individual to a chemical known to the state to cause cancer or reproductive toxicity without first giving clear and reasonable warning to such individual. . . .

- 127. On December 29, 2023, the State of California officially listed BPS as a female reproductive toxicant. 27 California Code of Regulations ("C.C.R.") §27001(c). On December 29, 2024, BPS became subject to the clear and reasonable warning requirement regarding reproductive toxicity under Proposition 65. Health & Safety Code §25249.10(b).
- 128. BPS is intentionally added to the surface of the Thermal Receipt Paper as a functional component of the paper. People who touch, handle, or otherwise come into contact with the surface of Thermal Receipt Paper are thus exposed to BPS.
- 129. Defendants' Thermal Receipt Paper contains sufficient quantities of BPS such that individuals, including women who are pregnant or seeking to become pregnant, who touch or handle the Thermal Receipt Paper are exposed to significant amounts of BPS. The primary routes of exposure for the violations are dermal absorption directly through the skin when individuals touch or handle Thermal Receipt Paper and ingestion via hand-to-mouth contact after individuals touch or handle Thermal Receipt Paper. These exposures occur in homes, workplaces, retail establishments, and everywhere else throughout California where the Thermal Receipt Paper is touched or handled.
- 130. The addition of BPS in the Thermal Receipt Paper is not necessary, as receipt paper can be produced, processed, packaged, purchased, and provided without BPS.

- 131. Defendants fail to provide any warning, let alone the required clear and reasonable warning, with their Thermal Receipt Paper regarding the reproductive toxicity of BPS.
- 132. Any person acting in the public interest has standing to enforce violations of Proposition 65 provided that such person supplied the requisite public enforcers with a valid 60-Day Notice of Violation and such public enforcers are not diligently prosecuting the action within such time. Health & Safety Code §25249.7(d).
- Day "Notice of Violation" of Proposition 65 to the California Attorney General, to the District Attorneys of every county in California, to the City Attorneys of every California city with a population greater than 750,000, and to each of the named Defendants. In compliance with Health & Safety Code \$25249.7(d) and 27 C.C.R. \$25903(b), each Notice included the following information: (1) the name and address of each violator; (2) the statute violated; (3) the time period during which violations occurred; (4) specific descriptions of the violations, including (a) the routes of exposures to BPS from Defendants' Thermal Receipt Paper; and (b) the specific type of products sold or provided in violation of Proposition 65; and (5) the name of the specific Proposition 65-listed chemical that is the subject of the violations described in each Notice. Each Notice also included a proposal for resolution of the noticed claims and a demand that Defendants preserve all evidence relevant to the noticed claims.
- 134. CEH also sent a Certificate of Merit for each Notice to the California Attorney General, to the District Attorneys of every county in California, to the City Attorneys of every California city with a population greater than 750,000, and to each of the named Defendants. In compliance with Health & Safety Code §25249.7(d) and 11 C.C.R. §3101, each Certificate certified that CEH's counsel: (1) has consulted with one or more persons with relevant and appropriate experience or expertise who reviewed facts, studies, or other data regarding the exposures to BPS alleged in each Notice; and (2) based on the information obtained through such consultations, believes that there is a reasonable and meritorious case for a citizen enforcement action based on the facts alleged in each Notice. In compliance with Health & Safety Code §25249.7(d) and 11 C.C.R. §3102, each Certificate served on the Attorney General included factual information provided on a confidential basis sufficient to establish

the basis for the Certificate, including the identity of the person(s) consulted by CEH's counsel and the facts, studies, or other data reviewed by such persons.

- 135. None of the public prosecutors with the authority to prosecute violations of Proposition 65 have commenced or is diligently prosecuting a cause of action against Defendants under Health & Safety Code §25249.5, *et seq.*, based on the claims asserted in any of CEH's Notices regarding BPS in Thermal Receipt Paper.
- 136. Defendants both know and intend that individuals including those who are pregnant and seeking to become pregnant touch or handle their Thermal Receipt Paper, thus exposing them to BPS.
- 137. Under Proposition 65, an exposure is "knowing" where the party responsible for such exposure has: "knowledge of the fact that a[n] ... exposure to a chemical listed pursuant to [Health & Safety Code §25249.8(a)] is occurring. No knowledge that the ... exposure is unlawful is required." 27 C.C.R. §25102(n). This knowledge may be either actual or constructive. *See*, *e.g.*, Final Statement of Reasons Revised (November 4, 1988) (pursuant to former 22 C.C.R. Division 2, §12601).
- 138. Defendants continue to expose individuals to BPS without prior clear and reasonable warnings regarding the reproductive toxicity of BPS.
- 139. CEH has engaged in good-faith efforts to resolve the claims alleged herein prior to filing this Complaint.
- 140. Any person "violating or threatening to violate" Proposition 65 may be enjoined in any court of competent jurisdiction. Health & Safety Code §25249.7. "Threaten to violate" is defined to mean "to create a condition in which there is a substantial probability that a violation will occur." Health & Safety Code §25249.11(e). Proposition 65 provides for civil penalties not to exceed \$2,500 per day for each violation of Proposition 65.

FIRST CAUSE OF ACTION

(Violations of Health & Safety Code §25249.6)

141. CEH realleges and incorporates by reference as if specifically set forth herein the paragraphs of this Complaint.

- 142. By placing the Thermal Receipt Paper into the stream of commerce or providing Thermal Receipt Paper to California consumers, each Defendant is a person in the course of doing business within the meaning of Health & Safety Code §25249.11.
- 143. BPS is a chemical listed by the State of California as a known female reproductive toxicant.
- 144. Each Defendant knows that average use of the Thermal Receipt Paper will expose individuals who touch or handle the Thermal Receipt Paper to BPS.
- 145. Each Defendant intends that the Thermal Receipt Paper be used in a manner that results in exposures to BPS from these products.
- 146. Each Defendant has failed, and continues to fail, to provide clear and reasonable warnings regarding the reproductive toxicity of BPS to individuals who touch or handle its Thermal Receipt Paper.
- 147. By committing the acts alleged above, each Defendant has at all times relevant to this Complaint violated Proposition 65 by knowingly and intentionally exposing individuals to BPS without first giving clear and reasonable warnings to such individuals regarding the reproductive toxicity of BPS.

PRAYER FOR RELIEF

CEH prays for judgment against Defendants as follows:

- 1. That the Court, pursuant to Health & Safety Code §25249.7(a), preliminarily and permanently enjoin Defendants from either offering the Thermal Receipt Paper that will be sold in California or providing the Thermal Receipt Paper to California consumers without either reducing the BPS levels in their Thermal Receipt Paper such that no Proposition 65 warnings are required or providing prior clear and reasonable warnings, as CEH shall specify in further application to the Court;
- 2. That the Court, pursuant to Health & Safety Code §25249.7(b), assess civil penalties against each Defendant in the amount of \$2,500 per day for each violation of Proposition 65 according to proof;

- 3. That the Court, pursuant to Health & Safety Code §25249.7(a), order Defendants to take action to stop ongoing unwarned exposures to BPS resulting from the use of Thermal Receipt Paper sold or provided to consumers by Defendants, as CEH shall specify in further application to the Court;
- 4. That the Court, pursuant to Code of Civil Procedure §1021.5 or any other applicable theory, grant CEH its reasonable attorneys' fees and costs of suit; and
 - 5. That the Court grant such other and further relief as may be just and proper.

Dated: July 21, 2025

Respectfully submitted,

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